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Letter from Chuck Sherman

Dear Classmates of 1966,

Our Class has been active by many measures, but to continue we will need to raise dues. The Class of '66 Executive Committee voted to increase our annual dues from \$50 to \$66 (in line with other Classes), and voluntary Class Project donations would bring that to \$100, an amount many of you have already been paying.

The small dues increase is necessitated by a few factors:

- *Alumni Magazine costs rose 15%
- *Our philanthropic class projects (Dickey Interns, Memorial Books, etc.) have growing costs that have had to be increasingly supplemented by our class treasury
- *We want to reach our goal of endowing one Class of 1966 Scholarship before our 50-year reunion
- *As we have aged, the total number of available dues payers has declined, and will continue to do so

The dues invoice you have received from Class Treasurer Jim Weiskopf explains more.

I've enjoyed my five years as your class president. The time is at hand to choose new members to the team to have this fun. It has been rewarding to help make arrangements for events that bring old friends together and to see new friendships form among a special group of people with

I've worked with an attentive and responsible Executive Committee. We should all be grateful for top-notch communications, reunions and financial tracking.

Jon Colby's Nominating Committee is preparing a slate for the election that will conclude at the Class Meeting during our Reunion in October. It will be posted on the Class Website on September 16. I hope you will be there to vote or will use our on-line electronic ballot, e-mail, or snail-mail to do so if you cannot attend in person, to elect a President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. Other officers and executive committee members (e.g., Webmaster, Newsletter Editor) will be appointed by the new President.

I hope you share pride in your Class -- OUR Class. We are known to grateful students and others who see our Class of 1966 Scoreboard and use the Class of '66 Lodge and the Class Webcam on the Hanover Inn. We have been thanked by 29 (so far) John Sloan Dickey International Interns for enabling some life-changing experiences. We are known to Alumni Relations Office as a Class who does things OUR way. I think we are successful.

I hope to see you at our reunion this year, at a 70th Birthday celebration (yes, 70!), and at our 50-Year reunion when we march in the Commencement procession with the graduating seniors of 2016. As more of you retire and reflect, I expect more of you will return.

--Chuck



Summary of Activities for the Weekend

Thursday, October 13: Optional hike, dinner and overnight at **Moosilauke** Ravine Lodge. Hike starts at 10:30 and dinner is at 5:30. Note: **BYOB!**

Friday, October 14: Official start of reunion. **Registration:** 9:00 a.m.- 6:00 p.m. at Zimmerman Lounge in Blunt Alumni Center (the old Crosby Hall). Docent-led tour of the Hood Museum's Native American exhibit starts at 2:45. Friday being "group night," there are **three options for dinner: fraternity and affinity group gatherings** (see below for status); **Collis Hall** (the old College Hall) at 6:30 for pizza, salads, desert and complementary wine/beer; or **dinner at the Lyme home of Bill Malcolm and his wife Peggy Plunkett**. Bill and Peggy have graciously extended an invitation to the first 18 people who contact them and "reserve" a place at their table; once registered for reunion, you can reach Bill at wfmalcolm@gmail.com.

Saturday, October 15: **Registration** continues from 9:00 a.m. until noon. From 9:30 - 11:30, classmate Howie Weiner presents and leads discussion on his film, "**What Is Life About?**" in Filene Auditorium, Moore Hall. Lunch on your own. From 1:15 - 2:15, also in Filene, a member of the current **Office of the Dean and "our" Dean Thad Seymour** join students in a discussion on the challenges of student life then and now. From 2:30 - 4:30, choose among a campus architectural tour, a curator-led tour of the Hovey Murals (tentative), or a tour of the **Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center**. At 6:30, gather at Dowd's Country Inn in Lyme for our official reunion dinner (**jacket and tie requested**) with Dean Seymour as speaker and an **auction** to benefit the Class of 1966 Scholarship Fund (see below).

EVENTS

Last Call for Our 45th Reunion: Registration Closes Sept. 23!

