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CARDOZO CLASS OF '74 Celebrating 50th Alumni Class Reunion

Latest Breaking News

-- By CLASS '74 Alumni CMTE

We are looking forward to gathering together to see the Cardozo Class of '74 classmates as we celebrate our 50th ALUMNI CLASS REUNION.

We extend our excitement in preparing some events that we can come together in social settings to see those classmates we have not seen in such a long time and catch-up on what has been happening in our lives and glad to see all who are still in the land of the living. Time is winding down in our lives, so many of our classmates were not able to make this milestone due to their recent passing and we send our deep condolences to those families of our classmates who have passed on. Gone but not forgotten. We are grateful for those who are excited about coming together this year to socialize and stay in touch with those whom we may have lost connection with, to network with or just to communicate and say hello. We cannot wait to see everyone.



Alumni News

❖ By CLASS '74 Alumni CMTE

We extend our deepest condolences to **Mr. Robert W. Gill**, Director and Band Instructor who passed away, Friday, March 23, 2024. One who was an Honorable, highly respected Marching Band Director who was loved and admired by all because he exhibited the PRIDE of CARDOZO's Outstanding DMV Marching Ban. Mr. Gill was admired as a Mentor, Teacher, Father to some, a big Brother to others, continuously guiding and perfecting the students to be the Best, Play the Best, Step the Best, and Rank the Bes. Supporting the School upon the Hill, our Purple Wave - Cardozo Clerks - The Purple Banner, The OW. The Band participated in playing at the Cardozo Football games whether Home or Away, and in the Inter-High Battle of the Marching Bands, building confidence, Pride, and the belief in oneself to perform to the best of one's ability and represent the Best of the Best DMV Marching Bands. Our Beloved is at rest beyond the river.



We loss several other classmates: (add any other names / check these dates for correction)

George Walker– January 2024

Thurston McClain– May 2023

James Hooks– August 2021

May you all Rest In Eternal Peace (RIEP). Gone but not forgotten

Making Contact Corner

➤ Cardozo Class of 1974

Reaching out to as many classmates as possible, but we need your help. Please send us your feedback in helping in this area of gathering active emails and phone numbers of those people that you are in contact with who are classmates and graduated with the Class of 1974. Please do not send info that is not current like phone numbers. We know that our classmates are moving from one location to another.

We would like to thank all who have made an effort to get us this information thus far. This will help in making this transition as easy as possible.

Ways to reach us:

Messenger CHAT- Cardozo Class of 1974

Facebook - Cardozo Class Of 1974

Classmates.com

Joanne and Marlene are working diligently in this area to get the best possible contact information to keep in touch with our classmates, so you can play a major part in all the events planned for this our 50th Class Reunion for the Class of '74. Let's make this happen. Each one, help one, help us to make this year a success.

SPOTLIGHT News -- Alumni Class of 1974

Celebrating our 50th Class ReUnion
"We Are Doing It Again"

Month of JUNE

Saturday, June 1st, 2024

Bowlero Arlington

Bowling Party at 3pm (2hr Window)

320 23rd St. S

Crystal City, VA 22202

Contact Marlene Franklin @ 240-595-0440 or

EMAIL: franklinmarlene@ymail.com if you
plan to attend to get a count of people attending.

Saturday, June 29th, 2024

10:45AM Arrival, Departing 11:30AM-1:30PM

~~CITY CRUISES~~

The **SPIRIT** - Signature Lunch Cruise

**Let's cruise along the Potomac River, a chance to dine,
dance and experience DC from a new perspective - the
water!**

- **2 hour lunch cruise on the Potomac River
departing from Pier 4 | cruising 11:30AM-
1:30PM| General Boarding begins at 10:45AM**
- **Lunch Buffet (freshly prepared entrees, salads
and desserts) \$106.27/per person**
- **Cash Bar**
- **Unlimited coffee, hot tea, iced tea and water**
- **Onboard DJ Entertainment**
- **All taxes and fees**
- **The best views of the Washington Monument,
National Harbor, Old Town Alexandria, and
other iconic D.C. sights**

SPOTLIGHT News -- continued

Attending CRUISE, Contact Arlene Franklin @
receiving text at 240-766-6870, EMAIL:
Arlene.Franklin56@gmail.com if you plan to attend
NLT 5/19/2024, then I will send you a link to
purchase your ticket, only after you confirm
your attendance.

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Month of August

Saturday, Aug. 24, 2024

Noon to 7pm

10th Annual Cardozo Cookout

Carter Barren, LOT 24

Washington, DC

Month of October

Saturday, Oct. 26, 2024

7pm – 11pm, Tickets \$80

Purple & White Scholarship Fundraiser

Dinner & Dance Gala

Martin's Crosswinds

Greenbelt, MD

**(Cardozo Class of 74 will be
Celebrating Our 50th Class Reunion
at this event)**

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SPOTLIGHT News -- continued

WHAT'S GOING ON?

Please contact us to get the news out about your Power Moves, Business Ventures, or Life Celebrations you would like to share with other classmates, make it brief but welcoming. Newsletter will be sent out Quarterly, coming in July.

We also ask that you continue to use the messenger CHAT to communicate as well.



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