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Friday, October 21 & Saturday, October 22, 2022 *for*

HOMECOMING WEEKEND

- 12th Annual Hall of Excellence Induction Ceremony
- 75th Anniversary of the Fryeburg Academy Ski Team
 - Dedication of the John H. Atwood Stadium

Details about the celebration will be announced over the summer!

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Greetings to the Fryeburg Academy Community

Reflecting on Commencement Week and May Term, which as I write this note concluded just a few days ago, I can't help but reprise my message from earlier this spring: you can't keep a good school down! The last two years have presented significant and fatiguing challenges, but we concluded 2021-22 with irrepressible energy, observing beloved and celebratory traditions while looking to our school's future with excitement.

I hope you enjoy this edition of *Scenes*Magazine — particularly its commemoration

of FA's remarkable, historic ski program — and that your summer is one of good health and sunshine, full of time spent with your favorite people.

My best,

Head of School

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Fryeburg Academy senior Alanna Nataluk '22 (left) and sophomore Isabel Macht '24



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for scoring a near-perfect score, and the FA Chorus earned an invitation to sing at Carnegie Hall."

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ON THE COVER: FA Alpine skiers practice jumping on Starks Hill in Fryeburg, ME, circa 1960s.

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The Long and Rich 75-Year-History of **FAST**

CHARLIE TRYDER

he story of the Fryeburg Academy Ski Team is a history that honors tradition and the connectedness of rural New England life. The story, one that now spans 75 years, also tells of the blessings of western Maine's natural landscape and weather patterns, the significance of leadership and vision, and the community resolve required to realize goals. More practical matters — the value of economic planning, related infrastructure development, and Yankee ingenuity — also play a part in

the history. The FAST story also recognizes familiar and enduring family names and even includes some international intrigue worthy of a Hollywood script.

Mostly, however, the Fryeburg Academy Ski Team history is a story of adolescents living out the dreams of earlier generations by putting on boots, fastening them to skis, grabbing some poles, and navigating slopes on local ski mountains, gliding through trails in the woods, or for a brief period, by launching themselves into the air off a jump at Stark's Hill.

It is unlikely that the original 1947 FA ski team understood the tradition and pride that they set in motion when they competed in the First Annual Southwestern Maine Ski Meet. Roger Meserve, Robert Eastman, Reginald Vernet, Bernard Seavey, and Ralph Woodward represented Fryeburg Academy on that day. They finished second to Gould, but they groomed the trails for

In 1956, after growing weary of climbing up Stark's after each run, the team built an 800 foot rope tow. Teammates Skip Eastman and Al Thomas receive most of the credit for the engineering.

No coincidence, 1956 is also the year of the first FAST state championship.

many individual and team state championships to follow. In 1949 FA students Barbara Bowles, June Davis, Anne Tebbit, and Dorcus Blaich joined to form the original girls' team. The history continued when FA bought five pairs of nordic skis and cross country skiers hit the trails in 1953.

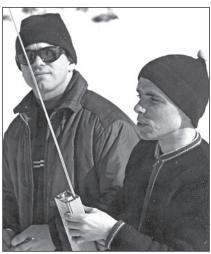
The original Fryeburg Academy team grew organically from local events outlined in nordic coach John Weston's "A FAST History". In 1935 a group of local business leaders from the Fryeburg area formed a Fryeburg Winter Sports Committee with a vision of Fryeburg becoming a winter sports destination. While Fryeburg locals were creating a winter sport industry in Fryeburg, Harvey Dow Gibson, class of 1898 and the President of the Fryeburg Academy Board of Trustees, set his sights on the mountains in North Conway. In order to develop a ski culture in North Conway, Gibson helped bring world renown Hannes Schneider here from Austria. In a series of events reminiscent of The Sound



The 1966 FA Alpine Ski Team. First row (*l to r*): W. Ela, B. Smith, J. Bean, J. Tinker, H. Hudson. Second row (*l to r*): D. Wood, L. Stocks, R. Rhodes, S. Hastings, W. Warren. Third row (*l to r*): R. Ross, M. Sargent, D. Brownell, R. Perry, D. Kimmerer. Fourth row (*l to r*): S. Robinson, J. Chute, D. Casano, C. Brown. Fifth row (*l to r*): Mr. Ross Coach, T. McFarland, K. Dunn, J. Foster, and Mr. Russell Coach.

of Music, Gibson used his leverage as President of the Manufacturer's Trust Company in Manhattan to negotiate with Hitler's inner circle, and in 1940, Schneider started a ski school in North Conway. As part of the arrangement, Gibson had Schneider meet weekly with Fryeburg Academy students to teach them the most modern ski techniques of the time.

After the inaugural season in 1947, FAST started to take root in the 1950s. In 1956, after growing weary



FA coaches Brett Russell (*l*) and Paul McGuire in 1963.

of climbing up Stark's after each run, the team built an 800 foot rope tow. Teammates Skip Eastman and Al Thomas receive most of the credit for the engineering. No coincidence, 1956 is also the year of the first FAST state championship. Future coach and trustee Brett Russell, along with Dick Brean, Skip Eastman, Chuck Reed, J. Doucette, Al Thomas, Doug Severance, Ned McSherry, Fred Dallinger and Asa Pike (also a future FA trustee) brought the first state ski championship back to Fryeburg Academy. Peter Bowie and Russell both won multiple state individual championships during this time.

In 1960, Erlon Bucky Broomhall arrived in Fryeburg to teach biology and coach the ski team. Driven by the ambition to host a state ski championship meet, Broomhall sought and received John F. Weston's permission to clear a 3 mile cross country trail and build a 20 meter jump at Stark's Hill. FA and maintenance director Howard Ross played important roles in the development of these facilities that enabled FA to host their first state meet in 1961. In 1967, led by coaches Paul McGuire and Brett Russell, as well as nordic performances from Larry Stocks and Bruce Smith, the FAST boys won their second state championship in front of a home crowd at Stark's.

While the boys ski team experienced success in the 60s, it was not until the 70s that the FA girls' team became a power. Coach John H. Atwood resurrected the program which had been dormant, and in 1976 the girls won their first Maine state championship. The boys added their third state championship in '76 as well. David Mark, Brian Lunt, and Virginia Sislane all won individual state championships.

As the 60s and 70s saw FAST become a perennial contender for state championships, the 80s teams were dominant. The girls won combined championships in '82, '85, and '87, while the boys won combined championships in '83, '84, '85, and '89. The boys nordic team also won championships in '84, '85, '87, and '89, while the girls nordic won in '87. Multiple state champion skiers from this era include Skip McBride, David Miller, Betsy Eastman, Betsy Marsh, Marcus Nash, Robyn Dunham, and Wendy Dunham.

Coach John Atwood, after skiing for FAST and then UMO, returned to teach and coach at FA in 1978. He summarized the



culture of these teams, "They had a perfect mindset. They expected to win every year. Second place was a disappointment."

As is often the case, success bred more success. One state champion caliber skier passed the baton to the next according to Atwood, "Someone was first or second in the state in nordic events every year. Skip McBride tutored Mac Nash, who worked with Terry MacGillivray, and their example helped Marcus Nash reach his potential."

Without question, a high point in FAST history is Marcus Nash ('89). After finishing fifth at the state meet as a ninth grader, he won every state meet in his remaining three years at FA. As most know, Nash's success extended beyond state high school. Nash honed his craft and worked himself into a 9 time US National Champion and a two time Olympian ('98 and '02).

The next stretch of FAST dominance arrived at the dawn of the new century. The girls won combined championships in '01 and '02 and alpine championships in '02 and '03. Amazingly, Amy Dyer won all 8 GS and slalom state championship races from 2003 - 2006. Joanna Kinsman dominated both the freestyle and classical nordic races winning all 6 of her state championship races her sophomore, junior, and senior years in 2001-03. Jeff Lathrop swept GS and slalom in '06, and Joe Atwood followed that up with a sweep in '07 and '08. As a bit of an addendum to this era, Silas Eastman swept the classical and freestyle nordic races from 2011-2013.

Coaches and administrators often try to define the many interwoven factors that work together to create a successful program. In the case of FAST, a number of factors converge. An invaluable element is the fact that we lie in the snow belt in Maine amidst hills and mountains. These natural resources are a huge advantage, but there are neighboring communities with the same natural advantages whose high school ski programs have not reached the heights of FAST, so we have to look further.

Facilities that enable the best training available are always a significant factor in excellent programs. Stark's Hill served the early alpine teams and continues to serve the nordic team today. The fact that the Weston family made Stark's available in the early years to the commission and in later years to FA is an irreplaceable advantage. In addition to carrying on the family tradition of providing use of Stark's to the community and FA, John Weston tirelessly grooms and expands these trails. Even when alpine skiing evolved beyond Stark's, Pleasant Mountain provided outstanding nearby training.

Another of the core elements of FAST's success is the consistency and commitment of the coaching staff. From Broomhall, McGuire, Russell, and Atwood of the sixties to Atwood, Jim Gibson, Greg Strom, and Ed Quinn in the eighties, and to Peter Atwood and Kevin Clark in the 2000's to Sam Dyer and Weston today, the FAST program has benefitted from long standing coaching staffs that understand the tradition of the program.



Alpine skiers from the Academy train on Starks Hill in 1961. The Academy's Nordic ski team still utilzes Stark Hill and the trail system for team practices and races.

These staff worked hard to develop and maintain the ski facilities; and because they were teachers as well as coaches, they knew their athletes and how to effectively motivate and train them.

The winning tradition contributes mightily to FAST's success as well. To make skiers aware of the proud tradition they join when they become a part of FAST, Weston outlines the program's history every other year, "I started 10 years ago. We take a day during dry land training and share the history. After, we tour the old towers and where they had the rope tow at Stark's Hill. The old jump is still standing in places. It helps tie the history together."

At some point, a successful program becomes part of the local culture. People associate a long standing and successful athletic program with a community. Young athletes dream of being part of the program. The Fryeburg community's generous investment in FAST started as an economic venture, and generations have benefitted from these ancestors' vision. FAST's impact on the lives of these young people is evident in messages from former skiers to the school, and the return has been what every community should seek: the happiness, well being, and healthy development of their youth. In turn, these young people venture out with memories of the value of their athletic experiences in adulthood as they establish themselves in their communities. As John Atwood points out, "To be a good skier you need commitment. You need to get up early, groom trails, complete workouts. A lot of the kids who skied in Fryeburg Academy went on to ski in college. They also went on to be very good people."

FA Places Second in the Biomimicry Institute's 2021-22 Youth Design Challenge

JENNIFER RICHARDSON SCIENCE DEPARTMENT CHAIR

For the second consecutive year, Fryeburg Academy students placed in the top rankings in the Biomimicry Institute's 2021-22 Biomimicry Challenge. The team placed first last year with their MorphoBrick concept; they placed second this year, out of 125 competing teams from 12 countries, with their Syntrichia Hydrotrap design concept.

FA's Biomimicry Challenger team, led by FA faculty member Jennifer Richardson, includes the following students: Yuna Lee '23, Grace Liu '23, Daryna Serediuk '22, May Shin '23, Stella Yoon '22, and Zoe Jung '22. This year's challenge was an advanced STEMbased competition that essentially had two goals: First, the design

was required to model the structural and functional adaptation of at least one living organism. Secondly, the design needed to identify an environmental problem and propose a sustainable solution.

The team chose the rising inaccessibility of clean water and the increased pollution from plastic bottles as their environmental problems to solve, developing a water harvesting device called a Syntrichia Hydotrap as a solution. The Syntrichia Hydrotrap is a portable device that attaches to any reusable water bottle, using a unique structure to capture moisture in the air. By mimicking the awns of desert moss (Syntrichia caninervis), the design concept employs water pumps to collect water droplets through barbs and grooves. The water is channeled along a hydrophobic surface material inspired by textures used by the Texas horned lizard and Cicada wings. The Syntrichia HydroTrap device can also be used across climates, offering a solution to areas experiencing droughts and reusable alternatives to aid the plastic pollution problem.

To learn more about the team's winning design, view the YouTube video here: https://youtu.be/TyaW4opDJR4



l to r: Yuna Lee '23, Zoe Jung '22, Stella Yoon '22, Daryna Serediuk '22, Grace Liu '23, and May Shin '23.



FA Announces 25 New Inductees to the National Honor Society

HEIDI PAULING WORLD LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT CHAIR

We are pleased to announce the induction of 25 new members to the B.W. Tinker Chapter of the National Honor Society on Monday, March 21st.

