



St. Mike's Class of 87 Reunion

"Hope to see you there!"

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Progress so far...

The website has been updated and there is a list of names who are attending. If your name is NOT orange, that means you have not filled out the survey.

We need the numbers of who will be attending the Meet & Greet, Dinner & Dance, Family Picnic, and alternative activities.

Please check the site and if you have not filled out the survey, please do so as soon as possible.

Bank Account is still not setup. ☺ It is hard to get all three of us together to get this done. The reunion budget is being calculated and estimates will be given once bank account is set up.

Local GFW meetings will start this Fall. If you are in the area, email us if you want to be on the hometown committee. ☺ Meetings will be casual with lots of fun conversations!

St. Mike's Class of 86's Reunion

Just a few weeks ago, Grand Falls-Windsor had several of the Class of 86 graduates arrive in town for their 25th reunion. They all had a blast and most of them are anxiously awaiting their 30th! They reminisced about the years they spent in St. Mike's and shared stories about their lives since graduation.



Reading their Facebook statuses and seeing all of their pictures, made me realize how much fun we are going to have next summer!

To the left is a picture taken at their dinner and dance.

What a bunch of good looking people!

Cheers to the Class of 86!

John Anstey's Grad Party

We graduated long before "Safe Grads" became the standard. Thankfully, we all seemed to celebrate without having any tragedies. There were a few parties on the go that night. Debbie Healey brought her camera and captured these shots. ☺ I was there, but, there is no evidence! I always managed to avoid those types of situations. I have edited most of these and cropped out the Wobbly Pops wherever I could. There were some outrageous shots that did not make the cut! Debbie can easily blackmail a few of us - if she ever wanted to. I suggest you buy her a drink at the reunion!

If anyone has any pictures from the other parties, feel free to email them to us to include in another newsletter. It could mean a few free drinks at the reunion!
☺ LOL

NOTE:

I decided to do a tie-dyed background to match the many colorful clothing pieces worn by "da byes"!

Chuck, Sean and Magoo: your shirts / hats were the loudest! ☺



Classmate Bio – Brian Dooley

After graduation I went to Gander and took an electronic tech program followed by aircraft engineering. Upon graduation I went to work for a cargo company (DHL Aviation) in Bahrain in the Middle East. A year later I returned to Newfoundland and married Jocelyn Andrews of Grand Falls. We went back to the Middle East and there our oldest daughter Bailey was born 2 years later. It was a fun time there but very demanding work wise in the heat. We acquired many new friends there from Canada and around the world. Upon our return after 4 years, I went to work in St. John's for Air Atlantic for 1 year, followed by Provincial Aerospace for 4 more years working in such places as US, Colombia, Mexico followed by a two year stint in Trinidad. While living in Torbay our second child Madison was born.



Returning back to Canada I went to work for Universal Helicopters in Goose Bay, Labrador. This allowed me to do extensive travel throughout Labrador and the arctic. I went from staying in nice hotels to living out of tents on the arctic ice. We try to get back to Grand Falls every summer even if it's only for a few days. I'm looking forward to next summer and seeing a few faces I haven't seen in a long time.

Brian

Classmate Bio – Lori (Burke) Seddon

Hello Class of 1987!

Wow, it's hard to believe that almost 25 years have passed since our days at St. Mike's. I remember like it was yesterday sitting on the steps on the senior's side at lunch eating a bag of ketchup chips and just chilling. The last 25 years have kept me quite busy. After graduating went to Western Regional Community College where I did Travel & Tourism and worked in St. John's and Grand Falls for LeGrow's Travel for a couple of years. I went back to school and in 1996 I graduated from the Office Administration Program.



May 24 weekend of 1996 I packed up all my belongings into my 2 door civic and Ronnie and I began our journey to the beautiful City of Ottawa. I began working at a Commercial Real Estate Brokerage in June 1996 and spent 13 years there in various positions. In November of 2008 was laid off because of a corporate restructure, quite a shock but they say behind every cloud is a silver lining. My silver lining came in the form of a new job, closer to home, more vacation, lots of benefits and most of all, the flexibility to attend the school and daycare functions of our two beautiful children.

After 9 years together, Ronnie and I got married 2000 and in 2003 we had a beautiful son named Joshua. Josh is going into grade 3, he is a very caring and fun kid who loves to play outside and loves sports of all kinds but most especially hockey. He plays Novice with the Leitrim Hawks and this year I have volunteered to be the Novice Convener (OMG what have I gotten myself into). A few years later we had a beautiful baby girl named Abigail. Abby is going into SK and she is full of energy, she has a great sense of humor, loves to sing and dance, loves to tease her brother and get him in trouble and she too enjoys hockey so she will be playing this year.

Mom and Dad still live on Sutherland, both are doing well. Dad will be 85 on September 1st and Mom is approaching 80. The rest of my family is well and are spread from Boston to Calgary, Barrie, St. Johns, Baie Verte, Ottawa and Grand Falls. My sister Jennifer is getting married in Grand Falls the end of August so perhaps I will see some of you around town.

Cheers and take care.

Lori

Room 303



Cathy Sullivan,
 Dave Lung,
 Brenda Broderick,
 Colin McCarthy,
 Margo Murray,
 Brian Dwyer,
 Kelly Ryan,
 Tom Griffin,
 Howard Lewis,
 Sean O'Reilly,
 Jennifer Kelly,
 Brian Dwyer,
 Graham Mercer,
 Catherine Griffin,
 Edgar Power,
 Nancy Healey,
 Jennifer LeDrew,
 Simon Boucher,
 John Pitcher,
 Joanne Pomeroy,
 Sujal Mandavia,
 Pam Gardner,
 Tony Pretty.

Our uniforms could have been worse!



Salmonid Interpretation Centre – Private Tour

We will be given a private tour of the Salmonid Interpretation Centre, located on the Exploits River at the "Grand Falls".

The Centre has exhibits on the history, biology, ecology and habitat of the Atlantic Salmon. Visitors can view the King of Fish through underwater windows as it travels upstream to the spawning habitat and take in the view of the Falls and nesting Seagulls. It's one of the largest Atlantic Salmon enhancement projects in North America. You will visit the observation level and view the Atlantic Salmon as it migrates upstream to its spawning habitat, along with other species including Brook Trout, Sticklebacks and Live Eels. You will also have an opportunity to shop for that unique souvenir in our well-stocked gift shop.

We will be given a discount rate of \$4.00 per adult and \$1.50 per child.



William Sullivan suggested that our 30th reunion should be in Cuba and all the girls should wear Class of 87 bikinis on the beach!



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