


**1956**

**Joan Shoemaker** of Rocky Hill, Conn., retired from the Connecticut State Department of Education in 1997. She spends two days a week as a docent at the Wadsworth Athenaeum Museum of Art, the oldest public art museum in the country. She will celebrate her 10th year in this position. She also works on the advisory council for the North Central Connecticut Area Agency on Aging. She is a graduate of the Leadership Greater Hartford Third Age Initiative. Joan keeps in touch with **Gail (Laines) Chase**, **Helen (Krachenfels) Reed** and **Della (King) Keller**.

**1963****Reunion Oct. 3-5** 

**Nick Alesandro** retired six years ago as manager of the Morgan Stanley Dean Witter Albany, N.Y., office. His career spanned 33 years in the stock brokerage business. He currently serves on the board of directors of the Albany Park Playhouse, where he is advertising manager. He spends his spare time golfing and following the New York Yankees. He and Jeanne, his wife of 41 years, have two children, Nicholas and Courtney, and two grandchildren, Mia and Henry.

**1965**

**Donald L. Davis** is chairman of the board of directors of ACTS Retirement-Life Communities Inc. Davis, a certified public accountant, is a retired shareholder in the accounting firm of

Philadelphia-based Asher & Company Ltd., where he was the director of accounting and auditing. Davis has served on the ACTS board since 1994 and has previously held the positions of treasurer and vice chairman.

**1966**

**Michael G. Hudick** is working toward his certified financial planner license in Los Gatos, Calif., where he offers comprehensive financial planning and retirement planning for small businesses. He retired from his position as senior scientist at IBM Corp. in 1996. In his free time, he bikes, skis and hikes.

**1967**

**Richard L. Kramer**, C.P.A., received the 2008 Distinguished Public Service Award of the Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants. This award recognizes CPAs who attain a high level of public service, who positively reflect the contributions that CPAs make in their communities, and who encourage more CPAs to become involved in charitable endeavors. Kramer is the principal of Tax Management Group, Pittston, Pa. He serves on the Wilkes University Alumni Association board of directors and is a past president of the Kiwanis Club of Wilkes-Barre, PICPA Northeast Chapter and Jewish Family Service. He resides in Edwardsville, Pa., with his wife, Ruth. They are the proud parents of daughters Rebecca Stitzer and Allison

Kramer and the grandparents of Jacob and Robin Stitzer.

**Bill Schmidt** and wife Gretchen have been touring the United States in their 30-foot fifth-wheel since July 2007. During their travels, the couple visited **Doug Haughwout '64** and his wife, Ann, in Atlanta, Ga., in February, and met up with them again at an RV rally in March. The couple also traveled to Wilmington, N.C., to visit **Col. John Moyer '69** and his wife, Paula. The Schmidts will be working in Skagway, Alaska, this summer and encourage classmates to contact them by email at [bng438@yahoo.com](mailto:bng438@yahoo.com).

**John Pilosi** recently retired as a school counselor from Immaculate Conception School, Clinton, N.J.

**1969**

**Marc M. Levey**, a partner at the law firm Baker & McKenzie LLP, has been recognized as one of the "Best of the Best" in tax in Legal Media Group's Expert Guides series 2008. Levey joined Baker & McKenzie's New York office in 1997 and was elected partner in 1998. He is admitted to practice in the states of New York, California, Pennsylvania and Illinois and in the District of Columbia.

**Joe Wiendl** of Stockton, Calif., and **Bernie Vinovrski** of Fresno, Calif., both members of the Golden Horde football team, met to reminisce and plan the

upcoming Oct. 3-5 reunion. They also celebrated the birthday of **Marcella (Wroblewski) Vinovrski '70**. Bernie is associate vice president of enrollment services at California State University in Fresno, Calif. Marcella teaches first-grade special needs children. Joe works in sales for Contour Bed Systems in northern California.

**1971**

**Richard Mark** retired from Faith That Works Ministries in November 2007, ending 39 years of ministry. Mark served in the United Methodist Church from 1967 to 1990 and Faith That Works Ministries from 1992 to 2007. He was recently honored for his years of service by The Worship Center in Lancaster, Pa., with a special service.

