

# The Grapevine



## Message from our President—Hunt Hool '79

Dear Alumni,

As of January, 31, 2018 I am officially retired after 32 years, 7 months of service from the Windsor Police Service (nee Department, not Force). In my opinion, the name change signified the beginning of detrimental change, as our role, effectiveness, and laws, have led Windsor into a new era of policing. I was honoured to serve the citizens of Windsor, and its visitors, for over three decades. Now, I join numerous other Assumption graduate retirees of the WPS such as Ian Chippett '62, Brian Menard '64 and others of the old days, to recent officers such as Mike Fontaine '77, Al Adams '79, Greg Steiner

'78, John Virban '78, myself '79, Pat Keane '80, Jim Coughlin '80, and soon Vince Power '81, with others to follow. Windsor Police loved to hire Assumption grads, understandably... Goodness, Discipline and Knowledge.

My retirement comes with many new and much anticipated opportunities. My wife, Dawn, has already purchased a new set of King Cobra golf clubs for me to resume the game, that I once played regularly (other than basketball) before family and years of shift work. More travel with my wife and family (as I write this message from the Summer Bay Resort in Orlando). I was able to spend a week in

Orlando with my sisters (Sara '77 and Kim '78) at the time share left to us by our parents along with many great memories here. This trip comes only two weeks after spending March Break here with my family, Wren Dosant and his family during March Madness. A Great Time!

In the first two months of retiring, I have had time to visit with many people, George McMahon '51, John Upham '58, Ray Renaud '63, and numerous other retired Assumption teachers that meet regularly. It's great to see everyone and the close bond that still exists after so many years. I was able to attend the funeral of Ed

Corriveau '53, a classmate of my father, and former teacher at ACH. I also had a great conversation with Bill Schmidt '53 (another of my father's classmates), with a follow up visit planned for this summer in New Baltimore (around the corner from my sister's Kim's house).

As you can see, retirement is fantastic, hopefully with many more years of trips, visits, and ACH alumni activities.

Congratulations to all alumni who have retired or will do so soon. I wish us all a long and healthy retirement.

Hunt



## OFSAA 2018 A Huge Thank You!



**Members:** Ali Al Abdulresool, Kassen Byas, Rambang Chalk,, Jamal Hamieh, Jordan Holland-Penny, Ben Horvath, Philip Lewoc, Paul Mikhail, Kyle Sanders, Jordan Toney-Chase, Austin Tran and Richard Van Veen. **Coaches:** Ryan Steer, Andrew MacLeod and Mackenzie Devin

*For it is in giving that we receive.*

SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI  
On behalf of the Sr. Boys Basketball Team, their coaches and the Assumption Community, thank you for making our experience possible by your generous donations.

Mark Esping      Chester Wydrzynski Eric Mass

**Adam Wydrzynski Ozelle and Rod Case**

D'Antoine Johnson   Ross Turek      Paula Nunes

**Denis Blondin      Marco Spagnuolo      Hunt Hool**

Donald and Christine Bellehumeur      Gary Ulicny

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### **Assumption Raiders Sr. Boys Basketball Team Competes at 2018 AA OFSAA**

The 2017-2018 Sr. Boys Basketball team captured both the WECSSAA and SWOSSAA championships this year, earning the opportunity to compete for an OFSAA title, in Pembroke, ON.

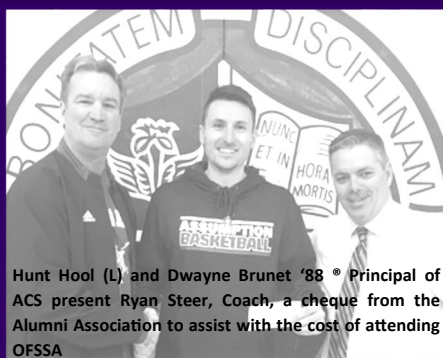
The boys went into the tournament as the 12th seed out of 20 teams, and faced one of the toughest draws in the entire field. The draw matched Assumption against the eventual OFSAA Gold medalists and Antique Bronze Medalists in their first two games.

