

Footprints



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Friends We'll Miss

1940s

Arthur French (AA, '48)
June 8, 2020

Vera Jean Gorsky ('47)
October 12, 2020

Nedalyn (Dover) Testolin ('47)
January 12, 2021

Marjorie Elaine (Freese) Meyer ('49)
January 18, 2021

Wilma Irene Shafto (AA, '47)
December 11, 2021

Charlotte Babcock (AA, '49)
Exemplary Alumni 1995
Commitment to Excellence
Honoree 2019
December 30, 2021

1950s

Gayle Sturdevant (AA, '58)
October 15, 2020

David John Knighten ('54)
December 25, 2020

William R. Backer ('55)
January 1, 2021

Neil E. Harrington ('50)
February 19, 2021

JoAnn (Williams) Brewer (AA, '51)
February 20, 2021

John "Jack" R. Shinn ('58)
March 5, 2021

Francis D. (Edwards) Ward (AA, '55)
April 7, 2021

Duane L. Christensen (AA, '58)
April 27, 2021

Donald E. Korn (AA, '55)
April 28, 2021

Phyllis K. Yeamans (AA, '57)
May 5, 2021

Jeanine M. (Bright) Johnson ('57)
June 1, 2021

Lee Yohn ('57)
Retired Maintenance Department
1994-2000
June 3, 2021

Robert L. Brock (AA, '57)
June 6, 2021

Thomas J. Hool (AA, '56)
June 17, 2021

Robert L. Nelson (AS, '57)
June 17, 2021

John L. "Jack" Blair (AA, '57)
June 18, 2021

Burt St. John (AA, '56)
June 20, 2021

Thomas P. Clemmons (AA, '54)
July 3, 2021

James K. Wade ('57)
August 15, 2021

Ervin Smith (AA, '55)
August 21, 2021

Gerald "Jerry" Dalton ('57)
October 11, 2021

Milton G. Mooney ('50)
November 2, 2021

Celia "Jo" (Arnold) Meyers ('53)
November 10, 2021

Mary Jo (Currence) Hardy ('52)
November 29, 2021

Harry O. Patterson ('57)
December 2, 2021

1960s

Teina I. (Medlock) Snyder ('66)
June 14, 2020

Marvin Eugene Berg ('67)
December 9, 2020

Elaine (McMichael) Brooks (AA, '66)
January 1, 2021

John Bent Pouttu (AA, '62)
January 13, 2021

Mary E. (Haass) Valstad (CERT, '69)
February 6, 2021

Clarence "Darrell" Bennett ('61)
February 18, 2021

Clayton D. Carr (AA, '62)
February 18, 2021

Leah L. Ballou ('63)
March 1, 2021

Steve Roszel ('60)
March 12, 2021

Marilyn R. Shingleton (AS, '69)
March 22, 2021

Lester Gordon Obert Jr. (AS, '67)
Retired Faculty 1972-1995
April 18, 2021

Dannie E. Breikjern ('63)
May 26, 2021

Nina Carlton (AS, '63)
June 12, 2021

Sandra June (Johnson) Lund (AA, '63)
June 18, 2021

Duane J. Luhring (AA, '69)
June 21, 2021

Gary Duane Long (AA, '65)
June 23, 2021

Joyce (Burkhart) Pittser ('66)
July 16, 2021

Kathleen E. Bucholz (CERT, '65)
July 19, 2021

Ronald "Ronnie" Givens ('69)
July 19, 2021

Loyal L. Brock ('66)
July 31, 2021

John "Jack" Kunckel (AB, '66)
August 4, 2021

Chauncy Douglas "Doug" King (AB, '66)
August 13, 2021

Paula Ann Arnold ('66)
August 19, 2021

Gerald A. Moats ('61)
August 24, 2021

Clarice Manning (LPN, '65)
August 31, 2021

Suzanne S. McOmie (CERT, '66)
September 3, 2021

Robert Miller ('61)
September 3, 2021

Nancy Lee (Smith) Dill ('67)
September 4, 2021

Beryl D. Carsten (AA, '60)
September 13, 2021

Edwin Thomas Butch Hudson ('61)
September 14, 2021

Michael Harold Ruby (AS, '69)
September 28, 2021

