|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |
| --- |
| **Message from Reunion Team**SAVE THE DATE: MAY 13—16, 2021 for our 50th Reunion Start the weekend off with a performance Thursday May 13, 2021 of [*Gloria: A Life*](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138a654d0ee3557a5103d08d6628216b4fd277feef6bc7a29101600770e239cdf203659c398a996347ec66aaf0fa320d05c) the new play by Emily Mann. We have invited Gloria Steinem, honorary member of the Class of 1971, to take the stage as part of the “talkback” portion of the play and she has tentatively accepted our offer. Thanks go to classmates Kiki Smith and Carol Mann for making this happen. We’ll keep you posted.Plans are also afoot for a**Martha Hall Exhibition** in the new Neilson library when it reopens. Jan Fullgraf Golann and I visited librarian Marieke Van Der Steenhoven ’07, organizer of a show of Martha’s art books and memorabilia at Bowdoin, where our late classmate’s papers are held. Smith also owns a significant collection of Hall’s work, and an exhibition at Smith would include materials from both institutions. Location and other arrangements are still dependent on the ongoing Neilson construction, but we’re optimistic that a show will be ready for our 50th. [Read more here.](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe01388f1b0441a92dc014b0663e8ca8080c06c3efd2a867bc5bfa72083164dbf2f5b22875dfdd20cda36d446a882bb8c9604e)Many thanks to Sandy Cate and Margery Goldman who are gearing up to produce an outstanding class book, reminding us how we’re still**Making Waves!** See Sandy’s update below.  |

|  |
| --- |
| **Message from Reunion Class Book Chair – Call for volunteers** 50TH REUNION BOOK UPDATE! Sarah Peskin, Margery Goldman, Karen Osar, Sue Burns Maltz and Sandy Cate have been busy with planning the book. We have a designer, tentative content ideas, and are getting ready to GO. What Do We Need? * A few more intrepid souls, willing to help us with the gathering and processing of information. Each volunteer will take responsibility for a few houses, maintain contact with the Reunion House Reps for contact and follow-up info.
* An experienced web-designer to help set up a website for the uploading and editing of book information. Simple, to-the-point, nothing fancy…but linked to the other relevant Reunion websites.
 |

|  |
| --- |
| **Message from House Reps Co-Chairs – Call for volunteers** Our 50th Reunion is in the foreseeable future whether we want to admit it or not. It doesn't seem possible but neither did turning 70 in June. Both are a bit daunting!  We want our 50th to be very special but we need your help. Any reunion is only as special as the people who are there. We are hoping to reach out to everyone in our class and encourage/entice them to come back for our 50th. To be successful, we are looking for a House Rep for each house. Being a House Rep only involves corresponding and encouraging housemates and friends to come to the Reunion. There is no fundraising component. We have a great team and would love to have you join us. Get involved for you, your house and friends and be part of the planning for our 1971 50th Reunion. Just think how much more fun it would be if you had your group of friends in Northampton for our 50th.  |

|  |
| --- |
| **Message from Class Secretaries re: Class notes – Call for News** We all agree that our first go-to page in the Smith Alumnae Quarterly is for the Class of ’71 Notes. That’s why we want your news and we especially appreciate updates from classmates who have not written recently.Sometimes we need to trim submissions to fit our word count - or if the piece is far too long, we can put it on our [class website](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe01381f734be8f2222f56cf593cb098d4cdf036ff0f609d6482ec166b0977cbb0e9e1f0dff1e987b1bae4d39ff5bf3700b7bf). The same for the photos that must be high resolution (1MB or more), we can put those on the website, too. As we approach our 50th reunion, be sure to tell us about your pre-reunion gatherings. We would love to hear from you. Send us your news and thoughts on reunion. As we approach a new decade, it will be fun to learn about and share this phase of our lives.  Karen Rohn Osar                   Jan Fullgraf Golann karenosar@gmail.com          j.f.golann@gmail.com |

