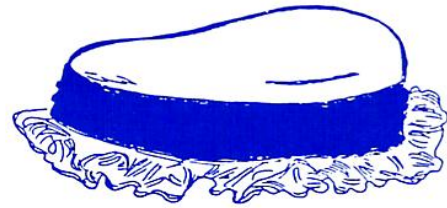


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A Message from the NAA President

Dear Colleagues,

Summer is here and the NAA Alumnae Board is busier than ever. Among some of the initiatives that we are working on are the Nursing History Committee's commemoration of WW1 and our nurses who served, the Halifax explosion and the role of our city and hospital in its recovery, and last but certainly not least, planning another memorable experience for all of you: Homecoming 2017.

If you have not attended Homecoming recently we encourage you to make 2017 the year to come home. We have received wonderful comments each year and don't want you to miss out. Space is limited so please send your registrations early. In addition, we have a CE day planned for September 22 which will address addiction; one of our nations most profound public health concerns.

You should know that your Alumnae Board continues to strive to serve its members, preserve our legacy and fulfill our mission of education and professional development. We hosted a full day Board retreat in April and entertained a robust agenda looking at such things as enhancing our current web site, new and better ways to serve our graduates and ways to engage new volunteers to work on committees and keep our association vital.

As an example of new initiatives either led by or on which our board members collaborated, please take a moment to look at the following web site where information about nurses who served in WW1 is posted <http://www.massgeneral.org/nursing-patientcare/>. This work is the result of collaboration between the MGH Nursing History Committee and the MGH NAA.

We thank the members of the Board who are on the History Committee who have spent many hours collating and organizing this amazing material. Once you go to the link you will be able to read the *Caring Headlines* articles that were released this year.

We are eager to hear back via 82-way-talkö from you our members! Please visit our website at <http://mghsonalumnae.org>. You can send us messages that come directly to our email box or send us an email at MGHnursealumnae@partners.org. We also welcome you to attend upcoming board meetings where you can learn about opportunities on how to get involved and we welcome your donations to fund this work at any time.

I look forward to hearing from you regarding ways we can best serve your interest. Please join me in celebrating our legacy at homecoming.

Sincerely,
 Mary Larkin, 1976

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Send news to the NAA either by email or to P O Box 6234 Boston MA 02114

MGH Nurses Alumnae Fall Reunion and Educational Program 2017

Friday, September 22, 2017, O'Keefe Auditorium, MGH

5.5 Nursing Education Contact Hours

Breakfast provided by the MGH Institute of Health Professions School of Nursing

Opioid Epidemic/Addictive Disorders Treatment

- 8:00-8:30 **Registration and Coffee** compliments MGH IHP
- 8:30-9:00 **Welcome and Greetings:**
Mary Larkin President MGH SON NAA
Marianne Ditomassi RN, DNP, MBA, NEA-BC Exe. Director, PCS Operations, MGH DON
Inez Tuck, PhD, RN, MBA Dean MGH-IHP, School of Nursing
- 9:00-10:00 **The Opioid Epidemic, A Public Health Crisis:** Colleen LaBelle, MSN, RN-BC, CARN Program Director, STATE OBAT B, Nurse Manager BMC OBAT, Exec. Director, MA IntNSA BMC.
- 10:00-10:15 **Break**
- 10:15-11:45 **Substance Use Disorder, Engaging Patients in Treatment to Improve Health Outcomes:** Dawn Williamson, RN, DNPC, MSN, PMHCNS-BC, CARN-AP, *Addictions Consult MGH/ED*; Christopher Shaw, NP, *Team Leader Addictions Consult Team*
- 11:45-12:30 **Lunch** (on your own)
- 12:30-1:30 **Reason for Hope: The Science of Treatment and Recovery from Addiction:** John F Kelly, PhD, Director-Recovery Research Institute, Associate Director-Center for Addiction Med, Timothy E. Willens MD, Chief, Div. of Child and Adolescent Psych, Co-Director, Center of Addiction Med, Sarah E Wakeman, MD, Medical Director-Substance Use Disorder Initiative, Med Director-Addiction Consult Team
- 1:30-2:30 **Treatment of Those Who Suffer From Addictive Disorders, Weaving Humanity into Practice:** Donna White, RN, PhD, CS, CADAC, Addiction Specialist, DPH, MGH, UMASS Boston, DMH
- 2:30-3:00 **Break**
- 3:00-4:00 **The State's Response to the Opioid Crisis:** Sarah Ruiz, Bureau of substance abuse services, MDPH
- 4:00-4:30 **Evaluations**

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**Homecoming 2017**

**Saturday, September 23, 2017**

**Massachusetts General Hospital 55 Fruit St Boston MA**

|                  |                                                                      |
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| 8:00am-12:00pm   | Registration White Lobby                                             |
| 8:15am-11:00am   | Russell Museum, Coffee Reception                                     |
| 10:30am-11:00am  | Annual Business Meeting O'Keefe Auditorium                           |
| 11:00am-12:00 pm | MGHIHP Student Presentation O'Keefe Auditorium                       |
| 12:00 pm-1:00 pm | Reception and Class Pictures for Reunion Years, Wang/Bulfinch patios |
| 1:00 pm-2:30 pm  | Luncheon, Wang Tea Leaves Cafeteria                                  |

All Homecoming activities are within a short walk of each other. Shuttle transport from the MGH White Building Lobby to the Russell Museum will begin at 8:00 am and continue through the morning as needed. Shuttle return from the Russell Museum to the White Lobby area will begin at 9:00 am and continue until 11:30 am.