We are extending the sign-up deadline for our 45th reunion to **Friday, September 23**, so if you have not yet done so please get your registration material in the mail by that date -- the registration form is on page 12 of this newsletter. And also take a look at the list of registered attendees on page 4: ninety-five of your classmates will be coming back to Hanover to visit with special guest Dean Thad Seymour, take part in interesting tours and discussion groups, enjoy brilliant foliage, and catch up with what others have been doing since we paraded down Baker's lawn and into the real world.

Coming Events

45th Reunion	Hanover, NH	October 13-17, 2011
Homecoming Parade & Dinner	Hanover & Norwich	October 21-22, 2011
Fourth Annual 66th Night	Various	March 6, 2012

Sunday, October 16: **Memorial service** from 9:30-10:30 in Rollins Chapel (Revs. Brad Laycock and Budge Gere presiding), followed by a **group picture and class meeting** (105 Dartmouth). At noon, drive and walk to the **Class of 1966 Lodge** for a box lunch and talk by Dan Nelson of the Outdoor Programs Office. **Cocktail party and dinner** at 6:30 at the Skiway in Lyme, with music by the 'Aires and the Strafford Blues Band. **Special guest: Martha Beattie, the new VP of Alumni Relations.**

Monday, October 17: **Brunch** from 9:30 - 11:30 at Dowd's Inn in Lyme.



As you can see, there is are a lot of great activities planned plus many opportunities to spend time with classmates whom you may not have seen for decades. So count yourself among those who will be present and come to Hanover for what promises to be a memorable 45th!

Update: Fraternity and Affinity Group Gatherings for Friday, 10/14

A number of classmates have stepped forward to organize get togethers for Friday night. If you see your house or group listed below and have not been contacted by your organizer, please get in touch with him to see what's going on. And if your house or group is missing from the list and you want to arrange a dinner, let Jim Lustenader (jimlustenader@aol.com) or Roger Brett (roger@casabrett.com) know and they will help you out.

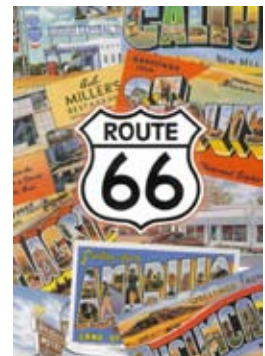
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Tau Epsilon - Richard Blacklow (rblacklow1@comcast.net)
Theta Delta Chi - Roger Brett (roger@casabrett.com)

Upgraded Reunion Gift

After much searching and price negotiating, the Gift Sub-Committee settled on a gift that is a vast improvement over the originally planned nylon jacket. We now have a high-quality, green fleece jacket with a weather resistant liner and our class logo from Lands' End. Be sure to indicate your size(s) on the sign-up form.

Auction

We are planning to have an auction on Saturday night to benefit the Class of 1966 Scholarship Fund and we are looking for items to offer. If you have any Dartmouth -- or just 1960's -- memorabilia that you would like to donate to this worthy cause, please let Jim Lustenader know -- you have the option of sending it to Chuck Sherman (129 Pennock Road, Strafford, VT 05072) or bringing it with you. And if you have a vacation home that you rent out and would like to donate a week's stay to the auction, that would be great, too. All proceeds will go to the fund and your donations will be tax deductible. Again, if you can help out with a donation, please get back to Jim Lustenader@ aol.com.



Attendees:

Ninety-five classmates who have indicated that they are coming to our 45th Reunion as of Sept. 9 include:

Rich Abraham
Bill Bailey
Pete Barber
John Barbieri
Jim Beardsley
Jack Bennett
Frank Blod
Tom Brady
Roger Brett
Gary Broughton
Halsey Bullen
Erv Burkholder
Robin Carpenter
Jennifer Casey
Scott Cheyne
Bob Cohn
Jon Colby
Bob Cowden
Rich Daly
Ben Day
Bill Duval
Bill George
Budge Gere
Jeff Gilbert
Don Glazer
Lewis Greenstein
Joe Hafner
John Hargraves
Steve Hayes
Jim Hazard
Frederick Heerde

