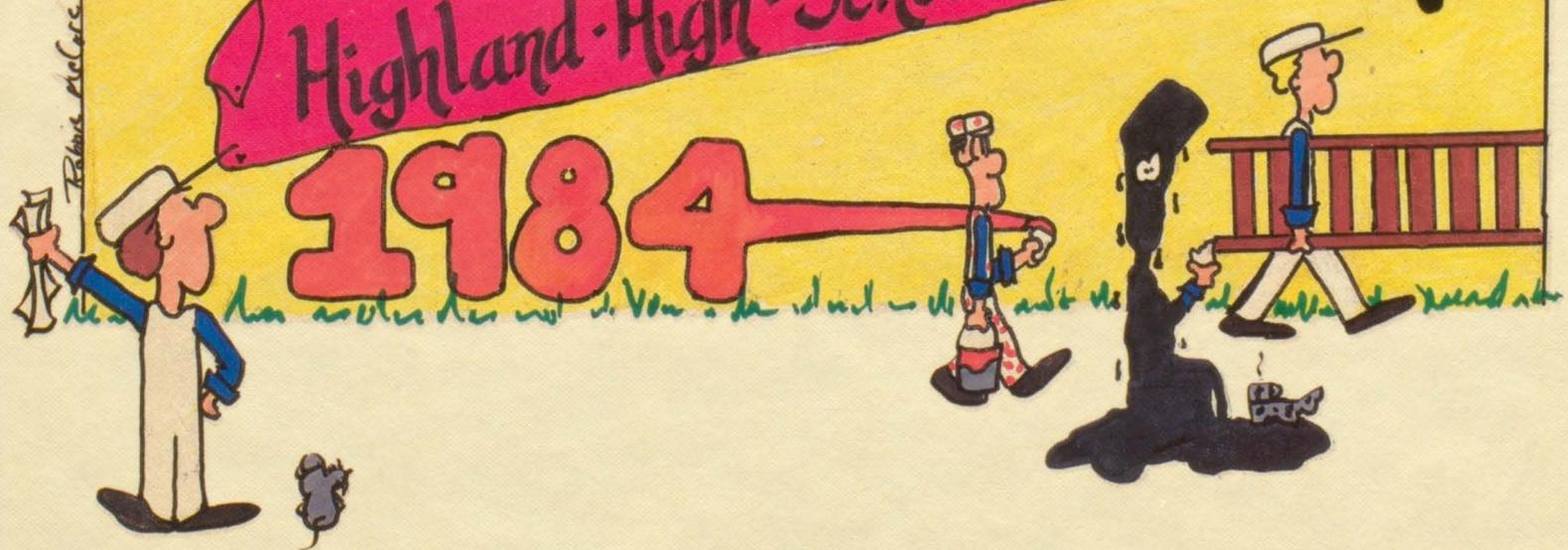




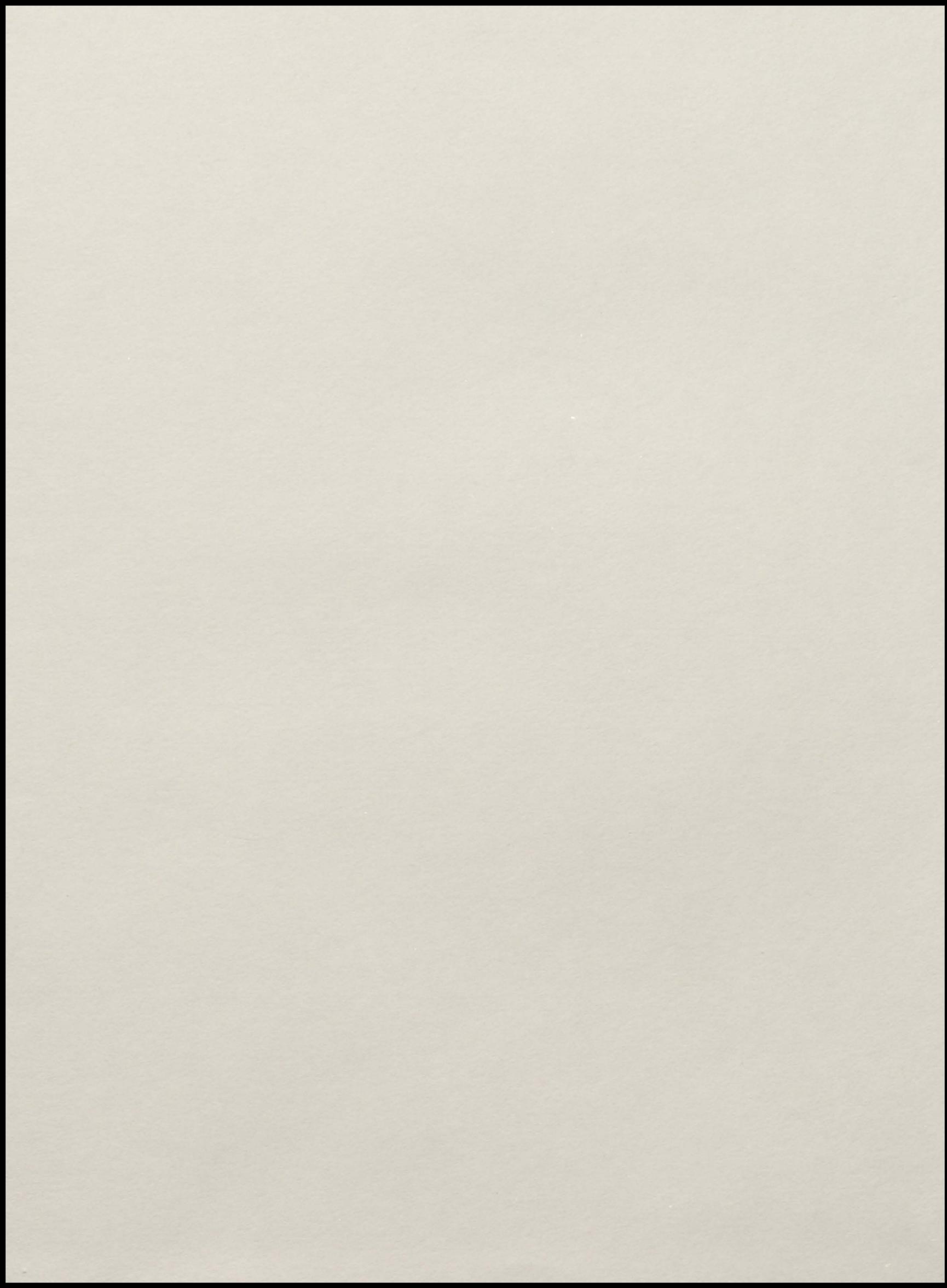
