Friend of U-High: Mary Lou Hutson

Mary Lou Hutson has served U-High and its alumni for many years. As secretary for the Director of the Laboratory Schools, she gladly assumed numerous duties related to U-High alumni. When she retires, she will be greatly missed.

Mary Lou maintains the alumni database. She edits the alumni newsletter and prepares it for mailing; assists reunion planners and provides them with class lists and mailing labels; answers telephone calls and e-mails from alumni; provides secretarial assistance for homecoming activities; and prepares the agenda and treasurer's report for Alumni Association meetings. In other words, she runs the U-High Alumni Association from her office on a daily basis. The amount of work she accomplishes is impressive since this is a small part of her duties.

Even more remarkable is her pleasant, caring, supportive manner as she performs these duties. Mary Lou is often the first point of contact for U-High alumni. Her friendliness and welcoming spirit send a message to alumni that they are valued. Without Mary Lou's diligence and helpfulness, the U-High Alumni Association could not have been as successful from its inception.

The University High School Alumni Board and Awards Committee would like to thank her for her outstanding contribution. Mary Lou Hutson is truly a "Friend of U-High."