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**ALUMNI OF YEAR  
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Early this year the Trustees voted unanimously to establish a "two campus" Christian Brothers High School: retaining and upgrading the Oak Park campus and building a second campus in the Natomas area. This will allow us to meet the ever increasing demand for a Christian Brothers education. Committees are meeting to determine the costs of this dual project. Once this effort is complete a feasibility study will be conducted. Feasibility simply means: meeting with alumni,

## JUDGE JAMES LONG A MAN OF SEASONS

By Brendan Begley '84

What do you envision when someone mentions Oak Park?

Depending on your perspective, there are delightful as well as disturbing possibilities. For instance, you could imagine the quenching gulp of a Merlino's Orange Freeze after a baseball game or a somber visit to UC Davis Medical Center after a mishap — the aroma of food at a barbecue joint or crime statistics and images of poverty — a moving sermon at one of the many small churches in the area or an enlivened debate at

torneys, judges, witnesses and jurors, he is known for his integrity, his no-nonsense intellect and his fair-minded sense of justice.

"Everything about me has been a struggle to get somewhere," he said solemnly in a recent interview. "I've never been the best at anything, but I've always tried to do my best."

His last remark is characteristically modest. From his former law office on 35th Street to his bench



"It's true, they even had a nickname for me — the Black Angel," he laughingly confessed after a reflective moment and a few sips of his favorite brandy.

donors and prominent members of the Sacramento community; asking if they think the project is appropriate and worthy of financial support. A Capital Campaign to fund the two campus school will follow.

*Stimulated by a major gift from one of our very successful alumni, Christian Brothers has decided to begin the much needed renovation of the library, in a manner consistent with our long range plans. Editor.*

Nick Moore '59, Christian Brothers' first "Alumni of the Year", has generously established a \$20,000 fund to match contributions to the 1995-96

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McGeorge Law School.

A common memory most of us share would probably be one experience or another at the Christian Brothers High School campus, which is as much an integral part of that neighborhood as it is a foundation of its graduates' lives.

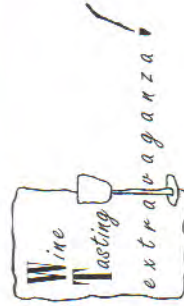
But there is another Oak Park institution that is a product of all those things-Sacramento Superior Court Judge James Long. Jimmy, as he likes to be called outside the courtroom, has become the embodiment of the vital qualities that the Christian Brothers strive to instill in their students. Among at-

at the county courthouse, Judge Long has litigated and presided over an amazingly diverse group of cases. In so doing, he has brought rectitude to the innocent, punished the injured and justice to the community at large.

To get him to admit it, though, you have to press him. Even then, he unpretentiously discusses only general aspects of the cases that you point out. When asked if he really had clients ranging from police officers to Black Panthers to Hell's Angels, he sat back, put his hands behind his head and sighed.

he handled as an attorney was dubbed "The Oak Park Four" in sensational newspaper headlines. The story goes that, in 1970, a white Sacramento police officer was ambushed and murdered. After a questionable investigation, the police arrested four young black men from the neighborhood and charged them with the killing. At trial, Long proved that the police had coerced key prosecution witnesses into making false statements. Ultimately, the case was dismissed due to lack of evidence.

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## EXTRAVAGANZA-

### Special to the Connection

**T**he Christian Brothers High School Alumni Association will host its 8th Annual Wine Tasting Extravaganza on Friday, September 8, 1995, from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on the campus of Christian Brothers.

The Alumni Association and Honorary Chair, District Attorney Jan Scully, are planning a festive night featuring some of Northern California's fine wineries, restaurants, and breweries. It's an evening sure to please the palates of connoisseurs.

"The Extravaganza carries on the traditions started by Christian Brothers winery over 100 years ago", says Event Chairman Chris Ledesma. "The name still commands much respect throughout the wine industry, which accounts for the tremendous participation

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**The LaSalle Club was originally formed in 1939 when a hat was passed, collecting \$20.25**

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## CONNECTING

by Richard David Atchley '74

**T**here may be no better way to uncork a column that features CONNECTING with Christian Brothers than by showcasing our valuable connections to the wine industry. We hope that you will enjoy this rare 100 year old bottle of bubbly and trust that you will also contribute selections from your own cellar for future columns.

So how did the fermenting process all begin for the Brothers? While there are differing opinions on the actual first harvest, one thing is absolutely certain. Our CB roots are quite richly drenched in Northern California winery history. However as you savor your sauvignon, you may be surprised to discover that the original Brothers' vineyard was not in the Napa area.

In fact, De La Salle Institute archives reveal that: "About 1891 (in Martinez, not Napa), Brother Victorick commenced to make a small quantity of wine as a source of revenue...A wine cellar was made under the haybarn and served the purpose well." Brother Timothy, who taught english, chemis-

