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Induction Selection Committee



THE
FOUNDATION
FOR DANSVILLE EDUCATION

Wall of Pride

presents

2016
Induction Event

October 22, 2016

Wall of Pride Mission Statement

Our committee's mission is to:

- Recognize and celebrate the accomplishments of outstanding Dansville High School graduates, DCSD educators and members of our school community.
- Reconnect and maintain relationships within the DCS community.
- Celebrate members of the school community while recognizing that DCSD encompasses many smaller communities that surround the Village of Dansville.

The Foundation for Dansville Education

Our mission is to secure educational opportunities for the children and youth of Dansville Central School District by preserving and expanding academic programs, with an emphasis on programs most susceptible to cuts or programs not mandated by New York State.

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Harold A. (Tim) Shay

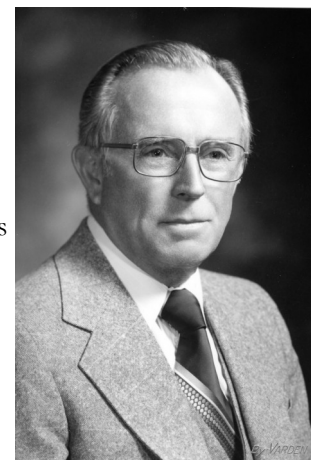
A true entrepreneur, Tim Shay was also an outstanding leader in the Dansville community. Born in Ossian in 1913, he graduated from Dansville High School in 1932 and attended the University of Alabama. He then became his father's partner in various businesses.

In 1936 Shay's Service Trucking Company was born. For decades, the fleet of trucks bearing the founders' name was a familiar sight on area roadways. Tim was considered one of the pioneers in the transportation industry, introducing the use of 2-way radios and double bottom trailers. The father and son also founded the Shay Oil Company. In 1972, Main Tire Exchange was established and became a prominent employer for Dansville, expanding into Rochester and Buffalo. Success prompted philanthropy and Tim was a steadfast supporter of community efforts.

One of Tim's most notable philanthropic acts was donating the land for the Noyes Memorial Hospital site and personally arranging the construction of the access roads leading to the hospital. In conjunction with this project, Tim bought the old hospital property and turned it over to be converted to affordable housing.

Tim Shay's accomplishments are many and not only as a businessman. He was instrumental in expanding Brae Burn to include a bowling alley and dining area. He was also a founding member of the Dansville Fish & Game Club, the first president of the Livingston County Chamber of Commerce, a town councilman and town supervisor. Tim was president of the Dansville Exchange Club, a member and president for 12 years of the Dansville Central School Board of Education, and active in his church, the United Fund, the Steuben Area Council of Boy Scouts, and the Protectives Fire Company.

Not only did the Dansville community benefit from Tim Shay's ambitious and progressive endeavors, people looked to him for guidance and support. His 96 years as a member of the Dansville community and the contributions he made to its members are a source of pride and an example of a life well lived.





William F. Kelly

William (Bill) Kelly was born in Dansville in 1921, graduated from Dansville Central in 1939 and from Cornell University in 1943. During his sophomore year at Cornell, he enlisted in U.S Army's Officer Candidate School and served as a Lieutenant in the 11th Armored Division under General Patton. Bill performed the critical role of Forward Artillery Observer in the Battle of the Bulge. He traveled ahead of his unit, identified enemy sites, and radioed their positions back to his unit.

At the end of the war, Bill led a group of forty men whose task was to guard an ancient salt mine in Austria. While inside the mine, they discovered thousands of paintings, sculptures and other items that had been looted by the German army. A similar scene was featured in the movie, *Monuments Men*. Bill was interviewed by the movie producers in 2015, and a part of his interview was included in the Special Features section of the movie's DVD. He and his family returned to Belgium in 1976. While there, they were shown the famous Altarpiece in the Ghent Cathedral. When he returned home and reviewed pictures from his time in the service, Bill realized that he had guarded this Altarpiece in the salt mine 31 years prior.

Bill has played a very active role in the community of Dansville. He served as President of Kelly Brothers Nurseries, one of Dansville's largest employers, from 1949 -1985. He has been a member of the Union Hose Company, the Dansville Rotary Club, and is a long standing member of St. Mary's Church and the Daniel Goho Post of the American Legion. He is a former member of the Knights of Columbus, and chaired fund drives for organizations such as the Red Cross and St. Mary's School. Bill's leadership skills extended beyond the Village of Dansville. He served as president of the Western NYS Nurseryman's Association, and on the Boards of the Groveland State Bank and the Livingston County Soil & Water Conservation District.

Bill Kelly's life has been highlighted by service and leadership, but he quietly contributes to countless local charities, schools and civic clubs. At age 95, he is a wonderful role model, a true native son who lives a life of integrity, with love and devotion to his family and community.

