

Alpha Mu Tau Newsletter

Fall 2020

President's Message—Bill Hunt

Greeting Members,

What a trying time we live in. Due to the pandemic we had a virtual meeting on July 1st, and we missed the comradery of meeting in person in Louisville, KY. As we all know our primary purpose is to raise and contribute money for undergraduate and graduate scholarships.

I would like to thank all of you for your generosity \$41,167 has been donated this year since January 1, 2020. This is in comparison to the same period as 2019, when our members donated \$42,392. The pandemic has not suppressed giving as much as feared. Our financial contributions directly affect the amount of scholarships that will be given this coming year. I am asking our members to contribute as they are able, knowing full well that many members may be suffering financial distress.

For those of you who make contributions at the end of the year, a donation form is included in this newsletter. You may make your contributions using the paper form or via credit card via the link below using Square. Many thanks to Scott Aikey and all involved for creating this option. (Just remember to scroll down to pick individual scholarships)

<https://amtfdonations.square.site/>

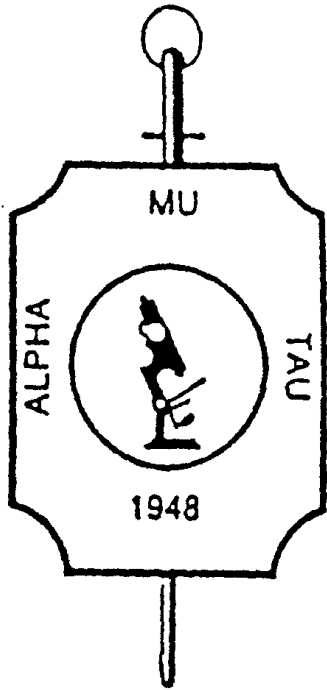
We have been notified of the passing of 6 members. Camille Ann Atwood, Cheryl Drennan, Armand Robert Prada, Sr. Paula Phelan, Anne Stiene-Martin and Sr. Marie Vittetoe. They will all be missed and we honor their contributions to ASMT / ASCLS and AMTF.

This year we added nine new members Candice Barker, April Harkin, Susan Iddings, Shannon Jongeward, Stephanie Mabry, Claude Rector, Charlotte Romain, Hillary Ally Storia and Stacy Walz.

at our next in person meeting (fingers crossed at Churchill Downs, Louisville, KY in 2021). Many congratulations to our new members!!

Adding to the membership is critical to our ability to provide scholarships. Please consider nominating a candidate (s) for membership. The membership application and criteria is available on the AMTF web page

www.alphamutau.org.



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Tributes

Honoring our special friends, living and deceased, with a Scholarship Donation

4/16/2020 – 11-11-2020

In Memory of

Bonnie Aikey -Scott Aikey
James Amend -Larry Leppke
Pat Amos - Sharon Miller, Mary Lee Seibert
James Aumer -Julie Brownie
Betsy Baptist -Heidi (Elizabeth) Smith
William S. and Betty Bishop -Michael Bishop
Grace Bockino -Elissa Passiment
Nicholas Bockino -Elissa Passiment
Sr. Shirley Ann Boucher -Mary Ann McLane
Patricia Buckley -Cathy Otto
PVT. Stephen Bulger -Mary Gourley
Catherine Butch -Suzanne Butch
Sam Chaffin -Cheryl Caskey, Mary Coleman, Debra Shell, Lynn Ingram, Mary and Joe Briden, Craig E. Austin
Margaret "Peetie" Charette, -Julie S. Brownie
Faye Elizabeth Coleman -Barbara Kraj
Jo Ann Delligatti -Elissa Passiment
Cheryl Drennan -Jane Hudson
Trish Etnyre-Zacher - Sharon Miller
Anna Fagelson -Lynn Russell
Cheryl Goodwin -Lynn Hudson, Hassan Aziz
Gerre Wells Gourley -Freida Carson
Gwendolyn Lee Goolsby -A. Casey Ceasor
Jane Green - Janice Kinsinger, Jacqueline Parcchka
Melton & Barbara Griffin -Karen Griffin
Arlene (Rene) Gustafson -Donna Meyer
Norma Gustin -Norine Janzen
Leon Headley -Cheryl Caskey, Mary Coleman, Debra Shell, Dan Southern, Lynn Ingram, Mary and Joe Briden
Ruth Heinemann -Esther Misterek, Jacqueline Parochka

