



Philadelphia Museum of Art



Barnes grounds



Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts



1958 mini-reunion
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
May 25 - 28, 2011



Photo: Barnes staffer using Judith Hsiang Rosenmeier's camera!

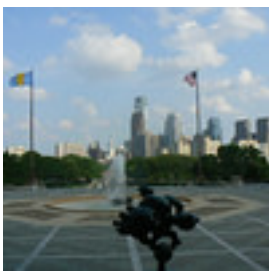
At the Barnes

Front row, left to right: Holly Vrotsos (Susie Packer Vrotsos's daughter) Mary Ann Tustin Natunewicz, Helen Schwin Foster; Second row back: Arthur Freeman and Carol Garfiel Freeman, Judith Hsiang Rosenmeier, Ned Dana, Susan Duncan Dana; Third row back: Diana Matthews Worley, Phoebe Rogosin Resnick, Susie Packer Vrotsos, Fayal Barnett Greene, Willa Selenfriend Hutner, Babs Kleiman Armour, Sheila Zelkin Siegel, Janet Rosenfeld Kramer, Pat Ciner Hill, Last row back: Alex Kenney '61, Beedee Keezer Ladd, Myron Resnick, Rosalind Resnick (Phoebe's daughter), Ann Oppenheimer Hamilton. (Not present for the photo: Joanne Lott Belgrad)

Phoebe has organized a wonderful program for us, and we are having a marvelous time! Many thanks for the opportunity to meet our vibrant and interesting classmates!

Susan Duncan Dana

Philadelphia is amazing and so are the classmates here!
Fayal Barnett Greene



Wednesday, May 25th

- Arrival at the Omni Hotel, 4th and Chestnut
- Welcome Reception for '58, 5-7 in Omni lobby, serving Philly specialties (cheese steak, hoagies and soft pretzels).



Photo: Judith



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Arthur Freeman, Carol Garfiel Freeman and Phoebe. Susan Duncan Dana in the background

Philly and Phoebe are phantastic (through [19] innings). Minis are terrific – let's keep them going—

Carol Freeman



Photo: Ann McCormick Scott

Philadelphia mini organizer extraordinaire, Phoebe Rogosin Resnick at the welcoming reception, before leaving for the Phillies/Cincinnati Reds game (19 innings! See next page)



Photo: Judith

Fayal Barnett Greene & Susie Packer Vrotsos

This mini is so much fun – art – food & great conversations. It's like being young again to chat about all sorts of things together. Very noisy!!

Susie Packer Vrotsos



Photo: Susie Packer Vrotsos

Judith Hsiang Rosenmeier and Ann McCormick Scott

There's no avoiding it: Mel ought to be here – but if ever there could be a compensation it lies in the wonderful warmth and high spirits of Wellesley '58 and in the marvelous circle drawn by Phoebe and all of us happily nested within it. Thanks,

Judith Hsiang Rosenmeier



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Carolyn Miller Clein

It's wonderful fun and makes me really feel good to be with Wonder Wellesley Women (i.e. girls). Thank you, Phoebe.

Joanne Lott Belgrad

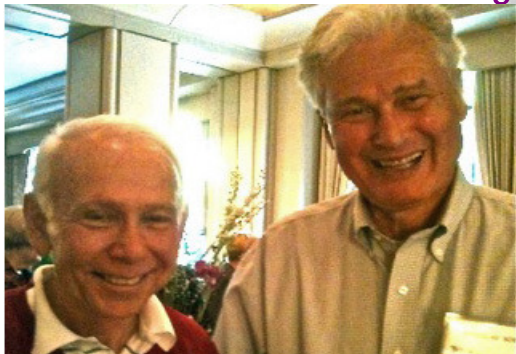


Photo: Judith

Arthur Freeman and Doug Scott



Photo: Ann

Susan Duncan Dana and Beedee Keezer Ladd

Carol, Mary Ann, Phoebe and Myron opted to see a Phillies game Wednesday evening, but hadn't counted on it going 19 innings! It did, they didn't, departing after the 10th.)

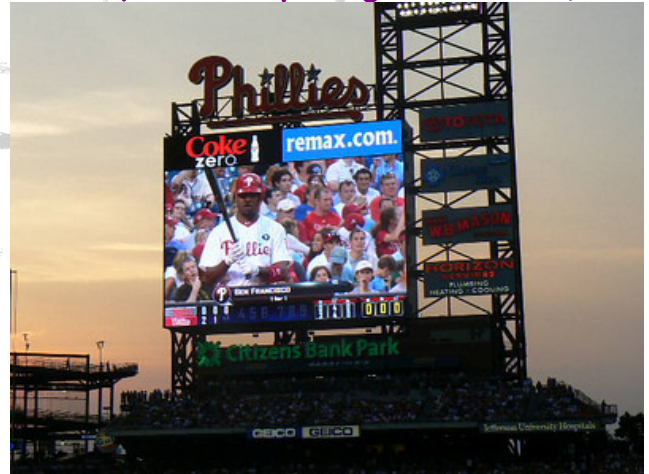


Photo: Mary Ann

Phoebe -- What a marvelous week! Many thanks to Myron for the tickets to the Phillies. Imagine – the longest game of the year so far and we were there! Barnes was something I have wanted to see for a long time! You have done an A++ job on organizing. Thank you again so much.