Reception

6:00PM

Music by: Connie and Henry

Welcome

6:30PM

Dr. Paul Alioto

Buffet Dinner

6:30PM

Music and Vocals by: The MoonCalves, featuring Dansville graduates Andy Sanderson ('91) and Brian Rauber ('96)

Award Ceremony

7:30PM

Dan Dixon

Master of Ceremonies

Inductee

Introduced by

Colonel Kevin R. Dunlop, U.S. Army Retired

Peter Bacon

Robert F. Hart

Peter Bacon
Accepted by
Beth Dixon, Joan Hart
and Dave Hart

William F. Kelly

Peter Bacon
Accepted by
Patrick Kelly

Harold A. (Tim) Shay

Peter Bacon
Accepted by Jon Shay

Following Award Ceremony

Photos

Entertainment



Colonel Kevin R. Dunlop, U.S. Army Retired

Colonel Kevin Dunlop, USA Ret., moved to Dansville in 1974 and graduated from Dansville High School in 1983. His military career began when he enlisted as a combat engineer in the U.S. Army Reserve, and completed initial training at Ft. Leonard Wood, MO. He graduated from West Point in 1987 with a degree in Mechanical Engineering and a Regular Army commission as an

Armor officer. Kevin went on to earn MS degrees in Operations Research and Systems Analysis from Kansas State University and in Strategic Studies from Marine Corps University.

The highlights of Kevin's military career saw him in key staff positions, leadership, and command positions in the U.S., Germany, Italy, and five overseas deployments. He led tank and scout platoons at Fort Knox and deployed as a staff officer to Kuwait during the aftermath of Desert Storm. He commanded a tank company in Germany and Bosnia-Herzegovina during Operation Joint Endeavor. Later, as a major based at Fort Stewart, GA he returned to Bosnia-Herzegovina to oversee the operations of a tank battalion. He then served as the operations officer for an armored brigade combat team deployed to Kuwait and then to Iraq for initial combat operations, including the seizure of downtown Baghdad in the famous "Thunder Runs."

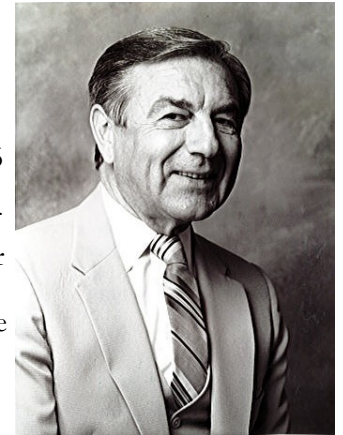
Kevin's assignment in Italy was as the chief of current operations for a multinational NATO corps headquarters, where he was promoted to lieutenant colonel. Kevin returned to the U.S. to command the 3rd Battalion, 8th U.S. Cavalry at Fort Hood, TX and led more than 1,000 soldiers through 15 months of operations in Iraq. During his combat tours, he earned the Bronze Star Medal with "V" (for valor) and the Bronze Star Medal (2nd award).

Kevin then became a strategic planner at the Pentagon and was promoted to colonel. He last served as the Senior Army Planner in the Office of the Chief of Staff, Army. At his retirement in December of 2015, Kevin was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal.

Kevin and his family currently reside in Woodbridge, VA. Following military retirement, he accepted a civilian position as a strategic planner back at the Pentagon. Kevin's distinguished leadership, outstanding achievements, and dedicated service to our country are an inspiration.

Robert F. Hart

Robert (Bob) Hart was born on January 5, 1924 in Dansville, NY. After graduating from Dansville High School in 1941, Bob served from 1943 -1946 in the US Army during WW II. He was stationed in the South Pacific, assigned as a staff member of General MacArthur's Headquarters. In 1947, after returning from service, Bob earned his Bachelor's degree in Economics from Niagara University. He then returned to Dansville to begin his business career with the Dansville & Mt. Morris Railroad, retiring as owner and president in 1985.



As a Dansville resident his entire life, Bob spent most of it in public service. He was a leader in local and regional government for 49 years, serving as the Town of North Dansville Supervisor (43 years), the Town of North Dansville Justice (4 years), and a Village of Dansville Trustee (2 years). He was also a leader in county government after being elected Chairman of the Livingston County Board of Supervisors for 23 years.

Throughout his life, Bob devoted his time to community service through other affiliations. He spent many years on the Board of Directors of Noyes Memorial Hospital, which he believed was an important asset to our community. He was a Director of the Dansville Chamber of Commerce, a member of the Dansville Economic Development Board of Directors, and a member of the Advisory Board of two former banks: Security Trust Co. and Monroe Savings Bank. Bob was also a communicant of St. Mary's Church, a lifetime member of the Protectives Fire Company and a member of the Daniel Goho Post of the American Legion.

Bob loved Dansville and was proud that he had the opportunity to serve his community. For his service to Dansville and Livingston County, he was honored with several awards during his lifetime, including the SUNY Geneseo Meritorious Service Award and the Dansville Citizen of the Year. He was also honored with a Dansville street named after him, Robert Hart Drive, and a dedication stone in front of the Dansville Fire Hall honoring his generosity to the Dansville fire companies.

Robert F. Hart was a leader, business owner, and public servant who was devoted to the Dansville community.