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## Where have all my old friends gone? Day 7

Saturday, May 14, 2016

Today I'm thinking about my "class" - those who joined the same week that I did. I know that we are supposed to be automatically assigned to a team when we sign up, but somehow that did not happen to me. I know I didn't have any friends or any teams for a very long time. I just tracked and occasionally read some articles. I didn't even spin the wheel. I was the invisible sparker.

Years later when I realized that class teams existed, I joined mine. I figured that would confuse the leader and anyone that still remained so I gave a short explanation. I didn't recognize anyone on the list. That doesn't mean none were active only that our paths never crossed in the vast Spark Universe.

Now for today's data.

11 Active and 9 Inactive/Missing - 55% of this group are still sparking!!

Summary: 53 of 110 are still active - 48%

2013 still leads as the year most dropped out (5 of 7).  
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**CHANGINGHORSES**



Almost no one active from my class.  Nov 2010  
1848 days ago



**PRNCSCUP1-2FULL**



When I first joined in 2008 they did not place you automatically into teams. At least I wasn't placed. But, when I reset my goals a few years later they automatically put me into teams. I didn't stay with any of them! LOL!  
1852 days ago



**LIVEDAILY**



How odd...when I joined, one of the very first things I received was an invitation to join my class spark team, which I am still a member of. Sometimes mail from SP lands in our spam or junk email box, and if you just empty it without checking it, you could have missed it.  
1853 days ago



**GINIEMIE**

Class teams? How come I missed that! I joined teams but based on my likes and interests...backed out of a few too. Oh, 2010 was a rough year. April was the good part but after



June the bottom fell out...



1854 days ago



**DOVESEYES**



1854 days ago



**PHEBESS**

I didn't join my "class team" but I'm not sure if they had them when I joined. (I didn't even know to spin the spinwheel for points for my first month!)



1854 days ago



**ONEKIDSMOM**

One day I'll get around to this... but in the meantime, still enjoying your examination!



1854 days ago



**WUMPASTAR**

I'm the only one who's still active from my class, lol. Feels kinda lonely.



1854 days ago



**PHOENIX1949**



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**JEANKNEE**

I didn't join teams or get active with Spark for over 3 years. I, too, was a solo Sparker.



1855 days ago



**CD4114015**

These blogs are amazing. I had been joined to a team when I joined but then dropped it but went back last year and rejoined just so I could see at a glance the week I started. Perhaps the inaccessible ones are just set to "private" than happens sometimes.



Thanks for these blogs! Have a super- blessed weekend!

1855 days ago



**POINDEXTRA**

I was never assigned to a class team either, and also started out as a "solo sparker." How do you find your "class" to join it?



1855 days ago



**ANGIEN9**

Thanks for sharing!



1855 days ago



**HOLLYM48**



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**50YEARSWIFE**

I did not join teams for awhile either. There is so much to figure out on this sight. Thank goodness Spark has added tutorials over the years to better understand how to get around here.



1855 days ago

**DAWNSUCCESS**

That did not happen for me either. And it was very lonely and confusing for a long long time.





But hi! Now we have friends!



1855 days ago



**SWTLVR2**

Thanks for sharing!

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**JULIERIC61**

Me too? Would love to have a small group thing where you get to know each other.

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**LILT68**

Class teams?? I'm confused..what am I missing?

1855 days ago



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