

**Newsletter #16** 

## MCHS 60s Reunion & Celebration of the 60s

<u>Event Committee:</u> Jaan Pill, Lynn (Hennebury) Legge, Peter Mearns,
D.Scott Munro, Gina (Davis) Cayer

<u>Data base team:</u> Howard Hight, Diana (McLagan) Redden

# Please join us: Oct. 17 2015 at Old Mill, Toronto

Come join your classmates at the Old Mill and enjoy the nostalgia of the 60s . . . .

Gina (Davis) Cayer, class of '67, is working on the entertainment part of the reunion. She's lined up a perfect guy to insure we're all able to dance and sing along to the tunes of the "60s". The reunion will feature James McDonough as DJ.



## And just who is James McDonough?

James McDonough, Owner/Director of Operations of the Able Entertainment Group, is a former radio announcer at CFGO Ottawa and 88.5 FM Toronto. He began mobile entertaining as a Disc Jockey in 1980 and started Able Entertainment in 1986; then known as Able Disc Jockeys. After starting with a small core of trusted associates, the company roster has evolved to include some of the finest and most talented entertainers available today. James is a member in good standing of the CODJA and remains very active in the entertainment business, keeping up to date with the latest trends and still performing his share of events as well. "I look forward to providing personalized and professional service and will go the extra mile to find the perfect entertainment for your special function".

Please note, at the end of this newsletter is a top hit list of "Songs" Gina has put together to give to the DJ - James.

Check it out, and send her (at <a href="mailto:dgcayer@bell.net">dgcayer@bell.net</a>) any additional suggestions that you might have. Keep in mind, all your very favorite music while attending MCHS should be on the list for sure. We want to be able to sing along with our favorites and do the Mashed Potatoe and Locomotion. Once finalized, Gina will forward our list on to DJ - James, to use as a starting point of songs that we want played at the reunion.

#### Another bit of trivia:

Speaking of DJs, here is a Howie teaser . . . . .

This fellow is Dean Hagopian.



What can you tell me about him?

Thanks to the creativity of our very own Cecile B. De Pill, aka, Jaan Pill, there are now two videos that answer the many questions recently raised about the reunion and the planning committee. Besides getting some answers, you will meet three of the planning committee organizing this event.

- Lynn (Hennebury) Legge (11J 64)
- D.Scott Munro (11B 63)
- Gina (Davis) Cayer (class of 67)

So go to this link and have some fun reading and hearing about this event.

http://preservedstories.com/more/faq/#sthash.xqTXtax4.dpuf

We realize your potential disappointment that the Database Team, Howard Hight (11B – 63), Diana (McLagan) Redden (11F – 64) were not in the video. They were busy putting the newsletter together. Plus flying Diana in from Vancouver and Howard from Boston was considered excessive expense.

However, if you show up at the reunion, they're looking forward to seeing all of you there.

### We have the answer to the Quiz question in Newsletter #15:

Liz Nuttal, class 72 asks, in the 69-70 somewhere, the whole school banded together to change one of the rule in dress code. Do you remember which part of the code was being challenged?

Steven Lesser wrote: Do I ever. Boys were required to wear ties to school. We hated that. One day, towards the end of the school year, we held a big rally on the front steps of the school. As I recall, someone blew a trumpet to urge us on. Then we all took off our ties and marched in the front doors, tie-less. That was my first year at MCHS. Because there were so many of us, the administration had to use the Visual Education room for detentions. We sat for half an hour after school every day for a week. But the next year: No more ties.



MEMORIES -- so wonderful!!!!

