

# Eagle News

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CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL  
FOUNDATION

*Tradition of Excellence*

*Passing Periods*



**CHS Alumni Luncheon Series**

FROM THE DESK OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

## Dear Supporter

It is February, the time of year for grand gestures, and we are preparing for a few of our own!

We are excited to announce our new [CHS Alumni Luncheon Series: Passing Periods](#). The first one will

be held on Tuesday, March 22nd from 11:30-1:00 p.m. at Field Club of Omaha. Our first guest speaker to kick off the event will be, Doc Moller! We hope you take this opportunity to reconnect with old classmates and teachers, and make it a new tradition over your lunch hour!

The 102nd Annual Roadshow will be held in the Central High School Auditorium on Friday, February 26th at 7:00 PM and Saturday, February 27th at 2:00 & 7:00 PM. This year the CHS Band parents will be holding a Chili Feed on Saturday, February, 27th in the Central High School Courtyard from 4:30-6:30 pm. We hope to see you there!



Again, thank you for helping perpetuate 157 years - and counting - of tradition and excellence! Go Eagles!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michele Roberts".

Michele Roberts  
Executive Director

## First Class Challenge Results



Members of the Class of 1965

2015 was a fantastic year for reunions, and the classes of 1947, 1955, 1960, 1965, 1975, 1980, 1985, 1990, 1995 and 2005 really impressed us with their dedication and motivation to aid Central High School with their donations to the First Class Challenge.

The results are in, and we are pleased to announce that the winner of the First Class Challenge for 2015 is the Class of 1965. Together they raised nearly \$15,000! Congratulations!

Thanks to the sustained gifts and donations from our Central family, the exceptional educational experience offered at Central continues to endure.

## Passing Periods: CHS Alumni Luncheon Series



### The Bell has Rung!

Eagles all across Omaha are brushing shoulders for a quick hello during the Central High School Foundation's Alumni Luncheon Series: 'Passing Periods,' and we hope to bump into you there! For \$15, you can enjoy a great meal, catch up with friends you haven't seen since first period, talk with teachers that you haven't seen since home room, and listen to our exclusive lineup of guest speakers.

Our Next Luncheon Date is:

**Tuesday, March 22, 2016**

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Field Club of Omaha

3615 Woolworth Avenue

Omaha, NE 68105

**Guest Speaker:**  
**Doc Moller**

To register online, please register and pay using the online registration link below. You will receive a confirmation upon completion of your online registration and payment.

To register by mail, please mail your registration and check to:

Central High School Foundation

1823 Harney Street, Suite 203

Omaha, NE 68102-1913

Please register by Friday, March 18, 2016. If you have any questions please contact Brittany Gunn at 402-556-1996 or [brittany@chsfomaha.org](mailto:brittany@chsfomaha.org).

[Click here to register!](#)

## 2016 Road Show

Annually showcasing the varied talents of Central students since 1914, Road Show is one of Central's oldest and proudest traditions. The "102nd Annual Road Show" will be held in the Central High School Auditorium on:

**Friday, February 26th at 7:00 PM** and **Saturday, February 27th at 2:00 & 7:00 PM.** Tickets: Students: \$8 Adults: \$10 General Admission Seating. Call for tickets: 402.557.3332

The Annual Road Show Chili Feed, sponsored by the CHS Band parents, will be held on Saturday, February, 27th 2016 in the Central High School Courtyard from 4:30-6:30 pm. The cost is \$6.00 per person.



## Are You a Published Author or Musician?



The display of published alumni in the Central High School courtyard.

If you are an author or musician with published works, let us know! We have a wonderful library with the work of CHS alumni. We invite you to donate two copies of your work to the CHS Foundation office. One copy will be proudly displayed in the Central High School courtyard in a display case with other Alumni authors, and the other will be available in the library to inspire future authors. To view a complete list of works currently in the collection, please click [here](#).

## Lost Printed Editions of *The Register*

While all editions of *The Register* and copies of the O-Book have been digitally-stored on our [website](#), there are still some printed editions that the Historical Committee does not have. The Historical Committee is looking for the following printed editions:

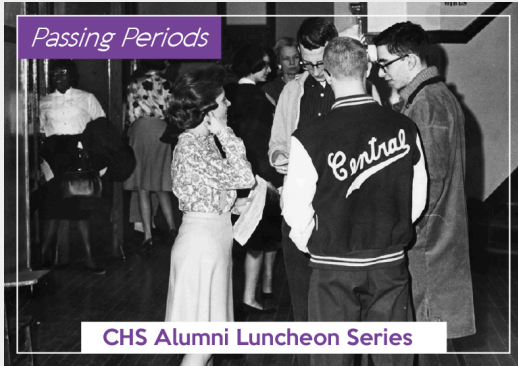
- 2011-2012 Missing all but 10-3-11 and 5-11-12.
- 2012-2013 Issue number 3 (probably November)
- 2013-2014 Missing issues 1 & 4.
- 2014-2015 Missing issue 2

If you have these editions, please contact [Josh Bucy](#) at the Foundation Office or [Barry Combs](#). Thank you!



## Upcoming Alumni Events

Your favorite events are back! Plans are well underway for an exciting spring lineup. You won't want to miss out on all the fun! The events listed below are great opportunities to reconnect with your high school classmates, have fun, and raise money for your alma mater.



