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Mission Statement

MCI pledges to provide a rigorous, comprehensive educational program to a multicultural student body with a wide range of abilities and interests. In a safe and caring atmosphere, students will acquire knowledge, self-esteem, social responsibility and the critical thinking and communication skills necessary for global citizenship and lifelong learning.

OPERATING PRINCIPLES

In pursuit of its mission, the Institute finds the following principles essential to operation. Thus, MCI:

- · is an independent school.
- does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, age, sexual preference, disability, religion or national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, financial aid programs, athletics or other school administered programs and activities.
- favors for admission candidates who demonstrate intellectual aptitude, wholesome character and good citizenship.
- bases all decisions on the best interest of the student(s) involved and its impact on the total student body.
- defines clearly all policies of the school and the process by which each policy is administered.
- makes a substantial effort at achieving all decisions by consensus of those affected.
- recruits, retains and supports highly qualified teaching professionals, knowledgeable administrators and support personnel who, through their various professional endeavors, support the educational mission of MCI.
- builds and maintains its facilities in congruence with the Institute's program and mission. All decisions regarding facilities are made in the context of the school's heritage and setting.
- operates the school, a nonprofit institution, on a sound financial basis at the highest level of efficiency consistent with the Institute's program and mission.
- selects, informs and supports the Board of Trustees in its leadership role
 of providing the mission, governance and resources for the Institute,
 present and future.
- supports the alumni organization which provides for the needs of alumni, who in turn, support the Institute in the present and future.

Jince the school's inception in 1866, we have been committed to student achievement. Today is no different and we continue to be committed to academic excellence. This is the heart of what we do. Beyond that is the development of the total person which entails everything from personal health and wellness to being a life-long learner and global citizen. The celebration of diversity has also become a focal point of the teaching process for all of us here at MCI. We are proud of who we are and the service we provide for every student at MCI. Being a student-centered school is the only way for us to exist.

At the center of what we provide today's student is academic achievement and without down-playing the value of the humanities and fine arts, it is critical to focus upon the ever-increasing requirement for all of our youngsters being well grounded in the sciences, mathematics and the use of technology.

As we move into the 21st century, the greatest challenge for our future generations is preserving the earth upon which we live, finding a better means of preserving the resources that exist as well as developing alternative resources to perhaps replace those that are fast being depleted.

The explosion of technology and the use of it in every walk of life in the past 20 years is mind boggling. It may have its pros and cons but it is a part of our lives and will only continue to expand. We need to provide our young people with the basic foundation upon which they can prosper in this world, remembering that today's youngsters need the same basics as when we graduated and more if they are going to have the opportunities we hope for them to experience. Math, science and technology are at the top of our list in terms of better preparing MCI students for the generations to come.

The greatest resource we have to insure that success is the need to employ an outstanding faculty and to pay them at the necessary level. We are now entering the second year of a five-year plan to bring our faculty salaries to an appropriate level. We also need to provide them the resources and facilities necessary to achieve the success we feel are so important.

We are truly running out of instructional space on campus. We have carved out space for technology, which formally was classrooms. Space for special services has also been taken from former classroom spaces. For two years now, we have been using a part of the lower level of Manson Hall for two math and science classrooms. We are now using the Ella Powell Room in the library as classroom space as well as the conference room in Weymouth Hall.

The student population from the local community has increased by nearly 100 students in the past four years and our boarding program has increased by 35 students over that same period of time.

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MCT: A Proud Heritage and Future Vision We are cramped. We need more instructional space and the academic area that will benefit the greatest by new facilities is math, science and technology.

In January of 1998, the MCI Board of Trustees embarked upon a capital campaign for the purpose of constructing a new math and science facility as well as to further enhance the school's endowment for greater support of faculty and staff salaries. The first phase of the campaign called the "silent phase" involves the solicitation of a relatively small number of donors.

The silent phase was initiated in January 1998 has resulted in total gifts and pledges of \$3,001,827. The trustees (past and present) have now pledged a total of \$1,268,184. The Maine Central Institute faculty and staff have pledged \$72,000 and the lead givers, which includes corporate giving, foundation support and pledges by private individuals totals \$1,661,612.

This demonstrates an extraordinary commitment to the school. Of that total, \$595,695 has been restricted by respective donors to the endowment. The Cianbro Corporation has projected the cost to construct the proposed building to be \$2,674,227. This coupled with the cost for the technology in the building, furnishings and architectural costs as well as the cost to raise the necessary revenue along with short-term interest expenses during the pledge period brings the total cash requirement to complete the building to \$3,565,052. Cash, pledges, and in-kind gifts committed to the new building total \$2,406,132 leaving a balance to be raised of \$1,159,000. It is still necessary for a number of large gifts be solidified prior to conducting a mass solicitation of the general alumni body. We are hopeful that by the beginning of the

year 2000, such a request can be made to the alumni body resulting in the successful completion of the campaign with over \$4 million raised as a result of the extreme generosity of those associated with the school. This campaign will move the institution truly into the next century with a state-of-the-art math and science facility. As we progress forward, we are excited about the progress made recognize that the campaign we have embarked upon will serve the youngsters of Pittsfield, Burnham and Detroit, the United States and around the world, to an extraordinary degree for decades to come.

At the same time, the school has embarked upon an annual commitment of \$50,000 from our operating budget to initiate the renovation of Founders Hall. All gifts to the Annual Fund will be committed to Founders Hall as well as enhancing technology on campus. During the past summer, two classrooms were totally remodeled, the trim painting was completed and new doors have been installed on the front of the building. By the end of the year, new doors will be installed on the back of the building. It will be necessary to develop an escrow fund for the annual commitment to replace the heating systems as well as bring the building into compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Everyone's support in regard to the Campaign for MCI as well as the Annual Fund for Founders Hall and technology will be greatly appreciated.

Best regards, Cummmfr Douglas C. Cummings, Head of School



Class of 1979 at their 20th reunion at Craig and Sherry Mayhew Littlefield's home. Kneeling (1 - r): Ann Cianchette Ball, Debbie Feegel, Dena Frost Hall, Nancy Quint, Diann Marcoux, Shaw Rogers, Kelly Breau Fitts, Keathy Kelley, Trent and Judy Richardson. Standing (1-r): Bonnie Hicks, Lori Wyman, Sandra Moody, Robert Huff, Nina Hohman, Nelson Newhouse, Barbara Morrs, Sherry Mayhew Littlefield, Cindy Leighton King, Jimi Fotter, David McGowan, Trudi Bickford Ames, Tammy Smith, Karen Cropley, Annette Bouffard, Ricki Pomerleau.