Larry David "Dave" Gallatin (AS, '65)
September 29, 2021

Linda K. (Spiva) Bessler ('68)
September 30, 2021

Nick "Bud" Hahn ('66)
October 9, 2021

Kathleen "Kathy" Hauf ('62)
October 17, 2021

Charles L. Snyder (AA, '65)
October 20, 2021

Donald "Don" Sutphin (AS, '69)
October 31, 2021

Thomas M. McDonald ('64)
November 13, 2021

Henry C. Cundy (AS, '66)
November 16, 2021

Carol E. Etcheverry (AA, '65)
November 19, 2021

Nancy J. Potter (AA, '61)
November 19, 2021

David Schultz ('65)
November 19, 2021

Jerry Dymond ('66)
November 24, 2021

1970s

Terry Ray McIntosh (CERT, '79)
July 5, 2020

Terrence J. Hick (AAS, '73)
December 5, 2020

Lawrence "Larry" D. Lewis (AS, '70)
December 6, 2020

Jeffrey M. Severn ('74)
December 6, 2020

Donald "Don" W. McHattie (AAS, '77)
December 31, 2020

Shirley L. (Jucknath) Robertson (AS, '71)
December 31, 2020

Allan E. Benton ('70)
January 13, 2021

Ramona Jean (Hanson) Heller (AAS, '75)
January 14, 2021

Katherine "Kathie" (Johnson) Diehl (CERT, '77)
February 10, 2021

Richard "Dick" Bassett ('70)
March 1, 2021

Magdalene H. Greene (AS, '78)
March 10, 2021

Patricia "Patty" Caldwell ('70)
April 1, 2021

Dianna Sullivan (CERT, '70)
April 3, 2021

John David "Dave" Pedry ('72)
April 22, 2021

Kathryn "Kathy" Aeschliman ('76)
May 4, 2021

David "Dave" Capps ('76)
May 18, 2021

Peggy Lynn (Stephens) Anderson ('70)
May 20, 2021

James E. Werner ('70)
June 18, 2021

Robert L. McConnell (AS, '72)
July 8, 2021

Lois Shinkle ('78)
July 15, 2021

Mike Moore (AS, '72)
July 16, 2021

Janice "Jani" Lerback (CERT, '71)
July 17, 2021

James Bruce Jackson ('71)
August 6, 2021

Stephen Richard "Steve" Bovie, ('77)
August 12, 2021

Mary L. (McLean) Long ('73)
August 21, 2021

George Rooney (AA, AB, '73)
Retired Assistant Director of Facilities
1983-2004
September 17, 2021

Margaret "Peggy" (Ginther) Paxton (CERT, '78)
September 21, 2021

Willard N. Noseep (CERT, '77)
September 29, 2021

Annette Bolan Boulter Dickson (AA, '73)
October 1, 2021

Charles "Dan" Braig (AS, '71)
October 7, 2021

Allen D. Bonnett ('72)
October 19, 2021

Charles S. Wilson ('72)
November 2, 2021

Daniel P. Miner ('75)
November 15, 2021

Tad E. Knight ('77)
November 16, 2021

Theresa "Terri" F. (Orr) Christensen (AS, '72)
December 7, 2021

Linda Jons (AAS, '77)
December 12, 2021

Michael Douglas Haws ('75)
December 16, 2021

1980s

Anthony "Tony" Wade Laing ('83)
October 10, 2020

Sandra D. Wright (AAS, CERT, '89)
December 9, 2020

Keith Donald Jussel (CERT, '88)
December 10, 2020

John Moeller (CERT, '89)
December 12, 2020

Barry E. Reed ('89)
December 16, 2020

Paul Amadio ('86)
Retired Campus Services 1979-2010
January 1, 2021

Ruth A. (Clifton) Garrett ('82)
Former Faculty
January 18, 2021

Cindy P. (Hoffman) Ramirez (AAS, '80)
January 19, 2021

Re Ann Walters (AA, '88, AAS, '89)
February 15, 2021

Karen Ann Apostolos ('84)
February 19, 2021

Vincent J. Mockensturm, Sr. (AB, '86)
February 24, 2021

James E. Bougor (AA, '87)
March 1, 2021

Friends We'll Miss cont.

