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A Message from the President Rod Clark

reetings! I would like to thank the Board for electing me as the 2019 President of the Paint and Powder Club. Since 1974, with the exception of four years in the late 1990's, I have been involved as a member of the Board of Governors, annual



show participant, show director or technical director. I was invited to join the Club in 1974 when there was a waiting list to be invited to become a member because of the 250 limits in membership. Someone either had to resign or die in order for the Club to accept a new member. Times have changed.

The first show I saw was Golden Banana, the tribute to Bob Maslin's 50th anniversary production. My first with the Club was "EYESAPOPPIN," di-

rected be Virginia "Josh" Owens for the benefit of the Maryland Eye Bank.

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Board of Governors

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Pages 9-12 of this very special edition pays tribute to our fellow club members who recently passed away in.

Save The Date

December I **Christmas Dinner** Dance 6p-11p **Eagles Nest Country Club** 12801 Stone Hill Road Phoenix, MD 21131

January 14 Mid-Winter General **Membership Meeting** 5:45p Social 7:30p Meeting Venue TBD **CLUB MEMBERS ONLY**

March II **Board of Governors** Meeting 6:00p Social 7:30p Meeting **Basta Pasta ALL MEMBERS WELCOME**

Important stuff you need to know...

Calendar of Events		
Date and Time	Event	Location
December I, 2018 6p-11p	Christmas Dinner Dance	Towson Golf and Country Club
January 14, 2019	Mid-Winter mem- bership meeting	TBD
March 11, 2019 6p Social 7:30p Meeting	Board of Governors Meeting	Basta Pasta
April 28, 2019	President's Party	Valley Mansion by Martin's 594 Cranbrook Rd. Cockeysville, MD 21030
May 13, 2019	Board of Governors Meeting	Basta Pasta

A Bit of Paint and Powder History...

By John Hergenroeder

he year was 1938, the show was Follow Thru. This show was notable for the fact that women appeared in the show for the first time in the history of the club. Those having a prominent part in the cast were Mrs. Robert Maslin, Jr., Miss Katherine Dierkin, Miss Isabelle Whitman, Mrs J. Fred Roming, Mrs. T. Terry Burger and Miss Elizabeth Windstead. Also appearing as Members and Guests in the show were Mrs. John S. DuBois, Miss Julia Humphrey, Miss Sally P. Hilken and Miss Theodora Hilken. Up until this show, women were involved in the show behind the scenes helping with costumes, makeup and ticket sales.

President Rod Clark's Message

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In 1980, I was the Chair of the Production Committee when the director walked out of the first night of technical rehearsal at the Baltimore Civic Center. Ed Fitzsimmons and Chuck Slagle came up to me in a panic and asked, "What are we going to do?" Within five minutes, I had the opening number on stage ready to start the rehearsal. The show was "ABOUT FACE" for the benefit of the Boy Scouts of America.

Jump forward almost 40 years and here I am as your President.

At the Paint and Powder Board of Governors meeting on November 12, 2018, the Board agreed not to produce a show in 2019. The recommendation from the Board and members attending the meeting was to use this year to solidify two beneficiary organizations that would work with the Club to solicit business, individuals and organization to help raise sponsorship and corporate support, sell tickets and generally build an audience to support the 2020 Production.

We have found a new venue which has the amenities and theatrical necessities for our production. We have been penciled in on the calendar of Stevenson University's Inscape Theater on Greenspring Valley Road, formally Villa Julie.

I am asking all member to help us by identifying potential sponsors and supporters, talk about the joy, laughter and enjoyment produced in past shows. I also want all members to support our social events and invite friends to enjoy these events as well.

Jan Club. This is the time for all to get more involved in our club.

Let's HAVE ANOTHER!

More stuff you need to know...



