



KING'S PAGE Revisited

Call for Nominations!

Honor a Classmate for Achievements

We recognize distinguished alumni at our annual all-class picnic in July, *AlumFest*. A complete list of past honorees is available on our Web site.

We are seeking nominations for the distinguished alums to be honored at AlumFest 2007, which will be held at Rufus King on **Sunday, July 22, 2007**.

Thousands have graduated from Rufus King and we would like to honor those whose contributions have been especially outstanding. Areas of endeavor could include arts and entertainment, media and journalism, sports, science and medicine, public service, nonprofit enterprises, and business. Their stories will serve as inspiration to today's King students.

Please submit nominations to Carol Schaefer Broman, 602 S. 3rd Ave, West Bend, WI, 53095 or to cbroman@sbcglobal.net. The deadline for receipt of nominations is **April 30, 2007**. Forms are available at www.rufuskingalumni.com; include:

- Name (current, and at graduation)
- Current address, phone, email (if available.)
- Date of graduation or years the nominee attended Rufus King.
- Brief résumé of nominee.
- Reason for nomination in paragraph form (why should the nominee receive this award?)
- Name, address, phone number, and email address of nominator.

Questions? E-mail Carol or call her at 262-335-1647.

6 Ways to Support our School *Today*

- 1) Volunteer to help at the school. Proctors are needed for the IB exams that will be given from Wednesday, May 2 through Wednesday, May 23. Call Mavis Roesch, IB Coordinator at 414-267-0709 to offer to help.
- 2) Purchase a Generals logo **woven afghan blanket** for \$35 or **General's Roast** whole bean coffee for \$10.
- 3) Join the Alumni Association & Service to School Committee (learn more on p. 3 and back cover for form).
- 4) Come see Clive Barker's play, *History of the Devil*, April 27-29 at 7 p.m. at our Studio Theatre.
- 5) Sign up for a **Target Red Card**® and designate Rufus King to receive a percentage of what you spend.
- 6) Find out what other stores support schools and designate **Rufus King** as your beneficiary!

Annual Meeting

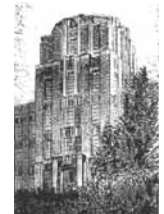
- ◆ Saturday, **May 19, 2007**
Noon - 3 p.m.
- ◆ Carleton Grange Pub,
3807 S. Packard Ave., St. Francis
www.carletongrange.com



We will elect directors/officers approve the 2007-2008 budget, and select distinguished alumni. Each attendee will pay for his/her lunch; choices must be selected in advance of the meeting. For more information or to RSVP, please contact Joy Adams, 414-482-1597; joy.adams@sbcglobal.net.

Fifth Annual AlumFest

- ◆ Sunday, **July 22, 2007**
11 a.m. - 4 p.m.
(fourth Sunday in July)
- ◆ Athletic Field (old stadium),
Rufus King High School



Purchase food from the football team and King merchandise! Current National Honor Society students will offer tours of the building. Alumni are welcome to set up tents and grill food! There will be a **program in the auditorium at 1 p.m.** to honor the four people selected as distinguished alumni. Come prepared to sing the victory song and alma mater.

Endowment Fund Created

We are proud to announce the creation of the Rufus King Alumni Association Endowment Fund, established with the Greater Milwaukee Foundation, which has \$434 million in assets in more than 960 charitable funds. In 2006 those assets earned 13%.

We opened the fund with \$6000 from member dues and other gifts. When the fund reaches \$25,000, proceeds from will be returned to the Alumni Association and used for designated projects at Rufus King International Baccalaureate School.

Alumni and friends of Rufus King may make gifts to the fund directly to the Greater Milwaukee Founda-

tion, designating the Rufus King Alumni Association Endowment Fund as recipient. Since the Alumni Association is considered tax exempt by the Internal Revenue Service, gifts can also be made directly to the Association for transfer to the Greater Milwaukee Foundation fund. The lawyers at GMF are also able to assist donors on how to include the Fund in their wills.

If you have any questions about this exciting new venture, contact Carol Schaefer Broman at 262-335-1647 or cbroman@sbcglobal.net.

Connect with Old Friends, Online



Don't you just love the Internet? It is powerful, allowing people to connect with each other in new and meaningful ways.

If you want to know what's going on at Rufus King, go to www.rkhs.org. If you click on "alumni", you'll find information about the Alumni Association activities. The school Web site is designed and managed by Adam Jacobi '95, a current teacher.

