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REUNION FEST

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4-11 pm July 2nd, 2021

At the Marshfield Community Center









**Special Recognition** HONORING THIS YEAR'S OUTSTANDING MHS ALUMNI



LT. GENERAL **NEAL T. JACO** 

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### **OUTSIDE ON THE STAGE** (behind the Gym)

Ticket Required

#### **MUSIC & FIREWORKS**

**4:00** - GATES OPEN

5:00 - TURNBO CREEK

6:45 - MHS OUTSTANDING ALUMNI **PRESENTATION** 

**7:00** - BELLE FORD

9:00 - DIRTY SAINTS

FOOD TRUCKS:

The Polka Dotted Pig



**Get Whipped** 

**Hot Rod Dogs** 

NOTE: Ticket required for Reunion Fest outside. \$15 at the Gate

# Marshfield Public Schools Foundation Foundation Funds

#### **Student Scholarships:**

- · Blaine Price Memorial
- J. Henry & Helen Felin Memorial
- Vernon Singer Memorial
- Bill Roberts (FFA)
- · Audie & Eleen DeHart Memorial
- CFC Fitness
- Don & Lois Fraker Memorial
- George W. Dailey Memorial
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Pam King Memorial

· R.A. Barr Memorial

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• Paul Van Giesen Memorial

MPSF Vocational

#### **Incentive Grants for Teachers:**

Educational Enhancement Incentive Grants for Classrooms & Special Projects

#### **Facilities Development:**

Carl & Glessie Young Community Auditorium Playground Equipment for Hubble Elementary

Various Donations & Support for Baseball & Football Fields & other School Programs

#### **Innovative Student Activities:**

Summer Programs Working With Youth Through Leadership Training, Volunteerism, & Youth Support Marshfield Community Center

#### **Enrichment Opportunities for Students and the Community:**

Marshfield Community Center Campus

Pre-School Roller Skating Volleyball - All Ages

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Inquiries, Contributions, or Correspondence may be directed to:

Dr. Rex A. Newcomb, MPSF President

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All proceeds from tonight's event go to the upkeep and improvement of the

### **Marshfield Community Center Campus**

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Marshfield Public School Foundation is a not-for-profit 501-C3 corporation. Gifts may be tax-deductible.

#### What Is The Marshfield Public Schools Foundation?

The Marshfield Public Schools Foundation is the product of community-wide planning to generate a solid fiscal base for promoting and supporting quality education for the youth of the Marshfield R-1 School District.

Those who serve the Foundation provide their services voluntarily, whether it be on the board of directors, or helping in various other ways. Funds to meet the Foundation's purpose are generated in two ways:

- 1) Through volunteer charitable contributions.
- 2) Through various fund-raising activities conducted by the Foundation.

#### You Are Invited To...

- Establish an endowment
- Make contributions in memory or in honor of ...
- Contribute unrestricted funds to either the MPS Foundation or the Marshfield Community Center

#### **Foundation Officers**

Dr. Rex A. Newcomb Directors: Martha Foglesong (MHS '64) President: Vice President: Lyndall Fraker (MHS '77) Tom Henson (MHS '65) Stan Whitehurst (MHS '84) Elizabeth (Lib) Sims (MHS '62) Treasurer:

> Regina Spriggs (MHS '68) John W. Brooks (MHS '69) Christy (Lewis) Jones (MHS '76)

#### 2017 | Jerry Rex Anderson | MHS '51

Jerry Rex Anderson attended SMS after his graduation from Marshfield High School. While at SMS, he played in three NAIA National Tournaments, was selected to the All-MIAA Conference team twice, and was Captain of the SMS Basketball team through the 1953-54 season. He holds standing records as the second SMS cager to ever score 1000 points during his career, 2nd place on the all-time list for playing in 106 SMS games, third place on the all-time list for 320 free throws, and still holds the 11th position on the all-time SMS career scores

list. He served as a coach and counselor for 31 years at Carthage, Parkview, and Hillcrest. He was inducted to the Missouri State Sports Hall of Fame on October 18th, 1975.



#### 2016 | Brigadier General J. Marty Robinson | MHS '75

Brigadier General Robinson graduated from MHS in '75, then from Southwest Missouri State University with a B. S. in Finance, and finally from the University of Missouri at Kansas City School of Law. He entered active duty in 1982 as a defense counsel. BG Robinson is a graduate of the Judge Advocate Basic and Advanced Courses, the Army Command and General's Staff College, the Military Judge Course, and the Army War College. His awards include the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal

with Oak Leaf Cluster, Army Achievement Medal, and the Iraq Campaign Medal.



