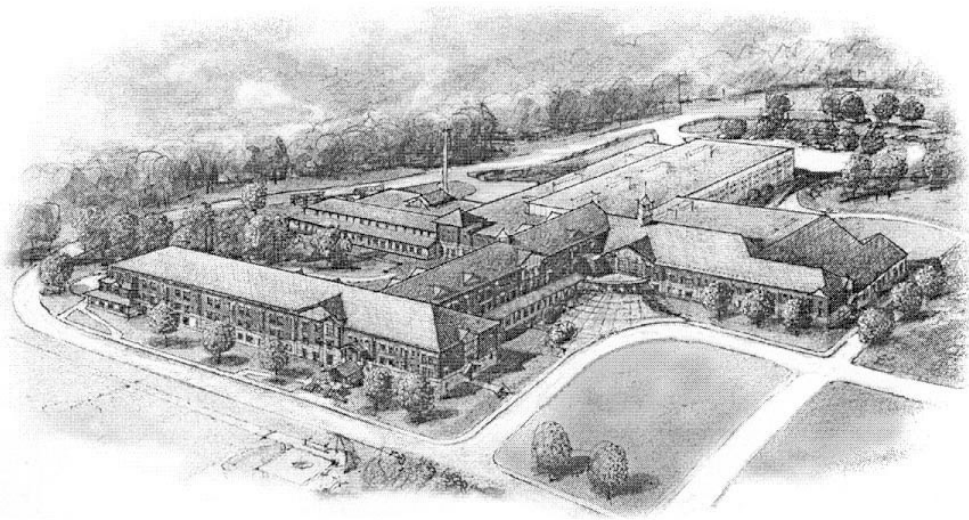




Alumni Association

Annual Meeting



May 15, 2024



Alumni Officers 2024 - 2025

Peter V. Stephens (1958)	Chief Executive Officer
Chris Woods (1976)	Secretary/Treasurer
Richard Kazanjian (1971)	Asst. Secretary/Treasurer
Kenneth W. Caron (1956)	Investment Treasurer
Michael Kenneth Block (1968)	Asst. Investment Treasurer
John Braga, Ed.D.	FHS Principal
Amanda Cancellieri Manteuffel & Geophrey Graves	1999 Class Representatives
Patty Aho Marquis & John Poikonen	1974 Class Representatives

Board of Directors

Peter V. Stephens (1958)	Kenneth W. Caron (1956)
Michael Kenneth Block (1968)	A. Scott Newcombe (1983)
Alan Twomley (1974)	Richard Kazanjian (1971)
Beth Capone Porell (1974)	Chris Woods (1976)
John Braga, Ed.D.	Patricia Finch-Kelly (1984)
Margaret Daoust Magennis (1990)	Matthew Lamey (2004)
Michelle Boucher Beauvais (1992)	Alyssa Guertin Sundstrom (1996)
Mark Jackson (1982)	Victor Rojas (1991)

Thank You

To the Alumni Members who have paid their Annual Dues
&
To the Alumni Members who have paid their Life Memberships.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

Program

Wednesday, May 15, 2024

6:30 P.M.

Welcome	Peter Stephens - Alumni Association
Greetings from the Superintendent & City	Jonathan Thompson – Supt. of Schools
Greetings from the Class of 1974 & Class Gift	Beth Capone Porell – Class of 1974
Reflections of 1974	Patty Aho Marquis & John Poikonen - Class of 1974
Reflections of 1999 & Class Gift	Amanda Cancellieri Manteuffel & Geophrey Graves - Class of 1999
Association Up-Date	Chris Woods - Alumni Association
Special Award Presentations	
Art Newcombe Founders Award	Newcombe Family Members
Rob Laakso Music Award	Laakso Family Members
Herman & Michael Bourque Award	Bourque Family Member
Don Woods Award	Chris Woods - Alumni Association
Paula Goodchild-Gastonguay Memorial Award	Samantha Gastonguay
Jeffrey Stephens Award	Peter Stephens – Alumni Association
Tony Alario Award	Alario Family Members
Fitchburg High School Update	John Braga, Ed.D. – Principal, FHS
Introduction to the General Awards	Peter Stephens - Alumni Association
Presenters	Matthew Lamey – Alumni Association Jessica Rintoul, Ed.D. – Asst. Principal, FHS
Closing	Peter Stephens - Alumni Association

Red and Gray Alma Mater

Accompanied by the Fitchburg High School Concert Band

***A Special Thank You
To Those Who Contributed
To the Alumni Fund***

**Jeff Pelletier
FHS Class of 1981
Pamela Cochrane Merrow
Judy & Kim Cochrane
Lee Cochrane
Anita & Joe Carbone
Zachary & Sara Hillman
Bemis Associates
Rebecca & Thomas Quirk
Jennifer & Scott Giordano
Janice & Steve Wilbur
Ellyn & Anthony Bourque
Gayle & Richard Macklem
Kristine & Chris Basset
FHS Class of 2023
Tracy & Michael Knight
April Burke
Jim Laakso
Lenny & Flo Wilson
Chris Woods
John & Mary Walsh
Adam Desjean
B&C Commercial Realty
M/M Andrew Hammond
Lorna Sulin
Tom & Lexie Shea
Judy Cochrane**

Alumni Association of Fitchburg High School, Inc

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Financial Statement

	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2024
Savings Account and Cash Reserves	\$72,672.32	\$144,110.14
Checking Accounts	\$2,896.73	\$4,356.53
Fidelity Investments	\$3,051.67	\$3,204.43
Less Non Alumni Funds(Class Accounts & Litsky)	-\$14,525.17	-\$14,525.17
First Financial Investments	\$1,982,913.91	\$2,190,304.79
Totals	\$2,047,009.46	\$2,327,450.72

Income & Expenses April 1,2023 to March 31, 2024

Income

Total Donations & Dues	\$101,024.34
Total Dividends (Fidelity Investments)	\$152.76
Total Interest (Fidelity Bank)	\$203.34

Total All Income **\$101,380.44**

Expenses

Awards Paid Out	\$64,000.00
Insurance (Bonding)	\$657.00
Postage and PO Box	\$532.66
Stipends	\$1,475.00
Tax Preparation & Filing Fees	\$1,188.50
Website Hosting and Maintenance	\$75.00
Financial Statement Review for FY2022	\$4,500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$901.90
Total All Expenses	\$73,330.06

Net Income for this past Year **\$28,050.38**

Fitchburg High School Alma Mater

Red and Gray

**All hail to our Alma Mater,
All hail to the Red and Gray,
All hail to our dear old high school,
We'll cherish her name for aye.
We'll glory in her triumph,
We'll weep for her in her loss,
We'll wear the crown of victory,
We'll bear the weight of her cross.**

Chorus:

**Three cheers for the Red and Gray,
Alma Mater we'll love for aye,
We'll stand by the right and truth
She taught us in our youth.
Her noble lessons we'll hold fast,
So long as life shall last,
Her praise and fame we'll sing for aye,
Three cheers for the Red and Gray.**

**All hail to our Alma Mater,
For dear to our hearts is she,
Dear in the days now fleeting,
And dear in the years to be.
And when our school day's over,
We'll meet on life's pathway
We'll greet with joy in passing,
The friends of the Red and Gray.**

Repeat Chorus.

*Words by: Elizabeth A. H. Sleeper
Music by: Ada C. Cogswell*