Membership in the National Honor Society is one of the highest honors in the U.S. that can be awarded to a high school student. The B.W. Tinker Chapter of NHS works diligently to bring the accomplishments of outstanding students to the attention of parents, teachers, peers, and the community. Along with the more than 15,000 chapters in schools across the nation, the B.W. Tinker Chapter strives to give practical meaning to member selection in accordance with the Society's standards of scholarship, leadership, service, and character. Students are not inducted simply because of a high academic average but rather are recognized for excelling in all of these areas.

2022 INDUCTEES TO THE B.W. TINKER CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

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SOPHOMORE INDUCTEES:

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Daniel Day
Ainsley Foster
Ava Frechette
Andrew Irwin
Gege (Grace) Liu
Gabriel McKenney
Grace Murley
MaryJane Owens
Magnolia (Maggie) Peirce
May Ki-Ok (May) Shin
Yunfei (Sophia) Sun
Eliza Thorne
Samantha Winterbottom



Friday Night Lights are Coming to Fryeburg!

DAWN GALE '81 DIRECTOR, ACADEMY FUND AND ALUMNI RELATIONS

ig changes are coming for FA athletics contests starting in the fall when the lights are turned on and evening games become a reality.

In the fall of 2021, the FA Board of Trustees announced plans for the construction of a new synthetic turf field and complex at the site of the current football field, which will offer playing areas for soccer, football, boys' lacrosse, girls' lacrosse, and field hockey as well as new bleachers that expand seating to 650 spectators, sport lighting, a new scoreboard and sound system, and a full 8' X 30' press box facility. The opportunities that the new space will offer us are exciting and multiple!

Head of School, Erin Mayo looks forward to the campus addition. "We are very excited - with so many benefits, this will be a wonderful stride for Academy athletics and the wider community alike. And there's nothing like a home game under the lights."



John Gordon '80, FA's Director of Athletics, is also looking forward to the opportunities the new complex will offer, "Once complete, this turf field complex paired with our athletic center will place Fryeburg among the top athletic facilities in the state and can be a source of pride for all affiliated with the Academy.

Along with presenting really impressively, the artificial turf facility will be available for training earlier in the spring, playable in challenging weather conditions, serve multiple sports and create an additional practice venue beyond what we currently have. In addition to being a source of pride while hosting, there are



very functional benefits to making this happen.

The Maine Principal's Association has selected Fryeburg to host winter postseason events because our athletic center accommodates them so effectively. We anticipate the same holding true with this new venue for both fall and spring postseason play."

The Academy retained Activitas, Inc, a Boston-area firm specializing in planning, landscape architecture, civil engineering, and athletic facility planning to consult on project design and implementation. Kiehl Excavation, a locally owned company, is the general contractor for the project and the two teams are hard at work making sure that things progress smoothly.

The facility is expected to cost approximately three million dollars. Part of this cost will be privately funded by donations from trustees, alumni, friends, and foundations. As in the past, we have asked our constituency to help support these much-needed upgrades through a 1.3 million dollar capital campaign *FA Scores!* Donor support has been tremendous! At this time we are happy to report that over one million dollars has been pledged toward this project.

One very special contribution from the John H. and Esther Atwood family, was instrumental in making this project a reality, and we are thrilled to announce that the stadium will bear the name of John H. Atwood, longtime teacher, coach, athletic director, and outstanding community member. (see bio – sidebar).

We are incredibly grateful for the support from the local community and our donors! The artificial turf playing field and the entire complex will not only benefit our current athletes, it will enhance our ability to recruit exceptional student-athletes from across the country and internationally. Our local youth rec programs will benefit, as well as many other organizations throughout the community. If you wish to contribute to this effort, please call or email Dawn Gale '81, Director, Academy Fund and Alumni Relations. dgale@ fryeburgacademy.org / 207-935-2001 or use the attached donor form. There are several great naming opportunities still available!

Fryeburg Academy Names New Multi-Sport Stadium after Longtime Teacher, Coach, and Administrator, John H. Atwood

LAURA S. AYER DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS

Fryeburg Academy is pleased to announce its new multi-sport stadium will be named after John H. Atwood — a former FA teacher, coach, administrator, and respected community member.

John grew up in Massachusetts and attended the University of New Hampshire before leaving to join the 10th Mountain Division. He trained at Camp Hale and went to officer candidate school, graduating as a second lieutenant. During his time overseas, John was a U.S. Army Ski Team member in 1945. After serving his country, he returned to UNH and earned a degree in hotel management. From 1948 to 1951, John was the assistant manager of the Sunapee State Park Ski Area and managed the Exeter Inn until 1954.



John. H. Atwood, former FA teacher, coach, and administrator.

In 1954, John became manager of Severance Lodge on Kezar Lake in Lovell, ME, moving his family to Fryeburg, where he later joined Fryeburg Academy as a business education teacher in 1967. John served the Academy for 14 years as a faculty member and eight years as its athletic director. John was an avid skier and golfer and, while serving as AD, transformed many aspects of the Academy's athletics program. During his first year, John created the women's ski and golf teams and coached both for the duration of his FA tenure. He brought home the alpine ski state championship title in 1976.

He also founded the Fryeburg Junior Ski Program in 1958 and managed the program through the next decade. He was a Lake Kezar County Club member, serving as president for eight years and a trustee for 30 years. He was inducted into the Maine Ski Hall of Fame in 2010 and into Fryeburg Academy's Hall of Excellence in 2012.

"The Atwood family has had a long and enduring relationship with the Academy," says head of school Erin P. Mayo. "John's legacy is evidenced by the continued success of our athletics program and the growth of our alpine and Nordic ski teams. We are thrilled to recognize and pay tribute to John's many accomplishments."

His three children — all Fryeburg Academy alumni — are excited about this meaningful recognition that honors their father's legacy. "Even before our dad became a coach and a faculty member, he loved everything Fryeburg Academy had to offer. As young kids, we attended the plays, the concerts, and sporting events," recounts his children, **Nancy Atwood Mockler '69**, **John '71**, and **Peter Atwood '74**. "When he became a teacher, coach, and athletic director in the sixties, he was immersed in all things Fryeburg Academy; he had found his calling. He continued to groom the cross country ski trails, time ski races, and watch his grandchildren compete in athletics in his retirement. He especially enjoyed seeing former students — many of whom had become lifelong friends. The Academy meant so much to him. We're happy that dad and our mom, Esther, can contribute to the new athletic stadium and that Fryeburg Academy has chosen to honor him. Thank you all so much."



Longtime Chefs Whitaker & Wentworth Retire...

Their Indelible Friendship & Impact on FA Remain Forever

DAWN GALE '81 DIRECTOR, ACADEMY FUND AND ALUMNI RELATIONS



Don Wentworth '67 senior photo.

fter 43 years of dedicated service, Director of Food Services, Alan Whitaker '77, and his wingman, Don Wentworth '67 are hanging up their chefs' hats. Their friendship began back in 1978 while carpooling to culinary school. "We were in the same program at SMVTI and actually had the dancing bear from Captain Kangaroo as one of our instructors," laughed Alan. A year later, the two

accepted positions with Siler's Food Service at the Academy, and they never left.

"We can claim that we are the only employees who've worked in the Alumni House, the LaCasce wing dining hall, and now the new dining room in Shaffner Hall," Alan comments. During that first year with Siler's, Harry 'Pinky' True gave Alan a big break when he took a chance and hired him at 21 years old to take over the food service, thanks in part to a strong recommendation from Dick Krasker (former owner of Indian and Forest Acres, where Alan had worked since he was 13 years old).

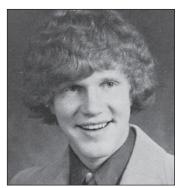
Through the years, the close-knit team was often made up of family and FA alumni, including Alan's brother and sister-in-law, Kevin '82 and Sandra Panno Whitaker '86, Alan's wife, Julie Barton Whitaker '73,

Lillian MacFarlane (past parent), Gloria McDonald Charles '58, along with sons Dana '83 and Danny Charles '81, Rachel Charles Kuvaja '60, Louise Kingsbury (past parent), Clarice Denney (past parent), **Janet Calley Collins** '81, Joyce Kiesman Chaplin '80 — some staying over 30 years! Some of their best memories are from



Fryeburg Academy kitchen staff, 2002: Don Wentworth '67, Edie Lewis Merrill '72, Rachel Charles Kuvaja '60, Gloria McDonald Charles '58, Kevin Whitaker '82, Alan Whitaker '77, Dana Charles '83

the early days in the old Alumni House, when they had a young crew and shared laughs and adventures. "Most people don't stay in a job very long these days, but we did — because we liked the job and the people, said Don." Much of the FA crew joined Alan and Don in the summers at Indian and Forest Acres Camps where Alan also ran the food service.



Alan Whitaker '77 senior photo.

The past few years were among the most challenging due to COVID — working through all the protocols, precautions, and uncertainties. They had just moved into the new dining hall and were getting used to a different space when COVID hit; and, like everything during the pandemic, life changed overnight. Any sense of normalcy was gone, from the foods they ordered, to how it was served — i.e. no more salad bars — to kids in quarantine who needed "to-go" meals, and social distancing challenges. The staff often had to change routines overnight. "You couldn't plan for anything; we'd prepare lunch, and an hour before serving, school was called off. You never knew how the days would play out and it created a lot of extra work," Alan recalled.

"I would have had to retire three years ago if it wasn't for Johnny (Anderson), with his energy and leadership." He also credits Associate Head of School Joe Manning for helping guide the kitchen staff through pandemicrelated challenges. "He (Joe) always had the answers and kept us apprised of changes and new protocols."

The current staff



Fryeburg Academy kitchen staff, 2005: Sandy Panno Whitaker '86, Sara Thurston Murray '97, Edie Lewis Merrill '72, Alan Whitaker '77, Julie Barton Whitaker '73, Don Wentworth '67, and Rachel Charles Kuvaja '60

is terrific, but they will miss Alan and Don — Johnny Anderson '03, Julie Barton Whitaker '73, David Jordan '19, Janet Lathrop (past parent), Amy Thurston '00, Sarah Thurston Murray '97, and Lorraine DeRemer (past parent), Sarah Burke, and Courtney Miller Gibney '99.

Alan says, "This school has been good to us — Johnny is exceptional, and we leave the school in good hands. We will certainly miss everyone, staff, and students, but it's time for the next chapter!"

I am incredibly thankful to have had the opportunity to work with these two and their staff over the years. Whether it was a special reception, a reunion banquet, a homecoming event, or a milestone celebration (we worked through FA's bicentennial and sesquicentennial events) — I never worried about the food end of things! So, Alan and Don, relax and enjoy your retirement; do stuff that makes you happy. You've made Fryeburg Academy a better place for many years, and we are so grateful!

— Dawn Gale '81, Director, Academy Fund & Alumni Relations



Johnny Anderson '03, Don Wentworth '67, and Alan Whitaker '77

Fryeburg Academy Honors Ukraine with Blue and Yellow Day

LAURA S. AYER DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS

n Thursday, March 17, 2022, the Fryeburg Academy community donned in blue and yellow gathered outside of Shaffner Hall for a moment of silence and a group photo. The event was organized by fellow Ukrainian students Anna Bondar '23 and Daryna Serediuk '22 and the International Club and faculty members Greg Huang-Dale and Judy Heininger.

Before the minute of silence, head of school Erin P. Mayo addressed the group. "Thank you all for the blue and yellow and for being here to be part of a visible show of support for Ukraine. Before the photo, we will hold a moment of silence. Those here who pray, I invite to pray. Those here who don't, I invite to focus as best as any of us can on what Ukrainians are experiencing — their suffering and fear, but also their courage and spirit. In the silence of one minute, let us fill our thoughts with love for Anna, Daryna, and their families; love for our friend Andrii Obertas '21; compassion for all who've been lost and those who now mourn them; and fervent

hopes for peace and freedom in Ukraine. As a community, we offer our kinship through these colors, and through this full minute."

In addition to the Blue and Yellow Day, Anna and Daryna also organized a community fundraiser to raise funds for humanitarian efforts in Ukraine. "We are not helpless," says Anna Bondar '23. "Ukrainians are proud and resilient. Every dollar and show of support helps us feel stronger."

