

CUYAHOGA HEIGHTS SCHOOL  
HALL OF FAME  
Seventh Induction 2017

**Jeffrey Borowy**  
Class of 1981

**Academics/Career Accomplishments**

Jeff Borowy retired from the U.S. Navy's Civil Engineer Corps in 2014 after an impressive 30 year career.

Mr. Borowy's career was highlighted by three successful command tours. He was Commander of Naval Facilities Engineering Command Europe, Southwest Asia and Africa (1,350 personnel and an \$880 million budget), Commodore of the 25<sup>th</sup> Naval Construction Regiment and Commanding Officer of Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 133. He was instrumental in many other tours of duty. Mr. Borowy was the proud recipient of many medals and awards during his time with the Navy.

"Jeff has always been a positive influence," his nominee said. "He volunteered for duty during Operation Desert Shield, has helped build a watershed and school in Bolivia and over the years has spoken to students at Cuyahoga Heights High School."

In 2016, Mr. Borowy was named Chief Operating Officer of South Carolina's second largest school district. There, his responsibilities included capital programs, facilities maintenance, nutrition services, safety, transportation and planning.

Mr. Borowy was graduated from Ohio Northern University with a degree in Civil Engineering. He later earned a Master's Degree in Environmental Engineering from Georgia Tech.

**Jeffrey L. Dean**  
Class of 1968

**Academic/Career Accomplishments**

Judge Jeff Dean led a life of public service, serving in all three branches of state government. Mr. Dean was a member of the Ohio House of Representatives where he represented the eastern portion of Cuyahoga County. He also sat on the State Board of Education of Ohio, serving an estimated one million people in Northeast Ohio.

In 2015, Mr. Dean was appointed Bedford Municipal Court Judge by then Governor John Kasich. "I take this responsibility seriously for it affects the lives of the people and families throughout 14 communities," Mr. Dean said at the time.

Mr. Dean was CEO and General Counsel for ISEE, an international engineering society and its education foundation. In this capacity, he worked with different countries and the U.S. Congress on many issues, including Anti-Terrorism legislation.

He was Executive Director of both the Chagrin Valley Chamber of Commerce and its Education Foundation and Junior Achievement of Greater Cleveland.

Mr. Dean was graduated from many post-secondary schools. He earned a law degree from Cleveland Marshall College of Law, Cleveland State University, and served in the United States Marine Corps during the Viet Nam era.

**Ann Perozek Hanus**  
Class of 1973  
**Academic/Career Accomplishments**

In a career that spanned more than 30 years, Ann Perozek Hanus was accomplished at the state level in Oregon where she often developed policy and forecasted budgets.

Mrs. Hanus was Director of the Oregon Department of State Lands and worked for the Oregon Community Development Department in the latter part of her career.

As an assistant state forester, Mrs. Hanus developed policy related to forest management. She handled major environmental issues, like those related to the spotted owl and salmon - both endangered species. As an economist, she was responsible for forecasting the state's revenue and economic condition.

In Ohio, Ann was Deputy Director of the Office of Budget & Management. Here, she was responsible for capitol budgeting, forecasting, budget policy making and special projects.

Mrs. Hanus was graduated from The Ohio State University with a degree in Consumer Services in 1976. She attended the University of California, Davis, and later returned to Ohio State where she earned a Master's degree in Consumer Economics.

**Lillian Koehler**  
Retired Faculty  
**Major Contributions to CHS**

Lillian Koehler "Miss K" was a tireless advocate of equality for women in sports. "Miss K's greatest accomplishment while at CHS was the introduction of life-time sports activities for girls. "Girls needed to experience a gratifying feeling of competition, too," Miss K once said.

Miss K taught Physical Education and Health at CHS for more than two decades. She was K-12 Intramural Director and a coach. She ran intramural and extra-mural programs (competing against other schools) until varsity sports, including volleyball, basketball and track, were offered for girls. She was a cheerleader advisor and organized the first girls' conference track meet. Lil Koehler has selflessly and sincerely devoted her entire life to the academic, physical and social well-being of her students," a Cuyahoga Heights' graduate said.

Miss K was graduated from Bowling Green State University with additional time spent at other post-secondary schools. She was a member of several professional organizations and regular volunteer in the community.

**Christine West**  
Retired Faculty  
**Major Contribution to CHS**

As K-12 music supervisor, Christine West brought new and innovative music programs to Cuyahoga Heights Schools, where she taught from 1943-1954. Those programs included small choral groups, like the award-winning Triple Trio and elementary school choir. Her tone-flute group, original musicals and community performances raised the visibility of CHS and talents of its students. "Miss West always inspired us to do our best and helped us develop a life-long appreciation of music," a former student said.

Miss West also taught English during her years at CHS. The course had a multi-cultural emphasis and was adapted to reflect the many cultures and career interests of students.

Miss West taught in Gambier and Minerva prior to Cuyahoga Heights and chaired the English Department at Berea High School for nearly 20 years afterward.

Miss West majored in music and was graduated from Baldwin Wallace College in 1931. She earned a Master's Degree in supervisory education from Western Reserve University in 1952.

Miss West was a member of several professional organizations and was often honored for her achievements.