# Arsenal Technical High School Alumni Association April 2008 TECHnically Speaking

## Felson Bowman Named 2008 Alumnus of the Year



**Felson Bowman** graduated from Tech High School in 1958. While a student at Tech, Felson participated in football, track and wrestling. He lettered in football, played on the 1958 undefeated football team and served as its co-captain. Upon graduation, Felson attended Northwestern University and Butler University. He graduated from Butler with a Bachelor of Science Degree and from Indiana University School of Law with a Doctor of Jurisprudence Degree.

From 1961-1968, Felson was employed by the Marion County Sheriff's Office and rose to the rank of Captain. Since that time he has practiced law with Lewis, Bowman, St. Clair & Wagner. In 1974, he formed Solar Sources, Inc., which is now the largest privately owned coal mining company in the State of Indiana. He has served and continues to serve as the President and Chairman of the Board for Solar Sources.

Felson was admitted to practice law in Indiana, the Federal Court, Southern District of Indiana, the United States 7th Circuit Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court of the United States. He has presented to the United States Supreme Court and is a member of the Indianapolis and Indiana Bar Associations. He has served as a member and Chairman of the Indiana State Police Board. He has also represented Solar Sources as a member of the Indiana Coal Council for many years and has served as its Chairman on two occasions. Felson has been appointed twice by a governor of Indiana to serve on Energy Policy and Coal Mining Advisory Boards.

Felson attends Mount Pleasant Christian Church. He also continues his interest in Tech High School athletics and has participated in fundraising activities for Tech High School. For his athletic efforts while in high school and his continued support for the athletic program at Tech, he has been inducted into Tech High School's Athletic Hall of Fame. Additionally, he is an avid golfer and plays whenever he can. He is also interested in hunting and fishing and has hunted big game in Africa on many occasions.

Felson has been married to Jane Ellen Brock-Jones, a 1961 Tech graduate, for 44 years. They have a daughter (Jacqueline Bowman Ponder) and a son (Fred Bowman). Jackie is a practicing attorney and serves on the Center Grove School Board. Fred currently serves Solar Sources, Inc., as Vice President of Sales & Corporate Development. Felson and Jane have six grandchildren.



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### Alumni President's Message



Greetings from the Arsenal Technical High School Alumni Association!

On behalf of your Alumni Association, I wish to express our gratitude for your continued support of the work we do for our alma mater, Tech High School. We remain one of the most active high school alumni associations in the country as a result. Your contributions to the organization, the scholarship and endowment funds testify to the level of support you provide. Although important, your financial assistance is not the only evidence of your continued backing of the school. Your comments to family, friends, and acquaintances about your time as a student at Tech High School are equally important. Sharing, on a daily basis, what an education from ATHS means to you is powerful proof of the value of that education.

As confirmation of the success of your efforts to support the students of ATHS, here are a few comments from current students who have benefited from your financial contributions. The first two pertain to a grant distributed to the school from the Endowment Fund. The third comment is from a scholarship winner.

"I want to thank you for your support of our learning here at Tech H. S. The Alumni provided the money to buy the new Reading books. The stories give us a variety of interesting material that keep us focused."

"It is so good to have a book that follows a theme and we don't have to shuffle a lot of papers. Thank you so much for supporting our education here at Tech."

"I arrived at college very well prepared, armed with my education from Tech. The Alumni Association can depend on me to continue to work hard to make Tech proud of me. Many thanks for this significant support of my education. I am working hard to see to it that the Alumni Association sees a good return on its investment!"

Please continue to support your Alumni Association so we may continue to make a difference for Tech students.

Also, join us at Tech High School on Saturday, June 14, 2008, for our annual Alumni Day on Campus. We will be honoring three outstanding alumni, **Felson Bowman**, **Frank Craig**, and **Robert Book**, and a Tech legend, **Fred Kelly**, for their contributions to the school and the community at large. See you then!

**Peggy Berchekas Clark**, Class of 1966 President, ATHS Alumni Association

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Each year, the Tech Alumni Association awards the Duane Blankenhorn Award for exemplary service on the ATHS Alumni Board.

