

Alumni Update 11/16/2007

1930's

Maria Rosetti Polvere '33 (Music): Maria is still doing well at 93 years old. Her daughter works at New England Conservatory and she is very proud of all her grandchildren.

1940's

Maryellen J. Rounds '49 (Music): Maryellen has been volunteering at a local nursing home for the past eight years. Playing at nursing homes gives her a lift in spirits.

1950's

Ann '50 (Music) and Robert Bouchard '50 (Music): Ann is going to be 80 and Rob is going to be 84. Rob plays in a community band and an English style brass band.

Eleanor W. Holiday '50 (Music): Eleanor still sings in a church choir with over 45 members.

Helen D. Ewing '52 (Music): Helen continues to teach private violin and piano lessons.

Helen Gonzalez '52 (Music): Helen is married to a physician, has 2 daughters, and one grandson. She plays piano for pleasure.

Joseph Markarian '52 (Music): Joseph has retired from playing the violin. He has two grandsons ages 20 and 24.

Harry Surabian '52 (Music): Harry performs in four concert bands, two of which are producing CD's. He was a music teacher for several years then became a guidance counselor. Harry received his masters in Education in 1958 from N.E.U and retired in 1990. He still performs along the North Shore and in Middlesex County.

Dr. De Sayles R. Grey '53 (Music): De Sayles currently plays saxophone and arranges music for his jazz group.

Joel A. Morneault '53 (Music): Joel has been married for 49 years, and has three children (Denise- 2 kids, is an RN, Mark- 2 Kids, is a CPA, and Lynn- 3 kids, and is a pharmacist), and 7 grandchildren. Since retiring 20 years ago, he substitutes as a church music director and organist at local churches. Joel wrote 4 books on his family's genealogy, including an autobiography. He also taught 5th grade through high school band and chorus in the US and Canada, and grades 2-6 in music appreciation. At one point he was teaching piano to 60 students.

Rosemary A. Neal '54 (Music): After graduating, Rosemary taught all over the U.S., was a choir director and organist and still plays both today.

Rosemarie A. Boyden '55 (Dance): Rosemarie has been teaching for 55 years.

John Pellegrino '57 (Music): John plays with the Rhode Island Brass Ensemble. He is the President of Music on the Hill of East Greenwich, which has a chamber music series, the next one starting in June 2008.

Drusilla D. Glascoe '58 (Music): Drusilla began working in Psychology in the 70's and 80's and now teaches in higher education.

John D. LaCroix '58 (Music): John is still teaching piano and woodwinds. He has 7 children and many grandchildren.

Noreen Johnson Connell '59 (Dance): Noreen is now the proud grandmother of nine grandchildren.

Richard G. Conti '59 '66 (Music): Richard has returned to playing the accordion, which he took up as a young boy. He is also ballroom dancing on cruise ships.

1960's

Dorothy DeLutis Beaton '60 (Dance): Dorothy is the advisor to the Dance Department for Franklin School of the Performing Arts. She is also self-employed.

Frank J. Gubala '60 (Music): Frank substituted in the strings department in Lee County, Florida this past winter. It was a fulfilling part-time adventure and the kids were great.

Kathleen Joyce '60 (Dance): Kathleen just celebrated 50 years of teaching dance on the Vineyard.

Jane Mudgett '60 (Dance): Jane is praise dancing with the Christian Dance Fellowship.

Carol Anderson Neff '61 (Music): Carol is the General Manager of the Metropolitan Youth Symphony in Portland, OR.

DiAnn Ray '61 (Dance): DiAnn has retired as the director of a performing arts company in Martha's Vineyard. She is now enjoys traveling and spending time with her horses and grandchildren.

Joseph A. Egidio '62 (Music): Joseph continued to play music after leaving The Conservatory, but mostly guitar. He now teaches guitar privately. He has one daughter.

Alan Hirschhorn '62 (Music): Alan writes occasionally but retired in 2001 after 35 years of teaching. He still plays piano and works in a quintet that plays at special events.

Antonio Salvatori '62 (Music): Antonio founded the non-profit American Heritage Orchestra, which creates music opportunities for students.

Kay Hanley Alden '63 (Dance): Kay still remains active. She is involved in the dance program at an inner city school and participates in ballroom dancing for seniors.

Ted Casher '63 '72 (Music): Ted retired last June from Ponaganset High school where he taught jazz studies for 12 years. He is now a strictly professional musician, mainly playing with Swing Legacy and the Jazz Tuber Trio. He plays at the Oak Room in the Ripley Plaza usually on Fridays and Saturdays.

Robert F. Mainelli '63 (Music): Bob will be performing a Tribute to Frank Sinatra Concert in Rhode Island.

Richard Rubino '63 (Music): Richard plays the flute in a flute, violin and cello trio, and performs for weddings and special events. He also plays at a local venue, Musical Barnstable, in a flute, clarinet and sax trio.

Clifford M. Weeks '63 '75 (Music): Clifford recently retired from the Boston Public Schools as the executive administrative assistant in the Dean's Office.

James Goolgasian '64 '73 (Music): James is happily retired.

Michael R. Hathaway '64 (Music): Michael was a high school band director for thirty years until an auto accident eventually ended his teaching career. He currently is the director of the White Mountain Hypnosis Center in Madison, NH and specializes in helping people of all ages identify and develop their unique gifts and abilities to move forward with their life purpose.

Anthony J. Hyde '64 '67(Music): Tony is teaching part time at Barnstable High School as Jazz Lab director (5 years). He's also busy as a clinician and judge for USSBA Fall band shows. Recently he became New England operations director for Rhythms International Music festivals. He is in his third year as a member of the BMI Jazz Composers Workshop in New York. This past July his composition, *Two of a Kind* was performed by the BMI Jazz Orchestra at St. Stephen's Church. He also self-produced his newest jazz CD *The Summer Session* with his 17 piece Equinox Orchestra.

Gilbert A. Madrigale '64 '71 (Music): Gilbert is a freelance performer and a conductor in Canton, MA.

Mr. Kenneth Mamayek '64 (Music): Kenneth teaches privately two days a week.

Robert M. Baker '65 '74 (Music): Robert is the organist and Choral Director at the First Baptist Church in Scituate, MA. He is still teaching, both privately and at a public school.

Kathryn Burnham-Ashman '65* (Dance): Kathryn is retired and is enjoying her time traveling and painting.

Alice Prechtl Coughlin '65 (Dance): Alice is now retired from teaching, but substitutes for pre-kindergarten through 2nd grade. Alice is also still happily married to her high school sweetheart.

John T. LaDone '65 (Music): John has retired from teaching for the Connecticut school system. However, he still runs a community band and teaches private music lessons. He was married on October 20th, 2007.

James May '65 (Dance): James' newest involvement is with the Sokolow Theatre Dance Ensemble.

Barbara Berg '66 (Dance): Barbara is married and recently retired from being an internationally certified Pilates instructor.

Despina Chatis Clark '66 (Music): Despina plays the organ regularly and loves it.

Richard G. Conti '59 '66 (Music): Richard has returned to playing the accordion, which he took up as a young boy. He is also ballroom dancing on cruise ships.

Lawrence M. Kublin '66 (Music): Lawrence recently retired.

Richard T. Messier '66 (Music): Richard is enjoying his retirement after teaching for 34 years and working as a music director. He also plays for various choruses and bands.

Andreas Poulimenos '66 (Music): Andreas is teaching at the University of Indiana.

William St. Laurent '66 (Music): After leaving The Conservatory, Bill taught at Norwood High School for 15 years and earned his MEd at Boston University in 1975. He was a dance band musician and played for the Ruby Newman Orchestra and the Bo Winiker Swing Orchestra. He was also the choir director at the First Congregational Church in Norwood, MA. He and his wife are currently co-directors of the Foxhill Village Choir.

