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



Acquarius---Original, Inventive, Clever, Witty, Humanitarian



Pisces---Accepting, Compassionate, Adaptable, Devoted, Imaginative

**Events/Activities during February 2023-----**

1st, Wednesday---Spunky Old Broads Day

2nd, Thursday---Groundhog Day

5th, Sunday---Grammy Awards

12th, Sunday--- Super Bowl LVII

14th, Tuesday---Valentines Day

20th, Monday---Presidents Day

21st. Tuesday---Nat'l IHOP Pancake Day

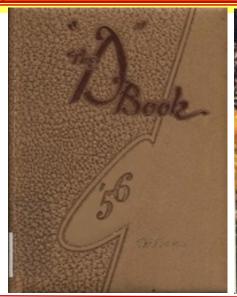
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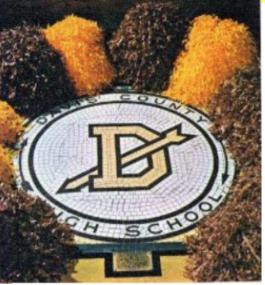
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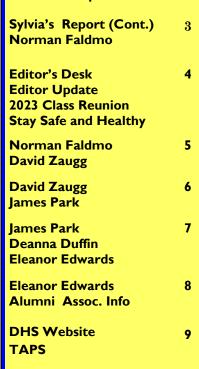














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### Sylvia's Report

### Sylvia Fisher Jutila



#### Fellow Classmates,

2022 has come and gone and here we are about to enter the second month of 2023. Is it just me or is time flying by. It has been awhile since I've been able to report to you. I hope you all had a fun safe summer. George and I made our annual eight State trip visiting family, relatives and friends with George doing most of the driving.

We were unable to plan and conduct an Annual Class Luncheon during September 2022, but plans are in the works to hold a Class Luncheon during September 2023. Our Newsletter Editor Larry will tell you more about it in his Ed's Desk article on page 4 - you'll probably remember that his article on page 4 was titled "Colorado Ed's Desk" - starting with this newsletter his new title is "Utah Ed's Desk." Yes, he now lives in Utah, he will give you more information on page 4.

We have encountered some strange weather patterns all over the United States. I hope all of our Classmates and Families were not impacted in a negative way and are safe and healthy. I also hope you and your families all had a safe, wonderful Thanksgiving and Christmas and Happy New Year.

For February I want to wish you all Happy Valentine's Day.

I was hoping to say how happy I was that I didn't have to put any Classmate obituaries in this Newsletter. But with the time lapse sorrow that I have to report the death of four of our beloved classmates----

- \* Norman Faldmo
- \* David Zaugg
- \* James (Jim) Park
- \* Deanna Duffin

and the death of a classmate spouse----

\* Eleanor Richey Edwards (wife of our Newsletter Editor Larry Edwards).

You will find obituaries on all five in this newsletter, our thoughts, love and prayers go out to all of their family members.

#### Dear Old Davis High - DID YOU KNOW?????



We have a new Principal---Dr. Lori Hawthorne was appointed Principal of Davis High School in July of 2022. Hawthorne holds a B.A. in Mathematics and English from Carroll College, a M.S. in Curriculum and Instruction and an M.Ed. in Educational Leadership -- both from the University of Utah -- and an Ph.D. in educational Leadership from Northwest Nazarene University. Hawthorne taught

high school Mathematics and English and was an assistant girls basketball coach. In Davis School District she has held positions of Mathematics Curriculum Supervisor, Assistant Director of Research and Assessment, Principal of Crestview Elementary, and Principal of Central Davis Junior High.

Congratulations from the Class of 1956

**2019**---Davis High School ranked as the #1 best traditional public high school in the State of Utah. -US News and World Report

Rated as one of the 100 Best Public High Schools in America. -The Best Schools.org (Sylvia's Report Cont. On Page 3)

#### Norman Faldmo

## (Sylvia's Report Cont. From Page 2)

Norman Wilhelm Faldmo, Jr.

Norman passed away peacefully on August 17, 2021, in his son Chris's home in Saratoga Springs, UT, just two days after his 84th birthday. He quietly fought a 15 year battle with Parkinson's Disease and most recently myeloma cancer. Norm was born on August 15, 1937, in Salt Lake City, UT. His parents were Norman Wilhelm Faldmo Sr. and Erma Brunt Faldmo. He was the oldest of 4 children.