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## ALUMNI AND FRIENDS OF CBS

by...Jack Stassi '40  
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After a few years sabbatical I'm all refreshed and ready to report on the alumni and friends and benefactors of the school ...Congrats to **MICHAEL FRANZOIA '72** on his election to Mayor of Elko. ...ole dad **AL FRANZOIA '39** and wife Denise are getting ready to tour Germany with **Father Callanan**, Sacramento's favorite Jesuit....and to **JACK KIPP '36** ex mayor and councilman of Folsom who was given a huge party to honor him for his many years of devoted service. This would not have been possible without the backing of his lovely bride of many years, Marie, a sweet little Italian girl who really adds to Jack's class....and to good friend of CBS, **TOM SCULLY**, whose daughter-in-law was recently elected District Attorney for Sacramento. Tom was a great running back for the Galloping Gaels of St. Mary's in the good ole days...**EMIL TANGHETTI '42** and brother-in-law **JIM D'ALLOSTA '41** took their lovely wives Rose and Genevieve on a tour of Italy visiting some of their relatives in Bovegno and Colis... **AMERICO D'ALESSANDRO '35** was given a wonderful 80th birthday dinner at the Cabrillo Hall...old classmate **ROY CORTOPASSI '40** retired school official, got a little bored with retirement so he started EBM Computer School and Sales Company and just recently sold his interest so he and his wife Rosalie could do a little traveling...**SAL VASQUEZ '52**, recently retired from the Good Hands People All State Insurance, is playing a lot of golf and is still active with the Special Olympics...**STAN GILLIAM '41** is still writing a column for the Senior Citizens Paper and I must admit he did a terrific job as one of the moderators on the Channel 6 old Sacramento program...other moderators that did a great job were **DOLORES GREENSLADE**, and **RUSS SOLOMON**, founder of Tower Records...and another alumni that knows more about old Sacramento and the people that were the movers and shakers of the good ole days is **WILLIAM "BILL" MORBECK**, '28. Anytime I want to find out where some of the old timers lived during the 20's and 30's I just ask Bill and always get an answer...when I was recently in the hospital **SONNY VALINE '42** came by to visit me. He was a patient down the hall and I'm happy to report that we are both doing fine...and here's a fella that should be a great golfer **RICHARD DESMOND '41**. Dick has a son-in-law that is the Golf Superintendent at Spanish Bay and another one is less than that.

## JEFFREY KNEZOVICH VICE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

It is well understood that fiscal integrity is paramount to the long term stability and success of any organization. The same criteria that serve to guide successful businesses also apply to private educational institutions. Christian Brothers High School in Sacramento is in a very strong position for many reasons. Certainly, the dedication and competence of its teachers, staff and administrators are critical factors in this success. One must acknowledge also that the careful and effective management of the School's financial resources contributes significantly to this success.

At CBS the term "fiscal integrity" is synonymous with the name Jeffrey Knezovich. Jeff is Vice President and Director of Finance at the school. Through his competent management and investment skills, the school finds itself financially solid and reserves have been established which permit the school to address needs vital to its educational mission without negatively affecting the school's daily operating budget. As a result, the tuition at Christian Brothers remains among the lowest for comparable schools. Also, salaries are maintained at a very competitive level, ensuring that the school can continue to attract the best teachers, staff and administrators. Jeff is the first to acknowledge that credit also should be given to his staff and to Trustees and others who serve on the Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees.

Christian Brothers High School is not a wealthy organization and continues to depend on the generous contributions of alumni, their families, and friends of the school. Without your help, the school would find it difficult, if not impossible, to continue its mission. The prospect of raising tuition to where only the wealthy could attend is contrary to the school's philosophy and would be a sad commentary for this community. However, it is gratifying to know that finances obtained by the school are placed in the hands of such a competent professional. In fact, public statements by top administrators of the school attest to their respect of the influence Jeff Knezovich has on the current positive financial position of CBS and the enviable position the school finds itself as it enters the 21st century. A very significant situation occurred during

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*John Zupan, Connie (wife), and Marryan Elorday, (sister).*

## REMEMBERING JOHN ZUPAN

*Christian Brothers and the Sacramento community lost two great individuals in the past few months, Don Senon '61 and John Zupan '62. Both families requested the use of the CBS cafeteria and grounds for the large numbers of friends anticipated for their memorial receptions. This may be the start of a new Brothers tradition. This story appeared in the "Neighbors" section of the Sacramento Bee. Editor.*

**T**he word "quit" never appeared in John Zupan's vocabulary. And he didn't tolerate it in the football players he competed with or coached in Sacramento.

Zupan was not a hypocrite. He demanded nothing less than 100 percent of himself.

Zupan, who died at age 51, could concede that multiple sclerosis had consumed his body, but it was no match for his spirit. That was one battle the incurable disease would not win.

MS attacks the nervous system. It deprived Zupan of the legs he used to rush for big gains at Bishop Armstrong

High and Sacramento City College in the early 1960's. It reduced him first to walking with a stagger, then to a cane or walker and finally to a golf cart or motorized wheelchair.

It pained the proud Zupan to have to rely on his family for the simplest of tasks the last 10 years of his life. But his wife of 24 years, Connie, daughter Stacey and son Matt '92 wanted it no other way.

"It was sad to see such a bad thing happen to such a good guy," Matt said, "But he was incredibly strong. He handled MS as best as he could, better than anyone I could imagine."