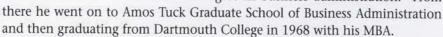
Class of 1939 at their 60th reunion (l - r) Mildred Merrithew Donovan, Barbara Treton Inman, Ervena Frederick Belcher, Eleanor Davis Perkins. Back row: Walter Sherman, Ray Whitney, Maynard Ames, Gordon Hollis, Harold Harding, Glenn Cookson. Absent from picture: Stanley Fletcher.

The Hall of Fame was developed in 1983 for the purpose of honoring those alumni and friends of Maine Central Institute who by their accomplishments, service, and/or support have made extraordinary contributions to the school.

The selections are made by a nominating committee made up of a member of the Alumni Association Executive Committee, a representative of

the Board of Trustees, Head of School, Director of Alumni Affairs and a member of the faculty.

This year's inductee, Mike Savage, emulates all of the criteria for induction. As a student at Maine Central Institute, Mike Savage was involved in numerous activities including student government, basketball, baseball, football, Boys State, president of the Latin Club and National Honor Society. His career at MCI as a student culminated by being named the the class of 1962 Master's Cup recipient, the highest honor of all male students. Upon graduation from Maine Central Institute, Mike attended Bates College graduating in 1966 with a degree in business administration. From



Mike Savage served as controller at Hannaford Brothers for many years and as president and treasurer of Ecological Futures, Inc. He is currently president of MTS, LLC, a real estate investment company. Mike has been involved with other non-profit organizations serving as a trustee at North Yarmouth Academy, the Brighton Medical Center and Scarborough Public Library. He has been involved with the Social Planning Committee for the United Way in Portland and is an advisor for Junior Achievement for southwestern Maine. Mike resides in Cumberland with his wife Priscilla Brown

Savage. They have two grown sons, Andrew and James, and two grandchildren, Margaret Treat Savage and Henry Thomas Savage.

Mike Savage's service to MCI is above reproach. He has been an extraordinarily committed trustee for over twenty years. He has always gone above and beyond to ensure the best educational opportunities possible for the youngsters that attend Maine Central Institute.

Mike began his first stint as trustee from 1974-87; serving as vice-president from 1975-1977, and president of the Board of Trustees from 1977-1980. He rejoined the Board of Trustees in 1992 and currently serves as the treasurer of the Board of Trustees and as the chair of the Campaign for MCI.

As chair of the Campaign for MCI, he has worked diligently the past 18 months during the quiet phase of the campaign. Under Mike's capable leadership, the school has raised nearly \$3 million toward a goal of \$4.2 million.

The entire MCI Family applauds Michael T. Savage for his tremendous level of achievement, service to the institution and support of the school. The MCI Family is fortunate to have such an extraordinary person who has such a wonderful passion for the students who attend Maine Central Institute, its heritage, and its vision for the future.



MCI's 1999 Hall of Fame Inductee Michael T. Savage '62 and his wife, Cilla Savage.

Chuck Cianchette '48
congratulating Mike Savage
for his induction into the
MCI Hall of Fame

there he went on and then graduatin
Mike Savage
and as president an

Investing in MCI Provides Great Dividends by Douglas Cummings

On behalf of the faculty, staff and student body at Maine Central Institute, I am writing to express my sincere gratitude for the wonderful support so many people have given to Maine Central Institute during the past year. Our Annual Fund concluded on June 30, 1999, with 440 gifts averaging \$192 to total \$84,582. Seven percent of our alumni contributed to the Annual Fund last year, which represents 40% of the total dollars raised. We are also very thankful for the hard work and guidance of the Annual Fund chair, Gregg Patterson '69.

We are also pleased to report that we have a 53 percent increase in the number of class agents since October 1997. We now have 51 class agents who are actively

engaged in communicating with their respective classmates as well as maintaining a close tie with the school. At the Alumni Reunion Weekend in August we had the largest turnout experienced in a number of years. At the Alumni Banquet, there were 280 people in attendance for dinner followed by a great turnout at JW Parks Golf Course as well as 80 people playing in the Alumni Scramble on Sunday morning. It was a great weekend overall.

The Alumni Open which was held on August 16 proved to be a very successful endeavor with 48 players participating for a net of \$7,500 for the Alumni Association and school. The lion's share of this is committed to the Alumni Association's pledge to the Capital Campaign. At Family and Friends Weekend, we had throughout the weekend. Over 300 people were served at the pizza party following



What a group! The Newhouse Clan at the Alumni Scramble.

the Friday night game. The following pages provide information about all of the wonderful support provided to the school by alumni, friends, parents, employees and corporations during the past year. We have attempted to provide a record of all the gifts in accordance with the standards set forth by the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education (CASE). If we have misrepresented anyone's gift or have made a mistake in any way, please call or write me directly so that the matter can be rectified.

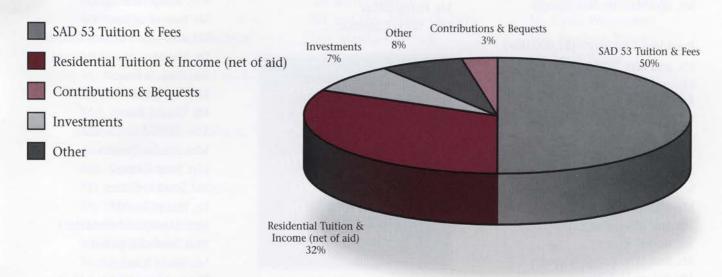
It is our sincere hope that we have not missed anyone and that no one goes unrecognized for their wonderful contributions to the school. We are greatly dependent upon them and look forward to their continuance.

I hope everyone finds the information contained in this Annual Report to be worthy and clear. Thank you very much for your wonderful generosity.

