



# SENATOR

## 121st BANQUET ... THE BEST EVER!!!

By all standards, the banquet March 12 was outstanding. The actives were great, the honoraries were much funnier than usual, we met the new FHS Principal **Dr. Adrian Palazuelos**, heard from special guests **Bert Levy, '70**, Justice in California's 5th District Court of Appeal and **Mark Scott, '67**, Fresno's new City Manager. Additionally, we were honored by the presence of FUSD Board member **Carol Mills**.

Co-Presidents of the United States **Kyra Orgill** and **Margaret Ann Shamshoian** did an outstanding job of putting it all together. We owe them great thanks for all their work.

Our own **Herb Boro MD, '65**, usually shy and retiring, put on his tights and red Captain Marvel cape and did a masterful job as MC, keeping the meeting moving with good humor and discipline (*you know how some of the honoraries tend to talk and banter too much*).

We had a very good group of honoraries, with some very strong young ladies (and one man) from the 2000's, which bodes well for the future.

*The outstanding number of honoraries included:*

Victoria Guerrero, '07  
Samantha Self, '07  
Madeline Hall, '05  
David S Calhoun, '04  
Melissa (Mayberry)  
Bangerter, '01  
Noelle Chaney, '01  
Piper Smith, '01  
David Lange, '80  
Larry Salinas, '80  
Brent Lindquist, '71

Bert Levy, '70  
Robert Boro, '67  
Mark Scott, '67  
Herb Boro, '65  
Tom Marcella, '58  
Russell Mitchell, '52  
Martin Temple '52  
James D Leach, '47  
W. David Phillips, '46  
John Hammel, '44



*Margaret Shamshoian, MC Herb Boro, & Kyra Orgill*

### The Banquet Order of Business is reprinted FYI:

Call to Order by M.C. .... Herbert Boro of DE, '65  
Flag Salute ..... Tyler Archie of Maine, '11  
Invocation ..... Owen Bethke of Florida, '11  
Dinner

#### Recognition of Special Guests

Adrian Palazuelos, Ph.D., Principal, FHS  
Debbie McCann, former President of the U.S.  
Mark Scott of UT, '67, Fresno City Manager  
Bert Levy of LA, '70, Justice, 5<sup>th</sup> District Ct of Appeal

#### Roll Call Part I – Active Senators

Minutes-120<sup>th</sup> Banquet .... Deandre Jean-Pierre of MT, '11  
Communications ..... Russell Mitchell of WY, '52  
Alumni Report ..... Martin Temple of CT, '52  
Roll Call Part II – Honorary Senators

#### State of the Senate

Tristan Peterson of Maryland, '11 .... Senate President  
Kyra Orgill ..... Co-President of the United States  
Margaret Ann Shamshoian Co-President of the U. S.  
Recognition of Honorary Senators ... Bob Boro of CO, '67  
Closing Remarks ..... Herbert Boro of DE, '65  
Senate Yell ..... Tyler Archie of Maine, '11

*For the first time the Roll Call was divided, actives separate from honoraries, it seemed to work well.*

### SENATE REPORT...

**Kyra Orgill & Margaret Shamshoian**

The Senate is doing very well. Many of the Senators are in the *IB* (International Baccalaureate Program) (which replaced the Advanced

Placement (AP) Program), which makes working with such a sharp group of students fun, *and challenging*. Senators are, as usual, involved in a wide range of activities and leadership.

**Senate Stats:** 28 members, (9 Sr., 9 Jr., 6 Soph., 4 Frosh), Parties include: Communist, Democrat, Green, Independent, Republican, & Whig. Four new Senators voted to membership the Monday after the banquet.

(Ed. Note: one big difference, resulting from our bad economy, most of the seniors either hadn't decided where they were going to college or were going to Fresno State or FCC.)

Special guests New Principal Dr. Adrian Palazuelos, **Justice Bert Levy, '70**, and **Mark Scott, '67**, were recognized. **Debbie McCann**, POTUS Emmrita, sent her regrets as she couldn't attend.

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### **ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS**

Our Co-Presidents announced that **Shirley Thao, '11**, was selected the "Outstanding Senator" and **Owen Bethke, '11**, the "Outstanding Speaker," and each received a \$750 Senate Alumni Scholarship. The speech competition was held February 28.



**Scholarship winners Shirley Thao & Owen Bethke**

The New Board raised the scholarship amount from \$500 to \$750, each, to keep up with the large increases in CSU and UC fees over the last few years.

### **TRIBUTE TO HERB & FRAN LEVY**

During "communications" **Russ Mitchell, '52**, gave a tribute to **Herb Levy, '34**, who is increasingly limited by age and infirmity and couldn't attend, and to wife **Fran Levy**, who died recently. Fran was a wonderful women who was

a very good friend to all who were around her. The very large crowd who attended her memorial service was a great tribute to a great lady. *We salute the Levy and Boro families.*

*Mitchell concluded, for old times sake, with a rendition of Herb's annual admonition to the actives to "recruit strong Senators, and work hard to keep the Senate tradition going."*

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### **ALUMNI BOARD GROWS**

Under the leadership of **Herb Boro, '65**, the new "Planning Committee for 2015" has grown to include **Brother Bob, '67**, **Victoria Guerrero, '07**, **Madeline P. Hall, '05**, **Russell Mitchell, '52**, **Martin Temple, '52**, **John Hammel, '44**, **Malcolm Masten, '37**, and Co-Presidents of the US **Kyra Orgill** and **Margaret Shamshoian**. **FHS Principal Adrian Palazuelos** asked to join us and we are all very glad to have his participation. The "younger" people are working on developing a Senate Website as part of the FHS Alumni website. **Stay tuned!**

