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January 2009 Newsletter

Submit Content by December 15, 2008 to: hanau_high_school_alumni@yahoo.com

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- School News
- Births, Marriages, Graduations
- Obituaries
- New / Updated Contact Info
- Personals (looking for classmate, year book, or announcements etc.)
- Reunion information
- Alumni News (Where are they now)
- Promotions and New Jobs

Check out the Alumni Web

Find all your friends and classmates at: <http://www.hanauhigh.org/>

Sign Up Now for New Yahoo Group

Sign up now for the new yahoo group. By signing up you will receive instant notices as they are posted about reunions, the school closing, newsletter postings, web changes, etc. Sign up by clicking the link on the alumni home page!

Newsletter Feedback

I am so sad that our school has closed. The sense of loss I feel is indescribable. I have often dreamed of taking my children to Hanau to show them where I grew up. Unfortunately that never happened. I don't remember who it was that said that "you take a piece of Hanau everywhere you go." That is so true! I have always considered Hanau to be me "home town." **Kathy (Ward) Holder '82** kathyray4@verizon.net

I am curious, what will happen to this building? Will the 'school' remain there, or will it be torn down? I have plans of visiting Germany and the UK in 2010, just wondering if there would be anything to see if I drove by. See you in Florida in 2010!

Chad D. Everhart '95 everharc@us.ibm.com

I can't thank you enough for sending me all of those e-mails. One of the messages was totally right on - the Hanau experience stays with you wherever life takes you. Another one made a point about the close community - I totally agree. I do keep in contact with one of my classmates, Eddie Lee in San Antonio Texas but that's all. A big regret. Maybe I will get bold and put in a message some time. Thanks Again.

Pat Ogden '85 oggie4595@msn.com.

** Pat - you just submitted your first message. Thanks!*

Hello and thanks again ! I never attended HHS. I went to elementary as a dependent and was stationed at Fliegerhorst just after turning 18. From 1986-1988, I spent time hanging out at Pepi's and the Boat with the likes of Matt and Jay O'Reilly, Chris Wetzler, Jen Johnson, Rob Sanders, Rob Kelly, Julie Glowaski, Michelle Wade and others who made memories and times some of the best in my life. Over the last year, I have gotten back in touch with most of my old friends and we will be getting together in the next year. I plan to attend the Tampa reunion as well.

I loved the sense of community that being an Army brat provided. Now nearing my retirement from the Army, I am getting soft hearted and long to rekindle old friendships...true friendships.

Thanks for reminding us who we are and where we come from.

Connor Dotson longhornconnor@yahoo.com

Thank you for this edition. I'm a little teary-eyed now...but in a good way. :)

Sue Hanson '82 mplssue@hotmail.com

Newsletter Feedback Continued

That was awesome! Thanks so much for the newsletter. It really brought some tears to my eyes. I, unfortunately, was not able to make it to the closing ceremonies, but it was good to see pictures of the school and some teachers that I actually recognized who went the long haul! What a fantastic way to remember the school and the surroundings.

Valerie Gordon '91 valerie.l.gordon@nasa.gov

Thank you for your work with the newsletter. Every one I read with great joy, always making mental notes to email someone from back in my Hanau days. Unusually, I don't find the time to do so, but sometimes I do. Your hard work makes it possible to keep in touch. **Charles Underwood '81** charles_underwood2002@yahoo.com

It was great seeing the pictures. It is sad to think of HHS no longer around, but the memories will live strong. **Gregg Rhame '88** Patriot94@msn.com

Missed the closing but... We were not able to attend the Hanau High School closing ceremony in Hanau, but they thoroughly enjoyed viewing the graduation ceremony on an email video and also the closing ceremony on a DVD masterminded by Sam Lightle. Sam did an especially nice job of including music and photos that were shown before and after the actual ceremony. It was very touching to see and hear those from our days in Hanau--Tom/Liz Ellinger, Sam Lightle, Cheryl Stephens, Hal Bardach, etc. We thank them for being there to represent all of us. There was some sadness in closing an era, but the ceremonies also brought back all the good memories with colleagues, students, our schools, and of Hanau itself. Thank you all. Speaking of colleagues, Sandy Arbour (from Maine) just visited us at our home in St. Cloud, Minnesota, as she was doing some traveling. We thoroughly enjoyed our visit. Thanks, Sandy!

Ginny and Ralph Simpson Faculty 1975 -1995 rsimpson@cloudnet.com

July Newsletter Corrections

Hallo von Deutschland! from the July issue was incorrectly identified. The story was submitted by Lia Christie '85 lia.christie@us.army.mil.

