

The Willard Warbler

Alumnae President Report

Willard Sorority has now been a part of Nebraska Wesleyan student life for 130 years. During that time, thousands of young women have experienced the Joy of Sisterhood that Willard has to offer. The Alumnae Association is a big part of Willard life. We maintain the house, upgrade the technology, give advice when needed, serve on the Corporation Board, the Foundation Board and embrace the young women of Willard.

To celebrate, join us at the Willard House August 3rd and 4th for a casual celebration. This is your opportunity to relive those wonderful college days with the women you call sisters. You can tour the campus, eat pizza, reminisce about days gone by, sleep in your old room, and sip your morning coffee on the patio, if you wish.

This is only the beginning of the activities for Alumnae to participate in. Join us for the Party on the Patio and Mock tours August 21 at 6pm. Look for info on the Soup Supper, Homecoming, Red Velvet Cake night, TGWW social and the Spring Luncheon. Keep in touch with Willard through the website Willardsorority.org, the Facebook Alumnae page or email me at Judykrueger4@gmail.com.

A special thank you to all the Willard alumnae who paid their dues and made donations to Alumnae Association and Foundation. We treasure your support. I have one request. We need more women living in Lincoln to help serve on the boards and help the Alumnae Association remain relevant in our busy lives. Email me or call me 402-423-0779 and we can talk about ways you can have a more active role in the Alumnae Association.

Willard Love

Judy Krueger ('72)

From the Corporation President

The corporation sends our greetings to all of you alums. We look forward to reading your news. I am glad that we send the Warbler so I can tell you some of what we accomplished last year and what we hope to do this summer.

Last summer we installed new large shades in all of the bedrooms. We had to have some touch up painting done and of course the usual summer maintenance jobs. The school year seemed to have many service calls but our house is 58 years old so that is to be expected. We purchased another refrigerator for the snack kitchen. This summer we are having repairs done on the roof which is not very exciting but necessary. We are also updating the living room and television room. There are always little projects that come up during the summer.

Last fall we had 39 living in the house and in the spring we had 32. We are so excited because the house will have 44 living in it which is full capacity. There will be 17 girls living off campus. We had a very large freshman pledge class and Willard is growing.

Our main goal is to provide a safe environment and home for our Willard young women. It is a constant year around job for the corporation to keep the house running smoothly. We try to be frugal and we have wonderful alum help. We continue to pay down our loan. Since we are a local sorority we have to count on you and it is never too late to pay your dues and give a gift to the Willard Corporation.

Arda will be starting her 28th year as our house mother. Many of you have had her as you mother away from home and we have been so fortunate. She has decided that this will be her last year and we hope that we can make it one of her best and happiest.

Thanks to the corporation and to you for your continued love and support of Willard. You know you are always welcome at 5110 Madison, your Willard Home!

Willard Love,

Nora Bohling Hinrichs

Willard Sorority 130th Anniversary • August 3rd and 4th

Join members of your class at the Willard house on Saturday for pizza and pasta (\$12). Spend the night in your old room (or relax in one of Lincoln's luxury hotels) then enjoy a brunch (\$8) on Sunday morning. If you haven't seen the renovated Willard house and the new furniture you will be impressed! Mail your check to Judy Krueger, 6230 Andrew Ct, Lincoln NE 68512 or email her at judykrueger4@gmail.com and let us know your intentions.

From the Active President

It is the honor of a lifetime to have the opportunity to serve as the Vice President and President of Willard Sorority for the 2019 calendar year. Willard is currently home to sixty-two confident and independent active women who exemplify the true meaning of sisterhood. Since our founding in 1889, active members and alumnae of Willard Sorority have continued to strive for perfect womanhood by holding dear our five pillars of character, commitment, scholarship, service and sisterhood.

The spring of 2019 was another successful semester for the women of Willard. Willard had the second highest term GPA of 3.62 and many of our members were initiated into academic and leadership honorary societies. The Willard name was proudly carried across the globe as three women participated in the CHIP program and four women studied abroad. Spring recruitment brought our chapter three wonderful women who were recently activated. Each semester, active members are challenged to devote twelve service hours to better areas in the community in which their passion lies. During the spring semester, the active women donated over 1,180 hours to campus organizations, community causes, and global relief efforts. As a chapter, we donated a collective total of \$4,300 to Fresh Start and Hope Spoke, through the annual spring Build Your Own Burrito and S'more Local Love philanthropies. Laughter and love filled our chapter house day in and day out, as women studied on the patio together, watched movies in the chapter room, and cherished each snow day this past semester brought. We strengthened our bond through various sisterhood lock-ins, celebrated our past academic and leadership success at Crest Breakfast, spent time with members of the Greek community at Mock Wedding, and wished the seniors all our Willard Love at Senior Fireside. The spring brought us memories shared with our sisters that will last a lifetime.