The President & Board of Governors

of the Paint & Powder Club

request the pleasure of your company at the annual Christmas Dinner Dance

Saturday, December 1, 2018 6 pm to 11 pm

Eagles Nest County Club 12801 Stone Hill Road, Phoenix, MD 21131

\$75 per person
Please make check payable to Paint & Powder Club

Cash Bar

Black Tie Preferred

Christmas Sing-a-Long at the Westminster House



&P Christmas sing-a-long on Monday, December 3rd, will begin at 6:30 PM at the newly renovated Westminster House, located at 524 N. Charles Street. This is adjacent to the Walters in Mt. Vernon Place. Parking is immediately adjacent to the south of the building. I suggest carpooling; often that's occurred in Joey Chui's parking lot. We meet in the lobby around 6 PM and then take the elevator to the top floor. Dress in holiday colors!!!!

Some, including me (Garland), have discussed dining at Tio Pepe's afterward. If enough folk respond to eating there, I'll arrange for a room at Tio's.

s John Hergenroeder was working his way through a treasure of P&P memorabilia that Dan Brooke gave him last year, he came across a version of *Have Another* that he never knew existed. Notice that this original version has a lead verse.

HAVE ANOTHER

Though your future isn't secure.

Though your horse got left at the gate;
Though your dream boat just wouldn't wait;

It's no use felling blue, When there's just one thing to do......

Have another – and away we go Have another – Paint and Powder Show If that Tax man's getting you down This will lift your chin off the ground!

Have another – makes you laugh and sing! Have another – try the other wing

This will put some life in your wife Or perhaps a wife in your life.

Jokes and gags and music's magic Nothing serious or tragic Costume's glamour – lighting's trickery Novel scenery and terp-sick-ery,

What more could you ask?

But have another – let come what may Have another – it's the perfect day

TO HAVE ANOTHER!!!

The Schlenoffs—8 days in Spain (Madrid, Escorial, Toledo, Valencia, Barcelona)

Birthday celebration for Roslyn at the Prime Rib



I to r, standing, Fran Rossi, Carolyn Manning. Seated I to r, Bonnie King-Rose, Roslyn Sarshar

The Children's Playhouse of Maryland Gala



Kerry, Judy, Rod, Harriette, Sharon

A LITTLE ENTERTAINMENT



Paint and Powder Ladies at Three Arts Fashion Show

left to right: Carolyn Manning, Sandy Stellman, Marian Drach, Doris Silverwood, Judy Kahl, Trisha Webster, Bonnie King-Rose, Roslyn Sarshar, Fran Rossi. seated: Betsie Johnson, Francine Siegel, Jane Sewell, Ellen Hillis







Holiday Tea, Talk and Tour of the Carroll Museums

eri Schlenoff and members of the Mt. Washington Garden Club will be hosting a fundraiser for the historic Carroll Museums, home of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Maryland, signer of the Declaration of Independence, on Saturday, Dec. 8th from I pm to 3:30 pm. The event is "Holiday Tea, Talk and Tour of the Carroll Museums." After the formal tea, Johns Hopkins of Baltimore Heritage will speak about the times of Charles Carroll in Baltimore followed by a tour of the mansion which will be decorated in the holiday spirit by the ladies of the Mt. Washington Garden Club. Cost is \$45 pp. Fresh greens will be sold. Safe parking right in front of the museum. Contact Geri if interested.

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Geri Schlenoff (avid Amazon shopper!!)

Sadly...

ur club lost several wonderful members this year. We will miss them. To help the club survive, we need to build up our membership. We would like to get ideas and suggestions for contacts, groups, organizations, advertising, etc. to solicit members.

There is a committee for Membership. Want to help? Contact Geri. Please pass your ideas on to Geri Schlenoff, Duke Thompson, or Carolyn Keller.