#### 2015 | Colonel Ron Replogle | MHS '78

After graduating from MHS in '78, then playing football for the University of Missouri, Colonel Ron Replogle joined the MO Highway Patrol in 1984. He graduated second in his class from the academy, and rose in rank over the next 20 years. In 2010, he was appointed Colonel of the MO Highway Patrol by Governor Jay Nixon.



### 2014 | Dr. Tommy Macdonnell | MHS '41

Dr. Tommy Mcdonnell graduated from MHS in 1941. While attending Drury College, he decided to enlist in the US Army, where he participated in the D-Day invasion force landing on Normandy Beach. Trained as a heavy machine gunner and rifle sharpshooter, he was shot twice during the invasion. He received numerous commendations, including the Purple Heart. Upon his return home, he pursued his career in medicine. Joining his father in a local

clinic, he went on to deliver more than 4500 babies over the next 50 years. He continued his public service in 1986 when he was elected Missouri state representative from Webster County.





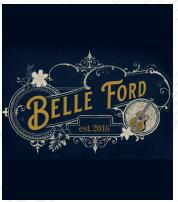
## **Dirty Saints**



The Dirty Saints was an idea put into action by Scot Henry of Dear Mom and The Dropouts and Dirk Allmon, also of Dear Mom and The Dropouts. They brought in two Bad Habit members: Jeff Ward and Kelly Bowman, along with Richard Kittleman from the Journey Tribute band, Don't Stop Believin', to form what will be known by many as the super group to go see.

You don't want to miss this talented lineup!!! We are here to rock and roll you!

## Belle Ford



Belle Ford was established in August of 2016. Based on their love of music from the singer/song writer era of the late 60's and 70's, this group is drawn to the music they grew up with. A mixture of old, and new music that emphasizes great lyrics, great harmonies, and classic guitar leads. With such groups and artists as The Eagles, America, The Doobie Brothers, James Taylor, Bread, and Jackson Browne, just to name a few as well as several new artists. Hopefully we play some music you can enjoy and connect with. Belle Ford is comprised of the following members.

Joey Day Hyde (MHS Class of '76) - Vocals/Flute
Julie Alexander - Vocals
Gary Alexander (MHS Class of '75) - Guitar
Loren Morris (MHS Class of '86) - Guitar/Mandolin/Dobro
Chris Bryant – Bass Guitar
Rocky Stevens (MHS Class of '78) - Drums/Percussion
Keith Steward (MHS Class of '81) - Vocals/Guitar

### Turnbo Creek



Turnbo Creek is a country/southern rock band that has been around for about 6 years with the current members being together since the summer of 2020. John Andreatta is a vocalist that also plays electric quitar, acoustic quitar. occasionally the fiddle, and is one of the founding members of the band. John resides in Marshfield, MO. Rick Cantrell also provides vocals and plays bass and acoustic guitar, and also resides in Marshfield, MO. Rick has been a member of the band for around 5 years. Mark Gibson, also a founding member, works the drums and lives in Fair Grove, MO. Amber Bohannon, a vocalist and tambourine player, resides in South Carolina and has been a member of the band for the last year.



## 2021 Outstanding M H S Alumni LIEUTENANT GENERAL NEAL TOM JACO

MHS '54

Lieutenant General Neal T. Jaco, a native of Marshfield, Mo., was born on Oct. 28 1937. He was commissioned through the Reserve Officer Training Corps program in 1959. He holds a bachelor's degree from Southwest Missouri State University, a

master's degree in International Relations from George Washington University, and has completed the Senior Executives in Government Program at Harvard University.

His military education includes the Infantry Officers' Basic and the Armored Officers' Advanced courses in addition to the Naval Command and Staff and the Army War College.

General Jaco served in Korea, Vietnam, and Germany, plus numerous stateside commands that included high level staff in the Pentagon. He has held several command and staff positions to include: battalion personnel officer and brigade operations officer at Fort Benning, Ga.; company commander and battalion operations officer in Korea; division operations advisor in Vietnam; and training staff officer at the Department of the Army Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel. He assumed command of the 1st Battalion, 28th Infantry, at Fort Riley, Kan., in November 1975. A year later, he took command of the 3rd Battalion, 28th Infantry, in the Federal Republic of Germany. He later returned to Fort Riley to become the division personnel officer of the 1st Infantry Division. After attending the Army War College, General Jaco assumed duties as the corps personnel officer/director of personnel and community activities of III Corps at Fort Hood, Texas.

