Independent Association of Framingham State Alumni

ALUMNI HOUSE 100
CELEBRATING 100 YEARS

# ECHO

## *Alumni House is Where the Heart is: Centennial 1917-2017*

Alumni House, home and heart of IAFSA, is sustained by the support and generosity of our alumni.

In 1971, the Alumni Office was moved from O'Connor Hall to the second floor of Alumni House. Since then the House has been pulsing with service to Alumni and the Framingham State Community. The spacious downstairs and the master bedroom, converted to a conference room, have provided ample space for meetings and special events.

Meetings have included those about saving the Chapel, now the Ecumenical Center; planning a Christa McAuliffe Scholarship Banquet, and selecting scholarship and loan recipients. There has also been a myriad of special occasions, such as an overflowing reception following the passing of Dr. Arthur Chaves, Philanthropy Class Award ceremonies, and numerous IAFSA Scholarship Awards receptions.

In addition to housing the IAFSA office, archives about alumni are stored on site. Volunteers and interns work on filing, sorting, organizing and working to preserve the files, which go back to the first students. It is a credit to early alumni that so many records, including class journals, were saved that capture the earliest days of the first public teaching school in North America. We also have items related to famous alumni such as Christa McAuliffe, Ruth Wakefield and other more modern achievers. With your help, we will raise funds and seek grants to better store and preserve these artifacts.

To make better use of Alumni House's spaces and serve alumni and the community, former housekeeper Norah Gibbons' room is being set up for volunteer projects. The former office is being converted to a *Fashion and Design Resource Library.* A closet is being designated for art and textile supplies donations for students. *(Details on p. 2)* To the left of the house, a plain, grassy area is the site of a proposed perennial garden. The intent of *The Garden on the Hill* is to preserve our roots and grow our connections among students, faculty, alumni, and the community. *(Details on p. 11)*

This year we are inaugurating the IAFSA Donor Wall of Fame. Those who have donated scholarships in the last decade will be honored, as well as Friends of Alumni House Benefactors and IAFSA's consistent and significant donors. The unveiling of the plaques will be during the Annual Meeting on June 3rd.

In July, the month in which both Framingham State and IAFSA came to be, we will celebrate Alumni House's Centennial with a not-to-be-missed cocktail party. *(Details on p. 4)* None of the above projects and initiatives would happen without your interest and support. Alumni House is where the heart of IAFSA, and you are the lifeblood. As always, we appreciate every donation. It's not how much you give, but that you give. Each gift provides IAFSA with continued life. ***Thank you!***

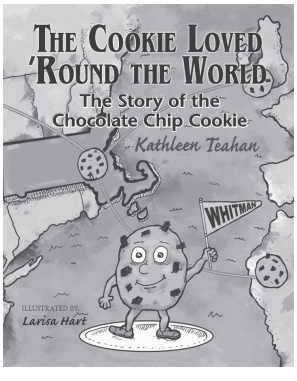
## *Come Home to Alumni House this June!*

One of the great memories of returning home is to find a plate of freshly baked cookies waiting for you. Even better when they are Toll House Cookies!
How appropriate that, as you return to Framingham State and Alumni House this June, IAFSA will have a program and exhibit about Ruth Graves Wakefield '24, the originator of one of the world's most popular cookie.

Kathy Teahan, author of the new book, *The Cookie Loved 'Round the World*, will be our featured speaker during our Annual Meeting Saturday morning, June 3rd. Teahan, as a Massachusetts State Rep., introduced the bill which resulted in the Toll House Cookie being named the State Cookie, beating out the Fig Newton. (Which is more cake than cookie, and no one bakes them at home, she pointed out.)

Ruth Wakefield, whose nickname at Framingham State was "Gravy", was much more than a baker and restaurant owner. And the concept, not only of Toll House Cookies, but of creating and making confections with chocolate chips, has resulted in a stunning array of goodies. The new exhibit at Alumni House will present highlights of Ruth Wakefield's life and a selection of the "variations on the chocolate chip" theme.