where he could do a little chipping and putting, but when you are uncoordinated it makes it tough...**ELLIS HARLOW '40** does a column for the Retired Officers monthly bulletin...**AL KNEZOVICH '44** and wife have moved to Rocklin and I just heard that his brother **MEL KNEZOVICH** recently retired from the Sacramento Bee. Mel played baseball for St. Mary's College and was signed right out of college by the Cleveland Indians and pitched for their farm club the San Diego Padres in the Pacific Coast League...**FRANK NUGENT '34**, a retired sergeant for the Sacramento Police Department and his good buddy **JOHN RAKELA**, great baseballer and in the LaSalle Club Hall of Fame, are two of the founders of the Over the Hill Gang, which recently honored **BILLY RICO '42**, the playing manager for the Carmichael firemen which won the world's championship of the National Baseball Association in Wichita, Kansas...**Dr. EMIL TANGHETTI, JR '68**, one of Sacramento's leading dermatologists, and is considered an expert in laser surgery for the treatment of skin cancer...there is a lot of talk these days about affirmative action and women's lib. When the Board of Regents was formed the founders were looking for an outstanding woman to be named to the board and did they ever find a winner in **BETTY DOWNEY**, who served on the board and was later elected President. We also have had several outstanding women who served on the board and I will tell you about them in my next column...sure glad that former Regent **Dick Cable**, Channel 10 Anchor had decided to sign a new contract. I have been listening to Dick for over twenty years - don't know what I would do without him...Would like to thank **JOE GENSHLEA '64** for the wonderful programs his firm, Weintraub, Genshlea and Sproul, sponsor on Channel 6...One of our great benefactors, **JOHN BOZICH**, owner and CEO of Capital Plywood, had bought a beautiful golf course, Sequoia Woods, located in Arnold. Why don't you get up a foursome and shoot a round...A couple of deceased sorely missed: retired Marine Colonel **DAVID SIMMONS '37**, captain of the Santa Clara football team, that won the Sugar Bowl in New Orleans, and his buddy **JOHN SAPANOR '36** who before his retirement served as the presiding judge of the Sacramento Superior Court. Dave and John were both very active members in the Brotherhoods...ex regent **JIM MULHERN** has found some of the cans of money he buried in the backyard and is taking a trip to Boston to visit his relatives. Son **MIKE MULHERN '70**, owner of Superior Wholesale Produce, with wife Cynthia are also taking a trip around the east coast and will meet Jim in Boston...Well gang, this is about it for now but be sure and drop me a note or give me a jingle and let me know what's new in your life, and what is going on out there.

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Annual Appeal that are designated for the establishment of a new and permanent "state of the art" library. Nick is CEO of Coopers & Lybrand, one of America's largest accounting firms.

Moore will match all contributions of \$500 or more. "The Trustees of Christian Brothers High School wisely voted to remain at the Oak Park location, in addition to developing a second campus. The school's highest priority now should be its library," stated Moore.

"A 1995 state-of-the-art library is much more valuable to students than the large stone building we used to visit to check out books," Moore explained.

I visualize the new library as a facility that will possess the technology to permit both on-site and remote access to all library resource materials. The library itself will be linked to other equally equipped libraries worldwide.

Our new library, estimated to cost \$250,000, will allow our students to be able to draw on the tremendous body of global knowledge available. Faculty and students can interact with their counterparts across the country and around the world.

We will also be capable of extending this service beyond the boundaries of the school to the greater Sacramento community. For example, we

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"That was during a time of serious racial strife between peoples," Judge Long somberly reflected, shaking his head slowly. "We have come a long way from there, but there is still quite a way left to go."

Thinking about that, he recounts a recent event at his home. While doing landscaping work on his beautifully manicured front lawn one weekend afternoon, a middle-aged Caucasian couple approached him. They began praising his work on the tall, sentinel-like pines that surround the perimeter of his lot and the Japanese boxwood shrubs that line his walkways.

"Then, they told me how lucky the homeowner was to find me and asked for my business card," he coughed in a loud chortle, holding his sides and rocking back and forth. Being only too familiar with uglier aspects of racism, he soberly added, "I guess its good I can laugh at things like that."

What it has everything to do with is the road he traveled to become the man he is today.



*"I've never been the best at anything, but I've always*

After graduating from Christian Brothers in '55, he went on to play baseball at Sacramento City College and then at San Jose State.

"If you asked the guys I graduated with, they would expect me to be wearing a baseball uniform instead of a black robe," he smiled — but he wasn't kidding. A scout for the Philadelphia Phillies nearly recruited him. Instead, Long opted to return to Sacramento and become a probation officer.

In that career, legal professionals encouraged him to continue on to law school. So he did — at Howard University in Washington, D.C.

"The consistent lesson I was taught from my parents, to Christian Brothers, to law school, was to use my talents to assist people," he explained proudly, having mastered that assignment. "After I passed the bar, I opened my office in a raggedy building with a leaky roof on 35th Street between Fourth and Fifth Avenues."

He soon discovered that helping people does not always have financial rewards — but that didn't bother him.

"Every hour or two, I would step out from my office to the reception area and ask my secretary — in front of my waiting clients — why the roofers were not there yet," he chuckled mischievously. "But I never really called the roofers because I didn't have any money."

Not only did Long practice from offices in Oak Park, he also lived there.

"Burglars used to break into my house as a matter of course," he ex-

pervisor Grantland Johnson, right down to the kind of shoes he likes to wear — newspapers have spilled plenty of ink.

From former Sheriff Duane Lowe to prominent defense attorney Michael Brady, renowned for his flamboyance, there are countless people of many persuasions who will testify to Judge Long's impeccable fairness and extensive knowledge of law.

"He is as firm with cops and prosecutors as he is with suspects," observed Sacramento Bee columnist Dan McGrath, who has covered many, many trials in Sacramento. "He is bound and determined to see justice done and to be fair in all cases."

With his hectic schedule, it is hard to see where Judge Long finds time to do anything more than hear cases, consider their merits and make it home in time to catch the end of the ball game. Epitomizing what it means to be a Christian Brothers' graduate, however, he makes the time to do the alumni things he feels are important — like inspiring students on Career Day and collaborating with fellow trustees at board meetings.

So what does Judge Long think of when someone mentions Oak Park?

"I love the landmarks, the people — my closest, dearest friends are in Oak Park," he declared with fondness and sentimentality resounding in every word. "I go there as often as I can because closer contact enhances my ability to help and being there reminds me of the struggle to obtain a differ-

schools in establishing the networking capability to use the new CB library.

