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In Uniform
NDA’s Mission Lives on for Alumnae in the Military
Plaid kilts and polo shirts. Yellow sweaters, red sweaters, and blue sweaters. Gray skirts and vests, blue suits with white blouses, jumpers, and bolero jackets. The school uniform is a natural part of the NDA experience. Some of our alumnae have traded the NDA emblem for another uniform, that of the United States military. The outward sign of the uniform represents the inner values of fidelity, discipline, honor, service, and peace. The stories of war often get the front page attention in our newspapers, but our alumnae serving in the military tell us the rest of the story in this issue of *vita!* Their work is also about rebuilding communities, saving lives, and making peace. In their own words, hear how the NDA mission lives on in their work.

Next year will be NDA’s 160th year. We are the oldest Catholic day school for young women in New England. We have a wonderful legacy and it didn't happen by chance. NDA began as a response to a need for education for girls in Boston and since 1853 we have been making a difference in the lives of young women, and by extension, a difference in communities around the world. All along the way the school’s leadership and dedicated teachers assessed the needs of the times, learned the latest trends in education, evaluated the current state of the school, and continually adapted the programs at the academy. Today is no different.

Our latest re-accreditation process (in 2010) was the most positive in our history with one evaluator saying, “This is exactly what a Catholic school should be.” And so with this firm foundation we entered into a process of planning for the next chapter in our history. Today, we announce NDA’s 2011 Strategic Growth Plan, a document which will, along with our mission, guide our decisions and program development for the next decade. The thoughts and ideas of several hundred members of the NDA community have influenced the priorities stated in our growth plan and will continue to affect changes as we move forward. You will find our 2011 Strategic Growth Plan as the center insert.

Included in this issue as well is the President’s Report on Giving. Notre Dame Academy is blessed to have so many parents, alumnae, and friends who promote our mission by their presence and material support. First and foremost, I want to acknowledge the commitment and expertise of our faculty, staff, and coaches who work each day with our girls. They are the ones who bring all the planning to life, who challenge these young minds, and who form compassionate hearts. Thank you for your support, in myriad ways, which makes a vibrant educational experience possible for nearly 600 young women each year.

*Sister Barbara A. Barry, SNDdeN ’69
President*
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On the cover: Monika Gogola ’00 is an Operational Specialist Petty Officer Second Class with the United States Coast Guard. She is stationed in South Portland, Maine and works in the command center which coordinates all the search and rescue missions from Portsmouth, New Hampshire to the Canadian border. To read about why Monika and other NDA alumnae joined the armed forces, see the story on page 6.

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NDA is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges.
Welcome to NDA!

NDA welcomed 12 new talented faculty and staff members to campus this fall.

Row 1, left to right: Carolyn Powers, Guidance Counselor; Loren Catrambone, Nurse; Stevie Lee Taylor, Director of Alumnae Relations; and Laura Himmelberger, Social Studies; Renee Parry, Science

Row 2, left to right: Jennifer Hornby, Guidance Counselor; Meredith Frank, Admissions Assistant; Courtney Chapman, Social Studies; Jessica Arrendol, Spanish; Marta Cabral, Spanish; Gail Izbicki, French/Latin. Not shown: Kaitlyn Keary, Theology.

Math teacher Chris Bianchi organized two hikes for the faculty and staff this fall. Participants were treated to guided tours of the Blue Hills in Canton and conservation land along the Indian Head River in Hanover.

Social Studies teachers Denise Capitummino and Joan Delany attended the workshop “Through Hiroshima Eyes: Reflections and Art of an Atomic Bomb Survivor” and heard a firsthand account of the day the bomb dropped on Hiroshima.

French teacher Anne Marie Gean attended a two-day College Board workshop for advanced placement teachers.

The Catholic Educators Collaborative hosted a workshop on “The Catholic Church Today” at Stonehill College. The following faculty and administrators attended: Science teacher Marissa Simms, Campus Minister Michelle Kelley, Principal Kathleen Rowley Colin ’89, Assistant Principal Connie Hyder, and Assistant Principal Barbara Mitchell.

Athletic Department staff members Donna Brickley, Bobbie Finn, and Karen Santilli P’08 were re-certified by the American Heart Association in CPR and use of defibrillators.

Nurse Loren Catrambone attended a two day school health conference through Northeastern University’s School Health Institute.

Communications Director Kathryn Quinn Miller ’97 attended a social networking workshop sponsored by the Catholic Schools Foundation.

Faculty and staff attended the Massachusetts Computer Using Educators Annual Conference: technology department members, Catherine Callahan P’14, Michael Minihane, and Kimberly Weckbacher, and faculty members Betty Cheyne, Linda Laborde, and Sue Pratt. Science teacher Renee Parry gave a presentation at the conference and demonstrated innovative ways to use free Google Apps with students to prepare them for collaboration and communication in the 21st century.

Appreciation and Welcome to Board Members

We are pleased to recognize Jennifer Merrigan Fay ’85 P’15, Robin McCarthy Pelissier ’77, and Perry Vieth P’05 ’07 who all completed their terms on the board this year.

NDA’s corporation named two new members to the Board. Douglas Farrington P’11 is a partner with Marcum LLP. He has more than 25 years of experience providing financial advice to a range of industries including construction, health care, and not-for-profit. Mary Carroll Sullivan ’68 is a nurse-bioethicist-attorney who serves as the director of ethics and education at Covenant Health Systems. Prior to this position she worked as an independent consultant offering strategic guidance pertaining to ethics, public policy, corporate policy, and communication.
Japanese-American Internment Discussed

*TallGrass* by Sandra Dallas is this year’s One Book One School selection and the entire school is enjoying various programs to enhance the reading of the book.

In November, Dr. Paul Watanabe of UMass Boston, a leading expert on the Japanese-American internment during WWII, discussed how our knowledge of history impacts the decisions we make today. He shared with the assembly how his own family was removed from their home along with 120,000 other Japanese-Americans. Students asked insightful questions about immigration policy today and threats to their civil liberties. The One Book One School program continues when *TallGrass* author Sandra Dallas comes to campus on February 15, 2012.

Cougars for the Cure

Students initiated a new club this fall, Cougars for the Cure, which will dedicate efforts toward three health issues that significantly affect women: breast cancer, ovarian cancer, and heart disease. In September, students raised more than $700 for ovarian cancer research and showed their support by dressing in teal. October was Breast Cancer Awareness month and a variety of activities were planned to build awareness and encourage support including weekly announcements, an athletics “pink out” when teams and fans wore pink, and a pink dress down day for students, faculty, and staff.

The Volleyball team “goes pink” for breast cancer awareness.

College Search Begins

NDA hosted two college fairs for seniors this fall welcoming representatives from more than 150 colleges and universities from around the country. Admission representatives from several colleges have also been on campus to interview seniors. Colleges included: Providence College, Sacred Heart University, Fairfield University, Saint Anselm College, and Quinnipiac University.
Heritage Scholarship

Each year, NDA’s students, faculty, and staff set out to raise $75,000 to support the Heritage Scholarships. Proceeds from the raffle go directly to funding these four-year scholarships and are one way to ensure that NDA welcomes the best and brightest regardless of financial circumstances.

National Merit Scholars

The following seniors were named Commended Students in the 2012 National Merit Scholarship Program: Emily Atwater, Elizabeth Mardeusz, Michelle Ouellette, and Jacqueline Roche. Commended students placed among the top five percent of more than 1.5 million students who entered the 2012 competition by taking the Preliminary SAT.

Co-Curricular Wrap-Up

NDA has more than 20 different activities and clubs for students. Highlights from the fall included: Model UN attended a conference with more than 300 students from across the state, Junior Classical League participated in an annual Latin trivia and catapult contest, the Future Helpers and Healers Club heard from two nurses who spoke about nursing careers, the NDA Neuroscience Network visited Saint Paul’s School in Hingham and engaged students in hands-on neuroscience activities, and the school newspaper editors decided to print copies of The Medallion rather than to only produce it online.

A+ Athletes

It was a busy fall season for our athletes! All fall sports teams achieved the MIAA Gold Academic excellence award. Varsity Cross Country raised the bar again topping all team GPAs with a 4.04 average. Varsity Soccer came in second with a 3.772. Full results from the fall season will appear in the spring issue of vita!

Immersion Trip Expansion

This year, Campus Ministry expanded its immersion trip opportunities with a trip to New Mexico scheduled for April 2012. Students will serve at “El Ranchito,” a non-profit organization that strives to keep brothers and sisters together as an alternative to foster care. The other two trips available to students include the Respect for All Life trip (in January) to Washington, DC and the Appalachia Service Project in June. vita! will cover these trips in upcoming issues.

MFA Field Trip

More than seventy students traveled to the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston this November. The AP Spanish Language, Honors Spanish IV, and Spanish IV classes learned about Spanish art and history and viewed paintings by El Greco, Velázquez, Zurbarán, and Picasso. The Honors French IV and French IV classes visited the French impressionist exhibit.

Olivia Perry ’14 shows a sheep brain to students at Saint Paul’s School in Hingham.
# Calendar of Events

For a full listing of events, please visit www.ndahingham.com.

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### Save the Date

**Out of the Blue Gala**

**Saturday, March 24, 2012**
Granite Links Golf Club
Quincy, Massachusetts

6:00 p.m. Cocktail Reception
7:30 p.m. Dinner and Live Auction

Sponsorship and advertising opportunities available now!
Individual tickets will go on sale in January. We will sell out!

