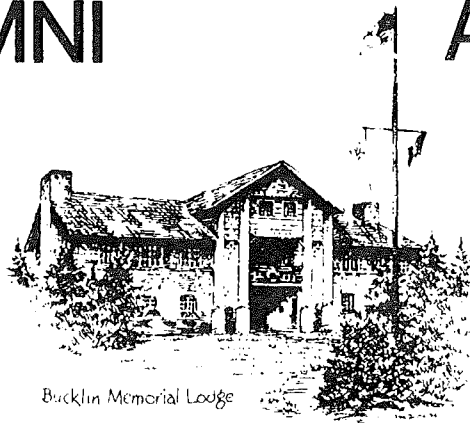


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Dear Alumni:

The YAWGOOG ALUMNI ASSOCIATION is celebrating its 10th anniversary this season, and YAWGOOG is celebrating its 75th! The entire council has joined forces to celebrate this season. Inside this newsletter you can read about the Alumni plans for the DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATION. Read on and be updated on the YAWGOOG PHOTO-BOOK, which is almost ready for distribution. This newsletter also includes our regular articles: "Gus's Gossip"; Financial Report; "Yawgoog Today"; and the ever popular "Personals". (Incidentally, we gather our information for the personals directly from the membership card enclosed. Be sure to fill out the information about yourself and family so we can let everyone know what's happening with you in our Fall '90 newsletter.)

Thanks to your help, our mailing list is increasing daily. As a matter of fact, it has grown too large to continue mailing to Alumni who haven't recently become paid members. We will be forced to drop names from our mailing list after this summer's celebration because of the tremendous cost of postage and printing. Our operating expenses for these newsletters come from Bar-B-Q proceeds from last year's reunion - and NOT from your membership fee or project donations. We don't want to drop your name from our mailing list, so I am asking again.....please put your membership check in the mail TODAY with the card that accompanies this newsletter.

On the back of this newsletter is the logo I  CAMP YAWGOOG. Our Chairman Emeritus, Gus Anthony, has gone through our membership records and indicated with a red if your membership is up-to-date. With everyone so busy these days, it is easy to forget to join each year. So, if you don't have a in the , won't you please send in your membership today! Thanks!

I'd like to conclude this newsletter by first thanking the Alumni membership for their past, present and future support. A very special "Salute" goes to the Alumni Executive Committee for the "endless" hours of meetings and activities they were involved with this year: Vice Chairman Bruce Ingham; Secretary Chuck DeBevoise; Treasurer Steve Dolan; Bill Burns; Jim Cunha; Mike DeLuca; Tom DelPrete; John DeMizio; James B. Hall; Larry Jette; Sam Jones; Ray Lamore; Jim Lanzi; Ed Moran; Bill Sandford; Mike Schwab; and Don Crout (Staff Advisor).

If there are any Alumni out there who wish to get more involved with the Association, please drop me a line. We are also looking for groups of adults, or troops that would like to take on projects for Yawgoog (painting, rebuilding, re-planting, spruce-up projects, etc.). There are thousands of us that have been affected by that "Yawgoog Spirit", and now it is our job to preserve that so that generations of the future will share in this as well. See you at the Reunion - Don't miss it!! (August 4, 1990).

Sincerely,


JOSEPH J. HERBOLD
Chairman

SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP FOR "DIAMOND JUBILEE YEAR"

To celebrate this Diamond Jubilee Year we have introduced a fourth type of membership to the Alumni Association for this year ONLY! As you know, you can join the Alumni Association as a Bronze Member (\$10), Gold Member (\$25), and Silver Member (\$50). For 1990 we have added a "Diamond" Membership for \$75, if you are interested in being a special member for this Diamond Jubilee Year. As part of the Diamond Membership, you will be guaranteed to receive (FREE) the Diamond Jubilee Photo Book. You will have one reserved for you BEFORE they go on sale to the public. This is the only year we will present the "Diamond" Membership so don't miss out on becoming a Special Diamond Jubilee Member.

Remember, all membership monies go into a restricted account which is placed in trust. ONLY the interest generated goes toward Alumni projects. Although we would like everyone to be a 'Diamond Jubilee Member' this year, remember..... ALL memberships are greatly appreciated.

IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY DONE SO, MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!!!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4TH, 1990

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Join in the celebration, the fellowship, and the fun!

Registration begins at 1:00 p.m. in Donald North Court

Part I: Jubilee Festival (1:30 - 4:30)

An afternoon of fun, entertainment, and Yawgoog-style Scouting adventure. We will provide you with a written program of festivities when you arrive--the choice of what to do will then be up to you. There will be many offerings to choose from--

- * Special guided "History and Program Tours", including demonstrations of the latest in Yawgoog scoutcraft
- * Indian Lore Demonstration, including presentation by former Crafts and Camp Director Mark "Hoppy" Hopkins
- * Audio-visual Presentation (videtape and/or slide show) of Yawgoog
- * Yawgoog Heritage and Memorabilia Display
- * Music and Fanfare

Part II: Alumni Dinner in Donald North Court (4:30 - 6:00)

A special catered dinner will be preceded by traditional picture-taking activities. We will salute Yawgoog with a Diamond Jubilee Toast, eat heartily in fellowship, and conclude with a 75th birthday tribute to dear old Yawgoog.