**1972**

**Ron Rittenmeyer**, chairman, CEO and president of EDS, will continue to run the company after completion of its planned sale to Hewlett-Packard. Rittenmeyer will join HP's executive council and report to HP's chairman and chief executive officer. The acquisition is subject to customary closing conditions, including approval of EDS stockholders.

**1973****Reunion Oct. 3-5** 

**Richard Mendelsohn** works for Sacramento County Child Protective Services in Sacramento, Calif. His position includes conducting

investigations of abuse, neglect and molestation of children.

### 1980

**Diane (Brodbeck) Lowe** and husband George recently retired to Arizona, where they participate in golf, tennis, pickleball and various other activities. The couple continues to work and reside in California but enjoy their time in their Arizona home. Their son John '06 works in Philadelphia. They are also the parents of George and William.

### 1983

#### Reunion Oct. 3-5

**Stuart J. Kall** published his second novel, *America's Most Gangsta*. It is available on Amazon.com, Barnesandnoble.com and americasmostgangsta.com.

**Scot Lefebvre** is a senior quality assurance analyst for UPS Information Systems Division in Timonium, Md.

### 1985

**Timothy Williams** runs the technology departments for two school districts in Lancaster County as part of a cooperative agreement. He has been director of information technology for the Manheim Township School District for the last eight years and was recently named technology director at Eastern Lancaster County School District. He resides in East Petersburg, Pa., with daughter Anna and sons Grant and Owen.

### 1987

**Kimberly (Tokach) Kellar** recently passed the nephrology nursing certification examination. She is board-certified in general nursing practice and is currently the nurse manager of Kennedy Health System's Out-Patient Dialysis Unit in Voorhees, N.J. She lives in Woolwich, N.J., with husband Jim and two daughters, Taylor and Hayley.

**Allan Knox** is a mass rescue operations program analyst in the U.S. Coast Guard. In this position, he manages the U.S. Coast Guard Mass Rescue Operations program, as well as serving as agency expert and representative specifically as it relates to mass rescue operations. Allan and wife Elizabeth, daughter Mackenzie and son Shawn reside in Yorktown, Va.

**Shirley Nelson Brough** recently joined Computer Support Services Inc.'s technical services group as a Microsoft Certified Business Solutions Specialist, implementing, training and supporting customers who use Microsoft Dynamics GP accounting software. Brough owns a small business consulting firm that provides accounting, management consulting and training services. She served as an adjunct lecturer in financial

accounting and small business management at Susquehanna University and was a senior financial analyst for Geisinger Health System.

### 1988

#### Reunion Oct. 3-5

**Leonard F. Witzak** and his wife, **Elizabeth Smith Witzak M '98**, announce the birth of their son, Aiden Robert, on Dec. 29, 2008. He joins a brother, Charlie, age seven. Leonard is the owner/operator of Witzak Tax and Financial Services, and Elizabeth is the Early Childhood Coordinator for Wilkes-Barre Area School District. The family resides in Wilkes-Barre.

### 1989

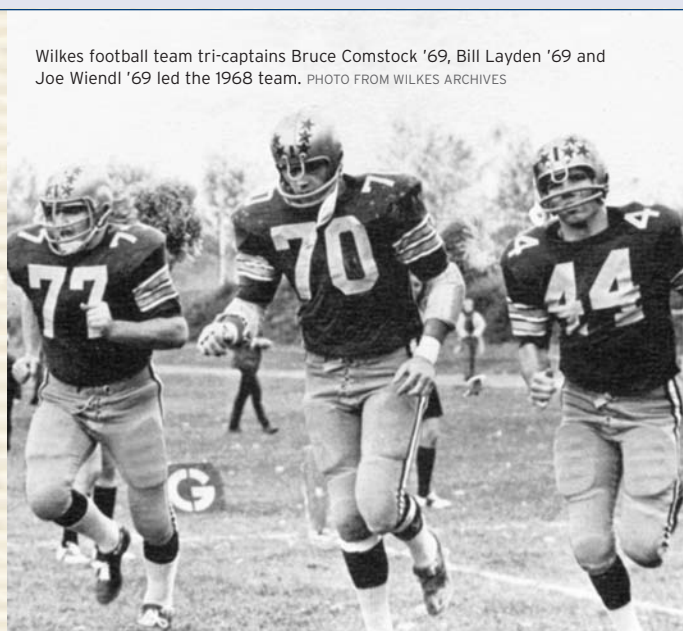
**Lisa (Kravitz) Miller** and her husband, Scott, announce the birth of their daughter, Sienna. She joins a brother, Jagger.