The team fought hard in their first game losing to St. Theresa, from Belleville, 56 - 48. Kassen Byas led the team with 24 points. The boys still had an opportunity to make the championship round with an upset over eventual champs, Mother Teresa, from London. Your Raiders came ready to battle, and jumped out to an early first half lead. Mother Teresa made a strong push in the second quarter, and the team could not complete the comeback, falling by 13 points. Ali Abdulresool led the team with 17 points.

As a coaching staff we are extremely proud of how our boys portrayed themselves on and off the court, and would like to thank all the graduating players that poured their heart into the program the past two years. Overall, this was a great learning experience, which our returning players will use moving forward throughout basketball, and the rest of their lives.

The team also wants to thank all those who generously donated toward the trip to Pembroke, because without your contributions, these special moments cannot take place. Thanks again to all for your support and generosity throughout the year!

**Coach Steer, Coach MacLeod, and Coach Devin**



Hunt Hool (L) and Dwayne Brunet '88 \* Principal of ACS present Ryan Steer, Coach, a cheque from the Alumni Association to assist with the cost of attending OFSSA

**Off to Oakland California...**ACS will be sending four students, along with Mrs. Presello '81, Campus Minister, to Oakland California from July 17—25, to participate in a Social Justice and Peace Forum. The Sisters of Holy Names of Jesus and Mary will welcome girls from around the world to promote, create and develop a greater understanding that *“everyone deserves to be treated with dignity and respect.”* Together we will brain storm strategies and explore ideas in order to bring greater awareness back to our school community. Our focus includes: Water/Ecology, Human Trafficking, Immigration and Refugee Issues. Please keep these students in your prayers.

## Countdown Reunion 2020

by: Hunt Hool

Reunion We are now halfway... 2 ½ years... counting down to the first ever Assumption High School reunion for ALL classes in November 2020. The ACH Alumni Committee has already begun planning the very busy and festive 150<sup>th</sup> year (1870 – 2020) celebration weekend.

An incredible lineup for the reunion weekend includes hockey, volleyball and basketball reunion games, as well as pep and concert bands, football and cheerleader reunions. The bands and cheerleaders can perform, however, the football players need NOT play (for fear of injuries!). Any other

groups or activities (e.g. Reach for the Top, etc) that wish to include their group are asked to please contact the Alumni office. Any other interested alum wanting to contribute or help organize and plan are asked to contact the Alumni office as well.

All past and present teachers are invited and encouraged to attend any activities, especially the main reunion event on Saturday, November 7, 2020.

Please keep in mind any classes that wish to celebrate any class reunions, particularly 10<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, and 50<sup>th</sup>, that occur before or in between the 5 year school reunions, are encouraged to do so. The Alumni Committee will assist and support

ALL of these class reunions by providing a class list with contact information, help with planning of dinners, menus and accommodations, and also school tours. Please contact us at the office (519) 256-7801 ext 2 2 2 5 or by email at [achalumni@gmail.com](mailto:achalumni@gmail.com). Keep the ACH history and tradition alive.

Go Raiders!!

## 150th

## Reunion

## November 7, 2020

## Alumni Chatter

It's been a number of years since I attended AHS (Graduated in 1961). I commuted from Detroit each day. Until I could drive, I paid 10 cents and then hitchhiked over the bridge hoping that my ride would head south on Huron Church rather than Downtown. I have fond memories of my time at Assumption especially instructors Fr. Cullen, Fr. Sparky Armstrong, Mr. Knuckle, Mr. Hool and Mr. Snyder to name a few.

I've been retired for the past 9 years after 35 years at Comerica Bank in the Auditing and Commercial Lending Departments. After retirement I spent 4 years as Adjunct Professor at Baker College- A testimony to the quality of Assumption's Education Program.

Still staying active with Golf and hockey. Participated in two CHRHA World Cups (Vancouver in 2000 and Windsor 2016)

Great job with the Grapevine. Although I do not see many comments from fellow classmates, I still enjoy reading your publication. Keep up the good work.

Ed Henri '61



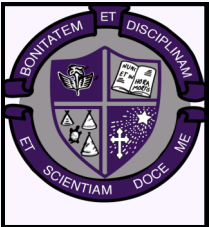


## Countdown to the 150th Anniversary Celebration—2020

Assumption College High celebrates 150 years of  
"Goodness, Discipline, and Knowledge",  
Reunion on Saturday, November 7th, 2020.

