

GIFT PLANNING NEWS



~ For Smith College Gift Planning Volunteers ~

May 2018

Bequest Recognition and Reunion Credit

This is primarily for Planned Giving Volunteers that have already had their 45th Reunion. In April we revised the policy that has proven to be very popular for Reunion classes in recognizing bequest intentions in Class Reunion gift totals. We have attached the revised policy.

The former policy required a gift of at least \$500 to the Smith Fund in the year one was documenting a Reunion Bequest Intention. That requirement has been eliminated. Therefore, if a classmate has named Smith in her estate plan for at least \$10,000, please encourage her to contact our office.

In Memoriam

We are sad to report that Sally Wallace Rand '47 passed away in January. Sally was 1947's Planned Giving Chair for 10 years and attended her 70th Reunion in May of 2017. She had also served her class in several other ways and dedicated her life to volunteer and community service in historic preservation. She will be remembered fondly.

Planned Giving Chair Updates: Retired & Newly Appointed

We would like to recognize and thank several Planned Giving Chairs who recently retired, or will soon retire. We thank them for their dedication and loyalty to Smith.

- Peggy McNeil Boyer '58 has retired after serving 25 years.
- Judith Schupper Hozore '54 retired in October of 2017 after serving for 13 years.
- Lucie Ling Campbell '68 will retire in June after serving 10 years.

We extend a warm welcome to these recently appointed Planned Giving Chairs:

- Elaine Wright Brophy '54
- Ann Ostergaard '58
- Susan Marshall LaPine '68
- Cassandra Jansen Francis '87

Welcome to Deb Wright, Gift Planning Administrative Coordinator



We are thrilled to announce that Deb Wright, who started as a temporary worker in January after Jeanette left, will become the new Gift Planning Administrative Coordinator on May 14th. Deb is a great addition to our team. She can be reached at dwright@smith.edu or at 413.585.2051.

Best wishes for an enjoyable summer. Sam, Chris, Kamlyn and Deb

