



## The Michaelight (Reunion Update, 2014) Saint Michael Academy Alumnae Association (SMAAA)

*"Round his flag we'll rally ever. Nothing can our union sever."*



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### Saint Michael Academy Mission Statement

Rooted in the Catholic tradition and Spirit of the Presentation Sisters, the mission of Saint Michael Academy was to educate young women in a loving and caring community, assisting each to develop her unique gifts and talents to live a fully Christian life.

## RSVP by...

***The Deadline to Get Your Payment  
in Has Been Extended  
to Tuesday, September 23rd!***

**SMA Charitable Foundation  
cordially invites you to  
REUNION 2014**

## **New York Times Article**

After more than a century on the West Side of Manhattan, St. Michael Academy had assumed the traits of some of its best students: cash poor, underestimated by peers, capable of defying expectations with breathtaking regularity...([read more](#))

## **SMAAA Board of Directors**

**Lorraine Pogan Shef '64**  
(*President - Association & Charitable Foundation*)

**Blanca Camacho '74**  
(*VP - Association*)

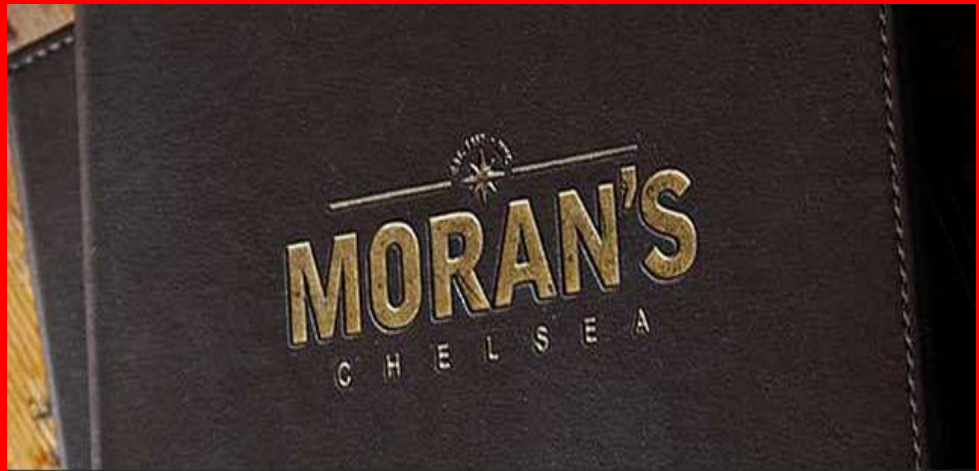
**Kathy Seyfried '74**  
(*VP - Charitable Foundation*)

**Jeanne Boyd Billings '74**  
(*Secretary - Association & Charitable Foundation*)

**Maria Pani '74**  
(*Treasurer - Association & Charitable Foundation*)

**Sharon Duritzo '72**  
**Genevieve O'Hare '47**  
**Noreen White Rogan, '60**

**Blanca Vasquez, '93**  
**Patti Wu '70**



**Join Our**  
**Mailing List**

**Moran's Restaurant**  
**146 Tenth Avenue (@ 19th Steet)**

 JOIN OUR MAILING LIST

**New York, NY 10011**  
**Saturday, September 27th**  
**12:00 PM - 4:00 PM**

Please [click on this link](#), print out the response form, complete and return it to us with your check made payable to *SMA Charitable Foundation*. See you there!

**Tax Information**

Contributions made (including any dues paid) to the Saint Michael Academy Alumnae Association, Inc. are not deductible for Federal income tax purposes.

**Questions? Comments?**

**Write to us at...**

[SMAAANYC@gmail.com](mailto:SMAAANYC@gmail.com)

Please know that, although this reunion will celebrate in particular those SMA high school graduates from years ending in "4" and "9", our reunions are ALWAYS open to ALL SMA alums (grammar school, high school, faculty, staff). If you are able to round up your friends and want to join in the fun, PLEASE DO!

Parking for the reunion is at Edison  
Parking at 20th Street and 10th Avenue.  
The restaurant has validation stickers for  
6 hours of parking...  
\$10 per car.