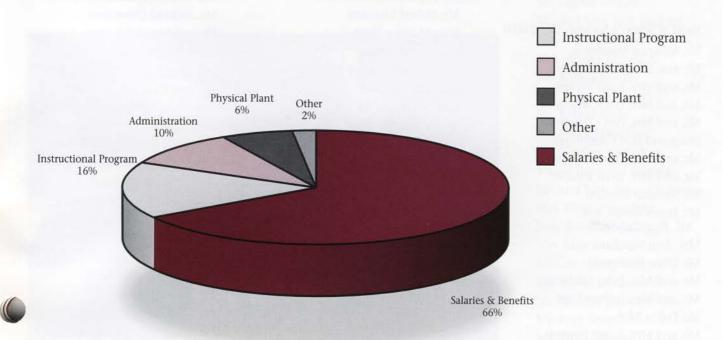


Lori Wyman Glidden '80: Sherry Mayhew Littlefield '79, Associate Head/Athletic Director Julie Treadwell; Michelle Vigue Hodgins '91 at the Alumni Scramble.

1999 Operating Income



1999 Operating Expenses





Victory Society - (\$2,500.00+)

Mr. Michael Fendler Mr. Gregory Patterson

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Savage

President's Society - (\$1,000.00+)

Mr. and Mrs. William Ball

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cianchette

The Evalene Lancaster Cianchette

Memorial Fund

Mr. Kenneth Cianchette

Mrs. Cynthia Crocker

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Frederick, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Harris

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery Hazell

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Mr. Robert H. Libby

MCI Alumni Association

Mrs. Ginger McPherson

Mr. Thomas Savage

Mr. Benedict Stearns

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Vigue

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wright

Head of School's Society - (\$500.00+)

Mr. Maurice Atwater, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Bartlett

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Mr. and Mrs. Eric Cianchette

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Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Fendler

Mr. Thomas Gordon

Mr. James Gould and

Ms. Page Talbott

Mrs. Ann Hamlin

Mr. Dean Homstead

Mr. and Mrs. John LeMieux

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Lord

Mr. Dalen Mills

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Percival

Mr. Paul Pietranico

Mr. Elbert Prince

Alumni Dean's Club - (\$250.00+)

Anonymous

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bickford

Mr. Philip Buker

Mrs. Tania Carnrick

Congratulations
to the Class of
1964—the
reunion class with
the most dollars
contributed to the
annual fund

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Mr. Nicholas Craig

Mrs. Syrena Gatewood

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Mr. James Maynard

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Miss Linda Shorey

Alumni Captain's Club - (\$100.00+)

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Alumni Club - (\$1.00+)

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Mrs. Carrie Allen

Mr. Douglas Allen

Mr. Alton Ames

Mr. Maynard Ames

Mr. Walter Anthony

Mr. Timothy Archibald

Mr. Herbert Bailey

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Mrs. Jane Bradshaw

Mrs. Ann Bragdon

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Mr. Spencer Brookes II

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Mr. Arey Bryant

Mr. Theo Bryant

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Bryant



50th anniversary class luncheon in the Powell Memorial Library

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Mr. Frank Buker Mr. E. Vance Bunker

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Mr. Peter Butman

Mrs. Carleen Carlson

Mrs. Harriet Cederstrom



MCI Alumni Association President, Ralph Damren '64 awarding Barbara Vigue Day '64 with an outstanding service award from the class of 1964.

Mrs. Carolyn Chadbourne in memory of Molly Jayne Shorey Woodworth '49

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Mrs. Sarah Williams

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Congratulations to the Class of 1939 — the reunion class with the highest percentage of giving to the annual fund

CLASS OF 1925

Beatrice Palmer Frederick Esther Bussell Stitham Frances Woods 25.00% (3 out of 12) gave \$350

CLASS OF 1926

Elizabeth Griffin Farr 7.69% (1 out of 13) gave \$25

CLASS OF 1927

Julia Cowan Lehr 11.11% (1 out of 9) gave \$100

CLASS OF 1928

Roland Graves Marion Louder Hanson 20.00% (2 out of 10) gave \$65

CLASS OF 1929

Grace Quarrington Corey
C. Walter Evans
Mabel Prince Lord
Charlotte Reed Robbins
19.05% (4 out of 21) gave \$125

CLASS OF 1930

H. Nelson Tibbetts, Class Agent
Pauline Mahoney Dorr
Elizabeth Kimball Langlois
Stanton Sherman
H. Nelson Tibbetts
Eleanor Toothaker
20.83% (5 out of 24) gave \$225

CLASS OF 1932

Beulah Harmon Fortier Edward Laughton Harold Marsh Edward McFarland Sarah Wren Williams 18.52% (5 out of 27) gave \$125

CLASS OF 1933

Sara Cowan, Class Agent
Geraldine Stott Carleton
Joseph Coffin
William Coffin
Arthur Danielson
Viola Stafford Schurian
Jennie Reynolds Thompson
23.08% (6 out of 26) gave \$340

CLASS OF 1934

Alton Ames Norman Bickford Maurice Morgan Josephine Hilliker Smith 12.50% (4 out of 32) gave \$225

CLASS OF 1935

Elizabeth Reynolds Sobey, Class Agent Mable Carvel Blair Iva Cianchette Cregnole John Dickson Marion Crawford Hutchinson Robert Kinney Keith Smith Elizabeth Reynolds Sobey 17.50% (7 out of 40) gave \$1,245 Bunny Doherty Bickford
Nicholas Craig
Florice Baker Hubbard
Russell Martin
Hilda Gerow Powers
Elbert Prince
Eloise Dean Reilly
Fred Stafford
William Talbot
Ruth Shuman Valore
Charles Welch
Phyliss Baker Wright
40.63% (13 out of 32) gave \$1,555

CLASS OF 1939

Ervena Frederick Belcher, Class Agent
Maynard Ames
Ervena Frederick Belcher
Robert Blake
Carl Estes
Stanley Fletcher
Harold Harding
Rita Bouchard Norton
Eleanore Davis Perkins
Walter Sherman
Betty Knight Webber
28.57% (10 out of 35) gave \$535



(l - r): Brian Hanson '49, Norm Roy '49 and Dom Gacetta '49 at registration during Alumni Reunion.

