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Recollections



Peter H. Boysen

1944–2004

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Retired Town Employee

Peter H. Boysen, 60, of Cos Cob, died Saturday, July 3, at Greenwich Hospital. He died of cancer, according to his family. Born March 1, 1944, in Passau, Germany, he was the son of the late Magdalena Boysen.

Settling in Greenwich with his mother in 1953, Mr. Boysen attended public schools, graduating from Greenwich High School in 1962. He was an avid athlete who played for the high school football team. He earned a bachelor of science degree in education from Kansas State College, and a master's degree in recreation management from Southern Connecticut State College.

Mr. Boysen was a political history buff who read extensively about World Wars I and II. An active community leader, Mr. Boysen was a mentor to teens and children, and coached Little League baseball in the mid-1970s. In 1973, he started working for the town as a supervisor in the Parks and Recreation Department. He retired in 1993.

Mr. Boysen is survived by a daughter, Leah Boysen, of Bedford, N.Y.

Friends may call from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday at the Castiglione Funeral Home, 134 Hamilton Ave., Greenwich, CT. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Roch Church, 10 St. Roch Ave., Greenwich. Burial will follow in Putnam Cemetery, 35 Parsonage Road, Greenwich, CT.

Ghost Writer's Get Paid the Big Bucks



Nancy **DENNISON** Weaver . Casper . WY
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As it turns out, K.C. Remington (REM) has a ghost writer in the personae of Nancy Dennison Weaver. The Webster n Button cartoon was run in our 11 June 2004 Issue.

We Hear From the Artist



Kent **REMINGTON** . Micanopy . FL
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I've written 9 Children's stories about them. All are about 2 1/2 type written pages long, and when finished will have approximately 40 illustrations on 36 pages. I used William Steig and Susan Meddaugh's books as models.

W&B GO TO THE CIRCUS
W&B AND THE MAGIC LANTERN
W&B MEET SANTA
W&B AND THE BLACK CASTLE
W&B RIDE TO THE RESCUE

W&B AND THE FLYING SAUCER
W&B FIND A HOME
W&B AND THE ICE PALACE
W&B AND THE CROWS

Lost and Found

Jane Benjamin Sheen has been hard at work as the Sheriff of the ghs1962reunion posse and has found four more missing persons. She also has reported difficulty in finding another. She writes:

William Yantorno continues to be a mystery. He is listed in the 2001 directory as being at the new Fairfield address we had. Another online source shows him as being at various times in Old Greenwich, New Fairfield and Danbury, in that order. Maybe he is in Danbury with an unlisted phone.



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New Kids on the Block



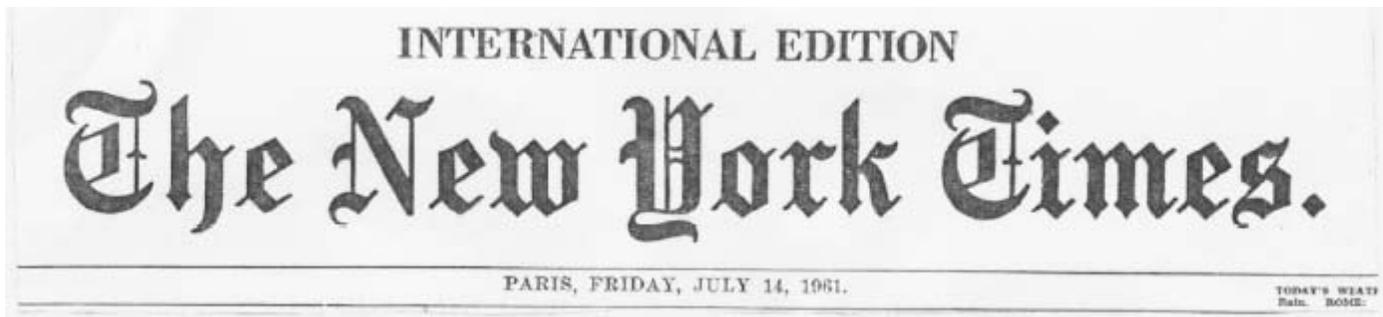
John **WASON** . Norfolk . MA
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And our numbers grow, John wrote in this week and asked how many of our class are in the data base. Now this is a good question in the we have many different data bases. Thanks to Kathie Temple Azoff our "Official" Record Keeper. But here are the current statistics:

Total of Persons in GHS 1962 Graduation Class:	493
Total known to be deceased:	30
Total with eMail accessibility:	163
Total receiving WW-N-W Newsletters:	155

The Senior Chorus Project

We are at the Dawn of a New Tomorrow... Not to be confused with the lyrics of the Flames in "Dawn of a New Day"... But we are here at the 11th day of July two days before our final performance in Paris after a three week tour of Europe and the year is 1961... That was 43 years ago and we were probably riding on the "Orient Express" heading up into Germany.



But here we are now... the three week tour has almost reached Paris... on the verge of the release of the Senior Chorus Four CD Collection of :

"A Coda Long Overdue"



Our box-office sales have given the "shudders" to Madonna and Britney, enough to make them put on some clothing and "grow up". But that is not the purpose of this writing. What I want to do is to thank all of those individuals, for their share in this production, which has resulted in a truly fine quality product. I am sure it will bring joy and wonderful enduring memories to those that hear this "page in history" for what might be their first time since 1959, 60, 61 or 62.



Rosemary **FINOCCHIO** Licare . Yorktown . VA
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To Rosemary Finocchio Licare, whose brilliant idea this was in the first place, little did we know what would generate from the original request for an electronic recording of the 1959-60 Ficker Recording of the Christmas Pageant and the Missa Brevis.



Diane **ADAMS** French . Port Ewen . NY
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Blossoming into 4 separate recordings with the addition of three other albums in the possession of Diane Adams French, those being the European Tour, Gloria and the Requiem Mass in C Minor.