Norm had a happy childhood and enjoyed learning the meaning of hard work as he worked alongside his dad, who worked as a metal lather. As a teen he enjoyed working on projects and tinkering with things. In high school he purchased a rundown boat and fixed it up for himself and his friends. He graduated from Davis High School in 1956 where he played football for a year. After High School Norm had the unique opportunity to live in Hawaii with his family after High School while his father served a church labor mission to build the Church College of Hawaii (later named BYU Hawaii). He finished two years at the CCH and enlisted in the Army National Guard before being called to serve a church mission to Australia. After his mission, he enrolled at the University of Utah and graduated with a masters from their architecture program. Norm married his sweetheart, Carolyn Shurtliff on December 20, 1961 in the Salt Lake Temple. They had dated in high school and sparked up their relationship after he returned from his mission. Together they raised seven children. After graduating from the U of U and working in the private architectural sector for a few years, Norm received a job opportunity from Brigham Young University. He was in charge of the church school programs in Mexico, South America, New Zealand, and the South Pacific. He enjoyed his years traveling to these different countries and improving the buildings at the different campuses. Shortly after moving the family to an apartment in Orem, Norm designed and built his family's home on Carterville Road in Orem. Some of the buildings he was primarily responsible for planning and coordinating the build of at BYU were: the Tanner Building, the Cougar Stadium expansion, many of the student housing developments, the MTC expansion, the Wilkinson Student Center expansion, the Eyring and Benson Science buildings, the BYU Museum of Art, the new Athletic Complex, the underground library along with many other projects. As his years continued with BYU, his promotions took him to the position of Director of Architecture and Planning, Norm enjoyed the 32 years of working for Brigham Young University before retiring. While Norm's parents and brother owned Faldmo Tours and Travels, he would get to act as the host or tour guide for some of the tours. He and Carolyn would bring one or two of their children along on the tours, being able to visit many states including Hawaii, and other countries like Canada, and in Europe. Norm's children and grandchildren appreciate the years of fun they have enjoyed together on their houseboat at Lake Powell and appreciate dad's hard work to keep everything shipshape and running! The family is also grateful for the emphasis Norm and Carolyn had on the family, as they arranged for Family reunions every 2 years for all the family to gather in fun places to strengthen their family bonds. After retirement, Norm and Carolyn did not slow down. They spent a year teaching English to University Students in Nanjing, China. They loved their time there connecting with the students and exploring that part of the world. Norm utilized his talents to help renovate the Luau area of the PCC and other projects at the PCC during his two church missions to the Polynesian Cultural Center and BYU Hawaii.

(Norman Faldmo Cont. On Page 5)

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I no longer live in Colorado so it is now "Greetings from Utah"

Yes, I'm now a resident of Utah, my new address is, 40 North 100 West, Fillmore, UT 84631. Fillmore is located on I-15, half way between Salt Lake and St George. Traveling this way, stop by to visit or spend the night. I'm happy to announce that one of our Classmates spent last night with me, Gary Eaton. We had a wonderful visit, dinner and breakfast. Its been awhile since our last Class Newsletter, the last nine months of my life have been busy and dizzy.

Because my birthday is May 22, I thought 2022 would be a wonderful fun year for me. Didn't happen---I was my wifes 7/24 caretaker for over eleven years. One of my goals was to keep her out of Emergency Rooms and Hospitals, they are not good for your health and well being. On April 20, 2022 I had to call for an ambulance to take my wife to ER at local hospital. They kept her for a few days then transfered her to a rehab facility. On May 28th we decided that it was not doing her any good and I took her home. On June 18th I had to call for an ambulance again to take her to ER. They put her in intensive care, on June 26th at 8:20PM tiey pronounced her dead. We held a graveside service for her at the Meadow, UT cemetery on July 1st (Meadow is in Millard County). I started packing and moving loads of my belongings and houshold goods to a storage facility in Fillmore, UT. On August 10th I put my moving aside and departed on a 4,170 mile road trip to Tennessee, Georgia and Virginia for my Grand Daughters wedding and to visit my two daughters and grandson. Now back to more packing and moving. Eventually, I purchased a house in Fillmore, UT and closed on it in October 2022. Now during all of this, I was trying to sell my house in Colorado Springs, CO, finally closing on it on December 1, 2022. I've got all of my stuff out of storage and in my Fillmore house, will be months before I get it all unpacked. I'm now busy making my new residence more liveable (I'll tell you more about it in next newsletter).