When I walked through the front door during recruitment two years ago, little did I know Willard would hold a special place in my heart for years to come. Willard has given me my closest friends, contributed greatly to my academic success, and shaped me into the person I am today. For all of this and more, I am forever and always grateful.

Willard Love and all of mine,

Konpal Rafique

Recruitment

It is that time of the year again; finals are over, summer has started, and our active Willards are out doing amazing things. Along with all of this comes the planning of recruitment for the upcoming fall. My three assistants and I have been actively planning for fall recruitment throughout this semester and we are looking forward to another successful recruitment.

Each year for recruitment we give alumnae the option to send in letters of recommendation for potential new members. Please use the form included. Feel free to send me your recommendation letters, along with any questions, comments, or concerns for this years fall recruitment! I can be reached via email at akuehn2@nebrwesleyan.edu or by phone 402-875-0549.

Audrey Kuehn

Important dates to note:

Wednesday, August 21 – Alumni Mock Tours 6:30pm

Thursday, August 22 – First night of formal recruitment

Friday, August 23 – Second night of formal recruitment

Saturday, August 24 – Third night of formal recruitment

Sunday, August 25 – Bid Day!

Marian Nisley Kline Honored

At the spring luncheon this year we were joined by Marian Nisley Kline and her daughters Christine Kline Roffers and Gretchen Kline Bricker, all Willards. Marian was an Active from 1940-1943. For the past 79 years she has been supporting Willard with her dues and donations. That is more than half the years that Willard has been in existence. Because of this dedication to Willard and the Willard Alumnae Association we honored her with a brick in the Honor Pathway in the Helen Schafer Minor Memorial Garden.

Marian is a wonderful example of all the Alumnae who support Willard and we are so grateful to her and all the others who pay their dues, donate and work to make Willard a home away from home for the Actives. Marian responded with a note that expresses the feeling of many of the Alumnae who support Willard.

To Willards everywhere, I'm so many decades from the Willard Active experience! My heart was truly warmed by your thoughtful gift of the Brick! Life's gifts and surprises never cease somehow! I was so proud of the girls who have earned those 4.0 records in scholarship, always happy to recommend students to try Wesleyan and Willard!! Thanks to everyone who carries the responsibility of the ongoing success of this "home away from home." From deep in my heart I truly feel the love for Willard Sisters!

Marian Nisley Kline, Class of 1944

WOWs

Wise Old Willards meet the second Monday of each month at 11:30 am at the Olive Garden Restaurant. This purely social lunch is a great way to stay in touch with your Willard Friends. Paula Babbitt coordinates the lunches. Contact Paula at medtest@msn.com.



Willard Foundation Report

Willard Foundation was formed as a 501(c)(3) in 2005 and is run by a group of nine Willard Alumni that make up the Board of Directors. Willard Foundation is funded by the generous donations provided by our network of Willard Alumni. These donations allow for the Foundation to offer scholarship opportunities for the women in the House.

Scholarships are primarily based on financial need, however GPA is strongly considered. The applicants are asked to write an essay to touch on the extent of their need and to reflect on the Five Willard Pillars of Perfect Womanhood that they represent very well: Character, Commitment, Scholarship, Sisterhood and Service. The scholarships are to be used for the purpose of tuition, and are made payable to NWU.

We are happy to announce that in the Fall of 2010 the Foundation was able to provide \$6,800 in scholarship funds to 15 Active Women.

We'd like to thank the Willard Alumni that donate to the Foundation, as your generosity is making a big difference in the lives of our Willard Sisters.

Donations to the Foundation are tax deductible and can be sent to Sara Knobbe Rolf at 7330 Blanchard Blvd., Lincoln, NE 68516.

Jan Brockley, President of Foundation

Parents Group Involvement!

The Parents Group had an active year. We had the family picnic, which was another huge success in September at Auld Pavilion. This year we had a Father/Daughter event at the Willard house. The girls roasted hot dogs and s'mores and some girls went on with their Dad's to the Homecoming football game. The Parents group also provided the girls with a soup supper in December heading into dead week. Unfortunately due to the weather we weren't able to serve the meal. Dead week snacks were also provided to help the girls prepare for finals. Spring brought the Mother Daughter Luncheon at Hillcrest Country Club. We did a salad/sandwich meal for Spring Fireside and Dead week snacks again the last week of April and beginning of May. I have enjoyed my time as Parent's Group President, however Kelly Landgren will be taking over this roll next fall.