Doug Hill
Bill Hobson
Tom Hooper
John Hughes
Ken Ireland
Gary Jefferson
Ed Jereb
Joff Keane
Al Keiller
Paul Klee
Rick Kornblum
Ed Larner
Brad Laycock
Rock Ley
Wayne LoCurto
Ed Long
Caleb Loring
Terry Lowd
Jim Lustenader
Bill Malcolm
Dean Mathews
Mike McConnell
Jamie McGregor
Bruce McKissock
Chris Meyer
Ken Meyercord
Hector Motroni
Jack Nevison
Jim Nutt
Tim O'Keeffe
Peter Orbanowski
Bob Page

Gerry Paul
John Pearson
Mike Ransmeier
Ken Reiber
Jeremy Reitman
Don Ries
John Rollins
Alan Rottenberg
Arne Rovick
Paul Semple
Bob Serenbetz
Dick Sheaff
Chuck Sherman
Steve Sloca
Gus Southworth
Dean Spatz
Bob Spence
Dave Spring
Brad Stein
Jim Sutherland
Bill Todd
George Trumbull
Pete Tuxen
Tim Urban
Jay Vincent
Steve Warhover
Howie Weiner
Jim Weiskopf
Jim Yarmon
Jack Young
Steve Zegel
Ken Zuhr

The list of attendees will be continuously updated on the web-site at www.dartmouth66.org.

Homecoming Parade and Dinner

The Class will hold its annual Homecoming Dinner at the Norwich Inn on October 22, one week after the 45th Reunion. While the turnout will be limited by the previous week's activities, for those of you who would like to participate in the Parade of the Classes, attend the football game against Columbia, and join other classmates at the Norwich Inn, **please contact Al Keiller at sienawine@aol.com**.

News of Classmates

A number of our classmates have been published in the last few months. As noted in the *Dartmouth Alumni Magazine* (July/August), "**Lance Dodes**, a psychiatrist at Harvard Medical School, and a training and supervising analyst at the Boston Psychoanalytic Society and Institute, shares a new theory about the nature and treatment of addiction in *Breaking Addiction: A 7-Step Handbook for Ending Any Addiction*"

The September/October *DAM* highlighted two more '66 authors: "**Richard Dellamora**, a visiting professor at UCLA's department of English, offers the first full look at the entire range of published and unpublished works of fiction, poetry, and autobiography by a controversial author in *Radcliffe Hall: A Life in the Writing*. And **Jonathan Lawrence**, a retired University of California, Irvine physics professor, uncovers the grim realities of the 19th century American West and offers a range of perspectives through interviews with nine prominent scholars as coauthor of *Violent Encounters: Interviews on Western Massacres*."

Finally, keeping the whole process in the 1966 Family, **David Godine** is publishing **Will Morgan's *Monadnock Summer***, an architectural history of Dublin, NH.



A few years ago **Chuck Benson**, having just completed a springtime lug-Alpine-ski-up and ski down of Mount Moosilauke, asked class members if anyone wanted to join him in such adventures. **Lance Tapley** took him up on it. They have together cross-country skied into the Second College Grant cabins, hiked the Appalachian Trail across the Bigelow Range in Maine, and climbed Maine's Mount Katahdin. And last spring they, along with Lance's friend Colin Cassie, repeated Chuck's Moosilauke experience, though with more appropriate gear. Chuck and Colin used Telemark skis and Lance used Alpine touring skis, and each used skins for the ascent. Although it was the end of March, snow was abundant, and the weather included both sun and a summit whiteout. The picture above, taken by Colin, shows Chuck sitting in the snow and Lance standing; they're having lunch on the trail. The descent was on the Carriage Road, site in 1927 of the first modern-type downhill ski race in America, hosted by the Dartmouth Outing Club before ski lifts existed.

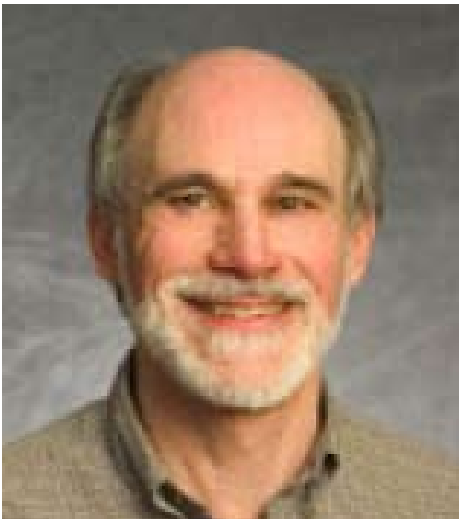
Lance comments: "As I extricated myself from the trees at a couple of points, I learned why Chuck was a teacher and I was a student in the phys ed ski classes on Oak Hill back in the day."

