



CHRISTIAN BROTHERS CONNECTION

SCHOOL
RECOGNIZES
AMBASSADORS
OF THE
YEAR

1992
CB
AUCTION
& CAR
DRAWING

*"America The
Beautiful"*



Spring Calendar - 1992

April

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April

- 8 Career Day
- 9 Placement Exam for Admissions
- 10 LaSalle Hall of Fame Dinner
- 12 Senior Family Sunday Liturgy
- 17-24 Easter Vacation
- 27 Classes Resume
- 29 Evening of The Classics Concert
(sponsored by The Music Dept.)

make vacation plans

May

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May

- 3 SPIRIT Auction and Car Drawing
- 17 Spring Sports Brunch
- 21 Baccalaureate Mass, 9 a.m.
Senior Farewell Luncheon
Graduation, 6:30 p.m.
- 25 Memorial Day- School Holiday
- 29 Last Day of Class Instruction
- 31 Academic Awards Breakfast

clear calendar!

June

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June

- 1-4 Semester Exams
- 15-19 CB Spirit Camp
- 22 High School and Pre-High Academic
Summer Session Begins
- 22-26 CB Sports Camp
- 24 "A CB Summer" Ends

**September 28 Alumni Golf Classic-
Silverado Country Club Napa**

spirit camp

summer classes start

CB sports camp

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THE CHRISTIAN BROTHERS CONNECTION

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(Cover Photo) Give yourself two points for recognizing Steve Scully ('66) as Uncle Sam. Steve is posed next to this year's Grand Prize at the Car Drawing: a 1992 Ford Explorer, courtesy of Senator Ford. Photo by *Thomas Bass Photography*. See story inside

So, Whadaya Think:



1992 CB AUCTION & CAR DRAWING

THE CHRISTIAN BROTHERS courtyard will be awash in red, white and blue in celebration of "America The Beautiful," the theme for the 1992 CB SPIRIT Auction and Car Drawing. The school's premier fund-raising event is slated for Sunday, May 3.

"Knowing the theme song to 'America The Beautiful' will not be a prerequisite for getting into this year's event," promised committee president, John Johnston. "Although it might be helpful for getting into the spirit. We're looking forward to another successful event, with good food, great auction items and the country's number one utility vehicle for the Grand Prize."

The day's format will be similar to those of past year's with two exceptions: the event will start 30 minutes earlier (2:00 p.m.) and the silent auction has been eliminated. Guests will now have 90 minutes to socialize, enjoy complimentary cocktails and hors d'oeuvres, and peruse the oral auction items on display. Then starting at 3:30, event emcee Bob Granucci will kick off the oral auction, which will again be called by veteran auctioneer Vance Van Tassell.

Ticket prices are unchanged at \$200. One ticket admits two persons to the event. A maximum of 500 tickets will be sold, ensuring excellent odds at winning a new Ford Explorer XLT in the car drawing. The vehicle, provided in cooperation with Senator Ford, retails for approximately \$27,000. (See *Senator Ford*)

This year's event again will offer dozens of premium items or

services, a majority of which are donated. A sampling of items from last year's event include:

- ✦ Travel vacations to Puerto Vallarta, Hawaii or Baja, California.
- ✦ Weekend get-a-ways to San Francisco, Lake Tahoe or Napa
- ✦ Special wines from premium

service to the Auction please contact the school's Development Office at 733-3600.

HOW THE DRAWING WORKS:

- ✓ 25 names are chosen in groups of five from a container holding

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*John Johnston
Chairman
Auction Committee*



Senator Ford owner Bob Creedon (left) hands the keys to this year's Grand Prize to John Johnston, president of the

Napa Valley vintners

- ✦ Autographed sports collectibles by San Francisco Giants, 49ers and Oakland A's.
- ✦ Large group dinners for parties of six, eight or more, specially prepared by friends of CBS.

Johnston announced his committee will continue to accept auction items of significant value through the end of April. Anyone interested in donating an item or a

names of all ticket holders.

- ✓ After each group of five ticket holders is drawn, each person selects a key and tries to open the car door. Only one key in each group will open the car door. The five persons who successfully open the car become finalists.
- ✓ Each finalist selects a key from a different container and attempts to start the car. Only one key starts the

Is This A Great Country? Or What? BEING STEEPED IN AMERICAN SPIRIT

car. The person with the lucky key takes home the Ford Explorer. The other finalists each receive \$1,000 cash.

The SPIRIT Auction and Car Drawing is CB's largest annual fund-raising event. Last year's event generated \$121,500 in net



SPIRIT Auction and Car Drawing.

proceeds and went to the scholarship program. John Johnston and his committee are hoping to make this year's outing even more successful venture for Christian Brothers.



"America The Beautiful"

WE THE PEOPLE of Christian Brothers High School in recognition of your citizenship and participation in the bounty of this, our Country, do ordain and establish this invitation to our Annual Auction and Car Drawing, wherefore, BE IT RESOLVED that you shall gather in congress at

2:00 P.M.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON OF MAY 3, 1992

in the Town Square of Christian Brothers High School whereat, amid festivity, to enjoy a plenitude of bread and spirits

Tariff is \$200 per couple

THE DAY'S SCHEDULE

Registration and Social

2:00 p.m.

[Cocktails and Hors d'oeuvres]

Oral Auction

3:00 - 5:15 p.m.