## Recall the Days of Schmidt's "Golden Horde"

Celebrate the Wilkes football tradition during Homecoming weekend, Oct. 3 to 5. For the 75th Anniversary, a special reunion is being organized for the Golden Horde and all of Coach Rollie Schmidt's teams.

Recognize the Golden Horde and Wilkes football at the Tailgate Tent and the game. Then join a post-game reception in the Student Center.

**For more information about Homecoming activities, including the Golden Horde Reunion, see <http://community.wilkes.edu/2008homecoming>.**



Wilkes football team tri-captains Bruce Comstock '69, Bill Layden '69 and Joe Wiendl '69 led the 1968 team. PHOTO FROM WILKES ARCHIVES

**1990**

**Lori Sportelli**, O.D., was named “Optometrist of the Year” by the Maryland Optometric Association in December 2007.

**1991**

**Dina Gavenas Nathan** announces the birth of daughter Haylee Elisabeth Nathan on Oct. 26, 2007.

**Anthony M. Orlando** and wife Gina announce the birth of their twin sons, Eric Anthony and Nathan Michael, born Sept. 30, 2007. They join a sister, Olivia, age four.

**1992**

**Regina Costanzo-Krieger** is a special education teacher and athletics coach in the East Stroudsburg Area School District, East Stroudsburg, Pa. She is also a driver education teacher for Costanzo’s Driving School, a family business.

**1993**

**Reunion Oct. 3-5** 

**Karen Gerlach** completed a Ph.D. in education at American University in Washington, D.C.

**Frank Mitchell** earned a master’s degree in higher education administration from CUNY Brauch College.

**Bonnee Breese** received a Lindback Distinguished Teaching Award on April 15, 2008. The award was given to one outstanding teacher from each of 61 Philadelphia public high schools. Breese teaches English at Overbrook High School.

**1995**

**Kimberly Escarge Keller M’97** and husband Chris announce the birth of daughter Kaitlynn Nicole on Aug. 15, 2007. Keller is a senior accountant in the controller’s office at Wilkes University. The family resides in Dallas, Pa.

**1998**

**Reunion Oct. 3-5** 

**Michael T. Beachem IV** was awarded the 2008 Region II Mid-Level Student Affairs Professional Award by the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators. He is a student affairs administrator at Temple University.

**George Pawlush IV** and his wife, Hunter, welcomed their first child, Margaret Alyson, on April 11, 2008. George is vice president of product control for Wachovia Securities in Charlotte, N.C. The family resides in Waxhaw, N.C.

**2000**

**Heather (Tahan) Keegan** and her husband, Kevin, welcomed son Eli Paul on May 14, 2008. He joins a sister, Karyna.

**Hollie Fields Schramm** and her husband, William, welcomed a daughter, Alyssa, in December 2006. Alyssa joins a brother, Alexander.

**James (Jay) Williams**, Pharm. D., and his wife, **Carrie (Wilkes) Williams ’00**, Pharm. D., welcomed their daughter, Abigail Elizabeth, on Jan. 16, 2007. Jay is a



**TALKING FINANCE IN CHICAGO**

Dan Cardell ’79 speaks to members of the Wilkes Students in Free Enterprise team about his career with Wayne Hummer Wealth Management at the company’s Chicago headquarters in May. Later that day, he and wife Ann Marie (Booth) ’79 hosted an alumni event. He serves as president and chief investment officer of Wayne Hummer.

pharmacist for Caremark, and **Carrie** is a pharmacist for Geisinger Wyoming Valley Medical Center. The family resides in Wilkes-Barre.

