

WELCOME

AOSHS Annual Meeting July 17, 2015

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About Us - Historical Collections -

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Memorials -

The overseas education of more than four million American children and youth since World War II is an unwritten chapter in the history of American education and represents the schooling of several generations under circumstances unique to human history.

Today the U. S. Departments of Defense and State operate or assist more than 300 schools in over 100 foreign countries. Additionally there are more than 600 private American owned or supported schools abroad.

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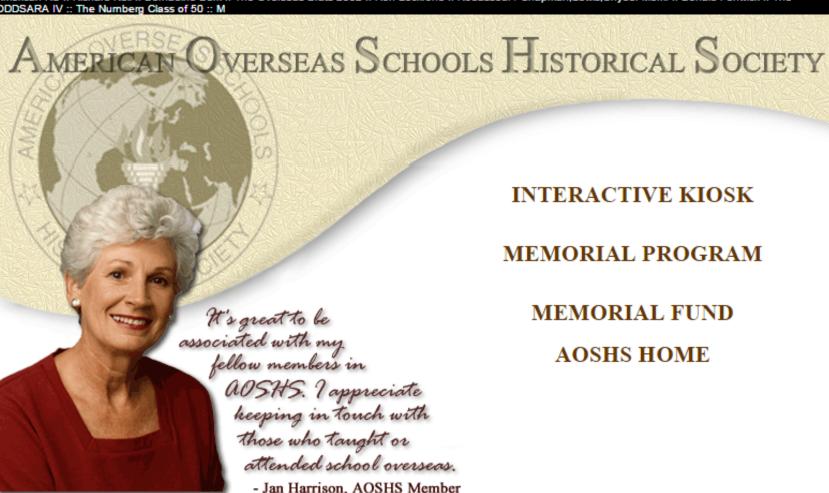
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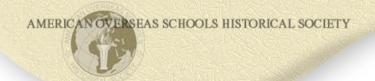
Online Memorial & Kiosk

(under "Memorials")

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Joan Wilcox
John & Barbara Williams
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Duncan Weir
Fred Welch
Rita Wells
Cornelia (Candy) Wierengo
G. D. (Robert) Williams
Charles Willis
John Winkler







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Click on Brick or Paver to View Virtual Memorial

John Winkler was honored with a Premium Paver by: Elizabeth Winkler.

John R. Winkler 1928-1995

John was born and grew up in Trenton, Illinois. He graduated from Illinois State University where he was on the basketball team and the cross country squad.

He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. On his return he taught P.E. and history at Aviston and Chicago, Illinois.

John began his overseas career in Casablanca, Morocco in 1959, and worked in a total of ten DoD schools until his retirement from Sembach, Germany in 1988. He thoroughly enjoyed his overseas career and felt very privileged to have been associated with DoDDS. During his career, he taught P.E. and Social Studies, as well as coaching several sports, the chief one being basketball.

The height of his coaching career came in 1972 when he was basketball coach for the Mannheim HS "Bisons" in Germany. In the past few years they had been soundly trounced by the all-powerful Heidelberg HS team, who had won three straight Class A crowns. John knew he had to make changes in his team's game to beat them. That year, the Bisons won ten league games and suffered only two defeats, but they still had Heidelberg to defeat in the final, which seemed an impossible task. However, they prevailed and the stunning upset was labeled "the biggest surprise in USDESEA basketball." John earned the Stars and Stripes 'Coach of the Year' recognition as well as the moniker of "the sly old fox" by Stars and Stripes sports reporter, Ben Abrams.

He went on to London Central HS, England and Frankfurt HS, Germany where his teams won the U.K. title and two league titles.

John met his wife, Elizabeth, in England in 1974. After retirement, they settled in Florida. Sadly, he lost his courageous battle against pulmonary fibrosis in March 1995.

Prepared by Elizabeth Winkler.



Archives Manager, Ron Harrison

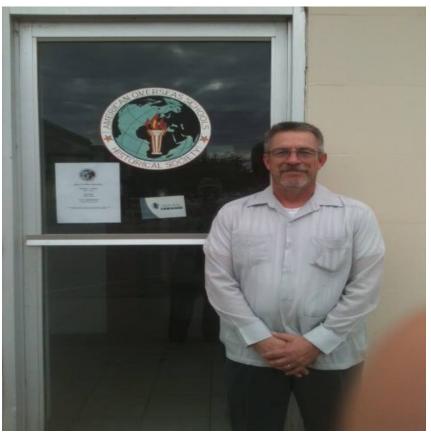






AOSHS Office and Manager, Robert Webster







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Tom Drysdale Scholarships for Academics and the Arts



- \$2,000 scholarships split between current Baumholder & Kubasaki Brats (2015)
- \$1,500 scholarship for the Brat Art Institute Art Camp at Old Dominion U. in VA
- Professional Artists (former Brats) teaching current Brats in Drawing/Painting, Film,
 Sculpture, and Writing/Theater/Performance
 - Scholarships started and funded, so far, solely by DoDDS alumni Brats.



We want to do this <u>every</u> year.

Overseas Brats don't have the same sources for aid as their US counterparts.

Please make a donation at the AOSHS table for the Tom Drysdale Scholarship Fund

Quarterly Publishers

On the left Dr. Allen Dale Olson and in the middle Dr. Circe Olson Woessner





Quarterly Publication Schedule

- Published Summer, Fall, Winter and Spring
 - Articles due before January 15, April 15,
 August 15 and October 15
 - 2 weeks prior draft to President
 - 1 week proofread copy returned
 - 1 week final copy sent to President
 - 1 week final copy sent to publisher to print and mail to members

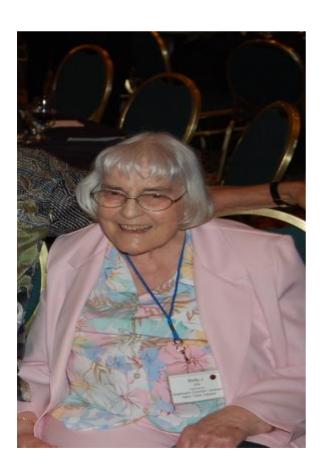


'Betty Ellis Project'

is an example of DoDDS working together...for a beneficial outcome

Jack & Lesley Lojko (left) and Betty Ellis (right)







Museum Update

 Museum of American Military Families (MAMF) in Albuquerque, New Mexico

Daughters of American Revolution (DAR)



Recognition of important volunteers who work all year...

Volunteer of the Year presented at the AOSHS September Board Meeting 2014

Myrna C. Margraf





Greetings from Gayle Vaughn-Wiles, AOSHS President

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Personal comments from Gayle Vaughn-Wiles, AOSHS President



AOSHS Board of Directors

- Board of Director resigned after September 2014 meeting in Wichita
- Bylaws allow position to be filled for new 3 years term
- Received nomination from Board of Directors for position
- Announcement of nomination
- Membership vote at Annual Meeting



Come see us in the Hospitality Room!

Raffle...



Join us for the 4 pm AOSHS Forum

Thank you for attending!





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