[Food Service and Car Drawing During Auction]

ORAL AUCTION

A spectacular array of items including Fine Wines, Vacation Retreats and Lodging, Special Event Tickets, Audio Equipment, Services and Much More.

CAR DRAWING

Each tariff admits two guests to the auction with one chance at the 1992 FORD EXPLORER. Also, there will be four consolation prizes of \$1000 each.

Your generosity will assist the students at Christian Brothers High School.

"An event of this size and scope involves literally hundreds of volunteers," Mr. Johnston said. "I'd like to acknowledge the chairpersons of the Auction and Car Drawing Committee." They include:

- Elliott Sevier
Car Committee
- Sharon Endicott
Decoration Committee
- Frank Velluntini
Sponsorship Committee
- Chet Waterbury
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- John Johnston
Food Services



Brothers Boy From Philly Comes Through

SENATOR FORD IS CAR DRAWING'S MAJOR CONTRIBUTOR

In deciding which automobile to pursue this year, the committee's choice was simple: "Buy American." Fortunately, they went directly to Senator Ford, where the dealer made a generous offer on this year's Grand Prize—a 1992 Ford Explorer XLT.

The Explorer is one the hottest domestic rides and the number one selling utility vehicle.

Owner Bob Creedon of Senator Ford has generously agreed to make available the Explorer XLT, fully loaded with extras, to Christian Brothers at his cost. Plus, in an unprecedented gesture, he's agreed to contribute \$5,000 to enable CBS to stay within budget to acquire the \$27,000 vehicle.

Who is this generous new benefactor?

Bob Creedon is a native-born Philadelphian, educated by the Christian Brothers. He has never forgotten them. When Car Chairman Elliott Sevier approached him on contributing to the event, Mr. Creedon readily agreed to lend his support to this most worthwhile cause. "I feel a strong allegiance to the Christian Brothers," he said.

Mr. Creedon has owned and operated Senator Ford, Inc. (3801 Florin Road) since 1980. For four years running, the Ford Motor Company has honored Senator Ford with MVP Awards for excellent customer service and has also placed Senator Ford in TOP 100 Club of Ford dealers across the country for the last two years. Along with the Ford dealership, Creedon also has one of the largest independently owned car rental companies (Senator Rent-A-Car and Leasing) in the Sacramento area. The Senator "Family" is rounded out with Senator Hyundai/Subaru (3565 Florin Road), which was purchased in 1990.

Although he isn't the most senior of Sacramento's car dealers, Mr. Creedon certainly qualifies as one of the most community-minded. In 1991 Congressman John Doolittle presented Bob Creedon with a Senate resolution citing his ongoing and exemplary record of service to the people of the Greater Sacramento Area and the state of California.

He has sponsored many local events including the Best Ball Benefit for the Sacramento Children's Home, the Sacramento International Airshow, the PGA/Senior Gold Rush

Senator Ford Celebrity Pro-Am golf tournament, and numerous area schools, Little Leagues and organizations.

In conjunction with the Sacramento Kings, Senator Ford sponsors "Tip Off" basketball clinics to promote education among the local youth. Mr. Creedon is active in many local business groups, including Comstock Club, California Business League and Greater Sacramento New Car Dealer's Association, (past president). He also sits on the board of the County Taxpayers League, a responsibility he feels he owes to his community.

The Auction and Car Drawing Committee is pleased to have Bob Creedon and Senator Ford as part of the Christian Brothers High School community.



"I feel a strong allegiance to the Christian Brothers."

-Bob Creedon, Senator Ford

Behind the scenes at the cover photo shoot.



GO EXPLORIN' — BACKWOODS, BYWAYS OR HIGHWAYS

'Cuz the first prize in the CB SPIRIT Auction and Car Drawing is the Explorer XLT, Ford's fastest-selling vehicle. (Get outta here—No way.)

This four-door, 4x4 utility vehicle has a fuel-injected 4.0 liter V-6 engine. It seats five passengers comfortably with 42.6 feet cargo room available (yawn). Its exclusive Touch Drive electric shift transfer case delivers 4-wheel traction at the touch of a button (OK, I'm listening). And it comes with a towing package, air conditioning, luggage rack and a premium Ford JBL Sound System. (Way cool!!)

Dealer's sticker price — about \$27 grand.

Buy a ticket to the Auction and Car Drawing, and be guaranteed a one in 500 chance at winning this way cool, totally tripped out Ford Explorer XLT. (Yeahh!)



Uncle Sam played by Steve Scully.

UNCLE STEVE WANTS YOU!

To Attend the Auction and Car Drawing

In choosing someone to portray Uncle Sam for *The Connection* cover photo only one guy fit the bill—Steve Scully, class of '66. A pretty fair casting job, eh? With his six-foot-five frame and steely look of intensity, could there be anyone else? This three-sport letterman from Bishop Armstrong is one alum who commands respect, whether at a Board of Regents meeting or representing a client in a courtroom. When Steve speaks, people listen.

But there is far more appropriate reason for asking Steve to pose in the red, white and blue duds. As the emcee for the Ambassador Club dinner he displayed an American spirit worthy of, well, Uncle Sam. He began the gala event by inviting the audience to stand and pledge allegiance to the flag. The impromptu request caught everyone by surprise. "Given the current mood of the country," Mr. Scully explained, "I think we should get up and demonstrate our pride for the good ol' US of A." The entire audience stood up and proudly recited the national pledge. It made quite an impression.

