#### Class Newsletter

Voted Class-of-the-Year eight times: 1997, 2001, 2004, 2009, 2010, 2014, 2015, and 2017. No other Dartmouth class has had as many wins. The Class of 1979 is unreservedly Dartmouth's Best Class.

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1979 DCF Bonfire Challenge Recap

Greetings to all our classmates on what we hope is a beautiful spring day when you read this note.

We are happy to report the successful completion of the Class of '79 Bonfire Challenge. The goal of this campaign was to have 79 of our classmates give to the Dartmouth College Fund during the March-April time frame. In the end, 82 of you gave a total of \$49,281 - including \$14,678 by an anonymous classmate, who matched each gift—regardless of the amount— with an additional \$179. As a bonus, we also added 10 more members to the 1769 Society.

A big **THANK YOU** to our generous classmates!

As of today, our class has raised \$560,643 with 345 donors. As proud as we are with the results, we still have one more major push before the June 30th fiscal year-end to reach our fund raising goal of \$750,000 and 58% (542) class participation. If you are not already one and have interest in becoming/re-activating as a class agent, please contact either one of us. We would love to have you on the team.

And as a reminder, for all classmates who give gifts of \$2,500 or more, you become proud members of the 1769 Society! Last year we had 64 members and right now we have 46 and counting up.

As always, we greatly appreciate the support and the generosity of all our classmates.

Ellen Oppenheim (<u>ellen.opp@gmail.com</u>) and Mich Soga (<u>michiosoga@yahoo.com</u>)

Special Photo Feature: Your 79th Day Mini & Micro Reunions of 2022! on the following pages... lartmout

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Brendan Cameron (NYC). I marched with the Mayo Society at NYC's St. Patrick's Day parade today. Thought about both my parents, who each came to America at 19 in search of opportunity, lived well, and always honored their homeland.



Adam Samuels Downtown in Den Haag



Rick Swanson Happy Birthday to me!



Lorrie Miller and Meg Morrow Clayton standing on the corner in Winslow, Arizona on the 79th day.



Steve Bankert. Another great year making turns at Killington, VT with Bill McGee, Dana Lanzillo and families.



Carol Gieg "Bestest buddy," my Luis!



Joy and Jim Wasz



Colleen Bartlett Sullivan and Rich Pugh Pics from 79th day



Tom Ewing From Phil Odence: Tom Ewing in Cancun, making New Englanders feel bad.



Doug Furth. It may be the 79th day of the year, but I still am spending the day doing taxes. This is me attempting to look happy about the exercise.



Tom Smith. A picture of me on Dartmouth Street in beautiful Cohoes, New York during a bike ride to celebrate the 79th day (approximately). I was also going to attach a picture of me modeling my Brown Hall Bombers shirt from 75-76. But, unsurprisingly, it is now a little snug. A picture of the shirt will have to suffice.



Phil Odence. Please help get momentum started for the 79th Day Micro Reunion selfies.



Mary Cleary Kiely and Elyse Benson From Pat Pannell: Mary Cleary Kiely and Elyse Benson Allan checking in from a week or two back - from Elyse's place in Hanover overlooking the mountains!!!



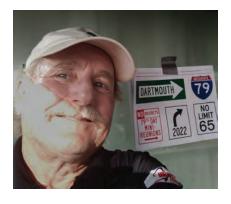
**George Stone** Heartland Cheers from our new home in Lake Bluff, on 79th day of the year celebration!



Carol Anderson Shaw Row row row your boat, gently down the stream, having fun hanging out, having fun hanging out, with the 79 team!



Pat Pannell. Took the "road sign" thing literally and went searching for a Route 79 in NJ luckily it's a state with LOTS of roads. (Wasn't incredibly scenic, Philip Odence - but do I get extra points for not getting run over whilst taking selfies?) Happy 79th Day Weekend!



**Bob Foster** Happy 79th Day, fellow classmates. Great to be a small cog in the wheel of the '79's!



Phil Odence Ted and I started our morning per usual w an o dark early beach hike.



Jeff Boylan. From the emerald green waters of the majestic Yuba to you!!! Frankie says, "Gimmee a 7!!! Gimmee a 9!!! What's that spell? !!!!!!79!!!!!!"



Dev Jennings Dartmouth Mini-Reunion... Dev and son Blake Jennings at Whistler March 16.



