



# EL CERRITO HIGH SCHOOL ARCHIVING PROJECT NEWSLETTER

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## Presidents Message

Dear Gaucho Family,

All of the Archiving Project members want to wish each of you a peaceful and safe Holiday, however you celebrate. May your coming year be healthy and happy.

I want to thank the family of Howard Mackey for their continued generous donation to the Howard Mackey Gaucho Spirit Scholarship. The scholarship was established in 2020 in memory of Howard Mackey. Howard was first a Gaucho student and then a beloved long-time ECHS teacher. Each year, a deserving student receives a \$1500 scholarship in Howard's memory to help defray education expenses.

We are going to start out the New Year by doing something fun. In an effort to get better-acquainted with the many multi-generational families that have attended ECHS, we are going to ask someone in each family to let us know how many members have attended ECHS. Also what they are doing now. If there are students currently attending ECHS please let us know that, too. I will be interviewing whomever sends the information. Each month during the coming year, one or two families will have their interview included in our on-line newsletter. To date, our families are: Fiorlea Perero '49/Barquis-Canepa '49, Del Simone '54, Roddy Lee '67, Evelyn Guidici '56, Willy Gragg, '65, Don Willson '68, Janet Titsworth McMurray '67, John Holmes '60.

If you fit into the multi-generational category, please send your information and phone number to me. I am excited about this project, and I am looking forward to speaking with all of you.

Many Blessings to each of you in 2023!

Best Wishes to all,

Jackie Fleming Fonken, Class of 1956

# Gaucha Football 13-0 CIF North Coast Champions Congratulations!!!



John Gioia, Class of 1975, wearing this 1975 letter jacket.



Coach Jacob Rincon presents the North Coast Section Championship Plaque

**El Cerrito High School** (13-0) has won the Division III, **North Coast Section, CIF**, High School Football Championship by beating Windsor High (near Santa Rosa) by a score of 34 to 27.

Kudos to Gauchos running back Tony McAdoo, who had an amazing game. He will be playing in the Blue-Grey All American East-West Football game in Dallas on December 12th.

Let's support our El Cerrito High students, families, players, coaches and teachers for a great year academically and athletically.



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Reunion leaders, classmates: If you are planning your reunion or need information about your reunion.  
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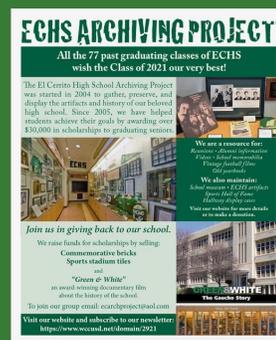
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