Virginia Brunelli ('84)
March 24, 2021

Eugene L. Bock (AB, '87)
April 1, 2021

Charlotte J. (Pope) Parsons (AAS, '89, AAS, '89)
May 15, 2021

Anita V. (Lee) Stevens (AAS, '82)
May 23, 2021

Sally Lou Pedersen ('80)
May 26, 2021

Larry D. Wostenberg (CERT, '86)
June 14, 2021

**Robert Eugene "Bob" Suedes
Retired Faculty 1960-1989**
June 17, 2021

Douglas L. Olson (CERT, '83)
July 16, 2021

Karla Ridgeway (AA, '89)
July 18, 2021

Kay S. McMillen (AAS, '89)
July 28, 2021

Walter R. Kussy (CERT, '80)
August 6, 2021

Barbara "Barb" Kramp ('88)
August 18, 2021

Thomas A. Hammell ('80)
September 5, 2021

Rhonda G. Boyer ('83)
September 7, 2021

Tony C. Schott ('83)
September 15, 2021

**Rhonda D. Cothren Johnstone
(CERT, '87)**
October 12, 2021

Charles Wayne Bayles (AS, '86)
October 18, 2021

Allan E. Garner (CERT, '86)
October 19, 2021

**Rodney L. Patik (AAS, AAS, '84)
Exemplary Alumni 1995**
October 21, 2021

Marsha Moye (CERT, '88)
November 1, 2021

Ellen D. Burris (CERT, '80)
November 16, 2021

Daniel Herdt ('84)
November 23, 2021

Donna M. Swirczynski (AAS, '81)
November 24, 2021

Shannon (Graf) Lakner ('89)
November 28, 2021

Diana M. Whitcomb (AA, '86)
December 4, 2021

1990s

Debra A. (Orndorff) Bohart ('90)
September 22, 2020

Judi (Blair) Hede ('98)
January 1, 2021

Lisa Marie (Box) Hamilton (AS, '94)
January 7, 2021

Patricia Lynn Johnson (AAS, '97)
January 12, 2021

Gloria Duckworth ('92)
January 28, 2021

Monica L. Decker (AAS, AAS, '91)
February 15, 2021

Carol J. (Hurlbut) Gustafson (AAS, '99)
March 19, 2021

Georgia E. Japp (AA, '97)
March 22, 2021

Kathy G. (Watts) Heuer (AAS, '91)
March 23, 2021

**Francis (Strayer) Hanson-Sevon
(AAS, '96)**
April 9, 2021

Barbara Jo Alameda ('94)
May 2, 2021

Holly Renee Block ('92)
June 8, 2021

Debbie D. Pantall (AAS, '90)
June 13, 2021

Susan D. (Carneal) Kussy (AAS, '99)
August 6, 2021

Joey Lance Johnson ('90)
August 7, 2021

Vincent Worth Christie ('91)
September 11, 2021

**Mary Frances Wilson
Retired Business Office Systems
Faculty 1980-1994**
September 14, 2021

James "Jay" Sykes Melvin (AA, '91)
September 18, 2021

Connie F. Petty ('94)
September 20, 2021

**Patricia Lansing
Retired Nursing Faculty, 1988-1999**
September 30, 2021

**Jack Romanek
Retired College Center
Director 1965-1991
Commitment to Excellence
Honoree 2009**
September 30, 2021

Sheri Lynn (Phillips) Jones (AAS, '96)
October 27, 2021

Gregory P. Metz (AAS, '99)
October 30, 2021

Samuel E. Peterson, Jr. (AAA, '93)
October 31, 2021

Denise A. Schwartz (AA, '94)
November 4, 2021

Dietra M. Kessel (AAS, '99)
November 7, 2021

Darla Harry ('99)
November 8, 2021

Sandra Kay Pettry (AB, '91)
November 25, 2020

Jeff Wrasper (AS, '91)
November 28, 2021

**Constance J. "Connie" Campbell
(CERT, '98)**
December 2, 2021

2000s

Danny Lee Pickett ('07)
November 22, 2020

Rachel D. (Walker) Johnson ('09)
January 1, 2021

Jessica Wagner (AS, '07)
January 12, 2021

Brett A. Wentz (AS, '03)
January 20, 2021

Margo L. Miller (AA, '07)
February 20, 2021

**Theresa M. (Snellgrove) Johnson
(AAS, '05, CERT, '05)**
March 1, 2021

**Micheal Sarvey
Retired Faculty 1970-2000
Commitment to Excellence
Honoree 2002**
March 25, 2021

Pamela J. Focke (AS, '09)
June 2, 2021

Kelley K. Bacon-Frits (AS, '05)
June 9, 2021

Luis M. Gregorio ('05)
