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Happy Birthday to all the January Darts!
It is your special day, live it to the fullest.



**Capricorn---Ambitious, Responsible,
Patient, Resourceful, Loyal**



**Aquarius---Humanitarian, Original,
Witty, Clever, Inventive**



Events/Activities during January 2019---

1st, Tuesday - New Year's Day

7th, Monday - I'm Not Going To Take It Anymore Day

9th, Wednesday - Law Enforcement Appreciation Day

21st, Monday - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

28th, Monday - Rubber Duckie Day

31st, Thursday - Appreciate Social Security Check Day

Lose Weight/Feel Great Week, January 6 - 12

Celebration of Life Month

May 2019 be a wonderful year of good Health,
happiness and Everlasting Joy!



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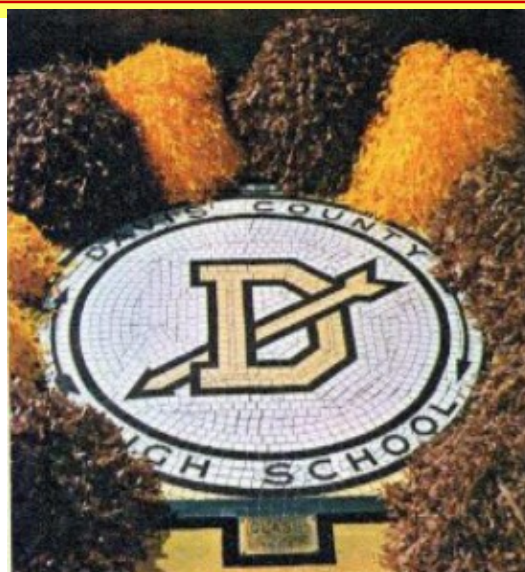
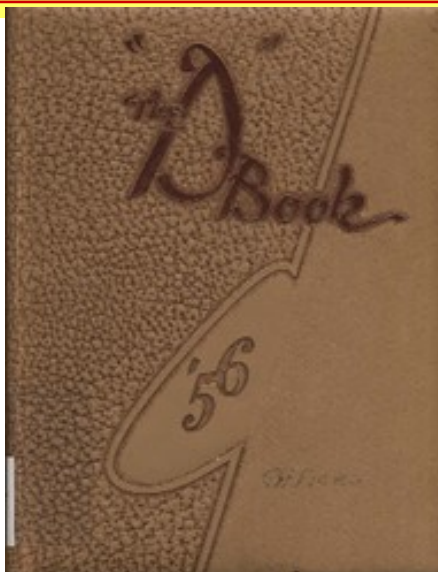
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Fellow Classmates,

2018 is gone, 2019 has started and away we go. I love starting a new year. It's a great time to let go of what didn't work last year and set new, positive goals for the new year. Before I leave 2018 though, I would like to share with you the wonderful Holiday Season we had with family, relatives and friends. We were blessed to have the entire family, except one granddaughter, home over the holidays. We had a total of thirty in our home, camp trailer, Winnebago and RV. It was total chaos and just great. I hope to have all the washing done and the house back together this week. I hope you all enjoyed the Holiday Season and are ready for the new year. Please make sure your plans include our Class of 1956 Luncheon, Friday, September 13, 2019 at Courtyard Marriott in Layton. I'm happy to report that I don't have to report any Classmate obituaries, however it is with regrets and sorrow I have to announce the death of two Classmate spouses-----

---Dale H. Viehweg, husband of Classmate Patricia (Pat) McIlrath

---Helen ** Newcomb, wife of Classmate Richard (Dick) Newcomb



Dale H. Viehweg-----Dale passed away Friday, September 14, 2018 at his home. He was born on August 8, 1933 in Logan, UT to Carl and Wilma Viehweg. Dale grew up on a farm in Clifton, ID and attended Westside High School. He also went to the LDS Business College in SLC, UT. Dale married Patricia Mae McIlrath on January 14, 1961, in Bountiful, UT. Their marriage was later solemnized in the Idaho Falls Temple on January 31, 1974.

Dale was a salesman for Western Equipment Co. in SLC, UT, worked in the Phosphate Industry in Soda Springs, ID, top furnace and maintenance at Monsanto, was a maintenance and panelboard operator at Beker Ind.