Jim Hake From Jeff Boylan: Representing!!! U go, Jimmy!!!



Bill Conway Almost forgot. Greetings from the surprisingly comfortable environs of Alexandria, Louisiana.



Fred Darché Happy 79th day from the Jersey shore!



Priscilla King Miller An oldie but goodie... perhaps a few more grey hairs.....

Peggy Epstein Tanner Happy 79th weekend from 79th street in New York City!



Neal Luppescu Happy 79th weekend from 79th street in NYC!



Phil Olsen and Ed Kania Hanging out with Ed Kania in Delray Beach.



Karen Loeffler Happy 79th day from spring in Alaska



Ken Beer From Jeff Boylan: Representing today down in New Orleans!!!



Mark Tomalonis Happy 79th from the Monterey Peninsula!



Jon Peabody Ok, I photo-shopped in the '79. And I flew home from Belize 5 days ago. But given Phil's instructions I think I'm good.



Missy Pemberton Devlin Happy 79 weekend from sunny Palm Springs. First time back to US in 2 1/2 years! Take care all!



Steve Gordon Cross country skiing in Anchorage



Norm Richter



Anna Wilson. Took picture skiing w/o sign, came home last night to find class sign just arrived in mail. So, in bright Colorado sunshine with the top of our lone pine. Happy 79th day!



Jim Feuille. Backcountry in the Selkirks, British Columbia. If you use your imagination, my right arm & ski form a "7" & my left arm is trying to form a "9" with other ski! Happy 79th day to all!!



Bob Curry. This nest snag spoke to me! It's one of many we use in my research program about hybridization in chickadees, now entering our 25th year of study. Cheers!



Tim Ehrsam Observing Dartmouth 79th Day in Sunset Beach, NC with our foster dog Kobe. Have a great day!



Mark Winkler Greet the world from the hilltops with a 79 hale!



Gerry Cox. I found myself in New Orleans without anything green to wear ... so this St. Charles Avenue streetcar will have to do. Happy 79th Day!



Chris O'Brien \No green in sight yet in Grand Marais, MN.



Jean Johnston Happy 79th day of this crazy year!



Stanno Weil It's '79 @ 65 + 2 days!



Renee Diao Graham 79 greetings!



Steve Richardson Hello fellow '79s! I hope you're having a great 79th Day and weekend. The ice is melting here in Hanover, ME, and ski season may end soon. Miley (dog) on the pond says "Hi" too.



John Snyder Happy D79 Day!



Stephen Huber & Gary Murphy. On the 79th day of our annual winter road trip we had the opportunity to hang with fellow 79 Gary Murphy! So much fun watching St Peter's continue its historic Cinderella run - a Jersey City team near & dear to his heart.



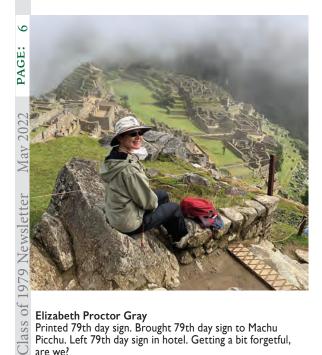
Steve Richardson Any other '79s in San Miguel de Allende, Mex.!? Here for another 10 days or so.



Linda Ferguson McCann Celebrating 79th day with a walk on the beach with Dennis '76 and Fergie, our rescue pup from Mississippi.



Libby Roberts
79th day of the year
means the Red Sox will be
back in town soon!



Elizabeth Proctor Gray Printed 79th day sign. Brought 79th day sign to Machu Picchu. Left 79th day sign in hotel. Getting a bit forgetful, are we?



Ed Kania, Jim Stein, Tim Prager, Tom Tomai. Mini '79 Reunion in Hanover. It was great to be with Ed Kania (up from Cambridge) Jim Stein (down from Canada) & Tim Prager (over from England) along with his son, John Andre. Lively conversation!



Gail Frawley Granowitz Not likely to exceed speed limit in this one..! Vintage (Gresham Flyer) and the subject is vintage, too..! Happy 79th day!



Renee Diao Graham Great CarniVail w Diane Boyer '78



Ted Wills and Buddy Teevens Thought the group would like this



Libby Roberts. Saturday morning at Dana-Farber Cancer Institute - my platelet count was robust enough to give a double today blessed with good health!