Part III: Diamond Jubilee Alumni Commemorative Ceremony (6 - 6:45)

Our ceremony will include greetings from special guests, the planting of an apple tree as a symbol of Yawgoog's earliest days, and the presentation of a Diamond Jubilee "Time Capsule" to camp. All alumni are invited to submit a small memorabilia item or written thought for use in the "Time Capsule".

Part IV: The Diamond Jubilee Saturday Night Show (7:15 - 9:00)

A grand pageant in honor of Yawgoog's 75th and grand finale to "Yawgoog Diamond Jubilee Day"!

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YAWGOOG TODAY

As the unusually warm weather sets into New England, our thoughts turn to summer. Summer means going to Camp Yawgoog for a week or two. But, it is still too early to go for a dip in Yawgoog Pond, even if the ice is melted already. The only thing swimming around Yawgoog Pond is the Canadian Geese who winter in Rhode Island. Summer sounds of hundreds of Scouts soon will break the silence that Mother Nature has bestowed upon Yawgoog. No matter how many times you attend camp, there still is a sense of excitement as though it is the first time.

As Yawgoog comes awake this year to the sounds of the 75th year of Scout-ing fun, I hope all will be there to enjoy the moments. Make sure you mark your calendar today for August 4th...you don't want to hear about it from some-one else who attended. Experience the celebration yourself...spend 75 years of nostalgia with old friends.

Well for now we are going to have to be patient and dream of what is to come. Dust off the old uniform and hiking shoes and come down to Yawgoog in August. See you all there!

Paul Boisvert
Reservation Director

YAWGOOG ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHEDULE OF ACCOUNT BALANCES 1/31/90

Restricted - Membership & Memorials		\$64,623.27
Unrestricted:		
Operating	\$ 1,398.83	
Book Sales	632.27	
Stockade Project	5,900.79	
Diamond Jubilee Project	3,317.73	
Jubilee Photo Book Project	11,262.91	
Maintenance of Completed Projects	4,102.00	
Interest Account	<u>6,670.48</u>	
Total Unrestricted:		<u>33,285.01</u>
GRAND TOTAL:		<u>\$97,908.28</u>

Steve Dolan, Treasurer

CLINTON INKEY LAKEY ARMSTRONG

1903 - 1972

By: H. Cushman Anthony

Back in 1916 when the Third Providence Troop, under 17 year old Scoutmaster J. Harold ("Chief") Williams was in its infancy, twelve year old Clinton Lakey Armstrong took the Scout Oath. Within a very short time I, too, joined that outstanding Boy Scout Troop. Prior to our life-long Scouting experiences together, Inkey's mother had 5 or 6 of us "kids" in her club called the "W.L.C." (Wood Lovers Club) and she stimulated our interest in nature with many hikes through the woods of Blackstone Park. It could be said that she was probably Rhode Island's first "Den Mother".

Inkey and I paralleled each other all through Scouting and school. We both went to Slater Avenue and John Howland. We both shoveled sidewalks and other odd jobs to earn our spending money. We both went to Yawgoog and started as "JO's" (Junior Officers). "Inkey" graduated from Tech High and URI while I went to Hope and Brown. We both were active in Troop 33 Providence, which was a "Senior Scout" outfit, an outgrowth of the "Third Providence". We were sponsored by the Providence Rotary Club. Our main activities centered around the troop cabin we built and used on the lower Springville Reservoir. (Later used by Don Dewing and Troop 82 Providence). We both became Eagle Scouts.

After college, Inkey worked for a couple of years in real estate with R. A. Hurley Co. ("Rip" Hurley was also from the Third). I went directly into professional Scouting as soon as I finished my formal education (graduation plus one year of graduate work). After the big forest fire at Yawgoog, which I believe caused the death of our Ranger Bill Barber of Rockville, Inkey became Yawgoog's third Ranger and set up make-shift living quarters in the first floor of the then brand new Bucklin Memorial Building.

Inkey soon fell in love with Lucy Irish, a native of Rockville. They were married and the two of them started off life in those rather inconvenient quarters. It was not long before the Rhode Island Boy Scouts built them their own "love nest", the present Ranger's Cottage. They, like Jane and myself, had one child, a daughter (Jean "Butch" Armstrong).

Inkey served as Ranger until his health and "heft" necessitated his early retirement. There is no named marker in his honor but those of us who knew and recognized his many qualities, see "Inkey's" artistic eye in these camp structures which were designed and built under his supervision: The Memorial Bell Tower at Three Point; the Brown University Drinking Fountain on Donald North Court; the Adam's Gate of Reverence; the Lytch Gate; the Scout Law Steps and Protestant "Cathedral"; and the J. Harold Williams Amphitheatre.

Hunting, Civil War History and cards were all among his hobbies and interests. "Inkey" was the leader of the "Forestry Corp" to help Yawgoog become alive again after both the Forest Fire of 1931 and the Hurricane of 1938. He founded the famous Yawgoog Fire Department and was a key leader in starting the Hope Valley Volunteer Fire and Ambulance services.