**Christina (Stucker)**

**Van Camp** and her husband, Jason, announce the birth of their daughter, Sydney Reagan, on March 11, 2008.

**2001**

**Kristy (Tkach) Dawe** graduated from DeSales University in September 2007 with a master of science degree in nursing. She is certified as a family nurse practitioner and is currently employed as a nurse practitioner by Penn Medical Group P.C. She resides in Pen Argyl, Pa., with her husband, Greg, two dogs and a cat.

**Loan Do** married Robert Mask on April 19, 2008. The couple resides in Maple Shade, N.J.

**Lisa Donaldson** announces the birth of a son, Coleman Franklin Louis Batchelor, on Oct. 28, 2007.

**Heather A. Earnest-Drake**,

Pharm. D., and her husband, Bill, welcomed their third daughter on July 30, 2007. She joins two sisters, ages 4 and 2. Earnest-Drake is a supervising pharmacist at Rite Aid in Corning, N.Y. The family and their Irish Setter reside in Big Flats, N.Y.

**Jessica (Crowley) Howard**,

Pharm. D., is the March 2008 Shore Memorial Hospital’s employee of the month. Howard, a staff pharmacist at Shore Memorial since 2002, currently resides in Egg Harbor Township, N.J., with her husband, Brian.

**2002**

**Jennifer Gahwiler Bartell** welcomed twin girls, Lauren and Lindsey, on Jan. 14, 2008. They join a sister, Emily.

**Erin Theresa Priestman** married James Moran on Nov. 3, 2007. She is employed by Tobyhanna Army Depot as a mechanical engineer. The couple reside in Berwick.

**2004**

**Selena Marie Bednarz** married **Brandon Michael Clark** on Sept. 8, 2007. She is employed by Aberdeen Proving Ground as a mathematician. The couple reside in Baltimore, Md.

**Rebecca Jean Broyan** received a master's of divinity degree from Lancaster Theological Seminary on May 17, 2008. She is on the path to becoming an ordained minister.

**Jessica Hinkel** married **Michael Leibig** on May 17, 2008.

**2005**

**Nicole Ripper** married **Thomas P. Zeiser** on May 3, 2008.

**2006**

**Kristin Derlunas** accepted a position with the Fairfax Bar Association in Fairfax, Va. Her job duties include running the overall communications efforts for the association.

**Miranda Heness** married **Eugene Philbin** on May 5, 2007. Heness is employed as an office manager at Taylor Consulting and Contracting in Moosic, Pa. The couple resides in Scranton, Pa.

**2007**

**Nadine Stewart** and **Mark Schneider**, both former residents of Wilkes-Barre, were married Sept. 22, 2007. The couple resides in Hackettstown, N.J.

**In Memoriam  
1942**

**Jeannette Jones Phethean** died May 21, 2008, in Leesburg, Fla. She was born in West Pittston, Pa.

Phethean was a graduate of Bucknell University Junior College, Pennsylvania State University and Trenton State University, now known as the College of New Jersey, with a bachelor's degree in chemistry and a master's degree in teaching. She served in the W.A.V.E.S. during WWII, taught in the Bristol Township, Pa., School District, and had worked as a chemist in the laboratories of Armstrong Cork Company in Lancaster, Pa.

She and husband Edward moved to Leesburg in 1997. She wrote a genealogy column that appeared in the *Leesburg Daily Commercial* from 1987 until 2003 and maintained her involvement in genealogy until her death. She is survived by sons James of Brandon, Fla., Edward of Bensalem, Pa., and George of Leesburg; eight grandchildren; and sister Harriet J. Davies of Pittston, Pa.

**1949**

**June Persing McGuire**, Cartersville, Ga., passed away March 4, 2008. She was married to **Delbert McGuire** '51.

**1950**

**Martin D. Popky** of Kingston, Pa., passed away on May 25, 2008, following a lengthy illness. Born in Wilkes-Barre, he was a graduate of Meyers High School and attended Wilkes College.