|  |
| --- |
| **Message from our Class Fundraising Team – Call for gifts, class scholarship fund opportunity and volunteers** EDUCATION COSTS MONEY, BUT THEN SO DOES IGNORANCE Claus MoserThe many benefits of a Smith education should not be restricted to those who can afford it. Perhaps one might even say that the world cannot afford such a restriction. Smith has made huge progress in offering financial aid; today, 67% of current Smith students receive financial aid, the average need-based grant is $48,117, and Smith expects to award nearly $80 million in aid this year. But, there is still a great unfunded need. Our class has the opportunity to help narrow the gap.  An anonymous donor gave a gift of $3M to Smith College as the lead gift in Smith's scholarship initiative called [Here for Every Voice](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138878f38e1c569fc95c8f921e5d4ee3c6c605d46beb9605e88e4211570cf737085d4043752ace83edd2bd8f13b201f56e5). The donor wanted Smith to use the $3M to inspire others to give to scholarship. The minimum level to establish an unrestricted endowed scholarship fund is $150,000. The challenge is designed to encourage gifts of $100,000 to be matched with $50,000 by the anonymous donor so that an alumna can establish her own unrestricted endowed scholarship fund with just $100,000 from her own funds.One '70 alumna funded the named Class of 1970 Endowed Scholarship Fund with such a gift. She opened the fund to ALL her classmates to give in honor of their 50th. Since then, gifts ranging from $50-$250,000 have been made to the class fund for a total of $700,000 raised so far.Are you the classmate to create this legacy for our class? If this inspires you to consider establishing a class unrestricted endowed scholarship fund with a $100,000 gift, future generations of Smithies will thank you.  For more information, please contact Kathy Kelly Spear, Special Gifts Co-Chair.The Fund Team will keep everyone posted on this initiative with the hope that we can announce a class scholarship fund for our reunion year.  **Smith Fund**Please join us and make an annual gift to the Smith Fund gift today via the [college’s secure website](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138c85b8988ef46cab467973a7b85494f8dfbf889c041d3b8c04c95e1c704c21e622f008574c698cfd6879aacfb4a0256fa). If you do, you won’t hear anything more from the Smith Development Office this fiscal year.  **Planned Gifts**And don’t forget about the planned giving option as a present gift. Designate Smith as a beneficiary of your will, life insurance policy, trust, gift annuity or IRA, send a copy of the beneficiary designation to ssamuels@smith.edu and get credit for having made a gift now of half of the eventual amount.  Plus, you will become a member of the Grecourt Society along with some 40 other generous and savvy classmates.  See the  [50th Reunion Giving](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138df2811de0b84b613fa48a583414502f19f626af8a895b6fabe3ab8557fe2c5923994ccca1ed0e88ee29e647c416a271b" \o " 50th Reunion Giving" \t "_blank) guide for more details.  **Thank you,The ’71 Fund Team**Angelica Didier Light,  Fund Team Coordinator Co-ChairSuzy Ross McDowell, Fund Team Coordinator Co-ChairDeborah Lans, Planned Giving ChairKathy Kelly Spear, Special Gifts Co-ChairKarin Johnson Crooks, Special Gifts Co-Chair |

|  |
| --- |
| **We are happy to share some updates from the College**  https://ecp.yusercontent.com/mail?url=http%3A%2F%2Fimage.connect.smith.edu%2Flib%2Ffe9512727664047473%2Fm%2F3%2F1fbb025e-7f29-4d9c-bc56-d4d7b8db4d0c.jpg&t=1578170099&ymreqid=ff41198c-867e-3535-1cf5-08001801af00&sig=VKQ9bJmrWUvegeUZd91sYQ--~CKiki Smith ’71 wins the Sherrerd Prize for Distinguished TeachingOur classmate, Kiki Smith, Professor of Theatre, is a 2019 recipient of the Kathleen Compton Sherrerd ’54 and John J. F. Sherrerd Prize for Distinguished Teaching – given annually to Smith faculty members. She is one of three receiving this special honor in 2019. This year’s winners were recognized at a ceremony and reception on Monday, October 28.  |

|  |
| --- |
| Smith is coming to cities near many of us this year! View the [schedule and register for events](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe01381f8076c6704723ecd474f74f2126fbcb1d490bff8bb7b9bc78f330b611092f676d599ae11fd31204ecf33c67d579eb9d). All are welcome!There has been incredible progress in the Neilson Library renovation project. Check on the status by viewing the [webcam](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe013827ec46f8cbb245874c0f31c5d06269c007efe957a5add5bd1548a64fe9a8767ca0aa7ee8773fbf142b16635aa79c3ed7)[.](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe01383ecf1a51e11ce7d97353582b15a102fb75673ee38f318e1a7591fceb571e28fd61538a09f89ccc6ee9f5b52651fee293) And if you think that’s amazing, check out these [webcams from other areas around campus](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138a9d2429cdc33fe518c6c912604d69d2fdc166325b0701b3f0d707adcb0e42efe84263cfc3a5448486a7bfbcea53af7f0). |