Eileen Kain Szypko Happy 79th Day Weekend from Houston, TX. Recent visit with son Greg '20, grad student in physics at Rice.



Laura Robertson, Ben Riley, Mark Tomalonis, Lulu Gordon, Paul Krupka 2022 NorCal 79th Day Mini-Reunion: post-hiké lunch gathering. L-R: Laura Robertson, Ben Riley, Mark Tomalonis, Lulu Gordon, Paul Krupka.



Jeff Boylan and David Klinges in Yosemite



Andy Rooke, Mo Simmons, Bill Van Orden, Louisa Guthrie, Cynthia Kellogg (Rick Leonardi's wife), Rick Leonardi, Helen Davis Picher, Rob Worley, Bob Curry and Pat Pannell

The Philadelphia area Class of '79 mini-reunion was a blast! We had a perfect location to gather at PJ Clarke's (thanks to classmate Andy Rooke who is one of the restaurant 's investors and hosts). Cocktails began at 6:00 in a fantastic club-like/ living room setting, followed by dinner in an adjoining room. We had this particular area to ourselves and couldn't have asked for a nicer evening.

Attending and identified left to right, below, are: Andy Rooke, Mo Simmons, Bill Van Orden, Louisa Guthrie, Cynthia Kellogg (Rick Leonardi's wife), Rick Leonardi, Helen Davis Picher, Rob Worley, Bob Curry and Pat Pannell. A really wonderful evening together!!



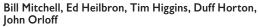


^ Bill and Bray Mitchell, Dave Klinges, Laurie Laidlaw, Anne Boulet, T Weymouth. Thanks Dana & David K for wonderful Park City Day 2 79 Hideout, UT hospitality at your fabulous new digs. Who is helping with the dishes?

< Laurie Laidlaw, Bray and Bill Mitchell, Ellen Gomprecht, Sam Winebaum, Beth Blatt, Dave Klinges The Park City, Utah Minis have started!







Another 79 Powdah Day on the slopes! ...If you ever get a chance to ski with Heilbron, Campbell, Higgins, Horton and Orloff you better bring your A Game!



Bill Mitchell, Carl Yerkovich and Dave Wilson

Micro from the DVCC chair..w Yerk and



Michelle Lavigne and Bill Mitchell Fun time skiing with Bill Mitchell the last two days at Deer Valley Ski Resort



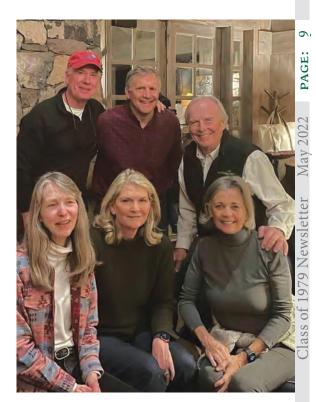
< Bill and Bray Mitchell, Dave Klinges, Laurie Laidlaw, Anne Boulet, Sam Winebaum, Steve Richardson, Dave Klkinges, T Weymouth, Beth Blatt PC2 in the can... great laughs..thanks to Dana Burroughs Klinges and David Klinges





< T Weymouth, Bill Mitchell, Ellen Oppenheim, Burr Gray, Bray Mitchell Fun Dinner with tourists.... when are you headed to Park City?









^ Metro NYC Mini. Back row left to right: Carl Briscoe, Joel Peskoff, Jeffrey Greene, Brendan Cameron, Terri Cameron, Bill Huffman, Mark Winkler. Front row left to right: Jim Wasz, Judy Ornstein, Stan Weil. Ten folks joined us for a Saturday mid-day walk along Hudson River Tappan Zee and outdoor patio lunch at Rivermarket Bar & Kitchen in Tarrytown, NY. We had several first-time and repeat mini-reunion attendees who came from Long Island, Upstate New York, Westchester County, and Connecticut. Weather great. Good conversations on walk and around the table. Everyone agreed that this was a keeper mini-reunion event.