Visit www.ndahingham.com/gala for more information or call 781.749.5930, ext. 2248.

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Graduates in Military Service Honor the Lessons Learned at NDA

BY ANNE CAMPBELL

“I believe that the mission and purpose of the military are evolving more and more into a mission to serve others. Especially in the Navy, they are using more ships to be first responders for natural disaster relief.”

— CAROLINE LOCKETT ’08
The word service means different things to different people. For members of the Notre Dame Academy community, service is a natural way to live out their baptismal commitment to help others. Encouraging social responsibility is an important part of the school’s mission. Yet, for many people living in the United States the term first brings to mind military service and service to one’s country.

Over the years, many alumnae have gone on to pursue careers in the military, bridging the gap between what might at first seem to be two very different types of service.

“The Hallmarks of a Notre Dame education state that, ‘We foster responsible global citizenship and to that end we commit ourselves to the practice of dialogue, nonviolence, and conflict resolution,’” explains Sister Jean Stoner, SNDdeN who represents the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur at the United Nations.

To promote peace, the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur have been involved in protests against the Vietnam War, the Gulf War, and the Iraq War. One sister helped lead picketing at the White House during the Gulf War and others formed an advocacy group to write letters to Congress objecting to the violence of the war on terrorism.

Stoner explains that the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur are currently working with other non-governmental organizations at the UN “to advocate for a reduction in the excessive amount of money being poured into military efforts and waging of wars around the world.” According to Stoner, this would allow countries to focus more resources on development while still keeping their citizens safe.

**Two different worlds?**

These positions do not necessarily mean that military service is at odds with the values taught at NDA, though.

“In order to have peace and security in our global community, we need persons who are socially responsible for and committed to peace-keeping as part of a country’s military forces,” Stoner says. “Every effort must be made to solve problems and conflicts in a peaceful way, but sometimes the responsibility to protect others by use of armed forces overrides these peaceful efforts. NDA graduates in military service honor this Hallmark in a special way as peacekeepers.”

In fact, NDA and the military stress some of the same important lessons.

“A basic foundational tenet of leadership in the military is service before self,” says Margaret “Peg” DeLuca Klein ’75, a Rear Admiral in the Navy. “My parents and NDA taught me the value of service to others. As I gained experience in the Navy and honed my leadership skills, service to others became one of my guiding principles.”

**Barbara Gillis Taylor ’68**, who spent 28 years in the Army Nurse Corps before retiring in 1999, says she does not see any contradictions between these two worlds. She explains that as an Army nurse she was caring for others and serving her country as well. “The military just kind of put it all together for me,” she says.

According to **Caroline Lockett ’08**, a senior at the Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md., these similarities are growing as the military takes on a more humanitarian role. “I believe that the mission and purpose of the military are evolving more and more into a mission to serve others,” Lockett says. “Especially in the Navy, they are using more ships to be first responders for natural disaster relief. One of my close friends … was on deployment when the earthquake in Haiti occurred, and their orders were immediately changed, and they arrived in Haiti within two days where they worked providing medical care, cleaning streets, and feeding the homeless.”

**Called to serve**

The reasons for joining the military are different for every alumna who has chosen to serve. For some, the interest starts with a family connection to the military.

Taylor’s grandfather served in World War I, and her father and his four brothers all served in World War II. “Service … was always part of our family values,” she says. The opportunity for more advanced nursing education offered by the military was an additional motivation. “Education and service were what interested me most,” Taylor explains.
For others, the military was a chance to expand their horizons. Monika Gogola ’00 joined the Coast Guard after graduating from Merrimack College and working in marketing for two years at a large financial company in downtown Boston. “It dawned on me during one of our team meetings that there is a great big world out there, and I’m stuck riding an elevator and spending most of my time in a cubicle,” she says. “I decided I wanted to become involved in something bigger before I turned the age of my fellow co-workers and had a family of my own. I gave my two weeks notice, plugged my nose, closed my eyes, and literally jumped into the United States Coast Guard waters.”

Gogola just celebrated five years of service this October. “My friends and family still think I’m crazy for pursuing this path, but I found my true joy to be meeting new people, traveling, leaving my comfort zone, and volunteering what free time I have to better myself and help someone else grow.”

Lockett points to the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks as a big reason she chose to pursue military service. “As I watched the news and learned more about who was behind the terrorist attacks, why they attacked, and the actions we were going to take as a nation, I felt a sense of anxiety and wanting to get involved at a young age. I figured the best way would be to join the military,” she explains.

Making the commitment
When a current NDA student is considering applying to one of the U.S. military academies or an ROTC program at the college of their choice, one stop they make is at the school’s guidance department.

Director of Guidance and Academic Programming Joan Perrault says that by the time students talk to her about these options, they’ve usually already thought long and hard about the decision and discussed it with their families. “It’s not a decision they make lightly,” Perrault says.

To make sure, though, she always asks if they’ve prepared for both the academic and physical rigor of the programs and if they’ve thought about the number of years of service that will be required after graduation.

“The young women who go this route understand the commitment they are making, but they feel a call to serve our country,” Perrault says.

Perrault also encourages students interested in attending one of the U.S. military academies to get started early because the application process is much more involved.

Maura Lockett ’08, a science teacher at NDA and the mother of Caroline, said her daughter first expressed interest in the Academy when she was in eighth grade.

“She began her preparation when she entered high school, setting her course to become a competitive candidate for nomination to the Academy,” Maura Lockett says. “She found out what was required and made it her goal to fulfill all those requirements. Because it was her dream to get into the Naval Academy, we supported her all the way.”

Valuable lessons
Alumnae have found that an NDA education prepared them for their military service in a number of other ways.

“NDA taught me many lessons that served me well in the Navy,” Klein says. “Many of the character traits I learned to value through my education at NDA are also valued highly by our military.
GENERATIONS OF CHANGE

The role of women in the military has evolved significantly over the past 60 years, and Notre Dame Academy alumnae have been actively involved in this transition.

When Cathryn Barker ’49G joined the Navy in 1957, the military was still primarily a man’s world. “We were so much in the minority in that timeframe,” Barker says.

During that era, women in the Navy did not go to sea, Barker explains. Instead, they usually worked as nurses or in more administrative roles, like Barker did. “I always thought we had a better deal [than men],” she says, adding that she wasn’t interested in active duty.

Major Jane Sheehan Smith ’57 joined the Women’s Army Corps in 1968, shortly before integration began in the early 1970s. She says that at the time women were very limited in the jobs they could hold, both in and out of the military, but that was starting to change.

In 1973, Sheehan Smith joined the Military Police Corps, and she was one of the first two women to ever go through officer advancement training at the Military Police School. She says there were 128 men in the class, and they had all been in combat. “It was a big change to have to prove the worth of women,” she says.

Sheehan Smith served as an officer in the Military Police Corps until 1988. She says that many times throughout her career when she moved to a new unit she would be the first woman to serve in the unit, and as an officer she would be supervising men, some of whom were afraid to tell their wives they had a female supervisor.

While she was serving in the Military Police Corps, Sheehan Smith was selected for a temporary assignment studying how certain jobs were done differently by men and women, and she had to identify instances of discrimination that she observed. She observed that women weren’t being used for funeral details because it was thought they weren’t up for the task. She suggested they try having women assigned to these details, and it worked. Sheehan Smith says she felt like she had some say in what women should be doing.

“I’ve been fortunate to see it go the whole journey,” Sheehan Smith says of women’s role in the military. “It’s gone from one extreme to another.”

Now, women play a much more active role in the military, with significantly more options open to them.

Rear Admiral Margaret “Peg” DeLuca Klein ’75 graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1981, and went on to become the first female commandant of the Academy, serving from December 2006 to June 2008. During her career, she has logged more than 4,500 flights, participated in Operation Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom, and recently completed a year serving at the Navy’s Middle East headquarters in Bahrain.

“The military is continuously changing and adding programs to enable women from different units, cutters, and sectors to communicate and establish the changes they see fit,” says Monika Gogola ’00, who has served in the U.S. Coast Guard for five years, traveling all over the world from Australia to Alaska. “It’s very empowering to be part of such a strong group of woman that can juggle having their own families and performing tasks that once were only assigned to men.”

Service, respect, and discipline are just three examples. We ‘serve’ our country in the military, we treat each other as family, and we depend on discipline to succeed as a team.”

Major Jane Sheehan Smith ’57R, who joined the Women’s Army Corps in 1968 and served in the Military Police Corps until 1988, says NDA gave her both the discipline she needed to succeed in the military and the desire to work in a role that served others. “[NDA] certainly instilled a sense of responsibility … and honor,” she says.

For Joan Cotter Santoro ’61R P’92, who served in the Navy for two years as a nurse, the values she learned at NDA served as a solid base she was able to build on in the military. “I think NDA … gave me a good foundation to become an adult and what the Navy did was make me stand on my own two feet.”

During her four years in the Navy Nurse Corps, Heather Gartland Mensching ’89 turned to the spiritual lessons she had learned at NDA. “My NDA experience strengthened my faith and spirituality, which was invaluable during the many adverse situations I encountered [in the Navy],” Mensching says. During one of her first assignments in the field, she set up a support group for her fellow nurses on a pediatric oncology ward where she served as a charge nurse. She says the values of faith, compassion, and integrity she developed at NDA helped make this possible.

Cathryn Barker ’49G, who joined the Navy in 1957 and spent 20 years in the military, points out that NDA taught students to do their best and help people. “The military offered you the opportunity to do that all the time,” she says. Barker explains that she took those lessons into retirement as well, working in volunteer administration after retiring from the Navy. “You learn things at NDA that are part of your life forever,” she says.