CLASS OF 1936

Evalene Pendexter White, Class Agent
Eleanor Blaisdell Bradeen
Lynwood Cookson
Mary Alice Conroy Crabb
M. Jean Davis Crawford
Evelyn Dodge Joy
Marian Leckemby Moore
Roland Reilly
Norman Rogers
27.59% (8 out of 29) gave \$260

CLASS OF 1937

Phyllis James Eggers
Paul Houston
Rachel Davis Johnson
Grace Huff Ward-Blaisdell
11.76% (4 out of 34) gave \$270

CLASS OF 1938

Stanley Basford

CLASS OF 1940

Alma Ellingwood Allan Ronello Brown Victor Burnheimer Norris Cianchette James Merrill Robert Moulton Dorothy Whitman Orr Novella Cookson Rogers 17.02% (8 out of 47) gave \$465

CLASS OF 1941

Marjorie Tilton Bolger Gladys Pendexter Durette Winnifred Ellingwood Hammond Robert Hill Floyd James Edith Atwell Smith Benedict Stearns Arlene Bryant Wakefield 22.86% (8 out of 35) gave \$1,285

CLASS OF 1942

Arlene Frederick Beardsley, Class Agent
Arlene Frederick Beardsley
Sylvia Snow Berry
Kenneth Cianchette
Carolyn Brown Foster
Ann Milliken Hamlin
Marshall Hammond
Elizabeth Campbell Lazerte
Willard Lehr
Herbert Scribner
Rosalie Varnum Shaw
Wayne Thurston
Wendall Towle
27.91% (12 out of 43) gave \$2,090

CLASS OF 1943

Ann Hatch Bragdon Cynthia Clark Crocker Barbara Maxim Mair Martelle Quint Carl Wright 13.89% (5 out of 36) gave \$2,160

CLASS OF 1944

Helmi Paakki Perry, Class Agent Ival Cianchette Richard Clark Donn Fendler 9.09% (3 out of 33) gave \$650

CLASS OF 1945

Roger Percival Evelyn Webendorfer Springer Wayne Susi Richard Whalen 12.50% (4 out of 32) gave \$1,051.57



Class of 1949 at the head of school's reception

CLASS OF 1946

Donna Hodgins Graham, Class Agent Donna Hodgins Graham Lea Osiason Lyle Small Ruth Shaw Thomas Joyce Almonte Wyman Stanley Wyman 11.76% (6 out of 51) gave \$608

CLASS OF 1947

Alexander Agostinelli
Marilyn Bunker Cianchette
Ralph Clark
Eunice Soule Damren
Alice Wright Fitts
Gilman Friend
Austin Harris
William Hendricks
Les Leggett
James Logan
Cecil McLaggan
15.07% (11 out of 73) gave \$1,470

CLASS OF 1948

Elizabeth Coolidge Whalen, Class Agent Arey Bryant, Class Agent Robert Beattie Arey Bryant Theo Bryant Carolyn Shatney Chadbourne Alton Cianchette Helen Esty Cianchette Roy Dyke Knute Holmsen Neil Larochelle Robert Libby Thomas Millett Alice Shaw Patterson Martha Buker Reny Elizabeth Coolidge Whalen Gilbert White Joyce Beattie Williams 25.81% (16 out of 62) gave \$3,580

CLASS OF 1949

Harriet Riley Cederstrom Marilyn Fowler Chamberlain Joyce Jackson Daily Brian Hanson Cecelia Shatney Basil Tasker 7.79% (6 out of 77) gave \$305

CLASS OF 1950

Virginia Coolbroth Landry, Class Agent
John Grass
Jerome Hallee
Virginia Coolbroth Landry
Thomas Monaghan
Walter Mooers
Mary Dysart Quint
Julia Jackson Rodenbeck
Colleen Roundy Rohrer
Cyrus Wentworth
11.25% (9 out of 80) gave \$465

CLASS OF 1951

Beatrice Newhouse Billings, Class Agent Walter Anthony Beverly Sennett Berry Richard Berry Mary Nutting Emerson Adolph Gingras
Maxine Young Gorten
Mary-Lou Davis Grass
David Higgins
Patricia Tinkham Levasseur
Frederick Maher
Sterling Smith
Galen Spencer
13.95% (12 out of 86) gave \$652

CLASS OF 1952

Frank Buker
Sandra Humphrey Carson
Violet Foster Higgins
Robert Knowles
Shirley Fields Libby
David McGaffin
Sylvia Menendez
Wayne Tilton
Dolnar Whitten
Patricia Buxton Whitten
14.49% (10 out of 69) gave \$890

CLASS OF 1953

Sarah Chipman, Class Agent
Jacqualyn Smith Bennett
Philip Buker
Sarah Chipman
Phillip Coffin
Thurlow Cooper
Ned Jewett
Charles MacDonald
Joyce Hunt Rowe
10.39% (8 out of 77) gave \$635

CLASS OF 1954

Terrie Dean Clark, Class Agent Gerald Barnes Kenneth Hallee Nicholas Mavodones **4.84%** (3 out of 62) gave \$150

CLASS OF 1955

Leona Cross Lovely, Class Agent
Anonymous
Janet Eaton Belisle
Anne McCready Bowen
Francis Bowen
Harvey Chambers
Dana Fields
Edith Langley Partridge
Jay Slipp
J. Scott Tardif
10.23% (9 out of 88) gave \$610

CLASS OF 1956

Laurence Allen Norris Ashe John Griffin Keith McFarland **4.44%** (4 out of 90) gave \$320

Alumni Class Analysis ... continued

CLASS OF 1957

Beverly Thompson Allen Richard Desmarais Patricia Morgan David Mosher David Pendexter 4.46% (5 out of 112) gave \$280

CLASS OF 1958

Spencer Brookes Wayne Goodnow Ernold Goodwin 3.23% (3 out of 93) gave \$100

CLASS OF 1959

Nancy Ross Cameron, Class Agent
Frank Blanchard
E. Vance Bunker
Anthony Frederick
Thomas Hallee
Walter Littlefield
Joan Heffren Slipp
4.55% (6 out of 132) gave \$1,231

CLASS OF 1960

Marilyn Nash, Class Agent
Joan Basford Bradey, Class Agent
John Baxter
Joan Basford Bradley
Glennis Brown Fields
John Gould
David Ingraham
Janis Withee Lahaie
Floyd Lawrence
Marilyn Nash
Leonard Nemon
Roger Nightingale
8.62% (10 out of 116) gave \$615