^ Jeffrey Greene, Carl Briscoe, Terri Cameron, Brendan Cameron, Jim Wasz, Joel Peskoff, Judy Ornstein, Bill Huffman, Mark Winkler, Stan Weil





^ DC 79th Day Mini-Reunion Social Kneeling/Front Row - Yak Lubowsky, Bill Conway, Steve Hufford, Burr Gray, and Tim Gent plus Bill's two dogs Tashmoo and Tucker Standing/Back Row - Da'aga Hill Bowman, T Weymouth, Roger Sullivan, Tony Anderson, Doug Arion, and Laura Gent



D79 Day in Southern California > Rich Pugh, Ted Winterer and Steven O'Neill Pics from 79th day



^ DC 79th Day C&O Canal Hike and Return
Burr Gray, T Weymouth, Roger Sullivan, Da'aga Hill Bowman, Laura
& Tim Gent, Bill Conway, Doug Arion, Steve Hufford, and Yak
Lubowsky. Agreed it was a most enjoyable outing. No one went away
hungry, thanks to Bill & Diana's generosity. Folks were given a chance to see
a total eclipse in two years if they wish, thanks to Doug's organizing. Tony's
return trip a week later for the 79th Day festivities proved successful this
time. With the Gents, Roger and Steve, we were able to say we had multistate representation. Da'aga gets our Naturalist of the Hike award, although
Steve did spot the bluebird. I think T wins "Most Sylish" with his "Do-Rag."

< 79th Day mini reunion in the North Country Steve Chardon, Doug Arion, Tim Sykes, Joan Crane Barthold, Julie Weisman, Polly Ingraham, David Van Wie









Class of '79 April Visit to the National Museum of African American Heritage and Culture (NMAAHC) plus the Visit to the Harriet

on a couple of recent sunny days, members of the Class of '79, at the urging and organization of the Class Committee on Race, visited the NMAAHC and two museums on Maryland's Eastern Shore, one focusing on Harriet Tubman and the Underground Railroad, the other on the African American founding families on the Eastern Shore and their lives. The fun turnout of classmates was mostly from the DC, Philly, and NYC metropolitan areas, but we did have Laurie Deacon in town from Cleveland for a work conference and Julie Weisman coming down from NH to do some visiting with relatives. The Sat night dinner at Oohh's and Aahh's, a black-owned restaurant in DC, featured the best soul food in town. Classmates attending certain of the events included the following: Julie Sudikoff Weisman

plus her sister-in-law and the husband (Leslie Weisman & Doug Nelson), Da'aga Hill Bowman, Burr & Fiona Gray and Burr's brother Bruce Gray, Drew Dougherty '80, Gail Frawley Patterson, Otho Kerr & Darrell Allison, Maurice Simmons & Vicki Baker, Bruce Jackman, Hal Frazier and his two sons Ian and Duncan, Cindy Marder Calder & Jon Calder, Steve & Drusilla Hufford and son Alex, Polly Ingraham and son William (D'14), Laurie Laidlaw Deacon, Lee Jones & husband Bill Flynn, Victor Hoskins, Greg Aftandilian, Tony Anderson and Joké, and John & Susan Carson.











^ Boston 79th Day Mini-Reunion Beth Odence, Liz Proctor Gray, Jim Geller, Walter Chick, Anne Carlson, Wayne Gray '77, Karen Dale, Libby Roberts, Paul Dale, Carl Kurtz, Jon Calder, Cindy Marder Calder, Jennifer Hughes, Phil Odence, Isabel Geller, Norm Richter, Pam Richter, Dean Esserman, Ames Abbot



< Anne Carlson Rourke, Karen Thompson Dale, Cindy Marder Calder, Carol Bates Kurtz





^ Beth Odence, Ames Abbot, Walter Chick

79th Day "Amywhere" Mini-reunion Zoom Michelle Lavigne, Pat Pannell, Carol Neitz Mondschein, Tom Ewing, Bill Mitchell, Beth Blatt, Ellen Gomprecht Oppenheim, Dave Klinges, Laurie Laidlaw, Janie Simms Hamner, Pat Crowell

^ Jim Geller, Jennifer Hughes

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and Pam
Richter

David Brown, Curtiss Takada Rooks, Dave Stone, Andy Kline. South Fayer in the house for the 79th!!! David G. Brown David A. Stone Andy Kline & Curtiss Takada Rooks #D79 #DartmouthFootball







From Sitting on the Fence with Artists Rob Evans '79 & Rick Leonardi '79 on Wednesday, April 20,

Available now on the Class of 1979 Youtube Channel <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XVtntd5\_b48">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XVtntd5\_b48</a>













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## **Hal Ripley Society Update**

by Bill Mitchell

he Partycipatory™ Class of 79 has a robust collection of Hal Ripley members. 147 classmates have supported the Dartmouth College Fund every year since graduation. This year, 120 of them have already made a contribution.

