

# Pelican Rapids School Foundation



## 1st Annual **VIKING GALA**

**Saturday, October 5th, 2019**



**Our School - Our Children - Our Future**

### Silent Auction

DONATION  
Misc Onsies & Child T-Shirts  
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Sweatshirt & \$20 gift card  
Sweatshirt, Cap & \$20 gift card  
JD Tractor & \$25 ARCO Gift Card  
Massage Gift Certificate  
2 dozen custom holiday cookies  
Red Wine Bottles with Caddie & \$25 Skal Gift Card  
Misc PR Cold Weather Gear & \$25 Gift Card to ELMOS  
Blanket, T-Shirt, 2 caps  
Tastefully Simple Basket  
Snack Basket & \$20 Gift Card  
Dec Mirror & \$25 ELMOS card  
PR PJ Pants & Winter Hat & \$50 Zorbaz Gift Card  
Table Runners & Grad Cards & \$25 Gift Card to Spankys  
Decorative Copper Sculpture & \$25 Elmos Gift Card  
2 FREE rounds of Golf with hat (for 2020 season)  
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DecStar & Flag Serving Tray \$25 Heart O Lakes Gift Card  
Misc Baking Pans & Pot Holders  
Cooler with Picnic Supplies & Propane Fill  
Nail Care Set  
Longbridge Bar Sweatshirt, \$10 Gift Card & Gift Certificate to Pelican Rapids Escape Room

DONATOR  
Sue McCracken  
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Cornfield Cafe  
Lakeland General Store  
Seter Family & ARCO Store  
Water Lilly Massage  
Tally Moisek  
Skal  
Muddy Moose & Elmos  
Long Weekend Sportwear  
Onnalee Miller Krump  
Larrys Supermarket  
Seter Family & Elmos  
Pelican Drug / Zorbaz  
Amy Johnston & Spankys  
Seter Family & Elmos  
Birchwood Golf Course  
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Seter Family & Heart O Lakes Meat  
Jamie Funk  
Park Region Co-op  
Brittany Dokken  
Thea's Pumpkin Patch & Northern Aire Lanes

15 lb of hamburger & family fun pass to bowling alley  
Trampoline  
Pallet Sign  
Baby Doll  
Kayak Trip  
Canned Goods  
HOL card & mug  
InForum subscription  
canned goods  
candle/soap/oil

LongBridge Bar & PR Escape Room  
Natalie Nehk  
Fran Anderson  
Mary Williams  
Pelican Paddle Company  
Brown Eyed Susans  
Heart O Lakes Meats  
Forum Communications  
Liz Bakken  
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### Silent Auction

Custom Cake by Tally Miosek  
4 tickets to Fargo Force Game (With hats)  
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\$100 gift card Scheels / stadium seats / YETIs /  
Custom Canvas Collage (\$275 value)  
Gift Card / flatiron / Serum / Gloss  
Oral B Toothbrush Set  
Rustic Wood Viking Head  
MN Sign made from Dunvilla Cabin #15  
\$100 worth of product / Morrocan Oil Brand  
\$50 Spankys / Billys / Skal & sweatshirt  
Tool Belt & Hammer  
Wine Basket & Goodies  
Decorative Hanging Shelves  
Shada Registration for 2020 tournament  
4 open ended date UND Hockey Tickets  
Rockwell Sonicrafter Oscillating Tool  
Interior Auto Detail & Basic Wash Package  
Rhapsody oil painting  
Living Proof hair products, candle, pumpkin, Bare Minerals  
Metal MN Vikings Sign  
Entering Vikingland 1983-1984 photocollage  
Pelican Rapids 1984 State Boys Basketball Poster & State Championship Net  
Vintage Football Shirt signed by Al Siegle  
Custom Quilt & Pillows

Tally Miosek  
Fargo Force  
Fargo Force  
Lemke Exteriors  
From Where I Come photography  
Envy Salon  
Pelican Dental  
Chris & Angie Westby & Greg Lang  
Jody Restad  
Plum Haven Salon / Donna Nelson  
Vergas State Bank  
Crane Johnson  
Fahje Family  
Tony & Sarah Gilbert  
Doug Bruggeman  
Siegle Family  
Strand Ace Hardware  
Lana Grefsrud  
Marsella Rose  
Jessica Brosowske  
Ballard Sanitation  
PRHS  
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Amy Johnston

### Live Auction

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# Welcome to our 2019 Viking Gala

This the 1st annual Viking Gala! It is exciting to see what our community can do when it comes together to support such an awesome cause.....raising money for our FANTASTIC school!

