

Bushy Tales

Dedicated to all who attended London Central High School
at Bushy Park, London England from
1952 to 1962



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A little reminder to all –if/when you change your email address, please let Pat Terpening nemoamasa@sbcglobal.net or me know, if you want to continue to receive the newsletter. Too many times we only find out when you send us an email saying you haven't received the newsletter in few months. Thanks, guys.

Robert Harrold (60) maintains a Bushy Park website at BushyPark.org Among the things you can see at this website is a "Guestbook", in which many website visitors have left comments. There are many entries, dating back to April 2007. Here is a direct link: [Bushy Park Guest Book](#)

NOTICE

LCBS Gathering - October 7, 2018 to October 11, 2018

It is hard to believe that 2 years will have gone by since our last Gathering in Las Vegas, Nevada in 2016. Well, by October 2018 it will have been just that.

We have booked The Orleans Hotel for Monday, 10-7-2018 to Thursday, 10-11-2018. We have found that timeframe to be outstanding weather. The Orleans Hotel and Casino has everything that we require, and the location is great for our needs. We also have a very good room rate. I will send the reservation information out by mid-May.

This notification is to try and get a head count of those who would be interested in attending. I know that it is 6 months away, and like most of us, I do not know what I will be doing next week. Please consider attending and let me know if you are interested going. It is not a commitment at this date, only to find out the level of interest.

Because of the short time of notification to you, I am requesting your feedback no later than May 1st. Depending on the number who will respond will allow us to move forward.

If you are interested, please e/mail or call me and let me know no later than May 1st. It always great getting together and seeing old friends.

Thank You

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Memories of Bushy Park



From John Strand (58)



London - 1960



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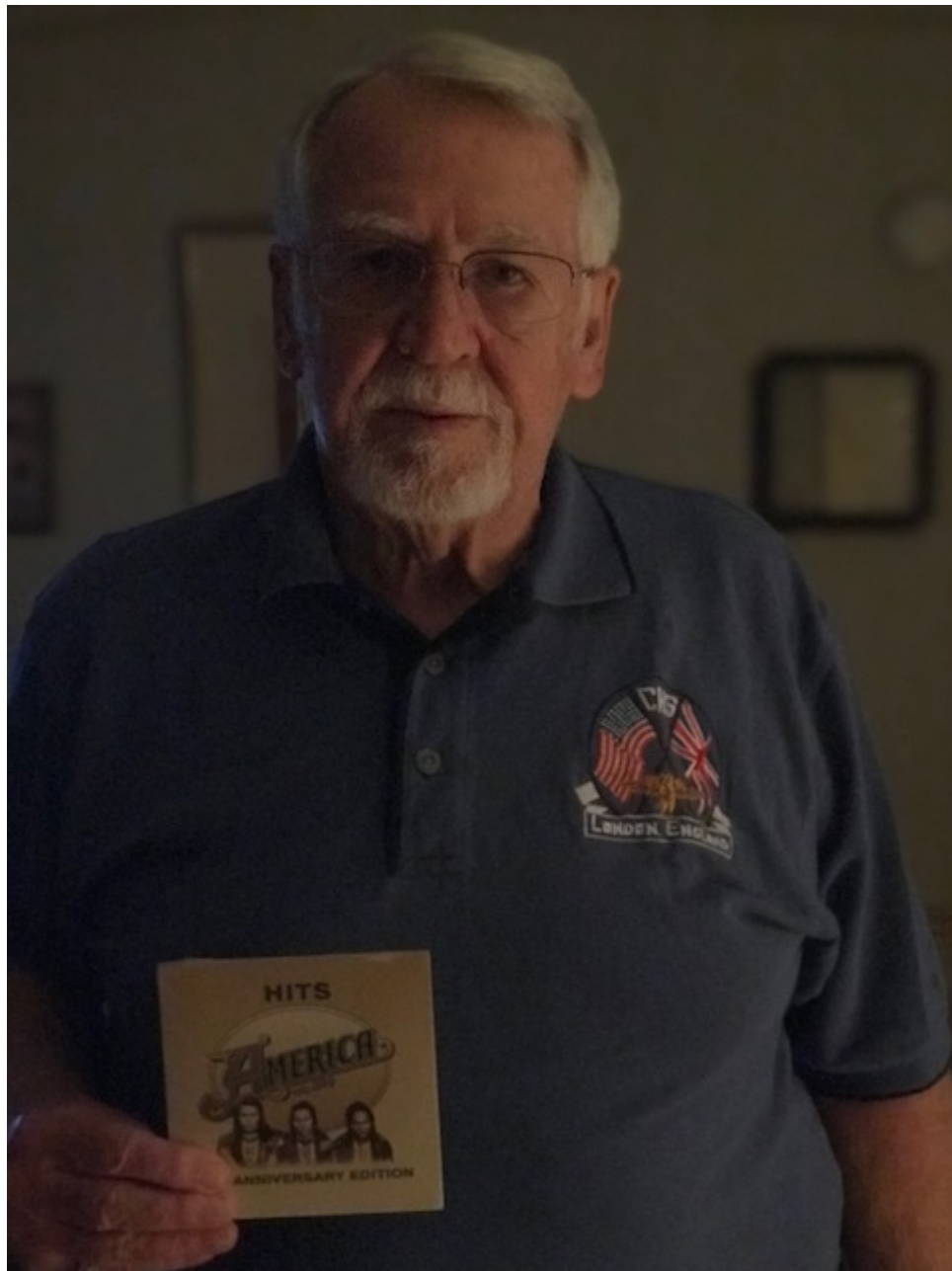
Letters to the Editor



Bill Grable Rees (57) going to see the band AMERICA



Couldn't even get close to them. Talked to the drummer before the show and he said he told them, but as soon as the show was over they left the building like Elvis. Saw the drummer after and he said they were glad an old BOBCAT was there.



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Bill,

On a visit to Vandenberg AFB to visit our oldest grandson Air Force 2/LT stationed there (had honor of commissioning him last May), made time to lunch with fellow '57 class member John Soule. We dined on the beach in Goleta at the Beachside Bar-Café (John had fish & chips to commemorate our CHS past) along with his daughter and my wife (both Eileen's) and one of my younger grandsons, who came along to see his brother and what Air Force life was all about. Sort of amazing that some 60+ years later with the two of us mostly living on opposite coasts and sometimes overseas worlds apart (John in Italy, me in Japan) we have maintained contact, and can so easily slide into conversation, as if it hadn't been so long ago. Unfortunately, it was only last year that we had come together to attend our friend Bill Cooper's funeral in Maryland (and hung spoons in memory). Hopefully it



will be much easier to do mini-reunions for us in the coming years, as John informed us that he will be moving to NY later this year, and with us now living in NC, he'll be happy to travel south during the winter months!

Cheers,
Bill Douglas '57



John Soule and Bill Douglas (Both - Class '57)

Bill, it was great to meet you yesterday and I hope there will be more connections in the future. We have more England and life stories to share. Next time I would like to invite our wives to join us. Hope to see you soon and thanks, Pat, for connecting us.

Ron Crowe (64)



Ron Crowe (64) and Bill Rumble (57)

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