Special thanks to Mary Ellen Cahill P’13 who took the beautiful photos of the medallion with the American flag. We also want to recognize Shannon Usher ’13 who was our model.
“None of us will ever know what our girls would have accomplished if they had stayed with a traditional high school,” says Stephen LeVangie, father of Angela ’02 and Laura LeVangie Schepman ’98. “I think it is important to give back and support those organizations that have helped shape and develop them.”

Steve and his wife Candy were fixtures on campus for eight years, with Candy chairing the Parent League and Steve supporting the golf tournament annually during its 18 year run. In addition, says LeVangie, “We made sure we were available for all of the social, school, and sporting events that the girls were involved with.” He remembers the Father-Daughter Breakfasts fondly, as “a great way to meet other dads and spend quality time with the girls.”

Today, daughter Laura is a special education teacher. A graduate of Salve Regina University with a master’s degree from the University of San Francisco, Laura and her husband reside in Norwell. Angela, a member of NDA’s first state championship golf team, received her undergraduate degree from Arizona State and is currently working towards her certification as a PGA teaching professional at ASU.

Their father still sees NDAs impact in their “ability to stay focused on a challenge and persevere. They never give up on a task and work hard to accomplish their goals. The values that were reinforced at NDA are evident in their everyday lives.”

Paul and Linda Mulligan, parents of Jillian ’99, are also grateful for their daughter’s Notre Dame experience. Says Paul, “Jill has just evolved into this wonderful person. We see NDA in that in a number of ways.”

Jill earned her undergraduate degree in health and exercise science from Wake Forest University and a master’s degree in nutrition from the University of Bridgeport. In addition to coordinating the non-NCAA fitness and wellness programs for Wake Forest, Jill is a certified personal trainer, the co-author of several fitness books and articles, and the director of instructor training for Metabolic Effect, a holistic fitness and lifestyle company.

During Jill’s years at NDA, the Mulligan house was a hub of NDA activity. “We lived so close to campus, our house was the house, whether it was the soccer team or a dance,” recalls Paul. But it wasn’t until years later that Paul Mulligan, now a member of the Academy’s Board of Directors, began to expand his relationship with the school.

“I think we were so busy then, ourselves,” says Mulligan, explaining how their time spent at NDA “was all about Jill.”

“When I look back on those years, it was more involvement than commitment.”

Mulligan’s commitment to NDA today led to his role as co-chair of the recent strategic growth plan initiative. “I never leave an event or meeting at NDA that I don’t feel good about or that I don’t think about how to do more. This is a place where special things happen.”
It’s all about the girls … to get around them … you are reminded of what your daughter experienced and the benefits you get for it.”

The LeVangies also found motivation to stay involved after the white graduation gowns were retired to the closet. “More parents should be involved at NDA long after their daughters have left because they and their daughters were fortunate to have benefited from the programs offered.”

LeVangie continues, “We support NDA financially because we believe that the services that NDA provides are of great value, not only to the girls, but to the overall community, as well. The greater number of well-educated students NDA sends out into the world, the better off we all will be.

“Candy and I are fortunate that we were able to send our girls to NDA and if we can assist in providing support [now] — to allow some girls to attend who might otherwise not be able to attend due to financial circumstances — we feel this is a worthwhile cause.”

Like the LeVangies, the Mulligans are also regular financial supporters of Notre Dame. Paul concedes that “Supporting the school financially when you’re faced with tuition and college tuition,” is difficult, but “that’s behind us now.”

As a member of the Board, he feels it’s important that families past and present understand that the amount of tuition charged is not sufficient to sustain the type of education offered at NDA. “It’s hard for so many families,” he admits, “But it’s great for those who can give to do so.”

This fall, the LeVangies embarked on yet another chapter in their NDA story, when niece Tara LeVangie enrolled as a member of the Class of 2015. Says Steve LeVangie, “We wish her and her entire class well and hope that someday they will all give back to NDA so that the tradition can continue.”

Adds Paul Mulligan, “Someone did all this before; it’s our job to make that opportunity possible for someone else’s daughter.”

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Paul Mulligan ‘99

Planning Ahead

Consider joining the McAndrew Society

The McAndrew Society honors those who have made Notre Dame Academy part of their legacy through a planned gift. Members of this group have included a bequest provision in a will or trust or provided for NDA through a retirement plan or insurance policy.

Contact Lynn Page Flaherty at 781.749.5930, ext. 2246 or lflaherty@ndahingham.com for more information about how you can use your will, life insurance, or even your IRA to make a difference for NDA students.
Dear Friend,

Each year, Notre Dame Academy students benefit from the generosity of our donors and the President’s Report on Giving acknowledges these individuals and organizations for their contributions. The 2010 – 2011 fiscal year was no exception; your gifts helped NDA:

• Add an additional full-time social studies teacher
• Provide more than $463,000 in outright scholarships and financial aid
• Update 24 sets of desks and chairs for five classrooms
• Provide professional development opportunities for faculty and coaches
• Replace 272 of the original 1965 windows on the back of the building, dining hall, kitchen, and stage area

The support of our alumnae, parents, grandparents, faculty, staff, and friends is an integral part of the student experience. Our young women thrive because of your contributions, and, in turn, give back generously themselves:

• 50 students spent a week renovating homes in West Virginia for the Appalachia Service Project
• Students and faculty teamed up to raise nearly $60,000 to support the Heritage Scholarship program, allowing four more girls to be part of our community
• Recent graduates traveled to Romania, India, and Nicaragua to work with those in need
• Children served by the Codman Square Health Center received more than 500 Christmas gifts from our young women
• Students raised more than $5,000 to support the efforts of the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur in South Africa to build a new school

We are grateful for the resources that allow our students to define their path in the world and make a difference in the lives of others. Thank you for all that you do for Notre Dame and our young women.

With gratitude,

Sister Barbara A. Barry, SND
President

Tabitha LaFarge Ross ’91
Chair, Board of Directors
2010–2011
Financial Overview

Operating Budget  July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011

Revenue  $9,558,389

- Tuition 84.59% *
- Unrestricted Gifts 5.50%
- Contributed Services from the Sisters of Notre Dame 4.98%
- Other Sources 4.93%

* Net of $696,137 financial aid

Expenses  $8,557,847

- Instruction & Student Activities 59.33%
- General & Administrative 15.73%
- Other 11.75%
- Operations & Maintenance 7.39%
- Alumnae Relations, Communications, & Development 5.81%

Philanthropic Profile  July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011

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Gifts by Purpose

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Report includes both new gifts and payments on pledges and does not reflect revenue from alumnae activities or related projects.

Please note that gifts may be counted by more than one constituency.

** Does not include the $58,509 raised by students, faculty, and staff during the 2010 Heritage Scholarship raffle campaign.
The following lists represent donors who made gifts to Notre Dame Academy during the fiscal period of July 1, 2010 – June 30, 2011. We are most grateful for the support of all our donors.

**Fideles Society**
The Fideles Society recognizes alumni, parents, and friends who supported Notre Dame Academy with leadership gifts of $1,000 or more.

**Cornerstone Society**
$100,000 or more
- Frances and Harry Keegan P'84 GP'12 '14
- Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur Estate of Ellenmarie A. Reade '37R
- Francoise Blin de Bourbon Society $25,000 or more
- Diane and Thomas Shipp M D P'13

**Saint Julie Society**
$10,000 to $29,999
- Megan Tonderys Bearce '74

**Namur Club**
$5,000 to $9,999
- Ann and Michael Bevilacqua P'O8

**Catholic Schools Foundation**
Jennifer Merrigan Fay ’85 and Patrick Fay P’13

**Kitty and Timothy Pinch P’02 ’07 ’12**
Andrea and Roger Wade P’11

**Les Fideles**
$1,000 to $2,499
- Anonymous (2)
- Kathleen Ahern '80
- Beverly Alexandre P’96

**Elizabeth and Mark Baker P’10 ’15**
BASF Corporation
- Hannah T. Bearce ’06
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- Stephen Carrier P’13

**Commonwealth Soap and Toiletries Inc.**
Lauren and John Concannon P’13
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- Susan and James Curtis P’06 ’11 ’13

**Rosaria Tomasello DeMatteo ’35R**
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- Debby and Ross Elder P’98
- Walter and Bessie Dilley Family Fund

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- Anne Brennan Fink ’71
- Diane O’Brien Gaudet ’83
- Edward J. Gaudet P’12 ’14
- Dorothy and Terry Green P’12
- Kathleen and James Griffin P’14

**Candy and Stephen LeVangie P’98 ’02**
- Rosemary and John MacKinnon P’88 ’92
- Colleen Kennedy McNulty ’00
- Microtech Staffing Group
- Linda and Paul Mulligan PhD P’99

**NDA Class of 2011**
- Margaret Sheehan Norton ’81 and Michael Norton P’12
- Elizabeth and John Rice P’15
- Adelle Chapman Urbas ’55R
- Patti Ann and Norwin Wolff P’12