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### **WE'LL HELP ON THE 125TH ...**

**Add your name to the list:**

**Stan Jantz, '70** (if **Brent Lindquist** heeds help)  
**James Ould, '69**  
**Pete Mehas, '57**

(we will have a "captain" from each year to contact members of their class)



**Banqueteers Larry Salinas '80, Bert Levy '70, Principal Dr. Adrian Palazuelos, and David Lange '80**

### **BY THE DECADES**

Received a very nice note from **Charlie Hull**, long time POTUS, who sent his greetings to the Senate and "remembers his years as sponsor of the Senate while teaching at FHS as one of the

highest honors of his life." (Thanks for keeping in touch, Charlie,)

**PLEASE update your address when you move, just make a call or email to Martin Temple... and we thank you.**

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These notes are taken from the responses to the fall Senator.

**1930's =====**

**J. Malcolm Masten, '37**, sends greetings, and was unable to attend the banquet this year because of a conflict (we missed you and LaVerne this year!).

**1940's =====**

**John Rasmussen, '43**, is happy to be in his new home, John calls it an "old folks home," but his wife prefers "a finishing school."

**Paul W Henry, '44**, sends greetings and is still retired from AT&T where he was in charge of legislative affairs for 19 years; **Richard Fairall, '45**, sends greetings from Rancho Cordova, he is retired from the US Bureau of Reclamation and keeps busy working at the local Foodbank and playing pool at a senior center; **W. Dave Phillips, '46**, sends a big greeting and will

be happy make calls for our banquets and the BIG 125th, his family foundation makes a big gift to enable FHS students to attend the Fresno Philharmonic.

**1950's =====**

**Tom Fries, '52**, is still very active playing tournament chess around the country, and watching his three daughters and grandchildren, all with him in San Diego. The US Chess Federation awarded Tom a Life Title of Candidate Master; **Ronald Haney, '54**, sends greetings from Chico, and **WOULD LIKE TO HEAR MORE FROM THE '54 SENATORS**; **Richard A Murray, '54**, says nothing new to report, but appreciates our keeping the "out-of-towners" informed; **Pete Mehas, '57**, sends greetings and met with **Dan Wick, '57** and **Jeff Beaubier '57** over the Thanksgiving Holiday...Pete sends a big THANKS for the work keeping the **Senator** going; **Bes Lewis, Jr., '59**, is still working at Fresno Care Center under the Lisle Funeral Home, says "Keep up the good Work!" He hopes to make the 125th, but it depends on his wife's health condition; **Richard Porter, '59**, sends a good greeting to all.

**1960's =====**

**Mike Adams, '66**, sends greetings and reports "everything is going swimmingly in Huntington Beach (he must be near the ocean); Mike: is the email adamsassoc@socal.rr.com (is it rr?) **Thomas Krum, '68**, is happy to have a job after his company (Palm) was sold to HP, he should be done with a kitchen remodel as we go to press this March; **Andrew H. Ould, '69**, reports he "graduated from the Georgetown School of



**Bob Boro '67 & Mark Scott '67 were happy to be there!**

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Address (if different than mailing label) \_\_\_\_\_

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\*\*\*\*Please update your E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\*\*\*\*

\_\_\_\_\_ **YES, I'll work on planning for the BIG 125<sup>TH</sup> BANQUET!**

NEWS \_\_\_\_\_

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Foreign Service as planned after four tumultuous years (the early '70s), and eventually migrated to a MS in health care administration and landed at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester ...from which he should retire soon. He's traveled extensively (Russia and Cuba), and sends congratulations to Herb and Bob and all his fellow Senators from 1967 to 1971.

**1970's** =====

**Stan Jantz, '70**, sends greetings to all and notes that his grandchild #5 has arrived and he and wife, Karin will celebrate their 37th anniversary (**CONGRATULATIONS!!**).

**1980's** =====

**David Lange, '80**, and fiance' Stephanie are both attending SJV Col of Law in Fresno; **Lawrence Salinas, '80**, attended the banquet and gave a nice memorial to Matt Mitchell, Class of 1980, Larry has moved up a step and is now working as the Assoc. Director of Gov't Relations for the UC (systemwide) Office of President in Sacramento.

**1990's** =====

**Kelly Smith, '97**, sends a big greeting ("making up for past years")...he's keeping the lights on in Fresno as an engineer at PG&E, sends best regards to all the actives and alumni.

**\*\*\*2000's** =====

The following honoraries from the 2000s all attended the banquet....the most recent grads attending in all of Senate history.

**Congratulations!!!**

**Victoria Guerrero, '07; Samantha Self, '07 Madeline Hall, '05; David Scott Calhoun, '04; Melissa (Mayberry) Bangerter, '01; Noelle Chaney, '01; and Piper Smith, '01.**

**\*\*\* We have very few NAMES AND ADDRESSES of honoraries from the year 2000 forward. If you know of ANY HONORARIES who aren't getting the Senator, or have a list of your Senate classmates, PLEASE get their full name, year, email and mailing addresses to Martin Temple.**

**THE NEW BOARD FOR 2015**

**Herb Boro MD, '65, Chair**

Madeline Hall, '05

Victoria Guerrero, '07

Robert Boro, '67

Russell Mitchell Ed.D., '52

Martin Temple, '52

John Hammel, '44

Malcolm Masten MD, '37

POTUS Kyra Orgill

POTUS Margaret Ann Shamshoian

Dr. Adrian Palazuelos, FHS Principal

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