Mary Ann Tustin Natunewicz



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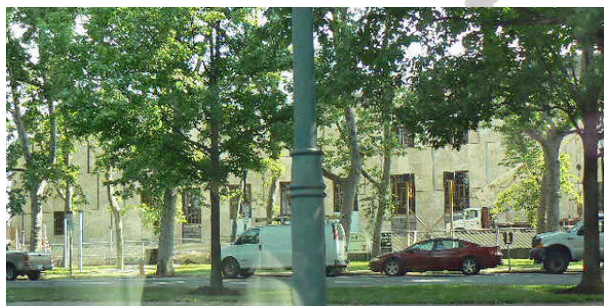
Ned Dana, Susan, Mary Ann

Thursday, May 26th

- Breakfast and morning on one's own
- Bus for the Barnes Foundation leaves at 1:15, for 1958's 2:30 group tour of the Collection
- 4:30-5:00 return to hotel
- Rest time !
- Dinner at Parc Restaurant, Rittenhouse Square



Grounds at the Barnes – no photography permitted inside



The new Barnes, under construction near the Philadelphia Museum of Art

Phoebe is a great spirit behind a mini reunion in fab Philadelphia. Love the chance to be in the city from Wilmington, Delaware.

Ann Lee Smith Bugbee

This event, featuring the Barnes exhibit, demonstrated the advantage of balancing organization flexibly delivered. I enjoyed it.

Diana Matthews Worley



Enjoying dinner at Parc Restaurant. L to R: Helen Schwin Foster; Beedee; Diana Matthews Worley (behind Beedee); Judith; Janet Rosenfeld Kramer; Monique Burnett '88, Membership co-chair of Wellesley-in-Philadelphia. Lower left: Joanne Lott Belgrad

Thanks to Phoebe for a wonderful mini! We enjoyed every minute of it and we're so grateful that you spent so much time and effort organizing us all. Looking forward to lots more minis

XOXO Janet Rosenfeld Kramer



Dolly Osgood Scarborough & Ted Scarborough

I am sorry I have not been able to participate in more events but I am enjoying this evening at the Parc Restaurant. I came tonight with my husband Ted and he is enjoying it as much as I am. Thank you, Phoebe, for bringing it about.

Dolly Osgood Scarborough

What an adventure! Many 75 +/- year old wonderful women, an art gallery of unparalleled strangeness, a dinner to curl up around and Phoebe as our leader. Thank you all.

Beedee Keezer Ladd



Photo: Judith

Willa Selenfriend Hutner; Jen Stock '92, president of Wellesley-in-Philadelphia; Helen Schwin Foster

It's been wonderful! We're very lucky to have each other and to keep renewing these bonds.

Willa Selenfriend Hutner

This has been another joy, spending time with my intelligent and charming classmates. Thanks very much to Phoebe for organizing this reunion.

Helen Schwin Foster



Photo: Mary Ann

L to R: Pat Ciner Hill, in profile behind Pat, Ann Oppenheimer Hamilton, Fayal, Willa, Helen

Friday, May 27th

- Breakfast/morning on one's own
- Late morning at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, tour conducted by Kathryn Hiesinger '65
- Lunch at Water Works Restaurant
- Afternoon...visit gardens, historic sites, city tours, etc. Or depart...



Photo: Judith

Kathryn Hiesinger '65, curator of a new exhibition to which she introduced us at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, with Helen, Phoebe, and Ned and Susan Dana



Photo: Mary Ann

Susan, Kathryn Hiesinger and the chair that becomes a vest.



Photo: Phoebe

Ann Lee Smith Bugbee



Photo: Judith

View toward the river. We lunched at the Water Works, out of sight to the left.

A delightful gathering with a wonderful mixture of people – '58 classmates, a few husbands, and some '58 daughters. Some classmates came early or could stay only for the welcome reception. Others had time only for the Barnes visit, or just for dinner that evening. Some left on Friday, a few stayed on for a bit. But ... early or late, brief or extended, the Philadelphia mini was a major success. Kudos (and my personal thanks) to Phoebe Rogosin Resnick, expertly assisted by Susie Packer Vrotsos and Judith Hsiang Rosenmeier! '58 minis just get better and better...

So what's next?

Minneapolis maybe? How about Miami during the winter months? Or Coral Gables perhaps? What about *your* city? Think it would make a good mini location, but organizing a mini sounds like a lot of work? Not to worry – we'll work with you every step of the way, having learned that a team effort is bound to produce a successful mini. Think about it, and email me with your ideas: propperson@alum.wellesley.edu

Mary Edwards
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