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**Giving Clubs**

**Notre Dame Guild**
$500 - $999

**Anderson Insulation**
Virginia and Michael Ayers MD P’13
- Christine and John Battaglia P’08
- Caitlin L. Bearce ’03

**Mary and Peter Bicinas P’04 ’14**
- Margaret and Peter Bicinas P’10

**Annie Clancy Botsch ’55R**
- Margaret Walsh Brauer ’56R
- Cynthia and Roger Brown P’12

**Leslie and Douglas Bryan P’14**
- Mary Ann and Jeffrey Burek P’02

**Kerry Gilmore Burke ’75 P’09**
- The Catholic Foundation

**Kathleen Rowley Colvin ’89**
- Margaret and Francis Colpoys P’08

**Adrienne Cote ’74**
- Anne and Frederic D’Alauro
- Christine and Richard Dalton P’13

**Nancy and Frederick Daly P’02**
- Kathleen Devin Dauphinais ’92 and Edward Dauphinais
- Margaret and Mark Davis P’14
- Kathleen and Brian Desjardins P’15

**Julie and Gregory Douglas PhD P’06 ’09 ’12**
- Marie and Bryan Dunkelberger
- Francesca Eastman ’68

**Nancy Edwards ’65R**
- Jane Good Everett ’62R
- Kathryn Sullivan Everett ’91

**Facing History and Ourselves**
- National Foundation
- Sheila and Lawrence Foley P’91 GP’15
- Amy Fox ’00
- Gannett, Welsh and Kotler
- Linda and Robert Gaudreau P’14

**Nancy Doyle Graham ’68 P’88 ’91 ’93**
- Grantham Mayo van Otterloo & Co. LLC
- Kathleen and Steven Guard P’14

**Habeeb & Associates Architects Inc.**
- Deirdre King Hainsworth PhD ’83
- Ann Marie and Mark Haley P’14

**Debra and Thomas Hoffman P’06**
- Lillian and Jon Holbrook P’12
- Michelle and Stephen Hughes P’14
- Catherine and Joseph Hult P’13

**Institutional Shareholder Services**
- Elizabeth and Michael Jones P’05
- Nancy McClaney Joyce ’61R
- Betsy and Patrick Kelly P’13

**Katie Kenneally Kelly ’65R**
- Joanne Donovan Kelly ’54R
- Suzann and Timothy Kensinger P’14

**Keybank Foundation**
- Monica Landry ’86
- Betsy Hamel Lussier ’71

**Diann and Edward MacCormack P’12**
- Katherine and Brian Maher P’13
- Francis McArdle
- Mary McAvoy ’61R
- Mary Gillen McElroy ’61R P’03
- Catherine and Kurt Morley P’12 ’13 ’15

**Elizabeth Morrison P’02**
- Catherine and Sean Morrissiey P’11
- Diane and Paul Mulkern P’14

**Nancy and Frederick Dunham P’14**
- Susan and Ronald Nagle GP’14
- Narragansett Bay Insurance Company
- Annie and Carl Nelson P’14
- Colleen Nevin ’89
- Carolyn Launey Nolan ’00
- Gayle and Daniel O’Connell P’11
- Michele and Robert O’Leary MD P’13

**Charlene and Stephen O’Sullivan P’11**
- Joan Perrault
- Helen and Paul Pitts P’13

**Matthew H. Power**
- Deirdre and Paul Prescott
- Christine and Michael Puzo P’96 ’98 ’04
- Kathleen and Philip Quillard P’14
- Lisa and James Roche P’12
- Schwab Charitable Fund

**Margaret Sellon**
- Leona McCarthy Sinkus and Stanley Sinkus Jr.
- Mary and Mark Smith P’13

**Sara Smolich ’80**
- Lisa and Sean Stover P’12 ’15

**Virginia and John Sullivan P’10 ’12**
- Eiji Tamura
- Patricia Toce SN DeN
On October 5, NDA hosted an appreciation reception for some of the Academy’s most generous donors: members of the Fideles Society. More than 60 alumnae, parents, and friends gathered in the Gertrude Drey ’43G Foyer for a lively evening celebrating their support.

Maggie Powers’12 spoke to the group about her high school experience and reminded guests that the “small things” at NDA are what make it so special. Courtney Wähe ’02, the featured speaker, told the crowd how her faith was able to “soar” at NDA and that the friendships she made will truly last a lifetime. The evening concluded with remarks by President Barbara A. Barry, SNDdeN’69 who shared the results of the strategic planning process and plans for several new initiatives.

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Bricks & Mortar

Like many families, Notre Dame Academy has a mortgage. Like most businesses, NDA also pays rent on the lease of its space from the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur. In 2003, faced with the need to expand and improve facilities, the Board of Directors examined the possibility of purchasing the 68-acre campus and 169,000 square foot building outright from the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur. The cost was, and remains, prohibitive. But the Academy’s lease agreement was favorable for continuing the lessee relationship while providing for the renovation project through a combination of fundraising (The NDA Advantage Campaign) and financing.

Today, the Sisters of Notre Dame continue to be generous landlords, contributing more than $400,000 annually to offset NDA’s rent commitment. Their generosity, combined with the Academy’s sound financial management, allows NDA to meet its ongoing loan obligations. During the last fiscal year, Notre Dame Academy made payments totaling $783,964 toward principal, including a $600,000 payment to reduce the principal balance, payments not reflected in the operating budget. The current loan obligation runs through 2020.

Housing Costs

Rent: $650,000 (included in General & Administrative)
Interest Payments: $330,615 (included in Other)
TOTAL: $980,615 (11% of the total operational budget)
Mary Knasas ’74
Stephanie William-Kozlowski and
Stephan Kozlowski
Denise and James Laisoa P’11
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamb
Lambert Brothers Partnership LLP
Lambert’s Rainbow Fruit
John Lardy
Susan Leahy ’71
Patricia O’Connell Leary ’46R
Dorene and Ronald Lengyel
Patricia Lennon
Colleen and James Lewis P’14
Lisa M. Light
Meghan Rowley Little ’92
Mary Mulvoy Lofty ’65R
Susan and Edward Logue
Marie Murphy Looney ’33R
Norma Shanley Lord ’51G
Meredith and Gregory Louden
Kerri and David Lovely
Kathleen Shields Lovett ’61R
Joanne Foley Luca ’85
Joan Murphy McCarty ’77
Sheila McCarthy
Mary Ann Stanford McCulley ’66
Rita McDonough P’15
Edward McGlynn
Rosemary and Paul McGowan
Mary McHugh McKelvey ’81 and
James McKelvey P’13
Eleanor Hannigan McKinnon ’44R
Mary McVilla McLaughlin ’40R
Joan McMahon ’49R
Rosa and David McShane P’13
Diane and John Meallo
Maryanne and Peter Merrigan P’85
’87 ’90 GP’15
Kathryn Quinn Miller ’97
Missie’s Lunch
Mary Ann Minardo and William
Litchfield
Bruce Howard Minevitz
Barbara and Paul Mirabito P’14
Mary and James Mohan
Judith Monahan
Erin and Robert Morel P’14
Helen Moroney ’49R
Deidre and Jeffrey Morton P’10 ’12
Carrie and James Murphy P’13
Frances Murphy ’81
Ivanka and Thomas Murphy P’07
Janet and Raymond Murphy P’11
Lillian Dyer Murray ’50G
Jacqueline Barow Natale ’97
Deidre Daley Nectow ’78
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Cheryl Noonan Noblin ’67
Jennifer Norcross
James Norman GP’14
Ellen Curley O’Brien ’61R
Sheilagh Foley O’Brien ’91
Deborah and John O’Brien
Austine Burke O’Connor ’58R
Jane Hartigan O’Connor ’81
Mary Gallagher O’Donnell ’71
Maryellen McEvoy O’Donnell ’61R
Mr. and Mrs. Michael O’Donnell
The O’Driscoll Family
Lois O’Hara ’47G
Marie O’Hara ’44G
Elizabeth O’Hare ’74
Caitlyn O’Keefe
Jane Cass O’Leary ’62R
Mary O’Leary ’41R
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Owens P’14
Alice and Wayne Padula
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Kathleen Healy Palmer ’32R
Jill and Ira Parker
Janet Khee Parnes ’69
Beth and James Perkins
Lyda Peters ’61R
Maureen and Dwight Peterson P’03
’05 ’11 ’13
Sarah Troy Pettrakos ’91
Julie A. McCole Phillips MD ’86
Jennifer Boyle Pichay DO ’92
Barbara and Thomas Piepenbrink P’14
Kathryn Pinch ’02
Richard Plouffe
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Mary Beth and John Powers
Queen Anne Wine and Spirits
Barbara Rafferty ’50R
Jaskaran K. Randhawa ’06
Eleanor Ratto
Karen and Francis Ratto P’11 ’13
Kate Reardon
J. Calder Smart Reardon and
Thomas Reardon
Sarah Reardon
Julie Lamb Rice ’77
Celine Burke Richardson ’60R
David Richmond
Patricia Foyes Roach ’80 and Richard
Roach P’09 ’11
Jacquelyn Roche ’12
Ross Engineering
Richard Rougeau
Mary and Frank Rudewicz
Mary Alessi Russo ’61R
Maryanna and Robert Ryan
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Christine and Joseph Salvucci P’09 ’11
Judy Scales
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Paula Pucillo Schenkel ’74
Carol Cote Schneider ’70
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Ursula and Egon Schulthe
Mary and Hugh Sease P’11
Michelle and Paul Sharry P’12
Deidre Fleming Shea ’92
Margaret Bushlow Shea ’60R
Ann Leahy Sheehan ’50
Giovanna and Michael Sheehan P’14
Kathleen Sheehan
Susan Sigbee
Sarah Sinkus
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Geri and Geoffrey Smith
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Smith P’97 ’07
Jane Sheehan Smith ’57R
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Jo-Ann Messina Stadelman ’70
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Kelly and Paul Stanislawsky
Mary Louise Stebbins ’58R
Jacqueline Brawley Sullivan ’51R
Joseph Paul Sullivan GP’00 ’03 ’07 ’13
Rosemary Dervan Sullivan ’58R
Kerry Sweeney-Mowry ’81

† deceased  Bold = ≥ 5+ consecutive years of giving  G = Granby Street Alumna  R = Roxbury Alumna  P = Parent  GP = Grandparent

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Small social studies classes allow us to prepare students effectively for college and, more importantly, Sister Barbara shared, “By managing our finances wisely and through the generous contributions of our donors, we were fortunate to have the resources to hire an additional faculty member this fall. Smaller social studies classes allow us to prepare students effectively for college and, more importantly, to be responsible global citizens.”

