



Happy New Year Class of '69!

By Lilli Lanser

2006 saw the inception of our class website, due to the hard work and dedication of the **C.A.D.E.T.S.** (the Committee of Alumni Dedicated to Entertaining Treasured Schoolmates) -- led by Robert Hill, without whom it would not have happened.

Robert is our webmaster <http://www.ifhs69.com> and internet site guru, columnist <http://www.ifhs69.com/rallenhill.htm> creator, editor, and photographer of Iowa Falls sites <http://www.ifhs69.com/pictures.htm>. He also worked on the layout and helped with the editing for the hard copy of the newsletter http://www.ifhs69.com/class_newsletter.htm which you all should have received last July.

He was joined on the **C.A.D.E.T.S.** by Lilli (Southerly) Lanser, sometime columnist <http://www.ifhs69.com/columns.htm>; harasser of people to register, contributor of pictures, and in general, being a pain to everyone to get things done.

Linda (Goodenberger) Pierce lent a hand with harassing, writing, chasing down teachers to be included on the teacher pages http://www.ifhs69.com/teachers_update.htm, searching for Dental Parade Information/Memories, encouraging others, naming the committee, and editing.

Thurston Lamberson encouraged us, wrote his story http://www.ifhs69.com/misssed_35th.htm, sent pictures <http://www.ifhs69.com/photos.htm>, and

www.ifhs69.com/photos.htm, and kept us in good humor with his jokes.

There are also stories on the website by Ann (Gough) Iverson and Linda (Bakas) about their trip to Greece http://www.ifhs69.com/trip_to_greece.htm and a story from Lilli regarding her 60 mile walk for breast cancer http://www.ifhs69.com/60_mile_walk.htm.

The results of our hard work can be seen on the site -- we've had many people register and some even send current pictures -- it has been interesting to read what people have been doing for the past 35 years and see what they look like today -- and, hey, we're not a bad looking bunch of 50-somethings!

We've also discovered that we have a fabulous group of writers -- we could start a publishing house and make a fortune if we could get everyone to continue writing!!

If you haven't registered, please do so -- <http://www.ifhs69.com/register.htm> your classmates are interested in you, and you just might make contact with someone you haven't heard from in years. If you have something to write about, write it and email it to webmaster@IFHS69.com or to Robert's personal email at rallenhill@mchsi.com.

We are interested in reading about your adventures!



Class of 1969 Cadets



2007 will bring new exciting items to our website: Robert has several more articles written for his column; Lilli has almost finished the long-awaited second article for her column, as well as a more detailed 2006 Breast Cancer 3-Day story:

http://www.ifhs69.com/60_mile_walk.htm and her plans for the 2007 Walk.

Linda continues to track down classmates, teachers, and unfortunately obituaries. Thurston has promised he will write about his epic journey to Iowa last summer to the Bradford Centennial and the Iowa State Fair, complete *with pictures!* There are other events planned, too, most importantly the Memorial Day Tribute to Wade, planned for over Memorial Day Weekend. Details will be provided on the site.

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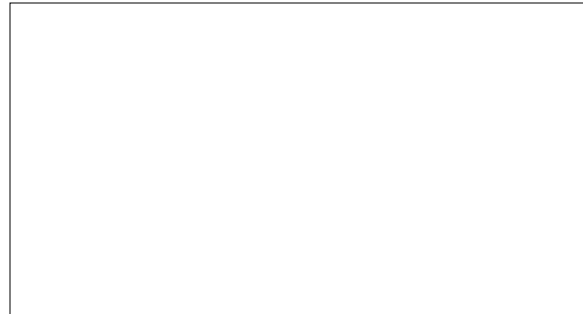
"Some men see things as they are and say, why? I dream of things that never were and say, Why Not?"
-Robert Kennedy

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HOWEVER, without your help, the website will no longer exist! It costs \$100 per year to host the site and we need your help in financing it. Robert covered the cost last year and has stated he would appreciate any assistance possible this year. He will continue to donate his time and talents on the website. Any money sent in will be held in a separate account for the website; it will not go into the general class treasury (*to our knowledge there isn't a treasury any more*). If everyone sends in \$5, that will take care of it. Please make checks payable to Robert Hill, and mail them to: 1208 Maynard Avenue, Waterloo, IA 50701.

Thanks, and please keep in touch -- we care about you!!

Love,

The C.A.D.E.T.S.

Lilli Linda Thurston Robert



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