Thousands of Scout Campers and Yawgoog Staff men recall "Inkey" as a true friend and a talented Ranger.



Clinton Lakey Armstrong

"Inkey"

1903-1972

PERSONALS

JORDAN S. ABRAMS (RI) 1937 - Keeping busy with music. Son in San Diego, daughter in West Palm Beach.

RICHARD AITKEN (NH) - Dick, I was so delighted with your letter that I just have to print it word for word in this newsletter. Hope you don't mind! "Dear Gus, We all have unforgettable recollections of Scouting at Yawgoog. Isn't it because those memories are so strong, and mean so much, that we look forward to the next reunion, and the next? I recall the excitement of a Tenderfoot Scout seeing the gate for the first time in 1960 and wondering what a week in camp would be like. Most of all, I recall the first hike around the pond with an overnight at Curtis Track. What made that encampment memorable was Al Murray, not so much teaching, but rather sharing with us his vast knowledge of Scoutcraft. I distinctly recall wanting to know as much as he knew and wanting to be like him. Following a recent camporee, our troop was recapping the weekend's activities by listing what we all had learned. The opportunity was right for a broader discussion so I asked the Scouts to tell what each of them wanted to get out of the program. One of the youngest said, "I want to be like you". It is difficult to describe the feeling of pride and responsibility stirred by that Scout. Yawgoog is much more than a few ponds, a collection of trails and cluster of buildings. While the Yawgoog we see is a tribute to the benefactors and volunteers who have given so much and worked so hard to build and maintain a living, Scouting environment, the real Yawgoog is people. The camp resounds with 75 years of the songs, laughter, teachings, and admonitions of those who kindled the Spirit of Yawgoog. This season's crop of first year campers will produce tomorrow's Staff and Alumni, and other generation will inherit the task of keeping the Spirit of Yawgoog alive. The spirit will live as long as Scouts have people to whom they can look and say, "I want to be like you". I wish I had said those words to Al Murray". Just beautiful, Dick. You have put on paper what so many of us feel in our hearts. Best always, Gus.

WILLIAM ANDREWS (MA) - Starting my third year as Cubmaster of Pack 177 Wilbraham. Also Webelos Den Leader. Two sons in Cub Scouts.

CAPT. DENNIS ARINELLO (NC) - I received a photo and news article on our own Alumnus Marine Captain Dennis Arinello, who is assigned to the staff of the Second Marine Aircraft Wing in Cherry Point, NC. Seems one-time basketball player Dennis is now a referee. That's the Yawgoog Spirit Dennis....give back a little that we receive!

SCOTT W. BAILEY (NH) 1980 - I am currently working for the U.S. Forest Service researching water quality in the White Mountain National Forest. I plan to continue this work at Syracuse University next year in pursuit of a PhD in Geology.

THOMAS R. BARKER (MN) 1933 - Troop 38 St. Martin's - Camp Yawgoog 1934 to 1940.

PRESCOTT BEARCE (FL) 1923 - Still playing golf at 82 but not so good as once. Yawgoog....how I wish I could get there again! Is Camp Rathom still a Camp? Dear Prescott, to answer your question, no, but we do have the Rathom Lodge, which is the Medicine Bow Dining Hall! Gus

PETER BECHTEL (NC) 1962 - My wife Annette and I live in Raleigh, NC, and both work at the Jaine Company (we started in 1983) which develops software for the medical profession.

ALFRED S. BELLUCHE (RI) 1977 - I've been busy with several things: volunteer work in Nepal, travel in Asia, Scoutmaster for 3 weeks of the the CIT Corps, rafting and camping in Colorado and Utah with fellow alumni - Tom DelPrete, Shawn Donahue, John Hopkins, and Mike Moniz. I am now at Ft. Sill Oklahoma attending Field Artillery Office Basic Course for the U.S. Army. I'll be in Korea on August 4th spreading the Yawgoog Spirit!

ALLEN E. BESTWICK (RI) 1949 - Married with 3 children, 4 grandsons. Liaison for Scout Exchange between Coventry, RI, and Coventry, England, for past 12 years. Link still going on. Employed at Providence Journal.

DENNIS BIRCHALL (NY) 1959 - On staff 1964 Craft Center, 1965 Craft Center Assistant Director, 1966 Craft Center Director. Could not make the reunion because I was touring the U.S. and Canada performing in the Musical "Eoita". Start work on the Christmas spectacular at Radio City Music Hall on November 6th through January. We do 188 shows in two months. Love to hear from anyone.

HERBERT H. BODEN, JR. (RI) - Herb, thanks for your note regarding Dick Crane and his dedication to Scouting. Dick really has the "Spirit of Yawgoog" and is proud to sing Scouting praises. I appreciate your kind words! Gus

ANTHONY C. BOOTH (TX) 1948 - National Director of Protestant Relationships for BSA. Wife Barbara is head of Special Education Department at Grapevine High School. Daughter Sue is married and living in Bradford, RI. Daughter Dianne graduated American University in 1989 and working in Boston. Son Eric is a junior at Boston University.

WAYNE BROWNING (NY) 1953 - I finally completed my Wood Badge Ticket and will be presented my beads soon. My son Chris will be sworn in as an Assistant Scoutmaster after his 18th birthday in November.