David W. White '66 (Music): David is currently the Administrator for the Marlboro Music Festival.

Salvatore Cicciarella '67 (Music): Salvatore retired from teaching 4 years ago and is currently teaching piano and voice lessons privately.

Gail Dufour '68 (Music): Gail is currently teaching music.

Morris R. Furtado '68 (Music): Mo is retired and taking it easy. He is currently playing with the Tri-County Symphonic Band.

Michael Norman '68 (Music): After working as a Property & Casualty Insurance agent, Michael now owns a company, Our Video Legacy, a business specializing in Video Asset Documentation, which provides a detailed inventory of a person's property. Michael is married and has one grandchild and another on the way.

Linda A. Binari '69 (Music): Linda is currently teaching music.

Loretta Colla '69 (Theater): Loretta went to NYC after graduation. She appeared in *The Godfather 1* and *The Godfather 3* as Sonny's mistress.

Herman F. Greene '69 (Music): Herman is now retired.

Thomas R. Hand '69 (Music): Tom has been teaching piano since he graduated. After 30 years of playing the organ, Tom recently retired.

Mary '69 (Music) and David Isadore '69 (Music): David is teaching at the University of Texas, Brownsville. He retired after teaching for 33 years in the public school system.

Kathleen Brehm Keyes '69 (Music): Kathleen is currently the Music Director and Organist at St. Anthony's Church in Cohasset, MA.

Nanci Moretti-Montpetit '69 (Dance): Nanci has made her home in Montreal for the past 32 years and been involved as a choreographer for stage and television. For the past 22 years she has been the artistic director of a dance school in Montreal.

Nancy M. Olivolo '69 (Music): Nancy is retired from teaching music in public schools and private piano lessons. She now plays for her church and for the St. Joseph's children's choir in Medford, MA.

Joan Stumhofer '69 (Theater): Joan currently teaches special education in Georgia.

Gilbert Taylor '69 (Music): After graduating Gilbert worked as a brail transcriber.

1970's

Dale M. Andree '70 (Dance): Dale began her performing career in New York, and then moved to Miami where she established the Mary Street Dance Theatre in 1985. She has been a recipient of the Florida Individual Artist Fellowships as well as receiving funding from the National Endowment for the Arts for Mary Street Dance Theatre (MSDT). Ms. Andree has taught internationally, as well as conducted residency workshops at festivals in Florida, Peru, Brazil and Columbia. As Director of MSDT, she has conceived and developed many community outreach programs, most recently developing an after school program with ASPIRA/ACCOLADE Middle School. She is

committed to developing the South Florida improvisation community through teaching, performing and presenting improvisational artists.

Gloria Bonnin '70 (Music): Gloria's daughter Elise is attending Simmons to earn her second degree in nutrition. Her son Charlie is getting married, and her son Alex is at Hofstra studying voice and music merchandising.

Donna Emerson '70 (Dance): Donna has performed throughout Europe, Australia and North America. She is currently teaching.

Michael A. Herbert '70 (Music): Michael retired from his position as Director of Choral Activities at Holbrook Central Schools. He is a member of CAIOS on the Cape and still sings in five services a weekend at church. He met his wife while at St. Clements during college and they have been married 38 years.

Christine C. Kastanopolous '70 (Music): Christine was recently inducted into Rotary International.

Jonette Lancos '70 (Dance): Jonette is a professor of dance at the School of Performing Arts, SUNY Geneseo.

James Joseph McCullough '70 (Musical Theater): Jay is presently a contractor. He has remained active in regional theatre since he graduated.

Ms. Diane Gastfreund '71 (Music): After graduating, Diane obtained her masters degree from the University of Maryland. Since then she has performed at Carnegie Hall and The White House in addition to performing in Paris, Russia and London. She has even performed for the Pope. Diane is currently subbing and teaching privately.

Estelle Spurlock Gray '71 (Dance): Estelle no longer teaches dance, but works as a Supervising Medical Consultant.

Rosalie Hoffman-Goumas '71 '73 (Music): Rosalie has recently taken up Ham Radio. She performs at a nursing home twice a year.

Gilbert A. Madrigale '64 '71 (Music): Gilbert is a freelance performer and a conductor in Canton, MA.

Maro Gurunian Partamian '71 '73 (Music): Maro has been singing professionally. He performed a concert on November 4th, 2007 and will perform another in January 2008 in Detroit, MI.

John Perry, Jr. '71 (Music): John retired from *The Boston Globe* in April 2007.

Michael Brigida '72 (Music): Michael has served on the faculty of Berklee College of Music since 1987. He is currently an Associate Professor of Music Synthesis. He is also

an international product specialist for ARP, CBS Rhodes Chroma, and Kurzweil Music Systems.

Ted Casher '63 '72 (Music): Ted retired last June from Ponaganset High school where he taught jazz studies for 12 years. He is now a strictly professional musician, mainly playing with Swing Legacy and the Jazz Tuber Trio. He plays at the Oak Room in the Ripley Plaza usually on Fridays and Saturdays.

Terry S. Dinsky '72 (Music): Terry currently teaches music at Cameron Middle School in Framingham. She has been teaching off and on for 35 years. She is also an accompanist for the Reagle Players in Waltham, MA and freelances around New England. She was the music director for 5 years at Camp Tel Noar in New Hampshire. Terry has accompanied the New England Conservatory Chorus on the Esplanade. And in 2000 Terry went to Russia and played piano in the Palace of Catherine the Great. She lives with her husband in Framingham and has two sons in their twenties.

Angelo Morlani '72 (Music): After 34 years of teaching in the Brockton Public Schools, Angelo is now retired.

Dorothea Delano Bessette '73 (Musical Theater): Dorothea recently became a grandmother.

James Goolgasian '64 '73 (Music): James is happily retired.

Ronald Nadeau '73 (Music): Ronald has been retired for 4 years.

Eugenia O'Brien '73 (Dance): Eugenia is the Artistic Director of Portland Ballet. They presented *Dance for the Cure*, a benefit performance for the Maine Women's Cancer Fund in October.

Howard Sherman '73 (Music): Howard is currently studying the effects of music on pain reduction. Using counseling techniques, he is helping people to relate their feelings through music.

Linda Lane Smith '73 (Music): Linda recently worked as a performer on a Soviet cruise ship.

Rosemary Costa Stone '73 (Music): Rosemary is very happily working in music as a chorus director.

Deborah Davison Antinori '74 (Musical Theater): Debbie became a drama therapist after performing, and has earned her Masters in Drama Therapy from New York University. She is also on the board for an all-women's theatre company.

Robert M. Baker '65 '74 (Music): Robert is the organist and Choral Director at the First Baptist Church in Scituate, MA. He is still teaching, both privately and at a public school.

Boudewyn "Dutch" Beukenkamp '74 (Music): Dutch taught music for 13 years but is now retired from teaching. He is singing with Chester Presbyterian Church in Virginia and has great memories of The Conservatory.

John W. Caldon '74 (Music): John recently retired after serving as Superintendent of Schools in New Hampshire for 35 years.

Martha Dahlberg '74, '78 (Music): Martha is the President of the Mendelssohn Performing Arts Center Board (Celebrating 123 years of continuous music). She is an adjunct professor at Rockford College in Music History, Opera Workshop, and Voice. Her daughter just started college.

Rene De La Garza '74 (Music): Rene teaches at the University of Rhode Island where he runs the opera program. He also sings with Opera Providence and performs recitals. He recently performed Songs of the Sea, which was a commissioned piece by Elian Aberdan.

David W. Fuller '74, '78 (Music): After graduating, David made top 10 in the Met Council Audition finals, and just recently finished a composition for Catholic Mass. He has two daughters, aged 21 and 17.

Paul Heffron '74 (Music): Paul performed at the Berkshire First Church of the Nazarene on July 7, 2007.

