



The VIP Club 40th+1 Anniversary Dinner is on September 14!

Evites will be sent early in July, so RSVP and return your registration and \$5 fee quickly.

No e-mail address to receive an Evite? Use the registration form in this newsletter.

The registration form is also on our website at:

<http://vipclubmn.org/Temp/40thAnniversaryRegistrationForm.pdf>

REMEMBERING MILLIE



The VIP Club board was recently informed by the Women's Organization of the MN Historical Society that Millie Gignac, VIP Club founder, passed away: Long-term member Millie Gignac died on Tuesday, May 11, with both her daughters present.

Millie was over 100 years old and was alert and strong until the last few weeks. Millie was a past president and active volunteer in our organization, and she volunteered with many others. She led an interesting life and even wrote a book about her life. Millie was cremated and her daughters have decided there will not be a service or an obituary. With Millie's milestone birthday celebration just a few months ago, they consider that a Celebration of Millie's life.

Millie started as a Payroll Department clerk in 1956 in Plant 2 on Minnehaha Avenue. She was eventually transferred to the Corporate Office in Blue Bell as an Employee Information Specialist, and was promoted to Supervisor of Benefits Research and Administration. By 1974 she was transferred back to St. Paul as Manager of Pre-Retirement Counseling for the Twin City Operations. In 1979, while Manager of Administration in the Resources Group in Defense Systems, she started planning for a retiree club and a clubroom for retirees. The ribbon on the clubroom was cut in July 1980, the first general meeting was held in September, officers were elected, plans were made for monthly meetings and rules were drawn up. The VIP Club was born!

In October 1980, Millie was promoted to Director, Administration and Benefits, and was thrilled to be the first female in Univac Twin Cities Operations to hold a director title. She said she retired in 1986 after 30 good years of employment with a good company. She was

very involved in volunteerism and found it one of the most rewarding and enjoyable things she had ever done. See more of her history here: [People G-H Chapter \(vipclubmn.org\)](#) or [VIP Club History \(vipclubmn.org\)](#).

Club board members commented on Millie's passing:

- ❖ "What a great lady, and she'll even skew our 'average life expectancy' way up through the clouds. What a joy to have known her!"
- ❖ "In my opinion, Millie was a great lady!"
- ❖ Paraphrasing Dr. Seuss, "Do not cry because she is gone – Smile because she has been with us!"

2021 ACTIVITIES

- **VIP Club 40th (now 41st) Anniversary Dinner Party SCHEDULED for Tuesday, September 14th** at the Royal Cliff Event Center, Eagan, from 2:30 until 6:30 p.m., with a cash bar.



AGENDA:

- 2:30–3:30 Social Hour
- 3:30–5:00 Buffet Dinner (salad, chicken, steak, potatoes, vegetable)
- 5:00–5:30 Brief Program
- 5:30–6:30 Social Hour w/Videos

See your Evite invitation, then, by August 3rd, send in the registration form found later in this newsletter or on our website, along with the \$5 registration fee per household. Coordinators are VIP Club board members *Keith Behnke* and *Harvey Taipale*. (<http://vipclubmn.org/Temp/40thAnniversaryRegistrationForm.pdf>)

- **Unihogs & Technologists Reunion Scheduled for November 3rd** at Casper's Cherokee of Eagan, and includes VIP Club **Board Elections**. Coordinators are *Lowell Benson* and *Fred Vihovde*.



- **Old Timers' Reunion Scheduled for December 2nd** at Lost Spur Golf and Event Center. Coordinators are VIP Club board members *Paul Hove and Steve Koltas*.
- **Holiday Party Scheduled for January 7, 2022** at Lost Spur Golf and Event Center, lower level. Coordinator is VIP Club board member *Keith Behnke*.



VIP Club 2021 scheduled Board Meetings: August 4, October 6 and December 1. The board currently meets via Zoom with meetings resuming at Unisys, Eagan TBD. Club members may sit in if curious about club business. Contact the President 2 days prior for access.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

At last, it looks like we are on a real path to normalcy, whatever that turns out to be after all this disruption is over. The return of the VIP Club picnic (pictures in this issue) is the first “normal” club activity to be reinstated, and there will be more. Barring any big unexpected change in the COVID situation, we are looking forward to our 41st (aka delayed 40th) Anniversary Party in September, the usual Unihogs and Technologists Reunion (and VIP Club Board elections) in November and the annual Old Timers' Reunion in December.