|  |
| --- |
| https://ecp.yusercontent.com/mail?url=http%3A%2F%2Fimage.connect.smith.edu%2Flib%2Ffe9512727664047473%2Fm%2F3%2Fc10b1964-9ae8-4b06-94e2-d911431a475f.jpg&t=1578170099&ymreqid=ff41198c-867e-3535-1cf5-08001801af00&sig=0vbPRImvt3eRn7Zd1NtDuw--~C[Denise Wingate Materre ’74](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe01385234b18c68d18ce43fa0034f193a06e5b080600d062de3f8f17bac0f8d0ce1bbacb80e01780d7ab1d9b2e474560833d4) has been named the college’s vice president for alumnae relations. With more than 20 years of experience as a consultant to for-profit, nonprofit and educational organizations, Materre has a strong focus on developing women leaders, advancing diversity and inclusion, and helping to enhance and grow organizations.  |

|  |
| --- |
| https://ecp.yusercontent.com/mail?url=http%3A%2F%2Fimage.connect.smith.edu%2Flib%2Ffe9512727664047473%2Fm%2F3%2Ff8fa4c56-64fb-488c-8715-fb2c8d14538b.jpg&t=1578170099&ymreqid=ff41198c-867e-3535-1cf5-08001801af00&sig=wyOgxcNs98mkzeIVVqy5zg--~C[Floyd Cheung](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138ee1165bade20aedaae533b7ec3d8d9d4ba1fe82f5e0ee91f96c4cddc81d71af780238a721bc89f9b73f0e1ce2ceb8dd7)has been appointed the college’s vice president for equity and inclusion. Cheung is a professor of English language and literature and of American studies at Smith. He also currently serves as director of the college’s Sherrerd Center for Teaching and Learning. A 20-year member of the Smith community, Cheung is beloved by current and former students. |

|  |
| --- |
| **Here are a few ways to keep in touch and stay informed:*** [Alumnae Directory](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe013886af4218afd9cb9f1c15f667de27ec4d6a5d2885a505296ff11188749203151c4667880bb937f890aa84d637c6c128d5) (password protected) - find alumnae and update your profile
* [Update your address](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138d79099711108f4986b6b19d6b3000d8ea7f6b3c10264dc1ca9678acf489f59924227cf174e421895bd530178d21def01)
* Join our [class Facebook page](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe01380fffde29ec812f3dc14e8ca74d793faad42ed9a8f4a8be696a539096c83bb2e12484cc8386a0bba304454b290cf3b732)
* Visit our [class website](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe01381e24c43b6b348c6e16eb94fd6785eeee3b39b999a09c56aa70987d1d553e6c0ad93ff236ec3a66cc4d5e4ec32a84db85)
* Follow Smith on [Twitter](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138182017c50b9da954c5110ff4446a3857cf54277b84fcfe3631967730df4c17589d3768bcce30aa4a9cf687840d42ca25), [Facebook](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe0138fc00dafa055b0ef93ddcd6ca36a85d77a22dedac98a596e9ac66c5d67007cd27564d38abb6ec87205b5cd3963be4cd6d" \o "Facebook" \t "_blank), and [Instagram](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=e87f3a12eabe01382785cde8616d1f89503510cdabd280a1468257893d39113855f78742dc872ca6cfffa68e9836b0ffd7e575f4d70311f0" \o "Instagram" \t "_blank)
* Access every issue of the [*Smith Alumnae Quarterly*](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b44a9957ca0fa815d5efaff331e0649674e55b7209fac3ad20325c31e07afd8c21e61e77f7a1f16f6593171b9d313e30ce), going back to 1909, on the *SAQ* digital archive
* View past issues of [Notes from Paradise](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b4d69ef0bbdb2eb136d34c6af6acd2b9a25e6a6d12fd102a505fc866dd47e534aa12cf1b719c362f4ca9ef722215c111e7)
* [Calendar of Smith events](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b492f3cc2421e9905892fa00fc846809a2fcb628aa9fdae17cb5c3d18ad8400e05e62da23d1a7e2edfb7bdcb71ade7ae17)

