



BARREN COUNTY SCHOOLS

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Hall of Distinguished Honor
Foundation/Alumni Scholarship Recognition
Class of 2025

The
Board of Directors of the
Barren County Alumni and the
Barren County Education Foundation

Request the pleasure of your company
at a Reception and Induction Ceremony

Honoring
the 2025 inductees into

*The Barren County Hall of
Distinguished Honor*

May 4, 2025



Meet and Greet

Lobby, Barren County High School Auditorium

Presentation of Colors

Barren County JROTC

National Anthem

Micah Myatt, Abby Carter, Jackson Smith, Kory Smith

Opening Remarks

Lewis Bauer

Barren County Educational Foundation

Invocation

Scott Harper, Barren County Alumni

Master of Ceremonies

Brennan Crain, Barren County Alumni

Hall of Honor Inductees

Larry Glass, Jr.

Steve Holly

Randy London

Bharat Mody

Sarah Vincent

Closing Remarks

Bobby Steenbergen

Scholarship Recognition

Alumni Scholarship

Alumni Post-Secondary Scholarship

Barren Beyond the Bell Scholarship

Barry Britt Memorial Scholarship

Sherri Davis Memorial Medical Scholarship

Donna Elmore Memorial Scholarship

Joe & Alice Elliott Mathematics Scholarship

Ken Frye Scholarship

Cleo & Glenna Hogan Excellence in JROTC

Scholarship

Taking Care of Business Scholarship

Mitchell-Crews-Thompson Scholarship

Purple Toad Business Scholarship

Helen Russell Future Educator Scholarship

Steenbergen-Shartzler Scholarship

Hall of Distinguished Honor

The Barren County Alumni Association celebrates the induction of the 17th class into the Hall of Distinguished Honor. We are proud to honor those who have made outstanding contributions to their country, their state, and Barren County Schools.

The awards are based on leadership, loyal support, service, and dedication to our schools and to the respective disciplines. Each year, nominations for membership in the Hall of Distinguished Honor are accepted through December 1st. From the nominations, the Hall of Distinguished screening committee selects the individuals.

Barren County Hall of Distinguished Honorees

2007 - Christopher Paul Bastein*, Dr. Keith Morrison, Louie Broady Nunn*, Van T. Vance, Pamela Waldrop Shaw, Dr. Darrell Whitley, Jim Newberry

2008 - Gail Arterburn Broady, Woodford L. Gardner, Jr., Ledean Bailey Hamilton, David L. Gray, David R. Proffitt, Helen Russell*

2009 - Johnny Bell, Lieutenant Colonel (Retired) Julie S. Norman, Sarah A. Bowers*, Tim England*, Bobby H. Richardson, Dorothy McCubbin, Doug Furlong.

2010-Dr. Sheila Botts, Commander Craig Mattingly, Linda Bewley Mayberry, Steve Newberry, Commander Loren Shipley, Wes Strader*, Stanley Wilson*

2011- Ronnie Bastin, Jonathon Gooden*, Ed Hatchett, Sheila Pruitt, Bobby Steenbergen

2012/2013 - Cleo Hogan, Jr., Lonnie Perkins, Terry Reed, Golda Walbert*, Dr. Jason Zimmerman

2014 - Jewell Colliver*, Ruel Houchens*, Harry Jewell*, Frances Steenbergen, Dr. Bruce Wilkerson

2015 - James Bailey, Larry Glass, Sr., Tommy Matthews*, Ella White Morgan*, Kenneth Nuckols*, Keith Rigdon

2016- Wes Berry, Janet Carrico, Shawn Hunt, Sheila Lawrence, John Robert Miller*, Cherry Kay Smith

2017 - Steven Burton, Brad Cannon, Allen Dossey, Leland Glass, Gene B. Johnson*

2018 -Danny Basil, Charles Campbell, Debra Mitchell Crews*, Karen Davis, Dr. Brandon Greer, Dr. Staci Greer, Janice James

2019 - James Coomer*, Kenneth Edwards, Bud Layne, Carole Manion, Kim Wilkerson

2020/2021- Patrika Barlow, Teresa Bewley, Gary E. Gillon, Jr.*, Laura Flowers Stephenson, Jeremy Spillman, Scott Young

2022 - Jackie Browning*, Dr. Christopher McCoy, Tony McGuire, Dr. Jerry Ralston, Tim Shipley

2023 - Ronnie Doyle*, Michael Goodman, Eugene Maxwell, Mica Pence, Steve Ragle, Bud Tarry

2024 - H.H. Barlow, Emiley Button, Glenn Flanders, Derron Steenbergen, Richard Wood



Larry Glass, Jr.