FA's community fundraiser for Ukraine, raised nearly 7,000 dollars of the 3,000 dollar goal that ended on April 7th. "It's amazing to see all the support from our teachers and fellow students," adds Daryna Serediuk '22. "We are passionate to do our part in helping our families and friends in Ukraine in any way we can."

To support Ukraine, please consider donating to one of the following humanitarian aid organizations:

UNICEF Ukraine: https://www.unicef.org/ukraine/en
International Committee of the Red Cross: https://www.icrc.
org/en/where-we-work/europe-central-asia/ukraine
RAZOM: https://razomforukraine.org/

For a digital multimedia presentation of FA's Blue and Yellow Day, click here: https://adobe.ly/3MYYnzp



FA Farewells: Tracy Weitz

ERIN P. MAYO HEAD OF SCHOOL

n one of his last speeches, having simplified older, lengthier guidance from Ralph Waldo Emerson, Boy Scouts founder Sir Robert Baden-Powell instructed his audience, "Try to leave this world a little better than you found it." Since then, numerous variations on this advice have emerged, all attributed to different people, making the search for its originator something of a

Google rabbit hole. Whatever the version, though, they all have a common, inspiring assertion at their cores: as individuals, we live most meaningfully when we embrace our powers of stewardship and, whatever the endeavor, make a place and its people better for us having been a part of it.

For 22 years, Tracy Weitz has had exactly this effect at Fryeburg Academy through spirited service and leadership, warm collegiality, and a genuine love of and belief in students. In each of her roles here — teacher, department chair, program founder and director, and senior administrator — Tracy has made FA better by embracing new professional challenges, building on what works, discerning what doesn't, and innovating.

She didn't imagine this career path as a young Emerson College graduate who took her freshly-minted B.F.A. in Theater to New York City where she acted, danced, wrote scripts, and gathered all kinds of terrific stories from years waitressing at the iconic Russian Tea Room. By 1990, though, Tracy's thoughts had turned to education, and she moved to Maine — just one state to the right of her native New Hampshire — to teach English, and then, English as a Second Language (ESOL). Following a year abroad as an ESOL teacher in the Czech Republic, Tracy worked at the collegiate level for several years, working her way northward with her husband John from Bentley College to Plymouth State, and from Plymouth State to UNH, where she served as the college advisor for Upward Bound students from Gorham and Berlin High Schools, as well as those from Kennett in North Conway.

This role put Tracy in the orbit of Barbara Douglass, former ESOL chair at FA. In June of 2000, with an eye on steadily increasing international enrollments at the Academy, Barbara phoned Tracy and invited her to apply to teach ESOL here. Tracy began with a part-time load the following September, teaching alongside Barbara, Gene Vachon, and Daryl Whitcomb; in the years that followed, Gene and Daryl moved on, and Melanie Allen and Greg Huang-Dale joined the school's ESOL

faculty. When Barbara retired in 2007, Tracy succeeded her as the department chair.

By 2009, it was clear to her that the Academy needed to do some next-level thinking about how best to serve its international students. "We were doing so many things for them that needed streamlining," she says. "And when kids placed out of ESOL, they were a bit lost. Just because they spoke English well didn't mean

> that they no longer needed specific supports as international students."

Tracy proposed to headmaster Dan Lee the formation of FA's Center for International Students (CIS), which he readily approved — a place and program that, in addition to ESOL instruction, would offer a more comprehensive suite of the specialized experiences that best support international enrollments: course selection and scheduling, college writing, test preparation, cultural acclimation and social-emotional guidance, and a college counselor designated to understand and navigate the realities that characterize the college admission process for non-American students. For this last role, Tracy recruited then-Director of Residential Life, Kel-

ley Hodgman-Burns. Under Tracy's direction, the Academy's CIS began delivering a highly individualized and optimal experience that quickly became renowned among both prospective students' families and other secondary schools. She's presented nationally about FA's approach, as well as having run a summer conference for educators from schools hoping to implement something like it themselves.

Tracy's success as an academic leader led to her appointment in 2016 as Director of Studies, a senior leadership position that she served for four years while also continuing to oversee the CIS. In this role, Tracy managed faculty hiring, collaborated with academic department chairs on curriculum development and instructional matters, and implemented faculty training and evaluation. "It's a big job with so many demands, and a lot of them are complex," she says. "But I really felt by the third year like I'd hit my stride, and I could see the good impact I could make as part of the senior leadership team." Tracy's fourth year as director of studies brought with it a critical opportunity to make a difference, and she was instrumental: it was 2019-20, bringing with it the Academy's late-March pivot into remote classes and online instruction.

Because she worked from home for 2020-21, teaching fully remote English and ESOL classes, Tracy opted to remain CIS director but turn over her director-of-studies responsibilities to Joe Minnich, formerly a grade-level dean. This year, her last before retirement, she returned to campus as a part-time teacher, in addition to reassuming one aspect of her former role: teacher-classroom observations. She's become rather famous and warmly appreciated among colleagues for her follow-up, evaluative letters, which have always been comprehensive in what they capture, generous and specific in what they praise, and thoughtful and straightforward in the critique they offer. They are like so much of what Tracy has done at Fryeburg Academy to make this place and its people better than she found them. This truly is a person who leaves a legacy. And she's so much fun! We miss her already.

Happy "Running" Trails, Bill Reilly

SUSAN THURSTON DEAN, CLASS OF 2024 & 2025 & FORMER ATHLETIC DIRECTOR



n 1990, Bill Reilly joined the Academy as a crosscountry outdoor track coach; 32 years later, Bill is retiring to spend more time with his wife, kids, and grandkids! Bill's remarkable career included coaching FA student-athletes to the Western Maine Conference championship, Lake Region Invitational championship, and Manchester Relay championship. Bill also coached several Individual State champions such as Joanna Kinsman '03, Silas Eastman '13, Alfie Walker '19, and most recently, Alanna Nataluk '22 during his career at the Academy. Additionally, the girls' cross-country team won

the State Championship in 2002, and Bill was named Maine High School Cross-Country Coach of the Year. In 2016, he was inducted into the Maine Running Hall of Fame.

Bill's legacy as a beloved coach and mentor to the Academy's student-athletes is felt through the following voices of former athletes and parents:

"Coach Reilly embodied everything you could ask for in a coach! He was fun, energetic, extremely knowledgeable and always pushed and encouraged us to reach our goals. He not only taught us how to be competitive runners but also taught us so many life lessons along the way! I was one of the lucky runners to be part of the 2002 Girls State Championship team. I can still hear Coach Reilly's cow bell as I ran passed him and see the giant smile on his face when they announced us as the champions! If State Championships were awarded by how dedicated, passionate and caring a coach was, Coach Reilly would have a very full trophy case! Congratulations Coach on your retirement and thank you for all the amazing memories!"

-Former FA runner Makenzie Walker Woodward '06

"Coach Reilly will ALWAYS hold a special place in my heart. While in high school, I ran x-country in the fall as off-season training for track in the winter and spring. I was usually the slowest runner on the entire team. Coach Reilly was always there to cheer me on at the finish line, give an encouraging word, and celebrate every tiny win. I went on to have many other coaches in my career in track and field and it is rare that you find a coach who coaches the weakest team member with the same passion that they coach their superstars. I consider myself to have been blessed to have been able to train under such an outstanding coach and such a wonderful and caring person. I hope that he enjoys his retirement and knows that he truly touched my life."

-Former FA runner Rebecca Even Queen '07

"Coach Reilly once told us, 'I don't run, I race.' Even as teenagers, we recognized that there was a lot of meaning behind that seemingly simple quote. We thought about it so much that we had it embroidered on a baseball cap we gave to Coach as a thank-you gift for all of his help in turning us into racers, not just runners. Even though I do not participate in competitive races anymore, I still run for exercise. I think about Coach Reilly's quote almost every day, but not just in the context of exercise. Coach was telling us that we should put the same effort, the same fervor and passion into our daily lives (running) as we do for the big moments (racing). It's a motto that has stuck with me, and I'm certain I wouldn't be where I am today without the values and work ethic Coach helped instill in us way back in our racing days. Thanks Coach Reilly, for everything."

-Former FA runner Alex Garrett '10

"You have been a great mentor to many kids over the years, and the Evens wish you all the best in your life beyond high school sports!"

-Past parent, Bernadette Even

"I'll never forget my first cross country race as a freshman at FA, when Coach Reilly ran with us — and beat me. A mere two or three minutes into the race, I heard rapid footfalls swiftly approaching behind me, and Coach zoomed past like some kind of immortal leprechaun, overtaking many other young runners during the course of the race. I was humbled, and, of course, motivated to train harder so it wouldn't happen again! This memory sticks with me because it vividly demonstrates Bill Reilly's personality. Coach Reilly was the best coach I've ever had; his fiery spirit drove me to better myself as an athlete, a leader, and a person. Coach's expectations were intense, but he didn't just tell us what to do — he often did it with us, despite being several times our age. He taught us, in word and deed, what real dedication looks like, and he coached me into the best physical shape of my life."

—Tyler O'Keefe '14 former runner and FA faculty member



Job Fox: The Honor of Perseverence

CHARLIE TRYDER

he road to becoming a state champion is lined with different challenges for every individual or team. Challenges like tough opponents, long hours developing skills, and injuries are expected, but other challenges appear unexpectedly and test the character of even the most committed competitors. Regardless of the nature of the obstacles faced, one common denominator exists for those who lay claim to a state championship perseverance. Job Fox may

illustrate this truth as well as anyone.

As a ninth grader, Job engaged fully in Fryeburg Academy student life and culture as a student, athlete, and artist. He played football and lacrosse, wrestled, handled a challenging curriculum, and earned the lead role in the school musical, *Oklahoma*. The busy lifestyle suited him. He thrived in his first year of high school. Then in Job's sophomore year Covid, an obstacle few outside of the public health professions could have anticipated, appeared and impacted students' lives in different ways. Job hit a wall. The new reality of distance learning and life without sports left a hole in his world. He explains, "Academically, I can't learn unless I am hands-on and engaging with a teacher. I can't learn over the phone. My grades plummeted. Emotionally I wasn't in the best place. I didn't feel like I belonged anywhere."

Feeling dislocated, Job struggled to return to his earlier rhythm even after returning to school. He recalls his struggles, "I was just battling with myself. I struggled with a lack of confidence, and I was making myself out to be a worse person than I am, a lesser person than I like to be. I put a lot of pressure on myself and felt expectations from other people."

With time, Job slowly started regaining his confidence and enjoying school again. A return to his football, wrestling, and lacrosse teams helped. Job then encountered another event



Job Fox '22 with FA wrestling coaches Travis Perry '87 and Chad Smith.

that could have knocked him completely off balance, but his words suggest that it may have helped him find direction. Job learned last year that he would be a father. In life, how we respond to events defines who we are, and Job shares how the news changed him, "Knowing that I was going to have a son helped me pull through. I wanted to be somebody that he could be proud of. I knew that I needed to graduate and find a career and support my family."

The new responsibility lit a fire for Job and

helped him recover his sense of purpose. Realizing the value of a diploma, academics became a path to the professional life he sought to support his family and son Jameson. Job started planning the details of his future. Simply put, Job now knows



Job Fox '22 placed first, winning the title in his 195 weight class at the Class B South Regional Wrestling Meet.

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where he is heading, "I am enlisting in the National Guard this summer. I will learn horizontal construction engineering and heavy equipment operation. In the fall, I will attend U.S.M. for nursing and be a part of the ROTC program. I would like to wrestle, however, I am not going to my freshman year. I want to make sure that I have my feet under me. After graduating, I will honor my obligation and serve as an officer in the military."

Job's new found sense of purpose led to tremendous athletic success. This past fall he earned all Campbell Conference honorable mention in football. Steadily gaining confidence, this winter Job accomplished a goal that he had set for himself when he started wrestling in the first grade. Sharing in a long and proud wrestling tradition at FA, Job became a state champion. Job describes how he felt standing atop the podium at the state meet, "At first it was a shock. I didn't believe that it had happened. It was surreal. I had been working toward this goal my whole life. To get that one was something special."

Oftentimes graduating seniors encourage students entering their high school years to enjoy the experience and try to get involved with as many experiences as possible. Job shares a different take when asked what advice he would give a young Job Fox entering FA for his freshman year. Perhaps due to his unique experience, Job offers the following advice, "I would tell him that he should focus on his future as opposed to having fun right now. There is plenty of time to have fun. Set yourself up for a career first."