Jean Holland -Mary Coleman
Michelle Kanuth -Lynn Russell
Sandra Keener -Lynn Russell
Jeanne Kellogg -Lisa Hochstein
Betina Kieffer Basso -Pam Kieffer, Patricia Tille
Cathy Lamb -Janice Kinsinger
Kathy Miller -Joe Passiment, Bernadette Bekken
Jeri Nida -Holly Weinberg
Ruth Orlob -Diana Voorhees
Burt Palmer -Dan Southern, Lynn Ingram, Judy Davis, Lynn Russell, Mary and Joe Briden
Armand Robert Parada -Marcella Yee
Liz Panning -Rick Panning, Cindy Johnson
Frances Passiment -Joe Passiment
Joseph Passiment, Sr -Joe Passiment
Shirley Pohl - Karen Olsen, Joan Longberry
Kathleen Quill -Judith Barr
Tom Reddig -John Koenig, Mary Lou Vehige, Renee Setina
Bernadette (Bunny)Rodak -Jeanne Isabel, Patricia Tille, Roslyn McQueen, Lacey Campbell, Demetra Castillo, Carey Loveland, Mary Coleman, Debra Shell, Carol McCoy
Martha Rouland -Mary Gourley, Barbara Snyderman
Harry Slaughter -Lynn Russell
Eda Snyderman Shulman -Barbara Snyderman
Carolyn Snyder -Judy Hoover
Shirley Snyderman -Barbara Snyderman
Patricia Taylor -Sheri Gon
Betty Theriot -Debra Faubion, George Roberts, Lynn Russell, Angela Foley
Sr. Marie Vittetoe -Dan Southern, Khaldee (Lindsey) Davenport-Landry, Linda Gorman, David Falleur
Ann Paula Zero -Carol Golyski, Lisa Hochstein, Julie S. Brownie

Tributes Continued

In Honor of

Joan Aldrich -John Wentz
ASCLS Patient Safety Committee -
Lezlee Koch
Dorothy Bergeron -Frank Scarano
Patsy Bering -Mary Gourley, Mary
Ann McLane, Barbara Snyderman
Joe Briden- Cheryl Caskey, Debra
Shell, Jeanne Christen
Roma Brown -Karen Karni
Suzanne Butch -Frederick Barnard
Cheryl Caskey -June Conrad, Myra
Myers, George Roberts, Lynn Russell,
Dianne Cearlock
Diane Cearlock -Jeanne Isabel
Angela Darby -Kimberly Von Ahsen
Lindsey Davenport-Landry -Kimberly
Von Ahsen
Beverly Price DeNard -Lynn Russell,
Dyan Monte Verde
David Falleur -Rodney Rohde
Paula Garrott -J.R. Constance
Linda Gorman -Beth Warning
Arene Gustafson -Debra Faubion
Jane Hudson -Hassan Aziz, Evelyn
Weaver
Jeanne Isabel -Sharon Miller
Janzen Family -Norine Janzen
Maddie Josephs -Frank Scarano
Stephanie Mabry -Kristina Martin
Connie Mahon -Lynn Russell
Mary Ann McLane -Lynn Russell,
Rodney Rohde
Stephanie Mabry -Kristina Martin
Herb Miller -Maribeth Flaws
Teresa Nadder -Elizabeth Leibach
Edward Otto - Karen Golemboski
Elissa and Joe Passiment -Edward
Peterson
Becky Perdue -Bernadette Bekken

Joan Polancic -J.R. Constance
Keila Poulsen -Debra Shell
Bonnie Reilly -Mary Coleman
Kyle Riding -Kimberly Von Ahsen
Rebecca Rogers -Kimberly Von Ahsen
Gilma Roncancio-Weemer -J.R. Constance
Lynn Russell -June Conrad
Dan Southern -Tim Randolph, Shirlyn
McKenzie
Patricia Tille -Perry Scanlan

Thank you - your support is
greatly appreciated.