The ACH Alumni Committee has already started working and planning. We need volunteers from every graduating class at ACH, to act as class representatives to make phone calls, emails, "*Save the Date*" notices, *Facebook*, etc., to contact your classmates. Several grads have already stepped forward for their respective classes, which will be compiled, updated, and listed in each issue of the Newsletter. The Committee will assist by providing class lists and contact information in order to make this a huge successful Reunion.

If you or a group are interested, **please** contact the Alumni Committee by voice message or email at the Alumni office, (519) 256-7801 ext. 2225, or [achalumni@gmail.com](mailto:achalumni@gmail.com) or [lindapresello@mytools2go.ca](mailto:lindapresello@mytools2go.ca)  
519-256-7801 (ext 2213)



Find us on 

**Looking for individuals from each Grad Year to begin a facebook page.**

**Great way to connect, stay connected and receive information.**

**Send a friend re-request and please let us know your Graduation Year.**

**Those classes that already have a facebook page,**

**please let us know so we can spread the word.**

**Please send a friend request to “ACH Alumni Association”**

ACH Alumni Association Windsor On – Like us on facebook! Be our friend!

**Entry Form**

**38th ANNUAL FR. SHEEDY MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT  
SAT. JUNE 2, 2018 AT ROSELAND GOLF CLUB**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Tee times: 11:00 A.M. – 1:52 P.M.

(Limited to 80 players)

Call Gary Ulicny at 6 to reserve line (519) 944-4403

(Deadline May 20, 2018)

**Thank You  
Raiders!  
Great Day!**

**I have arranged to play with:**

1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_\_\_

I enclose a cheque for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover:

\_\_\_\_\_ Golf and Dinner: \$120 per person \_\_\_\_\_ Dinner only: \$60 per person

Please return to: **Assumption Alumni Office  
1100 Huron Church Road  
Windsor, ON N9C 2K7**

***All proceeds to aid Alumni activities***

***2020 Reunion Committee***

**If you are interested in being on  
the planning committee, please  
email Linda Presello at  
lindapresello@mytools2go.ca**

**Meetings will begin September  
2018!**

**Alumni General Meeting**

**AGM**

**June 13th at 6:00 p.m.**

**at**

**Assumption High School**

**Staff Room**

**Please Join Us!**

## **Century Club Contributions**

### **Thank you**

*The Century Club is composed of those former students and friends who have contributed \$100.00 or more within a given year to the Alumni Fund to sponsor Alumni Activities including the Newsletter. The following are individuals who have generously made a contribution. Thank you for your continued support.*

### ***Contributions can be sent to:***

**Assumption College Catholic High School  
1100 Huron Church Rd., Windsor Ontario, N9C 2K7**

### **Century Club List**

Birch, Michael A.  
Carey, Thomas  
Chisholm, William  
Chittaro, Eddie  
Clement, Dr. Leo  
Devine, John  
Digioia, Lisa  
Donald, Judge Richard  
Dondero, Mrs. Mary L.  
Duchene, Michael  
Dupont, Frank  
Hickey, Charles Ed  
Hool, Hunt  
Kelly, Louise  
Klamt, Ronald  
Kurosky, Alex  
Limarzi, Bruno

Marwin, Robert W.  
Mascarin, A. J. Nish  
Masterson, Kevin B.  
Pageau, John Eugene  
Paron, Dave  
Ray, Lea Michelle  
Rivard, Richard J.  
Ryan, Gary C. & Mary  
(Terry)  
Wilkinson, Ron  
Zakoor, Phillip Sr.