Popky owned and operated Martin D. Popky Agency, Kingston, for more than 50 years and previously owned several other small businesses, including Avenue Travel, Kingston, and a bowling alley in Wilkes-Barre.

In the 1960s, he worked with B'nai B'rith International to lobby Congress to develop and build the first project of its kind in the world: the B'nai B'rith Apartments on Northampton Street, Wilkes-Barre, which has become a model for nearly 40 similar senior citizen housing projects in six countries worldwide.

Popky served for 35 years as president of the local B'nai B'rith Housing Foundation, as well as treasurer and a board member of GRIT, which owns and operates the Washington Square Apartments, Wilkes-Barre. In February 2006, the local B'nai B'rith apartment building was renamed in his honor.

Popky was also honored with citations in the Congressional Record of the U.S. House of Representatives, as well as both the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and a resolution from the Luzerne County Commissioners. Wilkes-Barre Mayor Thomas M. Leighton declared Feb. 26, 2006, "Martin D. Popky Day."

Popky is survived by his wife of 51 years, the former Janet Monsky; daughters Linda Popky, Woodside, Calif., and Judy Popky, Atlanta, Ga.; a granddaughter and brother.

**Joseph T. Woznitski** of Lititz, Pa., passed away May 10, 2008. Woznitski was born in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and served in World War II in the U.S. Navy before earning his bachelor's degree from Wilkes College. He was employed by Nestle Foods for 38 years, holding various sales leadership roles during his tenure. Woznitski was an avid outdoorsman, raising champion field beagles and homing pigeons, as well as enjoying fly-fishing, tennis and golf. He was also a third degree Knight of Columbus and a member of Knights of Columbus Council 10827 of St. James Parish.

He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Josephine (Grosek) "Babe" Woznitski; a son Harry A. Nobel; daughters Sandra C. and Laura J. Woznitski; and three grandchildren.

**1951**

**William Bennett Jr.** of Forty Fort, Pa., recently passed away. Bennett graduated from Edwardsville High School and attended Shrivensham American University, England; Biarritz American University, France; Wilkes-Barre Business School; and Wilkes College.

Bennett served honorably with the U.S. Army Air Corps in Europe during World War II.

He worked at the Wilkes-Barre Publishing Co., Easton Structural Steel, Hudson Motor Car Co. and Glen Alden Coal Co. For more than 30 years, he was employed by the Pennsylvania Gas and Water Co., where he served as

an accountant, tax auditor, supervisor and was promoted to corporate staff assistant.

Surviving are his wife of 59 years, Julie Astrauskas; daughter Susan Gorman of Forty Fort; son William Bennett, Glen Gardener, N.J.; five grandchildren; and sister Peggy Kal of Columbia, Md.

### 1956

**Joseph R. Jablonski**, Ed.D., died Nov. 23, 2007. Jablonski was born in Ashley and grew up in Kingston, attending Wilkes University for his undergraduate degree in English. Jablonski served in the U.S. Army and received a master's degree from Trenton State College, now known as the College of New Jersey. Jablonski later received a doctorate in education from Temple University. Jablonski, a Levittown, Pa., resident, taught in the Bristol Township School District until he retired. He enjoyed skiing and cycling and was a member of the Lower Bucks County dog club, where he was a trainer.

### 1960

**Jean A. Ide** of Tunkhannock, Pa., died Friday, Dec. 21, 2007. She was a graduate of Coughlin High School.

### 1975

**Capt. Raymond T. Woronowicz**, Dallas, Pa., died on April 27, 2008.

Woronowicz began his career as a patrol officer and through civil service testing and education, he was appointed as a juvenile and narcotics detective. He was promoted to

the rank of lieutenant and in 1978 was promoted to the rank of captain.

During his career, he completed extensive training, receiving 58 certificates and diplomas in law enforcement, criminal justice and narcotics training. He was Wilkes-Barre City's first crime prevention officer and the first crime prevention officer in northeast Pennsylvania. The certified police instructor taught criminal justice courses at LCCC and was a guest instructor at the Pennsylvania State Police training center, Wyoming.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during the Korean Conflict, assigned to Battery "A" 967th, located at Fort Sill, Okla., as a staff sergeant in charge of communications. Before retiring, he was a member of the Wilkes-Barre City Police Department, appointed in 1962.

