



Donald N. Kohlhaas

August 22, 2021

Surrounded by his family, Donald N. Kohlhaas, of Sicklerville passed away on August 22, 2021. Born in Harrisburg, Don was raised by Oscar & Catherine Geiger Kohlhaas. He attended Perkiomen Prep High School and Lycoming College. Later he obtained his Masters Degree from Glassboro State. He had a long history of teaching science and coaching wrestling in several schools in the South Jersey area. He began at Woodbury Heights., then to Barrington, Maple Shade, Beck Middle School and Cherry Hill West where he retired. His coaching career spanned many years with his most memorable being Cherry Hill East and West with his partner in crime John Semar. Don also had a love for waterskiing. Countless memories were made on the Rancocas. His passion to mentor whether it be from the classroom, the mat or the water made him a friend to all.

He is survived by his children, Donna Monteith and her husband Michael and Oscar "Ozzie" Kohlhaas and his wife Lori; a brother Ronald Watkins and five grandchildren, Dylan, Tyler, Lacie, Adam and Evan. In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by four siblings, Betty Malick, David, Jack and Thomas Watkins.

Services will be held at the Sharptown United Methodist Church, 24 Church St., Pilesgrove, NJ 08098 on Thursday, August 26, 2021. The viewing will begin at 10 AM with the service following at 11 AM. Burial will be private and at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers the family has suggested that donations be made to the Delaware Valley Science Fairs, Countryside Consulting Inc., 690 Stockton Drive, Suite 105, Exton, PA 19341 or at www.dv-sf.org.

Cemetery Details

Private Interment

Previous Events

Viewing

AUG **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Sharptown Methodist Church
3 Chapel Street
Pilesgrove, NJ 08098

Service

AUG **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JA

“ Long overdue but I had no idea Mr.Kohlhaas has passed. He was a wonderful incredible teacher and mentor to me in Beck middle school cherry hill. I never forgot him ever ♡

Joey Antonietti - May 30, 2023 at 05:16 PM

RN

“ R.I.P. I'll never forget all the great memories of being out on the lake. I wouldn't have learnt to waterski, kneeboard, or wakeboard if it weren't for you. I'll always have the memory of seeing you in the hallways as i roamed to my classes. Thanks for all the great times and great memories.

Richard Nankoo - September 02, 2021 at 04:26 PM

DM

Thank you for sharing!

donna Monteith - September 06, 2021 at 12:34 PM

CD

“ In my first year after moving to Cherry Hill I had him as a Biology teacher. He pushed me hard about taking thorough notes. I thought I knew my stuff. What he instilled in me, helped me become a far better student. And helped me tremendously on the college level getting my own science degree, and retaining knowledge during my whole career span. Thank you sir. You will be cherished and missed.

Chris Dudley - August 25, 2021 at 10:02 PM

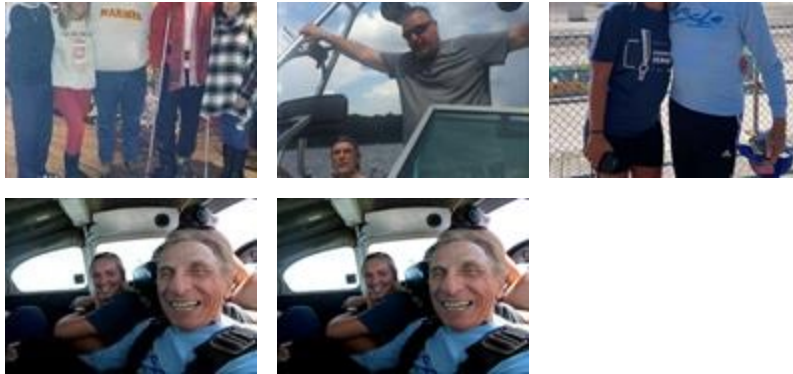
PK

“ *What a wonderful guy. We will miss you at the barbecues and holiday get together's. And especially all The Sunday eagle games. Will never forget Super Bowl Sunday when they won we were all screaming and jumping around like kids. You will be miss. Love Pat and Ed*

pat keeper - August 25, 2021 at 06:02 PM

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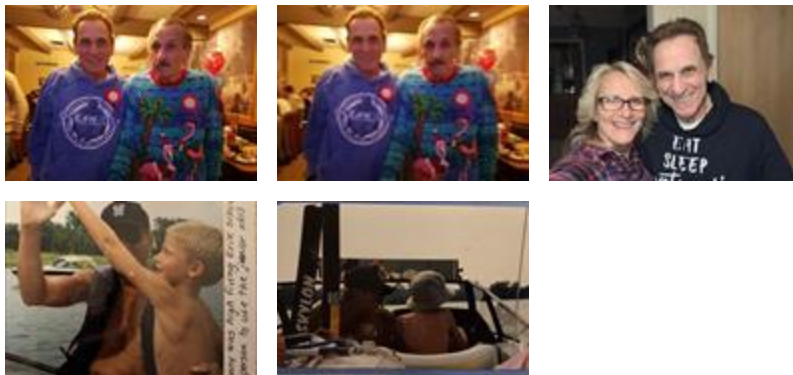
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Oscar kohlhaad - August 25, 2021 at 02:12 AM

YW

“ *8 files added to the tribute wall*



Yvette Wevodau - August 24, 2021 at 07:49 PM

GW

“ Uncle Donny and I had a special kinship right from the start when I married into the family 37 years ago. His laugh was infectious along with his gregarious sense of humor . I always enjoyed our laughs and memories. I remember one time when he was maybe in his mid-sixties he wanted to wrestle me. I outweighed him by 100lbs and was 30 years his junior. His strength and skill impressed me, must have been all that water skiing holding on for dear life. I couldn't let him win but it was a struggle, I think we called it a draw in the end. I will miss your smile and laughs Uncle Donny! Love you, Gerry... aka The Big Guy 😊

Gerry Wevodau - August 24, 2021 at 07:43 PM

CB

So loved the way you treated my son and his sister, Beth. They always enjoyed the experience in your boat
And how you embraced them as family! So many great memories been them!
The Blauvelts

carol Blauvelt - August 31, 2021 at 07:13 PM

CT

“ There are so many memories that have taken place on the boat and other places as well. I have been good friends with Don since the '80s and we used to get up before work and do ski runs before because the water was so glassy and I think the best memory would be the hot air balloons that would come down to catch the spray from our rooster tails. We really enjoyed that and then there were times we would use glow sticks to ski at night but all in all every one of them were good and fun and they're unforgettable We will miss you Don

Cindy Pagnotti fka DeLand fka Tice - August 24, 2021 at 06:21 PM