Barren County High School - 1981

Mr. Glass is a 1981 Graduate of Barren County High School. In 1985, he graduated from Freed Hardeman University with a degree in Business Management. He is the son of the late Larry T. Glass and Gearldine Flowers Glass. He and his wife, Charlotte Dumunbrun Glass, have three children: Dean Glass (Meg), Connor Glass, Nelson Glass (Hannah).

Mr. Glass was the owner of Glass Paving Inc. from 1987 - 2018. Currently he is involved with and CEO of numerous enterprises including Glass Enterprises, Glass Holdings, ATM Property Management, ATM Media Solutions, Extreme Fitness of Glasgow, Extreme Fitness Health Club, Central KY Developers and VG Tennessee, Triple G. Development, Barren River Plaza Project and Festival Plaza.

Mr. Glass manages to find time to be very involved with several community organizations. These organizations include: South Central Bank Board of Directors (2001 - Present), Barren County Economic Authority Vice Chairman (2023 - Present), Freed Hardeman University Advisory Board (1993 - 1997), Barren Inc Chamber Member (1992 - Present), Chairman of the Audit Committee South Central Bank (2020-2022).

Being an active member of his community as well as service to his community are both very important to Mr. Glass. His service work includes; the Community Relief Board Present (2013 - Present), Community Medical Care Board (2010 - Present), T.J. Community MIssion Foundation (2019 - Present) Feeding America Kentucky's Heartland (2019 - 2022) and Open Arms Foundation President (2013 - 2024).

When asked his thoughts about life lessons learned he stated that we should all remember that life is short, so make the most of every moment. Learn to be the quietest person in the room, and seek opportunities to make a difference in others's lives. Ecah day is a chance to learn. Always be humble and grateful and show respect in every situation.

When asked what advice he would give to the younger generation, he listed 5 key points. Number one: Obtain some form of education. Two: Work hard and remember if it was easy, everyone would do it. Three: Strive to learn something new everyday. Four: Seek out successful people in your community, engage with them and learn from their experiences. Five: Give back to your community in some form or fashion because there is no greater feeling in life.



Steve Holly

Hiseville High School - 1974

Mr. Holley graduated from Hiseville High School in 1974. As a senior, he received a four-year scholarship to the University of Kentucky, where he earned a Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Economics and was active in the FarmHouse Fraternity. He and his wife, Faye, reside in LaGrange, Kentucky, and have two daughters and four grandchildren.

After graduating from college, he was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in May 1978. Following officer and weapons training at Fort Bliss, Texas, he was assigned to the 82nd Airborne Division, where he served as a Redeye Section Leader, a Vulcan Platoon Leader, and the Executive Officer of an Air Defense Artillery Battery. During his time with the Airborne, he was promoted to First Lieutenant, became a Jump Master, and earned his Senior Parachutist badge.

In 1981, he was reassigned to Germany and promoted to Captain, serving as the Officer in Charge of an Air Defense Artillery Battalion Fire Direction Center, a Battalion Supply Officer (S4), and later commanding a HAWK Air Defense Artillery Battery. In 1984, he returned to Fort Bliss as the Officer in Charge of developing a European-level Air Defense Simulator for the HAWK and TSQ-73 systems.

Following this assignment, he was stationed at Fort McPherson, Georgia, with U.S. Army Central Command as a War Plans Officer. There, he was promoted to Major and became responsible for the Army-level operations plan for the defense of the Arabian Peninsula—an effort that would later become Operation Desert Shield. Deployed to Saudi Arabia in August 1990, just eight days after Iraq's invasion of Kuwait, he played a key role in implementing Operation Desert Shield and was on the planning team that developed Operation Desert Storm.

After the war, he returned to Fort McPherson before being reassigned to Germany for a second tour. Following that assignment, he was relocated back to the United States. With two young daughters to raise, he made the decision to retire as a Major in 1995.

Mr. Holley continued his education, earning an MBA. Today, he serves as a Senior Vice President and Senior Financial Advisor with Merrill Lynch



Randy London

Hiseville High School - 1971

Mr. London is a 1971 graduate of Hiseille High School. He attended Western Kentucky University and graduated in 1974 with a degree in Agricultural Management. He and his wife, Teresa, have three childress: Lori Stephens (Todd), Matthew London (Betsy) and Emily Mitchell (AJ) and eight grandchildren.

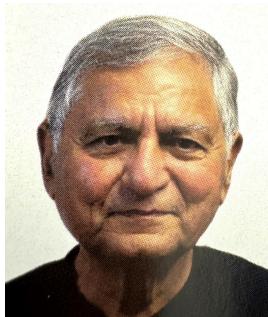
Since graduation from WKU, Mr. London has been pursuing his passion for farming He was the co-owner and operator of London Dairy Farm with his brother, Gary, until 2013 when they liquidated. Currently he is operating a diversified operation consisting of beef, row crops, hay and tobacco.