Interest in Social Studies Results in New Hire

According to the National Center of Educational Statistics, social sciences / history is one of the top five college majors. This strong interest in government, history, current events, global affairs, and politics is also a trend at NDA. In fact, the Social Studies Department teaches more students than any other academic department.

Department Chair Marie Hoy shares, “Many seniors choose to double up in Social Studies courses, taking both Psychology and Government, or Government and World Affairs. Some students even take all three electives as seniors! Offering more senior sections meant that other Social Studies classes had a higher number of students than we would have liked.”

Responding to the student demand, Sister Barbara A. Barry, SNDdeN ’69, president of the Academy, made the decision to hire an additional social studies teacher. At a time when other non-profit organizations are cutting programs and staff, adding an employee to the payroll demonstrates NDA’s fiscal health.

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Claire Vignaux Khalil
Kathleen Shields Lovett
Charlotte McNeil Mastroianni
Mary McAvey
Mary Gillen McElroy P’03
Theresa C. McLeod MD
Paul St. Katherine Murphy SNDdeN
Ellen Curley O’Brien
Maryellen McCloy O’Donnell
Lyda Peters
Mary Alessi Russo
Mary Vallevy
Judith Ward SNDdeN
Honey Cahill Wood

1962 Roxbury
Jane Good Everett
Evelyn Brawley Hardiman
Rosemary Bennett MacQuarrie

1963 Roxbury
Jane Cass O’Leary
Ellen Lawlor Ugi
Jeanne Gemmel Wasson

1964 Roxbury
Elizabeth McBride Backstrom
Carolyn Combie Dolan
Patricia Goldberg Paolucci
Lois Whelan

1965 Roxbury
Ann Boyle Camera
Nancy Edwards
Laraine Lamond Frisbee
Mary lou Gens Greene

1967
Kathleen Fleming
Geraldine Regan Jackson
Anne Malone SNDdeN
Cheryl Noonan Noblin
Gertrude Whelan

1968
Kathryn Anastasia
Francesca Eastman

1969
Barbara A. Barry SNDdeN
Constance A. Coleman
Virginia M. Hamel
Dorothy Niland
Janet Keefe Parnes
Patricia Costello Quintiliani

1972
Jane Malloy Corry P’00
Katherine Fogarty
Susan Fuller

1973
Kathleen Fenn Gaughan P’06

1974
Megan Tonders Bierce P’03 ’06
Adrienne Cote
Margaret McDonagh Gallagher
Mary Knasas
Elizabeth O’Hare
Joanne Knasas Pretti P’05
Paula Pucillo Schenkel
Kathleen Tyrell

1975
Kerry Gilmore Burke P’09
Patricia White

1976
Regina Aries
Jane Dever Barry
Maryanne Ahern Donald
Susan Shaughnessy Harrison P’02
Marie Lamb Leigh
Diane McSweeney
Gail McDonough Schenone
Mary O’Keeffe Tischler
Mary Beth Vargus
Maryann Wattendorf

1977
Patrice Carroll
Susan Karle Ferguson
Maureen White Hemingway
Ellen Ferriter McAllister P’11
Joan Murphy McCarthy
Robin McCarthy Pelissier
Barbara Ratto
Julie Lamb Rice

1978
Kelli Rose Calhoun
Patricia Callahan Dransfield
Ellen Gilmore
Deborah Ryan Looney
Deirdre Daley Nectow
Julie Sullivan Sorgi P’06 ’08 ’13

1979
Diane Duggan
Ann Pellagrini

1980
Kathleen Ahern
Cynthia Giordani Ciardello
Annemarie Lynch Kenneally P’13 ’15
Elizabeth Pasciuco
Patricia Foyes Roach P’09 ’11
The 2010–2011 President’s Report on Giving

Space Improvements

September at NDA is always a time of new beginnings – empty notebooks and sharpened pencils, a new backpack and a neatly pressed kilt. This year, students were also greeted by new tables and chairs in five classrooms and new windows throughout the entire building; improvements that would not have been possible without the generous support of alumnae, parents, and friends.

The desks are designed for collaborative learning and can easily be placed in circles. Theology teacher Kate Carter appreciates this flexibility. “I tend to change my classroom set-up almost every day depending on the topic or activity that students are working with. The new desks have made my classroom much more user-friendly.”

The window project (which began in summer 2010) was completed this August and now all the windows and shades in the building are replaced. Classrooms and offices are much brighter and the building’s energy efficiency was enhanced.

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The Sunflower Society celebrates any alumna who makes a gift to the Academy before her fifth reunion.

Vita!
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Faculty & Staff

Faculty and staff have always played an important role in supporting ND. The following list includes those who made gifts as well as those who sold Heritage Scholarship raffle tickets.

Lynne Artz P’06
Barbara A. Barry SNDdeN ’69
Mary Janice Bartolo SNDdeN
Susanne Beldotti
Christopher Bianchi
Patricia Bologna
Donna Brickley
Miriam Brownewall P’94 ’95
Linda Cahill
Denise Capitummino
Kate Carter
Elizabeth Cheyne
Kathleen Coghlan
Kathleen Rowley Colin ’89
Kristin Connolly
Marie St. Barbara Connolly SNDdeN
Robert Darling
Kimberly Delaney
Theresa Delaney P’99
Joan Delany
Antoinette Fidler
Bobbie Finn
Lynn Page Flaherty
Anne Marie Gean
Marylin Gilboy P’92
Michael Goldman
Robert T. Groover
Lindsay Gatto Harr ’03
Karen Hawthorne
Paul Himmelrick
Marie Hoy
Rita Hurley
Constance Hyder
Steven Joyce
Richard Kates
Michelle Kelley
Patricia Kottoulas P’96
Michael R. Kreckie
Linda Laborde
Linda Laque P’06 ’09
Maura Lockett P’08
Rosemary MacKinnon P’88 ’92
Lisa Marder
Marianne Martin
Thomas Martin
Gina Mathews

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Anderson Insulation Co.
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Catholic Schools Foundation
College Planning Solutions LLC
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Diversified Merchant Services
DJI Equipment & Construction Co. Inc.
DP Nail Spa
Electro Switch Corp.
Lyn Evans for Potpourri Designs
Falcon Lock and Safe Service
Federal Home Loan Bank Boston
Fidelity Foundation Matching Gifts to Education
Fours Boston
Fry Corporation
Gallagher and Associates PC
Gannett Welsh and Kotler
Google Matching Gifts Program
Grantham Mayo van Otterloo & Co. LLC
Habeeb & Associates Architects Inc.
Hannafords Helps Schools
Making a Difference

Philanthropic support – from alumnae, parents, past parents, and friends – makes the difference at Notre Dame Academy. “Our community knows that there’s no such thing as a ‘basic’ NDA education,” explains Director of Institutional Advancement Lynn Page Flaherty. “Our students deserve the very best opportunities to grow in faith and character, as well as more traditional scholarly pursuits.” That support helps bridge the difference between tuition revenue and the actual cost of education at the Academy.

In the past five years, the difference between tuition revenue and the actual cost of education has fluctuated between 6% (for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011) and as much as 12%. While a general rule of thumb would suggest that the number should be a simple comparison of the total revenue generated by tuition against the school’s operating budget, the accountants among us understand that the actual calculation is a bit more nuanced.

For instance, the operating statement, while a valuable glimpse into the financial management of the school, doesn’t reflect some of the very necessary expenses incurred each year. Capital expenses like new windows, principal payments on the school’s mortgage – essential outlays – are part of the Academy’s balance statement.

Flaherty continues, “We know that we need to raise approximately $2,000 per student each year to provide the type of educational experience worthy of Notre Dame Academy.”
Denise H. L. W. 2011

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Gifts made in their name.

honored this past fiscal year with

Judy and Tom Varney P'14

Wheatstone Engineering & Consulting

George Washington Tom Sullivan

Sullivan Tire

Wells Financial Partners LLC

† deceased

W inifred Ryan '49R

D ianne Reilly P’98 ‘00 ‘09

A nne Lynch P’80 ‘84

Francis Larsten GP’99

Margaret Seldon

Jane and John Spatola P’01

Margaret Seldon

Catherine Spatola ‘01

Marguerite Russell Wallace ‘48G

Joan Joyce ‘48G

Gifts in Memory

The individuals listed in blue were honored this past fiscal year with gifts made in their name.