Contributions to the Endowment Fund

The following individuals have contributed to the AMTF Endowment Fund. Only the interest is used to fund scholarships.

Scott Aikey
Sue Beglinger
Nellie M. (Patsy)
Bering
Suzanne Butch
Cheryl Caskey
Mary Coleman
June Conrad
David Falleur
Maribeth Flaws
Vicki Freeman
Linda Goosen
Karen Griffin
James Griffith
April Harkins
Lisa Hochstein
Maddie Josephs
Karen Karni

Cynthia Koffman
Barbara Kraj
Connie Laubenthal
Susan Leclair
Terri Leszczyszyn
Cathy Otto
Nicholas Moore
Susan Morris
Elsie Nabeshima
Elissa Passiment
Glenda Price
Lester Pretlow
Rebecca Purdue
Claude Rector
Deb Rodahl
Rebecca Rogers
Lynn Russell
Marian Schwabbauer
Chloe Scott
Linda Smith
Ally Storla

Distribution of Funds

	Value on 1/1/20	2020 Don/Inc	Sch awarded	Subtotal
Brown/Bering	\$ 13,522.51	\$ 3,177.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 13,699.51
French	\$ 102,789.73	\$ 1,222.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 100,011.73
Morrison	\$ 15,657.59	\$ 327.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 12,984.59
Reilly	\$ 93,035.18	\$ 437.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 90,472.18
Winstead	\$ 20,090.69	\$ 697.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 17,787.69
Watson	\$ 8,827.37	\$ 292.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 6,119.37
Holley	\$ 58,314.44	\$ 2,137.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 57,451.44
Parchman	\$ 26,172.21	\$ 2,812.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 25,984.21
AMTF Endowment	\$ 4,805.92	\$ 4,752.00		\$ 9,557.92
AMTF GenScholar	\$ 262,314.98	\$ 24,314.00	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 270,628.98
AMTF Unnamed (temp)	\$ 4,520.59	\$ 1,000.00	\$ -	\$ 5,520.59
AMTF Oper Funds	\$ 14,153.52	\$ 5,200.67	\$ -	\$ 19,354.19
Totals	\$ 624,204.73	\$ 46,367.67	\$ 41,000.00	\$ 629,572.40

Accounts as of 11/5/2020

Edward Jones Value	\$ 557,101.63
Bank of America Savings	\$ 37,067.76
Bank of America Checking	\$ 11,947.58
Total in Accounts	\$ 606,116.97

2019 Scholarship Donations	\$ 45,772.55
2020 Scholarship Donations to date	\$ 41,167.00

Expenses	Net Value	% of Total	Unreal Gain(loss)	Value 11/5/20
\$ -	\$ 13,699.51	2.19%	\$ (449.62)	\$ 13,249.89
\$ -	\$ 100,011.73	15.96%	\$ (3,282.39)	\$ 96,729.34
\$ -	\$ 12,984.59	2.07%	\$ (426.15)	\$ 12,558.44
\$ -	\$ 90,472.18	14.44%	\$ (2,969.30)	\$ 87,502.88
\$ -	\$ 17,787.69	2.84%	\$ (583.79)	\$ 17,203.90
\$ -	\$ 6,119.37	0.98%	\$ (200.84)	\$ 5,918.53
\$ -	\$ 57,451.44	9.17%	\$ (1,885.56)	\$ 55,565.88
\$ -	\$ 25,984.21	4.15%	\$ (852.80)	\$ 25,131.41
\$ -	\$ 9,557.92	1.53%	\$ (313.69)	\$ 9,244.23
	\$ 270,628.98	43.18%	\$ (8,882.05)	\$ 261,746.93
\$ -	\$ 5,520.59	0.88%	\$ (181.19)	\$ 5,339.40
\$2,887.61	\$ 16,466.58	2.63%	\$ (540.43)	\$ 15,926.15
	\$ 626,684.79	100.0%		\$ 606,116.97

We're Missing Some Members

We have lost track of a few members. Our last mailing to them was returned to us. If you have an updated address or other information about these members, please let our Executive Secretary, Elissa Passiment know at elissap17@gmail.com. Thank you.