Transcripts

Many have asked where how to obtain transcripts now that HHS is closed. Visit <http://www.dodea.edu/students/transcripts.cfm> or contact

Department of Defense Dependents Schools, Europe
ATTN: Transcript Request
UNIT 29649
APO AE 09096
Telephone: 011 49 611 380 7284
Facsimile: 011 49 611 380 7353

Graduation Video

Many of you asked if a video of the graduation would be available. Sam Lightle made a video and we will work with him to post the video for all to see.

Glenhausen Reunion 2009

ATTENTION TO ANY AND EVERYONE THAT LIVED IN GELNHAUSEN BETWEEN THE YEARS OF 1977-1982.

We are having a G-Town Reunion in May 2009 in Denver, Colorado. Don't miss out on this long overdue and what is sure to be memorable and fun-filled event!!

Contact Kim Jewell '82 kimjewell64@hotmail.com with your contact information.

HHS Reunion 2010

Plans will begin shortly for "The Big Show" in 2010.

To date, Reunions have been held in Dallas (1985), Denver (1990), Milwaukee (1996), Washington, DC (2000), and Atlanta (2005).

The 2010 Reunion will be held in Tampa Bay, Florida. Becky Montgomery '93 has volunteered her time to spearhead Reunion 2010. If there is anyone in the Florida area who would like to help Becky, by serving on the local Committee, please send her an email at hanaureunion@gmail.com.

If you can help outside the area, let her know that as well; she will need lots of Class Reps! You can also send an email to me at: rep@ehsmail.org or candimegs@yahoo.com. **Robin (Thomas) Peralta '80**

U.S. ARMY INSTALLATIONS - HANAU

This was sent to me by my dad. He knows how much my time at Hanau meant to me and to all of you. http://www.usarmygermany.com/USAREUR_City_Hanau.htm

View Installation Maps and Photos – from inception to closure.

Dan Holley '85 Holleydan@aol.com

Alumni in Iraq

Do you know of someone serving in Iraq or Deployed?

Let us know at hanau_high_school_alumni@yahoo.com so we can all show our support with words of encouragement and prayers.

- **COL Greg Julian '77** I've just arrived in Afghanistan to be GEN McKiernan's Public Affairs Officer for a year.
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- **Alphonzo Murray Jr. '79** amj6169@aol.com
- **RJ Seiple '83** Serving in Afghanistan
- **Kevin Kelly '89** Deployed December 10, 2007 to COB Speicher, Tikrit, Iraq. Due to return in Nov/Dec '08.
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- **SGM Darryl Sanders**
Force Protection NCOIC HHC 56th IBCT

Husband of **Sheila (Akins) Sanders '78** Sanders@labcorp.com
Serving his second tour in Iraq for nine months. Please keep him, and all our Troops in your prayers daily.

Class Updates

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Birthdays



OCTOBER

- 3rd – George Sweet '80
- 18th – Kimberly O'Brien Root '90
- 18th – Adam Lewis '92
- 24th – Robin (Holley) Graefen '82
- 27th – Laurie (Parkes) Glendenning '89

NOVEMBER

- 7th – Nancy (Reid) Love '78
- 12th – Joe Neely '83
- 13th – Angela (Hefner) Vaughan '95
- 18th – Darixel Aileen (Berry) Vollmer '92
- 24th – Diana Swim '82
- 25th – Demra Ashmore '92

DECEMBER

- 4th – Mike Metelko '82
- 6th – Charlene (Gunter) Rothrock '79
- 16th – Kelly (Williams) Larsen '83
- 18th – Carole (Tanzer) Sheehan '78
- 22nd – Ron McCormick '79
- 27th – Holly (Hyers) Moor '78



Wedding Anniversaries

OCTOBER

- 1st – (9 Yrs) Kelley tenBroek-Giudicessi '93
- 3rd – (? Yrs) Lehnanne (Swick) Kidd '91
- 7th – (7Yrs) Kevin van Brero Rodriguez '88
- 11th – (5 Yrs) Anita Walker-Dayle '88
- 18th – (8 Yrs) Sharon (Joseph) Rollins '83
- 21st – (2 Yrs) Michelle (Pender) Kramer '93
- 21st – (7 Yrs) Philippe Steele '83
- 25th – (17 Yrs) Pamela (Santos) Clark '82
- 26th – (?) Tania (Chase) Dawson '85

BELATED

SEPTEMBER

- 12th – (16 Yrs)
Sheila (Akins) Sanders '78

NOVEMBER

- 2nd – (? Yrs) Darixel Aileen (Berry) Vollmer '92
- 9th – (5 Yrs) Kimberly O'Brien Root '90
- 12th – (2 Yrs) Robin (Holley) Graefen '82
- 15th – (? Yrs) Primrose (Cameron) Hall '93
- 16th – (1 yr) Eric Chambers '94