Now that I have more time to devote to the Class Newsletter and Class Reunions you will be hearing from me more often. The first thing I want to discuss with you and get some input from you is plans for a DHS Class of 1956 Luncheon in September 2023. My first choice would be to hold a Class Reunion in the Common Area in Dear Old Davis High School with lunch catered in to us. My next choice would be lunch at the Golden Corral in Layton. I would appreciate your comments and/or thoughts on a 2023 Class Luncheon during September 2023. Please send your input to me and Sylvia. In closing, I do not enjoy a Class Newsletter that is nothing but obituaries. Please remember, "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" and "take care of your body and your body will take care of you." Please stay safe and healthy. Enjoy life to the fullest. Hugs & Love, **Utah Ed** 

#### **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.

### Norman Faldmo/David Zaugg

#### (Norman Faldmo Cont. From Page 3)

It was unique that, just like his father, he was able to serve a mission building for the church in the same area! Norm was a faithful member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and served diligently in all of his callings, which included: Scoutmaster, Sunday School Teacher, Young Men's President, High Councilor, Bishop for a BYU Student Ward, Branch President at the Missionary Training Center, Ward Mission Leader, and a Stake 70 member. He and Carolyn also served for a year in the Church Family History Center in St. George after their missions to Hawaii. Norm and Carolyn settled in St. George for their last 11 years together. They made dear friends, enjoyed the warmer weather, and took many trips traveling around the world. Some of their travels included: Baltic States, South Pacific, Scandinavia, Russia, Greece, Mexico, Alaska, and a trip to the Holy Land. They also enjoyed traveling to visit their children and grandchildren to celebrate their grandchildren's milestones and activities. Norman was an artist, builder, inventor, perfectionist, hard worker, peacemaker, problem-solver, helper, greatest supporter for his children, and an amazing example of Christ like love. He is survived by his children: Dave (Robin) of Jefferson, SD, Ann Gallagher (Shawn) of Springville, UT, Jill Clark (Jay) of Orem, UT, Chris (Aubrey) of Saratoga Springs, UT, Julie Nilson (Todd) of Saugus, CA, Steven (Lori) of St. George, UT and Jonathan (Valerie) of Heber City, UT. He is cherished by 29 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his siblings: Karen Foster (John), Sunya Osborn (George), and Mark (Beverly). Norm has been reunited with his wife, Carolyn Shurtliff Faldmo, his parents Norm and Erma, and many more loved extended family. Norm will be tremendously missed as an incredible father, brother, papa, great-grandpa, friend, neighbor, and servant of Christ.

Funeral services were held at the Hillcrest 8th Ward building, 1035 South 800 East, Orem, UT.

#### David Mangelson Zaugg July 9, 1938 — September 19, 2022

David Mangelson Zaugg passed away at the age of 84, on September 19, 2022, in Clearfield, UT, concluding a life of faith, service, and hard work. He was born in Ogden, UT, on July 9, 1938, to Inez Marie Mangelson and Karl David Zaugg.

David grew up on the family farm in Syracuse, UT, where he developed a lifelong love of farming and a prodigious work ethic. He was educated at schools in Davis County and graduated from Davis High. David attended Utah State University, where he met his sweetheart, Delores Collett. They were married on August 28, 1963, in the Logan Temple. During college, David was selected to be an International Farm Youth Exchange student in Venezuela, where he lived, worked, and learned for six months.

After his graduation from Utah State, David attended Air Force pilot training in Del Rio, Texas. He was then stationed at Charleston Air Force Base, where he flew the C-141 Star Lifter on missions around the globe during the Vietnam War. After completing his active duty in the Air Force, David returned to Utah State University to earn his MBA. He then opened a business in Clearfield, UT, the HMC Rental Center. David joined the Air Force Reserves and flew the C-124 Globemaster and the T-33 Shooting Star at Hill Air Force Base, where he also became a contract administrator, retiring in 2004.

He loved his Savior, Jesus Christ, and faithfully served in many positions in The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, including full-time service as a missionary in the Western Canadian Mission from 1958 to 1960. Dave and his wife, Delores, served two missions together.