Mr. London states that he has always felt that the organizations that he has been involved with have been of service to the community. During the 1980s he was involved with the Farmers Home Administration as an advisor in the Glasgow Office. In addition he served for 35 years as a board member of the Barren County Conservation District and during that tenure he served the state board on the Executive Committee as Secretary/Treasurer. Later he was the State Vice Chairman of KACD. Other organizations that Mr. London was proud to be associated with his work with the UK Extension Board, the Barren County Farm Bureau Board and the Farmers RECC Board of Directors.

Mr. London has received numerous awards during his career. Among those are the 2000 Barren County Farmer of the Year - an award he shared with his brother. Also, in 2015 he was selected by the Cave City Chamber of Commerce as the recipient of the Excellence in Agriculture Award.

When asked, Mr. London stated that the main lesson he has learned since high school is that whatever career or field of study you choose you always need to continue your education to remain on the cutting edge of your chosen field.

Mr. London continues to work on his farm and enjoys salvaging downed and damaged trees - eventually seeing the beautiful lumber and what it may become. He counts among his greatest achievements that of marrying his wife of fifty plus years and watching his children become positive members of our community.



Bharat Mody

V.S Patel High School - 1958

Dr. Mody is a 1958 graduate of V. S. Patel High School. He attended KOSAMBA, India Science College Bharuch, India. He earned a MP at Shah Medical School, Jamnagar, India.

Dr. Mody is currently a retired General Surgeon residing in Glasgow, Kentucky. Though retired he remains a vital member of his community. His community service and volunteer work expands to many areas. Such activities include: Habitat for Humanity; one of the founding members of the Habitat Restore; Community Medical Care, again a founding member; Founder of Children's Day; Founder of To the Brim Food Drive; and Surgery on Sunday in Lexington KY.

Dr. Mody has earned many awards and accolades in his career. Such awards include the Jefferson Award, The Bridge Over Barriers, FRYSC KY Inc, Best Partner Award. Barren County Medical Society Award for best dedication, Glasgow/Barren County Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Citizen Award and the T.J. Community Mission Foundation Philanthropist of the Year Award.

Dr Mody still manages to have time for hobbies and time to pursue other interests. His driving force is to work with various charities. In addition he is known to all for his work with stained glass. He also enjoys taking care of the flower garden and he is an avid traveler.

When asked about his greatest accomplishment and advice to the younger generation, the same theme is evident - serve others. His greatest accomplishment as a surgeon is taking care of patients and as a volunteer he is most proud of making a difference for his community. These ideas are reflected in his best advice which is take care of everything and everybody around us.



Sarah Vincent

Park City High School - 1970

Mrs. Vincent is a 1970 graduate of Park City High School. She was the valedictorian of her graduating class. She is the daughter of the late Alton and Mary Hawks, both parents worked in the Barren County School System. She and her husband, Steve, are parents to Sundy Thomas (Ken) and Lonnie Vincent (Terra) and grandparents of 7 wonderful grandchildren. She attended Western Kentucky University and graduated with a major in Family and Consumer Science and a minor in Biology. In addition she graduated summa cum laude with a masters in Education.

Until retirement Mrs. Vincent was employed by the Barren County Board of Education as Food Service and Finance Director. In 2006 she began volunteering with the Barren County Education Foundation as Secretary/Treasurer. Mrs. Vincent eventually was elected the Director of the Educational Foundation where her duties include maintaining records and awarding yearly scholarships as well as seeking new sources for additional scholarships.

Mrs. Vincent's hobbies include farming(which she lives on her family's farm), flower gardening and designing and piecing quilts.

When asked what lessons she has learned since graduation she stated that a lesson learned from her parents and grandparents would have to be the most meaningful. That lesson is that relationships with co-workers are more important than the paycheck. Working together for the overall good advances everyone on the team much further than one person alone.

Looking back over her career and thinking about any advice that she would give the younger generation, Mrs. Vincent stated the following - work hard to achieve your goals but don't be afraid to change course if your heart recognizes a need. Also, don't neglect family time and relationships with co-workers.



