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The Class of 1956 wishes to extend an invitation to fellow classmates to join them at their monthly gathe
They meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the Midtown Holiday Inn at 6:00 pm.



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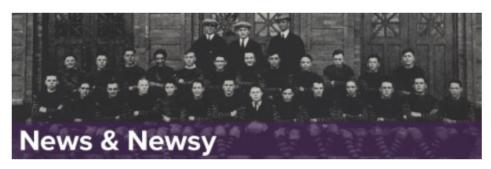
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New Rise for the New Year

- "There is nothing permanent except change."
- Heraclitus

For the record, Heraclitus was not a graduate of Grand Island Senior High although I think someone who looked like him sat next to me in homeroom my junior year. Rather, he was a Greek philosopher, famous for trafficking in the idea that opposites eventually coincide. Go figure. He also dabbled in the notion that fire was the world's most basic material and something called "universal flux" was always at work. (See details in the quote above.)

Heraclitus and his doctrines notwithstanding, welcome to the new Rise, a change — however impermanent — we at the newsletter believe will make our little publication easier to navigate and read. That's because we took to heart another saying: "Change is inevitable, growth is optional." We are growing so, yes, changing.