

Petition to name the GHS Auditorium

in recognition of

William and Marion Pinkow

The late William (Bill) and Marion Pinkow spent most of their lives going above and beyond in the Grand Island community through their love and sharing of music and so much more. It is their dedication to our music programs of the past that contributed to the foundation of the Exceptional Music Programs we have today. Bill and Marion are remembered by hundreds of students who have made music a part of their lives through band, orchestra and choral participation under their direction.

Please add your name to this online petition in favor of this distinction and urge the Grand Island Board of Education to act now to name the GHS Auditorium in honor of William and Marion Pinkow. Stop by deSignet or IsledeGrande, 1869 Whitehaven , Grand Island NY and sign the petition or Email Reg Schopp to add your name: rms@giecom.net Lets make this happen.

Name	Address	Comment	Date
Chris Johnson Gallagher	Former Student	<i>They nurtured our musical skills, sharing their passion</i>	8-8-12
Duncan Thomas '53-'59	Now in Northville Michigan	<i>Please add my name to the list</i>	8-3-12
Pat Wydra	Former Resident	See attached ... Letter http://www.isledegrande.com/letter/letterstoeditor2012.php#wydra8-2-12	7-30-12
Bill Krebs	Former Resident		7-16-12
Joan E. Reid Tommasulo	Former Student And Resident	<i>Great Idea!</i>	6-30-12
John C. Tommasulo	Former Resident	<i>Please Help make this a reality</i>	6-30-12
Paul Sipson	East River Rd.	<i>Great Idea!</i>	5-9-12
Christine Sipson	East River Rd.	<i>They would be thrilled !</i>	5-9-12
Bev Billica Benton	Lady Lake Florida	<i>They were wonderful people</i>	5-8-12
Gladys Gibbon	East River Road		5-7-12
Norman Gibbon	East River Road	<i>Friends and Great People</i>	5-7-12
Gale Podsiadlo	Staley Road	<i>Wonderful People!</i>	5-4-12
Gary Long	Former Island Resident	<i>Both had a positive influence on my early years.</i>	5-4-12
Elizabeth Farley Dries	Class of '71	<i>Fond Memories</i>	5-2-12

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Carol Ennis	Former Resident	Was in there King and I production	5-1-12
Lyn Laman	Whitehaven Road	New and loved them, Great Idea.	5-1-12
Robert Kopf	Tracey Lane		5-1-12
Nathan Cook	Harvey Road		4-30-12
Robert Black	Whitehaven Road		4-30-12
Sally Black	Island Resident and Educator		4-30-12
Florence Myers	Whitehaven Road	They started music here . . .	4-30-12
Richard Myers	Whitehaven Road	They "WERE" music on Grand Island	4-30-12
Bertha Falk Pellow	Baseline Road	Lovely People	4-30-12
Dawn Merrill	Class of '61 now in Georgia	Two well deserving people	4-26-12
Larry Hillock	Class of '59		4-26-12
Colin L. Smith	Now in Lewiston, Class of '67	Please add my name, Mr. Pinkow taught me trumpet ☺	4-24-12
Kay Downs Dulniak	Class of '67 in Arizona	A much deserved honor!!!	4-17-12
Bob Pettitt	Class of '71	Two fine teachers	4-15-12
Dorothy Wilson	Class of '69 now in Phoenix		4-14-12
Jackie Pritchard Mordaunt	Class of '67 Island Resident	Please add me to the list	4-14-12
Elizabeth Farley Dries	Class of '71	Fond Memories of them both, add my name.	4-11-12
F. John Grycel III	Blaine WA	A fitting tribute to two sterling individual	4-10-12
Chip Schopp	Bolton MA	55 years later and I Still play my horn every day.	4-9-12
Christine Maier Phillips	The Villages FL	A Wonderful way to honor to very important people!	4-9-12
Jim Boetcher		Wonderful people I knew as a student and neighbor	4-9-12
Jim McMoil	Medina, NY		4-7-12
Ramona Blackmore	Grand Island Resident	Well Respected Friends	4-5-12
Judy Blackmore Testa	Class of '72 now in		4-5-12

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	Hammonton NJ		
Lynn Gaydica-Wuertzer	Class of 1981		4-5-12
Linda Lozo	Grand Island Resident	What a wonderful idea!	4-5-12
Stephen M. Stouter	Grand Island Resident	Please add me to the list!	4-5-12
Elaine Forti Denticio	Class of 67		4-5-12
Amy Morgan	Grand Island Resident		4-5-12
Dale Berger	Island Resident Class of 71	This is a great idea!	4-5-12
Deirdre Pedlow Hunold		Please add me to the list to honor the Pinkows	4-4-12
Ron Mock	Grand Island resident		4-4-12
Kevin Brady	Class of 73	She taught me to sing and I miss his cigars	4-4-12
David Alan Gregory	Rochester NY		4-4-12
Pete Stovall	Class of 67	Please add my name to the petition	4-3-12
Judy Zagarrigo Bruss	Showlow Arizona		4-2-12
Carol Koblhagen Hamlin	Grand Island Resident	What a super idea, it is about time.	4-2-12
Bonnie Corbett Coulter	Val Pariso, Indiana	They played a big part in our education	3-31-12
Vicky Huer Lynde	Colrain, Massachusetts		3-31-12
Ken Coulter	Punta Gorda, Florida		3-31-12
Nancy Hogue Capsuto	Oro Valley Arizona	They were well-loved	3-31-12
Denise Blackmore	Buffalo, New York	Bill on the clarinet and Marion both great inspiration	3-31-12
Tim and Irene Ehde	Class of 66 and 67	Please add our names to the petition.	3-31-12
Nancy Johnson Davies	New Jersey		3-31-12
Erik Stefik	Las Vegas Nevada	They were both dedicated and inspirational	3-31-12
Kevin Donlon	Class of 70		3-31-12

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Linda Tufillaro	Island Resident Class of '71	Two outstanding and caring people	3-30-12
Tim Gross	Grand Island Resident	Great neighbors, teachers and friends.	3-30-12
Timothy Klaaren	Charleston NC Class of '73	I knew Bill and Marion through Church and School	3-30-12
Margaret McNulty Hooper	Island Resident	Please add my name to honor Bill and Marion	3-30-12
Carol MacDonald Ganster	Resident 1939-1957 Class of '54	Bill introduced me to the wonderful world of clarinet	3-30-12
Mike Czora	Golden Valley Minnesota Class of '73	The Pinkows did enormous things to promote music on GI	3-29-12
Gail Burgstahler Rothenberg	Grand Island Resident 1943 -62	Please add my name to honor two wonderful people.	3-29-12
Howard Danzer	The Villages, Florida	GI High American History Teacher 1965 - 1998	3-29-12
Steve Morgan	Grand Island NY	Neighbors. They modeled community involvement.	3-28-12
Reg Schopp	West River Resident Class of 1967	1958, In 4 th grade they touched my life!	3-24-12
Teddy Linenfelser	Ferry Road Resident Grand Island, NY	1951, the beginning of many good memories	3-25-12