## Jane Belanger

Class of '78





Occupation: Owner Big House Rentals

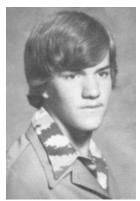
Family: I have 2 children: 26yr son and 30 yr daughter (as of 2023)

**Interests:** Sailing, golfing, cooking, biking, kayaking, swimming, scuba AND my family

**Biography / Memorable Life Experiences:** Currently, selfemployed owner of Big House Rentals providing off-campus housing to UM students for now 39 years. Previously, an AAPS Rec & ED school administrator. I had the pleasure of starting and running Camp Champ, a camp for mild to moderately severe children for 10 years, along with satellite enrichment programs for the community at AAPS middle and high schools. BA:UofM 1982. I am blessed with 2 beautiful children. I have traveled to Europe, United States and Caribbean destinations. Looking forward to semi-retirement and time on the lake and in Florida.

## **Dennis Gruschow**

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Occupation: Police Officer - Retired Family: Wife - Debi

Interests: Bicycling, RV'ing, SCUBA

**Biography / Memorable Life Experiences:** In 2013, after almost 30 years of law enforcement and 20 years of serving in the Michigan Army National Guard, we traded our ice scrapers & snow shovels for year 'round flip-flops in Florida. No regrets... Biography / Memorable Life Experiences: After graduating, I spent 10 years in the travel industry as a leisure and corporate agent. I married.. stayed home to raise 3 boys.. went back to so and received a Graduate Certificate in Gerontology at EMU. Sp

## Steven (Steve) Breiner

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**Occupation:** Motivational speaking and sales

**Family:** married 32 yrs to Dana, sons Nathan & Garrett, grandson Brady (yes after Tom)

Interests: speaking, training, jogging, softball, and of course Michigan football & bball

**Biography / Memorable Life Experiences:** I've been in sales and sales management for over 35 years, selling travel, luxury cars, and jewelry. I have lead teams to record sales months, as a sales manager. I took our dealership from dead last (55th) in the region to #1. My 1st year in the jewelry business through teamwork, I had over 1 million in sales. My two boys Nathan and Garrett played sports from age 5, both through high school and one through college. I have lots of stories to tell and teach that relate to teamwork, persistence, preparation, setbacks, comebacks, attitude, passion, growth, and fear. Join my call every Sunday. LND

## **Julie Kern Lucas**

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Occupation: Sales

Family: 3 sons, also cared for many small creatures and two schnauzers along the way

Interests: Biking, travel , friends, and looking forward to new adventures.

**Biography / Memorable Life Experiences:** After graduating, I spent 10 years in the travel industry as a leisure and corporate travel agent. I married.. stayed home to raise 3 boys.. went back to school and received a Graduate Certificate in Gerontology at EMU. Spent several years fundraising, volunteering, and supporting seniors. I am currently working part time with the flexibility of controlling my own schedule and excited about the future. I really enjoyed seeing everyone at the reunion weekend festivities!