Sirkka Johnson '74 (Music): Sirkka continues to perform with a Renaissance Chamber group.

Nelma M. Kelley '74 (Music): Nelma is playing violin with the Parkway Symphony Orchestra and the Quincy Symphony Orchestra.

Melanie M. Mason '74 (Dance): Melanie no longer dances, but works at an accounting firm.

Henry P. Morel '74 (Music): Henry has been teaching Music Education in the Mendon/ Upton School district for 33 years.

Kathryn Floyd-Camacho '75 '79 (Music): In 2003, Kathryn released a CD in Ireland of classical, sacred and Celtic music. She teaches private voice and classroom music at Point Park University. She also participates actively in regional theater with her daughter.

Marlene E. Furtick '75 (Dance): Marlene is the Executive Director of the Westchester County Youth Bureau. The department gives funding to over 60 youth development programs and 47 municipalities in Westchester County.

Diane Goldstein Kontoff '75 (Music): Diane's son just graduated from Northeastern University with a degree in Music Business and now works for a music production company in Boston. Diane often conducts music workshops.

Davis '75 and Elyse '77 Knobloch (Music): Davis continues to teach at Horace Greeley H.S. in NY.

Susan '75 and Gregory Livingston '74 (Music): Susan and Gregory currently have three children in college.

Barbara Parish-Scillieri '75 (Dance): Barbara just finished her 5th summer at the Bates Dance Festival at Bates College. She recently began belly dancing in gypsy, Lebanese, and Egyptian styles. This is her 22nd year as the Director of Dance at the Williams School in New London, CT. She also recently joined the performing arts troupe at Studio Desmeen, which is a Middle Eastern Dance Company.

Clifford M. Weeks '63 '75 (Music): Clifford recently retired from the Boston Public Schools as the executive administrative assistant in the Dean's Office.

Laurie Brongo '76 (Dance): Laurie is still teaching, choreographing and directing.

Gail Compton '76 (Musical Theater): Gail has had more children, two boys named Jake and Scott. She is also now back in school earning her Masters in Social Work.

Kat DeBlois '76 (Dance): Kat is the Vice President of shows for Euro Disney.

David J. Dumont '76 (Music): David is now the music director at his church. He is also an active pianist around California and other parts of the U.S. He has two other Steinway Societies now, located in Seattle and Bellevue, WA.

Patricia Ann '76 (Music) and Robert D. Gray '76 (Music): Patricia received her Masters in Music Education from Fairleigh Dickinson University. She has been teaching social studies for River Dale Public Schools in New Jersey for 8 years, and she also sings with churches in the area. Robert received his masters from William Patterson University and is on faculty there. He is also teaching at a Jersey City Arts High School.

Barbara Joan Midney '76 (Music): Barbara is currently performing with orchestras and teaching.

Gail M. Navin '76 (Dance): Gail owns The Dance Studio, as well as Dancewear Unlimited store in Waterford, CT.

Domenic Pallaria '76 (Music): Domenic has been enjoying his retirement and relaxing.

Cynthia C. Piechota '76 (Music): Cynthia plays with an orchestra in Worcester, teaches and freelances. She is the Program Director at Microtech, providing integrated employment for people with disabilities.

Maureen Reigh Quinn '76 (Music): Maureen has lived in Northern Virginia since 1999. She currently works as a government contractor but is preparing to take the Licensed Battlefield Guide exam at Gettysburg National Military Park. She also hopes to test in two other local areas: Washington DC and the Antietam Battlefield in Sharpsburg, MD.

Gerard F. Alessandrini '77 (Musical Theater): Gerard is in New York City, and he recently wrote and directed *Forbidden Broadway: Rude Awakening*.

Elizabeth Anne Carleton-White '77 (Musical Theater): This past September Elizabeth Anne held a scholarship concert in memory of her husband and band mate and was able to raise money for a scholarship at the local high school.

George W. Crenshaw '77 (Musical Theater): George is an acting teacher and plays Grandpa Joe at the Beachwood Theater Camp every summer.

Geralyn Kozel Frishman '77 (Dance): Geralyn and her husband, Michael, will be celebrating 27 years of marriage in June. Geralyn is the former director of Studio 83 School of Dance. She is presently a certified elementary educator and she choreographs for musical theater groups in her area. In 1998, Geralyn and her husband adopted a boy from Russia. He is now a freshman in college at The University of Connecticut. His name is Sasha.

Regina O'Malley '77 (Musical Theater): Regina is teaching at the American Academy of Arts and the Neighborhood Playhouse. She works in television and commercials and is still singing. She also has two children in college.

Lisa Orlando '77 (Dance): Lisa is presently in a Graduate Program for Acupuncture and Classical Chinese Medicine at the Swedish Institute. She works freelance in broadcast news for CBS, NBC, CNN and presently at CNBC. For many years she was on staff at *60 Minutes* and still returns on special projects.

Debrah Perkins '77 (Music): Debrah is no longer conducting, but still teaches privately.

Randy G. Spaulding '77 (Music): Randy plays organ, piano, and guitar for Trinity Lutheran Church in Springfield, MA.

Walter E. Barnie '78 (Music): Walter has been performing with Symphony Pro Musica for the last 6 seasons, and has performed with the Massachusetts Symphony since 2001.

Cynthia Ellis '78 (Dance): Cynthia runs the Cynthia King Dance Studio in Brooklyn, NY. Cynthia began dancing professionally in 1978 and has been teaching and choreographing since 1986. She directed the dance departments of St. Peter School, St. Mary and Holy Rosary Schools in Jersey City and has taught in Brooklyn at P.S. 315, School of Performing Arts, Poly Prep, Maple Street School, I.S. 62 Performing Arts Department, Flatbush Tompkins, Bridge Street Head Start in Bedford Stuyvesant, and

even the Fort Hamilton Army Base. Cynthia has been credited by the Department of Education with developing 'one of the most comprehensive dance programs in the district.' Cynthia is the mother of two sons, an active community member, serving on various boards, and volunteering for Kensington Self Help, League of Humane Voters, and Brooklyn Animal Foster Network.

Thomas R. Herrmann '78 (Music): Thomas is the pastor of Grace Chapel in Lexington, MA.

Keith Papa '78 (Music): Keith is playing the clarinet for a band that has traveled all around the world.

Jeanne Devine Pasch '78 (Dance): Jeanne is still dancing at a studio in Allston, MA.

John L. Schuller '78 (Music): John still works for Coldwell Banker. He plays for the Brockton Symphony and will be doing a patriotic concert soon. He is married to Lynn Schuller, who is the founder of the McClosky organization, which teaches a singing style geared toward healthy singing. The organization is 30 years old.

Kerry F. Sjoblom '78 (Music) Kerry is currently Chair of the Music Department at a school in California.

Mara Pupols Abermanis '79 (Dance): Mara is still working in physical therapy. Her daughter is now 16.

Diane C. Ellertsen '79 (Dance): After graduating, Diane owned a 3,000 sq. ft theatre called The Theatre Loft on Boylston, which is no longer running, but had some great reviews for Channel 2 TV. She was active in dance and also taught at various high schools. Now she runs the Flagler Playhouse in Florida, a non-profit theatre for children that was founded by her mother 30 years ago.

Susan Stone MacDonald '79 (Music): Susan painted a series of portraits for the Harvard School of Public Health of eminent professors.

Laura M. Wilkins '79 (Music): Laura is teaching flute and playing in a community orchestra.

1980's

Valerie Stack Dodge '80 (Musical Theater): Valerie is involved in stage work and television. She is an active Equity member and is also teaching.

Elise Dewsberry Green '80 (Musical Theater): Four years ago, Elise became the Associate Artistic Director of the Academy of New Musical Theatre in North Hollywood, CA.

Christine Mancuso Sarno '80 (Music): Since graduation Christine has been running a company that her husband owns.