### **Other Contributors**

Caira, Pietro  
DuPerron, David  
Dzuro George  
Henri, Edward Joseph  
Kefgen, Robert  
Matz, Joe  
Reeve, Michael  
Winkel, Thomas R

### ***Help!!***

***Please look over the  
chart***



***We are still looking for  
Alumni to take the lead  
on the 150th Reunion.***

***Please email  
Linda Presello***

***Lindapresello  
@mytools2go.ca***

***You will be responsible  
for making some calls,  
emailing and getting the  
information out to as  
many as possible.***

***We want this to be  
the greatest  
reunion ever!***

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# Assumption College Catholic High

2017 Catherine Pham	1999	1981 Denise Hebert	1963	1945
2016	1998	1980	1962	1944
2015 Phil Klimski	1997 Vanessa Shields	1979 Panontin Sisters	1961	1943
2014	1996	1978 Tom Moscicki/Geri Soulliere Pamela Hartford	1960 Vic Venegas	1942
2013	1995	1977 Mark Doust	1959	1941
2012 Laura Limarzi	1994	1976 Michael Duchene/Mike Harris	1958	1940 Cecil Birch
2011	1993	1975 Peter Hrastovec	1957	
2010	1992	1974 Harold Remark	1956	
2009	1991 Michael Gibb	1973	1955 Pat McHugh/Barry McDonald	
2008	1990	1972 Dave Gruska	1954 Larry Bannon	
2007	1989	1971 Dr. Sidney Siu	1953 Hunt Hool (d. Jack Hool)	
2006	1988	1970	1952	
2005 Anacleto D'Alessandro	1987	1969	1951	
2004	1986	1968 John Lesperance	1950 John Rouble	
2003	1985 Domenic Aversa	1967 Cris Kohl	1949	
2002	1984	1966 Gary Ulicny	1948 Tom Meier	2018 Evan Tanovich
2001	1983 Chuck Thompson	1965	1947	2019 Jessica Rindlisbacher
2000	1982 Rob Sartor	1964	1946	2020

***Chapel Renovations and Update:****By: Linda Presello*

*The Assumption Community has been truly blessed by the support of Alumni in bringing the Chapel back to where Gospels were proclaimed and relationships with God began. Since our last newsletter went out, we have received \$8600.00.*

*The kneelers have been recovered with Raider purple material and new padding by Jerry at Tip Top Upholstery and they look amazing. New pews have been installed for a larger gathering space. New doors, railings, Processional Cross, and PA System will be added over the next few months, thanks to the generous donations from the Alumni listed below! There is still more work to be done, and we are on our way. Thank you so much for your support. Donations are still being accepted.*

*John '61 and Joe Gatfield '68 (The Gatfield Family Foundation) Monica Courey '79  
Robert Veteri and Barbara Gambriel (retired staff) John Pageau '45*

*Note from Barbara Gambriel: "Linda, greetings to you. When I saw the picture of the Assumption High School Chapel, it brought back wonderful memories of my time on staff there. Many days at noon, Fathers Pat Lalonde, Dillon, Pare, Hanrahan and others prayed the Mass there, with teachers and students. Enclosed is my donation to help with the renovation and the hope that your plan of renovations be completed as you wish it to be, sooner than later."*



**Dear Alumni:** It is with great pride as the newest Principal at Assumption College School that I bring greetings from all the staff and students. Assumption has changed a great deal since my time as a student here in the late eighties; there are fewer students and staff, the building has been vastly renovated to accommodate the Catholic School Board and Assumption College Middle School and there are no more Basilian Priests on staff.

While there have been many changes, there are also many traditions that continue. The faith component at Assumption is alive and well and is demonstrated each and every day. As a faith community we just celebrated a very powerful and somber Mass of the Lord's supper where 12 members of the Assumption Community had their feet washed in a powerful display of selflessness. Students travel from across the Windsor-Essex area to come to Assumption to experience an education second to none. Our staff continually go above and beyond to provide our students with experiences both in and out of the classroom, that set them apart from their peers at other schools. Our students continue to amaze me whether it be academically, with co-curriculars, and as leaders in all aspects of school life.

The lessons and values that were instilled in us in the past at Assumption are alive and well as Goodness, Discipline and Knowledge continue to flow through every aspect of school life. Thanks to all alumni that have sent me well wishes and I am looking forward to seeing my classmates from class of '88 at the 150th reunion in the fall of 2020.

God bless, Dwayne Brunet '88





*The Gatfield Family Foundation*

John '61 and Joe Gatfield '68 present Principal, Dwayne Brunet '88 and Campus Minister, Linda Presello '81 with a cheque for our beloved Chapel. Thank you for your generous donation.



