

# Raymond High School

## Alumni Association

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### \$7,500 IN SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED



Your Alumni Association awarded three scholarships of \$2500 each to these 2022 Raymond High School graduates.

**Molly Harmon  
Brianna Waldron  
Sara Amovic**

Congratulations and best wishes as you continue your academic journey.

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### SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

**"We have a problem Houston"**

The following policy is in place for awarding scholarships by the Raymond High School Alumni Association.

- The recipient must have demonstrated academic proficiency.
- The recipient must have been a "well-rounded" student who contributed to his/her school and/or community.
- The recipient must exhibit the need for financial assistance, perhaps not having received other scholarships or financial aid.

In order to access these funds the student must meet the following criteria:

- Be in good academic standing with their institution of higher learning.
- Have passing grades in all subjects (no failing or incompletes).
- Sent official grades report to us and proof of enrollment in the next semester.

Funds are then mailed directly to the school.

Please note: students are eligible to apply for a scholarship whether they are enrolled in a 2-year or 4-year college, a technical school, or specific occupational training program.

**So what is the problem?**

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### RHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION GOLF OUTING NETS OVER \$10,000

The 19th annual Raymond High School Alumni Association Golf Outing was held on June 21, 2022 at Candia Woods. The following awards were given.

**The Low Gross** award went to the team of Ryan Johnson, Dan Johnson, Dave Anzalone, and Jake Yaris with 61.

**Second Low Gross** went to the team of Bud Dodge, John Porter, Scott Ross and Don Moulton, with 62.

**Third Low Gross** went to the team of Barry Bronson, Matt Chouinard, Tim Bronson and Allen Greene with a 63.

**Fourth low gross** went to the team of Jay Long, Gary Knowlton, Glenn Knowlton, and Glenn Gosselin with a 64.

**Special prizes were awarded.**

**Longest Drive on Hole #10 for Senior Men** - Steve Clark

**Longest Drive for Men under 75** - Alec Boucher

**Longest Drive Hole #10 for Senior Ladies**-Shirley Dodge

**Longest Drive for Ladies under 75** to Stephanie Prince

**Nearest to Pin on Hole #8** - Barry Bronson

**Nearest to Pin on Hole #15** -George Plante

**Putting contest** - Matt Chouinard and Bianca Baker

We are grateful for our sponsors.

**Platinum Donors:** I. C. Reed & Sons, Inc.

John (Jack) Ornell, Class of 1975

**Gold Donor:** Hi-Volt Electric Line Construction & Maintenance, Inc.

**Silver Donor:** Gemini Valve

**Bronze Donors:** D. F. Richard Inc.

Littlewoods, LLC

J.M.M. Pool Service, Inc.

**Hole sponsors** included the following:

Aldo Zyd Consulting

Dec Tech Flooring

Family Mechanical

Levesque Family

Matthew Reed

People's United Bank

Prince Limousine LLC

Raymond Chiropractic Clinic

Raymond Foreign Auto

Raymond Septic Tank Service

Severino Trucking Co., Inc.

Thompson Family

Brewitt Funeral Home

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Poole's Oil Burner Service

Radio Grove Hardware

Raymond McDonald's

Scissors Edge Salon

Tucker Lodge

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**PROBLEM** Cont'd from pg.1

The problem is that over the last several years the number of students applying for an RHS Alumni Association Scholarship has dropped dramatically. And we are not the only group noticing that. In fact, this year some organizations didn't even award a scholarship due to a lack of applicants. All in all this seems odd given the rising cost of all post-high school programs.

If you have a child, grandchild, niece, nephew, or know of a deserving RHS student please encourage them to apply.

We cannot guarantee that the student will be given money, but there is money to be awarded. The process does take a little bit of time, but as this year's recipients will attest, it is worth it in the end.

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### SINCE OUR LAST NEWSLETTER FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTORS WERE MADE BY

**Arthur Proulx**

**Michael Ryan**

**Judy Bouchard Sullivan**

**Andrea Paquette Ovens**

**John Gordon**

**Cynthia Holt Gagnon**

**Nancy Cheney Downing**

**Janice Roux**

**Memorial contributions were received  
in memory of Barbara Porter**

**Geneva Clifford**

**Kristy Robinson Lombardo**

**Beverly Wallace Cole**

**Roger & Sally Paradis**

**Nancy Bohle Darby**

**Linda and Richard Linscott**

**Every contribution, large or small, helps us reach our  
goal of awarding scholarships each year. THANK YOU.**

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### THE RHSAA SPOTLIGHT RECOGNIZES TIM BRUSSO

We would like to recognize Tim Brusso for more than 30 years of dedication to the RHS Sports Program. Tim is a native of Raymond and a 1969 graduate of RHS.

Tim's coaching career includes Boys Baseball, Boys Soccer, and Girls Soccer. He has lead each of those teams to a well-deserved championship.

Tim's focus for many years now has been on the Girls Soccer Teams. This year's team has seen much success.

Thank you Tim, for your many years of devoted coaching!