In closing the evening, Scully again engaged the audience, this time in singing "America The Beautiful." Although not everyone remembered the verses, there was an obvious outpouring of emotion and spirit. And it planted a seed.

One month later, the SPIRIT Auction and Car Drawing Committee adopted Brother Richard Camara's suggestion to make this year's theme "God Bless America." As Brother Richard explained, "Steve touched a nerve that evening. He reminded all of us that it's okay to show the pride we have for our country."

Top hats off to Steve for leading the way!

Always Wanted To Join The Diplomatic Corps? Read On.

School Recognizes Ambassadors of Year

Six of Christian Brothers High School's most ardent supporters have been acknowledged for their years of dedication and service by being presented with CB's highest honor—Ambassador of the Year Awards. The presentations were made by Brother Richard Camara at the annual Ambassador Club Dinner held in February at the exclusive Sutter Club.

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Bob Roche is a graduate of CBS ('44) and St. Mary's College ('48). He joined the CBS Board of Regents in 1989 and was immediately given the major task of heading a committee to obtain a new site for the school through the donation of land. Bob's experience in housing development for the government as well as with the North Natomas Development Group has helped to form an alliance between the school and the developers.

Norman Montgomery was profiled last year in *The Connection* as the 'Man on the Move,' a reference to the fact that all of the portable buildings on campus were moved by the Montgomery Construction Co. of Sacramento. Mr. Montgomery joined the Board of Regents in 1981 and was honored as an honorary alumnus in 1988. His three sons, Steve ('73), Tom ('74) and John ('81) are graduates of CBS. As noted in our previous issue (Vol. 16, #1), Norman's son, Brother John Montgomery, is a member of the Christian Brothers order.

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Receiving Ambassadors of the Year Awards were (left to right): Brother Bertram Coleman, Bob Roche, Brother Richard Camara, Irma Moore (posthumously for her husband Dwight "Dinty" Moore), Steve Scully, Jean Lahey and Norman Montgomery.



Ambassadors

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Steve Scully, class of '66, was honored for demonstrating true leadership skills as president of the Board of Regents during the 1990-1991 school year. During his term the school successfully met the challenge of converting from an all-male school to a coeducational institution. In addition, Mr. Scully also was instrumental in re-organizing the Board of Regents, finalizing plans for obtaining the new site property, and developing the school's business plan. Steve is a partner in the law firm Schuering, Zimmerman, Scully and Nolen of Sacramento.

Dwight "Dinty" Moore was a charter member of the Board of Regents when it was formed in 1977. During his term as President in 1980 the Board of Regents participated in the Tricentennial Celebration of the founding of the Brothers of the Christian Schools. In addition, Mr. Moore helped shape the Regents' future direction by adopting a committee approach to the governance structure of the organization.

Dinty was a member of the Ambassador Club since its inception in 1985, and along with his wife Irma, made substantial personal contributions to the school. Irma Moore accepted the posthumous honor on behalf of her husband, Dinty, who passed away in 1991.

Jean Lahey was honored for more than a decade of service as a staff member of the school. Jean was hired by Brother Bertram as Administrative Assistant to the Director of Development in 1981. She has been coordinator for the school's support groups over the past 10 years, working with parent and alumni volun-

teers in organizing and implementing the school's numerous fund-raising events. She joined her husband Dan Lahey ('50), and her sons Steven ('79) and Michael ('82) as a member of the alumni when she was given an honorary degree at this year's Alumni Dinner.

Brother Bertram Coleman arrived on the CBS campus at 21st and K Streets in 1935 for his first teaching assignment. Over a 50 year period he has held many positions in Sacramento, including teacher, class moderator, varsity football and basketball coach (1939-43), Principal (1948-52), Vocation Director (1959-60), Director of Development and Alumni Moderator (1979-86). Brother Bertram continues to serve on the Board of Regents in an advisory capacity. He is currently the Director of the Christian Brothers District Archives in Napa.

These six join an illustrious list of former Ambassadors of the Year, which include: Richard Carlson, John Jackson, Jr., Leo Schuering, Jr., Charles Sylva, Ron Carissimi, Monsignor Richard Dwyer, Jim Mulhern, Manuel Perry, Jr., and Frank Ramos.

The gala event was underwritten by Frank and Joanne Ramos and Roger and Judy Shalz. Mr. Ramos is a member of the Board of Regents. Bob Massa, Second Vice President of the Board of Regents, chaired the event. Steve Scully, immediate Past President, emceed the program. The Christian Brothers Chorus, performed a capella renditions of three musical numbers for the evening's entertainment.

For the first time this year, Christian Brothers instituted four levels of membership in the Ambassador Club. They include: Brothers Ambassador (\$1,000 - \$2,499); Lasallian Ambassador (\$2,500 - \$4,999); Founder's Ambassador (\$5,000 - \$10,000); and Presidential Ambassador (\$10,000 or more). Ambassador Club members are acknowledged and recognized on an engraved plaque located at the school's entrance.

CBS AWARDS:

OF ALL THE SERVANTS IN THE REALM

Brother Richard Given Prestigious Award

Brother Richard Camara, President of Christian Brothers High School, has been honored as a recipient of the 1991 Distinguished Lasallian Educator Award given by the Brothers of the Christian Schools.

