



Dear Class of 1975,

On April 16, 2008, the Holy Angels Alumnae community grieved the loss of one of our finest alumnae, Barbara Ryan Hoodmaker '75. This year, the Holy Angels Alumnae Board is pleased to announce that the **2009 Ruth B. Reinhardt Service Award** will be honoring Barbara's legacy of volunteerism. We invite you to join us on Thursday, May 7th for the Alumnae Dinner where the award will be given posthumously to Barbara.

The Ruth B. Reinhardt Service Award is given annually to an Alumna of Holy Angels who has shown distinction in her commitment to the Holy Angels community. Barbara was a passionate advocate and volunteer for the school for many years.

Barbara graduated from D'Youville College in 1979 with a nursing degree. She spent many years as a nurse for Sister's Hospital, Kaleida Health Services and the Cancer Treatment Center. Barbara and her husband Mike together had four beautiful daughters: Bridget '08, Claire '10, Nora '13 and Ann '15. In addition to volunteering for HAA, Barbara was also very involved at St. Margaret's School where she was on the Parent Teacher Guild, founded the Educational Advisory Council, and volunteered for numerous classroom and fundraising events.

Barbara was a tireless volunteer for HAA. She spent many years on the Alumnae Board and helped create and chair events such as the Annual Wine Tasting, the Easter Egg Hunt and the 'One Year Class Reunion'. Barbara and Mike were the Co-Chairs of the 2008 Parents Guild and the 2007 and 2008 Pot 'O Gold. Some of the many events and fundraisers that Barbara gave her time to include the Millennium Society, the annual Walk of the Angels, and the HAA date dances and proms. When HAA asked for parent and alumnae volunteers, Barbara always answered the call. Barbara never sought out recognition for her many contributions to HAA, instead she seemed content with the knowledge that her work made Holy Angels a better place.

On May 7th, the Alumnae community will celebrate the memory of Barbara and her lasting legacy of commitment to Holy Angels. As a member of the Class of 1975, we hope that you can join us when we honor Holy Angels Alumnae, including your classmate, Barbara Ryan Hoodmaker.

HOLY ANGELS ACADEMY



Dear Class of 1997,

The Holy Angels Alumnae Board is pleased to announce that Molly Kinder '97 will be the 2009 Recipient of the Sister Mary Kathleen Duggan Young Alumnae Award. We invite you to join us Thursday, May 7th for the Alumnae Dinner where we will be honoring Molly.

The Sister Mary Kathleen Duggan Young Alumnae Award is presented to a Young Alumna of Holy Angels who has already shown distinction in her personal and professional life. In 2001, Molly graduated from the University of Notre Dame with a degree in Political Science. She continued on to Harvard University, where she received a Masters in Public Administration in International Development in 2008. With a passion for international development, you never know where in the world you might find her. Molly has worked and lived overseas in many countries including Pakistan, India, Liberia, Chile, Mexico, Uganda and Kenya.

Some of Molly's most notable achievements are:

- Molly made history at Notre Dame when she became the first female member of the Notre Dame Irish Guard, which since its inception in 1949, had been all male, largely because of a six-foot 2-inch height requirement. Notre Dame awarded Molly the distinction as one of the 12 "Notable Women" in the university's history.
- In 2004, Molly co-authored Millions Saved: Proven Successes in Global Health, which documents 17 global health programs that have had astonishing success. The book is now required reading in more than 60 university courses worldwide.
- In 2007, Molly was the special assistant to Liberia's Finance Minister, where she worked side-by-side with policy makers on the front lines of Liberia's dramatic rebuilding, following that country's 20 years of bloodshed and war. Delivering economic development to an impoverished nation has become a defining objective of Molly's career in international development.
- Answering her calling to serve as a leader in international development, Molly has worked as the Deputy Chair of the Clinton Global Initiative's Poverty Alleviation Working Group, she has helped shape developmental policy at the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, and she was part of the World Bank's team that lead a \$400 million dollar reconstruction effort in Pakistan after the 2005 earthquake.

What is next for Molly Kinder? Molly has aspirations to join the Obama White House. Currently, she is a finalist for the 2009 White House Fellowship program, which is one of America's most prestigious programs for leadership and public service. White House Fellows spend a year working as full-time, special assistants to senior White House Staff, Cabinet Secretaries and other top-ranking government officials. Thousands of candidates apply and Molly is currently one of 100 candidates being interviewed for the program.

Class of 1997, we hope to see you on May 7, 2009 when we honor Holy Angels Alumnae including your classmate, Molly Kinder.

HOLY ANGELS ACADEMY



Dear Class of 1958,

The Holy Angels Alumnae Board is pleased to announce Pamela Ryan Jacobs Vogt '58 is the 2009 Recipient of the Patricia O. Rehak Distinguished Alumnae Award. We invite you to join us on Thursday, May 7th for the Alumnae Dinner where we will be honoring Pamela.

The Patricia O. Rehak Distinguished Alumnae Award is presented to an Alumna of Holy Angels who has distinguished herself in her career, in her community and in her commitment to Holy Angels Academy. As a mother, an educator and a leader in the philanthropic community, Pamela continues to create a lasting legacy in Western New York. You don't have to look far to find evidence of the Jacob Vogt contributions.

After graduating from HAA in 1958, Pamela received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Rosary Hill College and went on to the University of Buffalo for graduate level courses. She worked in the education field as a high school teacher and adult education instructor. Pamela's community leadership and volunteer activities include advocating for schools, higher education, medical research and the arts. She currently serves as a Trustee for the University of Buffalo, a Trustee of Holy Angels Academy, a Trustee of Niagara University and a Founding Member and Director of the Roswell Park Alliance. Pamela was married to the late Dr. Lawrence Jacobs and is the proud mother to Christopher, Luke, Lawrence and Jessica.

In 2007, Pamela participated in the HAA ground breaking for O'Shaunecy Hall, the new athletic complex. Pamela and her husband, Peter Vogt were an instrumental part of the Holy Angels Capital Campaign that made it possible for HAA to complete a stunning campus renovation.

Class of 1958, we hope you can join us on May 7th when we honor Holy Angels Alumnae including your classmate, Pamela Ryan Jacobs Vogt.

Sincerely,

Linda Duszynski Balkin '80
Director of Alumnae & Special Events