Save the Date

President's Party

Sunday April 28, 2019

4-8pm

Martin's Valley Mansion

The **P&P Playbill** is a quarterly publication for the exclusive readership of Paint & Powder Club members. Members are encouraged to contribute material for this publication. Please submit copy to Bill Moss.

billmoss@comcast.net

A Giving Heart ... and Kidney

Jerry & Eileen Chiat

First Connection: February 1967

Wedding Date: Nov. 3, 1968

Venue: Beth Israel Congregation

> Residence: Owings Mills

Favorite Activity: Travel cruises, road trips, going to dinner

"She had these great eyes," Jerry Chiat said as he recalled what drew him to Eileen.

Although she went to Forest Park High School and he went to Baltimore City College high school, they hung around the same group of friends after high school.

Jerry believes you can tell a lot about a person from their eyes. "I always said to her, 'The eyes are the passageway to the heart," he said. And Eileen's were special.

After graduating from City College in 1964, Jerry went to college for about a year, then was offered a position alongside his brother and father at Bethlehem Steel.

"It was a great place to work. It paid well," he said. But his career there ended when he had what he calls a minor accident. "The coils of steel that weighed about 4 tons had a blowout, as they call it," injuring his ankle.

Meanwhile, Eileen, having graduated from Forest Park in 1966, completed a year at Strayer College (now Strayer



University) and worked at the Social Security Administration with a now-extinct title. "What did they call it at the time?" she tried to remember. "A secretary. That's a term that doesn't exist anymore!" she laughed.

Jerry asked her out for pizza at a place on Liberty Road.

"I don't remember the details," he said, then joked, "but I think the first date obviously worked out OK."

Jerry proposed on February 17, 1968, but not outright. "I asked: 'Hypothetically, would you marry me?' It was more of a conversation than that," Jerry said, "but she said yes."

"Hypothetically," Eileen added, laughing.

Jerry's hypothetical question turned into reality on Nov. 3, 1968. The couple wed at Beth Israel Congregation at its former home on Liberty Road. The couple still goes to the synagogue.

Eileen and Jerry had a threeday honeymoon in New York before they had to drive back to Baltimore for another wedding.

They lived in an apartment and then a house on Patterson Avenue in Lochearn, moving to Owings Mills in 1994.

Jerry and Eileen worked in several jobs before opening Acclaimed Promotional Specialties Inc. They travel, watch Ravens games and attend the symphony.

"She likes more of the pops," Jerry said. "I'm a classical kind of guy."

They spend time with their many cats, their friends and volunteering.

"I don't know the word 'no," Eileen said. She is a two-term past-president of the Mildred Mindell Cancer Foundation and a member of the Covenant Guild, but most of the volunteer work she does includes Jerry.

The couple that volunteers together ... volunteers prodigiously, if you're Eileen and Jerry. Both are ambassadors for Donate Life Living Legacy and serve on the president's council at University of Maryland. They are active with the Transplant Recipient International Organization and the National Kidney Foundation of Maryland. Jerry and Eileen participate in the Paint and Powder Club, and volunteer in Beth Israel's kitchen.

In addition, the couple has helped children with disabilities at William S. Baer School and the Kennedy Krieger Institute. Their philanthropic interests include organ donation.

In May 2012, Jerry received a kidney transplant through Peggy, a donor who is, Eileen said, "as wacky as Jerry." Paying it forward, Eileen donated her kidney that year to someone else.

Eileen loves Jerry's sense of humor.

"Really?" he asked.

"Yes!" she insisted. "You've got a crazy, wacky sense of humor."

He's quieter at home, though. That may be because Jerry enjoys relaxing in Eileen's presence.

"It's nice to come home to someone you truly love," he said. "She just has a great way about her. I can be a little impetuous and she's the exact opposite. She keeps me in tow every so often."

Most of all, Eileen loves "having a shoulder to lean on, and laughing in the occasional face of adversity." Jr

Erica Rimlinger is a local freelance writer.