Dale was involved in Scouting, the John Birch Society, and Kiwanis Club and campaigned on a number of local and state Republican candidates. He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Dale was an outdoorsman and enjoyed hunting. He also enjoyed Politics, history and Scouting. He served in the US Navy as a radio operator from 1952 to 1956. He served a mission for the LDS Church in the Central States Mission from 1957 to 1959.

Dale is survived by his spouse, Patricia Mae McIlrath Viehweg, Pocatello, ID; sons, Allen Dale (Connie) Viehweg, Inkom, ID, Michael Carl (Anjanette) Viehweg, Middleton, ID, Mark William (Jeanette) Viehweg, Irving, TX, daughters, Kaylin (John) White, Pocatello, ID, Lisa (Mitch) Myers, Oak View, CA; sister, Gloria Smith, Soda Springs, ID; 16 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Carl and Wilma Viehweg; sister, Carolyn Gee; and brother, Richard Viehweg.

Services were held on Friday, September 21, 2018 at the LDS Chapel, 5425 South Bannock Hwy. Pocatello, ID. Burial at the Clifton Cemetery.



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Sylvia's Report (Cont.)

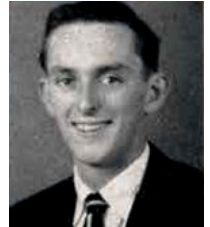


Helen Anne Pasternak Newcomb---Helen, age 84, passed away on Sunday, December 9, 2018 in San Antonio, TX. She was born on September 4, 1934 in Westport, CT to Andrew John & Mary Ethel (Evans) Pasternak. A devout wife of 51 years, exceptionally loving mother & grandmother, dedicated teacher, loyal, caring, and compassionate friend. Artistic, creative, and free spirited with a unique sense of style, class, and charm.

Always the life of the party, quick with a compliment and a well-timed joke.

Helen is survived by her husband, Richard R. Newcomb; sons, Richard R. Newcomb, Jr. and William A. Newcomb; and grandchildren, Richard R. Newcomb, III and Rachel Elizabeth Hazel Newcomb.

A Rosary and Mass conducted on Friday, December 14, 2018 at St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church, San Antonio, TX, Msgr. Kevin Ryan officiating. Interment will be at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery at a later date.



Our Love and special blessing goes out to Pat and her family and Dick and his family. May you be blessed with good health and strength during these troubled times.

Now on to some positive news, in our last newsletter we were honored to show another one of Classmate Garry Glissmeyer's artistic masterpieces, "Under Seige." Another one of our Classmates, **Paul Gapinski** was really impressed by the picture from Garry Glissmeyer

(his old friend). Paul forwarded the following poem, that it might go along with that theme of patriotism.



OUR LADY LIBERTY

She stands in New York Harbor
One arm raised to meet the sky
In her hand a lighted beacon
Shines to all those passing by

Who is this stalwart Lady
This icon of the free
To those who long for what she means
She is.....Lady Liberty

One thousand times ten thousand
Refugees from distant lands
Through cheers and tears and reverent awe
Pass the island where she stands

Promise of a bright tomorrow
Symbol of a people free
Hope for a better future
She is.....Lady Liberty

May her beacon shine forever
A light for all to see
God bless the creed she stands for

Our.....Lady Liberty

-Paul Gapinski

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Welcome to 2019, are you still procrastinating on priorities for 2019??? Let me help you----

- * #1 on your list should be, take care of number 1. Stay healthy, physically and mentally
- * #2 should be to assist all of your family members and friends in staying healthy
- * #3 is to live a positive life and enjoy every day to the fullest
- * #4 is to send in your Classmate articles/pictures for publishing in our Newsletter
- * #5 is to mark your 2019 calendar for our 63rd Class Reunion (Annual Buffet Luncheon)----

post a reminder somewhere that you will see it every day. We will meet on Friday, September 13, 2019 at the Courtyard Marriott in Layton, UT.

Assemble at 11:00AM for registration, meet and greet---12:30PM - 3:00PM eat lunch, visit and collect hugs until 4:00PM. Please come prepared to take the Microphone (open MIC time) and share some memories with your Classmates.