### Karl J. Stipher Award: Frank Craig

Each year, the Tech Alumni Association awards the Karl J. Stipher Award for exemplary service to Tech High School. **Robert M. Book**, Class of 1948, participated in varsity football, junior varsity basketball, and Techoir while attending Tech High School. Upon graduation, Bob joined the U. S. Marine Corps. He is a Korean War veteran. When his active duty ended, Bob joined the Marine Reserves. He retired from the reserves in 1983 holding the rank of Colonel. However, he continues to be active in veteran affairs.

Bob earned a B. S. from Purdue University in Agriculture – Animal Science. He then earned a MBA from Indiana University and attended Columbia University Graduate School of Business. Bob joined ELANCO, a division of Eli Lilly and Company, in 1955. From 1966 to 1983, Bob held several different vice president positions at ELANCO, including Agricultural Marketing, Agrichemical Marketing, and Animal Products. From 1983 until 1992, he was President of the Indiana Institute of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition. Beginning in 1993, Bob has presided over AgriVista, an agricultural and agribusiness consulting firm.

Through Bob's work in the agricultural arena, he has traveled the world, representing the United States and various agribusiness concerns. His travels include Western and Southern Europe, the Mideast, Japan, Taiwan, and the Peoples' Republic of China. He also visited the U. S. S. R., Poland, Korea, the German Democratic Republic, Mexico, Central America, and South America.

Bob has served his community through various positions. These include Clay Township Board Chairman, Carmel St. Vincent's Hospital Board of Directors' Chairman, St. Vincent's Hospital Finance Committee Chair, and Republican Precinct Committeeman. Additionally, he has served as a member of the Student Selection Committee for the U. S. Naval Academy for Senator Lugar and Representative Burton. He is a member of East 91<sup>st</sup> Street Christian Church in Indianapolis.

Bob relaxes by flying, fishing and hunting. He also enjoys his four children and five grandchildren.

**Frank Craig** graduated from Tech in 1960. After graduation, Frank served with the U. S. Army in Vietnam. He then attended Indiana Central College (now University of Indianapolis), graduating in 1970 with a B. S. in Secondary Education. Additionally, Frank earned his M. S. degree from Butler University in 1975. His majors have been Biology, Health, and Physical Education, with minors in Drug Education and Drivers Education.

Frank has taught Biology, Health and Physical Education in the Indianapolis Public Schools from 1970 through 2003. He worked at IPS #53 for three years and at Arlington High School for five years before returning to Tech in 1979 as a teacher and Head Basketball Coach. In 2003, Frank became the Athletic Director for his alma mater. He continues in this position today.

Some of the awards and honors Frank has received include: University of Indianapolis Coach of the Year for 1991, Indianapolis City Basketball Coaches Association City Coach of the Year for 1987, 1990, 1991, 2000, and 2001. In 1990, Frank was named State District III Coach of the Year. In 1990, 1991, and 1992, Frank was the IPS Basketball Coach of the Year. In addition, he was the IPS Athletic Conference Boys' Cross Country Coach of the Year for 1994, 1995, 1996, and 1997. In 1997, Frank was named as a Distinguished Graduate by the Tech Alumni Association.

Frank has been married to **Carole Craig**, a retired IPS educator, for 26 years. They have two children, **Joy Mason**, a scientist at Eli Lilly and Company and **Sonya Broad-nax**, a clinical psychologist for the State of Indiana. Additionally, they have four grand-children, **Miles**, **John**, **Andrea** and **Hannah**. Frank has one brother, **Alfie Craig**, who retired from Ford Motor Company. Frank is a member of Castleton United Methodist Church and the NAACP.

Besides Frank's obvious love for basketball, he also enjoys traveling, playing golf, and supporting his grandchildren in their varied activities. Frank feels extremely honored and humbled to be recognized by the Tech Alumni Association. He is honored to serve and give back to the same community that has made him what he is today.