Michael Donovan '81 (Music): Michael is the Director of Fine Arts in the Saugus Public School District. South Florida University will be premiering his Tuba Sonata.

Gretchen French '81 (Dance): Gretchen is currently a full-time mom and a part-time physical therapist.

Joseph MacDonald '81 (Music): Joseph is now an ordained Catholic Deacon at Saint Benedicts in Somerville, MA. He continues to play church music.

Richard L. Seifert, Jr. '81 (Music): Rick has owned his own studio since 2002 and teaches piano six days a week.

Mitchell C. Warren '81 (Music): Mitchell taught voice lessons from 1981-1988 after leaving the Conservatory. He once worked as the Librarian, at the Bookstore, and as the Receptionist at the Conservatory. He is now a Manager of Human Services.

John E. Godoy '82 (Music): John spent this past summer at the Blue Lake Festival in Michigan playing for the opera. He plans to return and teach.

David Jenkins '82 (Music): David plays with the Greenwich Village Orchestra. He has one child, born in 1996 and works for the New York City Department of Education.

Sondra Kelly '82 (Music): Sondra's next performance will be as Baba in *The Medium* with Syracuse Opera.

Marie Letorney '82 (Music): Marie is currently living in Europe.

Kevin McMahon '82 (Musical Theater): Kevin is currently appearing in *A Little Night Music* at the Tony Award winning South Coast Rep in Costa Mesa, CA. He also received a 'Best Supporting Actor in a Musical' Ovation Award nomination for his work in *The Full Monty* at Musical Theatre West.

Dr. Nectar R. Redman '82 (Musical Theater): Dr. Nectar Redman is now a psychologist with a private practice in West Los Angeles. Dr. Redman is also a professor at the California Graduate Institute and a supervisor at AMCC and CGI. Her specialties include creative blocks, behavioral medicine, hypnosis, and guided imagery.

Philip M. Forman '83 (Musical Theater): Philip recently completed a short 50-page story on a single screen movie palace, in Plymouth, that closed in 1971. It should be published early next year.

Edward L. Korbich '83 (Musical Theater): Eddie is currently playing Scuttle, the seagull in *The Little Mermaid* on Broadway.

Lone Kjaer Larsen '83 (Dance): Lone specializes in teaching the Martha Graham Technique. She is on the faculty of the Martha Graham School and Marymount Manhattan College. She recently completed a five year stay in Copenhagen working as a rehearsal director where she appeared in a movie. She actively performed as a dancer up until three years ago.

Kathleen R. MacLean '83 (Music): Kathleen now lives in Colorado and is temporarily retired after 24 years in the NH Music Education Field. Her only child has entered Religious Life and is now known as Sr. Miriam, RSM (Religious Sisters of Mercy). Kathleen will also soon be celebrating her 24th Wedding Anniversary.

Patricia Donovan McLean '83 (Music): Patricia is a private voice teacher and sings in the greater Boston area.

Paula Obuchon '83 (Dance): Paula has a five month old grand-daughter. She is well and happy!

Ovidio Vargas '83 (Musical Theater): Ovi is performing in the NY City Opera's production of *Cendrillon*. He is currently directing a play and a musical, and developing a rock opera for Australia. His production of *Redhook* has been optioned for Broadway.

Juan Vazquez '83 (Music): Juan has been playing with the U.S. Navy Band in Washington D.C. as the Percussion leader for the past 18 years. His son graduated from Berklee last year.

Melissa Schwartz Greenberg '84 (Musical Theater): Missy has been in Chicago for 18 years raising her two children, Adam 18 and Rachael 15. She is still performing and now produces theatre and special events. She is getting back into theatre professionally and has started to “pound the pavement” once again.

Michael Smith '84 (Music): Michael has been actively performing in many types of venues, including big bands, Broadway shows, and television and movie soundtracks. Some highlights include: *The Producers*, *Hello Dolly*, *Side Show*, *Sex and the City*, *Late Night with Conan O'Brien*, and *The Manchurian Candidate*. Michael has also been the Ramapo High School Jazz Band Director and they have won many competitions.

Annette Cowhig '85 (Dance): Annette's dance company, Windhover Dance Company, recently performed in Rockport, MA.

Nina Gabianelli '85 (Musical Theater): Nina works as both general manager and as a featured performer at The Crystal Palace Theatre Restaurant. (www.cpalace.net) She performs original political and topical satire and helps operate the only piano bar in Aspen, IVORIES.

Douglas E. Lee '85 (Music): Doug is releasing a second CD this fall and hopes it will be on his website soon, www.sacredmusicheritage.com. He also recently sang for a Veteran's Administration Parade in Bourne, MA.

Jennie Brock Leghart '86 (Music): Jennie obtained her MBA in 2005 and is now a finance manager.

Faith M. Lueth '86 (Music): Faith retired from teaching at Needham Middle and High Schools in 2004. She works in the Music Education Department at Berklee College of Music and conducts the Gordon College Women's Choir.

Jo Francine Manning-Souza '86 '99 (Music): Jo Francine is no longer teaching K-12 and she was recently ORF certified.

Joyce Parry Moore '86 (Music): Joyce is currently pursuing her Masters in Divinity at Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley, CA.

Kimberly Patent-Coleman '86 (Dance): Kimberly is the Associate Director of a dance studio in New Hampshire.

Amy Ruth Piersma '86 (Dance): Amy still plays in the Handel With Care string quartet. She is also freelancing and raising two children.

Steven Walter '86 (Music): Steven had his second son, Sam, in 2004.

Sharon Zaslaw '86 (Musical Theater): While performing in *Who's Got Game* at the Riant Theater throughout the summer, Sharon was featured in the *BackStage East* article "Immigrants" that focused on professional actors who have transitioned from other cities. Sharon was the Boston connection.

Sharon R. Brown '87 '88 (Music): Sharon conducts an all female acapella group at Berklee, where she is a faculty member.

Keith Crook '87 (Music): Keith is teaching guitar at the University of Southern Maine.

Alex Leal '87 (Music): Alex is currently teaching elementary music at Tornillo Elementary in El Paso, TX.

Lisa Saint Jean Cerqueira '87 (Music): After graduation, Lisa worked as a publicist for WGBH for 12 years. She recently left WGBH to focus on her skincare company, Arbonne, a botanical and herbal line that she has been working with for 2 years. She is married with a 5 year old son.

Christine Viles '87 (Musical Theater): Christine currently works for Childrens' Theatre Works in Jamaica Plain, MA.

John P. McGinn '88 (Musical Theater): John works as a caterer and has cooked for Yo-Yo Ma and Al and Tipper Gore.

Pam Klappas Pariseau '88 (Musical Theater): Pam most recently produced the off-Broadway production of *My Name is Rachel Corrie* directed by Alan Richman. She is the Vice President of James Hammerstein Productions and she has a show due to open next season in London.

Darius Fearington '89 (Music): Darius is doing industrial work and playing with an orchestra.

Jahanna '89 (Music) and Terence Reck '90 (Music): Jahanna is a media specialist with Greenville County Schools. Terence is the IT specialist at Clemson University. They have a daughter, Elaine, who is 9.

1990's

Zoia Bologovsky '90 (Music): Zoia held a concert with the Massachusetts North Shore Philharmonic and is the second principal violinist with the Granite State Symphony and Opera.

Todd H. Brunel '90 (Music): Todd is teaching at Powers Music School and performing in local concerts. He is working on a new album. He and his wife are expecting a baby in December and they are 90% sure it is a boy!

Miriam Schuck Dekarski '90 (Music): Miriam freelances and works in human resources at Concordia University in St. Paul, MN. She toured in Europe for six years.

Barbara K. Holm '90 (Music): Barbara's arrangements for flute, violin, and cello are available at Performer's Music and Coulson's Music Matters in Chicago.