*We Pray for our Alumni who rest in the peace of God's loving embrace.*

**Bauer, Nick** – father of Alfonse '75

**Furlong, William** '43 – brother of Patrick '45

**Jolie, Joseph** '40 – brother of George '44, Vincent '47, Roger '50, Ernie '42, father of Sr. Lise Jolie SNJM, former Campus Minister ACS.

**Jones, John "Jack"** – retired teacher

John will always be remembered not only as a Teacher but as a mentor and friend to many colleagues and students whose lives he touched through music. Above all, his commitment, dedication and unwavering love was always to his family.

**Romain, Paul** '57

**Piazza, John** – retired staff member and father of Deanna '92

John taught for over 30 years at the elementary and secondary levels of education (Brennan, Assumption and Holy Names). He was a founding member of the co-op program at WECD SB in the 1980s, and initiated the co-op bursary at the

Board. He continued mentoring at the Faculty of Education as a Teacher Advisor during his retirement. He had a passion for teaching, but most of all he loved his family with all his heart.

**Mike Roberts** '78 passed away October 30, 2017 from numerous health issues. Mike moved to Michigan in the mid 1980s, married and started a family. He spent his entire working career in the HVAC sheet metal contracting industry as an estimator and sales representative. He is survived by his wife Sherry, two daughters Melissa and Jessica, numerous grandchildren and his brother Dave Roberts '75.

**Eansor, L. Michael** '77

**Francis Dale Scott** '57

**Boldt, Janet** (retired ACS secretary 1981-1990)

December 5, 1937 – May 22, 2018 Passed away peacefully in her sleep at Hotel Dieu Grace Healthcare (Prince Rd.). Beloved wife of Hank (pd. 2009). Retired from Windsor Catholic School Board, Assumption High School.

