

EDWARD TEPPA

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1960

- *Graduate: University of Wisconsin-Superior*
- *Worked on initial development of laser technology*
- *Owner: Big Sky Laser Company*
- *Patent holder on numerous laser technologies*
- *Developed lasers for large scale cleaning of European museums and statues*

ERICA HOAGLAND SIMPSON

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1994

- *Master of Aeronautical Science ERA University*
- *Pilot/Captain Citation Shares Airlines*
- *International Aerobatic Flight Competitor and Instructor*
- *Transport Pilot, Certified Flight Instructor, Private Pilot*
- *Degreed in Aviation Safety, Air Traffic Control & Aviation Business Administration*

KENNETH “BUCKY” JARDINE

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1950

- *Wisconsin State High School Champion -100 and 200 dash*
- *Member University of Wisconsin-Superior Athletic Hall of Fame*
- *Graduate: University of Wisconsin-Superior*
- *High School science teacher and coach for 32 years*
- *Civic and Community Leader in numerous capacities*

SHAWN GERSTENBERGER

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1986

- *PhD in Toxicology from the University of Illinois*
- *Professor – University of Nevada Las Vegas*
- *Executive Associate Dean for UNLV School of Health Sciences*
- *Dept. Chair – School of Environmental and Occupational Health*
- *Nationally recognized researcher in environmental health*

STACY OLSON DIEMEL

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1985

- *Master of Science Degree from UW-Platteville*
- *Industrial and Manufacturing Engineer*
- *Certified lean manufacturing and quality control engineer*
- *Assembly plant production supervisor*
- *Nuclear and Diesel engineer*

LORI OGREN

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1981

- *Graduate: University of Minnesota - Duluth*
- *University of Minnesota – Duluth: Athletic Hall of Fame
(Basketball, Softball, Volleyball)*
- *United States National Handball Team:
(1983,1987,1989,1992,1998. Pan Am Games 92)*
- *United States Olympic Team, 1992*
- *Los Amigos High School, California: Teacher, Coach Counselor*

MARY POLKOSKI

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1972

- *Kirksville College - MS Science degree in Sports Health Care*
- *Began United States Navy career as enlisted person in 1973*
- *Commissioned as an officer (LTjg) in 1988*
- *Served as a Physician Assistant in the White House Medical Unit*
Retired as a Commander after a thirty-four year career

WILLARD OGREN

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1951

- *University of Wisconsin, Harvard School of Banking*
- *President: Security State Bank*
- *President: Wisconsin Bankers Association*
- *Associate: American Banking Association*
- *Philanthropist, Community Leader, Accomplished Athlete*

Aleksander M. Lied

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1992

- *Graduate: University of Minnesota*
- *Officer training at Academy of Military Training Knoxville, TN.*
- *Career pilot with rank of Major in Air National Guard*
- *Multiple deployments as a fighter pilot in Panama, Iraq, Afghanistan*
- *F 16 fighter pilot instructor*

Justin R. Nicoletti

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 2001

- *Bachelors degree – University of Wisconsin - Superior*
- *Masters degree in Media Arts The New School- New York*
- *Advocate and mentor for people with disabilities*
- *Courageous exemplar of determination and resiliency as a disabled person*
- *Author and editor of manuscript and film*
- *Producer of documentaries at the Sportsman Channel*

Harold Ehlers

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1942

- *South Shore Class of 1942 Valedictorian.*
- *United States Army, WWII, Normandy, Battle of the Bulge, Berlin.*
- *South Shore School Board, 25 years.*
- *School Board President, 20 years.*
- *Owner/Operator Historic Ehlers Store, 75 years.*

Leonard Kavajecz

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1957

- *Doctorate Degree: University of Northern Colorado.*
- *District Administrator: Maple School District.*
- *Wisconsin Superintendent of the Year.*
- *Delegate US Department of Education: International Schools of Europe.*
- *Administrator: WI. Department of Public Instruction, On Line Advancement Placement Program.*