**Please Note:**

**Registration is mandatory for Russell Museum entry—you must have your Homecoming name badge to enter.**

**Luncheon seating is restricted to 140 people. Once that number is reached Homecoming registration will be closed.**

**We do not have a contracted hotel vendor for the event. Hotels near MGH that may offer MGH rates are:**

**The Liberty Hotel 617-224-4000; The Omni Parker House 617-227-8600; The Wyndham (formerly Holiday Inn) 617-742-7630; The Constitution Inn at Charlestown 617-241-8400; Holiday Inn Somerville 617-628-1000**

Advance Registration Discount: Register by July 1, 2017 and deduct \$10.00 for Friday or Saturday or \$20.00 for both days. Dues for 2018 may be included with your payment as well as your contribution to the Fund Drive. Make checks payable to the MGH NAA and mail to: MGH NAA PO Box 6234 Boston MA 02114

If you are planning your class's reunion please contact the Alumnae Office at 617-726-3144 for an updated listing of the class which will include current address, e-mail, and phone if available. And status (active, inactive, deceased, or lost). Major reunion years: classes of '47 (70th); '57 (60th); '67 (50th); '77 (40th).

## PRICE LIST FOR GIFT ITEMS 2017

Umbrella (nurse silhouette)..í í í í \$15.00  
 Tile : School pin .í . . . . . \$15.00  
 Mug: blue ceramic, school piní í í \$10.00

**Note Cards & Envelopes:**

Bulfinch, school song inside, 6ct.í . \$10.00  
 Nurse silhouette, 10ctí í í í .í ... \$10.00

**Sundial:**

Black & white, 6ctí í í í í í \$10.00

Color, \$2.50 each or 3í í ...í í \$6.00

**MGH School Pin Note Pads:**

5X4 (50 sheets).í í í í í í .....2/\$5.00

Tote Bag (Sundial)í í í .í .....í ..\$20.00

Messenger Bag (Bulfinch) . . . . . \$15.00  
 Suncatcher (blue or amber)í .í \$15.00  
 Scarf 20x20 cream/gold caps.....\$30.00  
 Key Ring (school pin)í í í í . \$20.00  
 Enamel Box (limited edition).í \$225.00  
 Blue covered box, Bulfinch on cover

**Books:**

A Centennial Reviewí í í í \$10.00

The Next Twenty-five Yearsí . \$15.00

An Alumnae Tributeí í í í \$15.00

All three for just \$30.00

MGH Nursing at 200í í í í . \$25.00

Most items can be viewed on the web page. Orders may be placed by phone, mail or email to the address below. Allow 3 weeks for delivery and include \$11.00 for shipping individual items. If ordering multiple items please check with the NAA office for postage rates. Please note some items have limited quantities at this time. MGHNAA PO Box 6234 Boston, MA 02114 (617)726-3144 [mghnursealumnae@Partners.org](mailto:mghnursealumnae@Partners.org)

**The Bertella Tompkins Fund** is available for alumnae members who need assistance with health related expenses that are **not** covered by insurance or other funding. There is a yearly maximum of \$4000 and a lifetime max of \$12,000 per Alumnae Member (dues- paying) from this fund. Contact: Mary Cairra at 617-926-9944 or by email MEKFC75@gmail.com.

**The Sally Johnson and Felicia Fullerton Scholarships** are available to MGH and MGH Institute School of Nursing Graduate nurses, who are active in the MGH NAA (dues paid ). The nurse must be pursuing a nursing or related education. The amount is currently \$12,000.00.

**The Annabella McCrae Loan Fund** assists MGH and MGH IHP Graduate Nurses who have been given the maximum amount of the Fullerton and Johnson Scholarship Funds. They may apply for loans, which are low interest 2% to 4%, up to \$12,000.00 in pursing their nursing or related education. The nurse must be an active member of the MGH NAA and dues must remain current through the life of the loan.

### Homecoming 2017 at the MGH *Space Limited Register Today*

- \_\_\_ **Both** Friday and Saturday Programs: \$115.00 (NAA members) \$125.00 (non-members)
- \_\_\_ Friday Program **Only**: \$40.00 (NAA members) \$50.00 (Non-members)
- \_\_\_ Saturday Program and Luncheon **Only** (*September 23*): \$75.00 per person

**Advanced registration discount prior to July 1, 2017 of \$10 for one day and \$20 for both days**  
 Please check if: **Vegetarian Meal:**\_\_\_\_\_ **Hospital Tour:**\_\_\_\_\_

Help save on mailing costs by adding your annual Fund Drive Donation and your 2018 Dues

- \_\_\_ Dues for **2018** \$30.00
- \_\_\_ My tax deductible Fund Drive Donation of \$\_\_\_\_\_

Total amount enclosed:\_\_\_\_\_

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 CITY/STATE/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Graduation\_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to **MGHNAA** and mail to: **MGHNAA PO Box 6234 Boston MA 02114**  
**All reservations must be received by September 1, 2017. No refunds for cancellations received after September 4, 2017**  
**Reserve early as space is limited NO onsite registration will be available**

*Remember the Association needs your support*

*Homecoming and CE Program Application*

*Is included in this issue*

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