I want to thank you all again for honoring me with the **"Keeping The Flame Alive"** award I received at our Class Luncheon last September. I look at it many times every day and think about my DHS Class of 1956 Classmates---you are wonderful.

Each year when I come to Utah for our class luncheon I spend a couple of days visiting relatives in Davis County and Salt Lake City. Then I head south to Millard County for a couple more days visiting living relatives and passed on relatives at Meadow Cemetery. On my Mother's side I have one aunt left that lives in Salt Lake that I spend time with. On my Father's side I have an Uncle left that lives in Millard County that I spend time with (also have an aunt that lives in Sparks, NV that I try to see as often as possible). When these three are gone, that wipes out a generation---I love to spend time with them and tell stories. On the way south on I-15 last year was interesting with the bad fires Utah had in Utah County. I actually headed south a day early in case they shut down I-15 because of dense smoke, below is a picture I took in the Payson area. Also below is picture of one of the original homes built in my hometown, Meadow. When I got home I showed this picture to my wife and told her I found a home she could remodel for us---she didn't appreciate my recommendation. This home was called the George Q. Cabin, after George Q. Stott. He



was the Grandfather of our Classmate Robert Stott (Robert remembers playing in the cabin). I know of at least four of our Classmates that had Millard County roots, me and Robert Stott, Joan Bushnell and Barney Colley---see you all in September.

HAPPY NEW YEAR



HELPING HANDS

Please notify us about a fellow alumni or family member who is seriously ill, in a hospital, or care facility. We need your help so we can extend our love for them. Notify Sylvia at **sylvia.jutila@gmail.com** or Larry at **dhsdart1956@gmail.com**.

In **school** you're taught a lesson and then given a test,
 In **life** you're given a test that teaches you a lesson.

Sylvia's Report (Cont.)

While we were enjoying our Class Luncheon last September, our Classmate



Ruth Forsberg Tingey reports that my daughters and I were on our way to Sweden. While I am in good health we decided to go last summer. We rented a car in the Stockholm airport and headed to the area where my ancestors came from. I was able to cross off one item on my bucket list.

After visiting Sweden we joined a tour and went through Norway. Waterfalls and Fjords are amazing, when we got to Oslo we cruised from Oslo to Copenhagen. There were people from all over the world on our tour. We quickly bonded with everyone. My daughter obtained all of their addresses and still keeps in touch with most of them.

We have some great pictures but that is not one of my areas of expertise. Every tour member went out of their way to take great care of me. They were amazed that an 80 year old woman could keep up with them...they helped me off and back on the bus every time we stopped. I was the oldest one on the tour. At this age we should enjoy being pampered.

"THE AGING PROCESS TEACHES YOU TO LAUGH AT YOURSELF"

Thank you Ruth for sending me this article on your wonderful vacation. Now, I need you to get your Daughters to help you send us some of those great pictures.

I love it---Another one of our Beloved Classmates sent me an article and pictures on their 2018 trip to New Zealand.



Jerry & Karen Johnson---Sylvia and Larry. First thank you for all you do for our class. You are wonderful. We did a New Zealander trip that I would like to share with you. Hello to all my classmates who read this. Our time at Dear old Davis High School was truly happy days for me. You classmates are very special friends that will last forever.

Karen and I had a wonderful experience this past December 2018. We Really went South for the Winter. When we were working for the LDS Church Schools of the Pacific in American Samoa, 1966-68, we wanted to get down to the Maoris in New Zealand—didn't make it so it has always been a dream on the bucket list. Last December we were able to cross it off—been there—done that—it was wonderful and fun. We fed Kangaroos, saw the "Kookaburra (bird) sitting in the old gum tree," cuddled koala bears, ran



from the Tazmanian Devils, and went to Bilbo Baggin's Hobbit town. And gave our letter to Santa Clause personally—He was wintering down South also. He was a real jolly, happy fellow! The Lord's best to you, dear classmates.



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Sylvia's Report (Cont.)

Okay Classmates, I'm sure some more of you took a trip or vacation during 2018. Please send me an article and pictures on any fun or important activity or event in your life.

Life is divided into three terms---that which was, which is, and which will be. Let us learn from the past to profit by the present, and from the present to live better for the future. --Wordsworth

I can see again!!!