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Honorary Tech Graduate: Fred Kelly	<b>Frederick A. Kelly, Sr.</b> has served the Indianapolis Public Schools since 1967. He has worked with the students of Arsenal Technical High School since 1969, serving as Dean of Students. Before joining IPS, Fred grew up in Chattanooga, Tennessee. He served in the military from 1946 until 1953, holding the rank of First Lieutenant. He also was a reservist for six years. He earned a B. S. from Tuskegee University and a M. A. from Ball State University. He taught in the Chattanooga Public Schools from 1954 until 1965. He then joined the National Teacher Corps for two years, before beginning his IPS tenure at School #39.			
	Fred has been involved in several civic org and Wheeler Mission. He received the Mel- Award from the Lions Club. He has received s Tech High School. He is Member Emeritus of member of the Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity, Witherspoon Presbyterian Church.	vin Jones Award and the Past President's several plaques and awards for his work at f Wheeler Mission. Additionally, Fred is a		
	Fred loves to work with his hands. He does cluding sketching, painting, leather, woodwo ried to <b>Mary Rutledge Kelly</b> for 57 year (deceased), <b>Janetta</b> , a pediatrician, and <b>Katri</b>	orking, and jewelry. Fred has been mar- s. They have three children: <b>Fred Jr.</b>		
	Fred has received many encouraging calls and comments regarding his work at Tech. He tells everyone he meets that he is privileged to work at Tech.			
Endowment	The following lists the gifts to Tech from the Er	ndowment Fund since the spring of 2007:		
Fund Update	Shirts with ATHS logo for students who	Materials for remedial reading classes		
	are performing community service for local charities	Funds for 8 students to compete in the HOSA Competition in Orlando, Florida		
These gifts would not be available without	Basketball gear for Athletic department	Materials for the Sustained Reading Pro-		
<u>your</u> gifts to the Endowment Fund.	25 2-person tents for adventure training	gram		
Tax deductible	trips for ROTC	Freshman Academic Jackets		
contributions are	Computer, digital camera, scanner and	Funds for ATHS student to participate in		

payable to the ATHS Alumni Association Endowment Fund.

printer for the publication of yearbook, school paper and journalism classes

Printer, multi-media projector and camera for digital photography class.

runas for ATHS student to participate in Foreign Language Magnet program and IU Honors Program in France

These gifts would not be available without your gifts to the Endowment Fund. Thank you! Contributions not previously reported are listed below:

### Dean's List (\$1000-\$2499)

Donna Wiggam Groves, 1943, In Honor & Memory of 1943 Classmates

### Tech Legion (\$500-\$999) Class of 1957

Roy C. Levin, In Memory of Arline Stafford Levin, 1944

### <u>Honor Society (\$150-\$499)</u>

Colette Bauerle Steinmeier, 1958

We continue to encourage your gifts to the Endowment Fund—especially in estate planning. Tax-deductible contributions are payable to the ATHS Alumni Association Endowment Fund. Mail to P.O. Box 33489, Indianapolis, IN 46209-0329.