Jacqueline Swoyer
Catherine Horton

Donna Horn
Mary Bandell

New Emeritus Members

Cynthia Koffman Louann Lawrence David McGlasson George Roberts
Lynne Williams

Scholarship Recipients

AMTF awarded \$41,000 in scholarship awards in 2020. Recipients were recognized at the ASCLS Virtual Awards ceremony and at the AMTF general meeting in June. Congratulations to the following scholarship recipients!

Graduate:

Dorothy Morrison Memorial Scholarship: Stephanie Jacobsen, South Dakota

AMTF Graduate Scholarship:

Edward McVoy, Arkansas

Undergraduate:

Ruth M. French Memorial Scholarship:

Georgia Artzberger, Michigan

Eleanor Parchman Memorial Scholarship:

Katelyn Hadelich, Michigan

Ida & May Reilly Memorial Scholarship:

Jada Hicks, Wisconsin

Martha Winstead Memorial Scholarship:

Rachel Siddall, Michigan

James Holley Memorial Scholarship:

Rachel Schaeferle, Michigan

Royce Watson Scholarship:

Kristen Sigl, Oklahoma

Roma E. Brown and Nellie M. Bering Scholarship: Afaf Maslah, Pennsylvania

AMTF Undergraduate Scholarships:

Carli Dyba, Montana

Laura Kelley, Oregon

Isis-Dominique Navarro, Oregon

Amani Abushamma, Ohio

Ebalin Dutan, Pennsylvania

Trevor Davis, Oregon

Kenedee Kristjanson, North Dakota

Remember to donate to the scholarship fund – donations are accepted year-round! One of the primary activities of AMTF is to raise funding for graduate and undergraduate scholarships for medical laboratory science students. The ASCLS Education and Research (E&R) fund is the charitable foundation of ASCLS founded to encourage and assist educational and scientific research in the field of medical laboratory science. The fund's Scholarship Program supports education for students, practitioners and educators. Scholarships range from \$1,000 to \$4,000. The AMTF Scholarship Committee reviews all applications for both AMTF and E&R scholarships. AMTF applicants and E&R graduate applicants must

Scholarship Continued

be ASCLS members. Undergraduates must be accepted into a NAACLS accredited program in clinical laboratory science including MLS and MLT programs. They must enter or be in the last year of their education between January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021. Graduate applicants cannot complete their education before September 30, 2021. Applications, other materials and instructions will be available on both the ASCLS Website (www.ASCLS.org) (Click on About Us, Awards and Scholarships) and the AMTF Website (www.alphamutau.org) after November 30, 2020. Deadline for receipt of all applications and supporting materials is April 1, 2021. Only one application is required for all scholarships. If you are in need of funding to complete your education, please apply for these scholarships. If you are an educator or practitioner who knows students that could use this type of support, let them know about these scholarships and encourage them to apply.

Supporting the Laboratory Profession, Scholarship and Education New Member Applications Due Soon!

This year has been an unprecedented time for everyone across the country! The laboratory profession has come to the forefront of health care. There are so many dedicated laboratory professionals across the country putting other's first, with participation and dedication around the country. Help us honor those individuals by nominating them as New Members in Alpha Mu Tau. Those approved by the membership committee will be announced at the annual dinner in Louisville Kentucky in July 2021. Each AMTF member may nominate two individuals each year. We have many individuals who are leaders in our profession and "have made outstanding professional contributions to the field of clinical laboratory science." We encourage you to nominate them and assist them in completing this year's application. The deadline for applications to be received by the membership committee is February 20, 2021. Please send completed applications to Tillepm@ucmail.uc.edu

The AMTF Member application form is available on the Alpha Mu Tau website in PDF format: http://alphamutau.org/?page_id=16 A word document may be obtained by emailing President Elect-Pat Tille at Tillepm@ucmail.uc.edu or Suzanne Butch at butchs@umich.edu.