Gary **DERBENWICK** . Colorado Springs . CO
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While Gary Derbenwick was running a few tests on recording his two albums on a turntable in Colorado Springs, we have the original suggestion to get it done Professionally in Boulder Colorado with Penny Haymes Cox doing the contact with the local recording studios.



Nancy **ROSAN** Roblin . Frederick . MD
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The Game plan artfully conceived by Vince Pantas, on or about October of 2003, was set into action and with the stroke of a (keyboard) pen, Nancy Rosan Roblin in an eMail to me suggests the albums be re-recorded by the "truly magical" and skilled hands and "ears" of Thomas Pryor. My first "Hat" goes off to you Tom, for all your hard work and energies. Using the three albums from Diane, and two albums from Nancy, the first three CD Masters were cut.



Nancy **SCHMIDT** Lambert . Somerset . CO
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Then came the revolution that there was indeed a "Fourth Album" the original Christmas and Missa Brevis, that I had sent to Penny in Colorado. That recording was somewhat "disheveled" to match it's owner in many ways, but was destined to make that long flight to Frederick MD along with her companion (another Christmas/Brevis) from Nancy Schmidt Lambert in Somerset CO. Rounding out the collection of four and the CD's are complete.



James **McAFEE** . Richmond . VA
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During this adventure of cross-county madness; the orchestration of the graphics were diligently and artfully culled from a volume of historic media in the possession of Gary Derbenwick and the newspaper stories and clippings so generously donated by James B. McAfee.



Penny **HAYMES** Cox . Boulder . CO
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Penny (Vivienne D. Haymes 1962) Cox has been the strongest "binding element" and unifying force in this whole whirlwind of eMail, recording, re-recording and deadline exorcism. I truly wish to thank her for everything she has done (not without a modicum of griping), but my second "Hat" goes off to you.

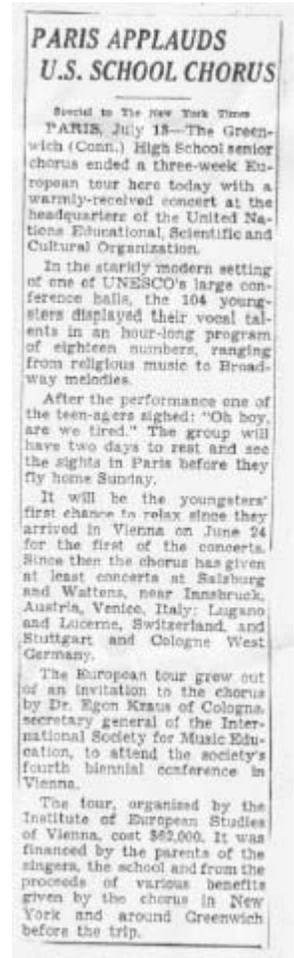


Vincent **PANTAS** . Washington Crossing . PA
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Last but not least on my list... Is my old "Cardinals" team mate, even with the blown knee. While he cruises the seven seas on "GrammyLand" and we can all since in "chorus"... Cross at the Green and Not In Between... Vince you really are a great guy and you make a "Great Boss". If you had not taken the "bull" by the horns (as opposed to my choice which was located on the opposite end of the animal) we would not be at the "threshold" we are currently at.

My third "Hat" and a scarf, earmuffs, you name it... go flying for you.

Vince took the first step and now is completing the work at Forest Incentives Ltd. in hopes of doing the initial mailing in a week or so.





Kathie **TEMPLE** Azoff . Old Greenwich . CT
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Thanks to Kathie Temple Azoff, who has been processing the orders, we are nearing that goal.

After all is said and done, there remains one individual, who has not been thanked in the mix of names in this article. That being the reason that all this could have become the reality that it is. Dr. Gerald Mack, has the love and respect of all those that have shared the experience that you gave us in the classroom on the first floor in the corner near the Parking Lot, some 43 years ago. My fourth and final "Hat" goes off to you.



First Row, L-R: J. Harry, N. Rosan, B. Burger, S. Verrier, N. Thornhill, J. Stanly, R. Riggs, L. Hamilton, L. Carroll, A. Crispell, R. Childs, N. Turturino, B. Anthony, M. Mortimer, N. McBee, M. Slaughter. Second Row, L-R: R. Bruk, N. Hallis, S. White, K. Kerr, M. Harris, D. Currell, S. Higgins, B. Abbott, L. Smith, N. Gorman, S. Nielsen, P. Smith, J. Thomson, J. Kratzer, C. Jobe, D. Michaely, L. Carter, P. Fryer, J. Robinson, R. Pastore. Third Row, L-R: J. Fisher, E. Chapman, B. Titsworth, W. Merrill, R. Palmgren; R. Jurgensen, H. Heberling, P. Haymes, M. Lee, L. Ford, B. Hines, F. Hoffmeister, H. Black, M. Antua, J. Falloon, J. Anyan, B. Wadlow, K. Pilcher, C. Simpson, P. Jobe, Z. Griffith. Fourth Row, L-R: M. Woliston, T. Ferdinand, A. Larson, C. Haymes, G. Sherman, R. Lewis, R. Rosan, A. Napper, P. Krause, B. Vanneman, A. Douglass, B. Knight, B. Riska, H. Mitchell, N. Bennett, J. Moran, J. Rasi, K. Bozak, L. Friend, B. Caird. Fifth Row, L-R: B. McEachern, K. Robinson, E. Schroff, P. Riley, R. Berg, R. McGary, F. Mullin, S. Fairfield, P. Potter, B. McMillan, S. McKeithen, D. Johnson, B. Fish, P. Nelson, K. Frano, G. Stevenson, B. Cuff, B. Shockley, R. Smith.