Jahanna '89 (Music) and Terence Reck '90 (Music): Jahanna is a media specialist with Greenville County Schools. Terence is the I/T specialist at Clemson University. They have a daughter, Elaine, who is 9.

Edward Reisert '90 (Music): Edward has been the choral director at Fox Lane High School for Bedford New York Central Schools for eight years.

Janet Saia-Feld '90 (Musical Theater): Janet has been performing in *The Phantom of the Opera* on Broadway for the past 5 years.

Torrie Allen '91 (Music): Torrie was named the General Manager of the Anchorage Opera Company.

Jennifer George-Consiglio '91 (Musical Theater): Jennifer lives in Detroit with her husband and 3 children. She recently finished a run of *Respect* at the historic Gem Theatre and is now contracted to do *Forbidden Christmas*. Jennifer performs regularly

around Detroit at festivals, clubs and restaurants. She also teaches voice and musical theatre classes at a performing arts studio.

Kristine Mulvany Marchus '91 (Dance): Kristine is currently teaching ballet at Sonoma Ballet Conservatory. She also teaches hip hop, jazz, modern and yoga at Santa Rosa Junior College in Northern California. She is married to Brian Marchus, Dean at Valley Oak High School in Napa, CA. They have a two and a half year old son, Wallace Patrick Marchus and make their own 80 year old vine zinfandel wine on their property in Glen Ellen, CA.

Ms. Alice Y. Wu '91 (Music): Alice is currently teaching at Harvard University.

Andrea J. Buchanan '92 (Music): Andrea no longer runs the website sillymama.com. She is about to release her 5th book, titled *The Daring Book for Girls!* published by Harper Collins.

Mary Clark Colarusso '92 (Music): Mary appeared with the Civic Symphony Orchestra and has sung the national anthem at Patriots and Celtics games. She performed for George and Barbara Bush at the Bush & Clinton Katrina Relief event. She travels the nation with her husband, and has two children, Courtney (age 10), and Daniel Jr. (age 8). She will be performing at Loew's Motor Speedway and Mechanic's Hall for a Korean War Memorial with her husband and John McDermott.

Billy Johnstone '92 (Musical Theater): Billy directed the Ivoryton Playhouse production of *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* this past August.

Diane Pichette Plouffe '92 (Music): Diane's daughter is currently taking lessons with another TBC Alumna, Elizabeth Readon '90. Diane's honors orchestra/after school program recently won a gold medal at the MICA State Festival and performed at Symphony Hall.

Jon A. Scaman '92 (Musical Theater): Jon has worked in Financial Services in Atlanta for the past 7 years.

Renée Bond '93 (Music): Renee recently performed the Cimarosa *Flute Concerto* with the Southern Arizona Symphony Orchestra. Founding member of the Silverwood Duo flute/guitar Ensemble, she has performed in concerts throughout the United States including a debut recital at Carnegie Hall in New York. She and her husband David had a daughter, Chloe, last spring. www.silverwoodduo.com.

Katrina Steinberg Locklin '93 (Dance): Katrina is holding a dance workshop in November 2007 at Wellington High School in Florida.

Noah B. Racey '93 (Musical Theater): Since last year, Noah has been a cast member in the Broadway musical *Curtains*.

Jennifer Sagan '93 (Musical Theater): Jennifer was once a Rockette, but has since launched a new project called *When Women Walk*, where she teaches women how to carry themselves with physical dimension and leadership in 4-inch heels.

Michele Giangiacomo Cooper '94 (Music): Michele has performed in *La Boheme* and *La Traviata* with the Lyric Opera of Chicago.

Robert Couturier '94 (Music): Robert makes his living as a performer with many different groups: Granite State Brass for 9 years, a jazz combo group for a year, the Freeze Brothers Big Band, as an instructor in Trumpet at Ted Herbert's Music and Arts School, and at a community college music school in Concord, NH.

Wendy Hall Furtado '94 (Musical Theater): Wendy choreographs for the Fiddlehead Theatre.

Carrie Maille Hickey '94 (Dance): Carrie received her EdD in June, 2006 in teaching and learning. She works as an instructional leader in the Boston Public Schools.

Heather J. Kenneally '94 (Dance): Heather has a Gyrotonics Studio in Albany.

Jeremy A. Lindberg '94 (Dance): Jeremy is now an Associate Professor and Graduate Liaison at Oklahoma University. After leaving the Conservatory, he went to Madrid to study with a Flamenco teacher, which was his focus while at school. He also started a beginning Flamenco class at Oklahoma University and is pushing for an intermediate level as well. He also choreographs for OU's opera department.

Tracy Kash Thomas '94 (Music): Following graduation, Tracy moved to New York City where she pursued songwriting, releasing her first CD of all original material in 2000. After 6 years in New York City, Tracy moved back to Michigan, where she writes and performs regularly with her own group in addition to some side projects. Ian Anderson, of Jethro Tull fame, invited her on stage as a guest flutist at his 2003 State Theater concert in Detroit. In 2007, Tracy received two Detroit Music Award nominations, one for her dynamic new CD release, *There and Back Again*. More info can be found at www.tracykash.com.

Albert Tiu '94 (Music): Albert is now the head of the piano department at Singapore University.

Michael Bartel '95 '97 (Music): In July of 2007, Michael performed Rachmaninoff's No. 13 at the 10th anniversary of the Irvine Classical Music Series in Irvine, CA.

Jodi Rosenbaum Garcia '95 (Musical Theater): Jodi has a five year-old daughter, Christine, and is expecting another child.

Shiu-Ching Lee '95 (Music): Shiu-Ching's son has just turned two years old.

A.J. Teshin '95 (Musical Theater): A.J. just completed a new CD, *The Kurtt Weill Project*. He plans on performing recitals in the future featuring songs from his CD.

Janelle Tedesco '95 (Musical Theater): Janelle married a fiddle player and is still an Equity member.

Suzanne L. Chickering '96 (Music): Suzanne has been teaching middle school band for 12 years.

Kenji Kikuchi '96 '98 (Music): Kenji recently purchased a condo. He plays jazz saxophone and is getting many gigs around town.

Eric S. Parker '96 (Music): Eric is currently working as a political reporter.

Richard P. Stemple '96 (Music): Richard has three boys; Nate, Noah, and Nealon. He is the Director of Music at St. Benedict's in Northborough, MA.

Sophie Tokar '96 (Music): Sophie had a baby boy in August 2007.

Elisabeth A. Van Duynes '96 (Musical Theater): Elisabeth is currently working on a Mini-Tour of *White Christmas* with fellow alumnus Noah Reese '93.

Nancy Iwasa Bartlett '97 (Music): After graduating from The Boston Conservatory, Nancy went on to receive her Piano Technology Certificate '98 and Diploma '99 from the North Bennet Street School in Boston, MA. She has also sung with the church choirs at St. Ann By-The-Sea Roman Catholic Church in Marshfield, MA and is currently teaching voice and piano at Stoughton Music School. Nancy would like to share her heartfelt thanks for her good friend Mary Anne Paquin who gave her a chance to complete her studies at the Conservatory.

Lisa DeSiro '97 (Music): Lisa DeSiro was recently accepted into a low-residency MFA in Creative Writing program at Lesley University. She will be starting in June 2008. Lisa is the Editorial and Production Assistant for *C.P.E. Bach: The Complete Works*, a publishing project of the Packard Humanities Institute.

Adrienne Walker Dickson '97 (Music): Adrienne and her husband had their first son last year (Sep. 30, 2006). Christopher William Dickson already enjoys singing with mom and dad and moving to music.

Makhonyola Khoza '97 (Music): Makhonyola graduated from Phoenix Seminary with an M.A. in Biblical Leadership in May of 2006 and is currently serving Allegheny Center Alliance Church in Pittsburgh, PA as Pastor of Worship, Media and Arts. He is married to Marie and has two little boys: Ethan and Cameron.