Barbara A. Barry SNDdeN ‘69

Jane Dever-Berry ‘76

Maureen Regan P’01

Mary McGivern Bell ‘61 P’88 ’97 ’03

Maura Bell Boucher ‘88

Kathleen Rowley Coln ’89

Maureen Regan P’01

Karen Gaughan P’99

Margaret Seldon

Francis Gaughan P’99

Margaret Seldon

Jennifer Seldon

Margaret Seldon

Margaret Bonner

Virginia Bowker ‘61 and Christopher Bowker P’89 ’94 ’97

Virginia M. Hamel ’69

Elizabeth and Mark Harbaugh

Erik Johnson

Linda and Gerald Jones

Marilyn McIntyre LaRosa ‘59R

Margaret Lynch

Carol and William MacNeill

Maureen Madell

Randye and Randy Masel

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Shea

Mary Carroll Tibbetts ‘41G

Celeste and Thomas Wolfe

Janet Field-Pickering ‘72

Ann Morrison SNDdeN ‘58R

Florence Gaughan GP ’99

Margaret Seldon

Katherine Gaughan ‘99

Margaret Seldon

Priscilla Gaughan

Julia and Thomas Gaughan

Marguerite White Hamel ‘43G

Virginia M. Hamel ’69

Roberta Hawkes ‘71

Laurie Baird Ducey ‘71

John Henderson

Margaret Seldon

Nora Henderson GP’99

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Henderson

Margaret Joyce

J. Louise and Robert Kelly

Mary and Thomas Kelly P’02

Dorothy and Gerald Kenny

Elaine Lombardi

Walter Lowry

Patricia Mahoney

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Mannix

Mary and John McDonough

Fore River Club 9:15 a.m.

Exercise Class

Margaret and Paul Norton

Cynthia Parfumorse

Margaret Seldon

Irene Sturtz

Paula and James Timmons

Mary and Timothy Welch P’92

Sister Ellen Mary Hickey SNDdeN

Helen and Richard Hickey

Mary Himelrick

Regina Aries ’76

Sister Mary of the Immaculate Conception SND

Louise Fogarty Kenneally ’49R

Gertrude Nolan McCormack ’18

June Wright

Margaret McDonagh

Margaret McDonagh Gallagher ’74

Carolyn Villari McGahee ’58R

Ann Morrison SNDdeN ‘58R

Anna Meade McGivern

Maura Bell Boucher ’88

Veronica Murphy ’53R

Mary Murphy Clausen-Corcoran ’53R

Juan L’Ecuyer O’Keefe ’41G

Louise Borchert and Frank Sullivan

Susan Russo

Mary Roth

Daryl O’Donnell Ramsey ’69

John Seldon

Margaret Seldon

Elizabeth Shields ’01

Virginia Parker

Sally Rusotto

Ann Mullaney Skelly ’58R

Ann Morrison SNDdeN ’58R

Elizabeth Sullivan GP ’00 ’03 ’07 ’13

Mary and James Cahill P03 ’13

Joseph Paul Sullivan GP ’00 ’03 ’07 ’13

Jennifer Wallace ’95

Carine Cachecho Berner ’95

Michelle Webster ’95

Mary E. Wynne P’54 ’56

Sheila Wynne ’54

McAndrew Society

The McAndrew Society honors those who have made NDA part of their legacy through a planned gift.

Megan Tondersky Bearce ’74 P’03 ’06

Mary C. Bishop ’25 †

Agnes Rennie Bryant †

Margaret Corr ’38 †

Margaret McCabe Curtis ’31 †

Kathleen Cobb Daly †

Rev. Timothy J. Danahy †

Anna F. Doherty ’34 †

Gertrude Drey ’43 †

Mary-Louise Kearney Finigan ’32

Jean M. Finneran ’76

Jane Maynes Gaddis †

Louise C. Galvin †

Marie Glennon ’21 †

Adele A. Graf †

Cheryl and Mark Guidoboni P’10

Ida Finn Hackett ’19 †

Walter D. Howe †

Rose Eilene Kearney ’37 †

Mary G. Kelley

Carmela F. Lauro †

Adeline H. Lear †

Patricia Rausus MacAskill ’41 †

Donald MacRae †

Mary A. Mahan †

Agnes B. Maloney ’24 †

Madeline McAndrew ’26 †

Roger J. McCormick

Mary Ganley Montanari ’71

Florence Roma Murphy †

Carolyn Laurie Nolan ’00

Frank S. O’Hara †

Mary Owens †

Catherine Hayes Quelly ’35

Ellenmarie Read ’37 †

Helen Ryan ’41 †

Margaret M. Sallaway †

Mary Dunn Schreiner ’29 †

Germaine B. Sgarzi †

Marie Noble Stapleton ’50

Anne M. Sullivan †
1932
Mary-Louise Kearney Finigan and her daughter Jane Rakip attended the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

1938
Ann Finnegan Looney was pleased to attend the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

1939
OIA NOTE: We were pleased to see Agnes Connell Colpoys at the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House. The event was only a few weeks before her death and we are glad she had the opportunity to connect with her alma mater one last time.

1941
CLASS AGENT
Isabelle Hurley Walsh
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1942 REUNION
CLASS AGENT
Elizabeth McCarthy Grimes

OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 70th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please call Director of Alumnae Relations Stevie Lee Taylor at 781.749.5930, ext. 2247.

1943
The class of 1943 Roxbury was represented by Margaret Joyce McCarthy at the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

1944
CLASS AGENT
Eleanor Hannigan McKinnon
Eleanor Hannigan McKinnon was pleased to attend the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

1945
CLASS AGENT
Position Available

1946
In September, Mary White joined fellow Granby Street alumnae at the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon at Phillips Old Colony House. She attended with her sister Anne White ’52G.

1947 REUNION
CLASS AGENT
Janet LaPoint Manning
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Please send prayers to Mary Appleton Dandrow ’47R who lost her husband Robert in August. Jeanne Watson Clifford and Mary Hogan Livingston attended the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House. OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 65th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations Stevie Lee Taylor at staylor@ndahingham.com or 781.749.5930, ext. 2247.

1948
CLASS AGENT
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Frances Cook Patrick joined other Roxbury alumnae at the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

1949
CLASS AGENT
Patricia O’Neal Schmitt
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1950
CLASS AGENT
Joanne Roland McCarthy
jjmessa@beld.net
The class of 1950 Roxbury sends best regards to all at Notre Dame. Please note that we are planning our annual reunion on May 23, 2012 at Woodland Country Club in Newton/Auburndale, MA. If you have any suggestions or news please contact Joanne Roland McCarthy.

Our condolences go out to Patricia Nally Tagney who lost her husband on October 5. Please keep Pat and her family in your prayers during this time of sorrow.

1951
CLASS AGENT
Isabel Drake Wolf
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3559 SW 86th Street
Gainesville, FL 32608

Isabel wrote to us sharing many updates on the class of ’51. Marie Deignan Dempsey, class president, has moved from Concord to Sudbury. Marie and Grace Courtney Kelly meet for snowbird lunches in South Florida. Mary Lou Benson and Grace also catch up with NDA news in sunny Florida. Joan Phelan Albrethsen and her husband are having medical problems. Please keep them in your thoughts.

Isabel and her family are enjoying life in Gainesville. Her family, including eight children and 14 grandchildren, is scattered along the east coast. She’s looking forward to her trip to the Cook Islands and New Zealand to visit her daughter, Erika, who is a professor of art history at the University of Otago in Dunedin.

Our prayers go out to Maureen Kennedy Leahy ’51G who lost her sister, Eleanor Kennedy Winn ’46G, in May.

OIA NOTE: Please keep Isabel Drake Wolf and her family in your prayers. Her husband’s grandson was recently killed while serving in Afghanistan. He left behind a wife and young child.

1952 REUNION
CLASS AGENT
Position Available

Annie White attended the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in Sep-tember at Phillips Old Colony House with her sister Mary White ’46G.

OIA Note: Save the date! Your 60th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations Stevie Lee Taylor at staylor@ndahingham.com or 781.749.5930, ext. 2247.

1953
CLASS AGENT — GRANBY STREET
Rita Greene Sullivan
CLASS AGENT — ROXBURY
Gloria Spriano O’Connor

NDA IN FLORIDA
SAVE THE DATE!

We are pleased to announce that Sister Barbara A. Barry, SNDDeN ‘69 and members of the Office of Institutional Advancement will head south in February. We will be in Naples, Florida and hope you can join us for a light luncheon on Wednesday, February 8 at noon to hear from Sister Barbara about NDA today.

Our “snowbird” mailing list is incomplete; if you would like to know more about NDA’s plans in Florida, please add yourself to our list by emailing alumnae@ndahingham.com or calling 781.749.5930, ext. 2247.
1954
CLASS AGENT
Carolyn Nash Blair
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OIA NOTE: Our sympathies to Joan Ward Hurley on the loss of her brother John Ward.

Our thoughts are with Carolyn Nash Blair who lost her husband Donald in July.

Members of the Granby Class enjoyed a mini-reunion at the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House. The following alumnae attended: Mary Sharkey Biggio, Carolyn Nash Blair, Mary Ellen Monahan Curtis, Joan Ward Hurley, Carol Fencer Kepper, Carol Brugma Melley, Claire Smith, Marie McNulty Whitaker. Joan Donovan Kelly and Kathleen Burns Ryan, members of the Roxbury class, enjoyed their time at the luncheon re-connecting with many of the alumnae in the room.

1955
CLASS AGENTS
Anne Clancy Botsch
Sheila Sullivan Henaghan
shenaghan@aol.com

Five members of the Roxbury class attended the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House: Sheila Sullivan Henaghan, Sarah Reilly, Catherine McCloskey, Mary Quirk McCormick, and Eleanor Brenn Moinhian.