Sondra Schlautman

Warbler News 2019

Housemother

Arda Pounds – Lincoln, NE

First great grandson born 8/22/18.

Class of 1944

Marian Nisley Kline – Fremont, NE

Moved to independent living residence in 2017. Joy of the year; attended 130 anniversary with two daughters and added more Willard memories to the Willard collection!

Class of 1948

Jean MacLean Douglas – Kearney, NE

Happy and healthy at 93! Living at Brookdale in Kearney.

Alice Greenslit Provost – Hattiesburg, MS

Having graduated 71 years ago, it is still a thrill to maintain my connections through the Warbler!

Class of 1955

Jo Spencer Beeney – Scottsbluff, NE

I have moved to a senior living facility, The Village at Regional West. New address 320 E 42 St, Apt S114. I love hearing Willard news.

Class of 1956

Ruby Nixon Minert – Lincoln, NE

Say hello to all. Please visit me, would like that!

Marilyn Wagner Allison – Temple, TX

My sister, Virginia now lives with her daughter Tracy Morgranti, address: 8716 LaQuinta Lane, McKinney, TX 75070. Cell 972-658-0410.

Audrey Alexander Hunt – Estes Park, CO

Mack and I are celebrating our 65th wedding anniversary on June 1st and they said it wouldn't last! We are so blessed and thankful, we have 4 little great grands. Still singing in our church choir and still teaching water exercise at YMCA of the Rockies. Willard love to all!

Class of 1957

Shirley Haupt Sutherland – Anaheim, CA

Always enjoy reading about Willards. Love hearing from Lois Mills and Sheralee Iglehart.

Marlys Nelson Ballard – Springfield, MO

Celebrated our 62nd wedding anniversary on June 2 by getting box seats at the Springfield Performing Arts Theatre to see Phantom of the Opera live! We met at the NWU Theatre, I went straight from the Willard house after exams to First Methodist Church to be married. Moving slower but still in our home. Looking forward to news in the Warbler. Kudos to Lincoln alums for keeping the house shipshape. Was part of fundraisers to build it and in my mind it's still the "new" Willard house. Tempes fugit.

Class of 1958

Janet Baldwin Smith (Tolbert) – Yardley, PA

This past year has been a busy one for Jim and me. We were in Lincoln for my classes' 60th reunion at Nebraska Wesleyan. Also attending the reunion were Janice Rolofson Gustafson, Marilyn Alexander Lohrberg, and Carol McCoy Smith. It was great catching up with them. The Willards had an open house and we viewed the accommodations of present day students, while remembering our days on Madison Avenue!! George and Jan Brockley were our host and hostess for the weekend. We

also spent a week in San Diego, CA, Christmas in Wilmington, NC with my son and family, a wedding in Boston, the month of March in Naples, FL, and in early June back to Wilmington, NC for my youngest granddaughter Regina's high school graduation. Our next-door neighbors plan to set up a bed and breakfast in our home the next time we are out of town!

Nancy Tompkins Harding – New Hope, PA

Spring greetings Willards from New Hope in eastern PA. Phil and I trust that this short note finds you blessed and happy. In Sept of 2016 we sold our lovely home of twenty plus years in the San Diego, CA back country and moved about 35 miles from Philly, PA to a senior village of 600 homes called Buckingham Springs. Why, people asked? Our reply, because our eldest daughter Laura and family live nearby and our brains and bodies don't work like they use to, and we need help! Our youngest daughter, Kari and family live in Hay Springs, NE on a ranch and their son and family live nearby. They love ranch life! NWU has really grown up and as usual the Willards continue to shine. Congrats to all of you and thanks to those of you that keep the place running. God Bless!

Class of 1959

Joy Haupt Carol – Penney Farms, FL

For the last four years I have been living in Penney Farms, FL. About 5 ½ years ago I was diagnosed with paraneoplastic syndrome – a rare syndrome which perhaps has only 7 or 8 people in the USA presently diagnosed with it. It's very difficult to diagnose, treat and impossible to cure. I never dreamed I would leave my beloved New York City, but I moved here to Florida because of Mayo Clinic which has doctors who know something about this rare syndrome. I'm doing extremely well and continue to do many exciting things. I still speak at conferences, lead workshops and retreats, preach, travel, and write. I have now published 7 books and just recently wrote my first children's book "Stevie the Wonder Cat" which is available on Amazon. I hope to get to NWU this fall for the 60th anniversary of my graduation. If so, I'll definitely come by to see the Willards. I'm so proud to be a Willard.