Edward Lanouette '97 (Music): Ed is currently working for Frank Aresti from Fates Warning.

Deborah Oliveira '97 (Music): Deborah is a voice teacher for undergraduate students at the Federal University in Brazil.

Seth-Adam Tenenbaum '97 (Music): Seth is still working at Bank of America and very happy.

Susan Dunning Richard '97 (Music): Susan is currently working in Development at Bates College in Maine. She has also been teaching voice privately for the last 8 months.

Eric J. Bermani '98: (Music) Eric is now at the Boston University School of Theology pursuing his second Masters degree, this one in Sacred Theology. He plans on staying there to pursue his Doctorate.

Katherine Digby '98 (Music): Kate's dance troupe, Digby Dance, recently performed in *Stars at Night*, presented by the Greensboro Ballet in Greensboro, NC. They also performed in *Seeds & Studies* at Green Street Studios in Cambridge, MA.

Allison Jacobs '98 (Dance): Allison is currently performing in a show in Lancaster, PA that is an American Musical Theater Review. She has also previously worked on a cruise ship.

Patricia Leonard '98 (Music): Patricia will be premiering a new piece in Perugia, Italy in the Festival Senza Frontier on November 23. In February, her work entitled *Diabolique* for electric violin and piano will be performed at Symphony Space in NYC. She is currently working on a musical called *Imagining John* and also working on an opera and orchestral piece.

Andria Savage '98 (Music): Annie is a professional harpist and violinist. She also teaches orchestra at a middle school.

Katherine Adams '99 (Musical Theater): Katie is the standby for Glinda in *Wicked* in NYC.

Jennifer Anderson '99 (Music) and Dean Marcellana '96 (Music): Jennifer and Dean now live in Ohio and are both actively performing. Jennifer recently sang in *La Boheme* with Opera Columbus and also performs recitals. She is an adjunct professor at Kenyon College and teaches privately. Dean is a collaborative pianist and staff accompanist at Capitol University. He is also a member of the Afro-Rican Ensemble, which actively tours and will be playing at the Cape May Jazz Festival in New Jersey and the Millennium Jazz Fest at The Kennedy Center. Dean and Jennifer have two children, Mia and Leo.

Mariangela Lopez '99 (Dance): Mariangela is the Director of Accidental Movement (www.accidentalmovement.org). She is actively choreographing and producing and will premiere a new piece, *AHmigration*.

Jo Francine Manning-Souza '86 '99 (Music): Jo Francine is no longer teaching K-12 and was recently ORF certified.

Colleen McGrath '99 (Music): Colleen performed in a recital at First United Church of Corning, NY. Previously she has performed with opera companies across the United States including Des Moines Metro Opera, San Francisco Opera, Opera North and Opera New England. She is represented by Wade Artist Management in New York City.

Faye DeBonis Meyer '99 (Musical Theater): Faye received her Equity card and performed in *The Full Monty* at The Montgomery Theater in Souderton, PA.

Melissa Caldwell Quinn '99 (Music): After spending six years working in the yachting industry, Melissa accepted a position with the fledgling Newport Performing Arts Center, which will be known as the Opera House, in Newport, RI. The building is currently being renovated as it was built in 1868 and later turned into a three screen movie theater. They hope to open the doors in 2009. The theater has 550 seats and they hope to showcase small scale operas, musicals and chamber orchestras and groups. They are always looking for talent to showcase and Melissa hopes to support The Boston Conservatory community as much as possible. Additionally, Melissa is still the principal clarinetist for the Newport County Orchestra and her husband of two years is doing very well in his sailing career.

Robert Thorp '99 (Music): The Synergy Brass Quintet is still going strong and has more performances than ever. They also dedicate much of their time to educating younger musicians in the public schools and by presenting master classes at the collegiate level. The Synergy Brass Quintet has also held residencies at the Boston University Tanglewood Institute, the International Festival at Roundtop and the Rockport Chamber Music Festival.

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Erin Davie '00 (Musical Theater): Erin made her Broadway Debut last year in *Grey Gardens* and won a theatre world award for her role. She will next appear in the new Ahren's and Flaherty musical *The Glorious Ones* at Lincoln Center.

Ryoko Kudo '00 (Dance): Ryoko is still dancing with the Limón Dance Company. She is now a certified Pilates instructor.

Christopher J.A. O'Hara '00 (Music): Chris founded the Synergy Brass Quintet with fellow Alumni Bobby Thorp '98. This past season Synergy has performed for the International Festival at Round Top, the Festival de Camara de Aguascalientes in Mexico, and just recently closed the season performing a concert with the Boston Pops and Natalie Cole.

Brian Wallenmeyer '00 (Music): Brian is working at MIT as the Executive Director of Media.

Leslie Randle Chapman '01 (Musical Theater): Leslie finished a run of a new adaptation of *The Hobbit* with puppets for children at the Backstage Theatre in Breckenridge, CO. Leslie also music directed and performed the role of DeeDee in the four woman musical, *Why Do Fools Fall in Love* at the Lake Dillon Theatre in Lake Dillon, CO.

Li-Chen Chiu '01 (Music): Li-Chen is teaching voice and piano at home. She also is the proud mother of a three-year-old.

Jacqueline Colmer '01 (Musical Theater): Jackie is currently performing in the *Man of La Mancha* at Casa Manana.

Alison Cook '01 (Dance): Upon graduating in 2001, Ali worked with various independent choreographers and then auditioned for Taylor 2, a part of The Paul Taylor Dance Company. Ali has been dancing with Mr. Taylor's second company since the summer of 2002, performing and teaching his work extensively throughout the U.S. and abroad. She was given the opportunity to perform with the main company as an understudy in Santiago, Chile, the Hollywood Bowl, and Lincoln Center Out of Doors, performing Mr. Taylor's works *Cloven Kingdom* and *Promethean Fire*. She has also done work with choreographers David Dorfman and Sean Curran as well as fitness modeling on the side. Ali is currently on tour with T2 and is still enjoying the work and the journey. Ali also got engaged to her high school sweetheart Nick Beatty.

Thang Dao '01 (Dance): In November the Thang Dao Dance Company will be performing at the Ailey Citigroup Theater during the 2007 Contemporary Dance Festival, which Thang is producing. Kurt Douglas '02 will be performing with the company as a guest artist from the Limón Dance Company.

Sara Kalarovitch '01 (Musical Theater): Sally recently married Aaron Kalarovitch and just performed as Muzzy van Hossmere in *Thoroughly Modern Millie* in Cocoa Beach, FL. She also teaches for a children's theatre program there.

Kimberly Overtree '01 (Musical Theater): Kimberly is currently directing theatre at the Upper-Walker School.

Tiffany Radovich '01 (Music): Tiffany currently works at Biffet Crampone, a clarinet manufacturer, in the Sales Department. She will soon be moving to Florida to continue working at the company. She is also free-lancing in oboe, french horn, and flute and teaches privately.

Benjie Randall '01 (Musical Theater): Benjie is currently playing the role of Phil Davis in *White Christmas* at the Denver Center for the Performing Arts.

Jacque Wilson '01 (Music): Jacque will be performing in several productions: as Alisa in *Lucia di Lammermoor* with the Granite State Opera, Aaron Copeland's *In the Beginning* with the Newton Choral Society, and Prince Olovsky in *Die Fleidermaus* with the Longwood Opera with fellow Alumna Rebecca Saslow.

Jennifer Bill '02 (Music): Jennifer is teaching Saxophone at Boston University.

Kurt Douglas '02 (Dance): Kurt is performing as a guest artist with the Thang Dao Dance Company during the 2007 Contemporary Dance Festival at the Ailey Citigroup Theater in November.

Erik P. Fecke '02 (Music): Erik has two children and is the Director of Bands in the Hamilton-Wenham Regional School District. He was hired before he finished student teaching and is currently pursuing his masters.