We Welcome Our New Members

Candice J. Barker nominated by John Koenig and Renee Setina

Candice Barker has worked in the medical laboratory science field for 40+ years. She is a 40-year member of the American Society for Clinical Laboratory Science. She has enjoyed holding leadership and committee member positions in the organization at the National, Regional, and State society levels. She holds a BS degree in Medical Technology from Illinois State University, and a certificate in Medical Technology from The Methodist Medical Center of Illinois School of Medical Technology. She is certified in Medical Laboratory Science with an additional specialty certification in Hematology from the ASCP Board of Certification.

She has had a successful career in the health computing industry which includes managing the development and implementation of Medical Laboratory Information systems and Electronic Health Record systems for CITATION computer systems and Allscripts in the US, Canada, and other International locations.

Candice has been recognized for her work within ASCLS when she received the Scientific Assembly Professional Achievement Industry award and the ASCLS-Missouri Member of the Year award. She believes her volunteer work in ASCLS has allowed her to develop her leadership, presentation and networking skills that have had a positive impact on her career and professional life.

April Harkin nominated by Susan Stalewski and Cindy Koffman

Dr. April Harkin received her B.S. degree from Marquette University in Medical Technology and worked for two years in a clinical laboratory. With a goal of a profession in higher education, she attended the Medical University of South Carolina and received a PhD in Microbiology and Immunology. April returned to Marquette University as faculty, and now Chair, and has had the opportunity with her scholarship to mentor many undergraduate students and design and implement a Biochemical and Immunological Core laboratory, this has led to numerous funded research projects and peer-review published articles. She has also taught multiple clinical laboratory science courses, including Molecular Diagnostics, Immunoserology and Microbiology. Many of her accomplished goals, can be attributed to her involvement and networking through ASCLS. She had two mentors that were heavily involved in ASCLS-WI and in their local branches. April became involved by first attending board meetings and helping with local and state meetings before taking on board member roles and officer roles at the local level. She has also attended state and national ASCLS meetings, with undergraduate students attending and presenting research. This led her to become further involved by joining committees on the national level. April attributes ASCLS for providing the venue to network concerning junior faculty issues, present research, collaborate, learn extensively about higher education and have mentors who were successful educators, laboratorians and researchers. She credits ASCLS as being critical in her growth as a professional and an educator.

Susan Iddings nominated by Donna Spannaus-Martin and Janice Conway Klaasen

Susan Idding began her career in Medical Technology in the 70's. After many years in her profession she went to work at ViroMed Laboratories, where she was encouraged to get involved in ASCLS. ASCLS has provided Susan the opportunity to develop leadership skills, participate on the state and regional boards, lead her state organization as president and chair committees. In addition, Susan has presented education sessions, spoken at student nights, mentored ASCLS members, as well as mentored staff and students. Throughout, her career has been enhanced through active participation in ASCLS which has allowed her to accomplish many personal and professional goals.

Susan has been privileged to receive national, regional and state awards from ASCLS, which has further prompted her to encourage others to do the same. She believes our field opens doors to build relationships with medical professionals in manufacturing, related industries and facilities that allow us to do our jobs better for our patients.

ASCLS has given her the opportunity to network with many colleagues and create long lasting friendships. It also

encourages us to give back to the profession in many different ways, which helps the sustainability of the profession we have chosen.

Shannon Jongeward nominated by Deb Rodahl and Cynthia Johnson

Shannon Jongeward is an Assistant Professor at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks. She graduated from UND with a B.S. in CLS in 2004, a M.S. in MLS in 2017, and is currently a Ph.D. student in the Educational Foundations and Research program at UND. Shannon has worked in a variety of roles at Altru Health System in Grand Forks for 10 years prior to accepting a position at UND as the Laboratory Manager for the student lab. In 2018, she accepted a faculty position within the department. Shannon currently teaches an undergraduate clinical intensive microbiology course and a professional issues in MLS course, as well as two advanced practice graduate courses on quality management principles.

She became active in ASCLS as a student. Shannon believes ASCLS has been instrumental in her professional and personal growth over the years. She credits her amazing ASCLS mentors who have not only guided her through the ins-and-outs of the organization, but who have supported her professional growth and instilled a passion in her for the profession and for the organization. It is her intention to carry on that passion and be a role model for fellow laboratorians. ASCLS has provided her with many opportunities that have helped advance her career, she has no doubt that without ASCLS and its members she would not be in the position she is in today.

