

# Welcome to the 2021 Spearman Centennial All School Reunion

June 12, 2021

# Pledge of Allegiance

**I pledge allegiance to the flag  
of the United States of America,  
and to the republic for which it stands,  
one nation under God,  
indivisible,  
with liberty and justice for all.**

# Star Spangled Banner



**O say can you see, by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars  
through the perilous fight  
O'er the ramparts we watched  
were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare,  
the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night  
that our flag was still there,  
O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave**

## SHS Fight Song

Go down that field you Spearman Lynx

And never yield you Spearman Lynx

We're all behind the Purple and White

So come on Lynx Fight, Fight

# Recognition of Those Who Died Serving Our Country, Veterans, and Those Currently in the Military

- We all remember that the Declaration of Independence begins with the words:
  - *“We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.”*
- But we also always remember those who have lived out the final words in the declaration to make and keep it a reality:
  - *“And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes and our sacred Honor.”*

In Memoriam

by

Kellye Buchanan and Frank Salgado Jr

# Contests

- Most senior Alumni
- Most grandkids and great grandkids
- Came the furthest
- Longest marriage
- Most recently married
- Most recent child, grandchild, or great grandchild

# Recognition of 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Classes

- Classes of
  - 1966
  - 1967
  - 1968
  - 1969
  - 1970
  - 1971



# Alumni Scholarship Program

- \$800 granted from Alumni Funds each year to a deserving student
- Students not already receiving another Scholarship are recommended to the committee and provide an application
- The committee reviews these and makes a selection
- Historically, we give scholarships each year to students not receiving another scholarship and who is considered the best candidate, even if they have received a scholarship the previous year
- Of course, should a member of the committee have a family member under consideration, that committee member recuses themselves from the process for that year.
- Since 2000, you have provided more than \$18,000 to students to help with their college costs.

# 2015 – 2021 Scholarship Recipients

- 2015        Nikki Rindlisbacher
- 2016        Sydney Hawkins
- 2017        Reid Swan
- 2018        Baylee Baker
- 2019        Baylee Baker
- 2020        Baylee Baker
- 2021        Baylee Baker

**Our Congratulations to the Scholarship Recipients**

**Thanks to You for Scholarship Support through Your Dues**

# Looking toward 2025

## The Web site will remain active

- Remember, only members can access the information so your contact information will not be shared
- **Add or send in your pictures from this reunion!**
- These slides and other information will be on the site as it becomes available
- If you should change your email, please update it on the website under Classmates as it will be our primary means of contact
- Send suggestions to [spearmanhsreunion@gmail.com](mailto:spearmanhsreunion@gmail.com)
- If, despite our best efforts, we missed a passing, please send it and we'll add them.

# Looking forward to 2025

## Scholarships

- **Please consider paying your dues each year so we can keep and increase the Scholarships. All our money raised goes to them**
- You will be able to donate via the website and can continue to make checks made out to the Spearman Ex Student Association to PO Box 132 // Spearman, TX 79081

# Election of 2025 Reunion Officers

- Nominations
  - President – Randy Collard
  - Secretary – Jessica Jarvis Livingston
  - Treasurer – Jennifer Ooley
  