# **CLASS REUNION NEWS**

<i>Guidelines for Posting Class Announcements</i>	Reunion notices and other class announcements are published in TECHnically Speaking on a space-available basis. Priority will be given based upon proximity of the event to the pub- lication date of the newsletter, and to those groups which incorporate the Alumni Associa- tion's Tech Alumni Day activities as an integral part of their reunion events.
Send your reunion news to <u>TECHnicallySpeaking</u> @ameritech.net	Event planners are encouraged to keep their announcements brief. All announcements must include at least 1 and no more than 3 contacts, each having a phone number and/or email address.
	Thank you for your cooperation and supportEditor, TECHnically Speaking
<b>Class of 1943</b> Sixty-fifth Reunion June 14, 2008	The Class of 1943 is celebrating its 65th Class Reunion on June 14th. This special celebration will be held at Maple Creek Country Club, 10500 East 21st Street. Registration will begin at 12:00 noon and will be followed by a luncheon at 12:30. Cost of the luncheon is \$25.00 per person. The luncheon will be held in the pavilion and there are no steps which will make it easier for some of us.
	We will be sending out a detailed letter in April. In the meantime, if you have any ques- tions, contact <b>Glorina Anderson Lewis</b> at 317-894-5391. What an exciting day to look forward to, renewing old friendships and memories. See you there!
<b>Class of 1948</b> Sixtieth Reunion	The class of 1948 will celebrate their 60th reunion at Primo's Fort Ben on Friday, June 13, 2008 from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm for lunch.
June 13, 2008	Please contact <b>Wanda Harris</b> for further info at 317-839-1656 or jwharris1@juno.com.
<b>Class of 1953</b> Fifty-fifth Reunion June 13, 2008 SPECIAL NOTICE:	Our 55th class reunion will be on Friday, June 13th, the evening before Tech Alumni Day. All class members will receive a postcard by early May. Our reunion will be at the Valle Vista Country Club in Greenwood, cocktail hour at 6:00 P.M. with dinner at 7:00 P.M. Send a check or money order by June 2nd for \$27.00 per person to <b>Ronald Jackson</b> , payable to Tech Class of 1953. For mailing address, or if you want to pay with a credit card, call Ron at 317-791-9000, ext. 3211 or email
1952 and 1954 classes are also invited.	<u>rjackson@jacksongroup.com</u> . Any other questions, call <b>Sue Siebert Williams</b> , 317-881-3987 or <u>Swilliams604@cs.com</u> .
Class of 1955 AND	Did you receive your post card? Have you responded to us? Have you called any friends to see if they are attending too? "If you're gonna go, we gotta have your dough."
<b>Class of 1956</b> June 14, 2008 THE HEART OF THE	The pitch-in picnic is being held at Garfield Park, Corporate Shelter #7, 2345 Pagoda Dr., Indpls., IN 46203. If you need a map, let us know and we can send you one. We have the shelter for the day, with the meal at 2:00 p.m. Cost is \$7.50 per person. We will provide meat trays, fried chicken, drinks and tableware.
FIFTIES	It is important that we hear from you to make our plans successful. Both classes send res- ervations and money to <b>Jim Galt</b> , 635 East Stop 11 Rd., Indpls., IN 46227. <u>Indicate your</u> <u>class on your response</u> . Schedule for the pitch-in, by first letter of last name, is: A - H: VEGETABLES I - R: SALADS S - Z: DESSERTS (Enough for 12)
	Questions? Contact <b>Patty Rodgers Campbell</b> , 317-888-5196; <b>Sharon Bergdoll Kelly</b> , 317-841-8515; <u>slkelly12@sbcglobal.net;</u> or <b>Jim Galt</b> , 317-888-8208; <u>jimgaltinsur-ance@sbcglobal.net</u>
<b>Class of 1957</b> Mini-reunion June 14, 2008	A mini-reunion is planned on Alumni Day, June 14th, at Gray's cafeteria in Mooresville. Plan to meet at the cafeteria at 4:00 pm that afternoon. Contact <b>Alice Holman Brown</b> , <u>faydiddle@peoplepc.com</u> , 317 862-6873 or <b>John Wampner</b> , <u>jvwamper@aol.com</u> , 317- 888-2353 for additional info. Looking forward to seeing all that can attend. We plan to make this an annual event on Alumni Day.