1956
CLASS AGENTS
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Maureen Murphy McMahon
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Barbara London Ryan
Furlawz@aol.com
Virginia Burchill Shannon

1957 REUNION
CLASS AGENT
Patricia Fagan Arnold
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Our condolences go out to Patricia White Hull who lost her husband, Roy, in August.

Also, our prayers go out to Elaine Stephens McLean whose husband, Joseph F., passed in September.

Please keep Jane MacDonald McGregor in your thoughts. Her aunt Mary O’Brien ’38R passed in September.

Mary Carty, Mary Brennan Devin, Elynor Hartley Harrington, and Carol Cosky Treciokas attended the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 50th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations Stevie Lee Taylor at staylor@ndahingham.com or 781.749.5930, ext. 2247.

1958
CLASS AGENTS
Mary Pat Kelly Bartsch
Anne Reardon Gildea
Adele Chapman Urbas

Our prayers go out to Suzanne Whittmore Barclay who is battling health issues.

Six members of the class attended the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

1959
CLASS AGENT
Position Available

Diane Erickson, Mary Fleming, Ruth Hanson Lutts, and Dorothy Conway O’Connell attended the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

1960
CLASS AGENT
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1961
CLASS AGENTS
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Mary Gillen McElroy
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Prudence Young Darigan writes, “I have just finished reading Claire Vignaux Kahili’s tribute to Sr. Louise Julie, SND, in the summer issue of Vital, and realized that due to the restrictions on religious of her day, I know very little about this wonderful woman who affected my life so deeply. Although I remained somewhat in touch with her until her death, I have no knowledge about what influences shaped the person that she was to become. I hope it might be possible to get more information about her personal and artistic background, as well as what happened to her and her creations after Notre Dame moved to Hingham. It would also be great to hear from those who have memories as wonderful as mine. I can be reached at pdarigan@aol.com.”

Our prayers go out to Sister Judith Ward who lost her brother John recently.

Mary Gillen McElroy was pleased to attend the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

August 20 was a beautiful day on the south shore, much to the delight of the families of Mary McGivern Bell and Mary Gillen McElroy. Both had a daughter — Katherine Bell and Rachel McElroy — both members of the class of 2003 who were married that day. Congratulations!

1962 REUNION
OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 50th reunion is coming up on April 27 & 28, 2012!

Members of the class gathered for a mini-reunion this September at the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon at Phillips Old Colony House. Alumnae in attendance included: Jane Osborn Everett, Barbara Accaputo Gallagher, Evie Brawley Hardiman, Rosemary Bennett Macquarrie, and Ellen Lawler Ugi.

ALUMNAE SERVICE AWARD

It’s not too late to nominate an outstanding woman for the 2012 Alumnae Association Service Award. This award is given biannually to an alumna or member of the NDA family who exemplifies the spirit of Saint Julie Billiart. Nominees are evaluated on several criteria, including: significant contribution to the community in which she lives; dedication and commitment in service to the NDA community; and reflection in personal life of the spirit of Saint Julie Billiart.

Nominations are due by Friday, January 6, 2012.

To submit nominations please visit www.ndahingham.com/alumnae.
1963
CLASS AGENT
Sandra Wysong Deneault
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Helen Burke Baird and Sandra Wysong Deneault were pleased to attend the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House.

1964
CLASS AGENTS
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Karen Mulloney Rattin
Maureen White
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1965
CLASS AGENT
Mary Mulvoy Loft
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The class was represented by Cornelia Kelley-LaCambria at the Granby Street-Roxbury Luncheon in September at Phillips Old Colony House. Also, our condolences to Cornelia who lost her brother-in-law this fall.

1966
CLASS AGENTS
Catherine Coccimiglio
cocc17@verizon.net
Mary Ann Stanford McCulley
mamcculley@hotmail.com

1967 REUNION
CLASS AGENT
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OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 40th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations.

1968
CLASS AGENT
Position Available
We received word that the Laboure Center Fashion Show, which took place on September 25 at the UMass Boston campus, was a huge success. Kathy Bennett and niece Kelli Bennett McCarthy ’14 both modeled and Anne Louise Bennett Hicks ’65 co-chaired the event. It was a wonderful family day.

1969
CLASS AGENT
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1970
CLASS AGENT
Mary Barry

1971
CLASS AGENTS
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1972 REUNION
CLASS AGENTS
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OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 35th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations.

1973
CLASS AGENTS
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1974
CLASS AGENT
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Our prayers go out to Paula Pucillo Schenk whose father, Gerald, passed on October 29.

1975
CLASS AGENTS
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Paula Carroll Pozniak
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Maria Gillis Read
Maureen Sullivan
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1976
CLASS AGENTS
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Mary Beth Vargas
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1977 REUNION
CLASS AGENTS
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OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 30th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations.

1978
CLASS AGENT
Dianne Chase
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Please send prayers to Anita Horne Lawlor who lost her husband Edward in August.

1979
CLASS AGENTS
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Rita McNulty Taugh
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1980
CLASS AGENTS
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Michelle McGee
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Shelagh Foley Sullivan
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1981
CLASS AGENTS
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Lauren Murphy Tobin
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Our prayers go out to Fran Giblin who lost her mother on October 17.

1982 REUNION
CLASS AGENT
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OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 30th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations.

1983
CLASS AGENTS
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Jeanne Higgins
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1984
CLASS AGENTS
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Jennifer McDermott Lance
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Our prayers go out to Joanne Pucillo Damico whose father, Gerald, passed on October 29.
1985

CLASS AGENTS
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The class of 1985 could have a reunion during morning dropoff each day, as NDA welcomed Mari Fay (daughter of Jennifer Merrigan Fay) and Ariana Graziano (daughter of Christine Domino Graziano) to the freshman class. Jen Clary Rohnstock is an old hand at this, as daughter Julie is now a senior. Our prayers go out to Lisa Pucillo Cosgrove whose father, Gerald, passed on October 29.

1986

CLASS AGENTS
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Mary Furlong Healey
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Kara Sullivan Lynch
karalynch@comcast.net
Laura Duksta, an inspirational speaker and children’s book author, returned to NDA in October and spoke to students about how their biggest challenges can become their biggest blessings. She also met with several classes and small groups and discussed writing and publishing. "Laura Duksta’s talk was inspiring and it depicted how love and support gives you the strength to deal with what life throw s at you," said senior Diane O'Brien Gaudet '83.

Our prayers go out to Andrea Karle Sullivan and her cousin, Maura Cieslik. Andrea’s father, Harold, passed in September and her mother is seriously ill. Please keep her and her family in your prayers as her mother is seriously ill.

1988

CLASS AGENTS
Amy Graham Delaney
delaneynpn@yahoo.com

Congratulations to Nicole Selvaggio Burrill who published her first novel, Winter Bom. One review declared, “The beauty of Winter Bom is that whether you are looking for a delicious page turner that you won’t put down - a plot driven by incredible character development or a novel that will leave you reflecting on a transformational journey and choices the characters make throughout the book, you are in for an incredible treat.”

Several classmates gathered with their kids for a pool party. Check out the photo to see Tricia Rennie Guilbeault, Anna Beaton Murphy, Nicole Burrill, and Christina Faunce Deignan.

1989

CLASS AGENTS
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Tracy Ciulla-Monteiro is pursuing her CAGS in School Administration and teaching US History at Brockton High School. Tracy is married with two daughters and a boy (Susana, 17; Isabelle, 14; and Gabriel, 11).

OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 29th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations Stevie Lee Taylor at staylor@ndahingham.com or 781.749.5930, ext. 2247.

1990

CLASS AGENT
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1991

CLASS AGENTS
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Sherlag Foley O'Brien
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Tabitha LaFarge Ross
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Cheryl Arlanson Russo
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Susan Graham was married to Todd Bairstow on June 24. Many NDA alumnae were present including her mother, Nancy Doyle Graham ’68, her sisters, Amy Graham Delaney ’88 and Lisa Graham Ballantine ’93, and her cousins, Sarah ’07, Jena ’14, and Samantha Doyle ’14. The ceremony was held at St. Cecilia’s Church in Boston and the reception was held at the New England Aquarium. Cheryl Arlanson Russo and her husband Christopher recently welcomed son Daniel. Daniel’s big sister Lucy is already a Playdate NDA regular, so we can’t wait to meet Daniel, too.

1992 REUNION

CLASS AGENTS
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Amy Hunter
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Theresa Santoro Schaffer
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Susan Murray and her husband Mike welcomed their first child on Mother’s Day. Son Luke Matthew Murray was born on May 8 weighing in at 8lbs, 7oz and 21 inches.

OIA NOTE: Save the date! Your 20th reunion is coming up in April 2012. If you have ideas or suggestions or would like to be a part of your Reunion Planning Committee please contact your class agent or the Director of Alumnae Relations Stevie Lee Taylor at staylor@ndahingham.com or 781.749.5930, ext. 2247.

1993

CLASS AGENTS
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Nicole Anderson Cox
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Erica Retteman Welch

1994

CLASS AGENTS
Erin Wall Brighton
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Jennifer Mackin Gustafson
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Tracy Ciulla-Monteiro

Diane O’Brien Gaudet ‘83

Laura Duksta

Andrea Karle Sullivan

Maura Cieslik
Jill Gurnon married her best friend Jim on August 27. Jill and her husband live in Mansfield and are on cloud nine. Sam Kelly Lombard was also in attendance.

Liz Shanley Casal and her husband Joe welcomed their first child, Thomas Gerard, on February 15. Liz, Joe, and Thomas live in Hingham.