Class of 1961

Diana Smith Wiberg Donnell – Sun City West, AZ

My husband and I have recently moved to Arizona and live in a senior independent living facility. I am happy to be living close to my daughter, Denise Wiberg Saldamando, Willard alum class of 1992

Class of 1962

Ingrid Sandall Hutchings - Champaign IL

I enjoy keeping in touch with my Willard cousins, Kay Sandall Knox and Joan Sandall Tempero.

Also try to see or chat with Carol Crumbliss in Green Valley AZ in winter. I keep in touch with Jean Thurber Sells. Hope to see Alice Holm Banning at high school reunion this year.

Class of 1963

Alice Holm Banning – Garden City, KS

Happy Anniversary Willards!

Peggy Hoover Burge – San Jose, CA

From her husband; Peggy passed away October 14, 2018. She always held Willard in her heart.

Class of 1965

Opal Milton Stivrins – Lincoln, NE

Greetings from Lincoln. I still enjoy traveling and the theatre. The last 5 of my grandchildren are now in college. It seems

like yesterday I was picking them up from elementary school. Two are at the University of Nebraska, one is at NWU, one is at Bryan School of Health Sciences and one at Louisville. My 5 great grands are scattered across the country. I hope many of you can attend the Willard reunion this summer.

Class of 1967

Kay Bowmaster Green – Lincoln, NE

Hope to see friends August 3 & 4 for Willard weekend at the house!

Class of 1968

Mary Miller Moore – Omaha, NE

Same-o same-o; address, husband (S. Craig Moore), 2 sons, 5 grandkids in Omaha and Cleveland, OH. 3 girls, 2 boys.

Jerri Reher Haussler – Hastings, NE

Dee & I took a 50th wedding anniversary trip to Italy in September 2018. We are blessed by good health and a wonderful family, many friends, and time to travel. I send greetings to Willard sisters from "my era" and thanks to our active alums!

Class of 1969

Lynn Horst Sill – Wisner, NE

Steve & I celebrated our 50th anniversary last July 2019 at our daughters & son-in-laws home, Brittany & Andy, in Olympia, WA. Steve's 50th class reunion was this past fall, we were at NWU and the Phi Tau house and Willard house were awesome! And I got to see some Willards. It was a great time!

Class of 1970

Diny Schepers Frank – Lincoln, NE

We moved into our zero-entry townhome on Halloween so our new address is 8910 Birdie Run, Lincoln, NE 68520 (402-694-1261). Life is good!

Linda Neuswanger Novak – Omaha, NE

My first grandchild, a girl, Juniper Rose Novak born, March 2019. Daughter Shana is The Heirloomist photographer & founder in New York City.

Cynthia Hadsell – Omaha, NE

Hello! Mostly fine in Omaha. I was recently named by Douglas County Historical Society as a "Woman Defining History." It was great fun with a 1960s style show. Now I'm back to washing dishes in the kitchen of the General Crook House after being a docent for tour groups. Loving thoughts to all!

Class of 1972

Cathy O'Dell Nevotti – Sugar Land, TX

Greetings from Texas! Love ya all!!

Judy Dunlap Eicher – Lincoln, NE

Spent the year traveling. The job of being retired.

Judy Bowmaster Krueger – Lincoln, NE

Greetings to all my Willard sisters from 1968-72. Hope to see you all at the 130th Willard Weekend at the Willard house August 3rd. Email me judykrueger4@gmail.com if you can come.

Diane Hall Ritzdorf – Centennial, CO

Still enjoying retirement! Hoping to attend 130th celebration.

Class of 1973

Cathy Gaines Mattoon – Sidney, NE

We have purchased a condo in the Haymarket in preparation for Steve's installation as President of the Nebraska Bar Association next October. It will make our frequent trips to Lincoln more enjoyable! Life in Sidney is still okay for us, but our community has suffered with the sale of Cabela's.

Marcia Hall – Denver, CO

I'm completely retired now. My last semester teaching college algebra at the Community College of Algebra was last fall. That means more time for reaching, crocheting, volunteering, gardening, golf and family and friends. Anyone else from '70-'73 coming to the 130th?

Class of 1974**Susan Krieger Wooster Anderson – Tucson, AZ**

Hello from Tucson! After getting married to my husband, Andy Anderson in August 2017, my new life has included living in Tucson, AZ and much travel. Greetings to my dear Willard sisters, especially those in the house between 1974-1980. If you are in the area, give me a call or message because it would be fun to see you! God bless all the Willard and much love to all.