**Passing Periods: CHS Alumni Luncheon**

Tuesday, March 22, 2016  
Field Club of Omaha  
11:30 am - 1:00 pm  
Guest Speaker: Doc Moller



**Rock the Nest Trivia Night!**

Sunday, April 24, 2016  
Scoular Ballroom



**Omaha Gives! 2016**

Wednesday, May 25, 2016  
Stay tuned for more information on Omaha Gives! 2016!



**CHS Golf Outing**

Monday, June 6, 2016  
Field Club of Omaha  
Morning Flight: 7:30 am  
Afternoon Flight: 12:30 pm

**Eagle Athletes Sign Letters of Intent**

## CONGRATULATIONS EAGLE ATHLETES ON COLLEGE SIGNINGS!



Congratulations to our Eagles who signed letters of intent to play a sport in college!

Elijah Wilson - South Dakota State University (FB)  
Chance Hall - NW Missouri State University (FB)  
Brandon Wagner - Fort Hays State University (FB)  
Corbin Foster - Wayne State College (FB)  
Crystal Carney - Grace University (Softball)

## Class Reunions

### Class of 1951

September 23-24, 2016

Contact Larry Albert at 402-334-5622 for more information.

### Class of 1966

August 26-27, 2016

Contact Cynthia Hadsell at [clhadsell@aol.com](mailto:clhadsell@aol.com) for more information.

### Class of 1971

October 7, 2016

Old Mattress Factory

7 pm - Midnight

Contact Linda Niebauer

at [Linda.Niebauer@ucdenver.edu](mailto:Linda.Niebauer@ucdenver.edu) for more information.

### Class of 1986

September 22-25, 2016

Contact Bart Lovgren at [bartL@cox.net](mailto:bartL@cox.net) for more information.

### Class of 2006

September 2016

Contact Alvin Samuels at [alvin.samuels1@gmail.com](mailto:alvin.samuels1@gmail.com) for more information.

### Class of 1961, 1976, 1981, 1991, 1996, 2001

Dates To Be Determined

If you have not set up your class reunion for 2016, contact [Brittany Gunn](#) at the Central High School Foundation to get started at 402-556-1996. The Foundation has a plethora of resources to help make your class reunion the very best possible. This list will continue to be updated as more reunions are scheduled, but here are the four classes that have secured dates so far.



Class of 1974 Reunion

## Join Generation C Today!

Roger Sayers, CHS 1960, and Gale Sayers, CHS 1961, are two brothers who exemplify what it means to be Eagles. Both gifted athletes in their youth and motivated businessmen in their later years, they have illustrated a shared commitment to their

community and Central High School.

For as little as \$10, you too can show your commitment to Central High School by joining Roger and Gale as Generation "C" members! Generation "C" is the official support group recognized by Central High School. Gifts to this Annual Giving Campaign allow the Foundation to provide for the emerging needs and challenges of Central High School. These unrestricted funds give the Foundation the flexibility to meet the greatest needs of Central, while allowing you to support your favorite school!



Photo by Scott Drickey Photography

While membership provides essential support for the Foundation, it also gives alumni various ways to stay connected. Members also receive exclusive benefits - from reserved parking at athletic contests, to front row seating at the Road Show, to special incentives, such as an invitation to a tailgate party, held annually in conjunction with the Hall of Fame!

To learn more about Generation "C" and to join today, [click here!](#)

## Together a Greater Good



Omaha Central High School Foundation has partnered with TAGG (Together A Greater Good), an Omaha start-up, to provide an easy and free way to support the Foundation. TAGG offers a smartphone app, that when used at 120 participating local businesses, the business will donate 5% of your purchase, any day any time! The app, available on iPhone and Android devices, is free to download and easy to set up. Here's how to get started:

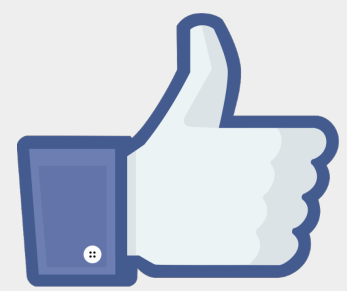
- 1) Download the free app 'Together a Greater Good' to your iPhone or Android device
- 2) When it's time to pay at a participating business, click the orange 'TAGG My Purchase' button on the app and tell the cashier that you want to 'TAGG' your purchase
- 3) On your phone, enter in the total pre-tax amount of your purchase and click 'Next'
- 4) The camera should open on your phone and the cashier will provide you with an orange QR card to scan
- 5) On your phone, select Central High School Foundation from the list of organizations

To learn more about TAGG, check out their [website](#). Happy shopping!

## Like Us on Facebook!

Are you on Facebook? [Like our Facebook page](#) to be connected to other Central alumni, staff, parents and supporters, all while receiving the latest news.

We are continuing to grow our social network! When we reach our 2,250 fan milestone, we will award a great prize from the Central High School Alumni Store. Winners will be pulled from our Facebook Fans!



## Connect With Us on LinkedIn!



The Central High School Foundation now has a LinkedIn page! Click [here](#) to follow us. LinkedIn is a great way to stay in contact with your professional network, and we want to be an active part of your network! Connect with us today to get started.

## Ring in the New Year by Updating Your Record!

Haven't received information from us in a while? It might be because we don't have your new mailing address or email! Look for your name on our ['Lost Alumni'](#) list, then [fill out the form](#) to update us on how to get in touch with you!

All alumni who have graduated in the past 10 years are strongly encouraged to visit our website to [update their record](#), especially if they have not received updates and mailing from the Central High School Foundation at their own address. For many of our younger alumni, we send mail to the home they lived in upon graduating from Central.

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