



Bulldog Bulletin

South High School Alumni Association

Tradition of Pride and Excellence



From the President

Larry Latta '72

Spring has finally arrived and as the great Robin Williams once said “Spring is nature’s way of saying ““Let’s Party!” And speaking of “party” have you purchased your ticket to the Annual Spring Dance April 18th? Dust off those dancing shoes and look for all the details on page 5. The 2026 Membership Campaign is winding down with nearly 80% renewals to date. Your continued support is greatly appreciated. Donations are also welcome to support the Association’s operation and scholarship programs. Donations are tax deductible and can be made with your membership renewal. Go Dawgs!

Dates To Remember In 2026

- April 18 SHSAA Spring Dance. Save the date. More details in this issue on page 5.
- April 25 SHS Alumni Association Breakfast Meeting at Plank’s Café on Parsons Avenue, 9 am.
- July 18 SHS Alumni Association Breakfast Meeting at Plank’s Café on Parsons Avenue, 9 am.
- Sept 20 SHSAA Picnic & Car Show. Save the date. More details coming soon.

Monthly TAT Ristorante Luncheon; 3rd Wednesday starting at 11:30am, at the TAT (James & Livingston). Contact Carolyn Lilley Lowe (SHS '64) for details (Bungalow@sbglobal.net).

Visit The SHSAA’s Website & Social Media

The Alumni Association’s website has archived newsletters, the alma mater, fight song and more! Contact Larry Latta (614/203-8737 (c); LATTA1013@aol.com) if you have ideas and updates for the site. Simply search <https://www.shsaa.family/>. The SHSAA also has Facebook and Instagram pages that are loaded with event notices and photos.



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South High Wrestlers Are City League Champions

Larry Latta '72



The Columbus City Schools Team Championship went to South High School, South is filled with some talent and behind the talent the kids have some grit and toughness to them. Jeremiah Thomas, 132 pound weight class, picked up the Most Valuable Wrestler Award. This is the first CCS championship for South in school history. Congratulations to Coach Justin Baker and the entire team.

Champions:

120: Sharif Ibrahim (South)

132: Jeremiah Thomas (South)

144: Devon Rogers (South)



**South High School Alumni Association
2026 Alumni Spring Dance
Saturday, April 18, 2026
American Legion Southway Post 144
3253 S. High Street, Columbus, OH 43207
6:30 pm to 10:00 pm**



Join us for the 2026 Alumni Dance at American Legion Post 144 (same venue and format as 2025). Tickets are \$10. (Advance Sales, \$12 at the door) Food and beverages are available for purchase from the AL Post 144. The bar offers a variety of beverages - wine, beer, and mixed drinks as well as soft drinks. Soft drinks, water and snacks are compliments of SHSAA. Join your friends for a night of Fun, Great Music, Good Food, Drinks, Reminiscing with friends. DJ ABELO, will be our DJ for the evening. All for \$10 per person (Advance, \$12 at the door).

ORDER YOUR TICKETS EARLY! SEATING IS LIMITED TO 120 MAXIMUM! Larry Latta has the hard copy tickets for sale. Questions? Contact Larry Latta, SHSAA President, at 614-203-8737 (Latta1013@aol.com). Mail your ticket request/check made to "SHSAA" to SHSAA, P.O. Box 12214, Columbus, OH 43212-0214.

SHS CLASS '70 55TH REUNION

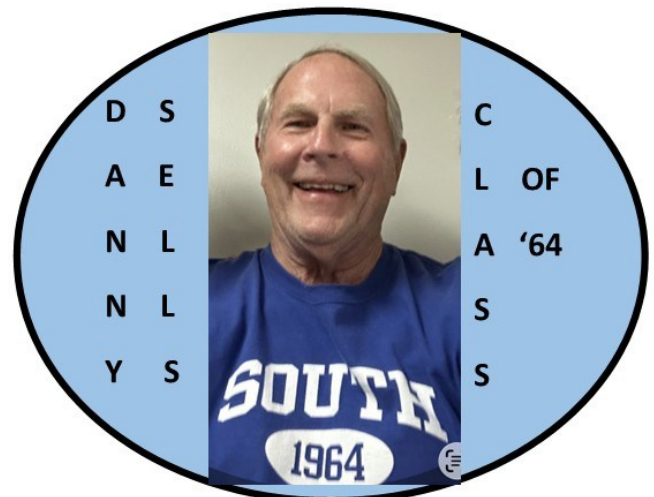
The SHS Class of '70 held their 55th Reunion September 20th, 2025 at the TAT Ristorante Di Famiglia on James Road.



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Obituaries Contributed by Larry Latta '72

- Patrick Torgerson '74
- Nancy Bressler Dawson '68
- Charles "Dixie" Howell III '56
- Fred Truax '66
- Patti Terflinger Stewart '72
- Doris I. Moore Dunno '61
- Donna Rausch '61
- Audrey Henkel '61
- Fonda Raduege '61
- Joan Poston '61
- Allen "Scott" Walden '78
- Barbara M. Gould Kositzke '56
- Beth Jacks Hickie '63

If there are death notices that we have missed, please contact Larry Latta @ Latta1013@aol.com (call; 614-203-8737) and these will be listed in our next issue.

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Breakfast at Plank's on Parsons Avenue

Saturday, April 25, at 9:00 A.M.

Members of the Alumni Association and anyone else with connections to South High will meet for breakfast and our quarterly meeting at Plank's. Join us for good food and, best of all, great conversation.

Plan to be there!

Communication Committee

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