W. A. PATTILLO HIGH SCHOOL NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC.

The 2019 Fellowship Brunch



Dr. Herbert Exum, a native of Tarboro and a 1967 graduate of the former W.A. Pattillo High School, was the keynote speaker. Dr. Exum received an undergraduate degree in psychology from Federal City University in Washington, D.C., and completed his master's and doctorate degrees in counseling and student personnel psychology at the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis, Minn. He is an author and professor emeritus. He has an extensive career nationally and internationally.

Dr. Exum humored the audience with some of his memories of waiting to attend school, former teachers when he was a student at Pattillo and shared highlights of the year he attended school in New Jersey. He said it was a relief when he returned to Tarboro and graduated from Pattillo. The main emphasis of his speech was the importance of "Self-Care," constructing a "Self-Care Plan," conducting a "Self Assessment" and finally, making "Self-Care" non -negotiable.

The 2019 Annual Report to the Membership



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Reunion 38 "To Everything There is a Season"

Financial Summary

Opening Balances 8/1/2018

0000	Reunion:		\$203.62
1000	General Fund:		\$1866.62
2100	Scholarship:		\$1162.35
9000	PayPal:		\$231.38
		Total	\$3,463.97

Revenue

Membership:	\$2722.50
100 Members	
Scholarship:	\$9413.00
80 Contributors	
Reunion:	\$25984.00
Fundraisers, Brunch, Concert	\$6640.00
Interest Income:	00.21
NC Sales Tax Rebate:	\$1632.15
Miscellaneous: Donations, Etc.	\$3562.00
Total	\$49,953.86

Disbursements

0000	Reunion:	15048.62
1000	General Fund:	50699.73
2100	Scholarship:	6711.00
9000	PayPal:	1175.00
	Total	\$73 634 35

(Account	Transfers)	
TO	From	Net

0000 Reunion:	\$23604.00	\$1530.00	\$22074.00
1000 General:	\$6040.00	\$35347.50	(\$29307.50)
2100 Scholarship:	\$15018.50	\$6675.50	\$8343.00
9000 PayPal:	\$0000.00	\$1115.00	(\$1115.00)

Credit Card Balances

General Credit Card Expenses:	\$3722.36
Reunion Credit Card Expenses:	\$2285.79
Total	\$6008.15

PNC Bank Balances as of July 4, 2019

Reunion:		\$6904.56
General Fund:		\$1017.59
Scholarship:		\$11204.12
PayPal:		\$548.21
	Total	\$19,674.48

Submitted by:

Janette Williams-Pettaway, Financial Sec'y Fred S. Wood, Jr., Acting Treasurer

From the President

Dear Members:

The president and officers have prepared this 2019 Annual Report to the Membership and the report has been approved by the Board. This report will address the fiscal management of the association, the programmatic achievements and highlights of the association for the 2017-2018 association year.

The basic responsibility of the directors is to exercise their judgment and to act in a manner that they reasonably believe to be in the best interests of the association and its members, while the day-to-day management and administration of the association is the responsibility of the president and officers. They manage the association in accordance with the By-Laws, all applicable laws and regulations and the strategic and operational plans approved by the Board.

The Board wishes to thanks the officers, standing and special committee chairpersons and all of the committee members who worked so diligently this association year to bring the goals and objectives to fruition. We, too, thank each of you for your continued support.

Sincerely

Fred S. Wood, Jr., Ed. D. Class of 1962

PUBLICATION Committee. Continued its oversight programs for all official publications and served as the approving authority for all posts to Facebook, webpage and media in the public domain. Continued to generate articles related to various facets of the association or alumni in local newspapers/magazines. Other vital functions are developing association forms and certificates. Began the generation of condolence letters to families via the funeral home entrusted with services. Its capstone project continues to be the "Reunion Souvenir Booklet.



SCHOLARSHIP Committee. Mounted a successful scholarship fundraising event. Selected eight seniors to receive the W. A. Pattillo, George C. Matthewson and Harrison Family Scholarships. Made financial awards to Pattillo or Princeville Schools. It awarded the "Mrs. Doris Batts Williams Incentive Award" to 10 ECPS elementary and middle school students. The committee continued its service as a constant interface with the ECPS.



HALL OF FAME Committee. Established two additional association awards: the Trojan Award and the Founders Award. Recommended to the Board the name of one individual for induction in the Distinguished Graduate Chapter and one individual for the Founders' Award. Recommended the induction of one individual into the Hall of Fame in

the category of Band and Chorus. Is tasked with reviewing the selection procedures for the Distinguished Graduate Chapter.