Junichi Fukuda '02 (Dance): Junichi is still teaching in NYC and dancing.

Kevin Mark Kline '02 (Musical Theater): Kevin recently directed *Amahl and the Night Visitors* at Riverside Theatre Works and premiered *Gorilla Man* with Boston Theatre Works. Kevin has also directed *I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change* with Arlington Friends of Drama and *Children of Eden* with Riverside Theatre Works. He will be directing the TBC performance of *Chess* this spring and *Music Man* with Riverside Theatre Works.

Alejandra Lagos '02 (Music) and James G. Lindsay, II '02 (Music): Alejandra and James are currently teaching music at a private school in NYC.

Constantine Maroulis '02 (Musical Theater): Constantine has a recurring role on the soap opera *The Bold and the Beautiful* where he plays himself and sings on the show. He was a presenter at the Emmy Awards, and is touring this winter. He has also started a new record label, called Sixth Place.

Harriet Richey McMeekin '02 (Dance): Harriet joined Ballet San Jose in October of 2007 and is working on *Carmina Burana*.

Mary Joanna Webster '02 (Music): Mary is teaching piano and voice at a studio in Boston. She recently directed a production of *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown* at Bentley College.

Elisa West '02 (Music): Elisa has been appointed Head Choir Director at Coppel High School in Coppel, Arizona.

Ariel Buck '03 (Musical Theater): Ariel is moving to Northern California.

Nicholas Cearley '03 (Musical Theater): Nick just finished the tour of *All Shook Up* and is now performing with a new musical as part of the New York Musical Theatre Festival, titled *Bernice Bobs Her Mullet* by Joe Major. It is based on a short story by F. Scott Fitzgerald.

Sarah Faulkner '03 (Music): Sarah is currently a high school choir director and is singing professionally.

Linda Feldmann '03 (Music): Linda is currently teaching at the University of Wisconsin.

Holgen Gjoni '03 (Music): Holgen received his M.M. from Juilliard and was a finalist for positions in the Boston Symphony Orchestra and the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra.

Wendy Bryn Harmer '03 (Music): Wendy is booked at The Met through 2010 and will be performing in *The Ring Cycle* in 2009. She also has a website: www.wendybrynharmer.com.

Elena Gutierrez Milnes '03 (Musical Theater): Elena recently acted in the Beatles film *Across the Universe* directed by Julie Taymour. She will soon be performing in *A Chorus Line* at Northern Stage in Vermont, and is teaching dance all over northern NJ.

Adam Snider '03 (Music): Adam recently won a one-year position as principal tuba with the Honolulu Symphony Orchestra.

Maria Tsafoulis '03 (Music): Maria married an Air Force officer who moved her to Hawaii on May 18, 2003 - the day after graduation!

Erin Evers '04 (Musical Theater): Erin will be performing in *Grease* at the Roxy Regional Theatre in Clarksville, TN.

Jason Felitto '04 (Music): Jason spent ten weeks touring Europe with his band, Skyline. They perform opera, jazz and pop styles. Jason is also currently teaching.

Kevin Ferguson '04 (Music): Kevin is living in NYC and dancing for Parsons Dance Company.

Sandra Ferreira-Iannone '04 (Music): Sandra is currently working at St. Anthony's Church in Allston and started a Brazilian Community Choir.

Joshua Grisetti '04 (Musical Theater): Josh is currently starring in the MUFTI production of *Enter Laughing* at the York Theatre in New York. He is also playing Pinocchio in *Shrek: The Musical* which is in workshop this fall and scheduled to hit Broadway in Fall 2008, after premiering on the West Coast.

Matthew Hoffman '04 (Musical Theater): Matthew is the host of a talk show called *City Scoop* on NYC Television, where he reviews what is happening in New York City. He also owns his own clothing company, which makes funny T-Shirts, called Bleeckerandsullivan.com.

Michelle Imhof '04 (Dance): Michelle is working for Holland America Cruise Line through Stiletto Entertainment Agency.

Lindsay Leopold '04 (Musical Theater): Lindsay married in October 2006 and is now living in Chicago, IL and attending The Theatre School at DePaul University. She is pursuing her M.F.A. in Acting and plans to graduate in 2009.

Kasey Marino '04 (Musical Theater): Kasey is now performing in *Hairspray* on Broadway.

Ellie Mayer '04 (Dance): Ellie recently married and is moving from NYC to Utah.

Shawn Michalek '04 '06 (Music): Shawn is the Vice President of The Zeltsman Marimba Festival which is held every summer.

Cristian Pastorello '04 (Music): Cristian hopes to return to Italy one day with his wife.

Dayla Perkins '04 (Musical Theater): Dayla performed in a production of *Urban Cowboy* at the Gateway Playhouse. She is also performing in *White Christmas* at the Carosel Alerin Theatre in Ohio. She still lives with her Conservatory roommate.

Shannon Plumstead '04 (Dance): Shannon has been ballet dancing and choreographing since graduation.

Dennis Shafer '04 (Music): Dennis has returned to the United States after studying in Paris. He is currently pursuing his Artist Diploma at Longy School of Music.

Adam Souza '04 (Music): Adam is the assistant conductor of the first national tour of *Spamalot*. It is coming to Boston in January of 2008.

Alysha Umphress '04 (Musical Theater): Alysha performed in Barrington Stage Company's premiere production of a new musical called *Funked Up Fairytales* in July of 2007 and performed in the company's review of new music with composer William Finn.

Anne Wellington '04 (Dance): Anne is now married and has a baby.

Kirsten Young '04 (Music): Kirsten is dancing and choreographing for fun. She received her yoga certification in 2005 and is teaching for Yogaworks, one of the top studios in NYC. She is also teaching pilates mat and machines and working on her gyrotonics certification.

Adam Armstrong '05 (Musical Theater): Adam appeared in a Rogers & Hart musical at the Stanford Theatre. He also had a small role on *Guiding Light* as Michael. He will be premiering as Lockwood in *The Lost Boys* at the Amenson Theatre in LA soon. He spent this past summer at the Sacramento Music Circus and performed in *Les Miserables*, *Annie Get Your Gun*, and *Jeckyl & Hyde*.

Louise Becam '05 (Music): Louise has been the mezzo-soprano soloist at St. Cecilia's Church since 2005. She is currently in school pursuing her Music Education degree.

Carla Bendersky '05 (Music): Carla returned to Buenos Aires, Argentina in September 2005. She is currently taking lessons at the school of the Teatro Colon as well as some masters degree level classes. She is also singing in the choruses of two opera companies, Buenos Aires Lirica (www.balirica.org.ar) and Juventus Lyrica (www.juventuslyrica.org.ar). She has performed in many operas with them, including: *Faust*, *Il Trovatore*, *La Boheme*, *Madame Butterfly*, and *Der Fliegende Hollander*. Additionally, Carla has her own voice studio.

Brandon Davidson '05 (Musical Theater): Brandon starred as Joseph in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* at the Ivoryton Playhouse this past August.

Carrie Elrod '05 (Dance): Carrie works for Coors Light. She is a market manager and hires promotional models.

Phillip Fazio '05 (Musical Theater): Phillip is Artist in Residence at the Phoenix Theatre. He also acts and directs at the Phoenix Theatre. Phillip was also a member of the Lincoln Centre Director's Lab during the summer of 2007.

Jonathan Gealt '05 (Musical Theater): Jonathan has been performing in benefit concerts and just finished a demo CD for the musical he wrote.

Christine Hardisty '05 (Musical Theater): Christine moved to NYC for a year after graduation. She has now moved back to Maryland and is teaching voice to high school students and taking classes in order to teach English and Drama. The high school is performing *Pirates of Penzance* this year and Christine will be a pirate.

Ann Kjerulf '05 (Music): Ann is a freelance musician.