Class of 1978**Nancy Nelson Bashaw – Bumpass, VA**

Still loving retirement in central VA and being near to grandkids! Love to all the Willards.

Class of 1980

Arlene Howe – St. Louis

All is well in St. Louis. Hope to see my Willard sisters in August!

Class of 1981**Connie Hultman Carter – Chappell, NE**

We are still farming in Chappell. We have 3 grandchildren that we love to visit in Eastern Nebraska. We are planning to landscape our backyard this year. Congratulations to Willard on 130 years!

Class of 1983**Julieann Kimball Nespor – Golden, CO**

Have enjoyed so much being back on campus again the past # of years to watch our son, Jack, play in goal for the men's soccer team. We'll miss the trips but happy he loved NWU as much as I did.

Class of 1986**Cheryl Bones Casey – Omaha, NE**

Still teaching high school at Lewis Central. Hannah (22) spent the year in Germany after graduating from Wesleyan. Ethan (19) is a freshman at Iowa State. Jim continues hi work at Mutual of Omaha. All is well.

Class of 1988**Stacie Spiels Stuhr – Gretna, NE**

Married David Stuhr April 6, 2019!

Class of 1989**Rhonda Carlson Pinson – Mountain Home, AR**

My husband Chris and I have been married 26 years this April. Our daughter Carly is in her 2nd year of college at SFA for elementary education. She is an Alpha Chi and is very active in her sorority. Our son Bennett will attend University of Arkansas (Honors) Engineering College in the fall. We are so proud of our young people!! We are looking forward to being "empty nesters" in the fall and would love to travel. Chris works as the HR Manager for Baxter HealthCare Industries. I work as a hand specialist in Occupational Therapy. If any Willard wants to learn more about becoming an OT, let me know as I would love to share this amazing career with my sisters. In December 2018 we moved from The Woodlands, Texas to Mountain Home, Arkansas near my folks. This was to slow down and to be able to enjoy life while both still working. Now we enjoy; boating, hiking, kayaking, golfing, fishing and

beautiful laid-back Ozark living. Susy Miller is right; Life IS Good...Enjoying the Journey is a blessing. Many Blessings to all my Willard Sisters.

Class of 1990**Kay Pike Wenzl – Lincoln, NE**

Back at City of Lincoln, Aging Partners, as the Administrative Manager. This is where I did my social work practicum at Wesleyan!

Sondra Knaus Schlautman – Lincoln, NE

Bill & I are celebrating 27 years. Our oldest, Will graduated from Wayne State in December. Our daughter, Emily (Willard active) got engaged in October. Our youngest will be 10 in May. Life is exciting!

Class of 1997**Mindy McGrury Lubeck – Lincoln, NE**

Became president of the Fallbrook Kiwanis Club in Lincoln, NE.

Class of 2004**Brenda George Smith – Murdock, NE**

Nic and I had a son, Sawyer George Smith, on November 19th.

Class of 2007**Emily Hadley – Fort Worth, TX**

My husband and I have relocated to Fort Worth, TX. I am practicing as a Maternal Fetal Medicine specialist. I would love to connect with alums in the area!

Lindsey Sandau-Tomlin – Lakewood, CO

Justin and I are still loving Colorado; we've been here 4 years now. We live on the west side of Denver so everything is pretty convenient! I am a Physical Therapist with Colorado Center for Physical Therapy in Downtown Littleton. I have my CAPP-Pelvic certification and recently received my Certified Lactation Counselor certification, I love helping pregnant & post-partum moms but I treat all men's health and women's health issues. Justin has now been with Lockton Companies for 2 years and he really loves the job. Hayden is now 3 1/2; he still loves trains & airplanes, sports (especially his Denver teams & of course the Huskers), and his new favorite thing is to dance.

Class of 2009**Mikayla Albin Staehr – Hastings, NE**

We are expecting our first child the first week of June!

Class of 2011**Demi Bartunek Samek – David City, NE**

Welcomed Maeva Nadine Samek on December 18, 2018. 7 lbs 11 oz and 19 3/4 inches. Proud parents are Mason & Demi along with proud big brother Maddox (5).

Class of 2014**Jennifer Survil Reim – Gretna, NE**

Graduated from P.A. school in 2018 with my master's in medical sciences. I am now a practicing P.A. at a family practice in Lincoln.

Class of 2015**Hailey Esch Steider – Geneva, NE**

I'm enjoying teaching 5th & 6th grade language arts at Fillmore Central Middle School in Fairmont, NE!

