

Bridgeport Hospital School of Nursing

Alumnae Association 1

September 2003

Dear Members,

As we welcome Fall and the nice cool weather, we will once again meet for our Annual September Banquet on Tuesday, Sept. 9, at 6:P.M. for dinner at Rose's Restaurant, 595 Main St.Stratford, next to Sikorsky Airport-parking in the rear. Dinner will include appetizer choice of fresh fruit cup or Tortellini in broth-soup, pasta, salad, chocolate mousse- for dessert, coffee/tea. Dinner choices are Stuffed Filet of Sole, Chicken Florentine(chicken breast rolled with spinach and cheese), or Roast Porketta (rolled with fresh herbs).

The cost is \$26.00 per person which includes tax and tip.

The speaker for the evening is pending.

The BHSN Graduation commencement was held on May 8, 2003 with 61 new graduates. There are 48 new members who have completed their applications and have submitted them to AAI. Two pins had been awarded at graduation to Heather Hathaway, Summa Cum Laude, and Lisa Berardesca, Magna Cum Laude for their highest scholastic averages. Congratulation to you both and the class of 2003!!!

There have been some changes at BHSN with new school uniforms. They are maroon jackets with white pants. Quite a change from the long dresses with bib fronts some of us remember!! The new BHSN pins are also slightly larger with more maroon on them. Also, for graduation, the white Nursing uniform was replaced with white graduation caps and gowns.

We have started to collect some old memorabilia to share with everyone at our 100th Anniversary in 2006. If anyone has any old pictures, group shots, uniforms, very old caps, articles, etc, we would appreciate sharing with you. Also, if anyone is good with organizing a committee to get our gala event underway, please contact one of the board members.

Continuing Education Scholarship applications will be reviewed and considered. You can check our web site @ [www.BHSNAA1.org](http://www.BHSNAA1.org) and down load an application or contact Caren Silhavey @ wk 203-384-3963.

There have been several passings of our fellow AAI members, Anna Harabosky, cl'42, Emily Corazzelli, cl'57,Josephine Knox, cl'36, and Louise Zorn, cl'47. They will be sadly missed!!!

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If you would like newsletter sent by Email-please send me an Email with your name to above.

PLEASE INCLUDE PAYMENT OF \$26.00 check made out to BHSN AAI and send by 9/5/03 to : Cathy Nucera, VP 153 Governor Trumbull Way, Trumbull, Ct 06611

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Dinner Choices:

\_\_\_\_\_ Stuffed Fillet of Sole, \_\_\_\_\_ Chicken Florentine, or \_\_\_\_\_ Roast Porketta

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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