**Here are a few more ways to stay connected and have fun:*** [Be A Friend](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b4ae3934eb1163c7b221904aefe93116732fbc5f64aaa8850dbbf04cb7e8a1bf3553d86eca0c18000fdb5652e8d9338120) (of the Libraries, Botanic Garden, Athletics, or Museum of Art)
* [Volunteer for Admissions](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b43be8543c90ba3f0915692a36344764224f989b23aefe4aa9389abafdc0b52cc0c32072b35d83e2b13fd556da976dd525)
* Join a [Smith Club](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b4cb19069aeb82375730384a3003edda8b6d3f872fa5d391a8136c6a9196f82c929bb6be6ebb84dd6707765dc96d0ecd19) in your area
* [Travel with Smith](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b40700aa51e32f29ca651b939c81a446584518a55cadd036cdada3ba783c8d8253bfa673ad02c8e8826ed350dbcf176e86)
* Join Smith-related Facebook Groups (here are just a few!):
	+ [Friday Teas In The Cloud : : Where Smithies Sip And Shine](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b43a92b0e4c20c99dd955007e1a3a52d3319537c82b7db87069af3e182023981dff66a759458c0edf8f77c76480b860e64) (Please note that this is a private group, and you must be invited by a current member.)
	+ [Smithies Hiring Smithies](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b4f0ad5639e8b4f091d7540f3bb4af7ca409f6255835d3dbc44641208e831ebaca3fd84d4ac2444fb9184af469fe6d1686)
	+ [Books By Smithies](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b4db07ffd87bdd82e0ef967b8430184af5ae585c0d81df1a930b77b7b32abfd17ef37e3821534605b38a01f05b44611b7c)
	+ [Stay With A Smithie](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b4bf91505e1bbcc003d224ce4db5c9e5cbe2cdba02698d0f92a788e6c4dedb09905b85652b837a79276478a0c2fe4aacc1)
 |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Class of 1971 Volunteers**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Chery Winter Lewy,*Class Co-President* | Pinki Fontein,*Class Co-President* |
| Sarah Peskin,*VP Reunion Chair* | Betsy Gardner Johnson,*Treasurer* |
| Karen Osar,*Co-Secretary* | Jan Fullgraf Golann,*Co-Secretary* |
| Angelica Didier Light,*Co-Fund Team Coordinator* | Suzy Ross McDowell,*Co-Fund Team Coordinator* |
| Deb Lans,*Planned Giving Chair* | Kathy Kelly Spear,*Special Gifts Co-Chair* |
| Karin Johnson Crooks,*Special Gifts Co-Chair* | Annie Nickel Curtin,*Co-House Reps Chair* |
| Donna Smerlas,*Co-House Rep Chair* | Connie Herrick Weiss, *Webmaster* |
| Jane Tower Gunnison, *Memorial Chair* |  |

 **Connect with Us** **Do you want to help us plan Reunion?** There's room at the table for you! We need volunteers for the class book, house reps, and fund agents. More specific opportunities to volunteer for reunion will be added in the future. Email Sarah Peskin. **Have you moved or disconnected your landline?** Make sure to update Smith by emailing alumnaerecords@smith.edu.   |

 |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |
| --- |
| [SMITH COLLEGE](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b46d4e656d7157c27fdeb359a31fa14478dd1670ca371d60e369916fde95b47f0e1593eaa727a794a3686c600a807a5926) |

 |

|  |
| --- |
| [ALUMNAE RELATIONS](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b4981bfa854e118bc7c65d0632dd0a523fd28b889d68aa5d542daaafb6d231f2055873129fe3574c9154ca8ead66ad6fcf) |

 |

|  |
| --- |
| [YEAR ON CLIMATE CHANGE](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b43458f0c455d244ac1ddd1c0b0e1e5de861f90117c226156b7d112f3547bb5d63763cc6a363725fe161dcd56a6bec7e85) |

 |

|  |
| --- |
| [GIVE TO SMITH](http://click.connect.smith.edu/?qs=1dccaae42cbb23b43ce817f8f81a5c7b71af2187b622304f802b029e7f610f7b23186153cb1a2fd6c344c95f97c179d9402a9278181a4440) |

 |

 |

 |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|

|  |
| --- |
| Facebook |

|  |
| --- |
| Twitter |

|  |
| --- |
| LinkedIn |

|  |
| --- |
| Instagram |

 |

 |

 |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
|

|  |
| --- |
| https://ecp.yusercontent.com/mail?url=http%3A%2F%2Fimage.connect.smith.edu%2Flib%2Ffe9512727664047473%2Fm%2F3%2F3f9495ad-f518-483c-91ec-6794494d05b2.gif&t=1578170099&ymreqid=ff41198c-867e-3535-1cf5-08001801af00&sig=6TWSc3ixAu0JBmOfXLTPqA--~C |

 |

 |

 |

 |

 |

 |