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<b>Class of 1958</b> Fiftieth Reunion	Class of 1958—we've got a big reunion weekend planned for you! FRIDAY: Golf visit to the "Ayres Tea Room" at the State Museum a free get-together in the even	
June 13-15, 2008	SATURDAY: Tech Alumni Day on Tech's campus, starting at 9:15 AM with our class p on the Arsenal steps (don't be late!). Dedication of our class project and lunch follow Alumni program (see Alumni Day registration and lunch order form in this newslette	w the
	Dinner extravaganza at 6:00 pm at Primo Center South, 2615 E. National Ave. (sen- ervations to <b>Mary Peters Shulse</b> , 3363 West Ravenfield Blvd., Greenfield, IN 4 \$25.00 per person, payable to <b>1958 Tech Reunion Committee</b> .)	
	SUNDAY: Brunch	
	See our class mailing for information on costs and other details of each of the events will be great fun—join us!!! Contacts: <b>Sylvia Burton Horner</b> , <u>shorner06@embarqmail.com</u> , or <b>Patricia Seay Camden</b> , 317-251-1578.	. It
<b>Class of 1959</b> Fiftieth Reunion 2009	We have gathered a few people to begin making arrangements for our upcoming anniversary. We invite anyone interested in joining us to do so by contacting of those listed. We need and appreciate your help and look forward to planning a reunion. We will have more arrangement information in the Fall newsletter.	one of
	Kent Smith, 317 882-7565, smipol@aol.com, Dick Carlson, 317-236-6560, stated ing@hotmail.com, Sharon Stewart, 317 632-7551, stewart.s@att.net.	bond-
<b>Class of 1963</b> Forty-fifth Reunion June 14, 2008	Our 45th anniversary reunion will be held in conjunction with Alumni Day on 14th. We will begin our day with a coffee in the lobby of the Hanson H. Anderson A rium on the Tech campus from 8:00 until 10:00 a.m. This activity is free for our class	udito-
	Our class members will then join the other alumni for a program followed by lun fered through the Tech Alumni Association. Reservations for the morning program luncheon can be made through this newsletter (see page 7). Feel free to bring ar friend or family member to this activity and enjoy a day at Tech with fellow classmat	m and nother
	The reunion celebration continues Saturday night at the Traders Mill Grill and Bar, ing at 6:30 p.m. The restaurant is located on the corner of 86th and Zionsville Ro Indianapolis. This is a casual evening with the restaurant menu available for those wish to have dinner. There is plenty of parking and the restaurant is handicapped a sible. Guests are welcome. Let's make a night of it and enjoy each other's company.	oad in e who acces-
	Class contact: Sheila McAllister Hodges, 317-298-7197.	
<b>Class of 1973</b> Thirty-fifth Reunion August 30, 2008	We will be celebrating our 35th Reunion this year at Primo's Fort Harrison on Saturd August 30th. For more information, contact <b>Vincent Killebrew</b> , 317-923-9900, vkillebr@yahoo.com; <b>Leslie Williams Woods</b> , 317-897-2636, leslie- woods3598@sbcglobal.net; or <b>Diana Wong Poett</b> , 317-542-8005 or dianapo- ett@msn.com	ay,
<b>Class of 1988</b> Twentieth Reunion July 25-26, 2008	Hey mates, where are you? Plans are already made for you to reunite with the BEST Class of the '80s. Please mark your calendar to attend this year's Gala Extravaganz other events. We welcome all Tech Alumni, family and friends.	
	Go to our website for more details at <u>www.titans88.com</u> or contact <b>Deitra M.</b> (Taylor) <u>blessed1018@yahoo.com</u> (317) 748-4919; or <b>Sheila G. (Johnson)</b> <u>sheila@titans88.com</u> (317) 545-1334.	
<b>TECHOIR REUNION</b> June 14, 2008	This year we're meeting at 9:00 am (an hour before the Alumni Day program) to gre friends from the good ol' Tech days music departmentand rehearse for the program So, please join us in the front seating area, just below the stage piano, where we'll re- hearse briefly. [Next year, or perhaps just in 2010, we'll meet on the previous even our reunion, so we can better prepare for Tech's 100th "Birthday Bash" in 2012. We's still accepting newly written song entries for this monumental occasion!]	m. ə- ng for
	Contact: <b>Bonnie Priest</b> , <u>priestbg@aol.com.</u> See you on June 14!	

This form is in	<b>Tech Alumni Response Form</b> cluded for your convenience in corresponding with the Tech Alumni Association.			
	All checks should be made payable to the ATHS Alumni Association, and mail should be sent to: ATHS Alumni Association, c/o Wanda Harris, 1001 Cedar Glen Drive N., Plainfield, IN 46168			
Name and Address Note: Name and address changes may also be sent by email to <u>TECHnicallySpeaking</u> @ameritech.net	Name:         Class Year           First         Middle         (Maiden)         Last           Address:			
<b>Contributions</b> All contributions are tax	IN MEMORY OF: Class Year: FROM: Class Year:			
deductible. If your employer will match this contribution, please enclose a company Matching Gifts form.	If you do <u>not</u> want this gift acknowledged in the newsletter, please check here:			
Alumni Day Reservations Sat. June 14	Open Seating by class (reservations due by June 1st) Registration, activities, and lunchx \$11.00 = \$			
Alumni Day activities are open to members of all classes. The campus will be open for self-guided tours. Activities include an awards and recognition program in the auditorium and a performance by Tech Choir Alumni. If you want a box lunch, you must pre-order using the form at right. Box lunches will not be available for those not pre-registered.	Box lunch choices (indicate Qty)       Drink choices (indicate Qty)         (one box lunch per paid registration)       (one drink per paid registration)         Sandwich box—Turkey & Swiss       Bottled Water         Sandwich box—Roast Beef       Coke         Sandwich box—Ham & Cheddar       Diet Coke         Sandwich box—Corned Beef       Sprite         Salad box—tuna       Salad box—chicken         List names and class years:			

See the reverse side for Merchandise Order Form and Correspondence with your Tech Alumni Association.