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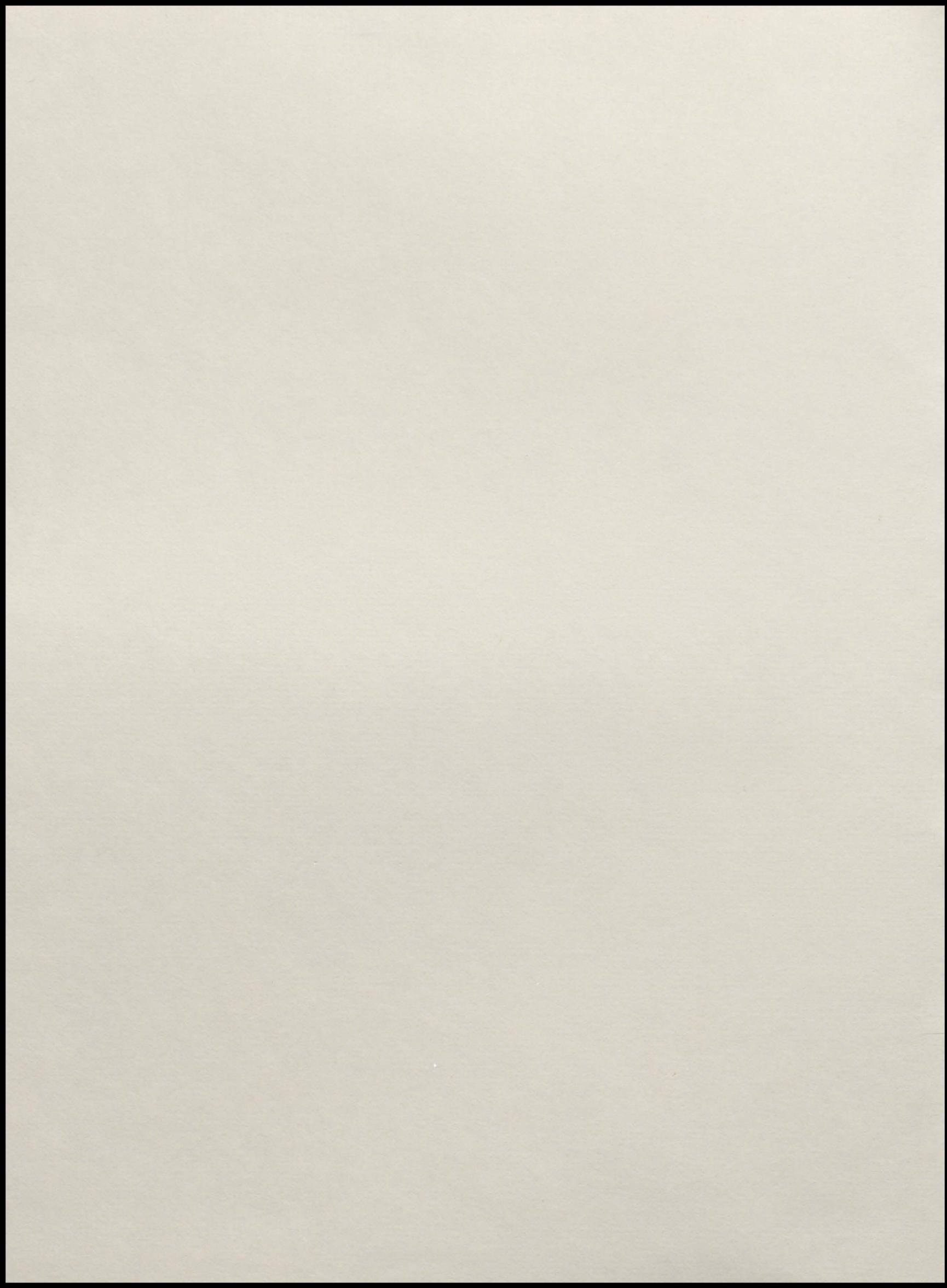
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