Mark Ehlers

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1967

- *Graduate: Northland College.*
- *Certified Public Accountant.*
- *President/Board Member Partners in Recovery, 20 years.*
- *Founder: Men's and Women's Sober House, Ashland, WI.*
- *Numerous Lifetime Achievements as Strongly Involved Community Member.*

Elric Saaski

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1964

- *CEO at Research International.*
- *Inventor – Medical, Industrial & Military*
- *Entrepreneur 4 Companies*
- *Award Winning Research & Development.*
- *Two Masters Degrees, University of Washington, & University of Wisconsin.*

Ryan Glau

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1997

- *Master Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) Technician.*
- *WMD & Counter Terrorism Expert.*
- *Bronze Star With Valor.*
- *Master Sergeant US Marines.*
- *Naval & Marine Commendation Award Of Valor.*

Eric Korpela

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1984

- *Graduate University of Wisconsin. Doctorate from UCAL Berkley*
- *Research Astronomer at UCAL Berkley*
- *Astrophysicist for 21 years & Author of over 80 publications*
- *Participant in 8 orbital missions for NASA & Dept. of Defense*
- *Principal member of SETI group at Berkley to search for extraterrestrial intelligence*

Anna Berington

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 2002

- *Served in the U.S. Military – Coast Guard*
- *Competed in Iditarod every year since 2012*
- *Multiple award winner for excellence in dog care*
- *Captain of commercial fishing vessel “ The Shark”*
- *Ironman triathlete and 100 miler relay team member*

Kristy Berington

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 2002

- *Ran first Iditarod in 2010 and every year thereafter*
- *Elite dog sled musher in 1000 mile Yukon quest*
- *Multiple award winner for excellence in dog care*
- *Served in U.S. Military; Coast Guard*
- *Triathlete ironman-winner of Mr. Miles 24 hour ultra marathon*

Mindy Burhans Mueller

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1992

- *Bachelors Degree (Finance) UW Milwaukee, MBA University of Phoenix (Suma Cum Laude)*
- *Chair, Board of Directors Star Legacy Foundation (Still Birth Research and Education); Treasurer, Board of Directors Rural Care and Share Food Shelf*
- *Established 1st International Still Birth Registry, added stillbirth education to Native American prenatal care programs*
- *Regional Operations Manager for General Electric Healthcare and Six Sigma Green Belt Certified.*
- *Devoted wife and mother of 3*

Dr. Karen (Hoagland) MacKenzie

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1962

- *Valedictorian of Class of '62*
- *University of Wisconsin – Madison Doctorate of Philosophy - Zoology*
- *25 years in senior management in toxicology, chemistry, & pharmaceutical industry*
- *Assistant Professor and Academic Director, Greenville Technical College*
- *Diplomate, American Board of Toxicology and author of 27 Scientific Journals*

John Frank Leino, Esq.

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1967

- *Graduate, U of Notre Dame, on football & rugby teams Juris Doctor George Washington U School of Law*
- *Member Virginia State Bar; U.S. Supreme Court Bar; U.S. Military Court of Appeals; 39 yrs. pro-bono work*
- *Infantry Officer, Captain USMC and Special -OPS*
- *Authored inscription on Great Lakes Seamen's Memorial on Barkers Island; a novel entitled "WHEN WOLVES PRAY"; The Marine Corps Manual*
- *Representation of a client was subject of 5 appearances on 60 minutes, Court TV and an HBO movie & book entitled DANGEROUS EVIDENCE*

Tonja Vojacek Sell

SOUTH SHORE CLASS OF 1986

- *Studied Fine Arts, drawing & illustration at the Milwaukee Institute of Arts & Design*
- *Works in different media; paint, print, ceramics, blown glass and murals*
- *Teaches online nationally & globally and in her studio*
- *Public work includes murals for the Carnegie Foundation and the Minnesota Discover Center*
- *Represented by galleries across the country and in multiple private collections internationally*