If you can't make Alumni Weekend, the exhibit will be available at least through October. You can make Alumni House a destination for a meet up with classmates or friends to take in the exhibit. Bring a lunch and we will provide the coffee and tea or check out the Framingham State commuter café in the McCarthy Center.

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# President's Letter

Dear Alumni,

As temperatures seem to be transitioning toward a warmer spring ahead, the IAFSA board has been busy planning events for the upcoming season.

Framingham State's Reunion Weekend in June will be filled with a myriad of activities this year and IAFSA will again be a part of them. Friday and Saturday, Alumni House will be open for meet ups with classmates to relax, enjoy light refreshments and check out our new exhibit and improvements.

Our annual meeting will be held on Saturday, beginning at 9:30 a.m. at Alumni House. Guest speaker Kathy Teahan, author of the new book, *The Cookie Loved 'Round the World,* will talk about the Toll House Cookie and its inventor, Ruth Wakefield, Class of 1924. An exhibit about Ruth Wakefield and her cookie will officially open. Celebrating classes are invited to the meeting as honored guests.

There will also be a ground-breaking ceremony for *The Garden on the Hill*, an initiative of the Class of 1964. The garden will be a contemplative haven for all members of the Framingham State community to enjoy. You can also sneak a peek at the new *Fashion and Design Resource Library* that is in progress.

On July 12, we hope you can join us for a festive cocktail party celebrating the Alumni House Centennial! Look for more information and details to come regarding this wonderful evening.

IAFSA recently presented the University with a gift for the Ecumenical Center. A cabinet to house the school's carillon bells was given to the center from the collective contributions made by our members.

Donations were made to the Whittemore Library Fund and to women's soccer, too. It is thanks to you that we can do all this, while helping alumni and students and maintain the Alumni House. Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

***Anne Ferrari-Greenberg '97***

**Announcing: The New IAFSA**
***Fashion and Design Resource Library***

**Your no longer needed Art, Design, Fashion Books and Supplies welcome**

The soon-to-open *Fashion and Design Resource Library* at Alumni House will include a variety of sometimes hard to find books and periodicals about fashion, design, and art for use by students, faculty, and the community. The walls will provide a mini gallery space to showcase artwork by alumni and students. Mannequins will display student and alumni made fashions. A roomy closet will serve as an art and sewing supply "pantry." Art and sewing supplies and textiles for course projects are not included in tuition and fees. Students with financial need scramble to afford them. We welcome donations of any art supplies, fashion notions, and textiles, related books, or any kind of financial assistance. Students have talent, as the two recently on *Project Runway* and the many others working in fashion related positions prove. This library is intended to help support and nourish their paths to creative careers.
**Take a look during Alumni Weekend.**

# Alumni House Centennial Logo Contest

We needed an amazing logo to celebrate the centennial of Alumni House!

With the help of Professor Jennifer Dowling in the Communication Arts Department, we created a competition for her Design for Integrated Media class in the Fall 2016 semester.

Each student created a logo to represent Alumni House and the momentous birthday.

It was difficult to narrow down, but in the end first prize of $150 went to Anna Keaney '17, for her creative and fun design. Our runner up prize of $50 went to Renata Katz '17, who made a beautiful representation of the house.

We will be using both winning designs in the future.

They were not the only ones to go home with prizes though! To thank the class for their hard work each student received a Dunkin Donuts gift card and one of our schol•ar•ship t-shirts, thanks to the generosity of one of our alumni.

**Participating Students:**

James Crehan '17
Anthony Sheehan '17
Anna Keaney '17
Emily Hendrickson '17
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Alexandra Harpin '17
Ariel Radar '17
Emma Quinn '17
Annamarie Lapriore '17
Renata Katz '17
Nicole Santostefano '17
Rachel McKay '17
Ethan Norton '19

Thanks again for all the beautiful designs!

**1st Place: Anna Keaney '17**

**2nd Place: Renata Katz '17**

## Alumni House Mug!

Sip your tea or coffee every morning from a mug that is as sturdy as Alumni House itself. With the image on both sides, you will never miss a chance to look at our beautiful house surrounded by lush green gardens.