Class of 1964 at their 35th reunion at Georgie and Ron Farrin's home

CLASS OF 1961

Julianna Armstrong Getts, Class Agent Douglas Allen Sally Smith Bryant Peter Butman Jean Cregnole Crangle Anne Dobson Thomas Gordon
Orman Hines
Rebecca Hunt McKenney
Patricia Wright Pellegrino
William Reed
7.04% (10 out of 142) gave \$1,620

CLASS OF 1962

Peter Redfern, Class Agent
Daniel Brooks
David Dunn
Charles Freeman
Carol Rodgers Good
Jeremy Lord
Betty Cole Nathaniel
Michael Savage
Robert Ward
Tom Winsor
5.92% (9 out of 152) gave \$4,730

CLASS OF 1963

Wayne Pinkham, Class Agent
William Ball
Frank Corrao
Stephen Francis
Anne Witham Jenkins
Jonathan Morse
Wayne Pinkham
Alton Richardson
Earle Tarbell
Margaret Susi Veilleux
6.57% (9 out of 137) gave \$1,405

CLASS OF 1964

Barbara Vigue Day, Class Agent

Maurice Atwater Gerald Buker Carleen Cianchette Carlson **Bruce Cassidy** James Cyr Ralph Damren Barbara Vigue Day Linda Eastman Theodore Grant Frank Haseltine Ronald Kinney Robert David Menucci Thomas Savage Michael Vigue R. Glen Wehrwein Gregory Wright 11.85% (16 out of 135) gave \$4,930

CLASS OF 1965

Charles Boetsch
Pamela Houston Brooks
Ronald Friend
James Gould
Robert Perry
Delmont Soule
Leigh White
3.91% (7 out of 179) gave \$810

CLASS OF 1966

Anna Parker, Class Agent
Richard Chick
Susan Barrett Friend
Vicki Boetsch Harriman
Charles Kittredge
James Manning
Dalen Mills
Thomas Wentworth
4.27% (7 out of 164) gave \$675

CLASS OF 1967

Dwight Brown
Nancy Chandler Clews
Douglas Fernald
Carl Harmon
John Leonard
Wayne Ray
F. Alex Tredinnick
Michael Wiers



Class of 1974 at their 25th reunion at Randa Wright Fitts' home.

CLASS OF 1968

Norman Mitchell, Class Agent Sharon Hanson Ringuette, Class Agent David Anastasio Herbert Bailey Eric Cianchette Garret Cole Norman Mitchell Sharon Hanson Ringuette Richard Schofield Seven Shaw 5.03% (8 out of 159) gave \$880

CLASS OF 1969

Christopher Boetsch
Mac Cianchette
Gary Fitts
Dean Homstead
Jane Cianchette Linscott
James Maynard
Bruce Parker
Gregory Patterson
Linda Shorey
6.47% (9 out of 139) gave \$4,975



Roy Milke, Class Agent
Michael Fendler
Steven Hodgkins
Bonnie Grignon McGowan
Larry Murinson
Thomas Stewart
3.85% (5 out of 130) gave \$3,425

CLASS OF 1971

Hunter Friend, Class Agent Laurie Fitts Loosigian William Nolan Gregory Saunders Frank Susi Kenneth Yanco 4.50% (5 out of 111) gave \$310

CLASS OF 1972

Lawrence Boothby
Wayne Clough
2.20% (2 out of 91) gave \$150

CLASS OF 1973

Susan Smith Norris, Class Agent
Tania Rogers Carnrick
Scott Carter
Donald James
Jill Cianchette Lambert
Ronald Lambert
Stephen Martin
Susan Smith Norris
Pamela Peters Snowman
9.41% (8 out of 85) gave \$762.50

CLASS OF 1974

Vera Lloyd Bryant, Class Agent Vera Lloyd Bryant James Dunphy Syrena Thompson Gatewood Patrick McGowan 4.55% (4 out of 88) gave \$322.50

CLASS OF 1975

Karin Reynolds Wagner, Class Agent Kevin Bryant Ellen Champagne Rex Michael Susi Kathryn Rodgers Trudell Karen Reynolds Wagner 5.32% (5 out of 94) gave \$115

CLASS OF 1976

Donald Hallenbeck, Class Agent
Ted Cianchette
Pamela Long Dunphy
Donald Hallenbeck
Colleen Dunphy Martin
4.76% (4 out of 84) gave \$89.50

CLASS OF 1977

Susan Williams Ouellette, Class Agent Gary Davis Pamela Newhouse Dufour Craig Littlefield Susan Williams Ouellette Dale Penney George Sullivan Erik Updyke 6.67% (7 out of 105) gave \$329

CLASS OF 1978

Robert Stackhouse, Class Agent John LeMieux Thomas Snowman 2.25% (2 out of 89) gave \$512.50

CLASS OF 1979

Ann Cianchette Ball, Class Agent
Trudi Bickford Ames, Class Agent
Robert Ballard
Barbara Morra Basford
Jeffery Hazell
Dwight Holbrook
Sharon Mayhew Littlefield
Sandra Moody Perkins
Nancy Quint
Nina Hohman Rochette
6.90% (8 out of 116) gave \$1,350

CLASS OF 1980

Belinda Lawrence Sterling, Class Agent Rick Basford Jane Meade Bradshaw Lori Wyman Glidden Jeffrey Perkins Scott Williams 4.59% (5 out of 109) gave \$237.50

CLASS OF 1981

Wayne Bryant, Class Agent Nancie Breau McLeod, Class Agent Carrie Moulton Allen Suzanne Lynch Guild Anna Watson Peterson 1.99% (3 out of 151) gave \$76

CLASS OF 1982

Nancy Bertrand Shorey, Class Agent Cheryl Paresson Austin William Bradshaw Christian Cookson 2.52% (3 out of 119) gave \$425

CLASS OF 1983

Ann MacLan Chlan Manian, Class Agent Charice Ouellette Sullivan, Class Agent Lana Weymouth Ballard Jean Cianchette Bradshaw Duane Morin John Mosher Kristen Briggs Penney Edward Porter 4.65% (6 out of 129) gave \$413.50

CLASS OF 1984

Tracy Goodridge, Class Agent
Patricia Cianchette Skirnick, Class Agent
Timothy Archibald
Michael Lynch
Bradley Newhouse
2.27% (3 out of 132) gave \$250