In past years the ANNUAL APPEAL has focused on the need for financial assistance for deserving families. Thanks primarily to the generosity of the Kassis family, the Bishop of Sacramento and the Christian Brothers we currently have adequate tuition support available.

Now we are asking you to earmark your annual contribution for our new, much needed library.

Alumni, friends, parents and former parents who contribute \$500 or more will receive DOUBLE CREDIT for contributions earmarked for the new library.

Example: Your contribution of \$500, designated for the new library, will be matched with an additional \$500 from the "Matching Fund", even though your tax deductible contribution is \$500, Christian Brothers will credit you with a "gift value" of \$1,000.

By taking advantage of the Matching Fund you also qualify for membership in Christian Brothers' Ambassadors Club. Members are honored at a special recognition dinner each February.

Contributions of \$5,000 and above will be used, along with Nick Moore's gift, to match other contributions.

I am asking you to be especially generous this 1995-96 year. The new library will be of tremendous value not only to our students and faculty, but also to hundreds of our Catholic elementary school students throughout the Sacramento Diocese.

generated. "I got a watch dog, but he would just show them where my real valuables were."

Despite that, Judge Long remained in the neighborhood for years after being appointed to the bench in 1982 by Governor Jerry Brown.

Since then, his cases have suffered neither from lack of notoriety nor diversity. He's resolved civil questions regarding the wrongful termination of employees, infliction of emotional distress upon subordinates and freedom-of-speech issues involving striking Greyhound workers and protesters at women's health clinics. And there has been no shortage of criminal wrongs to occupy his calendar, either. You name it — arson, burglary, child abuse, kidnapping, murder, rape and robbery — he's heard it.

"Because my department is a general trial court, I receive every assignment imaginable," he acknowledged. "I enjoy it, though, because presiding over many different kinds of cases is stimulating — and it keeps my head in the books."

Not being a publicity-seeker, Judge Long would naturally prefer to stay in the books and out of the spotlight. (In fact, it took some lobbying from a close friend to get him to participate in this story.) But when it comes to his various activities — from pretrial hearings concerning the Good Guys hostage siege, to resolving the controversy surrounding the breakup of the Grant Joint Union High School District, to the swearing in of former County Sur-

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# Christian Brothers Teachers Search for Lessons In Past

by Carlos Alcalá, Sacramento Bee

For Terry Vendlinski, it's not a big leap from medieval scholarship to modern yard work. Vendlinski and Tom English, teaching colleagues at Christian Brothers High School, have been cloistered in a library for much of the summer, studying medieval science texts.

They are trying to draw connections between the society and science of the period between 1250 and 1350 in order to make science come alive for their students at Christian Brothers.

Vendlinski saw Dietrich von Freiberg's medieval optical theory on rainbows come alive recently.

"I was looking out the window and the neighbors were watering the lawn," he said. In the sprinklers, there was a rainbow. Vendlinski went from window to window in his house, testing where the rainbow was visible.

It's the kind of phenomenon that stimulated medieval scholars to theorize, and the kind Vendlinski may recreate for his science class to stimulate them to theorize about optics.

The scholars weren't always right, Vendlinski and English point out, but even wrong ideas can be useful for students.

definitely aren't found in a textbook," said English. "If you can make it more of a story and fill in the detail . . . the students can relate more to it."

English got the idea for the grant project while attending an East Coast seminar on Dante's "Divine Comedy."

While studying the master poem, students constantly had questions about what understanding Dante and his contemporaries had of scientific principles, but seminar leaders were unable to satisfy the questions.

As English and Vendlinski have looked into the matter, they have had some surprises.

They discovered that while Catholic Church doctrine sometimes stifled science - as in Galileo's fabled heresy regarding the Earth's rotation - it also forced thinkers to get out of old thought patterns and prompted some fruitful work.

They found that the famous people credited with major scientific principles weren't always the first to discover those principles just the ones who managed to get the attention.

And they discovered that many scientific novelties, such as Aristotle's musings on the nature of things, and the navigational tool the astrolabe,



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the 1994-95 academic year which serves to support the administrators' statements. Last April, CBS was visited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) as part of the normal accreditation process. Prior to that visit, the Chairperson of the accrediting team expressed concern with the trend toward larger class sizes. Even though the class sizes at Christian Brothers are among the lowest of comparable schools, the decision was made to obtain three additional classrooms to be ready for the Fall 1995 school year. During the accreditation visit, the Chairperson and members of the accrediting team expressed surprise and pleasure with the school's immediate response to the class size issue. This first interaction set a marvelous tone for the entire accreditation visit. It is clear that the administration's immediate response to this issue was possible because of the school's financial situation, thanks to Jeff Knezovich's competent leadership. The resources required to support the classroom project come directly from the school's reserves and in no way impacted the daily operating budgets.



lives of the entire Christian Brothers High School community: faculty, staff and students. Case after case can be cited where the healthy financial position of the school made it possible to effect change which significantly impacted the academic programs and directly benefited the quality of education delivered to our students.

A case in point involves the building which originally housed the offices of the President and the Development Department, and which was vacated when these offices moved to a wing of the Brothers' residence. The building is currently being renovated to house the music programs until a permanent "Performing Arts" facility is constructed as part of the long term major facilities plan.

Who is this person protecting the financial integrity of the school - the fellow in the dark suits and starched shirts? Jeff '76, along with his brothers Jim '74 and Mike '81, is a second generation alumnus. Jeff's father, Al '44, and his uncles are known among many Christian Brothers alumni for their outstanding baseball records as pitchers over several consecutive years at the school.

