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Class alumni lists needed

We are looking for you!

The Williamsburg Alumni Reunion Committee is looking for graduates who have a class list with names and addresses of Williamsburg High School graduates from the following years:

1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1932, 1961, 1966, 1969, 1972, 1974, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1980, 1983, 1986, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1993, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004.

A big thanks goes out to the class of 1981 who contacted us shortly after we published the last list of

classes needed.

Please mail a copy of your class list to:

All Class Reunion Committee
PO Box 1091

Williamsburg, IA 52361

Or e-mail to alumnireunion@williamsburg150years.com.

Interested in helping with the alumni reunion? Please notify us at the e-mail address above, call (319) 668-1651 or attend an upcoming sesquicentennial meeting. The next meeting will be held Monday, June 26, at 5:30 p.m., in the large meeting room at Williamsburg Recreation Center.

Welsh woman seeking local ties to Thomas family

The Internet is a wonderful thing. The sesquicentennial committee has been contacted by Ruth Thomas, a woman living in Wales, who stumbled across the Williamsburg Sesquicentennial Web site and found information about her family she is researching.

On our Web site Ruth has found photos of Melva Jones and Thomas and Jackie Engelbert and is looking for any additional information about William and Sarah Thomas, who immigrated from Wales to Hilton Township in 1884.

The Thomas family members include William born in 1835, Sarah

born in 1833, son John born in 1862, son William born in 1864 (whose daughter Neva is grandmother to Thomas and Jackie Engelbert), daughter Deborah Harris born in 1857 and daughter Jane born in 1867 (mother of Melva and Aila Jones).

If you have any information to help Ruth, e-mail her at rmt112002@yahoo.co.uk.

Kudos to Kathy Jones for her wonderful Web site and to the many people who have submitted information and photos to the sesquicentennial committee to be shared. Way to go!

Family histories for the Williamsburg Sesquicentennial Book are due Aug. 1! Are you working on your family history for submission? In this column we will be running a list of families to be submitted to help eliminate duplication and to allow people to work together. Contact Callie Wetjen at (319) 668-1240 or calliewetjen@williamsburg150years.com with your family name.