**Order yours today!**
*http://bit.ly/AHmug*

If you don't want to order online, send a check to *IAFSA* for $18.00 and we will have a mug sent to you!
*(Price includes shipping)*

## *Independent Association of Framingham State Alumni Scholarship and Award Recipients for 2016*

*Your gifts to these scholarships funds will continue to touch lives.*

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# The Amelia Davis Fund Report

***Did you know that...***

• Amelia Davis taught Math at Framingham State for 46 years?

• The Class of 1892 established the Amelia Davis Fund in her honor in 1910?

• The Fund was established to give small financial stipends to those alumni in need?

• Stipends have ranged from just a few dollars in its early days (with a $5 Christmas gift) to monthly stipends of $50-$150?

• In December, 20 volunteers met at Alumni House to hand address over 2,200 holiday greetings to members of the 50 reunion year class and back?

• The cards and postage for this activity was provided by the Amelia Davis Fund?

• 12 volunteers write faithfully each month to 22 alumni who are either in nursing homes or alone and appreciate a friendly greeting?

• YOU can join this group by signing up at Alumni House?

• All donations made to this fund by YOU are thoughtfully and carefully managed by a committee and that all recipients are TRULY grateful?

• The Fund depends on YOU to help us continue to say YES to those alum in need?

• All you need to do is call the Alumni House to volunteer or donate money so the Amelia Davis Fund continues to grow?

***Susan Duponte Conway '70 G '76***
***Amelia Davis Fund Chair***

## Thanks to IAFSA...

*"IAFSA and Alumni House have provided me with the opportunity to expand the skills I learned in my courses with a hands-on internship. Not only was it beneficial to learn what it is like to create marketing materials for a real client, but I also gained a number of portfolio pieces. I am so thankful for this experience and now know that I have access to a network of connections."*

**Erin Fitzmaurice '17**
***Communication Arts***

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*"My experience at FSU has been a very positive one and only continues to get better. I cannot thank the committee enough for awarding the scholarship to me, validating all of the hard work I have accomplished thus far."*

**Emily Robinson '18**
***English***

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*"After recently [losing] my mom... it has been a very difficult year both emotionally and financially, and I am appreciative for this scholarship as it will make a world of difference in my ability to continue to further my education."*

**Caroline Brassard '17**
***Accounting***

**IAFSA strives for student success, whether through financial aid or helping to gain real-world experience through internships.**

# *Save the Date!*

**The Alumni House Centennial Celebration Cocktail Party**

***Wednesday, July 12th***
***4 - 7 p.m.***

**Come celebrate 100 years and join friends as we toast Alumni House!**

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**Early Bird RSVP - call or email office@alumnihouse.org**

**Framingham Community Bulletin Board**

tinyurl.com/FSCommunity

Facebook Group for the Framingham State Community

Have a new book, business, or artwork on display? Are you hiring? Maybe you just want to see what your old friends are up to. This Facebook group is an easy way to keep in touch with the Framingham State community and keep up to date on all upcoming events! Find out what fellow alumni are up to and share your news & achievements.

# Alumni House Report

WOW! Our Alumni House is celebrating its centennial this year! We are so proud of our House, where so many events, celebrations, ceremonies and business meetings take place during the year.

Of course, as all houses need, we have made some repairs and enhancements to make your visits more comfortable.

Our biggest expenditure was the replacement of 33 windows throughout the house. Such a difference! Due to this upgrade, we have experienced lower fuel bills. At the same time, new insulation was added in the open spaces in the attic above the conference room and the offices. Each year, more slate tiles are replaced on the roof. So far, the weather has cooperated and we have not had any winter storm damage as in 2015.

The usual maintenance and upkeep of the house and landscape continue during the year. Our gardens are beautiful from Spring through the Fall.

Are you a member of the Friends of Alumni House yet? Please see the article about it in this newsletter. *(p. 11)*

We look forward to seeing you at the Annual Meeting during the Alumni Open House Weekend and the Centennial Celebration Cocktail Party for the Alumni House in July.

It has been an honor to serve as your House Chair for the past ten years. I have seen many wonderful changes to our House. Please come and visit your charming 100-year-old Alumni House!! Such a treasure!