After Christian Brothers, Jeff attended CSUS, where he graduated in 1980 with a degree in business finance. He then moved to Los Angeles, where he worked in business lending with Bank of America, then with Chase Manhattan Bank. He then left Chase, where he was responsible for a credit portfolio of approximately \$100 million, to join the Entrepreneurial Services Group of Arthur Young & Company (now Ernst & Young), where he became a CPA.

In 1989, Jeff and his wife, Erin, relocated back to Sacramento to be near their families... Jeff was hired by Christian Brothers High School to guide it from a position of dependency on financial and personnel support from the parent organization (De La Salle Institute), to becoming a self-sufficient, independent organization. Because of his extensive professional experience, Jeff Knezovich provides services that are related to his position of Vice President of Finance, but in addition to the financial responsibilities of this position. These include contract negotiations for goods and services, and planning and management of facilities and information systems. Through his leadership, CBS has achieved better operating efficiencies in support services than most schools through the use of aggressive utilization of computer systems. Costs have been kept to a minimum on improvement projects because Jeff is able to function at times as designer, project manager, and general contractor.

Family and community involvement are important to Jeff. In addition to serving as Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer of Christian Brothers H. S. corporate entity, Jeff is Treasurer of the CB Alumni Association. He serves as Vice Chair of the Planning Advisory Council for the Vineyard Area, where he lives, and he is a Director and Chair of the Finance Committee of the Family Service Agency of Sacramento. He and Erin have a four year old son, Peter, and are expecting their second child in August.

Vice President Jeffrey Knezovich carries out his responsibilities quietly and without fanfare. However, both in style and substance, he is a vital member of the Christian Brothers Community. Those who really know this quiet gentleman, truly appreciate the vital role he will continue to play as we move the school forward to meet the educational challenges of the 21st Century.

the rainbow?" and let them start doing what these guys (medieval scientists) did . . . in addition to teaching them a subject, you're teaching them to think."

Vendlinski and English are spending the summer researching the science and times to put together a one-to-two week unit to enrich their courses.

They wouldn't be able to do it without a \$4,900 grant from the Council for Basic Education, which is trying to encourage teaching that blends disciplines between the sciences and humanities.

As a result of their research, "we're going to present things that

were actually old learnings taken from the Arab world.

"I didn't realize the impact the Arabic philosophers had," said Vendlinski, who expressed an idealistic wish that more people would understand how scientific growth depends on intercultural communication.

"When you understand your interdependence, it's hard to hate," he said. The dependence on other culture probably hits them hardest when they come up against one of the old tests that has yet to be translated into English.

"If we just knew Latin, some of our problems would be solved," English said. ¶

## Spirit Auction/Car Drawing Profit Tops \$100,000



Committee member Elliot Savier, Event Director Jean Labey, Winner Steve Caulkins, Steve's wife Stephanie.

Director Jean Labey proudly announced that the profit derived from the 1995 Spirit Auction/Car Drawing amounted to \$101,798, a new school record. Steve Caulkins was the lucky winner of the new Ford Thunderbird provided by Bob Creedon, owner of Senator Ford. Caulkins is owner of Ad Litho Press and a CB parent. Consolation prize winners were Ron Carrissimi, Glen Harelson, Josephine Lobue and Bill Ramos. Creedon and James Dunphy '41 were this year's major sponsors. Co-chairs of ticket sales were Chet Waterbury '59 and Steve Oren. ¶

## CHRISTIAN BROTHERS

### "CHOIR OF ANGELS" APPEAL (1994-95)

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Delgado, Gomez

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Morin, Jim

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try and religion at CB 31-32, puts the Christian Brothers winery beginnings even earlier. He points out that "The Brothers used the 12 acres of grapes in Martinez to make altar wine for neighbors and local clergy." By either account, the Christian Brothers were pruning grape vines more than a century ago.

Brother Timothy, "a prince of a man" and one of the wine industry's foremost authorities, according to **Justin Meyer**, is 84 years old and still going strong at Mont La Salle. Meyer taught math/spanish and coached basketball/baseball at CB 62-64. Brother Timothy and Christian Brothers success in the wine business are intertwined like the same vines that produce valuable reds and whites. Tim spent more than 50 years as a wine chemist, wine maker and cellar master. Ironically, his historic effort may have never happened. After all, he began at Mont La Salle in 1932 only a few seasons after Prohibition.

What's Justin Meyer doing these days? Remember, Tim was grooming him to take over a good part of the Brothers' wine making responsibilities. Justin's Silver Oaks Cellars have truly been blessed. While he was a reluctant draft choice to Mont La Salle at first ( His first love was always teaching and coaching), he has

learned his trade well. He remains connected to Christian Brothers through his children who attend Justin Sienna High School in Napa. Justin also reminds us that **Darrell Corti** '60 was always a big wine buff. While most grads in Sacramento know about Corti Bros., you may not be aware that Darrell taught Spanish at CB in 65.

If you have any dreams of being a winemaker, you need to visit **Mike Carey** '64 at Corti Bros. When he's not in Corti's wine section giving great advice and encouragement, Mike's probably at home working on the current Carey Family vintage. You can start negotiating with many of the wineries at the CB Wine Extravaganza. Mike promises that a number of your major producers will be in attendance.

In the mood to visit the wine country? Get in touch with **Brian Hoey** who is celebrating (or is that surviving) 25 years of service at CB. Congratulations, Brian! Mr. H coordinates a trip to the vineyards each spring. He says, " I enjoy drinking good wine with good food and I make it a habit of visiting the wineries." However, it's not only good wine that lures him to Napa and Sonoma, it also can make good business sense. It's no surprise that this math mogul is well informed on wine futures. " Futures can allow you to buy favorite wines inexpensively", adds Hoey.

