

Historian's Report – 2021-2022

August 1, 2021 thru August 1, 2022

Weddings

- ♥ **Matt Vybiral & Joy Roraback**, were married on September 11, 2021, in Tionesta, PA. The ceremony was performed by a family friend minister and the reception was held at the A-Frame.

Communions

- ♥ **Nicolas Cilli**, son of Laura and Michael Cilli, grandson of Patty and John Lemro, made his First Holy Communion at Our Lady of The Lake, Gibsonia, PA on March 19, 2022.
- ♥ **Hallie Steck**, daughter of Leighann Steck and Zack Steck, granddaughter of Matt Vybiral and Gail Vybiral, made her First Holy Communion at St Anthony's Church, Tionesta, PA on May 8, 2022.

Retirement

- ♥ **Patty Lemro**, retired from the healthcare field after 30 years. Thirteen of those years as the Director of Nursing of Vincentian Home and Sisters of Divine Providence, in Allison Park, PA, in November 2021. Congratulations Pat!

Promotion

- ♥ **Erin Vybiral Miller** received a promotion to Sr. Director of Medicare Compliance from UPMC, in December 2021.

Congratulations

Graduations

- ✓ **Brienna Robinson**, daughter of Amy Robinson, granddaughter of Patty and John Lemro, graduated from the Beattie School of Cosmetology, in June 2021.
- ✓ **Heaven Vybiral**, daughter of Jeff & Sara Vybiral, granddaughter of (Frank) & Phyllis Vybiral, graduated from Mercyhurst University, in Erie, PA with an English degree on May 15, 2022.
- ✓ **Logan Klemm**, son of Michelle & Eric Klemm, grandson of Patty and John Lemro, graduated from Knoch Jr./Sr. High School, in Saxonburg, PA on June 3, 2022. Logan plans to join the U.S. Army in the Fall or Spring.
- ✓ **Ryan Vybiral**, son of Robert Vybiral, grandson of Tom and Karen Vybiral, graduated from Moon Area High School in Moon Twp., PA in June 2022. Ryan plans to attend Penn State, Harrisburg, studying Mechanical Engineering in the Fall.

Special Mentions

- ✓ **The original Simon Family Reunion**, (old Hastings, PA reunion), will be celebrating the 80th reunion, on Labor Day weekend, **September 2-5, 2022** – since the 2021 reunion was called off last year due to the tropical storm that tore through the area and flooded out many of the campers at Mann's Choice Campgrounds.

2021-2022 – continued

- ✓ Belated congratulations to **Jeff and Sara Vybiral** on their 20th anniversary on May 26, 2021.
- ✓ Congratulations to **Dan Vybiral and Scott Hughes** on their 25th anniversary, October 2022.
- ✓ **Matt Vybiral, Jr.**, was promoted to Sgt. E5 with the PA Army National Guard, 1st/107 Field Artillery, July 2021.
- ✓ **Change of Address:** Please be sure to notify the Secretary of any new address changes. Jackie O., Leighann S., Amy R., Danielle V., moved.

Birthday Milestones

- ♥ Scott Hughes celebrated 60th September 2, 2021
- ♥ Dorothy Bielski celebrated 91st October 15, 2021
- ♥ Ruth Simon celebrated 90th December 23, 2021
- ♥ Cathy Adams celebrated 50th January 13, 2022
- ♥ Phyllis Vybiral celebrated 75th January 23, 2022
- ♥ Mary Lou Scheer celebrated 60th February 9, 2022
- ♥ Judy Torbin celebrated 70th March 10, 2022
- ♥ Ken Vybiral, Jr., celebrated 45th March 14, 2022
- ♥ Mark Scheer celebrated 60th May 1, 2022
- ♥ Leighann celebrated 30th June 4, 2022

Election of Officers (for V.P.) were held in Erie, PA last year, 2021. Outgoing president Patty Lemro turned her gavel over to incoming president Cathy Adams. Cathy was pleased to have been promoted from lunch lady to President. Cherie Lou Hoolihan was elected to the Vice President position. Other positions remained the same: Michael Vybiral, Treasurer; Adam Vybiral, Secretary; Anita Ostrowski, Historian.