While Job deserves the credit for his willingness and ability to meet the challenges he encountered along the way, he credits athletics with preparing him as well, "Athletics has

taught me a lot of traits that I can use for the rest of my life. I have learned discipline, perseverance, and patience."

Some say that young people lack resilience today. These people have not met the students who have persevered through the loss of athletic seasons and classroom time due to covid. They have not met the students who stayed the course despite being isolated for long periods during adolescence, the most social period of their life. They most definitely have not met Job Fox who struggled for a stretch during high school, regained his footing, and emerged focused and ready for his life after high school. Confident and in possession of a clear sense of purpose, Job recalls the challenges from his past and shrugs them off, "I have a plan for my life. I'm past it now."

Congratulations Jacob Adams '23!



Congratulations to Jacob Adams '23 who finished third in the long jump at the New England Track and Field Championships in Boston on February 4-5th.

Pictured, I to r: Assistant coach Trevor Hope, assistant coach Jennifer L'Hommedieu '20, head coach Kevin McDonald, and Jacob Adams '23



Alanna Nataluk:

A Quiet Competitor

CHARLIE TRYDER



eople often perceive highly competitive athletes as boisterous and social individuals who interact freely with teammates and opponents alike as they revel in their success. Alanna Nataluk contradicts this profile and presents a much different demeanor — one of a quiet competitor. According to Fryeburg Academy dean and former athletic director, Sue Thurston, Alanna often seems reserved, "She is open and makes friends easily, but she is super quiet."

Thurston warned that doing an article on her might be challenging due to Alanna's humility, "She will not brag about herself!" Quiet and humble during academic and free time, another side of Alanna's personality shows up for athletic competitions. Fryeburg Academy coach John Weston explains that nordic meets bring her will to win to the surface, "She kind of is the definition of someone who lives for competition. At practice she is subdued — she trains and works hard — but when she gets in a race she takes on a different kind of intensity and turns into a different kind of athlete."

This ability to rise to the occasion fueled Alanna's impressive athletic accomplishments in her time at FA. Alanna earned a place on the Western Maine Conference All Conference and All New England teams as a nordic skier all four years. As a sophomore, she placed third in the under 16 Maine state competition after winning the Western Maine Conference title in the freestyle competition and finishing sixth at the state meet. Along with her

nordic success, Alanna worked her way onto four All Conference cross country teams as a runner as well. In a rare feat, Alanna finished as a top ten runner and skier in state meets each of her four years at FA. Alanna played softball in the ninth grade, but after her sophomore season was canceled due to covid, she decided to run track as a junior. In her first year, she placed ninth in the state in the 1600 meters and will undoubtedly compete among the best again this year as a senior.

Along with earning a remarkable number of athletic awards, Alanna served as a captain of the cross country team her junior and senior years and the nordic ski team her sophomore, junior, and senior years. It is evident that teammates look to Alanna for leadership despite her quiet demeanor. It is impossible not to appreciate her hard work, leadership, and success it appears. Eight Raider Plaques exhibit the respect and admiration coaches feel for her commitment to excellence in athletics as well.

The one area where Alanna might excel even more than in her athletic endeavors is in her academic pursuits. Alanna has earned high honors all four years as a student at FA while taking the most difficult curriculum available. Clearly not intimidated by an academic challenge, Alanna will attend the University of Maine at Orono and study pre-veterinary science next year. According to Alanna, education has been central to her life since childhood, "I really enjoy learning and have always loved school, especially science."

For some athletes, athletic involvement is essential to keeping them engaged in the classroom. Without sports as an outlet, they might struggle to stay focused academically. Alanna's academic discipline and focus existed before her athletic success, but her involvement with teams has played a vital role in her development in another way. In her words, athletics helped her find her voice, "Sports have helped me to become less shy. I barely talked to anyone my freshman year and sports have helped me to become more social."

Along the way while studying, training, and competing at the state level, Alanna also found time to be a member of the Interact Club for two years and play in the school band for three years. Alanna values these experiences, but when asked about her highlights as a student at FA, she points to being a team member and the relationships formed there, "I really like being able to participate in sports that are both individual as well as team based. It really helps to have teammates that are there to support you but to also get to be as competitive as I want to be."

A passion for training, competition, academics, and excellence lie at the core of Alanna's makeup, but she also likes to hang out with friends and have fun. The demands of competitive academics and athletics sometimes compete against the joys and innocence of adolescence, and finding a balance can be difficult. Alanna found a balance along the way. Alanna exemplifies the value of hard work in the classroom and on the athletic field by virtue of her practice, but her advice to incoming FA students is a reminder of the importance of light hearted moments to the high school experience, "Take school seriously but also have fun when you can. It is so easy to get lost in the competition of things that you forget that you're in high school and it is supposed to be fun."

Fryeburg Academy 2022 Winter Sports Awards

On Tuesday, March 22nd, Fryeburg Academy celebrated the winter sports season with its annual winter sports awards assembly held in the Leura Hill Eastman Performing Arts Center. The following student-athletes were recognized for their outstanding performance during the winter 2021-22 season:



Senior All-Academic Team *Back row (l to r)*: Emma Rydman, Shelby Purslow, Katy McIntyre, Alanna Nataluk, Adriana Mas Soto, Sophia Milo, Camden Jones, Brooke Emery, Brian Yoo, Amayak Martirosyan, Aaron Zakon. *Front row (l to r)*: Molly Pratt, Amanda Howe, Padric McGrath, Ian Jacobson, and Joseph Jensen. (*Not present*: Danali Jensen, Ethan Nemeth, Leah Charles, Kailyn Canfield, Sebastian Drosa, Yungyeong Jung, and Bueri Yoon)



Three-Star Jackets (*l to r*): Maya Mahan '24, Adriana Gil Garces '22, Haden Fox '23, Peyton McMurtray '23, Samantha Winterbottom '23, Jilyan Byrne '24, and Jordan Dutton '24. (*Not present*: Juliette Albert '22, Charles Campbell '22, Ethan Nemeth '22, Colton McCarthy '23, and Greta Grant '24)

ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM, SENIORS WITH A GPA OF 3.2 OR HIGHER

Ian Jacobson, *Alpine Ski* Danali Jensen, Alpine Ski Ethan Nemeth, Alpine Ski Aaron Zakon, *Alpine Ski* Leah Charles, Boys Basketball Molly Pratt, Boys Basketball Kailyn Canfield, Girls Basketball Brooke Emery, Girls Basketball Camden Jones. Girls Basketball Adriana Mas Soto, Girls Basketball Kathryn McIntyre, Girls Basketball Shelby Purslow, Girls Basketball Emma Rydman, Girls Basketball Sebastian Drosa, *Indoor Track* Amanda Howe, *Indoor Track* Joseph Jensen, Indoor Track Yungyeong Jung, *Indoor Track* Padric McGrath, *Indoor Track* Sophia Milo, *Indoor Track* Bueri Yoon, *Indoor Track* Alanna Nataluk, *Nordic* Issei Amayak Martirosyan, Wrestling Yongseok Yoo, Wrestling

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Juliette Albert '22 Charles Campbell '22 Adriana Gil Garces '22 Ethan Nemeth '22 Haden Fox '23 Colton McCarthy '23 Peyton McMurtray '23 Samantha Winterbottom '23 Jilyan Byrne '24 Jordan Dutton '24 Greta Grant '24 Maya Mahan '24



All-Conference Team Back row (I to r): William Hallam '22, Hogan Bemis '23, Holden Edenbach '25, Owen Galligan '23, Caleb Micklon '23, and Jacob Adams '23. Front row (I to r): Eliza Thorne '23, Sydney Shaw '24, Alanna Natatluk '22, Brooke Emery '22, and Emily Walker '22 (Not present: Bernat Parramon Tarres '25, Noah Grant '22, and Greta Grant '24)

ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

Sydney Shaw '24, 3rd Team, *Girls' Basketball*Brooke Emery '22, Honorable Mention, *Girls' Basketball*Emily Walker '22, Honorable Mention, *Girls' Basketball*Alanna Nataluk '22, All-Conference and
All-State, *Nordic Skiing*William Hallam '22, 3rd Team, *Boys' Basketball*

Eliza Thorne '23, WMC All-Stars, *Alpine*Hogan Bemis '23, WMC All-Stars, *Alpine*Bernat Parramon Tarres '25, WMC All-Stars, *Alpine*Holden Edenbach '25, WMC All-Stars, *Alpine*Owen Galligan '23, First Team All-State, *Ice Hockey*

Caleb Micklon '23, Second Team All-State, *Ice Hockey*

Noah Grant '22, Second Team All-State, *Ice Hockey*

Greta Grant '24, All-Conference, *Ice Hockey* Jacob Adams '23, All-Conference, *Indoor Track*

INDIVIDUAL TEAM AWARDS Alpine

Samantha Winterbottom '23, Coaches' Award Bridget Whelan '25, Most Improved Skier Denali Jensen '22, Coaches' Award Ian Jacobson '22, Coaches' Award

Nordic Skiing

Alanna Nataluk '22, Most Valuable Skier

Ice Hockey

Noah Grant '22, MVP Owen Galligan '23, Coaches' Award

Indoor Track

Jacob Adams '23, Coaches' Award Joseph Jensen '22, Coaches' Award Padric McGrath '22, Coaches' Award Enna Carbone '25, Coaches' Award

Girls' Basketball

Maya Mahan '24, *Coaches' Award* Adriana Mas Soto '22, *Raider Plaque*

Boys' Basketball

Bobby Hallam '22, MVP Will Hallam '23, Offensive Player of the Year Jordan Zerner '23, Defensive Player of the Year

Wrestling

Job Fox '22, Outstanding Wrestler Joey Fusco '24, Most Improved



FA Winter/Spring **Sports Photo Gallery**



Quinn Hagerty '25, Owen Reinbach '25, Andrew Irwin '23, Artoghrul Rashid '23, Issac



William Hallam '23 dunking the ball vs. Mt. Ararat



Alpine Ski Team Back row (I to r): Carlos Olivia Castillo '23, Ethan St Pierre '24, Chandler Thorne '25, Holden Edenbach '25, Hogan Bemis '23, Ethan Nemeth '22, Ian Jacobson '22, Denali Jensen '22, Aaron Zakon '22, and Corbin Blake '23. Front row (I to r): Ben Allocco '25, Agueda Ruiz Perez '24, Gabriela Ruiz Perez '24, Hazel Lewis '25, Eliza Thorne '23, Grace Murley '23, Ashleigh Bariteau '23, Althea Carney '23, Elsie Leonard '23, and Bridget Whelan '25





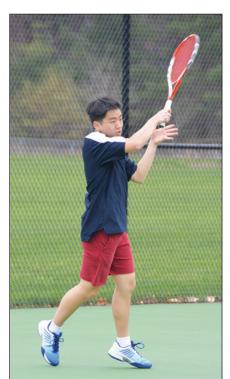
Brooke Emery '22







Adriana Gil Graces '22 Noah Grant '22 Ana Maillett '24





Above: Chandler Thorne '25 and Gabe McKenney '23 At Left: Jaemin "Chris" Kwon '23





l to r: Zoe Daigle '25, Brody McGrath '22, Michael Lawrence '22, Kevin Lucy '24, Ayannah Ward '22, Brian Lucy '24, Charlotte Lougee '22, Willow Carter '22, Jordan Westerberg '23, Alexander Stoker-Ball '22, Fiona Hawthorne-Brosnan '23, and Hunter Tripp '24

Fryeburg Academy Takes the Stage at the 2022 Maine Drama Festival

BRYNN DUTELLE MUSICAL ARTS TEACHER

ryeburg Academy students traveled to Gorham High School on March 25 & 26 to perform in the 2022 Maine Drama Festival with the play, "I Don't Want to Talk About It" by Bradley Hayward. The Maine Drama Festival, which has been held annually since the early 1930s, is a chance for theater kids to share their passion and test their mettle, compete, and see how their work stacks up against others.

This year, the festival showcased students' work from more than 50 schools after a two-year hiatus. "I'm grateful for my time directing this show," said FA's music and theater teacher Brynn Dutelle. "I grew as a director, teacher, mentor, and

person. It found its way back to me with meaningful messages of love, empathy, understanding, and kindness."