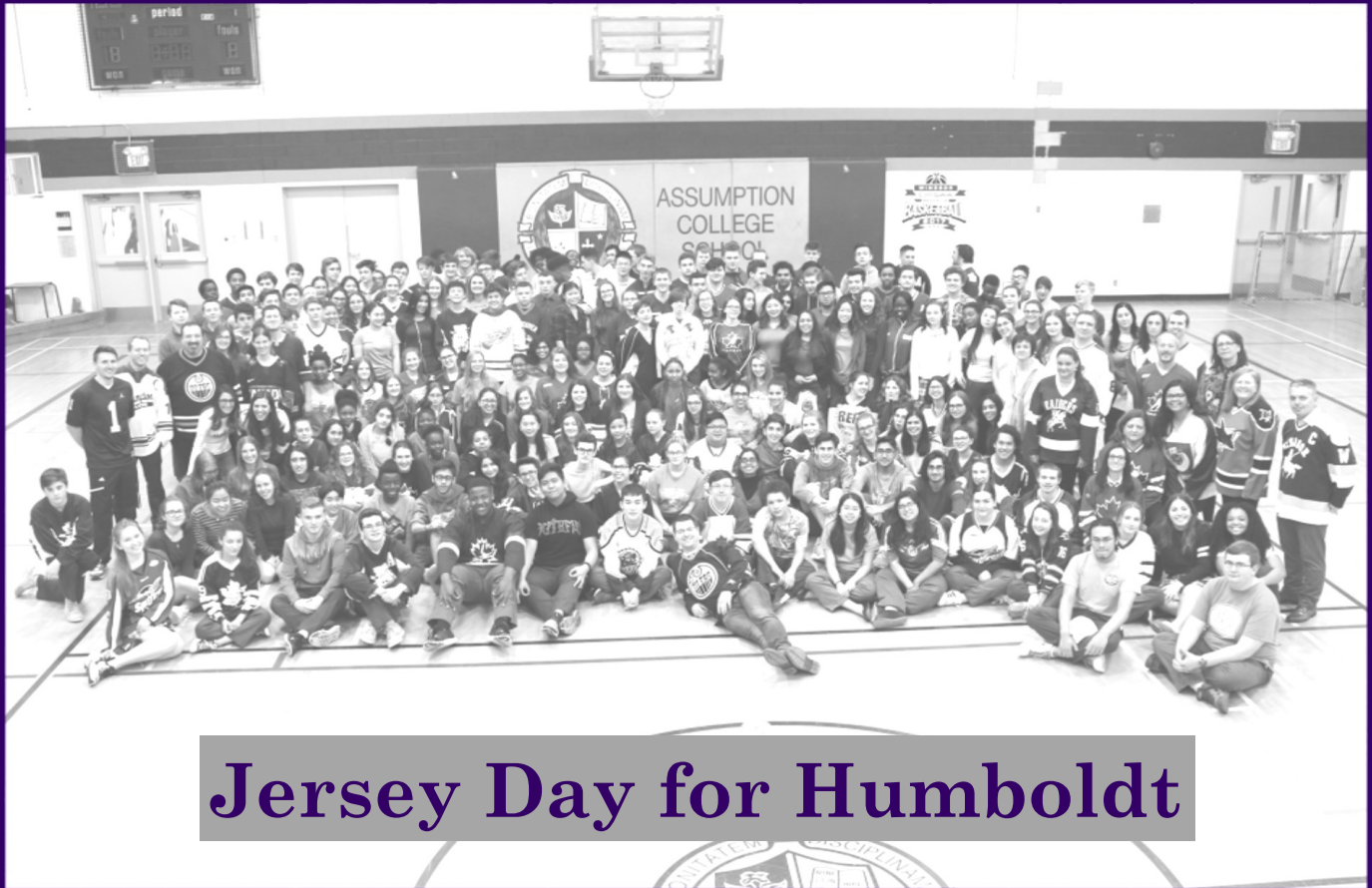
**Gilbert, Melvin (retired staff)**

Mel was a resident of Toronto. He was born on May 7, 1936 to the late Hilda and Samuel Gilbert. While Mel grew up in Toronto, he spent much of his professional career in Windsor. Mel was a high school religion teacher at Assumption College (1973-1984) and F. J. Brennan (1985-1996).



Congratulations  
 Assumption College Catholic  
 High School  
 Jazz and Concert Bands  
 on receiving  
 Silver and Gold Achievements  
 in Halifax, Nova Scotia





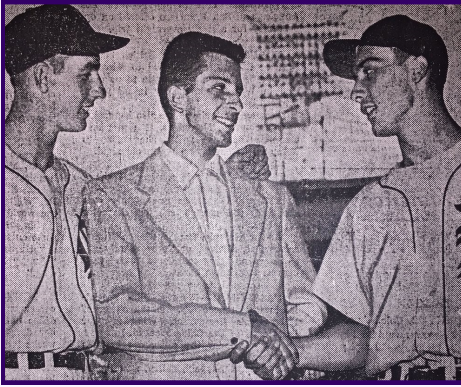
Assumption College Catholic High School and Assumption College Middle School wore their jerseys in support of the Humboldt Community. Together we raised \$700.00. We stand together in prayer for families whose lives are forever changed.

## Where are they NOW?

**Brian Urquhart '62** Graduate of '62 class at Assumption. Brian resides in Windsor with his wife of 47 years, Linda. They have three children: Charles, Katherine, and Andrew, as well as five grandchildren. Brian has been retired for 15 years from National Rad. Brian played football for Jack Hool with other notables such as Dez Windersmidt, Pat Springstead (quarterback), Brian Menard, and Brian Walls. He recalls having to run to an open field at the corner of Wyandotte and Huron Church in order to practice, while the new school football field was being made. He says that Father Armstrong was very influential in preparing him for the rest of his life, and that Father John Sullivan married him and Linda. Lastly, he remembers selling tickets to raise money for a swimming pool that was never built. No refunds, statute of limitations.

**William "Bill" Schmid '53** Graduate of the '53 class at Assumption, Bill now resides in New Baltimore, MI with his wife Julie. Bill was the owner of Schmid Marina in New Baltimore, retired in 2017, after 55 years in operation. He is enjoying retirement, but missing many classmates as the years pass. His daughter Cynthia married Bill Wellman and they have 2 children, Garrett and Trenton; 2nd daughter Lisa married Kermit Wilkerson and they have a daughter Hannah; and their youngest daughter is Kathryn.

**Gary Ulicny '67** Graduate of '67 class at Assumption. Gary resides in Windsor with his wife of 34 years, Christine. He is presently working at Commercial Spring & Tool in Mississauga. They have 2 children, Jack and Natalie. Gary is a proud Raider through and through and is the chairman of the annual ACH golf tournament for the past 10 years.