June 12, 2021

Pamela Reynolds (AS, '09)
June 19, 2021

Paul Daniel Pedry ('94-'95, '05, '07-'09)
July 3, 2021

Rex Osborne Hoff ('02)
September 7, 2021

Kraig A. Wilson ('93, '05)
September 23, 2021

Shain Patrick McVay ('09)
October 10, 2021

Karen McVay (AA, '06)
October 14, 2021

Claud Dickey (AAS, '00)
October 19, 2021

Glenn R. Mercer (AAS, CERT, '04)
October 19, 2021

**Charles "Chuck" Leonard
Maintenance Department 1998-2004**
October 23, 2021

Katie D. Pearson (AB, '06)
November 25, 2021

**Monique "Moni" Rae Peterson-Bown
(AS, AA, '09)**
November 30, 2021

2010s

Brian G. Williams (CERT, '19)
March 2, 2021

Alexis J. Loos ('19)
April 5, 2021

Robert "Bill" Saunders (AAS, '13)
April 28, 2021

Tracy Lynn Schrader (AS, '10)
June 8, 2021

Bryan Fortune (CERT, '14)
July 16, 2021

**Michael Todd Crimm (CERT, '10,
AAS, '11)**
August 10, 2021

**Patricia Idella Hayden
Former Faculty 2004-2016**
August 13, 2021

Tayler Jayde DeWitt (AS, '14)
September 3, 2021

**Chandler "Chancey"
Shakespeare Jr. ('12)**
October 16, 2021

Joshua Dannar (AAS, '13)
October 20, 2021

**Christopher Henrichsen
Former Faculty 2010-2013**
December 13, 2021

Richard "Richy" Parke (CERT, '16)
December 18, 2021

2020s

Tom Thorson — Benefactor
December 16, 2020

Jene Pointer
March 12, 2021

Michael D. Stanley (AS, '20)
March 24, 2021

W.J. "Jack" Nicholas
April 16, 2021

Carl Grosz — Benefactor
July 20, 2021

**Marialyce Tobin
Former Faculty/Benefactor
Commitment to Excellence Honoree**
August 28, 2021

Phyllis L. Ackerman — Benefactor
September 14, 2021

Charles Burlingame — Benefactor
December 6, 2021

When **Marialyce Barrett Tobin** died at her home Aug. 28, 2021, at the age of 97, Casper College lost a true friend and benefactor. Her service of 24 years to the Casper College Foundation board was instrumental in the decisions that led to the foundation's success. When the college was in its fledgling stage, holding classes in the Natrona County High School building, she taught business law and continued teaching for 14 more years.

Tobin helped establish the Chamberlain Lectureship. She attended basketball games at the "Swede" Erickson Thunderbird Gymnasium as an avid T-Bird fan for as long as her health would allow. In 2011, she was presented with the Casper College Alumni Association's Commitment to Excellence Award for exemplary service and making a difference in the growth of the college. During her 97 years, she was committed to our community,

Casper College, and her family and friends. In 2015 she received the prestigious Woman of Distinction Award for her outstanding contributions to the community.

The student cafeteria is dedicated to both Dick and Marialyce Tobin's generosity. She later commissioned artist and Casper College alumnus **Chris Navarro** (AA, '90) to create the "Essence of Rex" bronze statue for the Casper College Tate Geological Museum. The fossilized remains of a *T rex* dubbed "Lee Rex" were found near her hometown of Lusk, Wyoming, which stirred her interest. She was delighted with the ceremonies that surrounded the dedication of the bronze, and her smile was at the center of the celebration. Her generosity is evident throughout Casper.

Casper and Casper College will carry her imprint for generations to come.