Stephanie Mabry nominated by Kristina Martin and Andrea Hickey

Stephanie has been active in ASCLS since being a student, when Lynne Williams, her program director at Oakland University, encouraged her to run for ASCLS-Michigan Student Forum Chair in 2010. Since that position, she has filled various positions with the ASCLS-Michigan Board of Directors, including positions with the Awards Committee, Government Affairs Committee, Conference Committee, and, most recently, President. She has also been active in Region IV and at the national level. Stephanie is a graduate of the Leadership Academy in 2014 and currently serving in her second year as Political Action Committee Chair. ASCLS has been the greatest source of mentors, role models, colleagues, and friends that Stephanie has come across in both her personal and professional life. They have been there to cheer her on as a student and when beginning her career as a medical laboratory scientist in Special Chemistry at Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak, Michigan; there to guide her along as a graduate student at Michigan State University and as a new Visiting Instructor at Oakland University; and also there to share enjoyed camaraderie and travels to the many ASCLS events she has attended over the years. Stephanie believes that without the relationships built during her time with ASCLS her career would not be where it is today, nor would she have the enriched life she has.

Claude Rector nominated by Perry Scanlan and Pat Tille

Claude Rector holds a Bachelor of Science degree and a Master of Arts degree in Microbiology from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. Prior to taking his position as Assistant Professor at Arkansas State University in Jonesboro, Mr. Rector was the MLT and Phlebotomy Program Director at Phillips Community College of the University of Arkansas in Helena for more than eleven years. Before embarking on a career in Clinical Laboratory Science education, he worked as a Medical Laboratory Scientist at the DeWitt Hospital and Nursing Home in DeWitt, Arkansas for ten years.

Mr. Rector currently serves on the ASCLS Board of Directors for Region VII representing the states of Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas. He currently serves on the ASCLS Finance and Appointments Committees. One of his favorite roles in ASCLS is serving as a Mentor for Developing and Ascending Professionals. He still believes that investing time in the young members is the best hope to change the direction of our Society. Prior to his election to the Board of Directors, Mr. Rector served as President, President Elect and Past President of the ASCLS-Arkansas constituent society for five years. During his term as President, he was the Chair of the Spring and Fall Arkansas Conferences.

Charlotte Romain nominated by Cynthia Johnson and Janice Conway-Klaassen

Charlotte Romain Graduated from South Dakota State University in 1987 with a BS in Medical Technology. She worked nights for several years in hospitals as a generalist before taking a job at ViroMed Laboratories and worked at ViroMed for 13 years in many different roles. It was at ViroMed where Charlotte started performing molecular assays. ViroMed was the first lab in the country to perform the FDA approved HIV quantitative viral load testing. The test menu included FDA approved infectious disease assays available at the time and a large number of laboratory developed tests. During her career Charlotte worked as a supervisor and manager at ViroMed and at the Fairview University Medical Center. One of the jobs she is most proud of was working for a startup biomedical company and helping to build a lab from the ground up, developing assays and working through the CLIA certification process. Charlotte has spent the last 6 years at the University of Minnesota teaching in the Medical Laboratory Sciences Program. Mid-career she went back and got her Masters in Clinical Laboratory Science at University of North Dakota. Certified as an MT by ASCP when she graduated, she got NCA certification several years later. When NCA and ASCP merged to form the BOC, she made the decision to do the certification maintenance rather than just getting grandfathered in. She is proud of her education and her career and proud to say that she keeps her certification current.

Although a member of ASCLS since 1995, she became active in 2010 after reading the ASCLS newsletter and saw an article about the Leadership Academy. A graduate of the 2010 -2011 Leadership Academy year and have been active at all levels ever since. ASCLS-MN was very supportive. She was especially impressed that although not active and no one on the board knew who she was, ASCLS MN paid for her to travel to the three meetings and supported her throughout the entire year! Her activity at the state level include serving as director, president-elect and president. She has been on the state meeting planning committee every year since 2012 and served on the Region V symposium planning committee for 5 years. Charlotte has chaired the national molecular SA and the PPC. She worked on the workforce shortage white paper. Charlotte is grateful for all her wonderful professional connections and amazing friends! ASCLS has given her opportunities she would never have had.