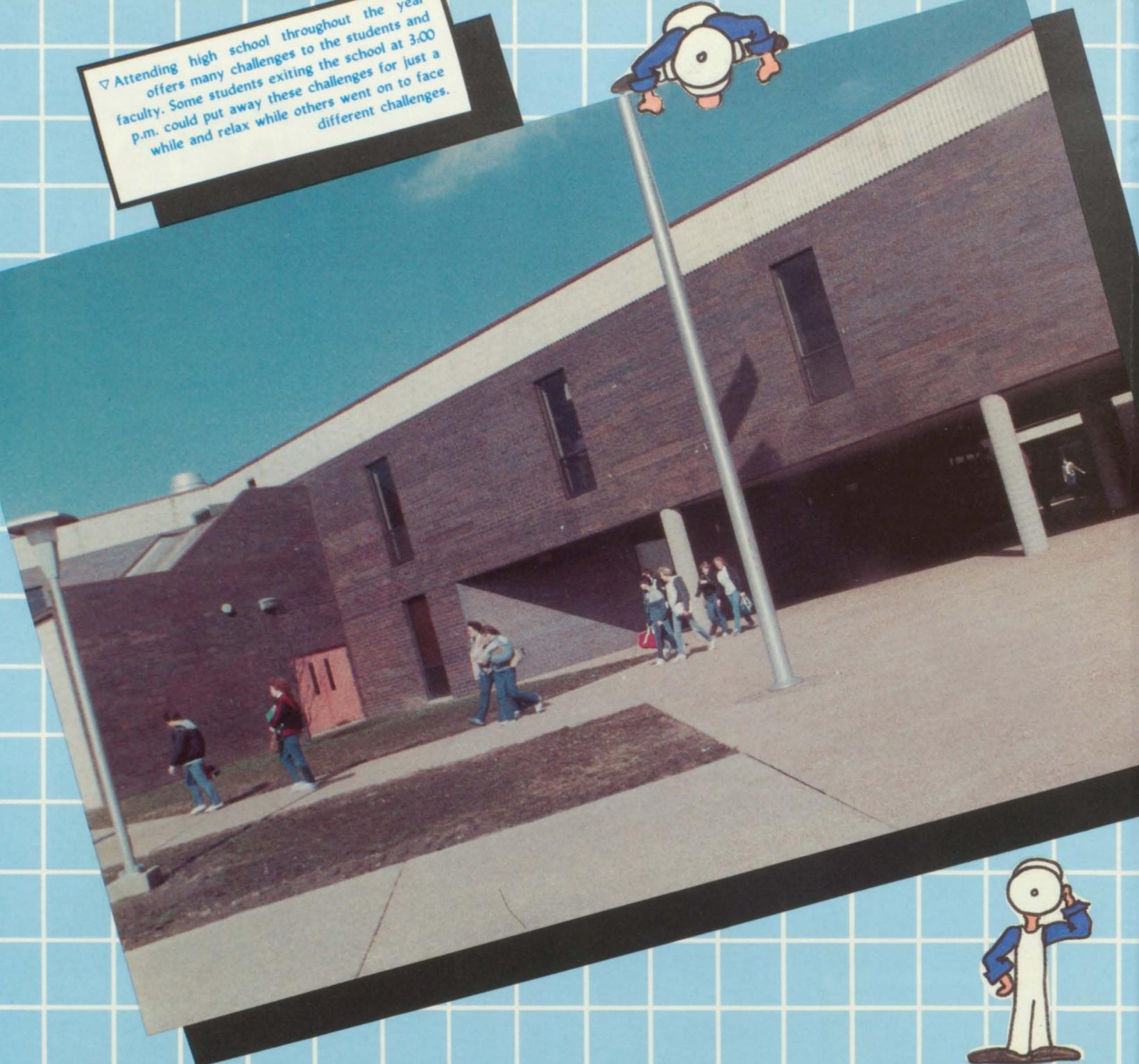