***Kathaleen Flynn Patterson '74***

### *A Note from a Fellow Alumna:*

My years at Framingham were wonderful, and I sought to remain connected through IAFSA, which will always be my alumni association. To give the amount I want to contribute was hard to do all at once so I make my monthly contributions automatically through my bank's "bill-pay" system. A modest monthly amount is easy to fit into my budget. I recently added a small separate donation specifically to support Alumni House. I would encourage alumni who are able to make regular donations to think about doing so. Most banks can help you set up an automatic monthly payment, so you don't even have to remember to send a check. If 100 alums could donate $10 per month, this would support IAFSA with $12,000 per year. For a small association, being able to count on regular support is essential; it helps them plan for income and meet expenses. This is our association, so we need to step up, to whatever extent we are able to.

***Judith A. vanBever-Green G '79***

*Easily donate at AlumniHouse.org or use the enclosed envelope*

Consider becoming an **IAFSA Cum Laude Sustaining Member** by setting up automatic monthly donations with your bank or through the PayPal Giving Fund starting at only $10 a month.

### *Your generosity has provided:*

- **$78,550 in scholarship aid to 87 students* for the 2016-2017 academic year**
- **$15,000 in interest-free loans to 14 students* in the 2016-2017 academic year**
- **$3,250 in awards to 9 individuals* during 2016**
- **$10,975 in assistance to 7 alumni during 2016**

**Some students received more than one award or loan.*

## *YOU are at the HEART of all IAFSA does*

With the support of alumni and friends, IAFSA continues to fulfill its mission with abiding affection for Framingham State which helped make us all what we are in the world today. Each year we find ways to work with faculty and the administration for the benefit of the students and the community:

- Our scholarships and loans help fill the financial gaps for dozens of students.
- Our restricted funds help provide such things as a new sound system, storage cabinet for the Ecumenical Center, and a contribution to the new Ram sculpture installed last fall.
- Alumni House provides a comfortable gathering place for faculty meetings and gatherings as well as award ceremonies.
- Our contacts have helped students be linked with employers and we have provided internship opportunities as well.
- Our archives provide information for alumni and their families, and student and faculty research.
- Alumni House provides a comfortable place for alumni meetings, luncheons, reunion planning meetings, and alumni social gatherings, such as upcoming Centennial Celebration Cocktail Party in July.

*Alumni are the continuity of Framingham State.*
*Faculty and administration will come and go but alumni*
*are constant and keepers of our memory, history, and spirit.*

# Annual Gratitude Report

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**Coming to Alumni House – The Garden on the Hill •** *Call or email the IAFSA office to volunteer, help or otherwise support the garden.* Inspired by the passing of beloved classmates, the Class of 1964 has initiated *The Garden on the Hill*, a perennial garden to the left of Alumni House. It is intended to be not only a memorial for past alumni, but also a place of serenity for the Framingham State community. The initial garden committee is composed of Betty Cummings Clarke '64, Pat McMahon Towle '64, Debbie Regan Cleveland '73 and Suzanne Higham '86 of Frog Hollow Landscapes, LLC of Georgetown, MA, who has offered her design services. Opportunities for classes and individuals to sponsor trees, plantings, engraved rocks, and benches will soon be available. A groundbreaking ceremony will immediately follow the end of IAFSA Annual Meeting.

## Friends of Alumni House Launched!

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Memberships help with needed repairs, expenses, and upgrades to Alumni House.

This year 33 new windows were installed, fallen and damaged trees were removed, and more insulation added to the attic. Marilyn Manzella's former office was badly damaged by ice dams in previous years. This year we are working on repairs and converting it for use as a *Fashion and Design Resource Library* at the Alumni House.

Benefactors will appear on the new Alumni Donor Wall of Fame to be unveiled during Alumni Weekend.