Congratulations to Jerry and Eileen Chiat

on their 50th

Wedding Anniversary

Jewish Times Article

ALMONER'S REPORT

Trisha Webster & Carolyn Manning



Trisha Carolyn

Rod Clark fell at home and was transported

by ambulance to Sinai Hospital where he was treated to improve his strength and mobility. He is now recovering and getting stronger each day. He is his usual "energizer bunny" self and is conducting business by telephone. Rod also suffered with a kidney stone. After hospitalization, he spent time in Powerback Rehab where he entertained the staff. Rehabilitation is continuing at home with therapists and loving care supplied by Harriette Clark. It's hard to keep a good man down.

John Codd is recovering from successful hernia surgery and doing well.

Bernie Cook. expected a simple operation in Ocean City to repair a herniated disk and to remove a cyst. She expected to drive in two weeks and golf in sunny December. However, the doctor performed a spinal fusion in addition to the herniated disk repair and cyst removal. Bernie is wearing a brace, not driving for a month, and walking with a walker. After her daughter-in-law Katie left, "Home Instead" from Berlin stayed with Bernie. At present, Bernie is not in pain. After the operation, the anesthesiologist walked into her pre-op room and said, "So you are here because you danced your a— off at Fager's Island?" Bernie asked him how he knew that. The nurse nonchalantly replied, "It's in your chart printed in big capital letters." Bernie is recovering and will return to Florida in December.

Gregory John Hergenroeder, age 52, son of John Hergenroeder, passed away on Friday, October 12, 2018. He lived in Towson, MD.

Ellen Hillis underwent melanoma cancer surgery of the ear, which also required a skin graft. She is healing well and looking good.

Judy Kahl had knee replacement surgery at St. Joseph's Hospital and then spent five day stay in rehab before returning to her home in Timonium. Nurse Bernie Cook took up residence in Judy's home to take over duties as rehab nurse. Bernie is staying at Judy Kahl's house until she returns to Florida.

Kandi Slade is home from the hospital and recovering from her illness. Cards may be mailed to her home address. Kandi is definitely happy to be home resting.

Alex White, Dave Piel's brother-in-law and longtime member of The Paint & Powder Club (since 1962), passed away on November 6 at age 85. Before moving to Florida in 1990, Alex participated in 27 shows, served on the Board of Governors, and won the Glen C. Bramble Award in 1981. A few years ago he told Dave, "I had so much fun in Paint & Powder."

The members of The Paint & Powder Club extend our heartfelt condolences and prayers to the families of our beloved fellow members and former members who passed away during the month of September. The following pages pay tribute to these gentlemen who's spirit will forever live on in our Club. We can only surmise that, together, they are singing, "HAVE ANOTHER."

Bill Rose (September 11, 2018) Dan Brooke (September 17, 2018) Ken Groner (September 22, 2018) Len Wasilewski (September 26, 2018)

WILLIAM ROSE (1943-2018)

2018. Surrounded by family, Bill Rose passed away in Salisbury, MD at Coastal

> Hospice just shy of his 75th birthday. Bill's passion for life

and his love for his wife Bonnie King-Rose drove him to battle his illness with remarkable courage and determination for nearly two years. His family and friends al-

ready miss him, but are relieved that he has finally been blessed with well-deserved rest.

Bill grew up in Upper Darby, PA, and is a graduate of

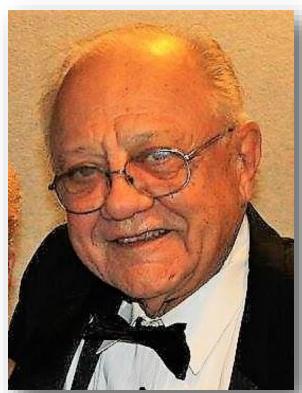
Monsieur Bonner High School in Philadelphia and 1966 graduate of Lasalle University. He was on the Men's Rowing team and a recognized member of the Dad Vail Regatta 1962 – Men's Freshman 8

Championship. He was

commissioned into the Navy and served his

illiam Charles Rose, Oct 28, 1943-Sept 11, country as a F-4 Naval Aviator and a Chief Engineer on USS Constellation in Vietnam. Then entered the private sector as a Marine Engineer.