Still **Jim Keating** '55, who will be delivered later this year on future bought on his recommendation, says "The jury is still out on Hoey expertise." Regardless, Brian we'll ya' and appreciate your hard work and success. Your future in teaching continues to increase in value. Enjoy your Silver Anniversary.

You really don't have to leave the Sacramento area for good wine. **Howard** '63 and **Gary** '64 are keeping the **Frasinetti** Family in the wine business off Florin. Grandpa Fr started in 1897 and at one time there were 6,000 acres of grapes in the Town of Florin. Also at one time Florin was the Strawberry Capital of California. Now it's just a...a...road, Florin Road.

Well, the Christian Brothers vine is certainly chock full of good fruit. Hope to see you at the Wine Extravaganza, September 8th. Please let me know any other CB Connections to the wine world or ideas you may have for other "Connecting

**Rick brings to the CONNECTION staff a real talent. If you also 'connected' with wine, let Rick know! Forward your comments and information to: Box 19119 Sacramento 95819. Editor** #

## EXTRAVAGANZA

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we get from wineries."

Christian Brothers Alumni also play a pivotal role in the Extravaganza's success with the support of Darrell Corti of Corti Brothers, Doug Silva of Silva's Sheldon Inn, and Howard Frasinetti of Frasinetti's Winery and Restaurant.

The Extravaganza is expected to attract over 1200 people this year. With the continued support of founding sponsors, American Express Financial Services and Graphics Diversified, the Alumni Association hopes to raise more than \$18,000 for the school's scholarship fund.

## PERFORMING ARTS ADDS NEW BAND DIRECTOR

Dan Range, a percussionist from Davis, will assist Bobbi Wilson as the CB Band Director at the start of the school year. Dan graduated with a BA degree in Percussion from CSUS and received his teaching credential from National University. Dan is a professional musician and music teacher. He is also the music minister at Sun Grove Community Church. ☛

## HE SELLS A DIFFERENT KIND OF REAL ESTATE

by Bee staff writer Paul Clegg

"If I hadn't become a priest, I'd be in commercial leasing," the Rev. Virgil Cordano says with a laugh and a touch of irony.

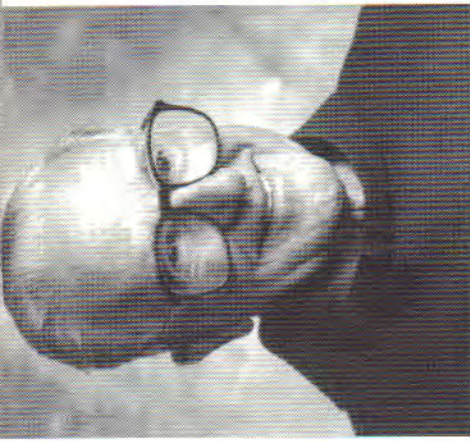
Certainly, the road of life could have led the 76-year-old Cordano into real estate, as it has for his older brother James, developer of Sunrise Mall, Florin Mall and other major Sacramento projects.

But as a poor kid growing up Catholic in Sacramento near 6th and S, one of five boys born to Italian immigrant parents, Cordano became convinced at the age of 13 that he wanted to be a priest.

"I just sensed God was asking me to be a priest," Cordano said. "It came from deep within me. My dad died when I was 10, and I felt the next life mattered, and I felt God was asking me to work for the promotion of faith."

After two years at Christian Brothers High School, Cordano left home for St. Anthony's Seminary in Santa Barbara, the first step on his journey that has led to his life-long vocation as a Franciscan priest, educator, public relations man and pastor of the historic Santa Barbara Mission, where he has spent most of his adult life.

In June, Cordano marked the 50th anniversary of his ordination, and the milestone was greeted with consider-



able publicity in Santa Barbara, where one writer called him the best-known local Franciscan since the Rev. Junipero Serra, founder of a string of missions in California.

In regard to the church he has served, Cordano would like "to see more changes than we have seen" in ordaining women priests and thinks optional celibacy for priests should be considered. On birth control, largely rejected by the Pope but practiced by many Catholics, Cordano says diplomatically: "I understand the Pope's argument, but in practice the majority of Catholics make up their own mind, and pastorally I'm very respectful of the decisions Catholic couples make."

This month in Sacramento, there will be a Mass celebrating Cordano's anniversary followed by a reception hosted by the Cordano clan. For more information on the Aug. 27 activities, call Alan Cordano at 443-4618. ☛



## Brother Bertram Society

*Planning to put Christian Brothers in your will?  
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## NEW VARSITY FOOTBALL COACH BRINGS RECORD OF SUCCESS

Gregory Meegan, Jesuit High School Athletic Director, this Summer accepted the position of Varsity Football coach of Christian Brothers High School. CB Athletic Director Danny Delgado announced that Greg was selected from among five finalists for the position.

"Our committee had a difficult time reaching a decision," stated Delgado. "We had an exceptional group of candidates. Greg impressed us with his enthusiasm and his success as a coach and teacher. He will make a fine addition to our faculty and coaching staff."

Before assuming his position at Jesuit last year, Meegan was responsible for developing a very successful football program at San Joaquin Memorial High School in Fresno. Having taken over a team that had only won five games in the previous five years, Meegan led Memorial to two Section finals, including the Central Section Championship in 1991.