Mike McConnell just returned “from a marvelous 2-week trip to Cambodia where we celebrated our son’s marriage (he teaches in Phnom Penh).”

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Gerry LaMontagne, upon being asked to send along a brief bio, wrote, “Never was a prolific talker. Still living in Coopersburg, PA (since ‘73). Ran my own construction company for 35 years, but the recession ended that and I just packed it in and retired. As I said, I still do home inspections to make a little money on the side and keep myself busy. I like making furniture. Am presently finishing up a kitchen round table. Have made a lot of Windsor chairs and a replica of a Thomas Jefferson swivel chair. I raffled one off that I donated to the football program last year at a reunion for the ‘65 team. Still married to the same wonderful woman I dated throughout college and have 3 grown kids with four grand kids. The last one gets married next year in Greece, which will be an interesting trip.”

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David Gordon, who has written a heart-warming obituary of his friend **Hank Streitfeld** (see page 9), sent along the following about his own experiences: “Immediately after graduation from Dartmouth, I headed west to enroll in the MBA program at the Stanford Graduate School of Business in the fall. I have lived in Northern California ever since. In 1970 I married Edie Goldkopf, with whom I was happily married for over 19 years until her death from breast cancer at the age of 41. I regret that she was never able to see our children, Julie and Dan, as adults, but I know she would be proud of them.”

“In 1990 I married Lucia Heldt, whose son Nick joined us in facing the challenges of blending families. We successfully blended, and Lucia and I will celebrate our 21st wedding anniversary this year. I am fortunate to

have met and married two intelligent, strong, and wonderful women. Lucia and I are now thoroughly enjoying our two young granddaughters.”

“Except for a three-year period in the mid-1980s when I was a consultant, I worked at Stanford University from 1971 until my retirement in June 2009. I held several different administrative positions, both centrally and within individual schools, and retired as an Associate Dean in the School of Earth Sciences. I maintain some basic structure in my life by continuing to work about 25 percent of the time for Stanford and taking several exercise classes, but I really enjoy the flexibility afforded by retirement. I frequently see classmates **Harry Greenberg** and **Jim Makol**, who also live in Northern California, and also kept in regular touch with Hank Streitfeld until his untimely death in April.”

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According to an article in the *Valley News*, “Two Dartmouth Medical School researchers are part of a team that has developed a new tool to better study the causes of sudden infant death syndrome. The researchers have found a way to selectively shut down serotonin-producing cells - which are involved in controlling breathing, body temperature and mood - by injecting a chemical into lab mice rather than subjecting the animal to surgery or anesthesia. The researchers believe serotonin level is linked to SIDS, a little-understood condition in which a baby dies without any warning sign. Being able to study serotonin without the need for anesthesia or invasive surgery is important because it will lead to better information, said **Eugene Nattie**, a physiologist at Dartmouth Medical School, a member of the research team. ‘We’re avoiding the negative effects of anesthesia and invasive surgery,’ he said. ‘It’s a beautiful technique. The technique may be used to study other conditions, too, such as some types of epilepsy.’ The study’s findings are published in the July 29 issue of the journal *Science*.”

Two additions to the ever-growing list of retirees: “I’ve retired from the Massachusetts Business Roundtable as of July 1,” writes **Albie Macdonald**, “but I’m still reachable at my old email. So far, my work schedule hasn’t changed much, due to a few Roundtable ‘emeritus’ duties; but I expect to be in a new phase of activity by the fall, which I hope will include Hanover for that October weekend.”

