# THIS IS SURRATTS FOUNDATION E-NOTICE OF January 6, 2022

### ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENT SHARES THOUGHTS ON THE

**LANDSCAPE.** A reader shared this recent clip from 2003 Achievement Award recipient Kevin Fitzgerald (71) (<a href="http://surrattsville.org/achievement/2003.shtml">http://surrattsville.org/achievement/2003.shtml</a>). Our readers interested in the powers and wonders of the outdoors and an acclaimed painter's thoughts on those powers and wonders might enjoy this clip: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dxMbrcePZDo">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dxMbrcePZDo</a>

## ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENT FEATURED ON NEW CBS

**SHOW.** And, speaking of Achievement Award recipients, Oscar-winning and Tonywinning actress Marcia Gay Harden (76), recipient of the Foundation's 2005 Achievement Award (<a href="http://surrattsville.org/achievement/2005.shtml">http://surrattsville.org/achievement/2005.shtml</a>) is starring in the new CBS show, "So Help Me Todd." Once again, Marcia is evidencing her extraordinary range – which all started on the stage in the cafeteria at dear ol' Surratts -- over film, stage and small screen!

#### HISTORY OF SHS MUSICAL LEGENDS FEATURED IN THREE-CD

**RELEASE.** The most nationally-successful – and definitely one of the most fun -- of all of the great bands to emerge from Surrattsville was DC Star. A three-CD compilation representing the history of the band has just been released, featuring their greatest hits, plus unplugged versions and previously unreleased versions of DC Star songs. Information can be found on their Facebook page, https://www.facebook.com/DCSTARMUSIC.

HORNET GRIDIRON STAR ENTERS THE RECORD BOOKS! In the recent Maryland High School All-Star Football game, in which Prince George's County defeated Baltimore City, Jerimiah McIntosh (23) became the first Hornet player to score in an all-star game in almost a decade. Here's clip posted by Coach Tommy Daniels: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/49215776591">https://www.facebook.com/groups/49215776591</a>. Way to go, Jerimiah!

**SURRATTSVILLE MUG WITH LOGO FOR PURCHASE.** The summer season is coming to an end, with that being said we need to get ready for cold weather and a hot beverage. We were contacted by a 68 graduate who would like to share info on SHS mugs for purchase. If interested, please visit <a href="www.rivetingcrafts.com">www.rivetingcrafts.com</a>.

**SEEKING MEMORIES FROM YOUR SCHOOL DAYS.** Please continue to submit your special memories of an experience, a teacher or staff member, a fellow student, etc., during your K-12 years so we can share them in these e-Notices to inspire us all. Submissions should go to surrattsvillehsfoundation@gmail.com.

**CLASS REUNION INFORMATION!** Why not check in with your Class's reunion contacts (who often can be contacted through your Class's Facebook Group) to see if an upcoming gathering is planned for your Class. And please send us information about your reunions at surrattsvillehsfoundation@gmail.com so we can include the information in these e-Notices and on www.surrattsville.org. Here are some upcoming reunions:

**YEARBOOKS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE.** The Foundation still has a limited number of Boomerangs from these years for sale for \$20 (which includes shipping): 1991, 1996, 1998, 1999, 2002, 2003, 2004 and 2006. Please email us at surrattsvillehsfoundation@gmail.com if you are interested.

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**MEET THE BOARD.** If you haven't already, please stop by www.surrattsville.org to meet the Foundation's Board, who each express there why it's important for us to be a part of this important enterprise that supports the great kids, faculty and staff at Surrattsville High School.

THE FOUNDATION'S WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK GROUP. And don't forget that on the Foundation's website at surrattsville.org you can find lots of additional information about the Foundation, such as photos and bios of the Foundation's Scholarship recipients, photos and bios of the Foundation's Achievement Award recipients, back issues of Foundation e-Notices, information about Class reunions, and the like. And information like this, and great photos, can be found at the Foundation's Facebook Group called "Surrattsville Alumni."

Happy First week of 2023!

All the best,

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