## Here are our Friends:

**Benefactors**
Barbara A. Bertelli '61
Debra Regan Cleveland '73
Joyce Morrissey Donohue '61
Dr. Judy Zaccagnini Flynn '69
Karen Goddard '94, David & Karen Morey, Kenneth & Ellen Morey'92
*in memory of Ruth Spaulding Morey '50*
Maureen McDonough Healey '59
Nancy A. Bolduc Keup '60
Karolin Manackas Losert '58
Louise Pickett '39
Geoffrey A. Tedoldi '70
Ida L. Toro '54 G '64
Dr. Beverly Wiess

**Patrons**
Deborah J. Salois Donovan '72
Joyce Harvey French '72
Marian High School
Sharon James '76
Joan Murtaugh '61
Kathaleen Flynn Patterson '74
David N. Sandberg '90
Barbara Ainsworth Whelan '56

**Preservationists**
Susan Farley Acton '63
Beverly Rouleau Anslow '60
Joan Calore Bucher '55
Kin Bartolini Crouse '80
Claire Janse Davidson '57
Ellen McGarrahan Gallagher '51
Sandra DeLuca Ganter '61
Marilyn Booth Manzella '69
Susan Kilroy McCrensky '69
Arthur Payne '74 & Jen Payne '76
Mary Tocci Regan '66
Nancy Sawyer '80
Martha Garrahan Scott '61
Patricia M. Slavin '64 G '71
Marybeth Spellman '83
Dr. Dorothy M. Vacca '63
Judith A. van Bever-Green '79

**Family**
Sara M. Foster '02

**Individuals**
Robyn Walker Cartwright '74
Dr. Anita B. Danker '76
Mary Dunne-Barrone '71
Eileen Tomkiewicz Flynn '68
Saralei Lee Fowler '58
Kimberley Kiess Ivers '94
Deborah A. Johnson '00
JoAnne Danahy Kellett '58
Arlene F. Mindus '66
Mary Fitzmaurice Penny '61
Joanne Connors Read '55
Janet DeRonde Wierzbicki '61

**Students**
Brianne Barrett '19
Julia Barrone '18

## *Become a Friend of Alumni House!*

All memberships and gifts are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

**Membership Levels:**

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| Student - $5 ($10 online) | Family - $40 | Patron - $100 | Benefactor - $500 |
| Individual - $25 | Preservationist - $50 | Framework - $250 | Cornerstone - $1,000 |

Membership will run July 1 – June 30. Members will be recognized in our Annual *Echo* Newsletter.
Memberships of $500 or more qualify for inclusion on the Alumni House Donor Wall of Fame.

----------Tear Off & Submit with Your Membership Check ----------

***I want to become a Friend of Alumni House!***

Name:_____Class:_____ Charter Membership Contribution:_____
Street, City, State, Zip:_____ Additional Contribution: _____
Email:_____ Total: _____

Make your check payable to **IAFSA** or Independent Association of Framingham State Alumni and note "**AH Friend"** in the memo section.

## We say Goodbye to:

**James Argir '66,** a Principal for 25 years of several Ashland public schools.

**Steve Durkee**, Studio Arts professor at FSU for 31 years.

**Lillian St. Thomas DiRico '46,** taught cooking and nutrition for 20 years at the Marlborough Junior High School.

**Mary Haley**, long time nursing professor at Framingham and Worcester State Universities.

**Dr. John L. Heineman**, husband of Dr. Helen Heineman (President Emerita)

**Joan Horrigan**, professor of Communication Arts, focusing on speech, for over 40 years.

**Emily Atkins Lindberg '41,** a creative and imaginative teacher who was the first to introduce home management courses into the curriculum and to open home economics courses to boys.

**Jill Reid Lukesh '67,** operated J&J Promotions outdoor antique show at Auction Acres in Brimfield with her sister, Judy Reid Mathieu.

**Mary Sarjeant McEnroe '44,** a long-time elementary school teacher in Massachusetts, Wisconsin and Connecticut.

**Catherine McNamara,** a retired professor of Fashion Merchandising and Marketing at FSU.

**Margaret "Peg" Snyder**, dedicated librarian of the Henry Whittemore Library.

**Andrew Todaro,** Assistant Superintendent of Facilities at FSU.

***And many others who have passed we remember with fondness.***

*(When we receive notification that an alum or member of the Framingham State Community has passed, we share it with the University. A list is published in their semi-annual magazine.)*

## Congratulations to:

**Dan Avery '78** was inducted into the Massachusetts Baseball Coaches Association Hall of Fame in January.

**Justin Cameron G '07** was selected as Massachusetts Middle School Principal of the Year by the Massachusetts Secondary School Administrators' Association.

