

## Section 3 – Honorees from 2017 - Present

### **Schreiber, Nancy**

In honor of her dedication and decades of commitment to the restoration and preservation of the Third Ward School. Her enthusiasm and perseverance were essential in establishing Heritage School as Sheboygan's unique living history museum.

*Members of the Friends of Heritage School Council, 2016-17*

### **Schumann, John**

John taught Physical Education at Sheboygan South High School and coached basketball and football. He received many honors in his career, including having the South High Community Gym named the Schumann Gym. The Sheboygan County Baseball Association inducted him into their Wall of Fame in 2016.

*Sheboygan County Area Retired Teacher Association, 2017-2018*

### **Snider, Shirley**

Shirley enjoyed the time she spent volunteering at Heritage School. She felt it was important to learn about the past. Shirley enjoyed teaching and loved the opportunity to interact with children. Dressing up in the clothing of that era, including wearing her grandmother's button shoes, reminded her of her own history and the stories she wanted to pass along to the present students. We are hoping the kindness Shirley shared will be remembered at Heritage School.

*Honored by Todd and Marjorie Gibson, 2017-2018*

### **Sheehan, Joe**

Joe Sheehan has been an enthusiastic advocate of Heritage School while serving as an administrator in the Sheboygan Area School District. The Friends of Heritage School Council has greatly appreciated his unwavering support.

*Honored by Friends of Heritage School Council, 2018-2019*

### **North High Women**

The Ladies of North High wish to support Heritage School and its on-going programs.

*Honored by The Ladies of North High, 2018-2019*

### **Bethlehem Lutheran School**

In honor of all teachers who have taught at Bethlehem Lutheran School.

*Honored by Patrick and Ellen Vanic 2019-2020*

### **Schmidt, Carol Jean**

Honoring Carol for many summers of helping with the "Heritage School Games Day" program. Her contributions ranged from donating supplies to helping with activities on site.

*Members of Friends of Heritage School Council, 2019-2020*

### **Soeteber, Dr. Warren**

Warren was an Administrator to two of my three children in Sheboygan's public schools. A best memory of him is of being a neighbor with Jan next door, sharing his wit and happiness with her together.

*Honored by Francine Ehrman, 2020-2021*

### **Soeteber, Dr. Warren**

Through Dr. Warren Soeteber's foresight and leadership while working as Superintendent of Sheboygan Area School District in 1975, Sheboygan County's living history museum was developed. He remained on the Heritage School Council until his passing at 102 years old. Over the years, his love of Heritage School was shared by many adults and fourth-grade students. We owe Dr. Soeteber a debt of gratitude for his support and advocacy.

*Honored by Patti Holmes, 2020-2021*

### **SCARTA Members who passed away in 2020**

We would like to honor the following members of our retired teachers association who passed away in 2020: Dr. Warren Soeteber, Leonard Becker, David Pilon, Ruth Morgan, William Lambrecht, Lonnelle Lenderts, Clifford Kosy, Margarel Dauost, Jane Johnson, Helen Mallmann, Clarence Bulkow, Evelyn Gunderson, Darrel Rondencal, June Platz.

*Honored by Sheboygan County Area Retired Teachers Association (SCARTA) 2020-2021*

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Dr. Soeteber was a very devoted educator. One huge evidence of this was his support of Heritage School. Throughout his career he was a wonderful mentor and friend to the children, families and educators.

*Honored by Marian and Bob Gorges, 2020-2021*

### **Fintzen, Timothy**

Given in honor of Timothy Fintzen for being a dedicated supporter of Heritage Summer School Program. He prepared individual wood boats for students to paint and maintained the equipment by repairing our stilts. His many years of participation in the Heritage Summer Games Day helped to make the experience meaningful for students.

*Members of the Friends of Heritage School Council, 2021-2022*

### **Soeteber, Dr. Warren**

We lost Dr. Soeteber, the driving force behind Heritage School's formation, to the pandemic. As the Sheboygan School District Superintendent in 1980, he was able to make a trade with the city to get the Third Ward School and land back for the school district. He supported the proposal for restoration to turn the building into the Heritage School Museum and remained on the Friends of Heritage School Council. He also was a teacher and docent at Heritage School for many years and donated many items to the museum. He loved Heritage School, and we loved him.

*Members of the Friends of Heritage School Council, 2021-2022*

### **Grade, Jean**

Jean Grade has been an exemplary volunteer for Heritage School. No job was too big or too small for Jean. We salute her for her many years of service, her kindness, and her friendship.

*Members of the Friends of Heritage School Council, 2022-2023*

### **Holmes, Patricia**

Patricia Holmes has served as a teacher and docent at Heritage School. As Coordinator of Heritage School from 2016-2023, she has worked tirelessly to ensure Heritage School continued to serve students during the COVID pandemic years.

*Members of the Friends of Heritage School Council, 2022-2023*

### **Fintzen, Fran**

Fran Fintzen has been a wonderful docent and Heritage School member for many years. She also coordinated the Summer Games Day for SASD summer school. We honor her hard work, commitment, and endless positivity.

*Members of the Friend of Heritage School Council, 2023-2024*

### **Jante, Mary**

Mary Jante was an educator who devoted her life to the education of children of all ages from elementary school through college. She served as Director of Academic Support for Milwaukee Area Technical College. In her retirement years, she enthusiastically served as a teacher for Heritage School. Mary exemplified excellence in both her professional and volunteer commitments.

*Honored by Patricia & Tom Dinolfo, 2023-2024*

### **Long, Dr. George**

In memory of Dr. George Longo who served the SASD as Superintendent from 1982-1994. As a teacher, coach, principal, and superintendent, Dr. Longo exemplified professional excellence. In addition, he was a wonderful family man and a great friend.

*Honored by Patricia & Tom Dinolfo, 2024-2025*