Congratulations to the following student-performers who received All Festival Cast Awards from this year's performance: Kevin Lucy '24 for the roles of Idea/Chelsea/Brett; Hunter Tripp '24 for the role of Kyle; Fiona Hawthorne-Brosnan '23 for the roles of Tessa/Logan/Brenna; and Mike Lawrence '22 for the roles of Cameron/Priest/Dad. Special Commendations went to Chloe Longpre '24 for "Expertly Called Show - Student Stage Manager" and Will Scheid '22 and Noah Jacobs '24 for "Student Light Design."

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It found its way back to me with meaningful messages of love, empathy, understanding, and kindness.

—Brynn Dutelle



FA's Business Casual Earns Silver at the All-State Vocal Jazz Festival

BRYNN DUTELLE MUSICAL ARTS TEACHER

n early April, the vocal jazz group Business Casual traveled to Millinocket, ME, for the All-State Vocal Jazz Festival. FA earned a silver rating, and all seven of our soloists received 1s on their solos. Soloists included: Willow Carter '22, Kacey-Jane Clark '23, Taylor Gunther '22, Brian Lucy '24, Kevin Lucy '24, Eli Schor '23, and Ayannah Ward '22.

Special awards went to Grace Liu '23, Artoghrul Rashid '23, and Ethan St. Pierre '24 for Outstanding Rhythm Section. Willow Carter '22 earned the Outstanding Musicianship Award for her scat solo performance.



Front (I to r): Grace Liu '23, Jiwon Choi '24, Artoghrul Rashid '23, Kevin Lucy '24, Brian Lucy '24. Middle (I to r): Yunji Chang '24, faculty member Brynn Dutelle, Ethan St. Pierre '24, Kacey-Jane Clark '23. Back (I to r): Taylor Gunther '22, Willow Carter '22, Ayannah Ward '22, and Eli Schor '23





Fryeburg Academy Makes its Mark at the Maine State Instrumental Jazz Festival & New York WorldStrides Festival in New York City

MIKE SAKASH ARTS DEPARTMENT CHAIR

ongratulations to Fryeburg Academy's instrumental jazz ensembles for their performances at the Maine State ▶ Instrumental Jazz Festival on March 19th. FA's two jazz combos, the Locrian Combo and ComboSphere, earned gold medals, achieving the highest ratings in the state. Vocalist Taylor Gunther '22 received recognition as an outstanding soloist, and



saxophonist Griffin Gillis '25 received the Dale Huff Oustanding Musician award. This award is named in honor of one of Maine's legendary music educators and is presented to two students at the festival. Fryeburg Academy's large jazz ensemble, known as the FA Big Band, received a silver medal for their outstanding performance of traditional big band repertoire.

During the weekend of April 22nd, Fryeburg Academy received multiple awards and recognitions at the New York WorldStrides

Both Big Band and Chorus received gold ratings for their performances. In addition, FA's Big Band received an Adjudicator Award for scoring a near-perfect score, and the FA Chorus earned an invitation to sing at Carnegie Hall. Solo recognitions went to Fiona Hawthorne-Brosnan '23 and Rosa Tepe '23 for their solos in Chorus, and Ethan St. Pierre '24 for percussion in Big Band. Lucy Wang '22 won the WorldStrides Ovation Award, nominated by FA for being an outstanding student in the music program.

Fryeburg Academy also took home the WorldStrides Citizenship Award, which goes to one school that showed spirit, positive attitudes, and respect to other schools and staff throughout the weekend. We want to extend our success and gratitude to those who helped us fundraise. This is a weekend we'll never forget!

Above: 2022 Big Band Left: 2022 States ComboSphere



Greetings from the Alumni Relations Office!

e are looking forward to Reunion Weekend on August 19-21! We will keep it casual once again with the Saturday brunch outside under the tents, rather than an indoor dinner. The brunch was a hit last year, and we still feel it's the best option. Classes ending in "2" and "7" celebrate milestones this year, however, all alumni are invited and encouraged to attend.

Many thanks to those of you who donated to our *FA Scores* project. Friday night lights will be a great addition to the FA scene, and we are excited about the opportunities that the new John H. Atwood Stadium will bring to our campus and community. We look forward to the great moments that will take place in this new venue.

I want to give a shout-out to FA's Alumni Association Board of Directors for another great year. The board recently pledged \$50,000 towards *FA Scores* to name the new scoreboard in the stadium. This volunteer group supports the Academy and its students in so many ways — scholarships, welcome gifts for freshmen, championship jackets, gifts for major capital projects, faculty and staff needs, branded gifts for graduating seniors — and more! I am grateful for their commitment, support, and generosity.

It's hard to think about FA and reunion without **Alan Whitaker '77**, Director of Food Service and Seafood Newburgh chef extraordinaire; however, it's true, he is retiring after 43 years. I have great memories of the many reunions we worked on together and will miss his knowledge, professionalism, attention to detail, and most of all his friendship.

Finally, keep your eyes and ears open for fall celebrations. We will honor the rich history of the FA ski team as we mark its 75th anniversary during Homecoming and Hall of Excellence events. More details to come, but if you participated in skiing during your time at FA, be sure to check the website, Facebook pages, email, and mailboxes as we firm up details and distribute information.

Keep in touch and send us your updates!

Enjoy the summer,

DAWN GALE '81

Director, Academy Fund and Alumni Relations

PS: As many of you noticed, a glitch occurred as reunion invites were processed at the mail service center causing last names to be misspelled. We apologize for any confusion this caused and hope that everyone received a corrected invitation.



Alumni Association Board of Directors: *back row, l to r*: Jodie Barton Hesslein '83, Barbara Gushee '84, Dolores "Chicky" Bresette Deschambeault '80, Ronald "Butch" Sanborn '65, Lynn Deschambeault '78, Chris Dutton '90, Jennifer Stacy Bartlett '93; *front row, l to r*: Lola Largey Layne '57, Lonnie Lutte Lewis '59, President Anita Craig Barker '70, and Admissions Associate Christina DiPietro '13

Reunion Weekend 2022 Schedule

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

Opening Reception, 6 pm

Location: Leura Hill Eastman Performing Arts Center Join us for complimentary snacks, beverages, and catch up with alumni, faculty and friends!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

Alumni Field Hockey Game, 9 am

Location: Academy Fields / Open to All

Alumni Soccer Game, 9 am

Location: Academy Fields / Open to All

Reunion Brunch & Presentation of the 2022 Distinguished Alumni Award, 11 am

Location: Tents On the Quad (between Shaffner Hall and the Bion R. Cram Library) Register: www.fryeburgacademy.org/reunion

Class Photos, 12:15 - 2 pm

Classes will be photographed separately within their *allotted time frame. Complimentary beverages served during the photo session!

Campus Tours, 1:15 & 2 pm

Guided tours leaving from the Leura Hill Eastman Performing Arts Center Buildings open for individual (non-guided) walk-throughs as well, 12 - 3 pm!

Alumni Reception with Entertainment ~ Location @ Saco River Brewing, 3 - 5 pm

Complimentary beverage tickets for alums!

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

Golf @ Kezar Lake Country Club / Discount coupons available through the Alumni Office. Please call (207) 925-2462 to reserve tee times.



Boston Alumni Event

We held our first regional alumni reception since the pandemic hit at Dillon's in Boston on Thursday, May 12. It was great to see familiar faces and catch up with alumni of all ages. Attendees included Erin Mayo (Head of School), Joe Manning (Associate Head of School), Michelle Boucher '13, Matt Boucher '16, Jon Delli-Priscoli '74, Mary Poyner Reed '77, Chris DeCesare '83, Angel Escalante '15, Christina DiPietro '13, Jon Sturdevant '99, Bermjoon Kim '01, John Gordon '80 (Director of Athletics), Joe Brathwaite '68, Chris Gordon '81 (President, Board of Trustees), David Jillson '74, Dawn Gale '81 (Director, Academy Fund and Alumni Relations), Arvin Ma '20, and Ada Huang '16, Ethan Wang (Director of International Recruitment), and David Kenney (Dean of Student Life). We look forward to hosting additional receptions in the near future. Stay tuned!



Arvin Ma '20 and friend



Joe Braithwaite '68, Board of Trustee President Chris Gordon '81, and Jon Delli-Priscoli '74



Associate Head of School Joe Manning, Bermjoon Kim '01, and Jonathan Sturdevant '99



Head of School Erin Mayo with Mary Poyner Reed '77



Director of International Recruitment Partnerships Ethan Wang and Chris DeCesare '83



Matt Boucher '16, Angel Escalante '15, Admissions Associate Christina DiPietro '13, and Michelle Boucher '13



19**60**s

KAREN CARLSEN ELLIOTT '61 "I worked as a CNA until I was 75 and now enjoying six months on Cape Cod in Harwich where I bought a condo! I have spent the last two winters in Vero Beach, FL, for six months with my partner Bruce Toney. We will be celebrating our 25th anniversary together in August! I love being retired, traveling, and spending time with my two adult children. Life is good!"

RONALD SAUNDERS '62 will be honored for his support of the Frostburg State University Branch Chapter of ASALH. Mr. Saunders, who serves as branch president, has been to the campus virtually for the last two years to present lectures in Black History classes. He and his executive board provided much assistance as planning the Black History Month celebration through his creation of the Dr. Charles Drew Knowledge Bowl competition, of which FSU students competed against HBCU students. The team consisted of three African American seniors poised to graduate this spring. In addition, president Saunders has also been instrumental in his work to restore the Negro Mountain African American Historical Site on Route 40 in Garrett County, MD. He's enlisted FSU students in supporting future efforts to keep the area clean. His leadership and that of his executive board also provided options to our campus to join the outstanding virtual events held on a monthly basis in support of keeping the legacy of Carter G. Woodson alive.

CRAIG SEVERANCE '62 remains active in fishery management and lives in Hawaii.

JAMES ARCHIBALD '63 is a visiting professor at the University of Turin's Department of Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Modern Cultures for the 2021-22 academic year. He is



(l to r): Branch historian Alonna Carter, Dr. Trotter, Ronald B. Saunders, Branch President, and Branch Secretary Alexis Clipper.



Wendell Jones and his wife Paula

working with faculty there on developing a new diploma in cultural diplomacy and management to be offered in French. He was also a member of the university's delegation to the European Commission's Conference on Translating Europe. He continues to serve as an expert in translation for the International Organization for Standardization (ISO), and as a member of the Conseil supérieur de la langue française and the Office des professions du Québec.

JUDITH STEVENS SCOTHORNE '65 permanently relocated this past year to Myrtle Beach, SC. "I made it through the southern summer just fine. I have great neighbors and friends and plenty of activities to keep me busy every day and we actually had a dusting of snow a few weeks ago!"

WENDELL JONES '66 "I have plans to retire this year from consulting for folks translating the Scriptures. I do appreciate knowing what my former classmates are doing, although I may not get around to traveling back to FA. My wife, Paula, is from Oregon, my daughter, Kathryn, lives and works in Vancouver, WA, and my son, Jake, and his four kids live here in Bogotá, Colombia."

KEITH LAWRENCE '67 is working in the mental health field as well as the metal business. He writes, "May God bless all graduates. You can do all things through Christ."

STEVEN JONES '69 "When LINDA BROWN '69 and I are not in Maine or Hampton, NH, we are "SnowBirds" at our place in Tucson, AZ. Travel is always on the horizon, especially for our class reunion get-togethers."



Steven and Linda

CAROL GRAY WILLIAMS '69 "I am well and keeping actively involved in a variety of things. During this pandemic, I have walked or hiked nearly every day to stay healthy. I am so glad to have graduated from Fryeburg Academy and then Westbrook College. I became a dental hygienist and will celebrate my 50th college reunion this June. Recently they asked me to be on the Westbrook College Alumni Board of Directors.

I served on the Maine Dental Board and through that, became a dental hygienist examiner. So I travel to various dental and hygiene schools to help with exams. I will be in Fryeburg all summer at my camp."



19**70**s

KENN KAMINSKI '70 is still building dry stone walls. hiking, biking, practicing yoga, pickleball, jump roping, and chillin."

MELINDA CHACE BRACKEN '72 is looking forward to celebrating her 50th reunion with her 1972 classmates!