MR. & MRS. CARL T. BUCKLEY (RI) 1960 - Hi Gus, Carl and I are now grandparents. Our son Tom has two boys, our daughters are attending RIC and Bethany College in West Virginia. There is not a time whenever I see a Scout that I don't think of my father, Lem Jacques, and how he loved Scouting and, of course, Camp Yawgoog. Happy New Year. Jeanne Buckley

WILLIAM J. BURNS (RI) 1964 - Still teaching Math at Classical High School. Went to Matagamon with Bruce Ingham and 12 Scouts in 1989. Glorious week hiking in Vermont with "Bob Dick Steve" Dolan. Gus, Cushman of Welfare (the 4 legged Gus) is well. Looking forward to August 4th!

ALDEN H. BUTLER (FL) 1934 - Retired in 1985 as a mechinst for Curt G. Joa, Inc. in Boynton Beach, FL. Now enjoying life in North Florida and still active in Scouting as an Assistant District Commissioner. 56 years in Scouting.

ARTHUR BUTLER (RI) 1936 - Now retired (July 1989) but available for consulting in the historical field. Been doing some travel - Colorado, California, Vermont, upstate New York, etc. Love this life! I'm a volunteer for Over-the-Hill Gang if they want a 'youngster'.

BUTCH BUTLER (CO) 1964 - Completed Itinerary #9 at Philmont Scout Ranch with my son Christian and 8 other boys this summer. Quite a challenging adventure. Sure learned the ins and outs of backpacking. I am now an ASM with Troop 176 in Westminster, CO. Also active with Varsity Troop planning horseback and canoe trips for 1990. Best regards to all. Butch.

EVANS J. CARTER (MA) 1953 - After many years of being a trial attorney, I have finally become a "specialist". I sue banks for borrowers. I also lecture and write on lender liability. I undoubtedly learned something from running the "Yawgoog Savings Bank" in 1960. I was a slow learner.

RICHARD STEVEN CAVALLORO (RI) 1977 - I was recently promoted to a design draftsman at C.I. Hayes, Inc. (we build furnaces). Was elected Captain of Oaklawn Vol. F.D.

STEVE CHARLTON (CANADA) 1961 - Enjoy receiving news of Yawgoog since I spent 5 enjoyable summers there! Does the Three Point dragon still exist to compete with the Sandy Beach elephant? I remember creating it one year with Larry Mello and our bugler Manny. What good summers they were!!!

RICHARD M. CLARK (CT) 1953 - I am back in Scouting as a first year Webelos leader for my son Peter and enjoying it. My two older kids, Crystal will graduate from high school and my older son Mark will begin his senior year in college at the University of Connecticut.

STEPHEN CLIFFORD (MA) 1978 - Finishing my undergrad years at University of Mass. majoring in Political Science with a Soviet Studies Minor.

COL. BERNARD R. CLORMAN (NC) - Bernie, thanks for the article on Capt. Arinello and the news on the Dan Sheas (junior and senior) and the Egans of Woonsocket, and Anthony Parisi. Always a pleasure to hear from you and Phyllis. Gus

J. RICHARD COULTHURST (NH) 1949 - All's well with the Coulthurst Family - we are enjoying the "Empty Nest". Our boys are fine and we are expected to be grandparents in 1990 or maybe 1989 - it's close!

WILLIAM R. CUMERFORD (NC & FL) 1929 - Gus, I'll never be able to repay Scouting - particularly you and Chief Williams. I owe a debt of gratitude beyond anyone's understanding! Rosemary and I are celebrating our 50th on 11/21/89 and we're planning to drive thru RI in July-August, 1990, and shooting for Yawgoog 8/4/90! Bill, thanks so much for your very kind words and I look forward to seeing you and Rosemary on August 4th. Happy 50th!! Gus

LT. JAMES J. CUNHA, USN (RI) 1968 - We recently returned to RI. I am currently an instructor at Surface Warfare Officers School in Newport. On September 15th, my wife Josie and I became the proud parents of future Eagle Scout Brendan James. He looks forward to his first Yawgoog staff assignment in the summer 2005!

CHARLES F. DARELIUS (CT) 1929 - Living in the northwest area of CT with wife, Helen. Three children and three grandchildren completes the family. Many fond memories of Scouting in and with Troop 7 Providence and many Yawgoog experiences!

CONRAD S. DARELIUS (RI) 1936 - My grandson, Ian McAuslin, joined the Boy Scouts in the spring of 89 and went to Yawgoog that summer and became a 2nd Class Scout and earned two Merit Badges. He is looking forward to going next year and I think this is great. Enjoyed the reunion in 89 and will be there next year. "Gus" keep healthy!!! (Conrad, I plan to! Gus)

COL. RODERICK G. DARELIUS, USAF (R) (TX) 1931 - I'll be attending my 50th Reunion of the Class of 1940 at the University of Rhode Island in May 1990. Also plan to attend the 75th at Yawgoog. (Rod, we're all looking forward to seeing you! Gus)

JOHN J. DEMIZIO, JR. (RI) 1952 - Scoutmaster of RI Troop at National Jamboree, still Scoutmaster of Troop 20 Johnston. Son, John, (Eagle Scout) attending University of Miami on Air Force Scholarship. Daughter, Stephanie, in ninth grade at Bay View. Wife, Carolyn, Social Studies teacher at Ponagansett Middle School. I am a vocational evaluator for the Warwick School Department.