CLASS OF 1985

Jennifer Quint, Class Agent Susan Watson 0.78% (1 out of 129) gave \$25

CLASS OF 1986

Lisa Nickerson, Class Agent
William Dow
Michael Hodgins
David MacGown
Marlisa Debeck Noonan
Shawn Sidelinger
Clint Williams
5.71% (6 out of 105) gave \$400

CLASS OF 1987

Barbara Pomeroy, Class Agent Michael Heath Scott Olney Barbara Pomeroy David Wintle 4.17% (4 out of 96) gave \$255

CLASS OF 1988

Loren Lavalle Martin, Class Agent
C.J. Mitchell, Class Agent
Jennifer Dahlgren Cram
Donna Deckert Handoe
Loren Lavalle Martin
C.J. Mitchell
Paul Pietranico
Emily Melvin Vigue
Larissa Vigue
5.69% (7 out of 123) gave \$510

CLASS OF 1989

Lisa Cook Madore, Class Agent Carrie Fontaine Andi Vigue 1.85% (2 out of 108) gave \$150

CLASS OF 1990

Robert Beattie Jamie Desisto 1.45% (2 out of 138) gave \$37.50

CLASS OF 1991

Michelle Vigue Hodgins Rachel Withee Wintle 1.79% (2 out of 112) gave \$105

CLASS OF 1992

Laura Norris, Class Agent Jon Desisto 0.68% (1 out of 146) gave \$12.50

Restricted Gifts

Bob and Bonnie Brooks, brick work for Crystal Brooks Bench Gregg Patterson, Patterson Family bench and brick work

Gifts In-Kind

Acheron Engineering N.W. Allen Printing C.M. Almy and Sons E.D. Call and Son Memorials Scott Carter Dr. Rodney Chelberg, M.D. Creative Printed Solutions Cianbro Corporation Doug and Lori Cummings Michael Dow Gordon Construction I.R. Sports John Parkhurst Randall Turf Care Rosalie Varnum Shaw '48, in memory of Kenneth Shaw **Iennifer Whitesel** Woodworth Construction

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Bank of Boston Corporation, matching gift of Sally Smith Bryant '61 CIGNA Foundation, matching gift of Nancy Sinclair Wilson '52 Equitable, matching gift of Ralph Damren '64 First Union Foundation, matching gift of James Gould '65 General Mills Foundation, matching gift of E. Robert Kinney '35 Lucent Technologies, matching gift of Benjamin Longenecker Morgan Stanley & Company Incorporated, matching gift of David MacGown '86 New England Power Service Company, matching gift of Harold Kitching SPX Foundation, matching gift of Scott Olney '87 and Kathy Palmer Tenneco, matching gift of Herbert Scribner '42 Charles Schwab Corp. Foundation, matching gift of Paul Pietranico '88

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Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cianchette
Today Foundation

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Judy and Tom Niblock
John Hancock Mutual Life
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The Uniqueness of the MCI Experience

Average Class Size 15 to 1

Average Student/Teacher Ratio 11 to 1

Average Daily Attendance 95%

Humanities Program recognized by the National Endowment for the

Humanities (team taught history and English)

Extracurricular participation:

150 students participating in music

75 students participating in theater

125-160 students participating per season

70 percent of the student body is involved in one or more clubs or activities

Comparison to other Maine Schools and Selected Counties

Commitment to Strategic Planning

Curriculum development with clearly identified quality indicators

 Facilities long term assessment and prioritization completed collaboratively by all factions of the school

 Employee compensation in year two of a five-year plan to increase compensation to competitive levels.

Development

Annual Fund — \$85,000-\$95,000/year Capital Campaign — \$3 million pledged past 18 months

Last campaign in 1986 — total raised \$853,000

Admissions

Since reorganization of the residential population (deletion of PG Football) enrollment has increased by 62 percent. We are within 10 students of totally replacing football contingent in three years with younger, more academically and financially capable youngsters. We exceeded net revenue generated prior to reorganization in year two.

Financial Aid-priority to Maine undergraduate students

Endowment

Total in 1986 — \$750,000 Total in 1999 — \$6,900,000

Budgeting is completed on a five-year projection basis

Cultural Diversity

Student Body 1999-00:

| SAD 53 | 428 |
|-------------------------|-----|
| Other Maine Communities | 22 |
| Other American States | 18 |
| Other Countries | 47 |

Students going on to college (five-year trend):

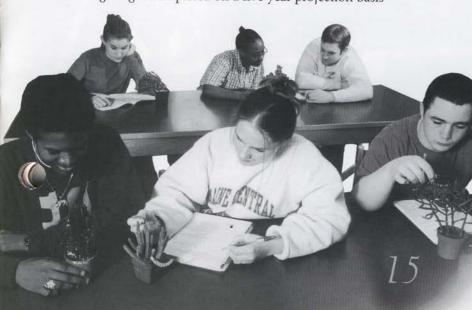
| Maine Central Institute | 78.45% |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Cumberland County | 68.3% |
| Penobscot County | 63% |
| Piscataquis County | 68% |
| Somerset County | 46% |
| Waldo County | 58.5% |
| State of Maine Public Schools | 60.53% |
| Other Maine private schools | |
| serving the public sector | 78.65% |