It looks like many of you are ready for some socializing, too. The number of picnic sign-ups was twice the size of previous years and the turnout was equally strong. Perfect day, lots of good memories shared and good food. A big THANK YOU to all the volunteers who worked to get it organized and make the picnic a success. Getting together is one of the main functions of the VIP Club, and I hope this enthusiasm continues for all our future events.

Larry Bolton's fine survey of the early “parts” world brought back some memories (see <http://vipclubmn.org/Articles/ComponentQR.pdf>). This was the area I hired into when I started at UNIVAC. Today's world, where one can buy millions of highly reliable transistors on a single chip for literally pennies is a far cry from those early days when getting good components for our machines was a pretty complex undertaking. Collectively, this and many other disciplines were necessary to get the industry to mature to the technological wonder it is today, and you all contributed to the evolution of the computer industry in various ways. At the risk of sounding repetitious, all of you have stories about your particular part in growing this industry that should be documented, so please think about contributing an article to share.

Finally, a reminder that we will hold VIP Club Board elections at our November Unihogs & Technologists Reunion meeting. If any of you are interested in joining the Board, or are interested in volunteering to help out with other club activities, feel free to contact any Board member. Currently, our meetings are conducted via Zoom (Unisys hasn't opened their facility yet), so if you want to check out a meeting, let us know and we'll get you linked in.

Meanwhile, get vaccinated if you haven't already done so, enjoy summer and stay safe!

Harvey Taipale, VIP Club President

Retirement Status and Benefits:	
Numbers to call if you or your heirs have death benefit or pension questions – you will need an SSN and a PIN.	
♦ UNISYS:	1-877-864-7972
♦ Lockheed Martin:	1-866-562-2363
**LMCO retirees: If you have health care as part of your retirement package, you must contact VIA Benefits annually at 1-844-596-0460 to get the \$1,800.00 refund.	

SOCIAL REPORTS & ARTICLES

Golf League News:

After providing a safe outdoor activity for golfers during the 2020 heart of the COVID pandemic, the Unified Legacy Golf League (ULGL) is continuing in 2021. Still with about 250 members playing in four weekly leagues and tournaments every three weeks from April to October (usually with 100–120 participants), we haven't missed a beat—except for an April start with windy, upper 30s temperature and sleet every other hole! We still welcome new members that are only required to be a Lockheed Martin, Unisys or other legacy company current/former employee (or be their relative, friend, neighbor or acquaintance). Contact Keith Behnke at keithbhnk@comcast.net.



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

- Gordon Barr, Burnsville, MN
- Stanley & Karen Bolin, Belgrade, MT
- Salvatore Cappiello, Las Vegas, NV
- John Gersch, Apple Valley, MN
- Bridget & Dennis Honsa, Eagan, MN
- Kenneth Janusz, Maple Grove, MN
- Timothy Johnson, Eagan, MN
- Greg & Rose Nelson, Rapid City, SD
- Mark Neutz, Inver Grove Heights, MN
- Kirk & Susan Nosbusch, Eagan, MN
- Merle & Jeanie Reinke, Warner Robins, GA
- Jeanette Sterner, Eagan, MN
- David Taylor, Rancho Cardova, CA
- David Wilhelmi, Woodbury, MN
- Neil & Janice Williams, Dartmouth, NS
- Geen & Jenny Yee, Austin, TX

LEGACY TIDBITS

Club History – It is about the people!

Sperry Human Resources Director Millie Gignac once wrote, “As I worked closely with employees getting ready to retire, I observed that many were reluctant to break the ‘Sperry-tie.’ So, in the fall of 1979, I started to plan a clubroom for our retirees.”