JOSEPH F. DIPIETRO (MA) 1950 - South Elementary School Principal - Bellingham, MA.

JOSEPH B. DONAHUE (IN) 1946 - Best regards to Gus. Hope to see him at Brown Reunion next June or at Yawgoog for the 75th. Seven kids all over the country.

NORMAN L. GUY (RI) 1929 - Traveled to Providence last May for my 50th Class Reunion at Brown. Missed seeing good friends and fellow Scout George Truman, also Troop 15, who passed on only a few weeks before the reunion.

KEN HAMPSON (MD) 1931 - Married Dot White, 3 children, 9 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren. Celebrated our 52nd wedding anniversary in 1989. Have a Human Resource Management Consulting Business called KDH Associates, Inc. which we have had since 1973.

WENDELL G. (WENDY) HARRIS (RI) 1940 - Gus, sure was a great gathering at the 1989 summer Yawgoog Alumni Reunion. How all those little 'seedlings' have grown since my first 'camping' in 1940. Gus, you just don't age. Stay well and looking forward to seeing you at the BIG 75TH! Anything I can help to provide in the way of 'mementos'...do let me know early. All the best to you and Jane. Wendy (Wendy, thanks for your offer of help. I have passed the word on to committee members. Look forward to seeing everyone on August 4th! Gus)

ALLAN W. HEID (NY) 1986 - Our Troop's 20 years old this year and we will be at Camp Sandy Beach at Yawgoog for the 20th year. We're planning some special activities to celebrate. At our 1989 Summer Camp, we had a former troop member and Eagle Scout, Gordon Seabury III, stay with us (another former Yawgoog Camper). My son, Brian, Troop J.A.S.M. should have earned his Eagle by the time you read this. Brian is a 5 year Yawgoog veteran and makes his family proud!

WILLIAM T. HUMPHRIES, JR. (RI) 1928 - Billy Humphries III, Troop 82 Providence, son of William T. Humphries, Jr., 3rd Providence Troop, had third son Bill IV Troop 300 Mexico. (Bill, keep those Scouts coming! Gus)

CHARLES W. JOHNSON, JR. (NY) 1927 - Really enjoyed the '89 reunion. Was surprised to see as many 20's as there were. Recently underwent serious operation and am at home recovering under doctor's care. Will be there for the 75th, God willing! There's a 4th great grandchild imminent! (Charlie, hope you are well and looking forward to seeing you at the 75th! Gus)

SAMUEL B. JONES (RI) 1963 - Have two wonderful children Evan 3½ and Martha 5 and am building a home in South Kingstown, RI.

SCOTT K. KEEFER (RI) 1940 - Vice President of New England Bar Association. Five children, 8 grandchildren.

CHARLES W. KEMP, SR. (RI) - Effective Sept. 1989, I served 22 straight years on Commissioners Staff and still active in Pokanoket District and Council. I have three sons: William J. Kemp, 33, Eagle, contractor, married, 4 children; Charles W. Kemp, Jr., 32, Life, Commercial Real Estate Broker in Boston, married (expecting); John H. Kemp, 23, Eagle, Professional Guide at N.O.L.S. Wyoming, single. (Charlie, I hear you have your own parking space at the Scout Office! Gus)

BRIAN LANSING (NC) 1979 - Starting my 2nd semester at Wake Forest University School of Law. Searching for a summer job at present other than working at McDonalds. Hi to ex-Sandy Beach staffers '82 - '85!

JAMES R. LANZI (RI) 1964 - Linda and I have 3 children, Jimmy 11, Stephen 7, Lauren 20 months. I'm looking forward to Yawgoog's 75th Anniversary and hoping that everyone can make a special effort to attend this year's reunion.

BENJAMIN LATT (MD) 1936 - Retired from the U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services with 32½ years (counting active military service).

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JOSEPH E. GERSTENLAUER (GA) 1923 - I think the newsletter tells it all. Spent my 80th with my 'Over the Hill Gang Buddies' and with my daughter's family in Warwick. God willing....will be at the 1990 reunion.

THOMAS J. GIALLANZA (CT) 1985 - Tom, Jr., became an Eagle Scout Dec. 88. Tom Sr. looks forward to bringing Troop 100 to summer camp at Yawgoog the summer of 1990.

ERNEST F. GODBOUT (MA) 1950 - Keep up the good work at camp. Give my best to Al Gunther.

LAURENS W. GOFF (RI) 1957 - I work for Textron, Inc. I have a daughter (20 yrs) and a son (17 yrs).

ALBERT GRANDE (NY) 1961 - Two sons, 14 and 10, both in Scouts. I am ASM Troop 11, Saratoga Springs (Troop est. 1932). Plan on taking older members of troop this summer to Yawgoog.

MAJOR HUGH G. GRAY (NY) 1967 - Living in Naples, Italy. In Air Force. Three children 8, 6, and 2. Where is Bob Turillo? Plan to make reunion this August!