Tia Gardner Ivanko and her husband Cory welcomed their first child, Tatyana Mila Ivanko, on August 28, 2010. The Ivanko family resides in Roselle, New Jersey.

Our condolences go to Stacy and her family.

1995 CLASS AGENTS
Elizabeth Banker Costello ebanker@beld.net
Jennifer Howley D’Ambra jennhowl@yahoo.com
Marianne Kroha marianne_kroha@yahoo.com
Nicole Palermo Rooney Jennifer Murray Rooney and her husband Conrad welcomed Jack Michael on July 12.

Congratulations to Tracy Flynn who married Andrew Jenter on September 17, 2011, at his family’s home in Twin Lakes, CT. They live in Brooklyn, NY.

Kirsten Hughes was featured in the September issue of Boston Magazine. Kirsten was also elected to the Quincy City Council this November and will represent ward 5.

1996 FALL REUNION
CLASS AGENTS
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Adrienne Fowkes Ramsey aramsey@babson.edu
Jennifer Schraut jenschraut@gmail.com

OIA Note: A big thanks to Adrienne Fowkes Ramsey for organizing the NDA Family & Friends team for this year’s Race for the Cure. The race was ultimately cancelled due to the Halloween Nor’easter but we applaud Adrienne’s efforts!

1997 CLASS AGENTS
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Elizabeth Condon Driscoll elizabethadrdiscoll@comcast.net
Erin Fontana efont8yo@yahoo.com
Amy Flynn Doherty graduated from Catholic University in 2009. She married Adam Doherty this past June at the Gate of Heaven Church in South Boston. The happy couple now resides in Pembroke.

Congratulations to Meaghan Smith Pentleton who married James Pentleton (Xaverian Brothers Class of ’96) in June in a destination wedding in the Caribbean.

Jessica Bradbury Adams joined the NDA staff as the assistant varsity basketball coach. She previously worked at Emerson College as the Assistant Athletic Director where she served as a liaison between the athletic department and alumni, faculty, and admissions.

1998 CLASS AGENTS
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Claire Duffy-Finn claireduffyfinn@gmail.com
Allison Quinn Guido quinn_a33@hotmail.com
Lindsay Worshock-Caron jetersgirly@aol.com

Kathleen Burke Matthews, and her husband Paul, welcomed their son, Patrick Joseph, on August 9, 2010. Congratulations to Tanis Gray, whose first book Knit Local recently hit shelves. The book showcases thirty beautiful fashion, accessory, and home décor projects made with yarns manufactured and sold right here in North America. Tanis, an expert knitter, stresses the wisdom of preserving local businesses, protecting the environment, and treating livestock humanely while tracing the journey of her yarns “from sheep to skien.” As informative as it is inspiring, this book is above all a stunning fashion source, with gorgeous projects that will leave you feeling good and looking even better.

1999 CLASS AGENTS
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Nicole VonDette recently started a child photography business that specializes in newborn, baby, child, and family natural light photography in the Boston area. Services are provided in the convenience of your home. Please visit www.nicolevondettephotography.com to learn more!

Kristin Delaney Zides and her husband Andrew announced the birth of their daughter, Alessandra Maria Zides, on January 2. Pictures of Alessandra were taken by classmate, Nicole VonDette.

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Courtney Madden courtney_madden@hotmail.com

2001 FALL REUNION
CLASS AGENT
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Sarah E. Muller and Timothy J. Flynn were married on February 19 in St. Mary’s Church in Charlestown. Among Sarah’s attendants were Maura McSharry and Kelly Gibson. A reception was held at the Boston Harbor Hotel. Sarah and Tim traveled to Hawaii for their honeymoon and are currently living in Boston.

Congratulations to Alexis Battikha Kristof on her September 3 wedding at the Milton Hoosic Club. Her bridesmaid Nicole Wessen Cushman and fellow classmate Michelle Borden Penney and Andrea Cavicchi were among those in attendance.

2002 CLASS AGENTS
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Jillian Harrison jillharrison@gmail.com

AC Gaughen was named one of the South Shore’s emerging leaders. She was honored at the 2011 Stars 40 Under 40 Awards Celebration in September. AC is a young adult author and co-founder of Boston GLOW (Girls’ Leadership, Organized Women).
If you would like to be a part of your class reunion planning committee, please contact Stevie Lee Taylor in the Alumni Relations office at staylor@ndahingham.com or 781.749.5930, ext. 2247.

We've already started planning for your upcoming reunion celebration. Please make sure to save the date: April 27 & 28.

Attention all classes ending in 2 or 7, from 1932 to 1992.

We want to hear from you!
In Memoriam

Listings reflect notifications received by the Office of Institutional Advancement through October 11, 2011. In order to accommodate all listings, we are able to include only basic family, educational, and professional information for alumnae obituaries. Our Friends and Family section lists only immediate family members of our current students, faculty, and staff. We will continue to publish updates on the families of alumnae in the Class Notes section of our E-Newsletter. Should you wish to have a classmate or family member remembered, please contact alumnae@ndahingham.com.

1930s

Mary Cahalane Dolan ’31F of Alexandria, VA died peacefully on May 26, 2011. She had recently celebrated her 98th birthday with family. Mary graduated from Radcliffe College of Harvard University in 1936. She was the wife of the late Joseph M. Dolan, Sr. Mary is survived by three children, sixteen grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

Catherine Roycroft ’34R of Medford died on September 15, 2011. Catherine was the wife of the late William Roycroft. Catherine is survived by her eight children, fifteen grandchildren, and twelve great-grandchildren.

Mary L. O’Brien ’38R (formerly Sr. Beatrice Marie, SND) passed away on September 1, 2011. After graduating from NDA, Mary went to Emmanuel College and later received her master’s in education from Boston College. She worked as a school teacher for 45 years. Mary is one of several family members who attended NDA, including sisters Beatrix O’Brien Brady ’38R, Frances O’Brien Day ’30R, Mary Metivier ’35R (sister in law), and Catherine O’Brien MacDonald ’28R and nieces Joan Brady Sullivan ’60R and Jane MacDonald McGregor ’57R.

Agnes Connell Colpoys ’39G, a resident of Milton, died on October 8, 2011. Agnes attended Regis College and received her master’s in education from Boston University. She was an elementary school teacher and a devoted member of the NDA Alumnae Association Board. She was the loving wife of the late Francis L. Colpoys, M.D. and is survived by her daughter, two sons, and two grandchildren, including Kathleen Colpoys ’08.

1940s

Eleanor Kennedy Winn ’41G died in May 2011, in Longwood, FL. She lived for many years in Milton. She is survived by her husband Ken and her five sons and three daughters. She is also survived by three grandchildren.

Sister Thomasine Griffin formerly Margaret Griffin ’42R of St. Mary-of-the-Woods, Indiana died on October 23, 2010. She entered the Congregation of the Sisters of Providence in 1942 and professed final vows in 1950. She earned a bachelor’s degree from St. Mary-of-the-Woods College and a master’s degree from the University of New Hampshire. She ministered for 43 years in education in Indiana, Illinois, and Massachusetts.

Claire Single Smith ’49 of Marlborough died on December 7, 2010. Claire graduated from the Newton-Wellesley Hospital School of Nursing in 1952 and was a registered nurse. She leaves her husband of 57 years, Joseph R. Smith, four children, and four grandchildren.

Catherine McDonnell Parker ’49G died on September 30, 2011. She is survived by her son and grandchild.

1950s

Adrienne Barry Thompson ’50R of Scituate died on October 8, 2011. She was the wife of the late John Larkin Thompson. She is survived by her three children and three grandchildren. Adrienne was a graduate of the College of Saint Elizabeth in New Jersey.

Elizabeth “Betty” O’Connor Ryan ’51 died on April 20. Born in Somerville, she was the class valedictorian at NDA and the recipient of the Emmanuel College Scholarship. Betty was a 30-year resident of Milton and an accounting clerk for the New England Telephone Company for 30 years. She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Jack Ryan, their four children, sixteen grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

Mary McLaughlin McSoley ’58 of Westwood, formerly of West Roxbury, died on September 8, 2011. Mary was the wife of Raymond J. McSoley and had three children and six grandchildren. She was also the great aunt of Ashleigh ’04, Arianna ’06, Allie ’08, and Amelia Brown ’13.

Elinore Godvin Moloney ’59 passed on August 26, 2011. Elinore was a registered nurse who returned to school to earn her master’s degree in planning, working as the first professional planner for the NorthBay HealthCare System in California. In that role, she was credited with the vision that created the Vacavalley Hospital. She later joined the staff at Stanford, completing her career at UC Davis. She was living in New Mexico at the time of her death. She is survived by her daughter.

1970s

Laurie Marks Marszalek ’79 passed on October 20, 2011. Laurie was a graduate of Bridgewater State College (Summa Cum Laude). She is survived by her three daughters.

1990s

Caren Hill MacInnis ’94 of Norwood died on October 2, 2011. She is survived by her husband Brian A. MacInnis and two young children.
Illuminations — By Maureen Meyer

While at a pumpkin patch with her family this fall, Maureen Meyer, chair of the visual and performing arts department, shot this close-up of a pumpkin leaf.

She tells us, “Between capturing shots of my children picking their pumpkins, my eye was drawn to the great lines of the pumpkin vines. Eventually I saw a leaf that was backlit and the light illuminated detail we don’t usually notice. As I always tell my photography students, take a lot of variations of your subject, because every once in a while you hit on an outstanding combination that yields an outstanding photo. I probably took a dozen shots of this leaf . . . in the end, it yielded this winning shot for the day!”

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