2019 Gift Recognition

(Gifts made between July 1, 2018 & June 9, 2019)

Dues \$35

Marilyn Wagner Allison '56
Susan Krieger Wooster Anderson '74
Christena Bush Baker '76
Marlys Nelson Ballard '57
Alice Holm Banning '63
Lori Baran '00
Lucy Barie '16
Ruth Ann Troutman Bartels '63
Emalee Barto '12
Nancy Nelson Bashaw '78
Denae Wolken Beckman '12
Joan Spencer Beeney '55
Katherine Calvert Behrens '57
Gail Finley Bender '73
Zinaida Beynon '94
Becky Bowmaster '75
Gayle Slaughter Bradley '73
Kimberly Brahmstedt '90
Gretchen Kline Bricker '78
Jan Root Brockley '56
Peggy Hoover Burge '63
Ann Klippenstein Carlson '78
Marilyn McCoy Carney '60
Joy Haupt Carol '59
Connie Hultman Carter '81
Cheryl Bones Casey '86
Charlotte Church '09
Helen Hammer Clough '50
Debra Carr Colvert '69
Julie Vermeer Cook '88
Hilary Krantz Coufal '14
Deb Becker Croghan '75
Jen Deines Currrens '94
Emalee Cathcart Damme '12
Connie Jones Deminski '76
Jean MacLean Douglas '48
Elaine Dorr Dyke '63
Shantel Harrington Eartherton '95
Jill Skoog Eckerman '95
Judy Dunlap Eicher '72
Abbie Sloup Estes '15
Loretta Good Fairchild '66
Caitlin Bennett Forbes '11
Carol Greer Forrest '62
Bradi Anne Hotz-McMahon Frack '08
Diny Schepers Frank '70
Linda Pielstick French '72
Carolyn Myers Gaswick '64
Bri Gauger '05
Jennie Cook Gies '79
Jodi Wiatt Gould '89
Kay Bowmaster Green '67
Elaine Bailey Gum '60
Jan Rolofson Gustafson '58
Emily Hadley '07
Cynthia Hadsell '70
Marcia Hall '73
Teri Adam Hand '07
Nancy Tompkins Harding '58
Jerri Reher Haussler '68

Millicent Porter Henry '71
Jo Ellen Cook Hermanson '76
Bonnie Bryngelson Hilkemann '64
Nora Bohling Hinrichs '65
Constance Bray Holland '57
Arlene Howe '80
Addie Hoffman Hubert '14
Audrey Alexander Hunt '56
J Ingrid Sandall Hutchings '62
Deb Dvorak Ingram '91
Mary Alice Hotz Jones '62
Nicole Gee Jones '04
Tara Johnson Kampen '00
Stephanie Peck Karrer '97
Sue Smith Kelley '75
Tracia tenBensel Kennedy '92
Cindy Comstock Keyes '71
Jaci Huck Klein '00
Marian Nisley Kline '44
Liz Saunders Koop '86
Kari Orr Krenzer '93
Judy Bowmaster Krueger '72
Wenonah Waller Landers '80
Kelly Johnson Landgren '90
Phyllis Martin Lang '60
Dorris Thomas Lanning '50
Cheryl Austen Leavitt '74
Marilyn Alexander Lohrberg '58
Karen Karr Linder '82
Katrina Inness Longe '03
Wendy Feters Lundeen '69
Lisa Kopf '15
Stefanie Peterson Larsen '93
Mindy McGrury Lubeck '97
Betty Jenkins Lund '58
Charlotte Johnson Mapes '72
Angie Freund Martinez '93
Cathy Gaines Mattoon '73
Janet Ford McDonald '77
Susy Martin Miller '90
Ruby Nixon Minert '56
Diane Maassen Moehlenbrink '73
Mary Miller Moore '68
Heather Nichols Nelson '90
Julieann Kimball Nesper '83
Cathy O'Dell Nevotti '72
Mary Moore Norbeck '55
Linda Neuswanger Novak '70
Mary Ogden Novak '66
Bobbie Hicks Obermeyer '49
Jody Hansen Paulsen '90
Carmen Dana Pedersen '92
Katie Butzke Pfannenstiel '03
Rhonda Carlson Pinson '89
Jennifer Gloystein Platt '06
Alison Norman Pospisil '84
Mom Arda Pounds
Alice Greenslit Provost '48
Annette Gausman Rasmussen '63
Jennifer Survil Reim '14
Doris Roberts Reinholt '55