**Reunion Update**



**Look Who's Already Made Reunion Reservations  
(So, what are YOU waiting for?)**

Genevieve O'Hare (Ryan) 1947

Mary Krulis (D'Addario) 1949

Joan M. Smith (Laffey) 1949

Joan Reilly (Nicholas) 1949

Agnes Larson (Kiernan) 1952

Sr. Kathleen Cusack 1954\*

Ann Kean (Handibode) 1954

Dolores Harrison 1954\*

Joan Gill (Lynch) 1954

Maureen McCarthy (O'Dea) 1954

Margaret (Peggy) O'Keefe (O'Neill) 1954

Barbara Egitto (VamBell) 1959

Noreen White Rogan (White) 1960\*

Judith Bell (Halliday) 1961

Maryanne Raynor 1962\*\*  
Michele Wilson (Zacharuk) 1962

**Golden Anniversary Class!**

Ines Glick (Basso) 1964  
Jacqueline Landman (Bausch) 1964  
Donna Buckley 1964  
Theresa Conte 1964  
Colette Hayes (Crosdale) 1964  
Arleen Brown (Crowe) 1964  
Theresa D. Thorsen (DeCampo) 1964  
Kathleen (Kay) Robertson (Dugan) 1964  
Vivian Ascani (Gelices) 1964  
Glendoria Jones 1964  
Eileen King 1964  
Mary King 1964  
Alicia Behn (Kurlak) 1964  
Lisa Van der Veer (Pancciulli) 1964  
Ann Logan (Pinto) 1964  
Lorraine Shef (Pogan) 1964  
Nancy Wehr (Torraco) 1964  
Susan Walker 1964

Egeria Benett 1969  
Andrea Sicignano (Calamaras) 1969  
Florence Zuvich (Ciaramella) 1969  
Kathleen Egan (Gimblet) 1969  
Krystyna Goral 1969  
M. Madeline Sansevere (Lynch) 1969  
Veronica Marchak 1969  
Linda Lee-Glinsky (Mark) 1969  
Dolores Sullivan (Murphy) 1969  
Dorothy Beckbissinger (Murphy) 1969  
JoAnn Groves (Murphy) 1969  
Angela Murray (Mutoli) 1969  
Maureen A. Reinhart (Pogan) 1969  
Judith Mogilski (Waszkiewicz) 1969

Marilyn Brady (Skiba) 1970



Gloria Baccardi (Zacharuk) 1971

Sharon Duritzo Spocinski (Duritzo) 1972

Elena Nickerson (Abralde) 1974

Deborah Lloret (Ansalone) 1974

Elizabeth Armstrong 1974

Cheryl Williamson (Battaglino) 1974

Elaine Mowbray (Battaglino) 1974

Mary Paladino (Beaury) 1974

A. Jeanne Billings (Boyd) 1974

Mary Bruno (Cedeno) 1974

Cathy Murphy (Caffrey) 1974

JoAn Calabrese 1974

Blanca Camacho 1974

Patricia Fleming (Clarke) 1974

JoAnn Cresci 1974

Verlyn Derouen 1974

Christina Pimiario (DiVittorio) 1974

Rosemary Mohr (Frame) 1974

Domenica Hoo (Donato) 1974

Geri Cahill (Drapola) 1974

Yolanda Ferman 1974

Yolanda Garcia 1974

Mary Richers (Gutierrez) 1974

Madeline Cafiero (Jennings) 1974

Mary Lamonte (Kobel) 1974

Monica Lepore 1974

Victoria McMahan 1974

Judeth Napoli 1974

Susan Lala (Norris) 1974

Marie Bongiono (Nuzzo) 1974

Natalie Serventi (Peros) 1974

Mildred Hernandez (Quinones) 1974

Mary O'Grady (Rice) 1974

Diane Rodriguez 1974

Kathleen Mufson (Ryan) 1974

Wanda Santiago 1974

Kathy Seyfried 1974  
Jacqueline Tecce 1974  
Marie D'Alessio (Terminato) 1974  
Laura Lasher (Vitale) 1974

Mary Ditto 1975  
Ann Carter (Fronczkowski) 1975  
Maryanne Feldman (Kolenovsky) 1975

Roseann Doherty (Connelly) 1979  
Valerie M. Keegan 1979  
Esther Mendez 1979

Michele Cagelosi (Lonergan) 1984  
Lissette Demm (Quevedo) 1984  
Carol Rolden 1984

Silver Anniversary Class!