The annual award is presented by the Regional Board of Education of the Christian Brothers representing the United States and Toronto Region. It is given to an educator in each province of the Lasallian Schools who exemplifies the ideals of Saint John Baptist de La Salle in the 20th Century.

Brother Richard represented the Western District, which includes nine secondary schools and St. Mary's College. He was honored along with representatives from the eight other districts throughout the United States and Canada at a presentation made earlier this year at the Heuther Workshop in Chicago.

Among those present for the presentation were Brother Ronald Roggenback, District Director of Education, and Mrs. Claire Matthews, Secretary to the President.

"Brother Richard demonstrates the highest level of the Lasallian standard," said Mr. Domenic Puglisi, Principal of Christian Brothers and an associate of Brother Richard for nine years. "Throughout his administrative career, Brother Richard has established a reputation as an extremely capable, effective school administrator. He has consistently displayed qualities of initiative, conscientiousness and professionalism."

Brother Richard is a native of San Francisco and a graduate of St. Mary's College and Loyola University. His first teaching



Brother Richard Camara was presented with the Distinguished Lasallian Educator Award by Brother Ronald Roggenback in Chicago.

assignment in 1958 brought him to Christian Brothers High School, then located at 21st and K Streets. He was the founding Vice Principal of Justin High School in Napa in 1966 and oversaw the merger of Justin and Siena High Schools in Napa during his tenure as Principal.

In 1978, Brother Richard returned to Christian Brothers as a teacher and Vice Principal. He became Principal of the school in 1981 and assumed the newly created position of President last summer.

"Brother Richard has consistently displayed qualities of initiative, conscientiousness and professionalism."

Domenic Puglisi

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS HIGH SCHOOL

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the Christian Brothers
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through mid-March)

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Get Well
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Get Well

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Ms. Jeanne Whitwell
Michelle Blair Weeks
Merry Christmas
(Richard T. Carlson Memorial)

DOUG DEMETRE:

Hard at Work Ringin' a Bell

Most of the CB alums living in the Sacramento area have probably seen Doug Demetre ('61) proudly promoting his business *Bell Hardware & Nursery* on television commercials. "Madison at Dewey" is the common tagline identifying the location of his store, which opened in 1969.

It's also likely you've seen Doug in person at the CBS Winetasting or Golf Tournament or Alumni Din-



Doug Demetre, seen here at *Bell Hardware & Nursery*, rarely finds time to do what he enjoys most: skiing and digging in the garden at home.

ner. As this year's president of the Christian Brothers Alumni (CBA), Doug Demetre's been a busy man.

Balancing a top leadership role in a volunteer organization and running a private enterprise can be demanding, challenging and sometimes frustrating. The tough part is finding the time. This graduate of Bishop Armstrong's class of 1961, however, ac-

complishes both missions through dedication and a "roll-up-your-sleeves" work ethic.

Doug developed an appreciation for hard work at a young age. In high school, while others enjoyed the luxury of playing organized sports, he held down a job after school. In the summer, he worked at two eight-hour jobs, painting houses and assisting his father, who was superintendent of maintenance for Sutter Hospitals. His earnings helped to pay for a Brothers' education.

He places a high value on his Christian Brothers' educational experience, which began at the Brothers' novitiate at Mont La Salle following elementary school. Later he transferred to CBS at 21st and K Streets mid-way through his sophomore year.

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The Cream Rises

Sylva Honored by Sacramento Diocese

For the second consecutive year a Christian Brothers graduate received the Distinguished Catholic School Graduate of the Year Award when the honor went to Chuck Sylva ('65). The award was presented by Bishop Francis A. Quinn at the second annual Breakfast by the Cathedral on January 31.

Sylva was honored for his significant contributions to the Catholic community, including one year of full service to Immaculate Conception Church Services and the Sacramento Food Bank.

"Mr. Charles Sylva is a very special and deserving recipient of this award," said Bishop Quinn. "He

has brought community service to a new level of distinction. There are very few individuals who have given so much to the community."

Mr. Sylva took a one year sabbatical from his firm Sylva-Kirk and Company to assist Fr. Dan Madigan, then pastor of Immaculate Conception (IC), as an unpaid administrator, advisor, fundraiser and consultant to IC Church Services. He helped the Sacramento Food Bank program to expand, find a new site, and raise more than \$1 million to develop and equip a central social service headquarters for ICCS.

Chuck serves as chairman of the Sacramento Food Bank and is an ardent supporter of other com-

munity organizations, including: Mercy Foundation, Wellspring Women's Center, St. Francis Manor, the Sacramento Symphony, Crocker Art Gallery, KVIE and W.E.A.V.E. among others. He also has served on the School Board at Holy Spirit, where he graduated from elementary school.

Mr. Sylva is a former Regent of Christian Brothers High School and a recipient of the Ambassador of the Year Award in 1989. He is the school's second alumnus to receive the Diocesan award. Sacramento Chief of Police Jack Kearns ('51) was honored in 1991.



Charles Sylva, Class of '65, received the Distinguished Catholic School Graduate of the Year Award.



He graduated from University of California at Davis, with a major in economics and a minor in landscape horticulture. Doug supported himself by working at the campus arboretum and managing his own landscaping business.