Meegan began his coaching career at St. Pius X High School in Atlanta in 1980. He also served at Mercy High School in

Red Bluff and St. Patrick-St. Vincent High School in Vallejo prior to his appointment in Fresno in 1988.

Meegan received his BA (with honors) in Political Science at San Jose State University in 1972. He has done graduate studies at both Northern Arizona University and Georgia State University and has been the recipient of numerous teaching and coaching honors. Meegan will teach as well as coach at Christian Brothers.

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## Class Notes

by Vienna Cornacchioli  
Golsong '61  
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I hope all of you are enjoying a very relaxing, enjoyable and safe summer. Please take a moment to call me or drop me a line; your classmates would like to know what's going on in your life.

1948 Returning to Sacramento recently was **Joe Lutzy**, the fiery basketball-baseballer turned philosopher - theologian - linguist. Joe teaches at Dawson College in Quebec, focusing on the spiritual life through film, philosophy of education, and human sexuality. Joe reports that he still stops for a game of hunch as he bikes around the city where he speaks French like a native.

1959 **Brother Boniface Victor Lazzari**, O.S.B., for many years a Benedictine monk of Saint Martin's Abbey in Lacey, Washington, was elected president of the Olympia Symphony Board. In addition to teaching Spanish and Religious Studies at Saint Martin's College, he is artistic director of a concert and theological lecture series at the abbey and is curator of its Martin de Tours Collection of

partnership team when Don was the all-city end. The soft-spoken Bradley has gone on to be the city manager of Pinole for the umpteenth time, proof that nice guys can be politicians.

1965 Received a phone call from **Diane Parks** in Chicago. My husband, Bud, had just returned home from open heart surgery and with Diane being a nurse, we had quite a bit to talk about. She works in emergency medicine. She is married and has four children. She is very anxious to know about her 30-year class reunion. Would someone let me know what the reunion plans are so that others can be informed. You may use this column for information on all class reunions.

1974 Do you need someone to take care of your pool maintenance? If so, contact **Matt Duvanovich**, who owns Pool Chem. He and his wife, Nettie, live in Sacramento. His phone number is 537-9047.

1976 **Tom Cook** and his wife, Mary, welcomed daughter Rosemary May 11. They are living in Martinez. Congratulations.

1981 **Gregor Wakefield** is the publisher and executive editor of a new magazine, Amateur Baseball. He intends to give baseball (below the major league level) in the Greater Sacramento the attention that has been missing. We wish

# ON THE EIGHTH DAY, GOD CREATED THE LA SALLE CLUB

By Stan Gilliam '41

It must have been 1939, after Christian Brothers gridders had absorbed a 45-0 pasting at the hands of Sacramento High, that the LaSalle Club had its genesis. Backing up a bit, CBS had blanked the Mighty Dragons 7-0 in 1935 and 14-0 in 1936. The Sacs did the only sensible thing and hired Brothers coach Jim Flynn. The trail downward began.

So, after the 1939 debacle, some of the loyal Gael followers gathered and decided that the school's athletic teams needed something positive and material in the way of support. Chief among them, the legend goes, was the late Eugene Sullivan 34, still known as "Mad Dog" among his contemporaries.

The symbolic hat was passed and, having circled the group, yielded \$20.25 as the initial treasury. Call it seed money. As the years went by, the newly named LaSalle Club grew in numbers and in treasury.

Nor was it confined to alumni. Chief among the early supporters were Al Westlake, a Sac High grad; Hiney Finkelstein, a barber who conducted

High Holy Days services for Jewish prisoners at Folsom Prison when he wasn't helping CBS athletics and cutting hair; and Anton "Cy" Puliz, he of huge heart and weak memory — which is why he called everyone "Buddy" or "Sis."

With the continuing success of the LaSalle Club — and perennial treasurer Joe Kirrene Sr.'s finger on the pulse, how could it fail? — so did the athletic fortunes of Christian Brothers improve.

Then the LaSalle Club was no more, swallowed up into something called the Boosters Club. Hell, every school had a Boosters Club, but there was only one LaSalle club. Loyal members felt as if the school had turned its back on the founder of the Christian Brothers, St. John Baptist de la Salle.

But now the wonderfully loyal pack is indeed back, ready to welcome old members into the fold and take in newcomers. Graduates, parents, friends, all are welcome.

To the LaSalle Club: Long may it flourish and continue to grow! ‡

1960 **Pauline Gonzales Umeda** and her husband of thirty-one years had all four of their children in college last year. Pauline is a Workers' Compensation/Legal Investigator, one of only eight in state government. Her husband Danny is a systems analyst.

1962 **Charles Foulk** wrote me a very interesting letter from Vietnam. He originally spent thirty-one months there as a river boat skipper. He was asked to come back to teach elementary English. Charlie shared his feelings about the real meaning of poverty and how fortunate we Americans are. He is finding his work rewarding as the children are so eager to learn English, and their behavior is excellent.

1962 Returning to Sacramento July 9 to celebrate John Zupan's life was **Donald Bradley**. John was the all-city quarterback on the cham-

564-0147.

1982 My zip code was incorrectly listed in the last issue of the Connection. It was brought to my attention by **Oscar Fuentes**. He works as a clerk for the post office.

1987 If you plan on traveling to London, look up **Eric Van Staveren** at Slade University. He is working on a two-year master's program in fine arts.

1990 **Long Thanh Nguyen** graduated from St. Mary's College with three top awards. His brother, David, is a sophomore at Brothers.

1992 **Ulysses Navarrete** is student body president of the College of Notre Dame in Belmont. He will be graduating next December.