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The second retirement notice comes from **David Johnston**: “After 10 years with the Casey Foundation, I’ve taken a modest retirement package, but I am continuing to work on helping challenged youth get into college

and survive---starting a new little non-profit to pursue this and some inter-generational community work. So, I can't really afford to retire and can't imagine what I'll do anyway. 'Shrink' wife Hera still working, but only part-time. Social security coming in, but it's paying off my son's PLUS loans---what's wrong with that picture? Peace and love---that still works.

David.johnston1@comcast.net



(L to R) Carolyn Taylor, Hank Phibbs, Penny Gilbert, Bob Serenbetz, Karen Serenbetz, Ken Taylor, Jeff Gilbert. Photo by Leslie Peterson

A couple of trips this summer led to mini-reunions (of a sort). Penny and **Jeff Gilbert** reciprocated our "southern" hospitality in Charleston, SC, by hosting us at their home in Wilson, WY, just outside of Jackson, for some golf and hiking in the Tetons. We celebrated the 4th of July holiday with a dinner that included Carolyn and **Ken Taylor** and Leslie Peterson and **Hank Phibbs**. Ken sold his Pennsylvania meat-packing business to Cargill and is enjoying golf and biking in beautiful Jackson Hole. Carolyn had been active until recently in the Jackson Hole Summer Symphony. Leslie ran unsuccessfully for governor of Wyoming in 2010, while Hank stays busy as a County Commissioner, involved while we were there with managing the flooding caused by the melting of the huge snow pack.



We recently returned from a river cruise down the waterways which connect St. Petersburg to Moscow. Jane was able to get **Bill Higgins** away from the bridge tables for two weeks to enjoy the scenery, the massive renovations being undertaken in Russia, the incredible art collection at the Hermitage, and lots more.

Updates



The Class finished its DCF drive in winning fashion, led by our Head Agent **Bob Spence** and his team of assistant class agents. 53.6% of us gave to the Fund (see the honor roll list of contributors on page 11), exceeding the goal of 50% and the highest percentage in at least ten years. A total of \$535,487 was raised, blowing away our goal of \$366K.



Alumni Council Report

Wayne LoCurto concludes his three year term as our Alumni Council Rep with the following report. ***Our thanks to Wayne for his service to the Class and to the College!***

Dear Classmates:

Thank you for letting me represent the Great Class of 1966 for the last three years. It was an honor and a privilege for me. I have spoken with John Rollins whose term begins in July. I feel confident that he will represent our interests in Hanover. I look forward to seeing many of you at our 45th reunion in October.

Following are a summary and full report of the 202nd meeting of the Dartmouth Alumni Council which was held in Hanover from May 19-21, 2011:

Summary:

- President Jim Yong Kim '82a addressed the councilors on Friday focusing on three topics: innovation at the College, student health, and student life.
- Martha Beattie '76 attended the session in her new role as vice president for Alumni Relations.
- Campus tours provided alumni with the opportunity to visit new athletic facilities, the transformation of Thayer Dining Hall into the new Class of 1953 Commons, as well as the Rauner Library Special Collections, the Hood Museum, and the fabled underground steam tunnels.

- Alumni were invited to formally visit with students to discuss a topic of their interest. Topics included the Dartmouth Entrepreneurial Network (DEN), off-campus programs, high-risk drinking, diversity, and the Dartmouth Outing Club (DOC).
- Dartmouth College Trustees Peggy Tanner '79 and Bill Helman '80 made a presentation from the Board of Trustees that focused on College finances and student life.
- We "met" the Class of 2015 when Maria Laskaris '84, dean of admissions and financial aid, gave us an update on admissions, noting a 19-percent increase in applications from the previous year.
- Councilors had an opportunity to return to the classroom on Friday morning to attend an undergraduate class.
- A delightful panel of students involved with community service shared what their experiences have been, how they got involved, and what it has meant to them.

Sincerely,

Wayne

Treasurer's Report

For class accounting, the fiscal year matches the academic year, so we closed the books on 2010-11 on June 30th, and began a new year on July 1st. We had a small deficit for 2010-11, due primarily to increases in two categories: first, as a class, we pay for subscriptions to the *Dartmouth Alumni Magazine* for 595 classmates and widows (regardless of whether or not they have paid class dues). Second, we published one extra newsletter this year in full color, so that category was also a bit over budget. You see how important your dues are to the class. Without support from classmates, we can not continue to keep the communications links open. It is expensive!