> Bill was also an artist, craftsman, a musician and loved training German Sheppard's for shows and companion programs.



He was a member of the Elks and The Paint and Powder Club. He is preceded in death by his father, Paul Rose. He is survived by his wife Bonnie King Rose, Mother, Rita Rose, Brother **Donald Rose** and family, Tom and Kirby Dore, Brian and Kath-



erine King, Grandchildren Sydney and Brendan Dore and Madeline and Charles King.

Bill's life was celebrated on October 28th at The Country Club of Maryland.



DANDRIDGE BROOK (19xx-2018)



n September 17, Dandridge Brooke, beloved husband of the late Isolde K. Brooke (nee Kluge); devoted father of I. Lynette Brooke-Dean (Kraig), D. William Brooke, Brian W. Brooke (Ann) and Randall W. Brooke; also survived by 5 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Dan was a member of St. George's Society since 1988 and served as a board member for several years. An American Legion Service was held on September 20 and a funeral service and burial were held the following day. Dan was a long time member of the Paint & Powder Club and served as President of the Club in 1989-1990. His show was called "Fine 'N Dandy." For many years, Dan was the ticket taker on our Wednesday night (and later Thursday night) shows for family.

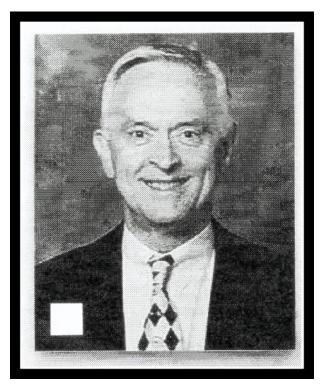
May Dan rest in peace!

KENNETH GRONER (1935-2018)

r. Kenneth Allen Groner, of Ellicott City, Maryland, born on May 12, 1935 in Easton, Pennsylvania, to the late Mary and the late Harold, passed away on September 22, 2018. Ken graduated from City College and University of Maryland. Ken served in the Army National Guard and worked over three decades until retirement at Westinghouse/Northrop Grumman. Ken was the loving husband to Mary Ellen for 58 years. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Harvey and Marty. Ken is survived by his son, Kevin; daughters, Deborah Matanin and Suzanne Espenlaub; brothers, Dana and Will; sister, Mary; and grandchildren, Joshua Matanin, Luke Matanin, Alyssa Matanin, Michaella Matanin, Samuel Groner, Elinor Groner, lackson Groner, Anna Groner, Kalia Espenlaub, and Alana Espenlaub; daughter-in -law Karen Groner, son-in-laws Chris Matanin and Travis Espenlaub. He enjoyed all that was around him, especially his

grandchildren. He was a member of St. Paul Catholic Church and a member of The Paint & Powder Club.

Ken's daughter, Chris, said the following about her dad, "My Mother, Mary Ellen was with him



as she has been for the past 58 years. My father LOVED being a part of Paint and Powder, and we along with his 10 grand-children enjoyed supporting Paint and Powder over the years."



LEONARD WASILEWSKI (1951-2018)

usic and singing were the strongest connections I had with my dad. Being a lead singer in many local bands growing up such as "Time of Your Life," and

"Shape of Things," my dad knew music and he knew sound. It was clear from the time I was little that he wanted to share that connection with me, and through every performance he was my biggest critic and my biggest fan. The times I spent singing with my dad are my best memories, whether it was on road trips, in the house on karaoke, or with Paint & Powder. I am so thankful for the Paint & Powder Club and the ten years we have been a part of the shows because between Bernie and Rod, and later Duke, we were finally given an opportunity to perform on stage together. I think for both of us those were the most special and memorable of times. My dad made many great friends through our club and appreciated anyone who made him feel



valued and welcomed as a member. My mother and I thank you for all of the support you have given us over the past two months. My dad was one lucky guy to have so many people

who loved and cared about him.

To my dad - my hero, Carolyn

















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