Now, forty-plus years later, we observe the VIP Club’s 40th anniversary and say, *Bless You Millie!*

Our website documents the club history (<http://vipclubmn.org/History.html>), including milestones, previous officers and Millie’s story of the club’s origin. Millie retired after Burroughs bought Sperry to form Unisys and was elected as the 7th club president for 1988/1989. At the first club meeting on September 3, 1980, 75 initial members elected retired Antenna Coupler engineering manager, Al Mueller, as the 1st VIP Club president. Current club president, Harvey Taipale, is our 21st president, providing leadership since 2018. Only six people served just one year as president; the other presidents served either two or three years. The longest serving volunteer director was Marion Scott, who coordinated Red Cross blood drives for 29 years. The second-longest serving director was Joe Schwarz, who served as newsletter chief editor from 2000-2018. The board has had only 7 newsletter chief editors, 11 treasurers and 13 secretaries; 24 people have served as vice presidents, and not all volunteered to be presidents.

If you are willing to join the board in 2022, contact immediate past president, Keith Behnke. See <http://vipclubmn.org/Club.html#Elections> for the election process. Elections are held at the Unihogs & Technologists’ Reunion on November 3. Serving on the board in a director or an officer role is a volunteer position, for which you could log between 50 and 500 hours per year, depending on your level of involvement! Each director and officer is deserving of our membership’s heartfelt thanks for keeping the club going. We’ve gone from the initial 75 members to a peak of approximately 1,500.

In October 2010, the club celebrated 30 years with members attending a special program at the Unisys Roseville facility where the University of Minnesota’s Charles Babbage Institute’s (CBI’s) Dr. Tom Misa was the featured speaker. A club history booklet was developed, thanks to Quint Heckert, printed and bound by LMCO and distributed to members in attendance (<http://vipclubmn.org/Articles/30yrBooklet.pdf>).

By LABenson

Events’ History – Even before the beginning of the VIP Club in 1980, groups of people were socializing outside of work. The history of these groups is captured on the club’s Social Activities page:

- 50s [Geek Squad History](#)
- 60s [Unihogs/Uniturkeys](#)
- 70s [Syttende Mai](#)
- 80s [Annual Old Timers’ Reunion](#)
- 80s [Volunteer Recognition Luncheons](#)
- 90s [Unisys Retiree Breakfast Group](#)
- 00s [Roseville Good Old Days](#)

It is about the people!

IN REMEMBRANCE OF:

The obits hereunder are redacted from funeral home postings or Pioneer Press, Star Tribune, or applicable local listings. The VIP Club board extends its sympathies to the families and friends of those who have lost loved ones.

*We will grieve not,
rather find strength in what remains behind.*

~William Wordsworth~

John Michael Alton – A long-term Unisys employee of Mendota Heights, MN, age 91, passed away peacefully May 10, 2021, with his loving wife, Marcie, at his side. John was the first in his generation to attend college, enrolling at St. Thomas College. With a strong desire to pursue electrical engineering, he transferred to the University of Minnesota where he graduated with degrees in Electrical Engineering and Business Administration. Following graduation, John served as a Lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force, then resumed work with ERA. He was involved in many groundbreaking supercomputer industry developments and thoroughly enjoyed the demanding work assignment challenges of developing cutting edge computing technology for national defense. Through many company mergers and acquisitions, John retired from Unisys after 38 years and became a VIP Club member. During retirement, John enjoyed day-long bike rides and traveling to new destinations with Marcie. He loved taking annual fishing, hunting and camping trips, and his more than 25-year association with the Univac trap and skeet league. John was a faithful member and volunteer of the church with a strong commitment to family, always available to help in any way he could. John will be remembered for his technical knowledge, common sense, leadership and devotion to friends and family. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Marcie, three children, two grandchildren and other family and friends.



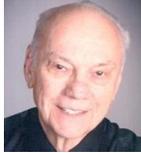
Beverly Marilyn (Storch) Beljeski – Age 87 of New Brighton, MN, passed away January 30, 2021. Preceded in death by her husband, Robert, who was a long-time employee working on C3 and memory processor; also preceded by a son. Survived by seven children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and other family.