Danny Kirkwood '05 (Musical Theater): Danny performed the role of Ruben in the Ivoryton Playhouse production of *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* this past August.

Youngju Lee '05 (Music): Last June, Youngju held a piano recital at Carnegie Hall.

Cedric Leiba, Jr. '05 (Musical Theater): Cedric recently opened as Diego at the Kodak Theater in LA and performed at the celebrity show. Cedric also appeared as Diego with Eva Longoria while representing a charity group called the PADRES.

Brian Mahany '05 (Musical Theater): Michael was in the original off-Broadway company of *Spring Awakening*. He is now in the national tour of Disney's *High School Musical*, originating the role of Jack Scott, a new character not in the original film.

Thomas Schmidt '05 (Music): Tom will be the onstage snare drummer for Boston Lyric Opera's production of *La Boheme* at the Schubert Theatre this November.

Shannon Seymour '05 (Music): Shannon is moving to New York City in the spring to pursue her singing career.

Nicholas Tolle '05 (Music): Nick performed Joan Tower's 2001 percussion concerto, *Strike Zones*, with the Tanglewood Music Center Orchestra this summer. He received outstanding reviews from the New York Times, the Albany Times-Union, and the Berkshire Eagle.

Jaime E. Alberts '06 (Music): After graduating, Jaime taught for one year at Arlington Middle School. She is currently teaching in the Newton Public Schools.

Andrew (Ryan) Bogner '06 (Musical Theater): Ryan just finished a reading of a show directed by Scott Forth and finished a tour of *Seussical*.

Sean M. Breen '06 (Music): Sean is currently in Berlin taking an intensive German course, auditioning and teaching English.

Manny Dayao '06 (Music): Manny has been doing musical theatre gigs, directing orchestra pits, teaching at a music school and an elementary school, and directing the local church choir.

Douglas Goodhart '06 (Musical Theater): Doug is currently in the Asian tour of *Sponge Bob Squarepants*.

Rachel Siegel Matz '06 (Music): Rachel is teaching voice and piano at the Connecticut School of Music and she sings with several companies in Fairfield County.

Andrew H. Nishikawa '06 (Music): Andrew is currently working on his doctorate at Rice under commission for a New Hospital Opening.

Lauren E. Pincourt '06 (Music): Lauren is earning her Masters in Music Education, focusing on elementary and middle school, at Boston University and will graduate in 2008. She is also getting married in June of 2008.

Rebecca Rasmussen '06 (Dance): Rebecca will be leaving soon to dance in Spain with MOMIX. She has been touring the world with them, including the United States, Greece, Spain, Italy, Germany, Monte Carlo and Canada.

Heather Rose '06 (Dance): Heather is a member of a modern dance company in Orlando, FL. She wants to become a high school teacher of Dance or Mathematics.

Lois Toepfner '06 (Music): Lois is serving on the Professional Networking and Public Relations National Committee of the American Guild of Organists. She was also a featured recitalist on the 2007 Summer Organ Recital Series of the prestigious Methuen Memorial Music Hall.

Rachel Bertone '07 (Musical Theater): Rachel performed with The Reagle Players in Waltham, MA this past summer, appearing in *Singin' in the Rain*, *The King and I*, and *42nd Street*.

Audrey Burns '07 (Dance): Audrey is now a member of The Ellen Sinopoli Dance Company, resident company of The Egg in Albany, NY.

Danielle Burr '07 (Musical Theater): Dani is making her NYC debut as Dorothy in the new Off-Off Broadway play, *Yellow Brick Monologues* by Casey Jones at the Sage Theatre. The play is "a collection of personal thoughts from the citizens of Oz, Dorothy, and her little dog, too."

John W. Gomez '07 (Music): John sang excerpts of *L'Elisir D'Amore* with Boston Lyric Opera as part of The City of Boston's Waterfront Performing Arts Series. BLO will present a 90 minute program of operatic hits on Boston's idyllic waterfront at Christopher Columbus Park. John will make his international operatic debut at the Tel Aviv-Yafo Opera House in March, 2008. He will be performing opera scenes in a series of performances.

Jennifer Hegmann '07 (Music): Jen is currently pursuing her M.M. in Voice Performance at George Mason University.

Angessa Hughmanick '07 (Dance): This summer Angessa performed in *The King and I* and *42nd Street* with the Reagle Players. She also participated in The Radio City Rockette Intensive and worked on the sets of the upcoming films *The Women* and *Bachelor No. 2*.

Janet E. Jacobson '07 (Music): Janet is teaching music history at a community college.

Ryan Malyar '07 (Musical Theater): Since graduating, Ryan has toured Southeast Asia in *Spongebob Squarepants Live!* playing the role of Larry the Lobster and understudying Spongebob. This October Ryan will perform the role of Feuilly in *Les Miserables* at North Shore Music Theatre in Beverly, MA.

Daniel Micciche '07 (Musical Theater): Dan is making his New York City debut, playing the role of Francis in *Gemini the Musical* in the New York Musical Theatre Festival.

Melinda K. Moore '07 (Musical Theater): Melinda is currently understudying three out of four roles in *RESPECT: A Musical Journey of Women* at The Chanhassen Dinner Theater in Minneapolis, MN. The show runs through March 2008. She is also teaching theater and creative drama full time at Mounds Park Academy in St. Paul, MN and directing their advanced actors in the winter show. This year the show is *Our Town*.

Weston W. Olson '07 (Musical Theater): Weston is performing in *Les Miserables* at the North Shore Theatre through November.

Carissa M. Pitkin '07 (Music): Carissa is pursuing her Masters in Musicology at Cincinnati Conservatory of Music.

Megan Simmons '07 (Music): Megan was chosen as a Young Artist with Wichita Grand Opera. She is also teaching private voice at William Jewell University and will be getting married in July.

Erin M. Sjostrom '07 (Musical Theater): Erin is moving to NYC in January.

Abigail Maupin*: Abigail, along with her husband Gregory, performs with Le Petomane, a six-person ensemble doing original shows with an accent on clowning, satire and the use of masks.

Anna Besserud (Musical Theater):** Anna, who is now married, moved to Chicago where she is interning for a Casting Agency and auditioning for commercial jobs.

Megan Birdsall*: Megan released her second jazz CD, *Little Jazz Bird*, in mid-October. She is also having surgery to replace her jaw, which has corroded, with a titanium jaw replacement. Her family and friends organized a benefit on Oct. 17th in Kansas City to help raise money to pay for the medical bills. The benefit was sponsored by the Kansas City Jazz Ambassadors with its Musicians Emergency Assistance Fund.

Jason Brenner (Music) *: Jason currently teaches private voice. He recently performed *The Full Monty* at the Venice Little Theatre, which caused major controversy because he was teaching in a high school at the time.

Rebecca Frezza:** Rebecca performed with her band, Big Truck, at The Center for Arts in Natick.

Chris Hersch*: Chris and his band, Onese, are currently touring the Northeast. When they return to Boston they will finish recording their debut album with the hopes of releasing it next spring.

Jay Larkin*: Jay has been named to the position of President and Chief Operating Officer of The International Fight League, the world's number one team-based professional mixed martial arts league.

Suzanne Lockwood:** Suzanne has been singing for 20 years and is currently singing with a jazz trio.

Don MacPherson*: Don owns the Sweet Fanny Adams Theatre in Gatlinburg, TN with his wife, Pat. The theatre is celebrating its 31st anniversary.

Brian McDonald **: Brian will be directing the upcoming Rubicon Theatre production of *Bus Stop* in 2008. In his role as Educational Director at Rubicon Theatre, Brian

directed their first youth musical performance and created their Theatre Camp program.

Maria Perry*: Maria won PopSearch 2007, a nation wide competition hosted by the Boston Pops. The award included a \$5,000 prize as well as being a featured guest artist on the Pops' summer tour.

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