(David Zaugg Cont. On Page 6)

### **David Zaugg/James Park**

#### (David Zaugg Cont. From Page 5)

The first was in the Thailand Bangkok Mission doing humanitarian work after the devastating tsunami of 2004. They also served a family history mission in the Micronesia Guam Mission. Dave loved spending time with his family at "Z Pines," their recreational property in Wyoming, where they built a bunkhouse, a bathhouse, and a large shop, which was constructed from logs they cut down on site and milled themselves. An outdoors enthusiast, Dave loved camping, hiking, fishing, and backpacking. He was also an avid runner, and for 50 years he meticulously tracked the miles he ran each week.

Dave was a farmer at heart. He grew alfalfa, corn, wheat, pumpkins, and all kinds of produce, which he sold at grocery stores and farmers markets. His most important crop, however, is still growing—his family of nine children, 37 grandchildren, and three great-granddaughters. He generously shared his vegetables with others and gave freely of his time and talents to help with any project. A skilled mechanic, craftsman, and carpenter, Dave could repair or build anything.

David leaves behind a legacy of love and faith in the gospel of Jesus Christ. He is preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Delores; his children, Thomas (Misty), Laura (Mike) Middleton, Terri (Dwayne) Varnell, Linda (Lane) Austin, James (Lynette), Jill (Rob) Rudman, Sherry (Stephen) Groo, Daniel (Becky), and Evan (Toni); his grandchildren; his great granddaughters; his siblings, Myrna Wilcox, Wilma (Sam) Brewster, Marcy Fairborn, Mark (Carolyn), and Ray (Pat); and by many beloved cousins, nieces, and nephews. The family wishes to express deep gratitude for the loving care provided by the staff at the

The family wishes to express deep grafifude for the loving care provided by the staff at the memory care unit at Chancellor Gardens at Clearfield and the caregivers at Valeo Home Health and Hospice. We also appreciate the kindness and support given by many loved ones, neighbors, and friends.

Funeral services were held at the Syracuse 4th Ward Chapel, 1625 South 1100 West, Syracuse, UT on Saturday, September 24, 2022. Interment at the Syracuse City Cemetery.



#### James (Jim) Hogan Park August 2, 1938 — November 17, 2022

James Hogan Park, age 84, returned home on November 17, 2022 surrounded by his children. Jim was the first child born to Milton and Wanda Park on August 2, 1938 in Salt Lake City, UT. He was raised in Woods Cross with his brother and sister. He was a three sport athlete playing baseball, basketball and football. He graduated from Davis High School. He married Joan L Bell



in 1958 in the Salt Lake Temple. They were blessed with three children, Jill, Joel and Julie - (later divorced). Jim joined the Navy in 1958 where he served for 6 years. He was honorably discharged in 1963. He married Leslie Lemon (later divorced). Jim was an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, snowmobiling and water skiing. He enjoyed trap shooting and was quite the marksman. Jim worked in construction most of his life and took pride in the fact that he built most of the homes in the Woods Cross area. He loved to build and spent many hours in his shop. He finished his career as an equipment operator at Flying J.

Jim was an active member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. His steadfast work ethic continued with several callings. He served as Bishop, Stake Missionary, Ordinance worker and many others. He enjoyed attending the many blessings, ordinations and baptisms of his grandchildren. He continued to help those in need whenever he was able.

(James Park Cont. On Page 7)

### James Park/Deanna Duffin/Eleanor Edwards

#### (James Park Cont. From Page 6)

He is survived by his brother Kevin (Lori); children Jill (Scot) Walter, Joel (Milly) Park, and Julie (Rob) Mower; 15 grandchildren and 38 great grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his Parents, Brother Alan Park, and Sister Joan Davis. Funeral services were held Monday, November 28, 2022, at the Woods Cross LDS Chapel, 1500 South 800 West, Woods Cross. Interment in the Bountiful City Cemetery.

#### Zelma Deanna Duffin Avis January 31, 1938 — December 27, 2022

Our beloved mother and grandmother, Zelma Deanna Duffin Avis, 84, long-time resident of Bountiful, UT currently of Highland, UT, passed away on December 27th, 2022, in the comfort of her home.