Eunice Johnson Rice '72
Diane Hall Ritzdorf '72
Callie Rodina '18
Christin Kline Roffers '74
Sara Knobbe Rolf '04
Jane Stehlik Romack '63
Demi Bartunek Samek '11
Alicia Bowman Schafer '07
Sondra Knaus Schlautman '90
Amy Lohrberg Seiler '87
Dionne Seiler '00
Doris Finch Sell '65
Liz Julian Shults '90
Lynn Horst Sill '69
Jean Beran Slagle '60
Brenda George Smith '04
Carol McCoy Smith '58
Janet Baldwin Smith '58
Mikayla Albin Staehr '09
Hailey Esch Steider '15
Opal Milton Stivrins '65
Stacie Spiehs Stuhr '88
Mary Streeter Sueper '16
Shirley Haupt Sutherland '57
Laurie Foster Stowe Taylor '72
Lindsey Sandau-Tomlin '07
Kristin Ediger Webb '95
Jeri Kunzie Weber '85
Kay Pike Wenzl '89
Joanne Young Weston '55
Susan Walden Wieseler '68

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Anonymous
Diny Schepers Frank '70
Judy Bowmaster Krueger '72
Opal Milton Stivrins '65

Gold \$500-\$999

Jan Root Brockley '56
Loretta Good Fairchild '66
Alicia Bowman Schafer '07

Diamond \$250-\$499

Christena Bush Baker '76
Becky Bowmaster '75
Jodi Wiatt Gould '89
Cynthia Hadsell '70
Teri Adam Hand '07
Nancy Tompkins Harding '58

Crystal \$100-\$249

Ruth Ann Troutman Bartels '63
Susan Walden Wieseler '68
Caitlin Bennett '11
Julie Vermeer Cook '88
Jean MacLean Douglas '48
Elaine Dorr Dyke '63
Kay Bowmaster Green '67
Elaine Bailey Gum '60
Emily Hadley '07
Marcia Hall '73
Bonnie Bryngelson Hilkemann '64

Arlene Howe '80
 Deb Dvorak Ingram '91
 Phyllis Martin Lang '60
 Cathy Gaines Mattoon '73
 Susy Martin Miller '90
 Mary Miller Moore '68
 Carmen Dana Pedersen '92
 Rhonda Carlson Pinson '89
 Eunice Johnson Rice '72
 Sara Knobbe Rolf '04

Pearl \$50-\$99

Emalee Barto '12
 Gail Finley Bender '73
 Zinaida Beynon '94
 Marilyn McCoy Carney '60
 Deb Becker Croghan '75
 Jan Rolofson Gustafson '58
 J Ingrid Sandall Hutchings '62
 Tracia tenBensel Kennedy '92
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 Mindy McGrury Lubeck '97
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 Ruby Nixon Minert '56
 Diane Maassen Moehlenbrink '73
 Heather Nichols Nelson '90
 Julieann Kimball Nespor '83
 Doris Roberts Reinholt '55
 Cynthia Hadsell '70
 Jane Stehlik Romack '63
 Dionne Seiler '00
 Mikayla Albin Staehr '09
 Mary Streeter Sueper '16

Rose \$25 - \$49

Marlys Nelson Ballard '57
 Gayle Slaughter Bradley '73
 Peggy Hoover Burge '63
 Ann Klippenstein Carlson '78
 Joy Haupt Carol '59
 Helen Hammer Clough '50
 Debra Carr Colvert '69
 Connie Jones Deminski '76
 Constance Bray Holland '57
 Addie Hoffman Hubert '14
 Nicole Gee Jones '04
 Tara Johnson Kampen '00
 Sue Smith Kelley '75
 Janet Ford McDonald '77
 Mom Arda Pounds
 Callie Rodina '18
 Christin Kline Roffers '74
 Sondra Knaus Schlautman '90
 Stacie Spiehs Stuhr '88
 Shirley Haupt Sutherland '57
 Lindsey Sandau-Tomlin '07
 Susan Walden Wieseler '68

Other

Denae Wolken Beckman '12
 Carolyn Myers Gaswick '64
 Dorris Thomas Lanning '50
 Katie Butzke Pfannenstiel '03

Foundation Gifts

Marilyn Wagner Allison '56
 Susan Krieger Wooster Anderson '74
 Christena Bush Baker '76

Lori Baran '00
 Linda Pielstick French '72
 Cindy Comstock Keyes '71
 Marian Nisley Kline '44
 Liz Saunders Koop '86
 Cheryl Austen Leavitt '74
 Jennifer Survil Reim '14
 Eunice Johnson Rice '72
 Dionne Seiler '00
 Janet Baldwin Smith '58

Honor Brick Donations

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WillardSorority.org
There is information on
Alumnae officers, pay dues
and make donations.
Find us on Facebook. There
is an alumnae group and an
active group.