- Joint meeting June 15<sup>th</sup>

Special Thanks to Lead Team

**Bonnie Thompson**

**Carole Stumpf**

**Gary Ellsworth**

**Gina Gillispie**

**Ginger Turner**

**Kellye Buchanan**

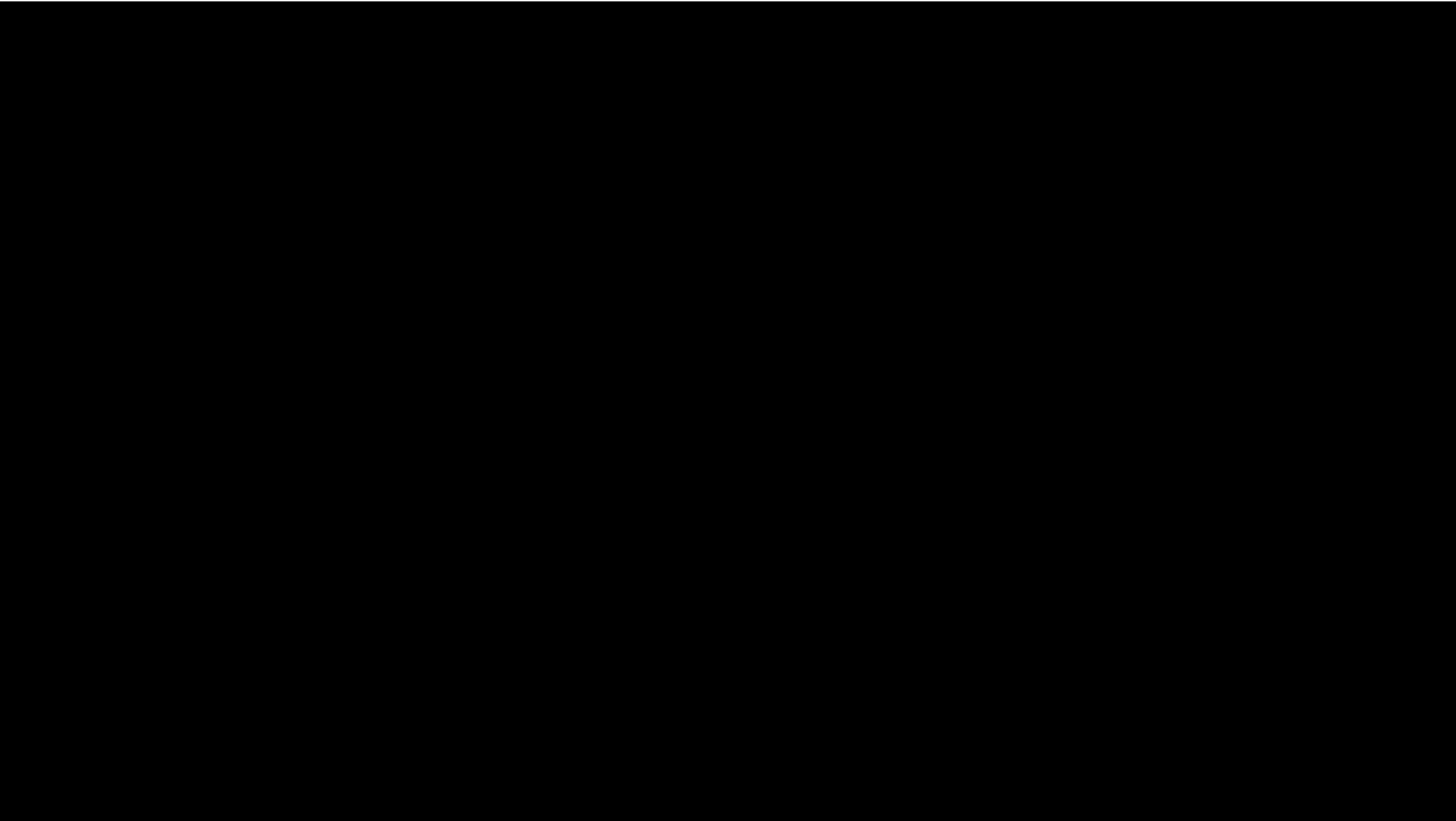
**Missie Bates**

**Sharion Cook**

**Nekisha Whitefield**

## Donations and Help

- **Lowes – Water**
- **O’Loughlin Center – Ice**
- **Murmur’s – Cups and Tea Stands**
- **Missie Bates – Cookies**
- **FSB – Meeting Room**
- **Our Sponsors - who allowed us to dedicate all dues to Scholarships**
- **Donita Lusby & Kristin Shieldknight – AV setup and help**
- **Frank Salgado Jr. – Passings AV**
- **Churches and others for Class Party Locations**





Backup Slides

# Agenda

- Agenda as of 6/10/2021
  - Presentation 1
    - Humorous slide deck scrolling as people come in – Randy (Presentation 1)
  - Presentation 2
    - Invocation - Randy
    - Pledge, Star Spangled Banner, and Fight Song (w/Cheerleaders)
    - Recognition of those who served
    - Passings Slide Show
    - Fun Contests
      - Most senior Alumni
      - Most grandkids and great grandkids
      - Came the greatest distance
      - Longest marriage
      - Most recently married
    - 50<sup>th</sup> Classes Recognition: 1966-1971
    - Scholarship Program and Recipients
    - Announcement of our next Reunion's Officers
    - Benediction – Lynn Brack
  - Presentation 3
    - Closing – scrolling reception instructions and slides outlining the remainder of the day and thanks list.

# JD Wilbanks

