

Memo to: LHS59 Classmates and Families

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Memo from: Editor of LHS59.org

Over the years, my Son, David, and I have maintained, updated, and protected the information available on the LHS59.org website on your behalf as my contribution in serving as your unofficial class historian of the great Class of 1959 on the Internet. As many of you have done in your retirements, we have all begun to seek ways to reduce our costs, if only to assist our children and grandchildren in college or in general.

I am reminded yearly by my accountant (i.e., my wife) that I have been spending "a lot" of money over the years on the LHS59.org website. The administrative domain costs and the costs of the two main virus and malware protection programs run about \$200-\$300/year. As you all know, I have been doing this for decades now. You can do the calculations, but during the peak of my professional practice that expense was not noticeable. I was pleased that I could do that for the Class. But as I slowdown in my consulting practice, those costs are becoming noticeable.

So, based on the continuing popularity of the class website, it is clear that in our keeping a formal account of our passing classmates, adding news items of interest and photos, maintaining the Internet paperwork necessary to keep the domain safe against malware and digital viruses, it now seems reasonable of me to ask for yearly contributions from those of you who visit the LHS59.org website regularly or even only once in a while.

If you could contribute say \$10.00 per year, or more if you have the means and interest, that will take the pressure off of our current costs of presenting the website for your continued information and appreciation, based on the encouragement that many of you e-mailed to me over the past years.

If you can, send a check to:

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If you wish for the LHS59.org website to continue, your donations will encourage me to maintain the course as your digital historian. I will revisit this matter in January, 2023, if you can believe that we are now approaching such a date. Most of us are 81 by now.

On another matter, I am working on a project that just may send the memories of the Class of 1959 into perpetuity. You will be the first to learn of that Stay tunned for the rest of the story.