Chapter Eternal 2019

We have learned of the passing of these Willard Sisters.

Billie Hass Heinrich

Class of 1944 ~ died March 19, 2004

Shirley Carson Larson

Class of 1961 ~ died February 7, 2019

Shirley McArdle Engquist

Class of 1957 ~ died June 2, 2018

Audrey Ritter Wiegert-Sherman

Class of 1955 ~ died September 5, 2018

Dorothy Schnuelle Leeson

Class of 1952 ~ died August 4, 2018

Mary Bohling Crumbliss

Class of 1958 ~ died May 20, 2018

Lori Smith Wilson

Class of 1976 - died May 12, 2019

Peggy Hoover Burge

Class of 1963 - died October 14, 2018

Frances Johnson Knosp

Class of 1948 - died April 5, 2019

Do You Have Your Brick?



Honor Brick Pathway Order

Send your \$75 tax-deductable donation to Willard Foundation, c/o Judy Krueger, 6230 Andrew Ct, Lincoln, NE 68512

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Alumnae Calendar

August 21	6:00pm	Party on the Patio, Mock Tours
August 22, 23, 24		Recruitment
August 25		Bid Day
October 5	9-11am	Homecoming Open House
October	TBD	New Member Soup Supper
December 15, 16, 17		Finals week snacks
January 13	11:30 am	WOWs luncheon at Olive Garden
February 10	7:00	Red Velvet Cake Night
March 5	5:00 pm	TGWW Social (Thank Goodness We're Willards) Location TBD
March	TBD	Senior Pizza Party
April 18		Tentative date for Spring Luncheon
May 3,4,5		Finals week snacks

Please send your email to willardsorority@gmail.com to receive Willard News and the Warbler electronically.

Please Return before Friday, August 16th

Reference given by: _____
(Maiden name)

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

**CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE ON PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBERS
(For use ONLY by the members of Willard Sorority)**

This form is being sent to you in order to assist our chapter in the 2019 new member selection process. Please give careful consideration to the questions asked and fill in as much information as possible.

Please return this form to: Willard Sorority • Attn: Audrey Kuehn • 5110 Madison Ave. • Lincoln, NE 68504

Name of prospective new member: _____

How do you know her? _____

FAMILY:

Relatives in Willard (include maiden name if possible): _____

ACADEMICS:

College attended (if transfer student): _____

High School attended: _____
Name City State

How would you characterize this woman scholastically? _____

Scholastic Awards: _____

ACTIVITIES:

_____ Art _____ Music _____ Sports _____ Publications
_____ Contests _____ Service Clubs _____ Dramatics _____ Student Government
_____ Civic _____ Church _____ Other _____

Please elaborate on these activities and include outstanding achievements (i.e. offices held, honors received):

Special Interests: _____

Outstanding Achievements in these areas (Offices, Honoraries): _____

PERSONALITY:

This young woman:

Is of good character and integrity
_____ yes _____ no _____ unknown

Accepts responsibility
_____ excellent _____ good _____ average _____ poor _____ unknown

Has leadership potential
_____ excellent _____ good _____ average _____ poor _____ unknown

Is willing to accept authority and to abide by group decisions
_____ excellent _____ good _____ average _____ poor _____ unknown

Please tell us why this young woman would make an outstanding Willard (giving special attention to each of the four pillars of sisterhood, scholarship, service, and character):

TO WILLARD GIVING REFERENCE: (please check the blanks accordingly)

- ___ 1) I recommend this young woman for Willard membership
 - _____ a) I know this young woman personally.
 - _____ b) I do not know this young woman personally but I am basing my recommendation on information from:
 - _____ another Willard, _____ high school faculty, _____ peers of the young woman,
 - _____ a mutual friend, _____ other
- ___ 2) I do not recommend this young woman for Willard membership based on information received.
 If further clarification is required, the chapter membership advisor may contact me.
- ___ 3) I am unable to commit myself to a decision regarding this young woman
 - _____ a) Due to limited information received
 - _____ b) After contacting all available sources and receiving no information _____

I appreciate you taking the time to fill out this form. The information you have provided will be a tremendous help during our new member selection process this August.

In gratitude and Willard Love,

Audrey Kuehn
Willard Sorority Recruitment Chair