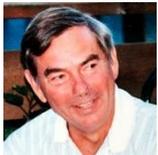
Calvin M. J. Buck – Age 92 of Eagan, MN, was called home on December 17, 2020. Calvin served in the Korean War and was awarded the Silver Star. He also worked for Univac for 30 years and was a VIP Club member. Calvin is survived by his wife of 70 years, Jeanette, 3 children, 13 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and a sister



George D. Bukovich – Passed away May 16, 2021, at Quiet Oaks Hospice House in St. Augusta, MN. George lived a good life. He was blessed with natural abilities and with degrees in mechanical and electrical engineering and business administration. He had many achievements in his professional life, some time spent at UNIVAC, and spent his retirement years teaching and mentoring students. His family feels his greatest achievements were his love for God, family and friends. Survivors include wife, Jean, a son and grandchildren. George was preceded in death by a daughter.



Donald Allen Domrose – Age 89, passed away on May 13, 2021. He received an engineering degree at UW Madison and worked in the aviation industry before his 30+-year career at Unisys. Don's passions were mostly outdoors: fishing, hunting deer, grouse and duck, tending a summer garden and canning pickles and banana peppers that were almost too hot to eat (*almost*). He was a crossword puzzle wizard with a mind as sharp as a tack right up to his final moments, and his steady voice delivered the perfect joke to friends and family. Don loved sharing a good meal, betting pennies at the casino, cheering for the Badgers and the Packers and enjoying a nightly Manhattan. He is survived by his wife, Kay Ossmann, two children, five grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and other family.



Dean Allen Harms – Age 79 of Inver Grove Heights, MN, passed away suddenly on April 26, 2021. While in the National Guard, Dean graduated from Dunwoody Institute and was hired by Sperry Rand Defense Systems as a mechanical engineer/draftsman. He enjoyed bowling, softball and the camaraderie that followed and fostered lifelong friendships. Dean also enjoyed being outdoors, including many hunting and fishing trips. He loved his family more than anything, and enjoyed watching his grandchildren at their sporting events, dance recitals or just hanging with them at the lake. Dean continued his work with Sperry Rand/Lockheed Martin, from which he retired in 2004 and then became a VIP Club member; he met monthly with former coworkers to catch up. He spent his retirement mostly at his cabin in Finlayson, MN, where he loved his lake



view and hummingbirds frequently enjoyed his feeders, as did an occasional bear! Dean is survived by his loving wife, Beverly, three children, five grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

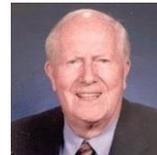
Patricia A. Kuklock – Beloved wife, age 90, of departed UNIVAC employee, Emmett Kuklock, passed away May 8, 2021. Patricia was a mother, nana, teacher, student, friend, poppy-lover, dancer, and devout Catholic. Pat loved lake cabins, bonfires, pontoon rides, the farms and watching the loons on the lake. She tried the Wave Runner, tubing and kayaking in her 80s. Pat had a deep love for and commitment to her faith, family and friends. Pat joins her son and her husband, Emmett, in heaven, where Pat and Emmett will hold hands for eternity and always eat dessert first. She is survived by three children and a granddaughter.



Robert Luken – Age 86, of Roseville, MN, passed away peacefully on April 20, 2021. Born in Granville, IA, on December 25, 1934, Bob was a man of faith who gave of his time, talent and treasure every day; he lived his life serving others. Bob also sang with our company chorus for several years, belonged to the company Toastmaster organization and was a VIP Club member. He is survived by his loving wife of 60 years, Ruth, a son, four grandkids and a sister, and is preceded in death by two children and other family.



Paul D. Mattson – Age 92, passed away peacefully surrounded by family on March 8, 2021, at his home in Lakeville, MN. He battled serious heart issues in recent years and faced such challenges with his usual courage, dignity and humor until the end.



Paul graduated from Bethany College in Lindsborg, Kansas with a Bachelor of Arts, and went on to graduate school in history at the University of Minnesota. During the Korean War, Paul served in the U.S. Army stationed in Korea for two years; he received a number of medals and commendations for his service. Paul took pride in his 35-year Unisys computer industry career. Together, Paul and his wife, DeLores Mildred Mattson, raised three daughters and contributed to their school and church communities, especially as choir members. Paul also enjoyed being a member of Dan Patch Toastmasters club and the friendships there. After retiring, Paul and DeLores traveled widely and settled into a new lifestyle in Arizona. Paul fully embraced retirement and many interests. He was passionate about golf, national politics, fishing with his grandchildren, attending their athletic events and singing in the church choir. Paul is survived by DeLores, his loving wife of 67 years, three children, four grandchildren, and cherished nieces and nephews.