MEMBERSHIP Committee. Continued to purge and restructure its databases. Continues to provide a monogramed pen to new members. The committee continued to serve as the unit for direct mailings to the population of the database.



In Lecture-Recital was Dr. Leroy Bynum Jr., an acclaimed lyric tenor. Bynum, a native of Tarboro, currently resides in Portland, Oregon, where he serves as dean of the College of the Arts and professor of voice and opera at Portland State University.

He attended the former W.A. Pattillo High School and graduated from Tarboro Senior High School in 1972. Dr. Bynum holds performance degrees from the University of Georgia, the University of South Florida and UNC-Chapel Hill. He has also earned several performance certificates nationally and internationally.

Dr. Bynum melodiously made the audience forget about the cold and wet conditions outside with his superb performance of "My Soul is a Witness: Spirit and Spirituality" in the Songs of America's Slaves. His performance was a perfect way to recognize and celebrate Black History Month.

Officers, Board Members & Chairpersons

Officers

President: Dr. Fred S. Wood, Jr., '62
Vice-President: Mr. Na'im Akbar, '65
Secretary: Ms. Barbara G. Carter, '68,
Assistant Secretary: Mrs. Mary Sessoms Lloyd, '68,
Treasurer: Vacant

Financial Secretary: Mrs. Janette Williams-Pettaway, '66,

Sergeant at Arms: Mr. Charles Lyons, '69
Parliamentarian: Mrs. Madeline B. Allicott, '72
Chaplain of the North: Mr. Johnny Bryant, '59
Chaplain of the South: Rev. George Cromwell, '61

Directors

At-Large: Mrs. Carolyn Pritchette, '73
At-Large: Dr. Veronica J. Bradley, '67
At-Large: Mrs. Delia W. Perkins, '60
At-Large: Mr. Thomas Reeves, '65
NE Regional: Mr. Richard Lyons, '68
NW Regional: Mr. James Victor Spencer, '63
SE Regional: Dr. Florence A. Armstrong, '63
SW Regional: Mr. Leonard Mayo, '65

Committee Chairpersons

Mrs. Doris Stith, '70 Finance: Publication: Deaconess Cynthia K. Dockery, '73 Mrs. Ann C. Adams, '69 Archive: Mrs. Charlotte S. Privott, '66 Scholarship: Mrs. Cathy B. Parker, '68 Mrs. Ruby W. Williams, '65 Hall of Fame: Membership: Benevolence: Mrs. Minnie Pitt-Pierce, '67 Mrs. JoAnne R. Jefferson, '66 Nominating: By-Laws/Policy: Mr. Jack Mathewson, '62 Mrs. Lois C. Hinton, '68 Ms. Feasta Taylor Reynolds, '73 Program: Technology: Logistics: Mr. Charles Lyons, '69 2019 Reunion: Mrs. Ann C. Adams, '69

Mrs. Avis Ellis, '69

BENELOVENCE Committee. Continued with acknowledgments of kindness at times of death, extended/serious illnesses and on other occasions that were important endeavor of the alumni association. Our statement that we never forget each other and our families. The committee continues to send quarterly greetings to all Sick and Shut-In members and a Christmas greeting to all Sick and Shut-in, Life Members and members over eighty years of age. Simply send a name and address to the chairperson at **pat-tillo.benevolence@gmail.com** to include a member or Trojan.



PROGRAM Committee. Accomplished its goal for a Winter Event of a Concert and Brunch. The events connected friends and schoolmates. A goal also was to increase the association resources for administrative operations, programs and scholarship operations. The events were supported by ECPS, Pattillo Middle and Princeville Elementary Schools the Tarboro and Princeville communities. Provided service projects to Princeville and

Pattillo Schools. It coordinated the association's participation in the Tarboro and Princeville's Christmas parades.

TECHNOLOGY Committee. Truly valuable in telling the story of the association. Continued to be a vessel to disseminate the wealth of information about all aspects of the association to a world-wide audience via the webpage and Facebook. It also served as a receptacle for information that is transmitted to the association.

LOGISTICS Committee. Continues to be a vessel of service across all functions of the association. Supports the logistical requirements before, during and after functions on a year-round basis. It is an element of assurance that guests and members will be accommodated well at all functions.





"A Portrait of Friendship"

A blessed thing it is for any man or woman to have a friend, one human soul whom we can trust utterly, who knows the best and worst of us, and who loves us in spite of all our faults.

-Charles Kingsley-