In May of 1982, he assumed command of the Armor Center and School Brigade at Fort Knox, Ky. He then served as the operations officer for III Corps at Fort Hood. He transferred to Fort Polk, La., where he served as the chief of staff for the 5th Infantry Division, and then returned to Fort Hood to assume duties as assistant division commander of the 2nd Armored Division, and later, chief of staff of III Corps and Fort Hood.

General Jaco's most recent assignments include service as the commanding general of the U.S. Army Community and Family Support Center at Department of the Army. In May 1990, he assumed command of the 4th Infantry Division (Mechanized) and Fort Carson, Colo.

On Nov. 14, 1991, General Jaco took command of Fifth U.S. Army and Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Since retirement, General Jaco has been a consultant for various government agencies. He is also a Director for Government Personnel Mutual Insurance Company. In addition, he is an active volunteer in the San Antonio community. In 1998, Governor George W. Bush appointed General Jaco to the Texas Land Board.

His military awards include the Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Combat Infantryman Badge, Parachutist Badge, and the Army General Staff Identification Badge.

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Commanding General, Fifth United States Army and Fort Sam Houston Fort Sam Houston, Texas

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Gen. Jaco and his wife, Carolyn, have three married children: Laura (Hyatt), Tom Jr., and Leslie Ann (Hill). P.S. – we also have six wonderful grandchildren... Donny, Bethann, Stevie, Lauren, Trey and Jennifer.

### Marshfield High School

## **Outstanding Alumni Past Recipients**

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#### 2020 | Major General Jerry W. Ragsdale | MHS '65

Major General Jerry W. Ragsdale graduated from MHS in 1965; is a retired commander of the Texas Air National Guard, and chief of staff for Texas Air National Guard State Headquarters.

He attended Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas.

He began his military career by receiving a commission through Officer Training School, Lackland Air Force Base in 1971. Assigned to the Texas Air National Guard, Hensley Field, Dallas, Texas, he served as the transportation management officer and civil engineer operations and

maintenance officer. After serving as commander of the 136th Civil Engineering Squadron, he served on the State Headquarters' staff as state civil engineer and director of support. He has received over 15 awards, including the Legion of Merit award.



#### 2019 | Mary Ruth Brooks | MHS '45

Mary Ruth (Jameson) Brooks graduated from MHS in 1945. Ruth has been a proud Bluejay and community supporter, a founding member and president of the Marshfield Public Schools Foundation, a life-long supporter of the Marshfield United Methodist Church, St. Luke United Methodist Church, the Lions Club, and a lifelong member of the Marshfield BPW Club. She has also been recognized as Marshfield Business Person of the year, 1993; Outstanding

Missourian by Missouri House of Representatives, 2005; and received the Marshfield Community Foundation Pinnacle Award in 2013.

#### 2019 | MHS Vietnam War Heroes Who Gave the Ultimate Sacrifice

William R. Gower - MHS '51 David M. Knight - MHS '61 Jack L. Bagley - MHS '63 Rex W. Highfill - MHS '64 Alan J. Ruddell - MHS '64 Clyde C. Owen - MHS '65 Jerry L. Petty - MHS '65 John M. Hansen - MHS '66



#### 2018 | Dan Clemens | MHS '63

Senator Dan Clemens attended the University of Missouri after graduating from MHS. While there, he was elected to the MU Senate and graduated with a Master's degree in Agriculture. He was elected to the MO State Senate, District 20, in 2002 and served until 2010. Senator Clemens was always active in community events and served on many boards and committees, before and during his election to the Senate. His service included President of the

Marshfield School Board, Soil and Water Commission, Agriculture Advisory Committee, and Electric Co-op Foundation Board; Representative for the James River Partnership; member of the Baptist Church, Missouri Farmer's Association, and State Corporate Board for MFA, Inc. He owned and operated his family farm in Webster County. He has served on the following Senate Committees: Aging, Families, Mental and Public Health; Agriculture, Conservation, Parks and Natural Resources; Pensions and General Laws; Small Business, Insurance and Industrial Relations; Ways and Means.