The 79 Hal Ripley Society supported our Head Agent's recent call for contributions to be made by the 79th day of the year with another Hoodie campaign. It marked the third time the 79 Hal Ripleyites had competed for a random hoodie drawing. All 2022 Hal Ripley members were entered int the drawing, including the 23 classmates who contributed during the 79th day match campaign. Members who have a sustaining/recurring gift got 2 chances to win.

Our third hoodie contest winner was Colleen Sullivan Bartlett. Colleen is currently working as Director of Advancement for a K-I2 school in California. She lives with her English teaching husband and high school junior daughter in Santa Monica and relishes the LA mini-reunions. Her daughter is starting the college application process. She was quick to grab the hoodie when it arrived and Colleen sent me a picture of it being worn but I had stipulated a classmate picture of the winner so attired for her classmates. Colleen fully expects to be retired by her daughter's sophomore year.

The final Hal Ripley drawing of the year will be made on gifts through the anniversary of our graduation, June 10, 2022. Classmates who can document they were unable to graduate on that date will be given a 79-hour grace period to make their DCF contribution.



Colleen Sullivan '79 in 2022



Hal Ripley '29 in 1929

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# Your Class of 1979 Social hyperlinks!

- Dartmouth '79 Class YouTube Channel (NEW): https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCa4zoD1x2M107dSRMsbh1\_Q
- Dartmouth '79 INSTAGRAM Group (NEW): https://www.instagram.com/dartmouth1979
- Dartmouth '79 Class FACEBOOK Group www.facebook.com/groups/22531415191
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Please donate to your Dartmouth College Fund...



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...and please pay your class dues.

Thank you!

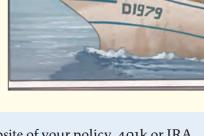
# Upcoming Events for the Class of 1979

- 2022 3 months before your 65<sup>th</sup> Birthday (page 7) Sign up for Medicare. www.hhs.gov/answers/medicare-and-medicaid
- OCTOBER 28-30 Homecoming in Hanover
- JUNE 19 -22, 2025 Thurs. to Sun. Our only 45th Reunion. Don't miss it.
- JUNE 8-12, 2029 Friday to Tuesday. Our 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion, a once-in-a-lifetime, historic event!! Note that our Class Flag was presented to our graduating class by the Class of 1929 at their 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion. They were born in 1907. Future members of the Class of 2029, born in 2007, who will graduate during our 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion are now about 15 years old and entering high school!! Their 50<sup>th</sup> reunion will be in **2079**.
- JUNE 12-15, 2034 Monday to Thursday
   Our 55<sup>th</sup> Reunion. In Hanover. Stay healthy and attend.
- SEPTEMBER, 2054 Monday to Thursday
   Our 75<sup>th</sup> and Last Class of 1979 Reunion. In Hanover.
   Attendees to be 97 years old. Plan to be there. Aloha!













Three (3) quick, easy steps to make

Dartmouth College part of your legacy plan!

by George Stone '79 & Nancy Malmquist '79

Feel the glow of our 40<sup>th</sup> Reunion and support our award winning class and Dartmouth by joining the BTS before year end! This is simple and you can always count on any questions being answered by contacting George Stone at <a href="mailto:georges@hillandstone.com">georges@hillandstone.com</a> or Nancy Schwartzman at <a href="mailto:nmailto

Naming Dartmouth as a beneficiary or partial beneficiary of any retirement account or life insurance policy is an easy option to join our growing ranks!

STEP #I Go to website of your policy, 401k or IRA administrator (i.e., Vanguard, Fidelity, Prudential etc.) and find the beneficiary designation form.

**STEP #2** Name "Trustees of Dartmouth College" as a full or partial primary beneficiary (enter Dartmouth's tax ID #02-0222111)

STEP #3 Notify George, Nancy, or Dartmouth Gift Planning (800-451-4067) that you have completed the process!

Feel the Big Green Love and make a difference by supporting Dartmouth College and our Class with a heartfelt bequest. No amount too great or too small. Participation is key! %