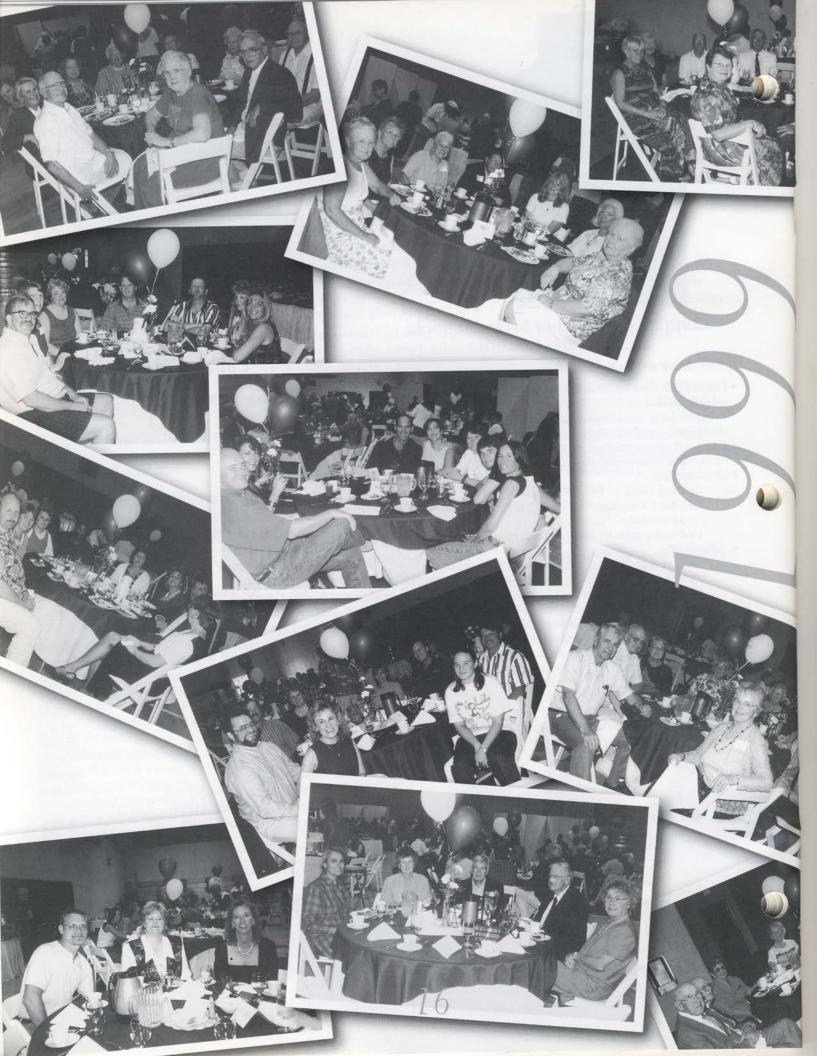
Drop Out Rate-Five-year trend.

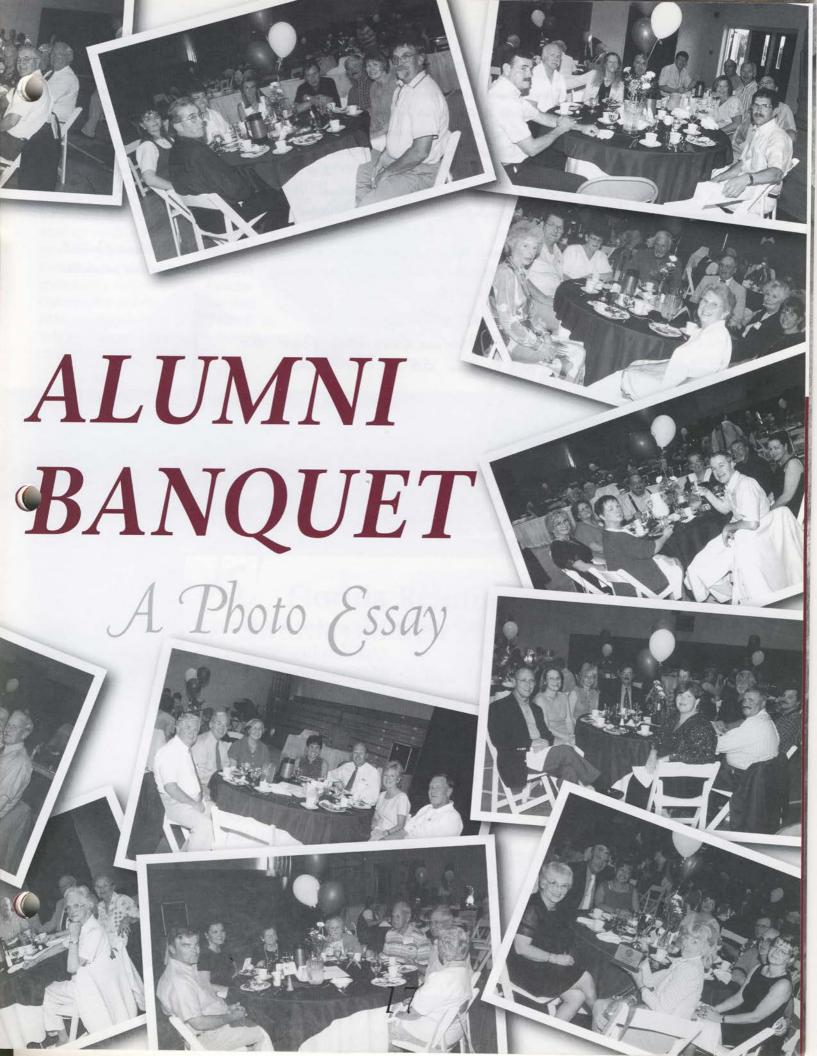
| Drop Out Kate-rive-year trena: | |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Maine Central Institute | 0.74% |
| Cumberland County | 3.46% |
| Penobscot County | 3.06% |
| Piscataquis County | 4.05% |
| Somerset County | 3.62% |
| Waldo County | 3.61% |
| State of Maine public schools | 3.09% |
| Other Maine private schools | |
| serving the public sector | 2 12% |

Critical Issues to be Addressed

Additional classroom space
State-of-the-Art science facility
Endowment for faculty salaries as well
as facility care
Technology







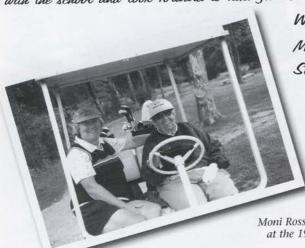
FROM THE J.W. PARKS GOLF COURSE

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support on Alumni Weekend. Myself, Dawn, Stan and Debbi all enjoyed seeing old friends and sharing in this celebration.

It is our goal at J.W. Parks to continue to improve our working relationship with Maine Central Institute. We will work each year to make next year's event better than the last. If there are any comments or suggestions, feel free to contact us at 207-487-9280 or e-mail at juparks @mint.net. We welcome your suggestions and will use them to improve our service to you. The knowledge that we have of this event now should allow us to staff better and be more prepared for you in the future.

In our business, we must always remember the people that help us to succeed. The alumni of Maine Central Institute and their families have certainly contributed to the success of our business. We are proud of our association

with the school and look forward to next year's event.



