

Class of 1961 Special Recognition Award

Presented to

Ron Wybranowski

Ron, over the decades you have always been, and continue to be, a highly valuable spoke in the Class of '61 management wheel. In past years, you have been a former class webmaster, reunion chair for two of our twelve major reunions to date, and a former class president for a 5-year term. Several years ago, the Class ran into a problem with the resignation first by a long-time class treasurer and then by his replacement shortly thereafter. You were approached about stepping in to become at least the "interim" class treasurer. Without any hesitation, you stepped up immediately to help the Class and have continued as class treasurer for several years to date. During that time you have improved the monthly treasurer's report and have added valuable input into the monthly virtual meetings of the class officers and at-large members of the executive committee.

At some point during your 61 years as an alumnus, you became interested and highly proficient in photography. One of your many photographic images was of the Robert Frost statue donated by the Class of 1961 to Dartmouth College in 1996. This photo was selected some 25 years ago by the Class to become an integral part of our ongoing class logo. In addition, when the class officers approached George Lundeen, the esteemed sculptor of the Frost statue on campus, and asked him to personally autograph several photos of the Frost statue for framing and distribution to then engaged class leaders and selected members of the College's administration, including Dartmouth's then President, George Lundeen selected your photograph as the one he would autograph for posterity and selected distribution.

Ron, as a result of the aforementioned, the Class of 1961 has selected you to be a recipient of the Class of 1961 Special Recognition Award.

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