### **Tech Alumni Response Form, continued**

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Year: \_\_\_\_\_

### Correspondence

We welcome your comments, and encourage you to share information with us about yourself or other Tech alumni that might be of interest to others in future issues of our Alumni newsletter.

Please send your correspondence to the address on the reverse side of this form, or email us at:

**TECHnicallySpeaking** @ameritech.net

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Order	

\* To avoid shipping charges, you may arrange to pick up your order at Tech on Alumni Day. To do so, check here and be sure to include your phone number on the form.

Quantity	Item	Circle size (s)	Price	Shipping	Total Amount
	K.P. Singh print of Tech campus (unframed)		\$75.00 ea	\$7.00 ea	
	Tech Sweatshirt (white)	M L XL XXL	\$17.00 ea \$20.00 ea	\$5.00 ea	
	Tech Sweatshirt (green)	M L XL XXL	\$17.00 ea \$20.00 ea	\$5.00 ea	
	Tech T-shirt (white)	M L XL XXL	\$11.00 ea \$14.00 ea	\$5.00 ea	
	Tech T-shirt (green)	M L XL XXL	\$12.00 ea \$15.00 ea	\$5.00 ea	
	Tech long-sleeved T-shirt (white)	M L XL XXL	\$13.00 ea \$16.00 ea	\$5.00 ea	
	Tech Polo Shirt (white)	M L XL XXL	\$18.00 ea \$20.00 ea	\$5.00 ea	
	Tech Zippered Tote		\$10.00 ea	\$5.00 ea	
	Tech Mouse Pad		\$6.00 ea	\$5.00 ea	
Ship to:			Total Enclosed		
			Phone #		

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### ATHS Alumni Association Contributing Members

We acknowledge those who have contributed \$10.00 or more to the ATHS Alumni Association during the past six months. Thank You!!

### Donating to your Alumni Association

Your donations to the Tech Alumni Association are tax deductible. They help support projects which provide scholarships to deserving students, and improve the quality of school life for all Tech students.

Many employers will match your donations on a dollarfor-dollar basis. Check with your employer.

The Tech Alumni Association can now accept donations of stock, as well as cash gifts.

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### Future Alumni Day Dates Set

The Tech Alumni Board has set the following dates for future Tech Alumni Days:

**June 13, 2009—June 12, 2010—June 11, 2011—June 9, 2012.** Please plan your events using these dates, and encourage your class members to take part in the all-class Alumni Day activities on campus.

### **TECHnically Speaking**

### **Music Notes**



This year's all-school musical was a triumph! On the last weekend of February, over 70 students participated in Disney's "Beauty & The Beast"! This spectacular production combined elaborate costumes, huge production numbers, a great acting cast, and ambitious sets and special effects for some fun family entertainment! Thank you to all the alumni who supported our show by your attendance and donations!

ARTS ON THE GREEN will be held on Saturday, April 26, from 10:30 to 3:00. The Tech Quadrangle will host open music stages, artwork, and concessions and activities. Many IPS students, faculty, and community members will "show off" their best work in visual art, song, dance, theatre, and variety acts. The event will close with the presentation of the senior musical at 3:00 p.m. in the auditorium. Please join us on the Tech campus for Arts on the Green! The event is free and open to the public.

The annual TECHOIR SPRING CONCERT will be held on Sunday, May 4. Ms. Kandy Brown will direct our talented choir students in an afternoon of all kinds of concert music. Alumni Techoir members will be invited up onto the stage to close the concert with "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." Please join us for this free concert!

Our show choir, the TECHNICIANS, will showcase their year of community performances at their annual dessert show, "Feast & Follies!" Englewood Christian Church will be the site of this year's production on Friday, May 9, at 7:00 p.m. Our theme is "The Magic Music of the Movies." Call Cindy Hartshorn at the ATHS Music Office, 317 693-5328, for ticket information.