Respectfully submitted, Anita L. Ostrowski, Historian

44th Simon Family Reunion, Pittsburgh, PA – Sat., August 6, 2022

Website: <http://www.simonfamilyreunion.org> Email: anita03@outlook.com

Winners Reunion 2019

Lottery tree: Denny Ostrowski

Sellers: Ken & Mary Lou (\$5 each ticket)

Chinese Auction

Sellers: Cherie & Erin (\$5 for 20 tickets)

Prize table

Sellers: Cathy & Jack (\$5 for 20 tickets)

Three \$100 Cash prizes

Winners (COVID-19) Reunion 2020

Three \$100 Cash prizes:

Judy Torbin (not present)

Jeff Vybiral

Heaven Vybiral

Winners Reunion 2021

Three Lottery trees:

Adam Vybiral

Scott Hughes

Amy Robinson

Three \$100 Cash prizes:

Jackie Ostrowski

Mary Lou Scheer

Judy Torbin

Winners Reunion 2022

(20 tickets for \$5)

Three \$100 Cash prizes:

Patty Lemro

Tom Vybiral

Taylor Vybiral

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Go to the **Guestbook Tab** on the website to submit stories & remembrances or send photos (old or new) for consideration to Kayla Malcolm Vybiral or Anita Ostrowski. Go to the **Contacts Tab**.
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For all other family happenings, including birthdays, graduations, family holidays, etc.
[Kayla Vybiral and Taylor Vybiral volunteered to start and update a Facebook Page.](#)

Additions to 2021-2022 Historian's Report

The following additions were brought to attention of the historian, at the conclusion of the reading of the Historian's Report, on August 6, 2022:

1. Special mention: **Hanna Klemm**, daughter of Shelly & Eric Klemm, age 16, was crowned Westmoreland, PA Youth Rodeo Queen 2022-2023, Saxonburg, PA, Summer 2022
2. Special mention: **Logan Klemm**, son of Shelly & Eric Klemm,, received the Amelia Ehrhart Award and was promoted to Cadet Cpt. Civil Air Patrol, July 2022
3. Milestone: **Craig Hoolihan** celebrated his 40th Birthday, Jan. 31, 2022
4. Wedding: **Andrew Reiser**, son of Diane LaKari, married Auburn Malton, in Chagrin Falls, Ohio on July 2, 2022
5. Wedding: **Jamie Lynn Simon**, daughter of Jack & Kathy Simon, granddaughter of John & Grace Simon, married Joe Wheeler on May 15, 2021, in Clinton, PA
6. Baby: **Abbie Elizabeth Wheeler**, daughter of Jamie & Joe Wheeler, 1st grandchild of Jack and Kathy Simon, (great granddaughter of John & Grace Simon), was born on Aug. 8, 2022 at McGee women's Hospital in Pittsburgh, PA
7. Graduation: **William Miller, Jr.**, son of Carol and Bill Miller Sr., (grandson of Denny & Babs Ehrenfeld), graduated from Cyber School, (high school), in June 2022.
8. Milestone: **James (Jim) Ehrenfeld**, son of Denny & Babs Ehrenfeld, celebrated his 50th birthday on Aug. 28, 2021.
9. Milestone: **Patrick Maltese**, son of Nancy & Pete Maltese, celebrated his 30th birthday
10. Birth: **Kaden Nicholas Maltese**, son of Patrick & Shannon Maltese, grandson of Pete & Nancy Maltese, great grandson of Russell & Dorothy Ehrenfeld, (great-great grandson of Russ & Gen Ehrenfeld), was born on Nov. 24 2020, in Apollo, PA, and joins big brother Patrick Conrad Maltese, Jr. (b. 2/20/2018).
11. Milestone: **Tom & Karen Vybiral**, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Aug. 29, 2022
12. Retirement: **Kathy Simon** retired after 49 years at Allegheny General Hospital. She worked for 31 years in Human Resources, then transferred to work for the Chairman of Pediatrics for 18 years until her retirement in June, 2021.
13. Milestone: **Jack & Kathy Simon**, celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary, Sept. 2, 2022

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Babies:

- Baby girl Vybiral, first daughter of Danielle Vybiral and Josh Ristau, granddaughter of Matt & Joy Vybiral, (and Gail Vybiral), great granddaughter of Frank & Louise Vybiral, was born on (due date Sept. 17, 2022), in New Castle, Pa.
- Baby boy Steck, son of Leighann Steck and Josh Ei, grandson of Matt & Joy Vybiral, (and Gail Vybiral), great granddaughter of Frank & Louise Vybiral, was born on (due date Oct. 6, 2022), in Cambridge Springs, Pa. Baby joins big sister Hallie (age 10) and Coltin, (age 4).

Engagements: not for announcement

- Danielle Vybiral, daughter of Matt & Joy Vybiral, (and Gail Vybiral) engaged to Josh Ristau
- Taylor Vybiral (Erie), daughter of Adam Vybiral & Missy Vybiral, engaged to ...
- John William Simon, son of Jack & Kathy Simon, engaged to Chelsie Suprano

Wedding:

- Christopher Holmes, son of Linda Holmes, grandson of Rusty & Dorothy Ehrenfeld, (great grandson of Russ & Gen Ehrenfeld), to wed Madison Lee "Madi" McIntyre, on Sept. 30, 2023, in Prospect, Pa.