First, the members of the Pelican Rapids School Foundation would like to Thank You! Without all of you purchasing tickets, this event would not take place! Thank you to everyone that has either purchased tickets, made donations, purchased donations, helped with set-up, printed tickets, sold tickets, helped with check out...the list goes on...THANK YOU from the bottom of our hearts and from the bottom of the hearts of the children in our school and community.

-Pelican Rapids School Foundation

## 2019 Viking Gala

5:00-6:30	Social Hour/Cast Bar
5:00-8:30	Silent Auction & Games
6:30-8:00	Dinner
7:30-8:30	Former Staff Recognition
	Hall of Fame Inductees Honored
8:30-9:00	Live Auction

# Teacher Honor Roll



JOHN NORDSTROM

John was hired as a fifth grade teacher in 1970. Room 107A was a brand new classroom that year and he spent the next 33 years in that room. In 2004 he retired from the Pelican Rapids School District. His extra activities included being a Boy Scout leader for 30 years. Since the year 2000 he has been active with the Friends of Maplewood State Park where he helped write a maple syrup curriculum that is used to educate school classes that come to Maplewood during the maple syrup season. The Pelican Rapids Foundation for Education would like to thank Mr. Nordstrom for his many years of dedicated service to Pelican Rapids schools.



KEITH KLEIN

Serving as superintendent of schools from 1978 to 2003 gave Keith the opportunity to be involved in several facility improvements and program enhancements for a wide range of activities. Being supportive of coaches/directors and students was always his goal. He and his wife Barb enjoyed attending various school events and have fond memories of many exciting accomplishments of PRHS teams! The Pelican Rapids Foundation for Education would like to thank Mr. Klein for his many years of dedicated service to Pelican Rapids schools.

### Door Prize

Wells Fargo  
Hillbillies  
Brygge Bar  
Strata  
Farmers State Bank / Rothsay  
TJs Booze & Bistro  
Julie Lammers, Mary Kay Consultant  
Pelican Rapids Chamber

### Games

Southtown/G.N. EVENSON  
Coldwell Banker  
Marty Electric & Midwest Tree  
Portable BBQ Grill  
Ripley's Inc  
Jessicas Family Daycare  
Lars' Body Shop  
Rapid Brake & Alignment  
Fire Pit  
Bose Earbuds  
Cooler of Booze

\$250 Gas CardPlinko  
DeWalt Radio  
Meat Bundle  
Otter Tail Power  
iPad  
FitBit  
Scheels Gift Card \$100  
Cooler of Booze  
Brandon & Amanda Tweenton  
Shada Seed  
Rapids Brake & Alignment

Black Jack  
Heads or Tales  
Plinko  
Plinko  
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Liquor Cooler  
Arm Stretch  
Heads or Tales  
Plinko

Center Pieces on Tables provided by Mother Goose & Beans  
Outdoor decorations provided by Theas Pumpkin Patch

# Teacher Honor Roll

JOHN MATHESON

John started his teaching career at PRHS in 1959, teaching Algebra and Geometry and was part of an excellent Mathematics department. Some students may remember his alligator pit and yard stick. John, along with Jerry Polley, were able to get their students excited about mathematics and were even congratulated by the Mathematics Department at MSU for all the excellent math students that came there from Pelican over the years. John and Jerry started taking students to yearly math contests and almost always placed first or second. John also was the timekeeper and ran the scoreboard at many sporting events over the years until his retirement in 1987. The Pelican Rapids Foundation for Education would like to thank Mr. Matheson for his many years of dedicated service to Pelican Rapids schools.



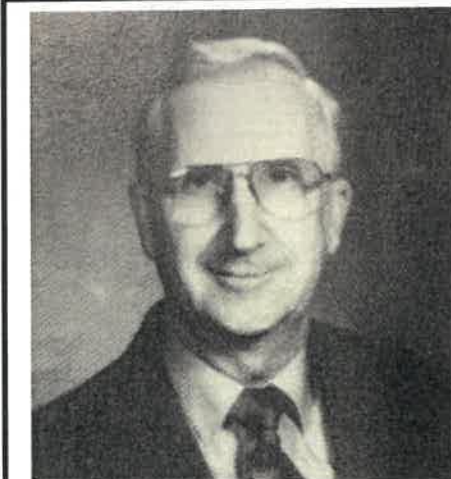
JERRY POLLEY

Jerry started teaching 8th grade Math and Algebra I in the fall of 1963. After a few years the Administration let him start a class called Probability & Statistics. He believes that we were one of only five schools in Minnesota to offer such a class at that time. Eventually he also taught Trig-Analysis for the rest of his teaching career. He retired in 1997. He is very thankful to have had John Matheson to encourage him through most of his years at PRHS. Together, they led teams that excelled in many math contests. He would like to mention that the School Board and the Administration gave them full support when they started new classes and the student-led Computer program. Our students were self-taught, each willing to help others. That is why they excelled. Discipline was never a problem in the Computer room. Breaking a rule meant the student could not use the computers for two days. Only one student ever broke a rule. The Pelican Rapids Foundation for Education would like to thank Mr. Polley for his many years of dedicated service to Pelican Rapids schools.



