

OATA Newsletter Sept./Oct. 2020

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- Check out our **OATA website** regularly for updates and upcoming events at <http://oakfieldalabamata.weebly.com/>
- For APPR Info, check out the OATA website!
- **Email** us at: oakfieldalabamata@gmail.com
- If you have questions/concerns about our contract or COVID procedures for this school year, **GO SEE YOUR BUILDING REPS FIRST!!**

WELCOME New Teachers!

Haley Glor (2nd Grade)

Corey Winters (Elem. PE)

COVID Info

Link to valuable resource including how to de-stress, emotional support hotline, financial resources, etc.:

<https://www.nysut.org/resources/special-resources-sites/coronavirus-toolkit/personal>

Find a testing site near you:

<https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/find-test-site-near-you>

Where are they now?

Are you still in touch with OA retirees? Do you have some good news or updates to share? Check out the list on the following page and let us know!

CURRENT OA RETIREES

- 1. CAROL ALT**
- 2. ROSS AMICO**
- 3. SHARON ANDERSON**
- 4. JANE AUGELLO**
- 5. DARLENE BAKOS**
- 6. LIZ (BROWN) BARBER**
- 7. LINDA BELZ**
- 8. KAY BENNETT**
- 9. LINDA BEULER**
- 10. DARLENE BIANCO**
- 11. CONRAD BORUCKI**
- 12. DIANE BOSTWICK**
- 13. BILL BOSTWICK**
- 14. GERALDINE BRADY**
- 15. RENEE BURNS**
- 16. ROXANNE CHOATE**
- 17. JOAN CIRILLO**
- 18. LIZ CONWAY**
- 19. CAROL CORONA**
- 20. KAREN CRUPI**
- 21. LISA CUDNEY**
- 22. KATHLEEN DAILY**
- 23. DIANE DEROOS**
- 24. JULIE DERSARKISSIAN**
- 25. PAULA FERRARO**
- 26. ELAINE FORTI**
- 27. GERALD FOSTER**
- 28. DAVE FOX**
- 29. FRED FRANCIS**
- 30. CHRISTINE FUNKE**
- 31. CLAUDIA GELDER**
- 32. ART GOLDSTEIN**
- 33. JUDY GREEN**
- 34. SHERI GREEN**
- 35. WAYNE GUENTHER**
- 36. SUZANNE HURLBUT**
- 37. JAYNE JEFFORDS**
- 38. LORNA KLOTZBACH**
- 39. CINDY KOWALIK**
- 40. SHARON KRYMAN**
- 41. GARY KURKOWSKI**
- 42. DOMINIC LOVRIA**
- 43. MELISSA MAURER**
- 44. GEORGE MCGAUGHEY**
- 45. FLORINE MEREDITH**
- 46. KEN MOLITERNO**
- 47. LARRY MRUK**
- 48. RUTH MYERS**
- 49. KAREN ORTS**
- 50. NANCY PALERMO**
- 51. CHERYL PFUND**
- 52. ART PRICE**
- 53. TIMOTHY RICHTER**
- 54. DAVE RIDER**
- 55. VINCENT SANDO**
- 56. DIANE SCHULTZ**
- 57. KAY SCROGER**
- 58. SANDRA SEYFRIED**
- 59. DON SKINNER**
- 60. AL STEVENS**
- 61. ELAINE SUTHERLAND**
- 62. CHRIS THERRIEN**
- 63. FRAN THOMAS**
- 64. TOM WALTER**
- 65. SANDY WHALEN**
- 66. ALAN WILLIAMS**
- 67. SANDRA WILLMOTT**
- 68. JAN WITKOWSKI**
- 69. PAUL WROBBEL**

Majestic Lights in Triangle Park

A Christmas tree was purchased again this year for triangle park representing the Oakfield Alabama Teachers' Association. The tree will be decorated by our union in "honor of the education of tomorrow's leaders". We have LED lights, some gold garland, and some blue and gold ornaments. We also have a few of the teacher ornaments that survived the weather last year. If you have any ornaments that you'd like to donate to our tree, please get them to me, Robin Bonanno, in the ES or Wendy Bergman in the MHS by **Tuesday, November 24th**.

The tree needs to actually be decorated on **Tuesday, December 1st at 3:45** after the elementary school day ends. Many hands make light work and it is fun to get into the holiday spirit. PLEASE consider joining your fellow union members on Tuesday to decorate our tree while wearing our festive face masks.

The tree lighting takes place on **Thursday, December 3rd** at 6pm in the Village Triangle Park. All the trees will remain decorated and lit until **January 2nd**. The tree then needs to be undecorated by **Sunday, January 3rd**. This is the day before we return to work, so if you live in Oakfield and can help with that task, it would be greatly appreciated. Please let me know.

If you haven't seen the trees, it is worth a visit this year. Don't hesitate to ask if you have any questions. **Looking forward to a great start to the holiday season!**

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