Surviving are his wife of 57 years, Lois Whittington; son Raymond P., Dallas; daughter Jackie Janus, Dallas; three grandchildren; and brother Edward, Wilkes-Barre.

### 1977

**Michael S. Jarolin** of Nanticoke, Pa., passed away on April 8, 2008.

Jarolin, a lifelong resident of Nanticoke, was a graduate of Nanticoke High School, Luzerne County Community College and Wilkes University. He was a member of St. Mary's Church, Nanticoke, and was employed by the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources as a

sanitation engineer.

He was preceded in death by his father, Stanley; son Matthew; and wife Deborah Kravitz Jarolin.

Surviving in addition to his mother are sisters Kathleen Bachkowski, West Palm Beach, Fla., and Brenda Heck, Nanticoke; and brother Robert of Douglassville.

### 1978

**Thomas J. Lubas** died on Sept. 6, 2007, after a brief illness. A resident of Allentown, N.J., Lubas is survived by his wife, Jan, and daughter, Anna.

### 1993

**Leonard T. Hill Sr.** M'97, a 17-year resident of Sterling, Pa., passed away on April 25, 2008.

Born in Nanticoke and raised in Shickshinny, he attended Luzerne County Community College and Wilkes University. He was employed for 37 years by the International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 542.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, the former Mary McCloskey, in 1988. Surviving are his wife of 17 years, the former Louise Gilby; daughter Lisa Hill; son Leonard T. Hill Jr.; and a granddaughter.

## Faculty/Staff

**Jerome Kucirka '67**, Ph.D., of Dallas, Pa., passed away June 9 in Wilkes-Barre. The Wilkes-Barre native was a graduate of James M. Coughlin High School and Wilkes College.

He earned his doctorate in physics from Drexel University, Philadelphia.

Kucirka was a faculty member for more than 27 years, serving in the physics, engineering and mechanical engineering departments, and finally the engineering and physics division of Wilkes University. He taught a wide variety of advanced and introductory courses in these various departments. For most of his career at Wilkes University, Dr. Kucirka was intimately involved with a variety of courses introducing engineering to students. Over the years, he helped to develop and teach several versions of these introductory courses. He worked on department, school and university-wide committees. He was adviser to the Physics Club and Sigma-Pi-Sigma, the Physics Honor Society, from 1989 to the present. In the early 1990s, Dr. Kucirka was one of the organizers of the Wilkes University's Core Studies Program, where, among other projects, he worked on "writing across the curriculum." He taught the freshman introductory core course he developed for several years.

He is survived by his wife, Gaye C. Gustitus, D.O.; and brother, John, Beaumont, Pa.

Memorial contributions may be made in his name to Wilkes University, Office of Development, 84 W. South St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa. 18766

**Dr. Anthony J. Turchetti**, noted area psychiatrist, lawyer and engineer, died March 27,

2008, at J.F.K. Medical Center, Lake Worth, Fla.

Born in Pittston, Pa., on March 20, 1925, Turchetti lived in Wyoming, Pa., and was a 1942 graduate of Wyoming High School.

Turchetti was professionally qualified in engineering, law, medicine and psychiatry, having received a bachelor's degree in aeronautical engineering in 1945 and a master's degree in mechanical engineering in 1947 from Pennsylvania State University, a juris doctor degree in law from the George Washington University School of Law in 1952, and his medical degree from Hahnemann Medical College of Philadelphia in 1960. In 1968, he completed a residency in psychiatry at the University of Pennsylvania/Philadelphia General Hospital Residency Program and did psychiatric research on homicide at the University of Edinburgh, Royal Edinburgh Hospital, in Scotland.

Turchetti worked as a research engineer at the Pennsylvania State University's Ordnance Research Laboratory and was later employed by the U.S. Navy in

the Bureau of Aeronautics. In the 1950s, he worked as a patent attorney in Philadelphia. In the early 1960s, he became medical director of American Petroleum Institute in New York City, where he was responsible for execution of medical research projects for oil companies.