When we meet in Hanover for our 45th reunion, I will present the 2011-12 proposed budget at our class meeting. With some prudent management, we are confident we can continue to publish meaningful communications through both print and electronic means

and to continue to sponsor two Dickey Fellows and add to our scholarship fund as well.

Dues notices were mailed out at the end of August. You may also pay with the remittance form below or on-line using a credit card or Pay Pal. A list of current dues-payers is included on the Class of 1966 web-site.

Thank you for your support.

Jim Weiskopf

Where Oh
Where

are you?

Help complete our e-mail address list.
A list of the missing is posted on our website

Wally Elton's new email and address are respectively wally.elton@earthlink.net and 36 Curt Blvd, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866.

Bob Booms has moved to PO Box 178, Corrales, NM 87048.

Ted Amaral's e-mail address is icbrdmn@comcast.net.

Hank Phibbs' email address is plawoffice@cs.com.

Class License Plates

Three classmates have opted for "vanity" license plates to express their devotion to the class and/or the College. Any others we have missed? **Please submit to me at bobserenbetz@prodigy.net.**



Class of 1966 Dues Remittance

I, _____, would like to pay () \$66 basic dues
or () \$100 dues and projects

Enclosed is a check payable to Dartmouth College Class of 1966. Please mail to:
Jim Weiskopf, Treasurer, 13125 Willow Edge Court, Clifton, VA 20124-1080

Memories...

Excerpts from past newsletters, all available on the Class Website:

40 Years Ago

From **David Dubrow's** October 1971 *Along Route '66*:

-- **Dennis Kaufman** and wife Susan have taken up residence in a house they built themselves in Norwich, VT

-- **Bill Duval** was teaching social studies and coaching soccer and wrote that he found it "challenging and gratifying" and that he had been "extremely proud of Dartmouth undergraduates as a whole and of President Kemeny."

-- **Jon Colby** had graduated from Tuck and started working at Masonite Corp in their Building Products Division

-- **Bob Spence** had just been released from active duty in the Marine Corps

-- **John Arnold** and **Dick Brigden** were bankers at respectively Harris Trust and Pittsburgh National Bank

-- **Rick Macmillan** had joined Ernst & Ernst. His boss? **Bruce Thorsen!**

-- **John Hargraves** had been working for a large insurance company and that "music, drinking, and opening dunning letters from Dartmouth are my biggest interests."

-- **Howie Weiner** was embarking on a three-year residency in neurology at Beth Israel in Boston

-- **Lance Tapley** was editor of the *San Francisco Chronicle's* "Sunday Punch". He had joined the Dartmouth Outing Club of Northern California at the suggestion of **Nelson Lichtenstein** "who occasionally emerges from the maze of Berkeley radicalism".

-- **Jeff Marks** had started working at the campus ministry at the University of Virginia

15 Years Ago

From **Jim Lustenader's** September 1996 *Along Route '66*:

-- A total of 239 classmates, children, wives, and significant others had attended the 30th Reunion in June. Governor of Maine **Gus King** had been a featured speaker

-- \$3360 had been bid on silent auction items to help pay for the Class of 1966 Scoreboard on Memorial Field, including contributions from **Jeff Stein** from the proceeds of the sale of his book *Gentlemen of Decision*

-- At the Reunion Class Meeting, it was voted to start a program of funding two John Sloan Dickey Fellows, rather than funding athletic equipment for the College's training facilities

-- **Chuck Sherman** was asked to build a "world wide web home page" that would include a roster of classmates' email addresses. He had collected fifty-five emails by September 1996.

-- 101 children of classmates had attended Dartmouth by September 1996, starting with **Bill Hayden's** son Bill in 1988.

'66 ABROAD

The following classmates are signed up for Alumni Travel:

Life in Greece & Turkey, Sept. 2011, **Gary Broughton**

Treasures of South Africa, October 2011, **Brad Stein**

Hawaii by Small Ship, February 2012, **David Patrick**



IN MEMORIAM

Derek Armitage Lee of Man 'O War Cay, Abaco, Bahamas, passed away on August 10, 2009. He is survived by two sons, W. Davis and Timothy. He was a member of Zeta Psi.