Deanna was born on January 31st, 1938, to Zelma and Horace Duffin in Salt Lake City, UT. Deanna graduated from Davis High School and later went on to graduate with a Bachelor's Degree from Brigham Young University in Speech Pathology and later in life obtained a Master's Degree in Special Education from Utah State University. In 1959 Deanna met the love of her life, Kenneth Eugene Avis, on a blind date during which they became engaged. On September 8th,1960, Deanna married Ken in the Salt Lake City Temple. Deanna and Ken went on to have five children: Cindy Avis Rainey (Steve), Bradley Avis, Helen Barton, Michelle Hallett (Nate), and Christy Avis. They found great joy in their eleven grandchildren: Stephanie Arakelian (Josh), Brittiney Avis Newman, Aaron Edvalson, Michael Rainey, Valerie Rainey, Jacob Barton, Aaron Putnam, Ryan Benji Putman, Samantha Avis, Alex Avis, Trajan Hallett, and three great-grandchildren.

Deanna worked as a Speech Pathologist in the Davis County School District in the 1960s and 70s. Later, she was a special education teacher in the Davis County School District and in the Granite School District. She finished her career as an Adjunct Professor in the Utah University system educating and advocating for future paraeducators.

Deanna's treasured church callings included writing Relief Society curriculum for the LDS church and as a ward Relief Society president. During their marriage, Deanna and Ken lived for a time in Germany and went on to enjoy subsequent trips to Europe, where they were able to reminisce about old times and enjoy new experiences. Deanna was a spark of joy to everybody who knew her. She wrapped her warm and generous heart around everybody she met and worked with. She will be greatly missed. Deanna was preceded in death by her husband Kenneth Avis, daughter Christy Avis, and brothers Robert Duffin and Horace Duffin. She is survived by her sister, Helen Olson, her four children, eleven grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren. A joint celebration of life for Deanna and her husband Kenneth will be held at a later date to be announced.

#### **Eleanor Richey Edwards**

Eleanor Richey Edwards, our beloved mother, grandmother, wife and friend entered Heavenly Fathers arms on June 26, 2022 with her family at her bedside. Eleanor was born in Phoenix, AZ on March 23, 1943 to Robert Addison Richey and Evelyn Phillips Richey. She leaves behind Larry V. Edwards, her husband of 63 years, her two sons, Brett (Kelley) and Todd (Cheryl), two daughters, Elizabeth and Angela.

### Eleanor Edwards/AlumnAssoc. Info

#### (Eleanor Edwards Cont. From Page 7)

Five beautiful grandchildren, Maclain, Madison, Quillan, Keegan and Jaden and her two brothers, Robert Richey and John Richey. In death, she has now rejoined her father, dear mother and three sisters. Eleanor was raised in Phoenix, AZ, Salt Lake City, UT and Bountiful, UT. She was a faithful member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Eleanor and Larry were married in the Salt Lake Temple in 1959. They lived in Bountiful, UT until 1973 where their four children were born. In 1973, compliments of the US Army, they headed west to San Francisco for three years, to Colorado Springs for four years, and finally Northern Virginia and the Washington, DC area for several assignments. After retiring from the Army in 1992, they remained in the DC area while Larry worked for the District of Columbia Government for 14 years. In 2008, they packed up and headed back West to Colorado Springs. Central to Eleanor's life was her love for her family. She shared this love and excitement for life with her husband, and served as an excellent example for her children and grandchildren. Her passion and talents were never more on display than they were within the walls of her own home. She was quite an entertainer. No one will ever forget the many, many hours of playing Charades.

Eleanor was a gifted interior decorator, and along with her love for antiques, created a home that everyone wanted to visit. She loved the visits until they all started begging her to help decorate their own homes. She will be missed by many who loved and cherished her. A Graveside Funeral Service was conducted at the Meadow, UT Cemetery on July 1, 2022. The Olpin Stevens Funeral Home in Fillmore, UT conducted the service.

#### DAVIS HIGH ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

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	te this form and mail to: of the Darts"

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\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

On the home page, click on "School Information"---then click on "Alumni"---scrool down the page until you see "Class of 1956"---click on "Bold" months---for the 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
Norman Faldmo	08/17/2021
David Zaugg	09/19/2022
James (Jim) Park	11/17/2022
Deanna Duffin	12/27/2022

**Alumni Family Members**Eleanor Richey Edwards

Died
06/26/2022

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 January 31, 2022 our unofficial departed Dart count is 234.

#### 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