A few years later he was working for Fairchild Semiconductor in the Bay Area. About that time his father called, inviting him to go into partnership by taking over Bel Supply, a Sacramento hardware and nursery store. Originally it began as a nursery owned by Bel-Air stores. Later, a Yankee Hardware store was added. When the Demetre's purchased the business 1969, they added another "I" to the name, playing on the Liberty Bell concept leftover from the Yankee name. Thus was born Bell Hardware & Nursery. (Madison on Dewey)

In addition to operating a full-service Ace hardware store, Doug's firm is widely known for its lawn products and services. On cable television commercials you'll find him extolling the virtues of his sod and hydro-seeding services. His market extends throughout the greater Sacramento area, "from Auburn to Elk Grove," he says. He caters to contractors and residential customers alike.

For eight years Doug operated a separate landscaping division, which was run by his brother Steve. In 1986, Steve Demetre ('65) bought out of the corporation and has operated Demetre Landscaping ever since.

Doug's wife Caren also helps in the family business, overseeing the human resource areas. She owns a very successful career counseling business and has a prestigious client list that includes among others, the Dept. of Justice and the U.S. Air Force. The Demetres have three children, ages 16 to 21. For relaxation, they like to snow ski and work in the garden. "When we find the time," sighs Doug.

Demetre's keen business savvy has carried over in to a smooth-running alumni association in the 1991-1992 school

year. Last fall, the CBA sponsored its Fourth Annual Winetasting. The popular event, which drew over 600, was expanded to include local restaurants that served prepared dishes in tandem with select wines. The Golf Tournament again was well organized and produced a profit for the school.

One area Doug would like to improve is the development of an alumni network, with key volunteers assigned to represent their classes. "We should have a phone tree so we can get the word out about our events," he said. Just as important would be updated phone and address information for alumni who have moved. "We have no way of communicating with someone who doesn't leave a forwarding address." He encourages alumni to forward information, about themselves or fellow grads, to the school's Development Office (733-3600).

Doug is excited about plans underway to increase attendance (and spirit) at the annual Holy Bowl by stimulating a friendly rivalry with Jesuit alumni. "We'd like to see a much bigger turnout and make this a really fun event each year."

It's a good bet that Doug Demetre will find the time to be there for years to come. Even if he is needed back at Bell Hardware & Nursery.



ALUMNI ROCKIN' AND A BOPPIN' AT THE HOP

For the second year in a row, the CB Alumni Association sponsored the "Back to School-1992 Sock Hop" in February. Music was provided courtesy of *The Surf Dukes*, performing polished renditions of famous surf tunes and other ageless oldies.

Just like our school dances, the Sock Hop features live music in the gym from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. The main exception is you can have cocktails, munchies and the vice principal doesn't chase you and your date out of the bleachers.

The Surf Dukes, led by Jim Caselli ('73) and brother Mike ('76), are a very tight band with a

Jim and Mike Caselli donated the services their band, *The Surf Dukes*, for the second year at the annual "Back to school Dance," held in the school



SEEKING "LOST" ALUMNI FOR CBS DIRECTORY

Searching for a fellow classmate can be like looking for the proverbial "needle in a haystack".

If ever you've tried to contact a former schoolmate for personal or business reasons you may know how difficult it can be to get a current number. There's an easy answer—the Alumni Directory.

Every five years Harris Publishing Co. contracts with Christian Brothers High to produce an alumni directory and this will be the third one produced for CBS. Included is an alphabetical listing of all graduates—nearly 8,000 now—with current address, phone and employer information. In the back it also includes a category by state and a listing by year, handy for class reunion committees. The directory is handsomely bound into a classic, library-quality edition. Publishing date is scheduled for summer, 1993.

Harris Publishing will soon begin researching and compiling information to be printed in the di-

rectory by mailing a questionnaire to every CBS alum. The trick, of course, is trying to find "lost" alumni who haven't notified the school about a change of address.

The new Christian Brothers High School Alumni Directory will soon make finding a fellow graduate as simple as opening a book. Look for more details on the project in future issues of *The Connection*.

If you know of a classmate who has recently moved, and isn't on the alumni mailing list, please forward the information to the Development Office (916) 733-3600 or write to:

Christian Brothers High School
Development Office
4315 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd
Sacramento, CA 95820



music made popular by the Beach Boys. Those who came out for this year's dance heard songs such as "Surfin' Safari", "Surfer Girl", and "Stoked", along with "Dream Dream, Dream", "Burning Love" and more. Nearly everyone was on the dance floor all night long. And having a blast.

Thanks to the Brothers Caselli for staging another great show. Plan on coming out and filling the gym next year at the Alumni Association's annual "Back To School Dance."



ALUMNI NEWS

CLASS NOTES



Vienna Golsong

Hi to all in Alumni Land!

It hardly seems possible that the Lenten season is upon us and we are preparing for the wondrous feast of Easter.

With Spring and Easter, to me, there is always a feeling of rebirth, of newness and starting over.

I would like to wish all of you a very Happy and Holy Easter and may the season be a time of experiencing God's love and protection.

Because of the way the column is set up I have to separate part of the history of the Donovan family, so please watch for the name in the following alumni news. [Thanks for the letter, John]

42 Mike Donovan is a retired real estate broker, who is currently active in the Permanent Deaconate at Presentation Parish in Sacramento.

50 Denis F. Donovan is a real estate broker with TRI Realtors Central Office in Sacramento.

52 Karl J. Schnetz is a resident of Placer County and is President of the Placer County Bar Association. He is very active in community affairs, including Sacramento Junior Chamber of Commerce and South Placer Kiwanis Club. In 1981 he was named Kiwanian of the Year. In 1987 Mr. Schnetz received the Legal Services Community Advocacy Award in recognition of outstanding advocacy on behalf of disadvantaged persons in Placer County.