1992 **Christopher Ellingson** was named to the dean's list at Gonzaga University. He is a senior with a special education major. ☘

**Thursday, September 19.**  
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## LA SALLE CLUB ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEE SET AT \$20.25

President Don Gillott presided over the reactivation meeting of the new LaSalle Club on July 24. A large turnout of Christian Brothers athletic fans attended, including: Mike Carroll, Ron Carissimi, Ray Clemons, Bill Conlin, Jim Keating, Jeff Knezovich, Jean Lahey, Ron Limeberger, Bob Massa, Claire Matthews, Jim Mikacich, Bill Morebeck, Ben Mudd, John Stremple, Chado Vasquez, Chet Waterbury, Jim Westlake, Jack Witry, and new football coach Greg Meegan.

Dr. Gillott explained that the Club will not supplant the Boosters, but add another dimension to the support structure of the athletic program at CBS. Clemons, Conlin, Morebeck and Stremple recalled the early days of the LaSalle Club and what it meant to both the members and the school.

Ray Clemons suggested that the annual dues be established at \$20.25, the amount of money collected one evening by the founders of the Club in 1939. The vote was unanimous and

many in attendance reached for a twenty dollar bill and a quarter.

The first event of the new LaSalle Club will be one of the old favorites, Old Timers Night, to be held Tuesday, September 19, in the school cafeteria. Dinner will feature, as before, hot dogs and beans. The event will begin at 7:00 PM. All of the coaches of the boys and girls teams have been invited as guests of the Club. The coaches are the linchpin to the success of the LaSalle Club, stated Gillott. The event is free for all members.

A membership application is part of the insert to this edition of the CONNECTION. All readers of this publication, men and women, alumni

and friends, old and young, Gaels and Falcons, are welcome and encouraged to join, and join in the activities of the new LaSalle Club.

This Club will again be a powerful force in generating community support for the athletic programs at CBS, concluded Gillott.



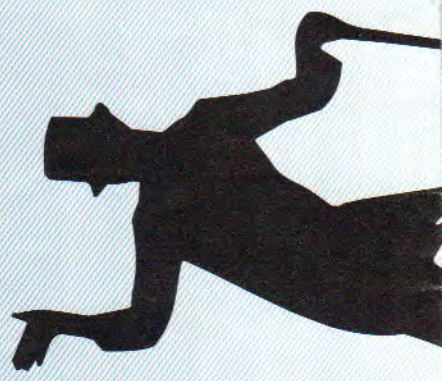
**LaSalle Club**

## Mike Franzoia '72 elected Mayor of Elko

The Elko City Council took on a new look in July when Mike Franzoia '72 was sworn in as the Mayor for a four-year term. He is the son of Al '39 and Denise (Desmond) Franzoia, longtime supporters of Christian Brothers High School. Mike owns Great Basin Bank of Nevada and two Arbys restaurants. His wife, Anita, owns the Elko General Merchandise store. Mike and Anita are avid golfers and have four children ranging in age from 2 to 10. ☘

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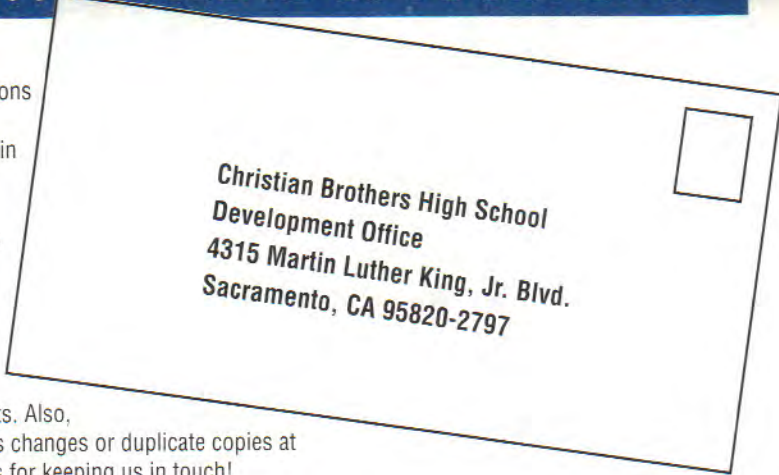
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Bobbi Wilson, who heads up the Christian Brothers performing arts program, and junior Carina Rasmussen have been selected to perform in the 1995 production of Best of Broadway. This musical revue, a great Sacramento tradition, opens its 23rd season in September and is produced by David L. MacDonald.

The insert in this issue of the Connection provides additional information on this production and contains a coupon for your use. Our performing arts department will receive a portion of the proceeds from each ticket purchased if you use the coupon. Additional coupons are available by contacting the Development Department at 733-3600.

The Connection welcomes contributions to the alumni notes section. Please 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, inform us of address changes or duplicate copies at one address. Thanks for keeping us in touch!



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- Friday, September 8 Alumni Wine Tasting Extravaganza (7:00 PM)  
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- Friday, September 15 Football vs Florin at CRC
- Tuesday, September 19 LaSalle "Old Timers Night" Dinner (7:00 PM)
- Friday, September 22 Football at Stagg, Stockton
- Friday, September 29 Football vs Burbank at ARC
- Friday, October 6 Football vs Sacramento High
- Thursday, October 12 Brother Bertram Society Dinner
- Friday, October 13 Football vs McClatchy at ARC
- Saturday, October 21 Football at Johnson
- Friday, October 27 Football vs Kennedy at ARC
- Monday October 30 LaSalle "Holy Bowl" Rally & Dinner (6:00 PM)
- Friday, November 3 Holy Bowl at Hughes Stadium
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