**Dr. Harry E. Dumay G '96,** was named the 11th President of College of Our Lady of the Elms, Chicopee, MA.

Artist and alum **Lynne Harlow '90** who was a juror for the student exhibit at the Mazmanian Gallery.

Past IAFSA president **Kim Ivers '94** ran her first Boston Marathon. She raised money for the Claddagh Fund.

**Dr. Desmond McCarthy '81**, Chair of FSU's English Department, celebrated his 25th year as *The Gatepost's* advisor.

**Corey "Cornelius" Ortiz '15 and Nathalia "JMag" Castrillon '16,** were contestants on Season 15 of Project Runway, Nathalia finished 7th & Corey in the top 5.

**Louise Pickett '39,** granddaughter of Henry Whittemore, celebrated her 100th birthday.

Past IAFSA President **Kathleen Ryan Roberts '37** turned 102.

***And to all alumni who are accomplishing great things in large and small ways at home and globally.***

*Do you have news to share with the community? Email it to us! office@alumnihouse.org*

### *It's Time for IAFSA's Biennial Election!*

2017-2019 Proposed Executive Board Slate

*Slate approved by the current Executive Board • Vote by mail or at the Annual Meeting*

**President:** Joan Murtaugh '61
**Vice President:** Cherie Gorin '10
**Treasurer:** Marcia Coker Mattero '02
**Assistant Treasurer:** Kathy Hursen '88
**Directors:**
term ends 2019 - Colleen Maxfield '10
term ends 2019 - Michelle McGonagle '15
term ends 2019 - Joyce Morrissey Donohue '61
term ends 2019 - Jean Cole '17
**House Chair:** Sara M. Foster '02
**Amelia Davis Fund Chair:** *Open*
**Ellen Hyde Fund Chair:** Gloria M. Aspesi '57 G '62
**Executive Director:** Debra Regan Cleveland '73
**Immediate Past President:** Anne Ferrari-Greenberg '97

**Elected Committee Members:**
**Amelia Davis Fund:**
Patricia A. Foley '91
Kathaleen Gildea Furbush '70 G '99
Carol Zugale Salvi '67
**Ellen Hyde Fund:**
Rosanne Rich Kates '70 G '87
Ann Rachwal Killion '81
Donna Barrett-Fonseca '78 G '86
Adel R. Fauzetdinova '10 *(Alternate)*

*Please note that the Immediate Past President and the Executive Director are also voting members of the Executive Board. According to bylaws, they are not selected by the election process.*

### *Attention Reunion Planners!*

We have records and photos from past reunions.

***We welcome your materials in need of a place to store them for the future.***

Alumni House is available for planning meetings & Alumni Weekend gatherings.

***Alumni House is also available for any alumni meet ups and luncheons throughout the year.***

***All Celebrating Classes are honored guests at our Annual Meeting & Program on Saturday morning.***

Each year Celebrating Classes are encouraged to nominate a member for the "Touch the Future" Educator Award.

# *IAFSA Annual Meeting*

You are invited to attend our annual meeting and program at:

**Alumni House**
42 Adams Road
Framingham, MA
01702

**Friday, June 2, 2017**
*Open House*
3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

**Saturday, June 3, 2017**
*IAFSA Meeting, Program, & Election*
9:30 – 11:00 a.m.

On Saturday:
Registration & Coffee from 9:30 – 9:45 a.m.
***Garden on the Hill:*** Groundbreaking Ceremony immediately following the meeting

Program:
***Ruth Wakefield '24 & Her World Famous Cookie***
**Special Guest Speaker:** Kathy Teahan, author of *The Cookie Loved 'Round the World*

*Saturday Open House*
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Refreshments & Special Exhibit
**Special Exhibit:** Innovator Ruth Wakefield '24 & Her Toll House Legacy

**Please RSVP (508) 872-9770 or office@alumnihouse.org**