## CARRIVEAU, EDWARD '53

An inspirational family man, educator, and coach. One of thirteen Carriveaus of Frank Avenue in Riverside. Eddie is forever cherished by his family, late wife Sharon, special friend Lady Jane, daughter Renee, son Rupp, and grandchildren. His generosity flowed from the football field to the classroom.

Eddie graduated from Assumption College High in 1953, classmate of Jack Hool, Harry Momotiuk, and many others. After college, Eddie began teaching at Assumption High School, where teachers were paid a whopping \$2,000 per year. Back in the day, these young teachers were making

minimal salaries, starting families, and they would get together for house parties, each pitching in \$20 for beer, wine and pizza. This was all they could afford to spend socially but they had a great time making the best of it and enjoying time together.

Mr. Carriveau attended Jane Hool's memorial service in January 2017. He arrived with this old beaten cooking pan. He went to the microphone to tell his favourite story about this pan. Eddie said that when it was his turn to host the teacher's social at his home, Jack Hool showed up with two beautiful steaks in this particular pan. A very special occasion indeed, "steaks" to barbecue. After a wonderful meal, several drinks and many hours later, Jack forgot to take his pan. Eddie's family kept that pan for the next 50 years not wanting to return it, because the Carriveaus would use the "Hoolie pan" to barbecue every summer, and Eddie would remember his friend and their many good times together.

Fr. Larry Brunet presided at Eddie's funeral mass in Chatham alongside Fr. Higgins. Eddie was an exceptional baseball player for Fr. Cullen. Fr.

Larry recalled the days when he played centerfield, three years junior to Eddie at third base, with Jack Hool and Reno Bertoia as teammates. He spoke of a Sunday game that Fr. Cullen's Raiders had in an AAA league in Detroit. Since it was an afternoon game, Fr. Cullen expected everyone to attend mass earlier in the day. Eddie arrived at the ballpark ready to play, when Fr. Cullen asked him which mass he went to that morning. Eddie told Father that he had gone to 9:00 a.m. mass at St. Anne's (in Detroit next to the Bridge). Fr. Cullen replied with, "I said the mass at St. Anne's at 9:00 and I didn't see you there. Carriveau, you're on the bench!"

Eddie Carriveau was a very good man and will be missed, especially by the Hool family that always stayed in touch. Thanks for the memories, Eddie. We will always remember you.

**Teach Me**

**Goodness**

**Discipline**

**and Knowledge**

## Where are they now? *Continued...*

### **Liliana (Caira) Dumouchelle**

**'75** Teacher - Math and Social Justice at Assumption from 1979-2011. Lil retired in 2011, is currently residing in LaSalle with her husband Rick '74. They have been married for 37 years and have 4 children. Melissa married Darryl Hicks and has 2 children, Graham and Angela. Nicole married Aron Henke, Sara married Dominic MacAndrews and with their daughter Lucy, reside in Australia and lastly, Albert married Ellie and reside in Windsor. She is a proud ACH alum and spends her time vacationing in the county during the summer, and just returned from a 3 month vacation in Australia with family.

### **Ray Renaud '63** Teacher -

Phys-Ed, Family Studies, and Geography at Assumption from 1971-1988. Ray retired in 2001 and resides in Windsor. Ray was married to an amazing woman, Barb, who passed away in 2017. Their son Jay married Natasha VanHintum and has two children, Rayden and Kenzi. Ray enjoys golfing, travelling, and regular teacher get togethers. He still maintains a strong neck pinch, taught to him by Jack Hool, and has his set of paddles.

### **Tim Hennessy '79** Graduate

of the '79 class at Assumption, Tim resides in Cincinnati, Ohio, with his wife of 32yrs, Paula. They have 3 children. Max and his new wife, Elise, both recent graduates and working as doctors at the Hershey Medical Centre in Pennsylvania; Olivia, lives in Florida and just started her own interior design company; and Meredith, a model in Los Angeles. Tim is co-owner and manager of Petals.com in Cincinnati since 1987, and remains life-long friends with Hunt Hool, since grade 10.