David John Mike – Age 69 of St. Paul, MN, passed away on June 3, 2021. David was a Vietnam era Navy veteran. He worked in operations and the CSF Help Desk in Unisys Roseville. David and his wife, Carol, were members of the Unisys breakfast group, with whom they continued to have breakfast regularly after David announced his illness. David is survived by his wife, Carol, two sons, and other family.



Kenneth L. 'Ken' Pearson – Age 88 of Burnsville, MN, passed away peacefully on May 25, 2021. Ken attended the University of South Dakota, then enlisted in the U.S. Army where he was a Specialist 3rd Class Signal Corps. Upon discharge, he graduated Summa Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in electrical engineering from South Dakota State University (SDSU). Ken worked as an electrical engineer at Lockheed Martin for 38 years, retired in May 1996 and was a VIP Club member. He was a charter member at his church, was in the choir, taught Sunday School, was elected as an Elder for multiple terms and was active with the Endowment Fund and Pastoral Committee. He enjoyed camping, cross-country skiing, writing poetry and was an avid bowler. Ken relished time with his grandchildren on vacations and watching their sporting activities, concerts and plays. "Kodak Ken" could be seen with a camera ready to capture an action shot or any family moment. Ken leaves behind his wife of 65 years, Darlene, four children and nine grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a stillborn daughter and other family.



Gary Lee Smith – Age 83, passed away at his home in Rhoadesville, VA, on May 25, 2021. He fought a 10-year battle with Parkinson's disease, but late-stage cancer had the final say. Gary earned his amateur radio license at 14, the start to his communications career. After high school Gary enlisted in the Navy Reserve for two years and served in Japan. He returned home, earned his associate degree at the University of Minnesota and began work at UNIVAC. He met Andrea Paul on a company ski trip; they married and soon after started a career and family that spanned the globe. Gary would retire from the Central Intelligence Agency after 28 years of service, having been stationed with his family in England, India, Liberia, Paraguay, Japan, Panama and the USA. Gary served in retirement by delivering Meals on Wheels and flowers, and spent his final years gardening and giving his grandchildren tractor rides. Gary is survived by his wife Andrea, four children and nine grandchildren. "This is W0QDP... nice to have known you. 73."



Harland Lemoyne Thomesen – Age 88 of Shoreview, MN, passed away May 25, 2021. Harland was a Sperry employee who worked in program and proposal management in the 1980s. He was preceded in death by his wife, Patricia, and survived by two children and four grandchildren.



James L. Tousignant – Age 85, a carpenter, and owned and operated The Valley Lounge (aka "The Open") for 48 years, died peacefully on May 9, 2021. Jim was born and raised in Eagan, MN. He was a much-loved father, brother and friend. His generosity was unmatched. Sperry employees remember celebrating the AN/UYK-43 or AN/UYK-44 contract win at *The Open* and buying drinks for employees and eventually Jimmy Tousignant had free drinks for everyone that walked in . . . plumbers, truck drivers, NWA employees, etc.! Jim is survived by his six children, their mother, Nancy, two brothers and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren; preceded in death by a son and other family.



Alfred Tweet, Jr. – Age 90 of Hendricks, MN, formerly of Minneapolis and New Brighton, passed away June 1, 2021. Al worked for Sperry in Roseville, MN. He is survived by three children, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Manfred Wiese – Passed away on April 17, 2021. He was the longest-serving managing director of the UNIVAC/Sperry/Unisys/LMCO organization in Bad Godesberg, Germany (<http://vipclubmn.org/International.html#BadGodesberg>), retiring in 2007. His leadership kept the company at the head of the German Navy supplier list, even as it transitioned through several corporate name changes. Manfred was always a gracious host to the engineer, marketing and program management personnel who had occasion to visit Europe. He is survived by his wife, Erika.