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JOSEPH E. GERSTENLAUER (GA) 1923 - I think the newsletter tells it all. Spent my 80th with my 'Over the Hill Gang Buddies' and with my daughter's family in Warwick. God willing....will be at the 1990 reunion.

THOMAS J. GIALLANZA (CT) 1985 - Tom, Jr., became an Eagle Scout Dec. 88. Tom Sr. looks forward to bringing Troop 100 to summer camp at Yawgoog the summer of 1990.

ERNEST F. GODBOUT (MA) 1950 - Keep up the good work at camp. Give my best to Al Gunther.

LAURENS W. GOFF (RI) 1957 - I work for Textron, Inc. I have a daughter (20 yrs) and a son (17 yrs).

ALBERT GRANDE (NY) 1961 - Two sons, 14 and 10, both in Scouts. I am ASM Troop 11, Saratoga Springs (Troop est. 1932). Plan on taking older members of troop this summer to Yawgoog.

MAJOR HUGH G. GRAY (NY) 1967 - Living in Naples, Italy. In Air Force. Three children 8, 6, and 2. Where is Bob Turillo? Plan to make reunion this August!

BILLY LEDDY (RI) - I'm leaving Rhode Island to go teach skiing in Switzerland for 6 months. But, I hope to return in time for the Diamond Jubilee.

WARDWELL LEONARD (ME) 1910 - Dear Wardie, thank you for recalling so many memories of Scouting's early days, such as July 4th, 1911, the first R.I.B.S. Jamboree of all RI troops; your Scoutmaster Charles Stark (Providence Journal) of Troop 4; the two gatherings at Keith Theatre, one at the State House and one at Exchange Place to greet President Taft; the 1911-1912 RIBS Scout demonstration at Providence Opera House (after John Rathom) came into the picture). It's great to hear from someone who remembers back further than I!! There aren't too many of us left! Gus

MELVIN N. LEVIN (RI) 1937 - All is well and that is good news!

MARK LEWIS (RI) 1972 - Married to Susan Hopkins. Daughter Jillian born June of 1989. Currently living in South Kingstown and working in Narragansett for Liberty Mutual for the last six years. Member South Kingstown Lions Club.

STEVEN B. LITTLE (RI) 1945 - Sold 104 year old family business, John W. Little Co., in Pawtucket in June, 1989 and am fully retired. Enjoying new toy, M/Y "DUX" out of Newport and expect to take her to Florida for most of the winter. Hope to see you all at the 75th. My best to Gus et al. Glad I can send a little extra \$\$ this year! (Steve, have fun with your new toy, but don't forget to return for the 75th!)

KEN MACNAUGHT (RI) 1958 - Living in Warwick with my wife Carol and children Robby 8, and Malinda 7. Both are in Scouting. Carol is a Brownie Troop leader. Rob is also active in junior wrestling. Looking forward to the Diamond Jubilee Celebration. Haven't seen Yawgoog in over 25 years. Is Gus's Model-T still running? (Gus's Model-T gave out but Gus is still going strong!)

GREG MARSELLO (RI) - Cubmaster of Pack 88 Providence. Son Cory will be joining the Cubs.

MICHAEL MAROLLA (RI) 1961 - Dear Gus, time marches on. Think of the good old days when aches and pains were nothing, today it's doctors and expenses. Good luck to B.S.A. Mike

BRIAN MCAULIFF (NY) - New baby boy 5 months old born 11-29-89, 4 lbs. 8 oz. "Kelsey". Presently, I am Scoutmaster Troop 438 Bohemia and will be at camp week 3 Medicine Bow.

HENRY W. MCGREEN (RI) 1940 - Hope to make August 4th Pow-Wow!

WILLIAM H. MENDE (RI) 1954 - President of Gammell & Ingraham Insurance in Cranston, RI. Celebrating our "85" year. How is Quendeline? (Bill, Quen is just great!)

EDWARD F. MORAN (RI) 1967 - Kudos to Bruce Ingham for a great newsletter. I am still involved with Yawgoog and the Alumni Association. I hope to see old Yawgoog friends at the Jubilee Celebration. Great job on your "Gus' Gossip" Gus! Thank God for Yawgoog. See you there! Ed Moe

DAVID L. MOTHERWAY, JR. (CT) 1980 - I am doing fine at the U.S. Coast Guard Academy and my father and I have been dying to get back to Yawgoog for a visit.

J. WINFORD NAGLE, JR. (RI) 1918 - Only changes are being 1 year older and 2 new great grandchildren making a total of 6. Lew Woodward attended the reunion last summer as my guest and wants to be a member. He was a member of 3rd Providence and also Slade's Gang in the 30's. (Don't worry, Win, all the information went out to Lewis and we'll be more than happy to add his name to our active list of Alumni! Gus)

ROY P. NAJECKI (RI) 1967 - Graduated in 1989 from Bryant College, B.S. in Accounting. Married to Debra Harper of Ohio in July, 1989.