We will see you in August, Mike and Dawn Kitchin Dugas '83 Stan '65 and Debbi Kitchin

Moni Ross and Tookie Russell at the 1999 Alumni Open

Obituaries

The Alumni Office has been notified of the passing of these members of the MCI Family:

Richard S. Bates '60 Mabel Carvel Blair '35 Marion Larrabee Cook '25 Chani Dionne Dunton '91 Reginald Haynes '56 Daniel Jones '84 Karl Larson '32 M. Heinie Merrill '50 Jerome Preissler Kemp Pottle Leforest Rolfe '62 Myrtle Main Sherman Selwyn Small '43 Athalie Moore Toner '39 June Vaughn David Wood '60

Lisa Beaulieu '97
Marjorie Green Chisholm '22
Joyce Jackson Daily '49
Allen Davis '39
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William Jameson '39
Muriel Young La Barge '39
Edward MacKel '39
Margaret Purington
Dorothy Baker Seames '76
Stanton Sherman '30
Roderic Smith
Gene Turner '66
Ruth Vickery '34
Barbara Reynolds Woodbury '55

* The Alumni Office tries its very best to make sure we have accurately recorded the names of alumni and friends who have passed away. It is difficult to keep track of those who live outside of our local news area, so please feel free to contact the Alumni Office if you know of the death of an alum or friend of MCI.

Have you ever tried to get in touch with an old classmate, only to find that the last directory is five years old? Well, your troubles are over. The new Maine Central Institute Alumni Directory, scheduled for release in September 2000, will be the most up-do-date and complete reference of Maine Central Institute alumni ever published! This comprehensive volume will include demographic information, all e-mail addresses, spouse and family names as well as business information, bound into a

class library quality edition.

MCI has contracted Bernard C. Harris Publishing Company, Inc., to produce the directory. Harris Publishing will soon be researching compiling the information to be printed in the directory by mailing a questionnaire to each alumni with an accurate mailing address. This questionnaire is being sent to give every alumni the opportunity to be accurately listed in the upcoming new directory. It's important that you return your questionnaire so that you won't be omitted or your information listed incorrectly. At a later point in the project, you will be contacted by Harris directly to verify that your personal data is accurate.

UPCOMING REUNIONS! () S. Florida Reunion

Saturday March 11, 2000

North Redington Beach Hilton
North Redington Beach, Florida

Information will be mailed in January to Florida alumni (snow birds, too). If you do not reside in Florida and would like to receive information, contact the alumni office.

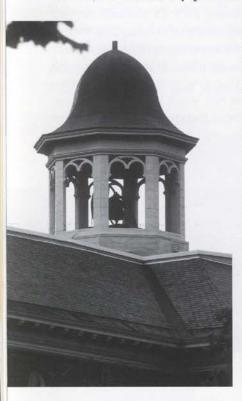
Summer Reunion August 5-6, 2000

It's not too early to begin planning class parties! Contact your class agent or Mary Sawyer if you would like to volunteer to help with your class reunion.

Help Secure MCI's Future ... Join the Heritage Club

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Most of us are morally committed to charitable giving. We give freely to those who call on us directly for help. Not so many of us, however, see ourselves in the role of philanthropists, capable of making significant gifts to noble causes. Yet, as we carefully plan our charitable support, we can



make a little go a long way. The long-term enhancement of excellent programs at almost every school depends on its endowment. Endowment income allows the school to fund programs, to keep pace with inflation and to weather economic storms. MCI must increase its endowment. Its growth will maintain the school's long tradition of excellence for many years to come.

Cash is the most familiar method of giving to MCI and also the easiest. The tax savings mean that the cash gift does not really cost you the full out-of-pocket amount. But cash may not be the best way for you to give.

The Heritage Club was created to honor those alumni and friends who have made bequests or planned gift commitments to MCI. Members of the Heritage Club include those members who have made direct provisions to MCI in their wills, who have named MCI as beneficiary in life insurance policies or who have included MCI in a charitable trust. The Heritage Club is more than a project to raise money for MCI. You will leave a living and lasting legacy to MCI.

By joining the Heritage Club, you have a number of giving options and can ensure that MCI will continue to exist for many years into the future. When considering a gift, select the best asset for your personal situation. Good planning in giving makes sense; there are substantial tax differences for each type of gift.

Securities or Real Estate

A gift of securities or real estate that has appreciated can be one of the most advantageous ways of giving to MCI. To provide an incentive, the federal government has allowed for the avoidance of tax on the appreciation of these gifts in most situations.

Bequests

Most people living in the United States die without benefit of a will. The state disposes of their property according to fixed laws, without thought to personal wishes of the deceased. The tax advantage of a charitable bequest may be substantial when considering the Federal Income Estate Tax ruling. The estate tax charitable deduction is unlimited and all estate tax assets given to charity are fully deductible.

Insurance Policy

A gift of an existing whole life insurance policy has valuable and attractive benefits. They include:

- a sizable gift without reducing income
- immediate and substantial tax relief
- deductions for future payments
- · federal estate tax reduced or eliminated

A gift of a new policy with MCI named as the owner and irrevocable beneficiary gives you a charitable deduction for all future premiums including any unexpired premiums for the year of gift.

Name MCI as a beneficiary for part of the proceeds of policy that you will own and control. You do not receive a tax deduction now; however, you may reduce any federal estate taxes because the proceeds are a charitable gift.

MCI Heritage Club members include:

Norm '34 and Bunny '38 Bickford Chuck and Helen Cianchette '48 Ralph W. Damren '64 Michael Fendler '70 Gary Fitts '69 Ralph "Buddy" Ingraham '75 Jeremy Lord '62 John R. Mosher' 83 Susan Smith Norris '73 Gregg Patterson '69 Ralph "Buddy" Ingraham '75 Roger Percival '45 Michael Savage '62 Alice Sinclair Carl R. Wright '43

The past is our heritage; the future is the heritage of those who follow. The MCI Heritage Club honors those who have chosen to extend their influence beyond their life span and wish to secure a bright future for MCI.

For more information contact: Head of School Doug Cummings at 207-487-5915.

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UPCEMANG DATES 2000

| February 19-27 | February Recess |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| March 2-4 | Winter Carnival |
| February 26 | Class Notes Due to the Alumni Office |
| March 11 | Florida Reunion at North Redington |
| | Beach Hilton |
| April 15-23 | April Recess |
| June 1. | Alumnus to be mailed |
| June 2 | Senior Chapel |
| June 4 | Graduation |
| - August 5-6 | Summer Reunion |
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