JACK COUTURE

Jack began teaching in Pelican Rapids in 1957. Teaching both higher mathematics and band for a few years, he then began teaching only band since the program had grown from 56 students to 325 students comprising 30% or more of the Pelican student body. The second year of teaching, he began taking his bands yearly to contest - first at a neighboring district since Pelican's district had no band contests. At contest, Pelican Rapids bands always received top ratings. Jack also served many years as a judge for other districts' band contests. In addition to contests, numerous band concerts each year and supporting Pelican girls' and boys' sports teams at various events, Pelican Rapids bands took many trips performing at places like the Arlington National Cemetery in Washington, D.C. and competing at Disneyworld in Florida. Retiring from teaching the spring of 1991, Jack began driving school bus for some years because he missed the kids. He now lives near Crosby, MN, and spends time in Arizona during the winter. The Pelican Rapids Foundation for Education would like to thank Mr. Couture for his many years of dedicated service to Pelican Rapids schools.



## Auction Instructions

The Silent Auction bidding begins at 5:00pm and continues until the Live Auction begins at approximately 8:30pm. There are bidding slips next to each item. Please use your name when writing down a bid.

All items must be paid for tonight by cash or check. All checks should be made payable to the PR School Foundation. There will be cashiers at the tables ready to help you out.

All items must be picked up tonight.

This book contains a list of the auction items. We apologize for any errors.

## Pelican Rapids School Foundation

### 2019 Board Members

Bob Satterlie

Becky Wontor

Lloyd Nelson

Phil Stotesbery

Brenda Olson

# Pelican Rapids Hall of Fame

## Ki Gohdes ~ Coach



### Coach

Track & Field Coach ~ 36 years  
 Volleyball Coach ~ 18 years  
 Gymnastics Coach ~ 6 years  
 Assistant Cross Country Coach ~ 3 years  
 Junior High Basketball Coach ~ 2 years

### Coaching Awards

Track & Field Coach of the Year ~ 1994  
 Section 6A Track & Field Coach of the Year ~ 7  
 President of Track & Field Coaches Association 1997 & 1998

### Coaching Accomplishments

Conference Championships ~ 8  
 Section 6A Championships ~ 8  
 State Runner-ups ~ 2

# Pelican Rapids Hall of Fame

## Robert Schultz ~ Athlete



### Academic:

Salutatorian of Graduation Class of 1954

### Track

State Champion

### Football

Captain  
 Letterwinner  
 All-Conference  
 All-State

### College

Football at University of Minnesota

### Basketball

Captain  
 All-District

## Rex Haugen ~ Coach



### Coach

Basketball ~ 31 years (430 career wins)  
 Football ~ 25 years  
 Golf ~ 10 years

### Coaching Awards

Conference Coach of the Year ~ 6  
 Region Coach of the Year ~ 3  
 Coaches Hall of Fame ~ 1993  
 Mayville State University Athletic Coaches Hall of Fame ~ 2011

### Coaching Accomplishments

Conference Championships ~ 14  
 District/Sub-Section Championships ~ 8  
 Region/Section Championships ~ 3  
 State Appearances ~ 3  
 1977 Runner-Up  
 1984 State Champions  
 1993 State Participant

## Al Siegle ~ Activities Director/Coach



### Service

Activities Director ~ 30 years  
 Football Coach ~ 27 years  
 Elementary Basketball Coach ~ 25 years  
 Junior High Basketball Coach ~ 13 years  
 President of Minnesota State High School Coaches Association

### Awards

Athletic Director of the Year ~ 1984  
 Football Coaches Hall of Fame ~ 1989  
 Inducted to Athletic Director Hall of Fame ~ 2008

## 1984 Boys Basketball Team



1984 STATE A CHAMPIONS  
 Record (24-2)

H.O.L. CHAMPIONS

DISTRICT #23 CHAMPIONS

REGION 6 CHAMPIONS

ROW 1: John Waller; Scott Backstrom; Kevin John; Kory Kuhlman; Steve John (Managers)  
 ROW 2: Coach Bob Silseth; Mike Forsgren; Brian Jenson; Troy Dahl; Chad Johnson; Coach Steve Sorenson  
 ROW 3: Coach Rex Haugen; Craig Haugrud; John Erickson; Peter Larson; Steve Huseby; Pat Westby (Capt)  
 Tony Huseby; Peter Wohler; Tim Rogelstad

Overall Record: 24-2  
 District 23 Champions  
 Region 6 Champions  
 State Class A Champions