DANIEL H. O'GRADY (AZ) 1924 - Ellen and I are settled into the Valley of the Sun. I have gone native completely with turquoise Bola Tie, mustache and Goatee. Grandson Daniel Roy O'Grady just became a Cub Scout Bobcat here in Glendale. Heard from dozens of ex-athletes and Yawgoog friends upon my induction 10/22/89 into Rhode Island College Hall of Fame.

NORMAN PALAZZO (RI) 1936 - Retired in May. Hope to see you all at the reunion. Keep up the good work.

ROBERT F. PARKINSON (FL) 1931 - Hi Gus, it's always nice to get the Yawgoog news and to know that the "Spirit" continues to grow. The gang involved and your own contributions have done wonders for the camp and all are to be congratulated. Ethel and I hope that we can make plans to join you next summer. It would be fun to be with many old friends for the big 75th. Best wishes. Parky & Ethel (Parky, sure would like to see you and Ethel. Hope you can make August 4th! Gus)

RON PIERSON (NJ) 1966 - My youngest son, Keith, just graduated with honors from Marine Corps Boot Camp at Parris Island.

ELLIOTT B. PLUMMER (RI) 1931 - Retired 1980. Volunteer work at Hunt House in East Providence.

DEAN QUARANTA (NH) 1970 - I'm happy to tell everyone that I married Kathleen Hudry on February 3rd. After a beautiful wedding in Colorado Springs, we spent a week skiing in the Colorado Rockies. (Congratulations Dean, why not take a second honeymoon trip to RI for August 4th???)

EARL F. RANSEHOUSEN (RI) 1924 - Nothing new this year!

ROBERT RAYMOND (MA) 1967 - I reside with my wife and daughter both of whom enjoy the outdoors in Assonet, MA. My work in the field of land surveying is a challenge and enjoyable. At the request of a friend, I have been active in support of summer camp not affiliated with Scouting yet sharing the same values. A return to Scouting is a goal of mine.

JOHN A. REISERT (MA) 1940's - Gus, just heard from Ross McKenna. He just joined the staff of our Mohegan Council here in Central Mass. I hope to be working with him again. Regards, John.

GERALD (GERRY) M. RICHMOND (CO) 1927 - We're sure going to try to make it on August 4th, 1990. No field work next summer so good possibility of getting east. (Hope to see you Gerry! Gus)

WARREN K. RIEBE (RI) 1933 - Retired. Deliver Meals-on-Wheels to shutins on Fridays with my wife. In two bowling leagues. Play golf in good weather. My son-in-law is superintendant of Shipbuilding, Conversion and Repair at Groton, CT. He is a Captain in U.S.N.

FRED W. RIPLEY, JR., M.D. (RI) 1924 - Thank you again for a most informative Yawgoog Alumni Newsletter with a great story about our friend T. Dawson Brown. My years spent at camp as a camper and then as a staff member in the early 20's are memorable and invaluable. Congratulations to Gus and all other leaders in Scouting in RI for

keeping us posted via this newsletter of 10 years standing and, of course, Happy 75th Anniversary to Yawgoog. (Fred, thanks for them kind words! Don't forget to mark your calendar for the big CELEBRATION! Gus)

BENTON H. ROSEN (RI) 1926 - My wife, Beverly, has been most supportive in my collecting of Wedgwood commemorative ware of American interest. We've written articles and presented lectures for the past 20 years. In October we presented a lecture before the Wedgwood Society of London.

BURTON SALK (RI) 1942 - Married with 2 children..one boy and one girl...and one granddaughter. I am still practicing law in Warwick, RI. My brother, Roland Salk, Yawgoog Alumnus 1939-1944, Eagle Scout, died in 1984. I hope to be at the Diamond Jubilee Celebration.

C. LARRY SCHALLER (RI) 1920 - Retired for 18 years. Over 100 attended my 80th birthday party. Would like to hear from members of Troop 24. (Larry, you're still a kid! I'm a few years past you! Gus)

MICHAEL SCHWAB (RI) 1965 - Married a wonderful woman, Nancy MacPherson, in April. Gus made me wait until the Stockade was built!! (Mike, you're darn right, and you guys did a great job! Thanks, Gus)

CLINTON W. SELLEW (RI) 1930 - Took a walk around Camp Yawgoog recently where I found things in great shape. The H. C. Anthony Stockade is coming along fine and all buildings and grounds in great condition. It hardly seems possible it was 60 years ago when I and my troop were there....good old Troop 75.

WALTER S. SNELL (FL) 1928 - Retired to Florida after about 30 years as an architect. Named my best DOLPHIN after the old Alden Schooner on which I spent many happy times as a Sea Scout. (Whatever happened to the old Dolphin?) Walt

KARL F. STEPHENS (RI) 1950's - Both sons made Eagle (Troop 6 Barrington) - Erich (22) graduated from Brown and doing graduate work in Marine Biology. Kurt (20) a junior at Wesleyan...I'm very involved in orienteering, which has a large and active following in the N.E. area. Besides participating in meets, I help with running meets, mapping, and administrative work for the N.E. Orienteering Club, the nation's largest. (If anyone wants to try "cunning running" let me know!)

BRAD TINGLEY (RI) 1935 - The good news in the Yawgoog Alumni Newsletter was the completion of the Gus Anthony Stockade. A meaningful memorial to a very unusual man.