57 Virgil Nichols and his wife live in Memphis, Tennessee, where he is Vice President of Malone and Hyde, a wholesale grocery distributor. His daughter Katherine obtained her B.S. degree in pre-dental from Christian Brothers University in Memphis. Virgil's son Mark, a graduate of Christian Brothers High School in Memphis, received his B.S. in math and astro-physics and a master's degree in astro physics from Vanderbilt University. He is enrolled in a second M.S. program (astro-physics) and plans to obtain a doctorate in the discipline.

Phyllis Bachmei Varney is working as an occupational health nurse in Spokane, Washington. She works in the Health Center of Kaiser Aluminum, the largest rolling aluminum plant in the world. She received her B.A. degree from Eastern Washington University. She stated she lived in Alaska for four years (81-85) and it was quite an adventure.

59 Joan Dubey Blake is living in Kamuela, Hawaii (What a life!). After residing for the past 12 years on Kuai, her company Sandal Tree, Ltd. transferred her to the "big" island of Kawaii where she now works at the Hyatt Regency. If anyone is making plans to go to Hawaii, Joan wants you to look her up!

59 Rosemary Mandella Griffin dropped a note to me in a shoe box, no less. I ordered a pair of shoes from Meryvns and she hap-

pened to be the one who sent them to me. [Rosemary, write and let me know more about what you are doing. Thanks for your nice comment.]

61 Dennis Taverna is an auditor for the United States Air Force. He is married and has two daughters.

Marilyn Mentessi Siefker is married and has one daughter. She is a manager for the County of Sacramento.

Clifford Harder is very married and I say that with conviction as Cliff and his wife Jeanne have seven children ranging in age from 4 to 25. Cliff is in the general contracting business and says business is slow in Woodland because of a building moratorium. Good luck Cliff to you and your wife in raising your family.

62 Fred Nichols is married and has one child. He is living in Sacramento and works as a programmer/analyst for the State Public Employees Retirement Center. He wrote about his brother Virgil (see class of '57). He said his son is following in the footsteps of his cousins, but for now wants to be a Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle. He has already matriculated from pre-school to kindergarten at Holy Spirit School and will graduate from Christian Brothers in 2004. Sounds like he is on the right track.

69 Tony Gilliam started his own electrical engineering firm TG Electric in Challis, Idaho. He and his wife Gynil have the only flower shop for 60 miles in any direction. This information was given to me by his dad, Stan Gilliam ('41). Stan went on to say that Challis is rather remote. [Stan, let me know what you are doing with your time, would love to hear from you.]

72 Chris Borovansky called to ask if there is going to be a 20th reunion of the Class of '72. I haven't been able to get any information, Chris, so if anyone in

this class knows about a reunion, please contact me and I will give you Chris' number.

75 Denis M. Donovan is a civil plaintiff attorney with the firm DeMers, Callison and Donovan in Sacramento.

77 John P. Donovan is an audit manager with the CPA firm of S.J. Gallina & Co. in Sacramento.

79 Bill Donovan is head of Commercial Services in the commercial department of Placer Title Company in Placer County.

Nathaniel Ari Nettles is not married and finds that pretty comical as he filled in "Ha, ha, ha" in the space left for Spouse's Name of the alumni census. He is working for Nancorp, an architectural design company specializing in home design.

81 Paul John Giordano is married and working for United Airlines as an electrical engineer.

82 Robert Delgado is married and living in Texas. He is working for Motorola. At a recent meeting he was awarded the Technical Excellence Award, which is the top engineering award given each quarter in his company. He and his wife have one son and are expecting their second child in September.

84 Michael Ochoa is currently attending the California Military Academy and will graduate in August, 1992 with an officer's commission of second lieutenant. He is married and living in Sacramento.

85 Eric Koch recently returned from his assignment as a Peace Corps volunteer in Africa. He spent the past two years teaching mathematics at a high school in Gambia, West Africa. Eric is the Peace

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Corps recruiter in Sacramento. If anyone is interested in serving in the Peace Corp contact him at 278-5248.

87 *Bryan Wilfong* writes to say that few people, if any, are ever in this column, so he decided to correspond. Thanks, Bryan, and I encourage more of our alumni to do the same. It'd be impossible to contact everyone by myself!

Bryan is in the U.S. Army Reserves as a multi-channel communication systems operator. In August of '89 he was accepted into an electrical apprenticeship program. He will graduate in 1995. Yes, we still have a Career Day, and I will pass on your request to participate.

Joseph P. Donovan graduated from St. Mary's in May 1991 with a history degree.

Charles Zagar is living in Rocklin and returned to school at Chico State after a stint in the Army. He was promoted to sergeant after only 2 1/2 years. He also served in the California National Guard.

90 *Brian Cipar* has begun missionary work for his Church. He is learning Mandarin Chinese and will work in Taiwan for two years, according to Trevor Rose.

Trevor Rose is happy about the change to co-education at CBS. He is going to Heald Business College and has an AA degree in accounting. He also has started a small business called R/C Recycling. He builds and repairs all kinds of radio controlled cars.

91 *Mark E. Crespo* will be leaving for Fort Benning, Georgia in March. In September he will be joining the 25th infantry on the island of Oahu in Hawaii.

