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## Educating for Eternity

# Alumni Spotlight First Responders

**Scott Miller '90 and Andrew Williams '02 join Brendon Seidl '14 (center)** at his graduation from Police Academy. They are part of the Brothers of the Badge and Maryland's Finest — Maryland State Troopers.

**Scott Miller '90** has worked for the Maryland State Troopers for 22 years and has achieved the rank of Master Trooper. He is honored to be in a small group of HVA alumni who have become Maryland State Troopers.

**Andrew Williams '02** has worked with Maryland State Troopers for 17 years and was recently awarded the rank of First Sergeant. He graduated from the Police Academy in 2004.



# Alumni Updates



## **Beth (Stitley) Banks '82**

graduated from Southern Adventist University with an Elementary Education degree. She was given an award pin for 30 years of service recently. She taught in Tennessee and Pennsylvania public schools before joining Chesapeake

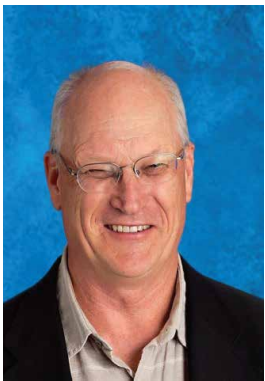
Conference. She has taught in one and two teacher schools and was Head Teacher. Her years in Chesapeake have been spent in Berkeley Springs, Crest Lane in Westminster, MD and now Rocky Knoll.

In 2010 she was honored by being chosen as Columbia Union Elementary Educator of the year. She is married to her academy sweetheart and has two adult children. In her time away from school she enjoys spending time

with family, especially kayaking together. She also enjoys reading, stamp collecting and visiting historical sights at the Beach!

The award was presented by Janesta Walker, Superintendent of Education for the Chesapeake Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. Pictured alongside Janesta Walker is Alisha Boggess, the 1st and 2nd grade teacher at Rocky Knoll Adventist School.

## ***New Faculty Spotlight***



Mr. Harry Janetzko and his wife Linda are joining us in serving as our new principal. Harry grew up in North Central Ohio where both he and his wife graduated from Mt. Vernon Academy. They have 3 adult children. He has been

in education for 41+ years teaching students from early elementary school through college. Most recently he served as the Bible teacher for grades 6-12 and Vice Principal at TriCity Christian Academy in the Carolina Conference of SDA. His goals for the new school year include helping build on the school's spiritual growth, providing a safe school environment for learning, supporting faculty and staff in encouraging high standards for their

students, developing a culture of mission and service with our students, and helping all involved understand their roles as Seventh-day Adventist Christians at this time in the earth's history.

As Mr. Janetzko begins this school year, he is here for the mission. He has a passion for Adventist education and believes HVA has an important role as a boarding school. Students around the Chesapeake Conference who have not had access to secondary Adventist education should know HVA is a place where they can get it. Mr. Janetzko is looking forward to getting to know each student and their parents. He is also looking forward to how God will bless this school as we pray and seek His guidance.



# Alumni Legacy

The Pierce Family includes: Kim (Coleman) Pierce '85, Sam '86, Kayla '13, Wade '17 and Rebecca '19

## New Faculty



Kenji Nomura '10 and his wife MacKenzi (Hall) '12 are joining us to serve as the new math teacher. He recently served as the Honors Statistics and Honors Pre-Calculus Instructor at the East Hamilton Middle/ High School in Tennessee and sponsor for the peer tutoring club. He graduated from Southern Adventist University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics. He is an alumnus of both HVA and Mt. Aetna Adventist Elementary School.

Kenji grew up in the Hagerstown area along with his brothers Marc '01 and Alin '03 while his dad, Randy Nomura served as both faculty and principal at HVA. He is looking forward to working with our students to achieve excellence in mathematics, computer science and robotics and is welcomed as the newest teacher for our STEM certificate program here at HVA. Kenji is looking forward to come back home and working to lift up HVA and his students in any and all ways to which God calls them. He says his favorite reason for being a teacher is making the connections with the students and inspiring them to do their best work.

## 5 top ways to enjoy Alumni Events



- 1) Show up to your honor class year alumni weekend and be joyful to see your former classmates!
- 2) Be willing to give of your time and your talents to help your fellow alumni.
- 3) Stand up to show your enthusiasm when your grad year is called during the Roll Call.
- 4) Engage your classmates in giving back to help current students attend HVA.
- 5) Participate in alumni events like the Tartan 5K Run or HVA Golf Open in addition to BB, VB, or soccer games.