### Arsenal 5K **Run/Walk** Sept. 13, 2008



Alumni Golf Outing Benefit June 18



A challenge goes out to Alumni to participate in the 9th Annual Arsenal 5k Run/Walk on 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 13. You can form a team and run or walk the 3.1-mile cross-country course on the TECH campus. The start and finish are on the Tech track. Join local neighborhood groups, teachers, and students as race participants or volunteers. Awards are given to walkers and runners in various age categories.

The event's theme is celebrating Health and History, and its purpose is to raise scholarships for Tech seniors. Two \$1000 scholarships will be awarded at the May honors day celebration.

Come meet the challenge and join the fun. Play a part in Tech's future as a race participant or a volunteer. Cost of the event is \$15. (Includes a T-shirt). Financial contributions are also welcome. For more information contact Tessie Lloyd-Jones lloydjoneskimball@msn.com

The sixth annual Tech Alumni Golf Outing will be held on Wednesday, June 18, as a fundraiser for the Tech Athletic Department. This year's outing will be held once again at the Valle Vista Country Club in Greenwood, Indiana. It is open to Tech alumni, family and friends—both guys and gals are encouraged to participate in this fun event. It will be a 4-person Florida Scramble, with lots of prizes and loads of fun.

Registration will be at 10:00 a.m., with a putting contest at 10:30 and a shotgun start at noon.

Cost is \$75 per person or \$300 per foursome. Make your checks payable to Tech Athletic Association Fund, and mail them to Kent Smith, PO Box 47653, Indianapolis, IN 46247. For further information, contact Kent at 317 418-3634.

### **TECHnically** Speaking **Editor Steps** Down

This issue of TECHnically Speaking will be the last for your current editor. I took over the newsletter in October 1991 and have enjoyed communicating with the 20,000+ Tech Alumni on our mailing list via the columns of this newsletter. I trust that you will support your new editor as you have supported me these 17 years, and will continue to uphold your Tech Alumni Board and all that it does to preserve the heritage and mission that is Arsenal Technical High School. Thank you. Jerry E. Troxel, Class of 1968

Thank you for your generous support of Tech and its students, through your memorial giving.

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Gilbert E. Kirkbride, 1955 Louie Carry, 1954 Mr. & Mrs. Russell Bowman Gladys Eade, Teacher Dolores F. Snyder Owen, 1944 Karl E. Schneider, Teacher Jeanne E. Forkner, 1966

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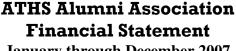
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Raymond V. Cradick, 1937

Paul H. Jones, 1962

### Financial **Report 2007**





# January through December 2007

Income Expenses Alumni Day 3,366 Alumni Day 2.779**Merchandise Sales** 2,781 Merchandise 163 General Fund 18,777 General Fund— **Technically Speaking** 12.776 General Fund—Other 3,622 **Total Income** \$24,924 **Total Expense** \$19,340 \$5,584 **Net Income** 



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## Seven Tech Alumni Honored with Anderson Awards

On November 8, 2007, a luncheon was held on the Tech campus to honor seven distinguished Tech Alumni. Each was given an award named for **Hanson H. Anderson**, one of the eight original faculty members of Tech, and Tech's principal from 1937 through 1958. While at Tech, Mr. Anderson built a reputation for excellence, both professionally and personally. His ideals were the highest, his leadership confident, his discipline firm, and his friendship warm and abiding. He was respected and beloved by faculty and students alike as he pursued the goal of developing in Tech a high school that would prepare students for both advanced education and life's experiences.

Recipients of the Hanson H. Anderson Award are selected on the basis of those qualities that Mr. Anderson personified — outstanding personal achievement, success in some area of their lives, and community service. Congratulations to our 2007 honorees, pictured below (L to R): Ellen Eads Hoffman, 1966; Rolla E. McAdams, 1950; Phyllis C. Lewellen Taylor, 1955; Judith Maxwell Coons, 1956; and Ronald Jackson, 1953. Not pictured: William S. Buckley, 1969; and Cindy Lewis Hartshorn, 1970.

