



# THE VALLEY ECHOES

San Pasqual Academy Alumni Association Newsletter

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## Alumni Reunion 2013

SPA's Alumni Reunion is scheduled for Saturday, June 22, 2013 at the old campus. Registration will begin at 08:30 am at the church with services starting at 9:00 am. The SPA Alumni Business meeting will be held at 11:30 am after the services and should conclude at noon.

Lunch will be held in the Grove and will be catered by the present staff of the current school. The menu will be all Vegetarian and the cost is \$12.00 for each person. If you will be paying by check, all checks MUST be paid in advance to:

**Don Conibear - Treasurer**

**541 Industrial Way #2**

**Fallbrook, CA 92028**

**Payments can also be paid online by credit card via PayPal:**

<http://www.SanPasqualAcademy.com/page43/page43.html>

The cut off date for all checks is June 11, 2013. Due to advance catering staff notification requirements, only pre-paid individuals will be allowed to participate in the catered lunch.

## President's Message

Alumni, Faculty and Staff,

Alumni Reunion 2013 is just around the corner and your Alumni Board has been hard at work preparing for the services and lunch in the Grove.

I am very happy to announce that this year's reunion will be held at the old campus once again. We are so fortunate and blessed to be able to reunite at the campus. Even though the campus may have changed a bit in appearance, it still is great to be on the campus with classmates, schoolmates and faculty, sharing wonderful memories.

I am pleased to announce that the Association was able to donate two \$500.00 Scholarships / Grants again this year. The recipients of this year's Scholarship / Grants were:

***Jonathan Hamilton and Chandra Ros.***

We were hoping that this year's honored classes would have taken on the challenge to donate a scholarship in the name of their class, as the Class of 1987 did last year. Thank you Julie Casey, '87 for coordinating that task.

The Alumni Board has also been working hard on a few projects: ***The Grove and Walter Cox Fountain*** restoration and filling the paperwork for a ***non-profit organization (501-C3)***. The Grove and Walter Cox projects will consist of refurbishing the serving area of the Grove and the restoration of the Walter Cox drinking fountain. We hope you can all help either in monetary or labor assistance.

I hope to see everyone at the alumni reunion this year.

***Mark A. Waldo, '85***

***President, SPA Alumni Association***

## Webmaster's Corner

We now have **1332** alumni members registered on the San Pasqual Academy website and **575** on Facebook.

Remember to let found classmates know about the SPA Website and Facebook Page.

The Association also subscribes to My Life and Classmates.



Find Us on FACEBOOK

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**Board & Officers**

**Mark A. Waldo, '85**

*President*

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**Gary McCary, '70**

*Vice-President*

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**Ivy Glasscock, '74**

*Treasurer*

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**Charlotte Young, '83**

*Secretary*

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**Julie Casey, '87**

*Sgt. At Arms*

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**Danny J. Goff, '70**

*Webmaster*

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**Don Conibear, '63**

*Historian*



## Secretary's Notes

The board held its annual meeting on April 14, 2013 at 11:30 am. The meeting was held at Don Conibear's residence in Fallbrook, CA.

Some changes in the officer's positions took place during the meeting. Danny Goff asked to resign from the position as Vice-President but will maintain the position as Webmaster. This was solely due to so much work needed as the Webmaster. We think this would be a good move for Danny so he could devote more time to registration of members, the website and our Facebook page.

The Board voted to appoint Gary McCary, '70 to the position of Vice-President. This change took effect immediately. Our Treasurer, Don Conibear, '63 had asked to step down, but would like to still be a part of the association. Don has served in this position for over 20 years. The Board then appointed Ivy Glasscock-Westmooreland, '74 to move up from her position on as Sgt. at Arms to Treasurer. We then named Don as our Historian.

In need of a Sgt. at Arms, we then asked Julie Casey, class of '87 if she was still interested in being a part of the board, since she ran last year for the Secretary's position. She stated that she would, which we then welcome her aboard as the Sgt. at Arms, which will take effect June 2013.

Ivy will be gracing us with her talent again this year with the flower arrangement, and will be dedicating the flowers to all Alumni who passed in 2012-2013.

Goals: The board would like to set some goals for the school. We have now talked about the Grove Project. After a lengthy discussion, the Board has concluded that to finish the project, we will need \$15,000.00. This includes the serving station, fire pit, and the Walter Cox Fountain of Youth. We are looking for a few good people who would be willing to donate their time to help finish the project. The project is also on the San Pasqual Academy website.

Another project that we the Board hold dear to our hearts is the grants for the graduating classes from the New SPA. The Board would like to propose to all Alumni to help raise money for scholarships. Now, to the Honor classes for next year, we would like to ask each class if they would donate \$500.00. We the Board give 2 scholarships every year. We so want much to give each student a scholarship, and with your help, we can make that happen. If at anytime you would like to donate, Danny has pay-pal in place specifically for the Alumni Association. Ivy will now be the point of contact if any questions. This year, the Board will be giving out 2 grants. The 2 people who we chose are **Jonathan Hamilton** and **Chandra Ros**. We will be at the Graduation to present these grants to the students. If you would like to participate in this as well, please contact Mark Waldo.

**Charlotte O'Neil-Young, '83**

**Secretary, SPA Alumni Association**

# Treasurer's Report

April 2013

The current treasury balance is **\$10,367.33**. There were very few routine expenses this year. The offering from Alumni Day services was **\$1,325.00** plus **\$232.00** from lunch which sales nicely covered the usual operating expenses.

As usual our Alumni Association made a **\$1,000.00** grant, of **\$500.00** each to two students at the current Academy. This gives us a **\$402.50** gain for the year. We hope to be able to continue the grant program in support and recognition of the current facility which carries on the education of youth, much like when we attended the facility.

We are still planning to move forward with a Grove restoration and upgrade project in the near future. We are planning to have a fund raiser in order to accomplish the planned improvements.

Our Alumni Association is still in need of your financial support in order to survive and thrive. Please consider appropriate support for your Alumni Association on alumni day or anytime throughout the year online through PayPal or your donations can be sent to:

**Attention: Rachael Gil**

**Southeastern California Conference**

**P.O. Box 8050 Riverside, CA 92515-8050**

Make your check payable to: **Southeastern California Conference: Please note it – for SPA Alumni.**

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING YOUR SPA ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

**Donald Conibear '63,**

**Treasurer, SPA Alumni Association**

## ~Lunch Menu~

- ◆ **Manacotti**
- ◆ **Green Beans**
- ◆ **Garden Salad**
- ◆ **Cookies**
- ◆ **Lemonade**

**\$12.00 per person.**

**2013**

## **HONORED CLASSES**

**1952 ~ 60 yr.**

**1958 ~ 55 yr.      1963 ~ 50yr.**

**1968 ~ 45 yr.      1973 ~ 40 yr.**

**1978 ~ 35 yr.      1983 ~ 30 yr.**

**1988 25 yr.      1993 ~ 20 yr.**

**Alumni Reunion will be held at our beloved Old Campus:**

17701 San Pasqual Valley Road Escondido, CA 92525

Church Service: 09:00 ~ 11:30 am - Business Meeting: 11:30 ~ 12:00 pm

Catered Lunch in the Grove & Time with Friends: 12:00—5:00 pm