It has been a very good year for us. My macular degeneration has been stopped. I have vision in my right eye and with cataract surgery, now I can read books, play the piano and love life. George just had cataract surgery in one eye and will have the other one done soon. His doctor said the cataract was very thick and stubborn, I told him that was his Finnish heritage, (just kidding, I love those Finns!). We are very busy and grateful for our many blessings.

In our last newsletter, I give you a reading and spelling test (wish I had it available back in our DHS days, I would loved to debate it with Mrs. Barton and Mrs. Streeper?). For this newsletter, I have a vision test for you, want to make sure you are taking care of your eyes. The test is below, there is no time limit on it. Take your time looking at the picture then drop me an email and let me know what you see?



Take care of yourself and make 2019 a very happy and healthy year---enjoy to fullest.

I hope to see all of you at our 2019 Class Luncheon on Friday, September 13, 2019 at the Courtyard Marriott in Layton. The luncheon starts at 11:00AM and ends at 4:00PM. Please mark the date on your calendars now and put a reminder on your refrigerator door. Don't forget to send me those articles and pictures about the exciting life you are living.

2018 Luncheon Photos



Brains of older people are slow because they know so much... People do not decline mentally with age, it just takes them longer to recall facts because they have more information in their brains. Older people often go to another room to get something and when they get there, they stand there wondering what they came for. It is NOT a memory problem, it is nature's way of making older people do more exercise.

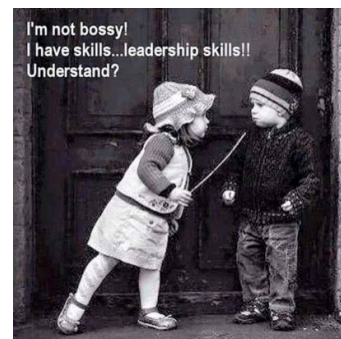
Alumni/Association Info



WE WANT YOU!



**Annual Buffet Luncheon
Layton, Utah
September 13, 2019**



I'm not bossy!
I have skills...leadership skills!!
Understand?

Classmates, go to your 2019 calendar right now and mark this important date, now make a reminder and post it on your refrigerator door. Now start planning and preparing for this important function.

Have you joined the Alumni Association? See Membership Registration Form below—fill it out and mail today*****

DAVIS HIGH ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

Name _____

Graduating Class _____ (Women, please include maiden name)

Spouse's name _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code _____

Phone#: _____ E-Mail Address _____

Interests/Talents _____

I am willing to participate on a committee: Yes _____ No _____

To register, complete this form and mail to:

"Home of the Darts"

Davis High Alumni Association

325 South Main

Kaysville, UT 84037



*"It's the little things in life that bother us.
You can sit on a mountain but not a tack"*

“Class Tidbits”

*****IMPORTANT NOTICE/INFORMATION*****

Our Class of 1956 Dart Newsletter is now available on the Davis High School Website. This will allow those classmates without an e-mail address and all other Davis High graduates access to the newsletter. To get to the newsletter follow these instructions: Davis High School Website----- <http://www.davis.k12.ut.us>

On the home page, click on “Organizations”---then click on “Alumni Davis High”---scroll down this page until you see Class of 1956---click on “Class of 1956”---then click on the monthly newsletter you want to see/read. **Please help us get this information out.**

***“You don’t stop laughing because you age.
You age because you stop laughing”***

TAPS

MEMORIAM



DHS 1956 Alumni

Died

Alumni Family Members

Died

Dale Viehweg

09/14/2018

Helen Newcomb

12/09/2018

Our heartfelt sympathy to the family of those who have passed to their eternal rest.

May all those who grieve be comforted.

Note: As of December 31, 2018 our unofficial departed Dart count is 198.

We miss them all.

Fellow Alumni---

It is an honor and privilege to put together this Class of 1956 “Davis Dart” newsletter. It is your newsletter, please provide me feedback and most important provide me alumni news, articles, photos, etc. Update all of your classmates on your life after Dear Old Davis High School. Don’t be bashful, be proud of what you have accomplished and share all these wonderful moments with your classmates.

Please send your text input to both Sylvia and Larry.

Send your photos and art work directly to Larry.

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Thanks,
Larry Edwards