Hawaii has been very popular this issue, and it certainly is a beautiful state.

I would like to say thank you to all who corresponded with me. If there is anyone who is having a reunion or wants to know about whether their class is holding one please contact me. Give me a call, drop me a line or fill out the alumni census form on the back page of *The Connection*.

I would like to wish all of you a very Happy and Holy Easter.

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IN OUR HEARTS, THEY'RE FAMILY

Four Honored at Alumni Dinner

At this year's Alumni Dinner, sponsored by the Alumni Association, four persons were given honorary degrees, including the first females ever to receive the award.

A crowd of about 200 watched as Brother Richard Camara presented the prestigious awards to Claire Matthews, Jean Lahey, Bud Graham and Adrien "Frenchy" Ledoux.

The event generated approximately \$2,000, according to co-chairmen Mike Cook and Adam Treiber. The proceeds each year are donated by the Alumni Association to the Cima, Carson and Bianchini Families scholarship fund. Members of the three families annually prepare and serve the dinner.

El Dorado Savings Bank also helped to underwrite the event.

The Alumni Dinner, held each year in the school gymnasium, began over 20 years ago as a chance for alumni of all ages to renew friendships and salute the anniversary classes. Honorary degrees are given to those persons who did not graduate from the school but have significantly contributed years of service to Christian Brothers.



Four new alumni were awarded honorary diplomas at the Alumni Dinner in January. Left to right are: Brother Richard (President), Adrien "Frenchy" Ledoux, Jean Lahey, Domenic Puglisi (Principal), Claire Matthews, Bud Graham and Br. Bertram Coleman (Director, District Archives).

DATE SET FOR CB GOLF CLASSIC

CB Golf Classic Chairman Kevin Valine asks that you pencil in Monday, September 28 for the next Alumni Association golf tournament. This will be the Fourth Year the Classic has been held at the exclusive Silverado Country Club.

Start lining up those foursomes.

OOPS!

In our previous issue we incorrectly attributed several donations to the Patrick Carey Scholarship Fund that should have been attributed to the Pete Tomasini Scholarship Fund. We regret the error.



"This summer we're expanding our programs. Parents and students will find the same quality and enthusiasm in them that we put in our programs throughout the year."

-Jeff Corrigan

Wellspring student coordinator Tamara Battle (left) with Holly Peterson, faculty advisor.



EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Opera:

Twenty-five students, parents and faculty members from CBS recently attended the opening night performance of the Sacramento Opera Company's production of Gunod's *Romeo et Juliette*, based on Shakespeare's *Romeo and Juliet*, which CBS students studied in literature class. Local businesses, including *The Sacramento Bee*, made the cultural event possible by contributing half the cost of each ticket.

Wellspring:

Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, student coordinator Tamara Battle and faculty advisor Holly Peterson make their way to Immaculate Conception Church in Oak Park. At 6:30 a.m. they are joined by five to ten students who cook breakfast for the women and children who come to the Wellspring women's shelter.

Wellspring is a community outreach program designed to serve and support the poor women and children of the Oak Park area. It is operated by the Sisters of Social Services, a Los Angeles-based order that opened the program in Sacramento in 1987.

"Our primary goal is to ensure the women and children feel loved and cared for, and to help in the development of their self-esteem," said Sister Katherine. "We assist families who are victimized by poverty, drugs or prostitution."

A number of Christian Brothers' students participate in this worthwhile program. ❖

ATHLETIC SUMMARY

Girls Basketball:

The Lady Falcon varsity basketball team improved its league record to 3-11 and overall record to 7-17. Although the team was picked to finish last, it came in 6th in the Metropolitan League. Sophomore girls finished with an overall record of 16-9 and a league record of 6-6.

Boys Basketball:

The boys varsity basketball team posted an overall record of 7-20 and finished with a league record of 1-11 in Coach Thomas Loden's first year. Junior Kevin McKechnie averaged 18.2 points per game. The Sopho-

SUMMER IS COOL AT BROTHERS

Summer promises to be enriching and fun at CBS. Three separate programs, including an academic session, sports camp and spirit camp will be conducted on campus. For more information about these programs, please call the school office at 452-2876 for a free brochure.

Summer Session:

Students who want to strengthen skills, take a course for enrichment or repeat a course for credit are encouraged to pre-register by Friday, May 22. In addition, a special program of studies will be offered for 7th and 8th grade students. Classes are scheduled from June 22 to July 24. Kevin McGovern, of the CBS faculty, is Principal of the Summer Academic Session.

Sports Camp

Sports Camp is returning to CBS this summer with a variety of athletic activities for elementary school students. Offerings include softball, volleyball, tennis, football, soccer, baseball and basketball.

Sports Camp instructors will include Christian Brothers' coaches and associates. The camp dates are from June 22-26. Jill Bennett, Assistant Athletic Director, is Director of the camp.

Spirit Camp:

Christian Brothers Spirit Camp is offering classes in songleader/dance, cheer leader/mascot and drill team. It also will feature tryouts for the CB freshman squad and CB Drill Team. The classes and tryouts each cost \$25 and are offered from 9 a.m. to 12:30 from June 15 - 19.

Other specialty classes, including tennis, soccer and computers, are available at \$20 per class.