**GO RAMS!!!**

**GOLF** Cont'd from pg. 1.

**Raffle prizes or cash** were donated from area businesses and friends including:

Cello's Restaurant

Fremont Pizzeria

Hannaford's of Raymond

Jackson Lumber & Millwork

Onway Woodworking

Piney Woods Farm

Salon 27

Tuckaway Tavern

Wal\*Mart Distribution Center

Matthew Reed

**Class sponsorships** were received for the following:

Classes of 1951, 1957, 1964, 1966, 1967,

and Girls in the Class of 1970

**Family sponsorships** were received for the following:

Ingalls Family

Maloney Family

Mandile Family

Waterhouse Family

**Memorial sponsorships** were received for

Fred & Hazel Bailey

John J. Callaghan

Don & Irene Smith, and John & Jean Fernald

Edward & Charlena Thompson

Gordon & Helen Greenwood Cammett, son Jake,  
daughters Kathy & Susie, grandson Greg Lafond

Deceased members of classes of 1958, 1965, 1970

Deceased RHS alumni from Candia and Deerfield

And for these RHS graduates:

Charlena Littlefield Thompson, '44

Cote Twins, '45

Thomas J. Robinson, '50

Joyce Houle Nielsen, '59

Joanne Rock Welch, '62

Frank Langford, '62

Teresa O'Brien Elliott, '63

Bruce Clark, '64

Paul Houle, '65

Leo Plante, '75

Scott Griffin, '82

**The big winner** was the RHS Alumni Scholarship Fund that realized \$10,000+ from the event, ensuring that scholarships in the amount of \$2,500 each can be awarded in 2023. The Association extends its thanks and appreciation to ALL those who contributed to the success of the outing this year—you are all on a winning team!

### WE APPRECIATE ALL OUR SPONSORS

Please consider having your business join this group of contributors, or perhaps you would personally like to make a Class, Family or Memorial contribution to our Golf Tournament next year. Your name and the name(s) of those being remembered will appear in the Golf Outing Program and in the Newsletter published each Fall.

# RHSAA NEEDS YOUR HELP

## TO CONTINUE THIS GOOD WORK THAT HAS BEEN DONE FOR THE LAST 22 YEARS.

For more information/or to  
volunteer contact us at  
**RHSAA, PO Box 745  
Raymond, NH 03077**  
or e-mail [clevesq@metrocast.net](mailto:clevesq@metrocast.net)

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### JOIN US IN 2023

In June we enjoyed a great day at our Golf Outing. The players were excited to meet again on the links and our new menu for the luncheon was a hit. Tournament awards, great raffle prizes and friendship filled out the day. One team leader said he had so much fun he was going to try to get a second foursome of friends to sign up for next year!

We hold the Golf Outing on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday in June, so watch for news on our website, or on Raymond CTV and mark your calendars. We have kept our registration fee low, but our goal remains the same: provide a great day of golf and earn enough money to continue to award scholarships. Come be a part of this fun day for a worthy cause.

**See you  
on the links!**



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### THE RHSAA REMEMBERS Barbara Gosselin Porter '51

Barbara was valedictorian of the RHS class of 1951 and was well known in Raymond. She was also a long-standing member of the Alumni Association and worked tirelessly to make it a success. We are grateful for her dedication to the alumni and students of RHS. She will be missed by all who worked with her and knew her.



RHSAA extends its sympathy to the families of alumni who have recently lost loved ones. The Association appreciates receiving news of RHS alumni who have passed away so that the listing in each newsletter is complete for the preceding year.

- Delma Langille '44
- Jacqueline LaCouture Murphy '47
- Carmen LaCouture Murphy '51
- Barbara Gosselin Porter '51
- Ronald Menard '56
- Richard Lessard '57
- Raymond Lemay '59
- Ronald Levesque '60
- Dale Severance '60
- Nancy Davis Margaritas '61
- Lawrence "Joe" Plante '61
- Richard Audette
- Nancy Rollins Moland '66
- Danny Gelinas '74
- Genevieve Dennis McFarland '74
- Donna Toto Covais '75
- Judith Paquette Batchelder '77

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### Barbara Shea Bowman RHS Home Economics Teacher

Mrs. Bowman came to RHS as the Home Economics teacher and Cheerleading coach in 1957, a post that she held until 1963 when she left RHS to raise her family. She was an excellent cook, and penned three "Yankee Flavor" cook - books.

Over the years she attended our ten-year RHS reunions, her last being the 100th anniversary of Raymond High School held in 2018 after which she penned a note to RHSAA saying "how much I enjoyed the reunion and being included in the festivities." She ended her message by saying that "being able to re-connect with so many of my former students was an enormous pleasure!"

Mrs. Bowman died on August 26,2022.

The Raymond High School Alumni Association is a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. In accordance with IRS Requirements, we will provide you with a written receipt for contributions that are \$250 or more, when no goods or services were provided by the organization, in return for your contribution.

### TIME TO PAY YOUR ANNUAL DUES

Annual dues are \$10.00 and cover the period November 1, 2022 to October 31, 2023. Your support is needed to keep this organization going.

**Remember, you can purchase a Lifetime Membership for \$100.00.**

**Name at Graduation**

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**Year you graduated**

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**Address changed?  
Your new address is**

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**Clip & Mail with your check to:**

**RHS Alumni Association  
PO Box 745  
Raymond, NH 03077**

President: Ann Thompson Harris, '67      Vice President: Carol Martin Levesque, '70  
 Secretary: Sally Guptill Paradis, '58      Treasurers: Carol Levesque & Ann Harris  
 Members: Shirley Holt Dodge, '49      Elayne Ingalls Clark, '65      Judy Waterhouse Foley, '68  
 Chris "Kip" Mataragas, '67      Barbara Stetson Reczkowski, '68      Michael Foley, '68



**20<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
RHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION  
GOLF OUTING  
Tuesday, June 20, 2023**

**Watch The RHS WEBSITE and  
RAYMOND CTV For More Information  
About The 2023 GOLF OUTING.**

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