DECEMBER

- ? – (1 Yr) Angela (Hefner) Vaughan '95
- ? – (12 Yrs) Michelle (Martin) Crawford '92
- 9th – (19 Yrs) Kelly Farrington '87 & Ronnie Cline '88
- 20th – (? Yrs) Nichol (Powell) Huntington '94 & Jason Huntington '95
- 20th – (17 Yrs) Holly (Hyers) Moore '78
- 23rd – (10 Yrs) Demra Ashmore '92
- 24th – (5 Yrs) Tanya (Stewart) Baker '91
- 31st – (9Yrs) Greg Julian '77

Additions to the Panther Pride

Angela (Hefner) Vaughan '95 (attended '93-94). I got married in December '07 and welcomed a baby boy, Connor, June 28, 2008. He was a whopping 9lbs 13oz.

hellfury2000@yahoo.com

Monica (Meyer) Rasso '94 and her husband, Jason, and three-year-old son, Logan, welcomed a new baby boy named Evan Alexander Rasso to their family on 8/23. Evan was born near their home in College Station, TX. Both mom and baby are doing great! They have photos on their family website at <http://monni.dotphoto.com>
monirasso@yahoo.com



Jenny (Arvidson) Scarborough '89 and husband Rob welcomed son, Konrad Douglas born September 20th at 12:16am weighing 9lbs, 2oz. and 22.5 inches long.

paxjojo1970@yahoo.com



Buenes Notches from Mexico.

I would love to announce the birth of my daughter Megan Elise Givens, born in Huntsville, AL on August 11, 2008 at 1:04pm. She weighed 5 lbs, 15 oz and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Victoria Ellis Givens '90

dvgivens2112@earthlink.net

Mary Ann Jones DeJesus '79

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Welcomed a beautiful baby granddaughter, Sohpia, on September 14th, 8lbs 1oz & 19 inches long. Daughter Carmella and baby are doing great!

Pictured: Daughter Carmella, Baby Sophia, Mary Ann's 16 yr old daughter Elizabeth, Baby's sister Tatiana 2 yrs and brother 8 yrs





Anita Walker-Dayle '88
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Enjoys her two boys,
Alexander and Matthew.

Married 2003
to Davin



Weddings & Engagements

On October 2, **Robin Thomas Peralta, '80**, played Mother-of-the-Bride to her eldest daughter, Candice, as she married her high school sweetheart, Logan Conner at a ceremony in Richmond, VA. Candice and Logan are both recent graduates of Virginia Commonwealth University. Logan received his B.A. in Theater while Candice received her Master's in Graphic Design. Robin will be spending a lot of time traveling between Virginia and Illinois, as the two have decided to put down roots in Chicago.

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Alphonzo Murray Jr. '79 – getting married to Jonalyn Cabas (from the Philippines) on October 1st in Ocean Isle Beach, NC.

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Obituaries

**It is with a sad heart I share the following.
Please keep the families of our friends in your thoughts and prayers.**

Dean Turnbull '98 Died in a tragic house fire Saturday, 09 Aug 2008. He was an Army vet who served in Iraq.

My name is Latisha Turnbull '96 (attended 92-95). My brother, Dean, attended middle school 92-94 and one year of the high school in 95. I regret to inform you that my brother passed away August 9th in a tragic house fire in Maryland where he lived with our parents. He is an Iraqi vet, served the military proud.



Online news coverage –

<http://www.myfoxdc.com/myfox/pages/Home/Detail;jsessionid=A6A0DFE40CB8D46A0F7D4AE433425E38?contentId=7173858&version=2&locale=EN-US&layoutCode=VSTY&pageId=1.1.1&sflg=1>

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Alumni Experiences

First, I'd like to say I am deeply, deeply saddened by the news of the closure of what I call my only Alma Mater! I truly miss all the great times shared there with friends and faculty! We all seem to wish we can go back and re-kindle things we consider to be lost forever. Memories are all we have to hold on to now. I am encouraging all fellow classmates that remember me to contact me and stay in touch till the last breath of us. That is true friendship!

Ok, I am living in the earthquake state of California, city of Chatsworth, 50 miles outside Los Angeles.... we had an earthquake around noon 7/29/08 that registered 5.4). I am married but need to update the current listing in the newsletter. I have been married for the 2nd time for a total of 9 yrs. as of 7/22/08 and have a total of 5 kids, 2 from my current (and last) marriage. My kids from the 1st are two sons age 25 and 23, and a daughter who is 18 and just graduated. My last two girls are 5 and 7. We are not having any more children. I work for an Aerospace company that deals solely with government contracts. We make most of the machined parts that go into making helicopters, planes, etc...I am one of the executive management leaders of this company and sometimes wish it was less stressful. Those in management know what I mean.

I am also looking for Paul Estes so if anybody knows where he is, please let me know. I have others I am looking for but must rely on my old yearbook for that. Please feel free and contact me at my email. Thanks and always remember, "PANTHER PRIDE!!!"