2024

Barren County Alumni Association

Chairman - Brad Groce

Vice-Chairman - Cindy Wilson

Secretary - Ellen Blevins

Treasurer - Sarah Vincent

Coordinator - Jackie Nuckols

Board Members

Ellen Blevins

Brennan Crain

Anthony Frazier

Tammy Groce

Bo Matthews

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Nicole Jones

Sarah Vincent

Brittany Taylor

Linda Wood

Scott Chapman

Joanna Harvey

Jill Kinslow

Mica Pence

Kelsey Thomas

The Purpose of the Barren County Alumni Association

- To unite in a close fellowship, cultivate friendships, and promote goodwill.
- To educate alumni, friends of the school, and the public at large about the current events, activities, and programs at BCCHS.
- To provide opportunities for alumni to offer financial support to Barren County High School.
- To enhance the awareness of communication between BCCHS and its graduates by offering a directory of alumni.
- To provide a means for Barren County High graduates, current students, and supporters to maintain close ties with their high school through networking opportunities.
- To recognize distinguished alumni.
- To invite alumni from Austin Tracy, Hiseville, Park City & Temple Hill as Heritage members to promote and enhance communications between these groups with common interest.

Would you like to nominate someone for a future BC Alumni Distinguished Hall of Honor?

Please fill out the application below and send to jackie.nuckols@barren.kyschools.us or mail to Jackie Nuckols, 507 Trojan Trail, Glasgow, KY 42141, or Cindy Wilson, 1976 Etoile Road, Glasgow, KY 42141.

Categories for Distinguished Hall of Honor:

Agriculture

Business

Military/Law

Education

Professional

Name of Nominee _____

Contact phone number _____

Graduation year/School attended _____

Employment _____

Please address the contribution, either professionally or personally, the nominee has made to his/her community and his/her awards and achievements.



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Alumni Association Membership Form

Alumni - Any graduate of Barren County High School is an alumni of the Association, along with their spouse as well as active and retired BCHS Faculty/Staff. Membership dues \$10/year, \$30/3 years, \$50/5 years, \$100/10 years

Heritage Alumni - Any person who graduated from any Barren School prior to consolidation, (Austin Tracy, Hiseville, Park City, Temple Hill). Membership dues - \$10/year, \$30/3 years, \$50/5 years, \$100/10 years

Associate members - Any individual or business, who is not an alumnus, but gives of time, energy, is employed or gives financial resources toward the advancement of Barren County Schools. Membership dues - \$10/year, \$30/3 years, \$50/5 years, \$100/10 years

Lifetime Membership - Individuals may join the Association by paying one-time lifetime membership. Membership will be guaranteed from the date they pay their dues through the remainder of their life. Membership dues - \$500 single payment.

Barren County Alumni Association
507 Trojan Trail
Glasgow, KY 42141
Jackie.nuckols@barren.kyschools.us

Name: _____

Address: _____

Cell phone: _____ **E-Mail:** _____

I am a graduate of Class of: _____

I am employed at: _____

Levels of Membership—

- **ALUMNI MEMBERSHIP - \$10, \$30, \$50, \$100**
- **HERITAGE ALUMNI - \$10, \$30, \$50, \$100**
- **ASSOCIATE MEMBER - \$10, \$30, \$50, \$100**
- **LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP - \$500**

In lieu, or in addition to my dues I would like to make a contribution of
\$ _____

Memorial Contribution \$ _____ In Memory of _____

Honoray Contribution of \$ _____ In Honor of _____

2024 Barren County Alumni/ Education Foundation Scholarship Winners



**Alumni High School
Scholarship**
Jacob Spence



**Alumni Post Secondary
Scholarship**
Aleia Kate Harper



**Barry Britt Memorial
Scholarship**
Anna Kate Alexander



**Barren Beyond the
Bell Scholarship**
Elizabeth Hale



**Sherri Davis
Memorial Medical
Scholarship**
Addison Roemer



**Donna Elmore
Memorial
Scholarship**
Madeline Harbison



**Joe & Alice Elliott
Mathematics
Scholarship**
Tinsley Neagle



Ken Frye Scholarship
Brody Miller



**Cleo & Glynna Hogan
Excellence in JROTC
Scholarship**
Parker Moran

2024 Barren County Alumni/ Education Foundation Scholarship Winners



***Mitchell-Crews-Thompson
Scholarship***
Kelsey Jolly



***Purple Toad Business
Scholarship***
Skyler Milstead



***Steenbergen-Shartzer
Scholarship***
Madeline Prichard



***Helen Russell Future
Educator
Scholarship***
Emma Smith



***Helen Russell Future
Educator
Scholarship***
Madeline Prichard



***Helen Russell Future
Educator
Scholarship***
Anna Kate Alexander



***Taking Care of Business
Scholarship***
Kaelin Burks



***Taking Care of Business
Scholarship***
Alexia Bush



***Taking Care of Business
Scholarship***
Anna Kate Alexander



Thank you
for your
attendance!

We appreciate you!

Sincerely,

The Barren County Alumni Association

and

The Barren County Educational Foundation