YOUR Database Team: Howard & Diana

# **AND NOW THE HIT LIST:**

Year	Song (Title)	Performer(s)
1956	Heartbreak Hotel	Elvis Presley
	My Prayers	The Platters
	Just Walking in the Rain	Carl Perkins
	Blueberry Hill	Fats Domino
1957	Little Darling	Diamonds
	Don't Forbid me	Pat Boone
	Bye bye Love	Everly Brothers
	You Send Me	Sam Cooke
	Whole Lot Of Shaking Going On	Jerry Lee Lewis
1958	Do You Want To Dance	Bobby Freeman
	Peggy Sue	Buddy Holly
	Johnny Be Good	Chuck Berry
	You Are My Destiny	Paul Anka
	Chantilly Lace	Big Bopper
1959	Dream Lover	Bobby Darrin
	Donna	Ritchie Valens
	Smoke Gets In Your Eyes	Platters
	A Teenager In Love	Dion and the Belmonts
	Kookie Kookie (Lend me Your comb)	Edward Burns and Connie Stevens
1960	He'll Have to Go	Jim Reeves
	I'm Sorry	Brenda Lee
	The Twist	Chubby Checker
	Only The Lonely	Roy Orbison
	Save The Last Dance For Me	Drifters
1961	Dedicated To The One I Love	Shirells
	Quarter To Three	Gary "US' Bonds
	I Know How You Love Me	Paris Sisters
	Stand By Me	Ben E King
	Mama Said	Shirells
1962	Mashed Potatoe Time	Dee Dee Sharp

	The Wanderer	Dion
	Breaking Up Is Hard To Do	Neil Sedaka
	Twisting The Night Away	Sam Cooke
	Break It To Me Gently	Brenda Lee
1963	Surfin USA	Beach Boys
	Rhythm Of The Rain	Cascades
	My Boyfriends Back	Angels
	I'm Leaving It Up To You	Dale and Grace
	It's My Party	Leslie Gore
1964	She Loves You	Beatles
	Oh, Pretty Woman	Roy Orbison
	Under The Boardwalk	Drifters
	Rag Doll	Four Seasons
	Come A Little Bit Closer	Jay and The Americans
1965	You've Lost That Loving Feeling	Righteous Brothers
	Can't You Hear My Heart Beat	Hermans Hermits
	My Girl	Temptations
	I Got You Babe	Sonny and Cher
	Help Me Rhonda	Beach Boys
1966	Cherish	Associations
	Monday, Monday	Mama's and Papa's
	Summer In The City	Lovin Spoonful
	When a Man Loves A Woman	Percy Sledge
	You Keep Me Hanging On	Supremes
1967	Light My Fire	Doors
	Can't Take My Eyes Off Of You	Franki Valli
	I Think We're Alone Now	Tommy James and The Shondells
	Soul Man	Sam and Dave
	Somebody To Love	Jefferson Airplane
1968	I Say a Little Prayer	Aretha Franklin
	I Love You	Doors
	Dance to The Music	Sly and The Family Stone
	Cry Like A Baby	Box Tops
	Judy, In Disguise With glasses	John Fred and The Playboys
1969	Sugar, Sugar	Archies

	Can't get Next To You	Temptations
	Crystal Blue Persuasion	Tommy James and The Shondells
	Lay Lady Lay	Bob Dylan
	Come Together	Beatles
1970	Bridge Over Troubled Waters	Simon and Garfunkel
	American Woman	Guess Who
	Band Of Gold	Freda Payne
	Green Eyed Lady	Sugar Loaf
	Lola	Kinks
1971	Maggie May	Rod Stewart
	Me and Bobby McGee	Janis Joplin
	What's Going On	Marvin Gaye
	Proud Mary	Ike and Tina Turner
100000000000000000000000000000000000000	Lonely Days	Bee Gees
1972	The First Time I Ever Saw Your Face	Roberta Flack
	Brandy	Looking Glass
	Heart of Gold	Neil Young
	Long Cool Woman	Hollies
	The Way Of Love	Cher
	Schools Out	Alice Cooper
1973	Tie A Yellow Ribbon Around an Ole Oak Tree	Tony Orlando and Dawn
	Lets Get It On	Marvin Gaye
	Will It Go Round In Circles	Billy Preston
	Drift away	Doby Grey
	Our So Vain	Carly Simon
1974	Seasons In the Sun	Terry Jacks
	The Lo-Co Motion	Grand Funk Railway
	Bennie and The Jets	Elton John
	Having My Baby	Paul Anka
	Smokin In The Boys Room	Brownsville Station
1975	Love Will Keep Us Together	Captain and Tennille
	Before The Next Tear Drop Falls	Freddy Fender
	One Of These Nights	Eagles
	Lucy In The Sky	Elton John
	You're The First, You're The Last, My Everything	Barry White

1976	Disco Lady	Johnny Taylor
	OH, What A Night	Four Seasons
	Play That Funky Music	Wild Cherry
	50 Ways To Leave your Lover	Paul Simon
	Fly Robin Fly	Silver Convention