TROOP 604 - BETHPAGE, NY, (PHIL LEMBO) 1978 - Both of my sons are now Eagle Scouts. Chuck is 4th year college in a five year architecture program. Pete is a high school senior interested in Aeronautical engineering (flying). Pete and Stanley Wang had their joint Eagle Dinner on 9/24/89. Stan is going to college for Electrical Engineering.

WILLIAM F. TRYON (RI) 1950's - First wife died, remarried 5 years ago. Two sons were Scouts and two daughters were Girl Scouts. First became a Scout in 1921 in Schenectady, NY. Had to be 13 years of age. Became an Eagle Scout in Syracuse, NY. Live in Florida for the winters. Return north in May.

JOSEPH P. TUMMINELLI (RI) 1982 - Had a good year with Troop 20. Needless to say the bugs were back again at camp but that didn't dampen the spirit of the troop. Looking forward to 1990 and the 75th Anniversary of Yawgoog.

JOHN M. USEFORGE (CT) - I am an advocate of Scouting. Love people all ages. My wife has allowed me to work in Scouting for 25 years. I missed birthdays, anniversaries to be with the boys. (John, thanks to you for the 25 years and many thanks to your wife for understanding! Gus)

CHARLES W. UTTER (RI) 1928 - ?????? (Charlie, I figure the marks mean you don't know what you have been doing or have you forgotten? Just don't forget to be at Yawgoog on August 4th!!!! Gus)

ANDREW S. WALSH (RI) 1928 - I am finally 'officially retired' after being nearly twenty-two years on 'last job'. Having worked for sixty years, I find retirement 'relaxing'. I hope to make 'one week at Yawgoog' - provides a lifetime of joyous memories.

MATI WEIDERPASS (SWITZERLAND) 1970 - Am working for Swatch in Switzerland responsible for sales to Airlines, Airports, Military and the Carribean. Anyone interested in starting a Swiss Chapter of the Yawgoog Alumni Association please contact me.

HARRY S. WESTCOTT (NH) 1935 - Retirement is great..every day is Saturday except Sunday. Working with the Northeast Regional Center for Drug & Alcohol Abuse Prevention keeps me from growing mold yet allows time to sail the Caribbean (thanks to Ray Westcott and the Sea Scouts) and beach comb in Florida between ski trips north. Keep up the good work...I really enjoy the literature and reading about members of the old gang. Youngest grandson now in Cubs - here we go again, the 3rd generation! (Harry, glad you enjoy our efforts with the newsletter..hope to see you on the BIG DAY! Gus)

FRANCIS W. WHITE, JR. (AZ) 1939 - Recently completed a 41 year service career in the U.S. Army and U.S. Civil Service, ending up with 8 years in the Executive Office of the President. Now passing it along as a Professor of business subjects at a local university. My wife and I thoroughly love life in AZ. Two children, Chris in DC, a marketing executive and Whitey in LA, in the movies. Three grandchildren. Would certainly like to hear from any Troop 9 Cranston Scouts of my vintage. We'll try to make the 90th. Thanks to Vince Borrelli for putting me in touch with your newsletter and organization. Regards, Frank. (Okay, all you Troop 9 Cranston members, here's a request for communication!!!)

NAT (NATTY) WHITE (AZ) 1953 - Led Troop 33 Grand Canyon Council on hike from Navajo Mt. to Rainbow Bridge in Glen Canyon on Indian Reservation. Our Scoutmaster, Bob Jensun (Mr. J), retired after 36 years leading Scout Troop! As a City Council Member, I was able to have July 5th, 1989, proclaimed Mr. J. Day in honor of his service.

RONALD I. WOODMANSEE (PA) - Living Marlton, NJ, working Philadelphia, PA, for myself in insurance and employee benefits. Married with 18 month old hopeful future Eagle Scout.

ANGELO ZUCCOLO, JR. (NY) - Professor Zook's grandchildren, Angelique and Marielle, still continuing his great performing legacy, playing the leads in school shows and entertainments. (Sounds to me that that Yawgoog talent is running through the veins of the Zuccolo family! Gus)

HAVE YOU CHECKED YOUR HEART ????

If you have a RED ✓ in your ♥ on this newsletter, you have already sent Yawgoog Alumni Association your ✓ to our Annual Membership. We THANK YOU from the bottom of our ♥♥♥ !!!!

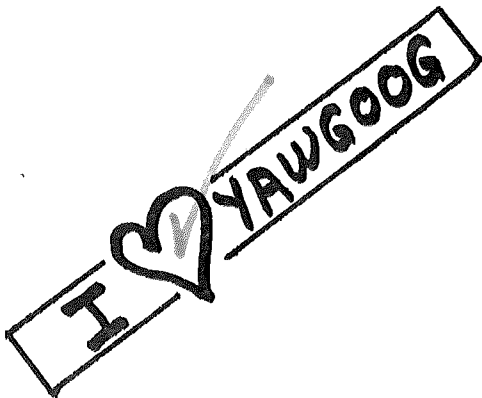
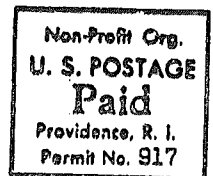
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