

St Joseph's School Reunion Committee
1959-1967
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Dear St Joseph's School Classmates,

This year is the 50th anniversary of our 8th grade graduation from St Joseph's School in Roseburg, and we are planning a reunion that includes **ANYONE** who went to school in our grade anytime between grades 1 and 8, 1959-1967, no matter when you started or left our class, even if you attended only for a few months or years.

We are also planning a weekend of reunion events for **VARIOUS GROUPS**. The Saturday reunion will be just for our class. Upper and Under Classmates are also invited to a mixer on Friday evening and an after-Mass reception on Sunday is open to anyone.

On the following pages you will find the details of these reunion events, including registration, Facebook, schedule, names we need contact information for, and how to help get the word out. 1959-1967 classmates be sure and join our Facebook page. It is a HOOT!!!

We have been having a lot of fun rekindling old memories, and we look forward to your participation and recollections. Remember the Chieftans? Our school colors were GREEN and WHITE. With apologies to the girls who could not participate in competitive sports at that time.

Sincerely,

The Online Reunion Committee: Roberta Adamski Cotton, Jan Kerrick Mckee, and Beth Nevue (SJS '68) for upper- and underclasses

In Roseburg: David Sauter, Theresa Kelly Godard, Penny McCool Perkins, Pat Christian Lee, Rick Sohn

St. Joseph 1959-1967 Reunion Schedule

Friday, September 22, 2017.

No-Host Meet and Greet:

6:00 pm at Splitz Family Grill, at Ten Down Bowling, 2400 NE Diamond Lake Blvd in Roseburg. Splitz Grill is in the hands of the family of Sharla Hein Smith, an early-years SJS classmate.

Invitees: Our class, as well as all upper- and under-classmates who wish to attend, spouses, and significant others.

Cost and Service: This is a no-charge, no-host event. Guests pay individually. Alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks available.

Dress: Casual

RSVP requested, not required. The courtesy of an RSVP for a headcount is appreciated, but not required. Feel free to drop in.

RSVP for Upper and Underclasses. Please RSVP to Beth Nevue, bnevue@msn.com or 503-569-7291 for cell or text messages. Please let Beth know what year you graduated from 8th grade.

Saturday, September 23, 2017.

Class Reunion and Tour:

4:45 pm-5:00 pm. Registration and photo nametags

5:00 pm. Memories Tour of St Joseph's Classrooms

6:30 pm. Catered Dinner in the SJS Gym, by Creative Catering, Scott and Carla Rutter.

Invitees: Limited to Classmates of 1959 First grade through 1967 Eighth grade, regardless of when you came or left our class, plus spouses and significant others.

(Upper- and Underclassmates in town, not in our grade, are kindly asked to do their own thing.)

Cost and Service: \$30.00 per person. Local Wines and Beers will be served, no-host.

Dress: Dressy Casual.

RSVP required for this event only, for class of 1959-1967, 1st-8th grades:

By Mail: Please RSVP the form below with payment no later than Sept 13, or

Online until September 19 and pay at the door.

Sunday, September 24, 2017

Catholic Mass and Reception:

9-10:30 am Mass at St Joseph's.

10:30-1:00 pm Reception in the SJS Gym. (The classrooms are in use)

Invitees: This Classmates and Church Member reception is open to anyone interested.

(Attendance at Church is not required for admission!)

Cost and Service options: Donation at the door. In lieu of a donation, you can bring your own favorite finger food dish to share (eg, nonperishable sweet, or fruit, or veggie). Non-alcoholic beverages, coffee, and limited snack foods will also be provided. All remaining donations will go to the St Joseph Youth Group.

Dress: Dressy Casual (Mass attire).

RSVP for upper and underclassmates: Desired, **not** required, to Beth Nevue, 503-569-7291 for cell or text messages, or bnevue@msn.com.

Mementos and Helping with the Reunion

Mementos. At the Saturday evening reunion, there will be a table for displaying mementos. Please bring some photos, jerseys, trophies, athletic letters, report cards, (or any paddle ball paddles or old rulers, that you happen to have around – just kidding). We will have a table for display items; please take them home at the end of the evening.

Youth Group. The St. Joseph High School Youth Group, which has about 20 members, will assist us with setup, serving, cleanup, etc, in exchange for a donation to the Youth Group. All funds remaining after the reunion will also be donated to the St Joseph Youth Group.

