

**! FSU Gymnasts, Gymkana, Tallahassee Tumbling Tots, and Friends New-Newsletter
February 2013 (Seventy-first *Special Reunion Edition*)<bcudebeaton@gmail.com>**

A lifetime of bragging rights

“Once teammates, always teammates” by Charlie Christian.

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(Which also includes all back copies of the FSU Gymnastics Newsletters)
FSU Gymnastics Records (<http://www.nolefan.org/summary/index.html>) **Robert Perrone, Webmaster**

ANNIVERSARIES

Chick & Jennie Cicio	62 years, 63 in April, 13	Bill & Carol Beavers	44 years, 45 in July, 13
Don & Connie Holder	62 years, 63 in August 13	Dick & Susie Gutting	45 years, 46 in June, 13
Ed & Jean Fernald	60 years, 61 in June 13	Steven & Adriane Zindell	43 years, 44 in August 13
Don & Patsy Rapp	58 years, 59 in May 13	Wayne & Heather Thompson	42 years, 43 in January 13
Carmine & Daneen Regna	58 years, 59 in August 13	Derek & Nancy Lawler	40 years, 41 in 2013
Jim & Marlene Jackson	57 years, 58 in July, 13	Gail & Bill Whitney	40 years, 41 in August 13
Sam & Topsi Bailie	56 years, 57 in June 13	Harmer & Magdalena Weichel	40 years, 41 in December 13
Roger & Tamara <i>Tucker</i> Webb	55 years, 56 in November 13	Andy Anderson & Curtiss Long	38 years, 39 in December 13
Beverley & Bill Beaton	52 years, 53 in Sept. 13	Joe & Dottie Taylor	36 years, 37 in September 13
Yoshi & Haruyo Hatano	48 years, 49 in Oct. 13	Jimmy & Janie Hanks	35 years, 36 in November 13
Nancy <i>Lamb</i> & Bob Durocher	48 years, 49 in Dec. 13	Thom & Linda O'Conner	33 years, 34 in May 13
Terri & Cheri Morris	47 years, 47 in 2013	Carrie Englert & Curtis Zimmermann	34 Years, 35 in 2013
Jay (& Ellie) Schwarzman	Were married 50 years	Karsthin (& Lennart) Malmelin	Were married 47 years
Almira (& Jack) Sharp	Were married 48 years	Claire <i>Essig</i> (& Dick) Traynor	Were married 43 years
Jon & Boots Culbertson	Were married 53 years	(Benny) & Carolyn Wallace	Were married 59 years,

Plan to attend the 2013 reunion (Part or all)

Friday May 10, Saturday May 11 and Sunday May 12, 2013

At Barbara Withers' Alligator Point Beach Home

Travel Plans & Details can be found on Mike Mann's website: www.fsugymnastics.org

Beverley Cude & Bill Beaton 55-59 Information needed...please!

Dear Friends, the above brightly coloured notice appeared in our last New-Newsletter in December. It

clearly states our hostess Barbara Withers' hopes to hold our upcoming reunion of 2013 on the weekend of May 10th through 12th. She chose this date in an effort to accommodate others who previously could not make the weekend prior to Memorial Day weekend due to other commitments and thereby provide them an opportunity to finally be included.

While May seems somewhat distant still, from Barbara's point of view it is not. On her behalf, I feel that I must remind you that Barbara rents out the cottages she so kindly puts us all up in. By delaying our intentions to attend, we put her in the awkward position of blocking out that time slot for us and possibly losing an outright rental should we have to choose another time.

Please, even if you merely hope to attend, let Barbara know as soon as possible. Her email address is: witherasca@aol.com

You could also let me know (see Newsletter letterhead). Also, I am sure either Jack Miles or Mike Mann would be pleased to pass on your intentions should you care to write to them.....{Gutting, Miles, Cicio, Regna's et al Are arriving from So. Fla...jmm}

We do hope to welcome as many of you as possible. The better the turnout, the more fun we all have! {bcb}

Charlie Christian 55-57 An Update

Charlie's son, Alan, sent news to Jim Hanks and Jack Miles of a horrible car accident that Charlie had had several weeks ago. Jack and Mike, in turn, passed on a series of updates to me and to some others. The good news is that while Charlie had been severely injured and has spent many weeks in hospital, his condition was well treated and he made a steady and continuing recovery. Just a short while ago Charlie was moved to a Rehab Institution, where he made such good progress that, according to Alan, Charlie's doctors wondered why he had even been sent there!

So the best news to date is that on this very Monday, Feb. 4th, 2013, Charlie should now be in a new location; i.e., an Assisted Living Home where he will remain until his medical team and family conclude that his next move will be back to his own home!

Undoubtedly this will be the first news many of you have had of Charlie's accident and steady, consistent recovery. We are all relieved, of course, and are sure that you may wish to contact him and wish him well.(706-818-0681)

Charlie's resilience, strength and determination are remarkable. I can't help but think that a strong gymnastics background such as his has a great deal to do with building those qualities. Certainly you are proving that, Charlie. May you soon be back in your own home! {bcb}

Reunion 2013!!!! Please sign up: 514-538-4203<bcudebeaton@gmail.com>

Next newsletter will be published once we have that information (and more stories, pictures if desired