# Alumni Giving update by class

Total 2019 Alumni Giving: **\$12, 963.94**

<b>Class of 1952</b>	\$75.00	<b>Class of 1994</b>	\$1,520.00
<b>Class of 1953</b>	\$80.00	<b>Class of 1996</b>	\$40.00
<b>Class of 1955</b>	\$20.00	<b>Class of 1980</b>	\$689.10
<b>Class of 1958</b>	\$100.00	<b>Class of 1982</b>	\$300.00
<b>Class of 1959</b>	\$300.00	<b>Class of 1983</b>	\$128.00
<b>Class of 1966</b>	\$250.00	<b>Class of 1984</b>	\$200.00
<b>Class of 1974</b>	\$225.00	<b>Class of 1985</b>	\$1,027.50
<b>Class of 1975</b>	\$225.00	<b>Class of 2001</b>	\$157.50
<b>Class of 1977</b>	\$25.00	<b>Class of 2002</b>	\$625.00
<b>Class of 1979</b>	\$200.00	<b>Class of 2004</b>	\$100.00
<b>Class of 1987</b>	\$25.00	<b>Class of 2006</b>	\$2,000.00
<b>Class of 1989</b>	\$70.00	<b>Class of 2007</b>	\$2,276.84
<b>Class of 1990</b>	\$150.00	<b>Class of 2009</b>	\$100.00
<b>Class of 1991</b>	\$125.00	<b>Class of 2011</b>	\$30.00
<b>Class of 1992</b>	\$1,800.00	<b>Class of 2016</b>	\$100.00

Check out the giving page to give your gift!

[www.highlandviewacademy.com/contact/giving](http://www.highlandviewacademy.com/contact/giving)

## WASHINGTON COUNTY GIVES 2019

HVA participated in **Washington County Gives** on Tuesday, May 7, 2019. This 24 hour Giving Day is an initiative of The Community Foundation of Washington County Maryland Inc. and encourages the residents of our county to give back to many different non-profits in our surrounding area.

**Through this challenge over \$1800 was given to support our students!**  
**Thank you for supporting this giving Day!**

For more information check out the website at: [www.washingtoncountygives.org](http://www.washingtoncountygives.org)

# *Alumni Weekend*

## *honor class pictures*



**Class of 1969**



**Class of 1974**



**Class of 1979**



**Class of 1989**



**Class of 1994**



**Class of 1999**



**Class of 2009**



**Class of 2014**



# Development Report

## Update 2018-2019

### Annual Giving Goals\*

#### 2019 Student Aid

Funding Area	Goal	Received
Student Aid+	\$400,000	\$270,203
DeHaan Scholarship Fund	\$75,000	\$64,170
Worthy Student Fund+	\$300,000	\$203,802
ASSIST	\$13,128	\$2,106
Campus Improvement (excludes GIK)	\$15,000	\$1,608
Videography Equipment	\$10,000	\$0
Work Matching Scholarship	\$11,300	\$0
Music Dept. Funding (excludes GIK)	\$Varies	\$3,670
Athletics Funding	\$Varies	\$5,937
STEM	\$Varies	\$5,760



\*Data as of 6.30.19 +Includes Karen Minner Scholarship Fund & Pledges

## Fund Descriptions

**DeHaan Scholarship Fund:** Matching Fund for qualified students who have financial need. Student and their families raise their portion for the funds to be matched through the fund.

**Worthy Student Fund:** Student aid for any qualified students who have financial need.

**Assist:** A service-oriented work program connecting senior citizen & students.

**Campus Improvement:** Various projects to maintain and update campus buildings.

**Videography Equipment:** New program initiative for equipment for the New Photograph and Videography class.

**Work Matching Scholarship:** Helps students work their way through HVA by increasing hourly wages.

**STEM:** Supports the Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math certificate program at HVA



Register for the Tartan 5K Run 2020 - April 26, 2020 on alumni page beginning Aug.19!



**HVA Golf Open 2020**  
 will take place on April 24, 2020.  
 We are looking for 100 golfers  
 to play in next year's open.



Your participation in these 2 events raised about \$3000 for the Worthy Student Fund to provide scholarships for students.

**Thank You!**

**HVA & MAA Alumni Association**

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**Alumni Weekend April 24-26, 2020**

Honor Classes: 1955, 1960, 1965, 1970, 1975, 1980, 1985,  
1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010, 2015

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