THE CLASS OF 72 WRITES "Our CLASS OF '72 50TH REUNION is just around the corner. Formal 2022 Reunion activities at the Academy are scheduled for August 19, 20, & 21. It's shaping up to be a very fun and memorable reunion with lots of time to relax and catch up with classmates. Our class has scheduled events beginning on August 17. Thanks to the generosity of many people we have class events with little to no participant expense. Formal FA Reunion Activities, organized by the Alumni Office may have a fee. Did you receive your class event schedule? Have you checked the Alumni Office Reunion schedule? We are still fundraising for the Class of '72 Scholarship Fund. No donation is too small. Checks are payable to Fryeburg Academy with a note in the memo area "Donation Class of 1972 Scholarship Fund." You can also donate securely online at fryeburgacademy.org.give. We currently have an anonymous matching funds gift. Looking forward to seeing you at our 50th! Come celebrate and renew friendships!

For more information contact: ELLEN **BENSON GUILFORD** 207-754-3143, eguilford1123@gmail.com or JAMIE BOSCHERT PANDORA 603-986-3859, m06markm@yahoo.

SUZANNE SARGENT COOK '74 "I was a 1978 graduate of Northeastern University with a degree in nursing. I worked as an RN and retired in September 2021 after 43 years, however, I continue to work per diem."



EILEEN GOLDSTEIN WOLFE '76 "Hi, I'm living in New Hampshire now and married for 37 years. I'm a grammie to two and living a beautiful life."

BRENDA HATCH HINES '77" I was married on September 10, 2016, to my wonderful husband Gregory Hines. Between the both of us we have six beautiful, smart, and amazing grandchildren (two girls and four boys). We are loving our lifestyle — a six/six split between New England and Florida. After all, isn't that what we worked so hard for? Looking forward to seeing everyone soon, and until then be safe and keep lovin' life!"

MARY POYNER REED '77 "Hello 1977



classmates, I have recently changed positions from Boston Children's Hospital's VP of Nursing to Nurse Scientist, and am looking forward to my last decade of a very fulfilling nursing career. I have been busy in Boston raising three now-

grown children and am happily married to my husband, James. I spend a lot of time in Maine on Georgetown Island and skiing at Sugarloaf. Hope all are well and happy!"



From top center clockwise: Joyce Chamberlain Egge, Keith & Cathy Durham, John Garner and fiancé Pamela, Bryan Coombs & wife Beth Cyr, Jimmy & Lynn Eastman.



Charlie Swanson, Lindsay MacGillivray Swanson '10, Sarah MacGillivray, Terry MacGillivray '81, Megan MacGillivray '12, Meredith Deal



Ana M. Perez Groba '85 with he newly published book.

RICHARD BEEBE '78 was honored to receive an award as Emeritus Director at the spring board meeting of the Experimental Aircraft Association. EAA is a wonderful organization encompassing all aspects of recreational flying. He writes, "It was my privilege to have served on its board for 15 years."

JAMES DOYLE '78 "My wife and I celebrated our 30th anniversary in November of 2021. Our daughter married a wonderful man and we recently received some exciting news ' our daughter is going to have TWINS! We will be grandparents soon."

MICHAEL CHAPLIN '78 "In December 2021, I retired from Texas Instruments in South Portland, which makes 'computer' chips for many different applications. In 2022, I will be focused on spending time with my family and doing some traveling....stay tuned."

19**80**s

TERRY MACGILLIVRAY '81 "Our son, Ian, is graduating a year early from Emerson College so the final payment has been made! He will be

> moving to NYC in June to pursue a career in theater. LINDSAY '10 gave birth to our first grandchild, a little girl named Ada. Her dream to open a girls' STEAM school is becoming a reality. After a two-year process, The Inova Girls Academy was approved by the State of New York and will open in Rochester NY, in August 2023. This winter, MEGAN '12, stepped in and bailed us out running the snowmobile rentals in Fryeburg. She is working from home full-time for Pathrise a hightech job placement firm." Sarah and Terry are officially snowbirds living in Jensen Beach, FL, in the winter. This arrangement was the only way to stop Terry from ski racing and avoiding the emergency room on a regular basis. Terry works from home a few hours a day keeping track of East Conway Self

Storage, Cooks Corner Self Storage, and Northeast Snowmobile and ATV Rentals. He is currently working on a 36,000 square foot expansion of the storage facility in Brunswick, ME, and has been helping out on the FA Scores! fundraising committee. Sarah and Terry frequent the golf course and fishing holes in Florida and Terry has hung up the running shoes for cycling and rowing.

KAREN LIBBY BACCHIOCCHI '85 "Husband JOHN BACCHIOCCHI '85 and I recently sold our home and moved back to our first home, also in Lovell, ME. Downsizing is a real thing! We are both well and our children PETER '11 and ELLEN '13 both have homes in Maine now and we see them often."

ANA PÉREZ GROBA AFZALI '85 "I have just published a book in Spanish (geared for readers in Spain) about the Spanish Civil War and the liberal Commander Gonzalo Pando Rivero. It is one of the most rewarding projects of my career as a researcher. I will be traveling to Spain in a few months where I will be presenting it. I have had so much support from historians in Spain who encouraged me to finish and publish this story and all that I feel is gratitude.

MARY WESTON DI NUCCI '85 "I'm doing well living here in Fryeburg with my husband, Michael, and our daughter Serena who is in the 7th grade. Serena recently got a taste of Academy life when she had the opportunity to play in the Christmas Candlelight Concert. She can't wait to attend the Academy! It was nice to see so many people at the reunion last summer."

KATHERINE SANDERS '87" It was time for



Mary Weston Di Nucci '85 and daughter Serena



Katherine Sanders in her flight attendant uniform.

a complete change of pace in my life so I went through the process of applying to be a flight attendant. After sending out many resumes, participating in virtual interviews, and hours-long face-to-face interviews, I chose a company and went through a month-long, intense training in Cheyenne, WY. As part of the first graduating class of 2022, I am now an FAA certified flight attendant with Frontier Airlines based out of Orlando, FL."

CHARLENE TAYLOR FORWARD '89 "I have been married for twenty-two years. and have a teenaged son. I am a naturopathic doctor working in the medical field."

19**90**s

KEN MORRISON '91 "My wife and I just bought a home in San Tan Valley, AZ. I continue to work for Merrill Lynch. My oldest daughter, Jordan, is proudly serving in the NH National Guard!"

HEATHER MARIE BUSH '93 "Hello from South Carolina! I have been living in SC since 2004 and have worked for Blue Cross Blue Shield/SC for going on 17.5 years. I have worked my way up in the company since graduating from SNHU with my bachelor's degree in business administration in 2017. I am now



Ken Morrison '91 and wife Jennifer in front of their new house in AZ.

a manager of our claims operations for the TRICARE Contract. I've been working on the Military contract since the start of my career with BCBSSC. I enjoy being close to my family here in the south and have enjoyed a few excursions back to Maine over the last few years. I look forward to seeing my fellow classmates at our 30-year reunion in 2023!



Megan Bois Colby '93 and husband Jeff Colby '91

MEGAN BOIS COLBY '93 and JEFF COLBY '91

were married on December 19, 2021. They live in Panora, IA, and she is a fulltime graduate student at the University of Illinois.

ERIK EASTMAN '93 was named to the SMCC dean's list for the 2021 fall semester.

HEATHER HALEY JEAN '94" It was sad to hear of the passing of two of our classmates in the last few years. I have lived in Brownfield for the last 20 years and have been married to my husband for 23 years. I have a daughter graduating from Fryeburg Academy this spring and a son that will be entering as a freshman this fall. I had a wonderful opportunity to work for the school district and Fryeburg Academy. It was surreal returning to the schools I went to. I worked with many of my classmates' children. I have been working at Memorial Hospital for the last two years as a medical assistant. I have found my passion and moved up quickly to a supervisory position. I am so excited for my daughter to spread her wings this fall, continue her education, and find her passion. I wish you all well and maybe we will meet again."

TALITHA BREWER '97 "I manage my own



full spectrum doula business out of San Diego, CA. I also run a nonprofit "VETS" (Veterans Engaging in Therapeutic Services) helping veterans file their disability claims and award grants for

alternative treatments for PTSD. I have four daughters and my oldest is attending San Diego State University."

EMILY LUCY '98 "Whew 24 years, how did that happen!? I've been living in Alaska for about 15 years now, enjoying (mostly) the long winters and 24-hour daylight summers. I married a



Emily Lucy '98 with husband Jeff

handsome and kind Alaskan (originally from California), Jeff, in the summer of 2020. I work for a non-profit in Anchorage, supporting youth and educator programs all over the state, with a focus on empowering indigenous native Alaskan peoples and the many diverse humans from all over the world who have ended up here. Hope everyone is healthy and happy!"

KIMBERLY MILLER BISHOP '99 "My husband Justin and I are living in Brownfield on the very street I grew up on. It's nice to live three doors down from my parents Robin and **DONALD MILLER** '77. We have three sons **TRENT** '16, KYLE '23, and Gavin; and a daughter, Melanie, who was diagnosed with leukemia in April 2019. She fought the disease hard for two years and is now cancer free! Our family has been through a lot, but we are so much stronger because of it!"

20**00**s

KATY WRIGHT-MEAD '01 Co-wrote the drama "Sometimes I Think About Dying," which wrapped up production in Oregon this past winter. Actor, Daisy Ridley, of *Star Wars* fame is starring and producing the indie drama. Katy starred in and co-wrote the 12-minute short film of the same name in 2019, which, in addition to



Kim Bishop '99 is pictured with her husband Justin, sons Trent '16, Kyle '23, Gavin, and daughter Melanie.





Andy Cook, Elizabeth Alimi Cook '02, Addie (age 4), Molly (age 2)

screening at the Sundance Film Festival, screened at more than 40 festivals and received several awards for screenwriting and acting.

ELIZABETH ALIMI COOK '02 "I attended St. Lawrence University in Canton, NY, and then spent two years in Denver before settling in Vermont. I graduated from Vermont Law School in 2013 and have been practicing real estate law ever since. I now own my own firm in Waitsfield. I am also an adaptive ski instructor."

DAVID GIBSON '02 "In August 2021, I joined the College of the Atlantic as the Director of Energy. I am teaching clean energy courses and leading the college's transition away from fossil fuels for all buildings on campus. We are busy insulating buildings and installing heat pumps!"

REBECCA HOWLAND '02 was one of the 23 men and 17 women to join the party we like to call 40 Under Forty! I guess you could refer to them as honorees 801 through 840 from the New Hampshire Union Leader's 21st year of celebrating movers, shakers, and differencemakers across the Granite State. All of these individuals have made professional and personal contributions to making New Hampshire a better place to live and work. Nomination forms were gathered last fall. Nominees had to be younger than 40 and have lived in New Hampshire for the last three years.

ASHLEE PURINTON CHAINE '03 shared. "RENEE STRANGE FARNHAM '03 invited **EMILY CHAINE '24** to intern with her for the summer at her business Strange Events."

MARIE CHERRY RAPPA '03 is living in

Houston, TX, working for a reverse logics company. Following graduation from FA, Marie graduated from Maine Maritime Academy with a BS in logistics and supply chain management and graduated in '08 from MMA with an MS in supply chain management. She will soon be relocating to Miami for work with her husband and four cats. Marie took up running and has completed 12 half marathons, one marathon, and numerous 5ks and 10ks.

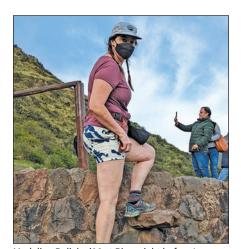
KATIE TRAFFORD FADDEN '04 and her husband, Tommy, announced the birth of Reid Carson Fadden on September 10, 2021, at Maine Medical Center in Portland, ME. He joins Chase (3) and Quinn (1). Grandparents are Vicki and Tom Fadden of Center Conway, Ruby Small of Bridgton, ME, and DEAN TRAFFORD '82 of Lovell, ME.

BENJAMIN FARNHAM '05 and Andrianna Rowland announced the birth of Harley Meadow Elise Farnham on April 18, 2022. She joins Skylar Shovan (14), Banyan Shovan (12), and Evan Farnham (12).

LUKE JONES '05 and his wife Jennifer Bell Jones were married on January 1, 2022 and are the parents of a daughter Leona Elizabeth Jones, paternal grandmother is **BETH GROVER JONES** '66.

ANDREW STACY '05 and his wife, Emily, of Sebago, ME, are the parents of Walker Mark Kelley Stacy, born on Wednesday, February 16, 2022. Walker joins a brother, Breslin (4). Maternal grandparents are Heidi Kelley of Sebago and Scott and Audrey Farley and the paternal grandparents are **BERTRAM STACY '66** and the late DENISE TRUE STACY '72.