If you click on "online directory," you are taken to the Harris Online service, a compilation of the hard-cover directory we published in 2004. If you are not listed there, please add your name and email address. The Alumni Association is using the broadcast email service to keep alumni up to date on our activities. For a small fee of \$9.95 annually, other services like class notes, message boards, job listings, etc. are available to users.

2006 Homecoming a Blast

On October 24, 2006, the homecoming parade included members of the alumni association for the fourth year running. We proudly marched down Sherman Boulevard from McGovern Park to the Custer Stadium and then cheered King to victory over Custer (35-0). Our merry merchants, Barb Piel Pozorski '57 and Jim Jacobi '64, sold blue and gold beads and pompons through the crowd, earning \$132 for the Association. We noticed that young children were among their best customers.



Join Us This September

Come home again on **September 29, 2007**, when King meets Custer. Join the parade in the McGovern Park parking lot at 10:45 a.m. The game begins at noon (note: senior citizens are admitted *free* to the game).



Alumni Association: Mission & Background

The Rufus King Alumni Association began at a meeting of alumni organized by Andy Meuler, King's principal, in February, 2003. Its first accomplishment was an alumni picnic (AlumFest) on Sunday, July 27, 2003 held on the Rufus King athletic field. AlumFests were also held in 2004, 2005, and 2006 and one is scheduled for Sunday, July 22, 2007. AlumFest will be an annual event (fourth Sunday of July) for the Association, along with participation in homecoming activities in the fall.

The Board of the Association has defined its mission: to facilitate communication among alumni and to strengthen their connection to Rufus King High School, promoting school spirit, and supporting the excellence of its programs.

JOIN THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION TODAY! There is an application in this newsletter. Your contribution helps the Association in its mission. If you'd like to help in other ways, please contact an Association board member or call (414) 267-0990.

Get Involved! The **Service to School Committee** is establishing a mentorship program. After meeting with current students to talk about your field of expertise, we will help you stay in touch to further counsel students who are interested in your profession or skilled trade. All communication and visits will be arranged through the committee and the Alumni Association's Web site. If you are interested in dedicating some of your time, or if you want more information, contact Dean Filandrinos '59 at (262) 717-0891 or dfilandrinos@wi.rr.com.

The current members of the Rufus King Alumni Association Board of Directors are:

- Carol Schaefer Broman '57, President
- Joy Market Adams '64, Vice-President
- Jerry Roesch '61, Secretary
- Preston Young '73, Treasurer
- Alvin Baldwin, Assistant Principal in Charge
- Victor Brazil '66
- Jerry Clausing '54
- Richard Cwiklinski '64
- Dean Filandrinos '59
- Gene Gilbert '44
- Dale Gutzman '62
- Catherine Harrison '99
- Adam Jacobi '95
- Eric Jacobi '00
- Jim Jacobi '64
- Lois Kuehn '47
- Mark Lawerenz '67
- Barb Piel Pozorski '57
- David Reinelt '99
- Bärbel Ruppert Stell '82



Rufus King General Woven Afghan Blankets - \$35

E-mail hardyd@milwaukee.k12.wi.us or call (414) 267-0882.

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 27-29, Rufus King Theatre presents its last play of the season, Clive Barker's *The History of the Devil: Scenes from a Pretended Life*. The play, directed by Adam Jacobi '95, is a series of parables of misguided interactions by Satan with humanity, illuminating the playwright's cynical view of humanity as inherently evil and susceptible to suggestion. Tickets are **\$10**, and the play will be presented in the Room 104 Studio Theatre at **7 p.m.** each night. Audiences are warned to expect mature themes and language. Call **(414) 267-0820** or e-mail theatre@rkhs.org.





Join the Alumni Association

I want to join the Alumni Association, with the rank selected below. I will mail this form with check to:

Rufus King Alumni Association, c/o Rufus King High School, 1801 W. Olive St.; Milwaukee, WI 53209-6898

\$10 Corporal \$15 Sergeant \$25 Lieutenant \$50 Captain \$75 Major
 \$100 Colonel \$125 General \$500 General's General Lifetime Membership

Name – First _____ Grad _____ Last _____

Street _____ Apt _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (____) _____ Class _____

E-mail _____

2007 Calendar
May 19, Noon, Annual meeting
July 22, 11 a.m., AlumFest 2007
Sept. 19, 5:30 p.m., Board meeting
Sept. 29., Homecoming
Nov. 21, 5:30 p.m., Board meeting

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