The Spirit Clinic is led by Lois Curtis, the coach of the award-winning CBS Drill Team. ❖

more basketball team finished with a winning overall record of 14-13 and ended league play at 5-17. The Freshman team completed the season 15-7, with an 8-2 record to finish in second place in the Metro League.

Varsity Wrestling:

The wrestling team had an overall record of 2-4 in league competition, with senior Mark Hildebrand going to the section finals in the 171 pound class. ❖

Honors And Achievements

Regina Petrow has been selected as a Congressional Scholar to represent California this summer in the *National Young Leaders Conference* in Washington, D.C.

Petrow, a junior, will join 350 other high school students designated as "the nation's most promising youth" by the Congressional Youth Leadership Council. The five-day visit will include meetings with government officials, elected representatives, scholars, diplomatic corps members and the media to achieve a "deeper understanding of our democratic system of government."

At the Conference, Regina will receive the prestigious National Youth Leadership Certificate of Merit. CBS Seniors have already been accepted at the following colleges and universities: Cornell, Notre Dame, Penn State, Marquette, Reed College, University of Southern California, University of San Francisco, Seattle University, St. Mary's College, Christian Brothers University (Tennessee) and various campuses of the University of California.

Senior Clarence Phelps took fifth place in the pole vault at the Sunkist International indoor track meet held this winter at the L.A. Sports Arena on the USC campus. Clarence, among the top high school student athletes in the nation, was the first student from CBS to be invited to the prestigious meet, which is scouted by top colleges.

ELEVEN ADDED TO LA SALLE BASEBALL HALL OF FAME

The La Salle Hall of Fame will induct 11 new members at its 41st Annual Dinner on Friday, April 10th, announced event chairman, Jim McNamara. The dinner is being held at CBS beginning at 6:00 p.m.

The new members all reside in Sacramento except where noted. They include:

Julian Cisneros; Bob De La Vergne (Fair Oaks); John Eres; Gene Harris; Leonard Keene; Ron King; Chuck Lotta; William Robertson; Bob Stassi (Marysville); George Vernatchi; and Leroy Winter.

CB SENIOR'S LIGHT EXTINGUISHED

A tragedy struck the Christian Brothers campus last month with the news that Jason Grady, a senior, had drowned in Folsom Lake during a fishing trip with friends. He died March 8.

A rosary vigil service was conducted in the school gymnasium on Thursday, March 12, and a funeral Mass was offered the next day for students, faculty, staff and family.

Jason was a member of the school yearbook staff, and tutored at Oak Ridge elementary School.

Survivors include his parents, Pam and Steve Grady, and a brother, Sean. Pam and Steve are active volunteers, serving on the CB SPIRIT Auction and Car Drawing.

Remembrances may be made to the Jason Grady Scholarship Fund in care of Christian Brothers High School or to SUCCEED, 1121 "K" Street, Sacramento, CA 95814.

IF YOU BUILD THEM, THEY WILL COME

CBS Admissions has enjoyed a banner recruitment season as 373 incoming students have taken the Placement Exam for the 1992-1993 academic year. This represents a 74% increase over last year.

Inquiries continue to come in daily. An additional Placement Examination has been scheduled at CB on April 9 from 8 a.m. to 12 noon to accommodate the increasing interest in a Christian Brothers education.

"Christian Brothers will remain consistent in its desire to admit a broad spectrum of student ability levels," said Jeff Corrigan, Vice Principal, Dean of Studies. "While space is presently limited, interested parents

and students are encouraged to register for the exam. All applicants will be considered," Mr. Corrigan stated.



CHRISTIAN BROTHERS HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Friends,

I am happy to announce that the reaction to the change of focus and format introduced in the latest issue of *The Connection* has been very positive. It is always exciting to do a better job of telling a story, especially the CB story.

As you will see by the front cover of *The Connection*, the main feature of this issue is upcoming **SPIRIT Auction and Car Drawing** on Sunday, May 3, 1992. This is our premier fundraiser and I encourage you to join us at this wonderful event. In this way, we may continue the Brothers' mission of educating the young people of our community who otherwise would not have the opportunity to receive a college preparatory, Christian Brothers education.

Finally, our **Annual Giving Program** is still very much alive and kicking. If you have not donated or pledged to this program at this time, please consider a pledge of \$10 per month to help support the Christian Brothers High School Scholarship Annual Fund.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity. May God's blessing remain with you and your families.

Sincerely,

Tom Davis
Director of Development

**P.S. Christian Brothers has an urgent need for the following items/services.
Can you help?**

- Macintosh computer with color monitor to reduce publication costs by doing desk-top publishing in-house. Equipment needs include a Mac II with 80 megabyte hard drive, at least 4 megabytes of RAM, and a 13" high-resolution color monitor.
- Materials and labor needed for completion of softball diamond: hydro seeding, trenching, rototilling/grading, decomposed granite mix.
- Wiring labor and hub to connect Edward Hall (counseling center) to a Novell Network in the main school office.
- Two 386/IBM compatibles and a network card for the counseling center.
- Six locking storage cabinets to secure Math Department equipment.
- IBM 286 and modem for the library.
- 3M Microfiche reader/printer

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Alumni - Send us your news!

The Connection welcomes contributions to the alumni notes section. Please use this form to mail in your personal and professional news items. Photos, news clippings etc. are also welcome, as well as tips about fellow alums who might make good feature story subjects. Also, use this form for changes or to let us know of duplicate copies at one address. Thanks for keeping us in touch!

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