Linda Campise (Howell) 1989



\*SMA Principal  
\*\*SMA Teacher

**Look Who's Coming to the Reunion...**



**Ms. Martha (Muth) Pritchard**  
SMA Teacher



**Noreen White Rogan**



SMA Principal  
*and*  
SMAAA Board of Directors



**Sr. Kathleen Cusack**  
SMA Principal  
*and*  
SMAAA Board of Directors



**Maryanne Raynor**  
SMA Teacher



**Dolores Harrison**  
SMA Principal

**Be An Angel...**

♥ be an angel

Won't you "be an angel" and help us defray the cost of lunch for the teachers/faculty at the reunion by making a donation to the **SMA Charitable Foundation?**

Please send your check

(with "Angel Donation" written in the memo line) to...

Ms. Sharon Duritzo  
3451 Colony Drive  
Baldwin Harbor, NY 11510

**SMA Charitable Foundation** is a 501(c)(3) organization.  
Donations are tax deductible to the full extent of the law.

## facebook

See that little blue facebook icon at the top of this newsletter? (It's waaaay up there, on the left, above the header.) Please click on it and "send" us to your facebook page, so that your SMA friends can know we exist. Odds are that they will want to join the SMAAA, read all the news about their classmates, and plan for an upcoming reunion. One little click is all it takes. Thanks!



## Reunion Mass



The

5:00 PM Mass at  
the Church of Saint Michael  
on Saturday, September 27  
will be offered by Father George Rutler  
*for the Intention of the St. Michael Academy Alumnae, both  
Deceased and Living*

**Dues are Due!**



## *Renew Your SMAAA Membership!*

Your annual dues enable us to keep the spirit of SMA alive through our newsletter, our website, our reunions and our charitable outreach. Your dues go toward covering our operating expenses. This emailed newsletter costs money (approximately \$400/year), mailings cost money (last year's reunion mailing cost us close to \$1,000), just being in existence costs money (filing fees, website fees, etc.)

To remain a voting member of the SMAAA you must renew your membership annually. **Please become a member of the SMAAA, or renew your existing membership, by [clicking on this link](#) to fill out a "dues payment" form, and sending it along with your check for \$25 to:**

**Maria Pani**  
99 South Street  
Highland, NY 12528-2418

**Please make your check payable to "SMAAA."**

We would appreciate it if you would forward this email to all of your SMA classmates and/or post it to your Facebook page. ("Nothing can our union sever!")

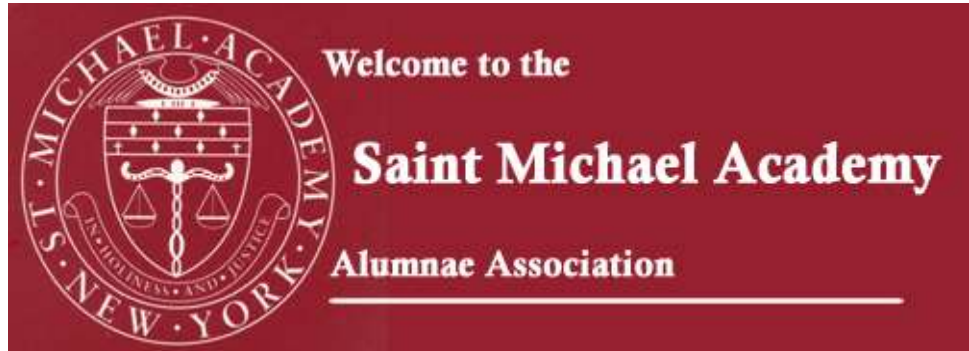
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If you would like to make a tax-deductible contribution to the *Saint Michael Academy Charitable Foundation*, please make a separate check payable to **SMA Charitable Foundation** and mail to Maria Pani, 99 South Street, Highland, NY 12528-2418.

The **SMA Charitable Foundation**'s mission is to provide scholarships to low income girls to attend Catholic high schools in the New York metropolitan area.

**[SaintMichaelAcademy.com](http://www.SaintMichaelAcademy.com)**



Visit us at [www.SaintMichaelAcademy.com](http://www.SaintMichaelAcademy.com) and let the good times roll!

Make sure to register, so that you can begin to connect with your classmates.  
Read past newsletters and keep current with all of the SMAAA news.

We find ourselves when we find each other.  
Come find yourself at [www.SaintMichaelAcademy.com](http://www.SaintMichaelAcademy.com).