

M. A. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
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Dear Alumnus,

Spring 2008

The Mattanawcook Academy Cafetorium seated 173 members and guests for the 19th Annual Reunion Dinner. Northern Penobscot Tech Region 3 culinary arts program instructor Chef Herman Ammerman catered the Chef's Table buffet to rave reviews. For those of you who have not attended our annual dinner, please come to enjoy delicious food and friendship.

Honored classes this year will be the Class of 1958 – 50th year, Class of 1983 – 25th year, and the Class of 1998 – 10th year. Other milestone classes are recognized during the business meeting. *Hail Alma Mater!* Welcome Mattanawcook Academy Alumni!

Notes from the 2007 M. A. Alumni Dinner

- ❑ Laura Towle Stacy from the Class of 1932 was honored as the eldest lady in attendance. Ted Landry and Lawrence Warren, Class of 1937, were the eldest gentlemen attending.
- ❑ Former and present teachers were introduced. Remember Coach Bill Fletcher? He and his wife Arlene were present as the guests of the Class of 1957. They'll also be present this year as guests of the Class of 1963.
- ❑ Honored classes were 1997 with no members present, 1982 had five members, and 1957 had 28 members. Arthur Fraser ('57) introduced the class members, their spouses and guests.
- ❑ On behalf of the Class of 1957, Arthur Fraser presented President Linda Gerry with a check for \$2000.00 for the M.A. Alumni Scholarship Fund and the General Fund.
- ❑ A moment of silence was held for all alumni who had died between July of 2006 and July of 2007.
- ❑ The M.A. Alumni Scholarship recipient was Jeannine Campbell, a 2006 graduate of Mattanawcook Academy, who is attending the University of Maine and majoring in communication science and disorders.
- ❑ Receiving the Gary Gordon ('78) Scholarship was 2007 M.A. graduate Hailey Tash, who will attend the University of Maine to major in journalism.
- ❑ The officers for 2008 are President, Anita Lewis Gemme ('53); Vice-President, Linda Bowers Gerry ('65); Recording Secretary, Jackie Dennison Thurlow ('63); and Treasurer, Judy Carlow Wilson ('57).
- ❑ Class of 1957's raffle winners were Karen Carr ('81), the afghan, and Leah Powers Toby ('84), the quilt.
- ❑ Thank you with our appreciation to Bette Littlefield Tibbetts ('61), who won the 50/50 raffle and returned the \$294.00 to the General Fund.
- ❑ Web McCormick ('70) is designing a web site for the alumni association, which is accessible at www.sad67.k12.me.us by clicking on the word *alumni*.
- ❑ To close the evening, members sang the old school fight song and *Hail Alma Mater*.