Roger Henson '79 bigmako@att.net

Personals

Retirement from US Air Force

MSgt Jeffrey S. Jewell served 23 years in the United States Air Force and retired effective 1 October 2008 and will begin a new career working for the government as a GS-12 at Tinker AFB Oklahoma. We will be finally staying put and not moving for awhile. It will be strange for us not moving every 3 years, I'm sure Barbara will rearrange the furniture. Who knows we may make it back to Germany one day as a civilian. We will always have our Hanau memories.

Jeffrey '85 & Barbara (Gensmer) Jewell '87

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Looking for 1977 or 1978 Yearbook

If anyone has an extra please contact me.

Frank Wilson '78 fwilson@weigand.com or tashjosh@sbcglobal.net

Looking for Eric Kidder, Steve Gerber and Michelle Butler

I am living in Texas now and am a store accounting specialist. I have a 6 year old daughter named Kayla and she is in kindergarten. I am trying to get in touch with Eric Kidder, Steve Gerber, and Michelle Butler.

Laura (Wolfinger) Thompson '96 lt1978@yahoo.com

Going to Germany

My husband and I will be (provided everything goes as planned) in Germany for about a month, beginning May 1, '09. It'll be the first time I will be back since July 4, 1980. I will be staying with Cathy (Hall) Jones '80 for a part of it and will try to see Jeff Ingram '78 and his church. If there is anyone else that lives there now that would enjoy having us visit, let me know!

Thanks! **Sandy (Heibich) Christian-Mamie '81** sandycchristian@yahoo.com

Hanau to the Vatican

Having been ordained a Catholic priest in May 2007 for the Archdiocese of Washington (DC), I am presently stationed at the Vatican pursuing graduate studies. In the spring of 2009 I should return to Rockville, MD, to assist in a parish. Peace, Father **Joe Rogers** '? joeinrome@hotmail.com

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Update from Anita Walker-Dayle '88 awalker10037@hotmail.com

Would love to hear from anyone 1987, 1988, 1989 and 1990.

After Graduation in 1988, I returned back to the states and enrolled in North Carolina A&T State University (AGGIE Pride). I got my BS in Business Mgt. in 1993 and my Masters Degree in 1996. I returned back home to New York (I still live in Harlem) 1998 became an adjunct professor at the City College of New York, (I'm still there 10 years later) and teach Part-Time. Currently, I am a Corporate Trainer for a major Retirement/Insurance firm. October 11, 2003, I married my husband, Davin, who is from Brooklyn; we are coming up on our 5th Anniversary. 2004 we had our first son Alexander and in 2006 had my baby boy Matthew. It is now 2008 and I am TIRED but I love life.

Graduating in December

I'll be graduating from the University of Colorado in December 2008 (fine art/graphic design degree). Entering the graphic design/fine art field will be a huge career change for me and am looking forward to finally being able to do the kind of work that I love. It's been a long time in coming, but so far, so good. Once my website is up and running, I'll keep you posted.

Karen (Taylor) Freed '82 KarinkDF82@aol.com



Humor Files

Therapy: To Maintain A Healthy Level of Sanity Life is Short ... Have Fun:

1. At Lunch Time, Sit in Your Parked Car with Sunglasses on and point a Hair Dryer at Passing Cars. See If They Slow Down.
2. Page Yourself Over The Intercom. Don't Disguise Your Voice.
3. Every Time Someone Asks You To Do Something, Ask If They Want Fries with that.
4. Put Your Garbage Can On Your Desk And Label It 'In.'
5. Put Decaf In The Coffee Maker For 3 Weeks. Once everyone has gotten over Their Caffeine Addictions, Switch to Espresso.
6. In The Memo Field Of All Your Checks, Write "For Smuggling Diamonds".
7. Finish All Your sentences with "In Accordance With the Prophecy".
8. Don't use any punctuation.
9. As Often As Possible, Skip Rather Than Walk.
10. Order a Diet Water whenever you go out to eat...use a serious face.
11. Specify That Your Drive-through Order Is "To Go."
12. Sing Along At The Opera.
13. Go To A Poetry Recital And Ask Why The Poems Don't Rhyme.
14. Put Mosquito Netting around Your Work Area and Play tropical Sounds All Day.
15. Five Days In Advance, Tell Your Friends You Can't Attend Their Party Because You're not in the Mood.
16. Have Your Coworkers Address You by Your Wrestling Name, Rock Bottom.
17. When The Money Comes Out of The ATM, Scream 'I Won! I Won!'
18. When Leaving the Zoo, Start running towards the Parking lot, Yelling, 'Run for Your Lives, They're Loose!!'
19. Tell Your Children Over Dinner. "Due To The Economy, We Are Going To Have To Let One Of You Go."