After completing his residency in 1968, Turchetti worked as a psychiatrist in the Wilkes-Barre area.

Turchetti served as associate dean for the Hahnemann Medical College and associate professor of medicine and psychiatry and was involved in the development and execution of the Wilkes-Hahnemann Medical Education Program in family medicine from 1973 to 1981. He served on numerous boards in the Wilkes-Barre area, including United Health and Hospital Services Family Practice Residency Program, and Rural Health Corporation and Maternal Health Corporation. He was also a psychiatric consultant with various area associations.

In the 1970s, Turchetti became the co-founder of the

television program *Call the Doctor* and served the Pennsylvania federal courts as a forensic psychiatrist. Turchetti was an adjunct professor of forensic psychology at Wilkes University and also served as a team physician from 1963 to 1975, which contributed to his induction into the Wilkes University Athletics Hall of Fame in 2000.

Turchetti retired in 1993 and was residing in Palm Beach, Fla., at the time of his death.

He is survived by a sister, Claire Turchetti Wyandt, Singer Island, Fla.

## Friends of Wilkes

**Julia (Julie) D. Znaniecki**, teacher, local historian, civic and community leader, passed away on May 29, 2008.

Znaniecki was a charter member of the Wilkes University Polish Room Committee, where she was a member and past president for almost 50 years. The organization is a historical, educational and cultural organization that sponsors annual scholarships for students of Polish descent to attend Wilkes University and

serves as a resource and reference room on Polish history and culture. For 20 years, Znaniecki organized the Polish Room's booth at the Luzerne County Folk Festival.

From 1974 to 1985, Znaniecki participated in the Polish Room Chorus and most recently worked on a compilation of Anton Piotrowski's poetry, published by Wilkes University Press in 1998.

Znaniecki grew up in the Hanover section of Nanticoke. She was a graduate of Nanticoke High School in 1926, followed by East Stroudsburg University (Normal School) in 1928. Her first teaching position after graduation was sixth grade at the McKinley School in Nanticoke; the rest of her early career included teaching English to seventh- and eighth-graders.

Znaniecki took leadership and fundraising roles in the American Cancer Society, the Nanticoke Hospital Auxiliary, the Luzerne County Historical and Geological Society, the Wyoming Valley Girl Scout Council, Penn's Woods Girl Scout Council and Kosciuszko Foundation Ball.

Her husband of 51 years, Vincent Frank Znaniecki, died in July 1988.

Znaniecki is survived by children Jule Znaniecki Wnorowski '61, Wilkes-Barre; V. Paul Znaniecki, Stevensville, Md.; Jean Z. Smith of Gaithersburg, Md.; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.



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## September

- Through Oct. 5** Art exhibit: “Remembering Helen: The Sordoni at 35,” Sordoni Art Gallery
- 5** Alumni Reception, home of Fred ’61 and Janet Demech
- 7** Cruise Philadelphia Alumni Event
- 25-28** Theatre Production, *Picnic*, Dart Center

## October

- 1** Kirby Lecture, “green” entrepreneur Martin Eberhard, founder and former CEO of Tesla Motors, Dart Center
- 3-5** Homecoming/75th Anniversary Celebration
- 17** Art exhibit: Ron Ehrlich, Sordoni Art Gallery. Closes Dec. 12.

## November

- 7-9, 14-16** Musical Theatre Production, *Carousel*, Dart Center
- 13** Connecting the Dots student-alumni career networking event, Henry Student Center Ballroom
- 22** Annual Alumni Bus Trip to NYC
- 22** Flute Ensemble, Upper Lobby, Dart Center

## December

- 1** String Ensemble, Gies Hall, Dart Center
- 5** Civic Band Concert, off campus
- 6** Civic Band Concert, Dart Center
- 6** “A French Christmas,” Wilkes choral ensembles join the Robert Dale Chorale, St. Luke’s Church, Scranton, Pa.
- 7** “A French Christmas,” Wilkes choral ensembles join the Robert Dale Chorale, St. Nicholas Church, Wilkes-Barre.