MADELINE POLIVKA '06 "I am living in Montana still working from home as an analytical chemist and continue to be in regular touch with KATIE BLYNN '06, KATIE SHOREY



Madeline Polivka '06 at Pisac right before I got yelled at by the caretakers for stepping on ancient steps. My tour guide said it was okay, but I guess it wasn't.



Nicole Pelkie Stefano '08, Nicole Watkins '09, Renee Strange Farnham '03, Emily Chaine '24, and Jennifer Leach Pelkie '92

'06, and KEVIN PARK '06! I just returned from Peru and was able to use quite a bit of my Spanish thanks to all the fun years with Senora J!"

ANGELA WEST '06 "After receiving my MA in Forensic Psychology at John Jay College of Criminal Justice in NYC, I'm now pursuing a career in the study of psychedelics as therapeutics. I work at NYU's Center for Psychedelic Medicine as a clinical research coordinator, primarily with Dr. Stephen Ross. My original plan was to get my Ph.D. in Clinical/Counseling Psychology,

ALUMNI UPDATE ROSITSA ATANASOVA '03 Sofia, Bulgaria Her Journey So Far:



Rositsa has worked in support of migrants and refugees in Bulgaria since 2013. She was a volunteer in the field before joining Doctors Without Borders as a project manager in the largest reception center in the country. From 2017 to 2019 she served as the project manager for Unaccompanied Migrant and Refugee Children for Lumos, the charity founded by J.K. Rowling to end the institutionalization of children globally. Rositsa has a bachelor's degree in Law from the University of Cambridge and a master's degree in European Law from the Catholic University of Portugal. She also earned a master's degree in Islamic Studies from Harvard University as well as a bachelor's degree in classical studies from Willamette University.

Additionally ...

"I love to travel by myself on routes that are off the beaten path and get to know new places, people and cultures."



Angela West '06

but given that most psychedelics are still going through clinical trials, I'm navigating the current world of psychedelic research in order to determine what the next best steps are in finding the

right program."

KIMBERLEE WIGGIN '06 and Dillon Richards of Brownfield, ME, welcomed their daughter, Allison Elizabeth Richards, on April 30, 2022, at the Family Birthing Center at Memorial Hospital in North Conway, N.H. She joins Madeline (7), Benjamin (5), and Remington (17 months). The maternal grandparents are William Wiggin and SUE WIGGIN '79 The paternal grandparents are Bob and Penny Richards.

CAITLIN ARMSTRONG '08 and Andrew Tenaglia, Jr. were married on October 23, 2021 in Jackson, NH. GILLIAN ARMSTRONG '09, PHOEBE RAY '09, JESSIE ALLEN '08, and AMBER CRECELIUS '08 were all bridesmaids. Caitlin is the daughter of Davey and BECKY MACGILLIVRAY ARMSTRONG '78.

JACQUELYNN ROSE BELL '08 and Ryan Joseph Polisso announced their engagement on August 15, 2021.

ALYSSA LUSKY DAHMS '08 "I graduated from Lasell College (now Lasell University) in 2012 with a BA in communications and a focus in journalism and just finished my final semester back at Lasell for my MS in marketing. I'm currently the social media marketing manager for Hannaford Supermarkets and prior to that, I worked on the marketing team at Stonewall Kitchen. I guess you could say I love the food retail business! I live in Gray, ME, with my husband, Mike, and our fox red Labrador puppy, Tucker."



Caitlin Armstrong '08 and husband Andrew Tenaglia Jr.

20**10**s

STACEY STEWART '10 and SHANE BUSSIERE '10 of North Conway, NH, welcomed Colson Joseph Bussiere on Feb. 22, 2022, at Memorial Hospital in North Conway. He joins sister, Ellyse Bussiere.

KATELYN MCGRATH CARVALHO '10 "We welcomed a new baby, Sofia Emily, on November 5, 2021. She joins Elena (2)."

JAKE DUNHAM '10 proposed to his fiancee Chris Hendricks in Isla Verde, Puerto Rico on November 16, 2020. To his surprise, when Jake got down on one knee, Chris pulled out a ring as well. A double engagement! They currently reside in Grand Rapids, MI, where Jake works as a theatre director, and Chris in mortgage loan origination.

AIMEE FREEMAN FRIEND '10 "I was married on November 20, 2021 and we are currently living in Brownfield. My kids, Rebeka (8) and Joshua (6) attend Molly Ockett School. We are starting a farm and currently, we have 70 chickens and are selling eggs. I am enrolled in school for my bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education and am set to graduate in 2025."

ALUMNI UPDATE KATELYN SHOREY '06 Portland, ME After Fryeburg Academy:



Katie attended and graduated from St. Lawrence University (government major), worked in Washington, DC, (politics, consulting and then nonprofits), lived in San Francisco for a bit, before landing back in Maine. She is working for *Live and Work in Maine*, an organization focused on talent attraction and retention.

Back on the stage ...

Last year she tried out for (and was cast a lead in) a play, after not having done theater since her FA days! She looks forward to the next local production. The last two summers Katie was the host of a local TV show called *Dock and Dine*! She had fun exploring Maine, sharing stories, and eating amazing food!

ALICE DENTON-HENRY '10 and George Finlay welcomed Natalie Dianne Finlay on March 19, 2022, at Memorial Hospital in North Conway, NH. She joins her sister, Savannah Finlay (3).

LINDSAY MACGILLIVRAY SWANSON

'10 and her husband Charlie welcomed their daughter Avadna (Ada) May Swanson on December 5, 2021.

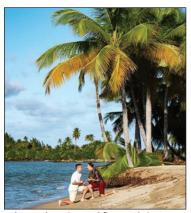
KATELYN TIBBETTS '10 and Todd Bryant of Center Conway, NH, welcomed Eleanor Jewell Bryant on February 19, 2022, at Memorial Hospital in North Conway, NH. The maternal grandparents are the late Arthur Jewell Tibbetts Jr '80 and Mary Ellen Tibbetts of Brownfield, ME.



Alyssa Lusky Dahms '08 with husband Mike and their dog Tucker.



Katelyn McGrath Carvalho '10 pictured with husband Valci and daughters Sofia and Elena.



Jake Dunham '10 and fiance Chris Hendricks proposing to each other in Isla Verde Puerto Rico.



Aimee Freeman '10 with husband, daughter Rebeka, and son Joshua



BRYLIE WALKER YOUNG '10 and husband, Alec, of Fryeburg, welcomed Braelie Ann Young on April 8, 2022, at the Family Birthing Center at Memorial Hospital in North Conway, NH. She weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces. The maternal grandparents are DWIGHT '77 and SHELLEY OSGOOD WALKER '82 of Fryeburg. The paternal grandparents are Donnie and Lisa Young of Cushing, ME. The maternal greatgrandparents are JAMES '56 and the late Donna Osgood of Fryeburg. The paternal greatgrandparents are Mona and Keith Monaghan of Port Clyde, ME.

NAOMI ELA GOETZ '11 "I moved to New Jersey in 2019 to start my career as a physical therapist and was married on November 20, 2021, to Michael Goetz of Oak Valley, NJ."

BRADY LLOYD '11 received the Doctor Bill Eckart Young Professional of the Year Award given by the Maine Recreation and Park Association in January 2022. Brady has worked in the Parks and Recreation field for almost 14 years and now serves as the Recreation Director for Sanford, ME. Growing up he worked for the Fryeburg and Conway Parks and Recreation Departments during high school and college summers. Following college, Brady worked as the Teen Program Coordinator for the YMCA of Metropolitan Denver, CO. He has also served as the program coordinator and assistant director of Parks and Recreation in Standish, ME.

KATY HEGGIE '11 started a new position as a buyer specialist at Santana Team-Keller Williams Cambridge!

EMMA FLAHERTY '12 "I have been working in Conway, NH, for the last 2 years as a mental health case manager — taking care of four-



Naomi Ela Goetz '11 and husband Michael Goetz

legged and two-legged creatures."

SULLIVAN PANNO COLE '12 earned her associate's degree and is currently working towards obtaining her license in drug and alcohol abuse counseling. She married Coty Cole in August 2021. "Following our wedding we spent three months in Oahu, HI, for a work assignment. We are now in the process of buying a home and will hopefully close before our reunion!"

HIEU VAN '12 "I successfully defended my thesis and obtained a Ph.D. degree in Genetics



and Epigenetics from the University of Texas MD Anderson UTHealth Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences. I continue pursuing my science career as a post-doctoral fellow at the National Institutes of Health."

HANNAH PLOWDEN GUILFORD '13

received the prestigious award of *Thirty under Thirty at the @thenkba Awards*! This honor is awarded by the National Kitchen and Bath Association to recognize select individuals internationally as young professionals in the kitchen and bathroom industry.

EMILY DAVIDSON '14 and Lindsay Ferren Jr. of Center Conway, NH, announced the birth of their daughter, Maisie Elizabeth Ferren on Sept. 22, 2021, at Memorial Hospital in North Conway, NH. The grandparents are Eddie and **WENDY DAVIDSON '84** of Fryeburg, Maine,

ALUMNI UPDATE ALEXANDER GARRETT '10 Los Angeles, CA After Fryeburg Academy:



After graduating from Fryeburg, Alex moved out west to attend Stanford University, where he majored in biology with a minor in theater. He fully enjoyed his college experience, researching circadian rhythms, acting in plays, and playing music around the country. He also studied abroad at Oxford University in the U.K., lived in a vegetarian co-op, and met his future wife, Lisa Jackson. He graduated in 2014 with University Distinction and received a Geffen Scholarship, which funded his entire medical school education at UCLA. In medical school Alex volunteered with and helped lead the Student Run Homeless Clinics group, which provided free medical care to people experiencing homelessness in Los Angeles. His experience working with the homeless played a large part in his decision to specialize in Emergency Medicine. He is now in his final year of residency as an emergency medicine physician, stabilizing gunshot victims, intubating COVID-19 patients, and managing hundreds of other emergency complaints. Alex and Lisa were married in 2021 and in August 2022, he begins his new role as a Medical Education Fellow at the University of Washington in Seattle, working as junior faculty to train new emergency doctors.

Still playing!...

"In college I played tenor saxophone with the Leland Stanford Junior University Marching Band (LSJUMB), which is infamously a "scatter" band which people can join without ever having picked up an instrument. With the Band I traveled to the Orange Bowl, Fiesta Bowl, and two Rose Bowls, as well as multiple NCAA tournaments for basketball and other sports around the country."



Lindsay MacGillivray Swanson '10 with husband Charles and daughter Avadna May Swanson.



Brylie Walker Young '10 with daughter Braelie Ann, dog Navy Ann, and husband Alec Young.



Milos Todosijevic '12



Hannah Plowden Guilford '13 with the Thirty under Thirty award.

and Shaun Bryant and Lindsay Ferren Sr. of Albany, N.H.

AMBER LAGASSE '15 was named to SMCC dean's list for the 2021 fall semester.

ANGELIDI MONEGRO '15 graduated from

Saint Anselm College College in 2019 majoring in sociology and communications. She is currently the childcare



director at the Merrimack Valley YMCA.



ANTONINA
PATRAKOVA '16
graduated from Moscow
State University with a
major in economics. She
now owns a business in
the beauty sphere.

REID O'BRIEN '15 "It ain't much, but I finally finished that golf cart I started working on senior year! The only thing that's left of the original as it left the metal shop senior year is the frame rails, seats, front cowl, and drive axle. Everything else I 'fabricobbled' myself. It still needs a lot of work, but I'm happy with it. Once it's done, though? I'm building a bigger one."

ALYSSA ALLEN '17 and Jordan Schaub of Fryeburg, welcomed son Jace Maverick Shawn Schaub on May 9, 2022. Jace joins Mylah

ALUMNI UPDATE CHRISTOPHER PERRY '10Durham, NC *After Fryeburg Academy:*



Chris graduated from the University of Maine and then worked for a North Conway based software company until 2020. He then moved to North Carolina and started working for Nubank, the world's largest online bank by number of customers. He is currently a staff software engineer building financial services for Central and South America

A different perspective ...

"My new employer is based in Brazil and is building services for Latin America. Working with an international organization has greatly broadened my perspective. I've been challenged to adapt to foreign work cultures and to learn Portuguese. I've also been fortunate enough to work alongside some of the smartest individuals in software engineering while doing so."