Further Assistance. If you wish to be of further assistance to the reunion planners, please contact Roberta Cotton, for information about the Facebook Page section (below). Locals who wish to provide further assistance, or help with decorations for Saturday, please contact Penny McCool Perkins (see Penny's contact information in RSVP section below).

Facebook Page and or other Contact Information

Please send your contact information to Roberta Adamski Cotton (robertacotton@gmail.com or cell phone 701-341-0954).

You may also join our closed Facebook group if you were ever in our grade. To join, you must **contact Roberta** to have your name added to the group.

To find the page, go to Facebook and search **"St Joseph School 50th Reunion 1967 Class, Roseburg, Oregon."**

Facebook page members can go to Events and click on the reunion. You can also see who is attending (which we will keep updated).

Webpage

This information and a form for RSVP can be found online and downloaded or printed from the St. Joseph Catholic Church website, <https://sjfx-church.org/>. Please click on "50th Anniversary" under "Announcements" on the home page. Please feel free to share this link with others who attended, or know of people who attended St. Joseph School.

Missing Contacts Information

Your help in spreading the word or contacting us with information about this spread out group of SJS classmates-- in any way you can – email, phone, letter or Facebook – is greatly appreciated. **Please join our facebook page. Or, send information to Roberta Adamski Cotton (robertacotton@gmail.com).** The good news is we already have contact information for over half of our classmates. Can you help with these?

Tana Beck, Jeannie Bellendorf, Robert Buell, Raymond Brinkman, Dennis Chartier (not related to the Jerry Chartier, retired real estate, in Roseburg), Cynthia Courtney, Terry Crawford, Phillip Fake (likely Portland), Janet Fuchs, Kathy Gangle, Steve Hamerski (Alaska?), Anne Hasbrook, Paul Hasbrook, Miriam Hirzel (has a FB page but can't find an address), Kim Jurgensen, Lance Lange (Roseburg?), John Lund, Richard Lund, Jerry Martin (Spokane?), Mary Ellen McDowell, Patrick McMullin, Royal Murphy, Anne Reader, Ann Roles, Larry Schuetz, Cathy Schultz (she graduated with Jeff G at Marist), Patty Stec, Brad Stein, Mark Thomas, Joe Wilkinson, Carl Cherry, and Brad Watson.

Registration

RSVP for Saturday September 23 reunion, those in our class, 1959-1967.

By Mail (preferred). Please send the registration form below **by September 13**, and your check to: **Penny McCool Perkins, 1563 NE Hollis, Roseburg, OR 97471**

_____ I (we) plan to attend the Class of 1959-67, 1st-8th grade reunion, Sept 23, St Joseph's School gym, 5:00 pm. Cost: \$30.00 per person. Please enclose a check payable to "St Joseph School Class of 1959-1967."

_____ I cannot attend, but enclose a donation to the St Joseph Youth Group, payable to "St Joseph School Class of 1959-1967".

_____ I (we) will also attend on Friday.

_____ I (we) will also attend on Sunday, and _____ bring donation _____ bring nonperishable sweet, fruit or veggie.

Class of 1959-1967 Please complete and send this mail-in form by **September 13**.

Name (s) _____

Classmate Email _____ Cell _____

Physical Address _____

Other names and contact information for classmates we have not found yet:

For those in our class: you may also pay at the door if you call or email **by September 19**. Please contact Penny McCool Perkins at lilangels2467@yahoo.com, or call 541-677-7386. We can collect registration fees at the door as needed, but appreciate advance registration.

RSVP desired, for upper and underclasses, Sept 22 and 24 events, or just drop in.

Online: Upper and Under classmates can pre-register by emailing **Beth Nevue**, bnevue@msn.com

By Phone or email: Upper and Under classmates can **call or text Beth Nevue at 503-569-7291**.

Please let Beth know if you will

- a) attend the Mixer at Splitz Family Grill, Sept 22, 6:00 pm. There is no fee to attend; this mixer is no-host, with food also available.
- b) attend the After-Church Reception Sept 24, St Joseph School gym, 10:30 am.
Will you donate at the door or your own favorite finger food dish to share (eg, non-perishable sweet, fruit, or veggie)?

Regrets: _____ I cannot attend, but enclose a donation to the St. Joseph Youth Group. Make checks out to "St Joseph School Class of 1959-1967." Mail to Penny McCool Perkins, address near top of page.