Ally Storla nominated by Kyle Riding and Andrea Hickey

Ally Storla is a Marietta, Georgia native. She earned her BS in Biology from Southern Polytechnic State University and her BS in Clinical Laboratory Science from the Medical College of Georgia and has been working at WellStar Kennestone Hospital since January 2015. Ally is pursuing her Masters degree in Quality Assurance at Kennesaw State University. Ally has volunteered for ASCLS on the state, regional, and national levels in numerous capacities and is a graduate of the National Leadership Academy. Ally Storla with the help of the New Professionals New Members Forum and many seasoned ASCLS members created a fundraiser for a virtual 5K race called 'Lab Week Run' which has raised several thousand dollars for travel scholarships for New Professional ASCLS Members to attend the ASCLS Annual Meeting and Legislative Symposium. Ally volunteers her time every year with the Atlanta Science Festival, helping with events involving astronauts and speaking to classrooms about the Medical Laboratory profession. Ally served on WellStar Kennestone's first President's Trust Council representing the General Laboratory. Ally has been married to her husband Erik Storla for four years and spends her free time playing table top games, running, and keeping up with their 2 year old son Griffin.

Stacy E. Walz nominated by Debra Rodahl and Cathy Otto

Dr. Walz earned her B.S. in Medical Technology in 1999 from the University of Wisconsin- Madison, and spent six years working as a Hematologist at the National Primate Research Center located in Madison. While at the Primate Center, she began working on graduate-level courses, earning a certificate in Laboratory Quality Management taught by Dr. James Westgard. She became the Education Coordinator for the UW-Madison Clinical Laboratory Science program in 2005, and earned her master's degree in Population Health Sciences in 2009 from UW-Madison. Shortly before the untimely closure of the Madison CLS program, Dr. Walz took a position as Depart-

2020 Alpha Mu Tau Fraternity Contribution

Name _____ Check if info is changed

Address _____

Street

City

State

Zip

Phone: Home _____ Work _____

Cell _____ Email _____

CONTRIBUTIONS: Raising monies for scholarships is one of the main goals of AMTF. Donations may be tax-deductible. A receipt will be sent to you and an acknowledgement will be sent to whomever you designate. Please be generous!

ESTABLISHED SCHOLARSHIPS:

AMTF Endowment Fund \$ _____

General Scholarship Fund \$ _____

Ruth French Memorial \$ _____

Dorothy Morrison Memorial \$ _____

Ida and May Reilly Memorial \$ _____

Martha Winstead Memorial \$ _____

Royce Watson Scholarship \$ _____

James Holley Mem. Scholarship \$ _____

Eleanor Parchman Memorial \$ _____

Roma E. Brown Memorial and Nellie M. Bering Scholarship \$ _____

Total _____

Indicate the following if desired:

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Or, send your completed form and check, payable to AMTF to:
AMTF Treasurer, 521 Mackin Dr. , Cherry Hill, NJ 08002**

New Members Continued

ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

Remember to visit the Alpha Mu Tau web page, www.alphamutau.org for information and forms. There are tabs for: Information About Us, Scholarships, Officers, Membership, Donations, Photos from the past meetings, Past and Current Newsletters and Contact Us.

ment Chair and Program Director of a combined AAS/BS program in CLS at Arkansas State University in Jonesboro, Arkansas, in 2011. She earned her PhD in Population Health Sciences from UW-Madison in 2012. She has served ASCLS in various capacities over the years, most notably as President of both the Wisconsin and Arkansas state chapters, and Chair of the Patient Safety Committee.

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Bluffton, SC 29909-4305
Email: elissap17@gmail.com

Deceased Members

We have been notified of the passing of the following members:

Camille Ann Atwood,	#295	January 11, 2020
Cheryl Drennan,	#538	April 2020
Armand Robert Parada,	#519	August 16, 2020
Sr. Paula Phelan,	# 137	September 2019
Anne Stiene-Martin,	#326	August 27, 2020
Sr. Marie Vittetoe,	#421	July 31, 2020