Dr. **Henry Ellis “Hank” Streitfeld** of Berkeley, CA passed away on April 26 from a relapse of metastatic melanoma. A graduate of Cornell Medical School in 1970, Hank did his residency at the University of California – San Francisco. His specialty was obstetrics/ gynecology. David Gordon contributed the following obituary:

“After Dartmouth he attended Cornell Medical School and earned money to support his medical education as a New York cabbie, a job he actually found liberating as a counterpoint to the rigors of medical school. Following Cornell, Hank moved to Los Angeles to do his internship at USC. While in LA, he met and married Pam Port, a Bryn Mawr graduate. After Hank’s two-year stint as an Air Force surgeon at Vandenberg Air Force Base in Santa Barbara County, Hank and Pam moved to Northern California for his residency at UCSF. In 1977, following his residency, they moved to Berkeley, where Hank joined a partner in private practice as an obstetrician and gynecologist. Despite the night and weekend call demands for an obstetrician and the changing economics of medicine, Hank remained in private practice over the next 34 years because he wanted to practice medicine his way, taking the time to talk to and to get to know his patients. His license plate, “B Gentle”, spoke to his philosophy and approach. He loved delivering babies and doing surgery, using the nimble hands that gave him a feathery outside shot in basketball. In addition to his practice, over the years Hank trained many residents in surgery at Alto Bates Summit Medical Center and developed a widespread reputation as a wonderful teacher of surgical techniques. He also liked using his skilled hands to work in his garden and to deftly slice and chop fruits and vegetables for elaborate salads. Hank and Pam lived in the same house in Berkeley for all the years he was in practice. They also acquired a second home in Stinson Beach along the Marin County coast, where Hank went every weekend to walk his dogs, read, work in the garden, and be near the water he loved so much. His ashes were scattered in the ocean surf near his Stinson home.”

“Hank and Pam were married for 40 years and have two beautiful daughters, Anika and Jayme, three grandchildren, and a fourth on the way. Hundreds of family, friends, colleagues, and patients gathered in the Emeryville Marina on May 15 to celebrate his life and contributions. Those gathered included Dartmouth classmates Harry Greenberg, Jim Makol, and David Gordon. In an apt tribute to Hank’s personality and sartorial style, the gathering was informal, with most of those in attendance wearing Hawaiian shirts and bright, casual clothes. The speakers at the ceremony conveyed with humor and sadness how much Hank was loved and how much he will be missed.”

You can memorialize a classmate, and help Dartmouth and the Class at the same time, by giving to the “Dartmouth Class of 1966 Scholarship Fund”. Send your check to Treasurer Jim Weiskopf at 13125 Willow Edge Ct, Clifton, VA 20124-1080, noting who you are memorializing, and you will receive a donation slip and a copy of the letter from Jim Lustenader, to be sent to the deceased’s widow or other designated family member.



Mike Urbanic in 1966 (photo courtesy of Roger Brett)

Michael J. Urbanic passed away on August 20, 2011, in St. Anne’s Hospital in Fall River, MA, surrounded by his family. Mike had been suffering from autoimmune and bone marrow diseases for a number of years and had begun a chemotherapy treatment program to combat these conditions. Shortly after starting the treatment, he developed an intestinal infection which spread very quickly and overran his system. The infection’s cause and rapid progression was likely related to his overall health scenario, but is still unknown for sure. Mike was a resident of Naples, FL and Bristol, RI, after living for many years in Wayzata, MN.

Mike grew up in Lorain, Ohio. While at Dartmouth, he was a brother of Theta Delta Chi and played varsity football on both the championship 1963 and 1965 teams. He earned an MBA from Cornell in 1968 and was stationed in Newport, RI while in the US Navy. He spent 30 years working for Cargill, ending his career as a Corporate Vice President. Mike loved traveling the world with his wife of forty-one years Joyce, fishing, watching his daughter Katie play soccer, solving crossword puzzles, bragging about his son-in-law Dom's hockey games, playing golf, and making new friends. His sense of humor, positive attitude, breadth of knowledge, selflessness, laughter, love and omelets will be missed by all.