VIP Club Annual Reunion Picnic

Over 140 guests were happily in attendance on June 16 at the Eagan Central Park Pavilion on the former Lockheed Martin location, next to the current Unisys facility, where overflow parking was in abundance.





VIP Club Annual Reunion Picnic, June 16, 2021



Club Board members and dedicated volunteers planned and manned the welcome table, grill, kitchen/serving area and drink stations and did all the purchasing, setup and cleanup

Thank You!



Even Don Weidenbach, at 99 years young, attended with his son-in-law



VIP Club July/August 2021 Newsletter
 Watch the Home page for notice of additional
 Picnic picture postings . . . at a later date



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VIP Club 40th Anniversary Dinner Party Registration Form

Please reserve, at \$5 for myself/my household, _____ place(s) for the VIP Club **40th Anniversary Dinner Party** being held on Tuesday, **September 14, 2021, at the Royal Cliff Event Center, Egan.**

Send in your reservation now, since occupancy is currently limited to 200 per COVID guidelines.

Your form and check must be received by **August 3.**

Print Name to Appear on Name Tag: _____

Address: _____ Phone no: _____

Print Spouse's/Sig. Other's Name to Appear on Name Tag: _____

Print Additional Household Member Name(s) to Appear on Name Tag(s): _____

Make your check payable to **VIP CLUB – 40th Party**

Mail check **before August 3** to Keith Behnke 4652 Westwood Lane Egan, MN 55122

Or to VIP Club MN P.O. Box 21903 Egan, MN 55121



Belated Remembrance

Harry B. Traylor Jr. – of McLean, VA and past president of Sperry UNIVAC Federal Systems Division passed away April 28, 2008 at Alexandria Hospital. Beloved husband of the late Elinor O. Traylor; had four children and was grandfather and great-grandfather to many.

Condolence notes included the following:

♦ *It was an honor and pleasure to work with Harry. A great Marine and an exceptional leader at Sperry/Unisys. His many friends have lost a true friend.*

♦ *Although we only worked together for a short while at FSD, I got to know him better in the years that followed when I was in Blue Bell. Being a Marine I always admired his leadership and had an appreciation for what he accomplished in the Corps. Those qualities served him well at Sperry.*

♦ *If you were employed by his firm, you knew who he was. I believe Harry taught more about loyalty and winning than anyone for over 30 years. There is a seemingly endless list of us who owe the best career we could have ever imagined substantially to his leadership. He will be greatly missed.*

♦ *My condolences to the family. I knew Harry best from the Phase IV days. He was a real asset to UNIVAC and we in Roseville, MN, had high regard for him.*

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PERIODIC SOCIAL GROUPS

Attendees: Are you still meeting as noted here?
Please e-mail clubnewsltr@vipclubmn.org with current status and updated contact information. Thank you!

Monthly Breakfast Gathering

- **1st Thursday** at 8 a.m. – **Capitol View Cafe**, 637 Smith Ave., **St. Paul** 📍 *Meeting status checked monthly*

Monthly Lunch Gatherings

Formerly at Stark's 📍

- **1st Tuesday** at 11:00 a.m. – **Zoom meeting**. Coordinator: Dave Kaminski 952-854-1997.
 - **2nd Tuesday** at 11:30 a.m. – **Mall of America** 3rd floor North Food Court; we meet by the tables between the elevator & Burger King. Coordinator Paul Wennerstrom: 952-854-7855.
 - **2nd Wednesday** at 11 a.m. – Baker's Square, Northtown, 221 Co. Rd. 10 NE, **Blaine**, MN
 - **2nd Saturday** of odd-numbered months at 11 a.m. – Baker's Square, 1881 West Hwy 36, **Roseville**. Coordinator Urho Rahkola: 651-429-3319. **Temporarily Suspended**
- Quarterly Breakfast Gathering**
- **2nd Wednesday** at 9 a.m. in Mar., June, Sept., & Dec. – Eagles Club, 563 Old Hwy 8 in **New Brighton**. Coordinator Paul Dickson: 651-482-9934. **Temporarily Suspended**