Ella Forbes '17 with Partner Marc and puppy Cricket.

Schaub (10), Meeyah Schaub (6), and Bentley Schaub (3).

ELLA FORBES '17 attended WPI for biomedical engineering. While there, she coxed for the Men's Varsity Crew team. Ella is commissioned from Army ROTC and currently is a combat engineer in the Army.

SHEALYN JOHNSON '17 of Brownfield, ME, was recently named to the President's List, with a grade point average of 3.995 at the University of Bridgeport (CT) Shealyn is in the first year of her studies toward a degree in nursing. She is a full-time emergency department technician at Yale-New Haven Hospital and is a 2021 graduate of the University of New Haven (CT) with a BS degree in paramedicine. She is also a nationally certified EMT. Shealyn is the daughter of CHRIS '78 and ELAINE KAY JOHNSON '81 and the sister of NICHOLAS '08 and CRAIG '09.

TAYLOR KRUGER '17 "I am attending graduate school at the University of Wyoming at the Haub School of Environment and Natural Resources. My research is focused on climate change communication strategies in rural areas. I have been enjoying all the outdoor recreation opportunities that Wyoming has to offer, especially skiing and hiking."

ERIK PORTER '17: "After I graduated from FA, I started college at MIT and graduated with a double major in physics and electrical engineering in 2021 with a concentration in quantum computation. I then moved to the San Francisco Bay area and began my PhD in electrical engineering. For my PhD, my research is in cold atoms for use in ultraprecision measurements. I've enjoyed the outdoors as much as possible while living different places around the country — biking, climbing, and canyoneering."

EMILY ROBINSON '17 graduated from Northern Vermont University/Lyndon in May 2021. She earned a BS in music business and industry with concentrations in audio production and artist management, as well as an AS degree in business administration with a minor in marketing. She has been working at

ALUMNI UPDATE SIENA TATUM PETERSON '12

Fryeburg, ME After Fryeburg Academy:



After graduation, I took a year off to travel through Turkey, Germany, and the Netherlands. When I returned, I enrolled at Granite State College and earned my degree in business management. In 2018, I married fellow FA grad LARS PETERSON '01 and we purchased a house on Main Street in Fryeburg. I've now been working remotely for Grove Collaborative, a startup based in San Francisco, CA. I have been with them for four years and work in their financial technology department.

Fun Facts ...

"I've been practicing yoga for a while now and recently started getting into aerial yoga which has been super fun! I am obsessed with sloths and dream about going to Costa Rica one day to interact with them in the wild. I love country music and my husband and I try to go to as many concerts as we can each year."

Big Night Live in Boston since graduation.

STEPHANIE YORK '17 started pursuing her Masters's in marketing in July of 2021 and began working for Southern New Hampshire University in November 2021.

XINGJIAN "TOM" ZHAI '17 "How time flies! Right after graduating from FA in June 2017, I moved to Montreal, Quebec, to attend McGill University, and graduated in December 2019. I then relocated to Atlantic Canada — Halifax, Nova Scotia for my master's degree (Dalhousie), where I graduated in November 2021. Currently, I am on the West Coast in Vancouver, British Columbia pursuing a Ph.D. in experimental medicine (UBC). FA prepared me incredibly well for college and for adjusting to new environments. I am very grateful for the opportunities that Fryeburg gave me and am sending well wishes to my teachers and fellow classmates!"

COLLEEN BULLARD '18 a senior majoring in biology / biomolecular science was named to the dean's list for the fall 2021 semester at Clarkson University.

ADAM CANFIELD '18 was named to the dean's list at Dean College for the fall 2021 semester.



EMILY CARTY '18 was named to the dean's list at Bates College for the fall semester ending in December 2021.

GRACE CONDON '18 was named to the dean's list for academic excellence for the 2021 fall semester at Springfield College. Grace is majoring in health science/pre-physician assistant.

CODY GULLIKSON '18 was named to the dean's list for academic excellence at Springfield College for the 2021 fall semester. Cody is majoring in accounting.

KADE HAMLIN '18 has been named to Husson University's Honors List for the Fall 2021 semester. Kade is enrolled in Husson's BS in biochemistry program.

ECE KAYA '18 shared, "I am studying at Towson University to earn a bachelor's degree in International Business and Marketing.

ALUMNI UPDATE GULSEN OZTOSUN '15 Washington, DC After Fryeburg Academy:



"After graduating from FA in 2015, I was offered a full academic scholarship to attend medical school in Istanbul. In July 2021, I received my MD degree and relocated to the US shortly after. I'm currently living in Washington, DC, and working towards my medical residency applications. I often find myself reminiscing about the memories of Fryeburg - the Mystery Bus, dorm life, classes, varsity tennis, Fryeburg Fair, outdoor activities, and the unique individuals I met along the way made it special. I realize that I take a little bit of Fryeburg with me wherever I go!"

Enjoys ...

"I enjoy singing and playing guitar and gave concerts on many occasions mainly as a part of charity events. I also love drawing dog portraits using chalk pastel as a medium. When I have spare time, I enjoy doing trivia quizzes and traveling around the world using the street view feature on Google Earth!"

Through my academic achievements, I was able to make the dean's list for the last six semesters. I am also part of several clubs including the International Student Association, Lambda Kappa Tau, and Towson Campus Recreation. I currently work as an assistant sales manager for a retail store and also a guest service attendant at Towson Campus Recreation. I completed my internship at NIRU Group, located in Manhattan as a marketing intern. I am in the last semester of my senior year and plan to graduate in May 2022. I am planning to continue furthering my education and start a new job after my master's degree. I was accepted by one of the best technical universities in German and will study Global Technology and Innovation Management & Entrepreneurship at the Hamburg University of Technology. Moreover, I would like to mention that I miss and remember Fryeburg Academy like yesterday. I would like to thank everyone from Fryeburg Academy who impacted me positively in my education."

SCOTT PARKER '18 made dean's list honors in the fall 2021 semester at the University of

FAYE TAYLOR '18 graduated from the University of New Hampshire in December 2021. She earned a bachelor's degree in biomed science/med micro.

JASMINE WARD '18 and MICHAEL **HAMILTON '14** are the parents of Rowan Miles Hamilton born on January 14, 2022, at the Memorial Hospital in North Conway, NH.

JIABO WU '18 was recognized for academic excellence earning a spot on the dean's list at Miami University.

NAN "NANCY" ZHANG '18 was among students from Miami University who received degrees during the fall commencement on December 10, 2021. Nancy graduated with a BA degree, majoring in urban and regional planning.

TUCKER BUZZELL '19 was been named to Husson University's President's List for the fall 2021 semester. Tucker is enrolled in Husson's Bachelor of Science in Sport Management

JOSHUA FRYE '19 was named to the dean's list at CMCC for the fall 2021 semester.

DAVID MARSHALL '19 was named to the Fitchburg State University President's List for the fall 2021 semester.

CASEY KNEISSLER '19 made dean's list honors in the fall 2021 semester at the University of Maine.

HANNAH PALZEWICZ '19 was named to the SMCC dean's list for the 2021 fall semester.

RIVER ANN LUSKY '19 earned high honors at the University of Maine Farmington for the fall 2021 semester.

20**20**s

SOPHIE KUMMER '20 made dean's list honors for the fall 2021 semester at the University of Maine.

PATRICK MALIA '20 made dean's list honors for the fall 2021 semester at the University of

MADDIE MCINTYRE '20 was named to the dean's list for academic excellence for the 2021 fall semester at Springfield College. Maddie has a primary major of Health Science/Pre-physician

ABIGAIL WINTERBOTTOM '20 was named to the dean's list at Stonehill College for the fall of 2021.

CAIDINCE THOMPSON '21 and CAMERON **L. MAILMAN '18** are the parents of a son, Cameron Lyle Mailman Jr. The grandparents are REXFORD THOMPSON '01 and AMANDA ROLLINS '00 and Alyssa Cote and Jeffery Mellor of Denmark, and David and Lisa Thompson of Berlin, NH.

AVA CHADBOURNE '21 is a member of the class of 2025 at Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI) majoring in Computer Science (BS). She was named to the university's dean's list for academic excellence for the fall 2021 semester.

JARRETT ENSOR '21 was named to the Washington County Community College (Calais, ME) dean's list for the fall 2021 semester.

LIVIA DE VRIES '21 earned dean's list honors in the fall 2021 semester at the University of Maine.

GRACE MARSHALL '21 was named to the SMCC dean's list for the 2021 fall semester.

WILLIAM MARSHALL '21 is a Lasell University student and was named to the dean's list for in the fall 2021 semester.

LUKE REINBACH '21 made dean's list honors in the fall 2021 semester at the University of Maine.

CHRISTINA SCHEID '21 was named to the dean's list for academic excellence at Springfield College for the 2021 fall semester. Christina has a primary major in history.

LINDSAY SMITH '21 was named to the SMCC dean's list for the 2021 fall semester..

SIMON ST. PIERRE '21 made dean's list honors in the fall 2021 semester at the University of Maine.

MORGAN FUSCO '21 continues her winning ways as a member of the Colby College White Mules softball team in Waterville, ME. By the end of April, Morgan had started 12 of 14 grames and was hitting .366 with 15 hits, including three doubles and a home run; had driven in seven runs; and scored seven runs. She was ranked third on the team with a .566 slugging percentage.

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Equipment for transporting, washing, prepping, and refrigerating OLRC garden vegetables -\$6,000

Jackets, gloves, boots, and sleeping bags for winter camping (20 sets needed) - \$500 ea.

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Greenery/Shrubs (as part of landscape master plan) - \$200 ea. Greenery/Trees (as part of landscape master plan) - \$500 ea.

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We are saddened by the loss of members of the Fryeburg Academy community. We honor and remember them here.

ALEXIS DEMIRANDA '08 on August 18, 2020

GEORGE DANFORTH '65 on September 18, 2021

EARL BETHUNE '72 on November 23, 2021

DONALD YOUNG '65 on December 5, 2021

JOYCE STEARNS HARMON '53 on December 11, 2021

LAWRENCE R. KIMBALL '65 on December 13, 2021

HERBERT PAYNE '61 on December 16, 2021

GEORGE M. JOHNSON '49 on December 20, 2021

BRIAN LUNT '78 on December 23, 2021

BRIAN BARBARY '83 on December 26, 2021

KENNETH COEN '66 on December 26, 2021

MARY HASTINGS DUMAS '47 on December 30, 2021

EVERETT C. SMITH '73 on December 31, 2021

JOHN R. BRADEEN '62 on January 1, 2021

CAROLYN LANE LADOE '56 on January 8, 2022

GERALD KIESMAN '44 on January 10, 2022

NICHOLAS PURINTON '13 on January 12, 2022

TRILLIUM THORNE EVANS '80 on January 14, 2022

DWIGHT DURGIN '54 on January 19, 2022

CHARLENE STURGES KUEHN '72 on January 21, 2022

OLIN LUSKY '59 on January 24, 2022

ROBERTA CRAM CHANDLER '53 on January 26, 2022

HENRY "TED" RAYMOND, III (*Trustee Emeritus*) on February 1, 2022

RODNEY H. WALES '54 on February 5, 2022

MICHELLE HAMLIN (Former Faculty) on February 7, 2022

JOHN H. PENDEXTER '64 on February 7, 2022

MAKAYLA BISULCA FAULKNER '15 on February 8, 2022

RUDOLPH ROBERTS '49 on February 9, 2022

CARLETON PENDEXTER '61 on February 15, 2022

JUANITA HARMON LUSKY '58 on February 17, 2022

JEFFREY WALKER '66 on February 18, 2022

PETER G. HASTINGS '53 on March 5, 2022

PATRICIA MADSEN WALES '55 on March 6, 2022

PAULA MCINNIS (Former Staff) on March 8, 2022

NOREEN POTTER DENBY '63 on March 9, 2022

CARL TAYLOR '62 on March 19, 2022

ESTHER COLBY HILMAN '45 on March 23, 2022

BROOKE A. BARRON '18 on April 1, 2022

DIANE WARREN JONES '69 on April 2, 2022

EARL R. MCALLISTER '49 on April 6, 2022

EVELYN HARTFORD BISHOP '39 on April 11, 2022

GEORGE BAIRD '70 on April 15, 2022

SARA MARTIN NEDDENRIEP '90 on April 21, 2022

KENNETH A. LUTTE '65 on April 26, 2022

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