A memorial service was held on August 30th at St. Bartholomew Church in Wayzata followed by a reception at the Wayzata Country Club.

Dartmouth News



The **Big Green Bus** has been touring the country...and Karen and I came across it at the Farmer's Market held weekly on Marion Square in Charleston, SC on July 16. According to the *Charleston Post and Courier*, "Thirteen Dartmouth College students started a 12,000 mile trip across the country last month in what they call the Big Green bus to teach people about the importance of sustainability...The bus, sponsored by Waste Management, is a 1998 coach and the interior was remodeled to look like a sustainable home...The bus is equipped with rooftop solar panels, deep cycle batteries to store the electricity from the panels, and grease filters to purify the vegetable oil they get from restaurants. The bus gets 2,000 miles out of 290 gallons of vegetable oil." That works out to just under 7 miles per gallon. The bus was getting its used-oil supply from the Charleston Grill, arguably the best restaurant in town!

Memorial Field now has lights! It was announced that the Dartmouth versus Penn game on Saturday, October 1 will have a 6 PM kick-off time.

This year's **2011 Faculty Chalk Talk** lecture series will focus on hot topics in national politics. All of the lectures will be held from 10 to 11 am in Room 105, Dartmouth Hall, on the Saturdays of Big Green home football games. The fall schedule includes:

September 17 (vs. Colgate)

In the Wake of the Financial Crisis, What Next?
Matthew J. Slaughter, Tuck School of Business

October 1 (vs. Penn)

Moral Authority: What Should America's Political Leaders Be Willing to Do?
Lucas Swaine, Associate Professor of Government

October 22 (vs. Columbia - Homecoming)

Foreign Policy Tradeoffs in an Age of Austerity
Daryl Press, Associate Professor of Government

November 5 (vs. Cornell)

Who Can Fix Health Care?
Albert G. Mulley, Jr., Dartmouth-Hitchcock

November 19 (vs. Princeton)

Why Worry about Carbon Emissions?
Andrew J. Friedland, Prof. of Environmental Studies

From Your Editor

This issue marks the fifty-third, and final, edition of *Along Route '66* that I have edited over the last ten years. It's time for someone else, with a different set of Dartmouth '66 friends and a different creative bent, to keep our newsletter fresh and interesting. I look forward to helping with the transition to new officers including a new editor after our 45th Reunion in October.

I want to thank past co-Presidents, Bill Higgins and Steve Warhover, and current President Chuck Sherman, for their encouragement and financial support. Our newsletter has evolved into one that contains more pages, uses more color and images, all of which costs more to produce and distribute. Each issue is reviewed by the entire group of class officers, and I thank them for their spelling, grammatical, and punctuation assistance...not to mention their contributions to content. I'd particularly like to thank my companions in the business of class communication, Larry Geiger and Ben Day, for sharing news and promoting *AR '66*.

But most of all I want to thank all of you, for your submissions of personal news, updates, photos...and your kind words of appreciation. It has made the ten years fly by.



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You must submit your registration by **September 23**.

Friday, 10/14 – Monday, 10/17: Pay this rate if you want to enjoy ALL activities, meals, entertainment, and reunion gift:

	<u>Cost</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>#People</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>Total \$</u>
-- Regular Registration:	\$325		_____		_____
-- Children under 13:	\$250		_____		_____

Saturday reunion dinner ONLY: Pay this rate if you do not plan to attend the full reunion; rate entitles you to the reunion gift but no other activities or meals

\$135 _____ _____

Total Due (see below for payment info) \$ _____

Please indicate the **number of people** in your party attending **Friday dinner at Collis**, and make your **entrée choices for Saturday dinner** below:

- A. **Head count for Friday dinner at Collis** _____
- B. **Indicate Saturday dinner entrée choices:**
- Cornish Game Hen _____
- Poached Salmon _____
- Beef Tenderloin _____
- Vegetarian Pasta _____
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