▽ Attending high school throughout the year offers many challenges to the students and faculty. Some students exiting the school at 3:00 p.m. could put away these challenges for just a while and relax while others went on to face different challenges.



## Meeting the Challenge

Challenges. Obstacles. Some big, some little. Sometimes they hold us back; other times they spur us on. Whether large or small, challenges face us everyday.

For most students, the biggest challenge happened August 29, 1984, which marked the beginning of early morning rising after a summer of late sleep-ins.

For some it was the challenge of homework, lectures and tests again in the struggle to receive a better education. For others it was the challenge of rising to the moment to ask that special person out on a date, or the challenge to do their best in a sport, to make the honor roll, or to hit that one high note.

For teachers it was the challenge of making out daily lesson plans, grading

tests and trying to interest classes in difficult subject matter.

For the administration, it was the challenge of running a productive school, and yet meeting the increasing demands of education.

Challenges were everywhere, and sometime somewhere we all encounter them. Overcoming them takes hard work, determination and of course, the ability to put all the facts into perspective and to get them straight.

◁ Sophomore Brian Weiss meets the challenge of building a project in woods class by using a jig-saw, where precision cutting is required.  
▽ Playing the piano is a challenge that requires much time and practice. Sophomore Amy Steiner put in much time preparing for her piano solo in the IHSA Solo and Ensemble contest where she captured a first rating.



△ Weather offered challenges to students this year by hitting record highs in the fall, and then falling to record lows in the winter.  
▷ Senior Bulldog captains Brian Zobrist and Robbie McCord, meet the challenge of Homecoming game by being introduced to the captains of the Jerseyville Panters. The Bulldogs lost the challenge 25-0.

## Planning the Attack

In the case of the "Lady Bulldogs," the plan for success led to the titles of conference, regional and sectional champs.

For the football teams, it was planning a way to practice around summer heat even if it involved eating watermelon or drinking water from the new sprinkler.

For art students, it was coming up with a design for murals to add color to the English department walls.

For the cafeteria workers, it was planning ways to entice students to eat lunch by offering free shakes or holding drawings for "Blues" hockey

Prior to getting anything straight, a plan of attack helps give direction.

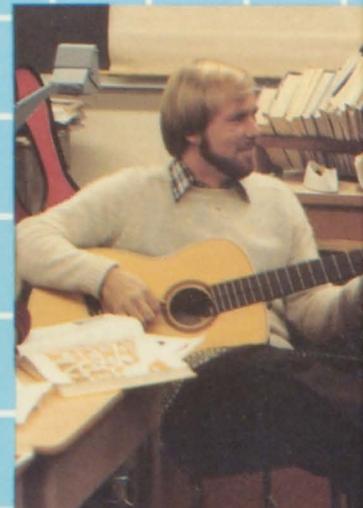
tickets.

For the administration, it was finding groups such as "Education Plus" to help finance new computers to help meet rising class demands.

For most, it was finding a way to cope with the emptiness after the death of a favorite teacher, Mr. David Bailey, in the beginning of the year.

For all, it was devising a way to cope with the everyday boredom of homework and tests and daily routines.

A plan of attack makes challenges a little easier to meet and keeps us on the right track in the struggle to "get it straight."



◁ Teachers often try to hold the attention of students during class. Mr. Tom Burns helps out in Mrs. McNutt's English class by getting the students involved in a song.

▽ Computers offer the challenge of writing a program to senior Brian Melton. Over 175

students took advantage of the 8 computer sections offered this year.

▷ In the parenting class, students work directly with children to plan their attack against the challenge of taking care of a family as parents.



△ After drawing up a design, students as well as faculty plan their attack to finish the latchhook which now hangs in the stair well. Sophomores Tricia Fornelli, Jenny Becker, Kerri Bloemker and senior Sue Hencke put the finishing touches on the design.

◁ The death of history teacher Mr. David Bailey, left a loss that no plan of attack could easily overcome.

◁ Huddling together, the girls basketball team and second year coach Paul James discuss their plan of attack in the first game of regionals.



## *Striving for Perfection*

Getting it straight could mean a lot of hard work, determination, sweat, tears and fears but for those who make it, it means self-satisfaction.

For Mrs. Gloria Alarcon, Spanish teacher, and Mrs. Majorie Clayton, chorus director, it was retiring after many years of perfecting their skills in the teaching field.

For members of the Jets team, it was extra study to prepare for math, English and science competitions.

For band and chorus members who strive for the top it was participating once again in the IHSA Solo and Ensemble contest where they took home 29 firsts, 15 seconds and 1 third.

For art students Sue Hencke, Dena Suess and Cathy Wendler, it was displaying their talents at Southern Illi-

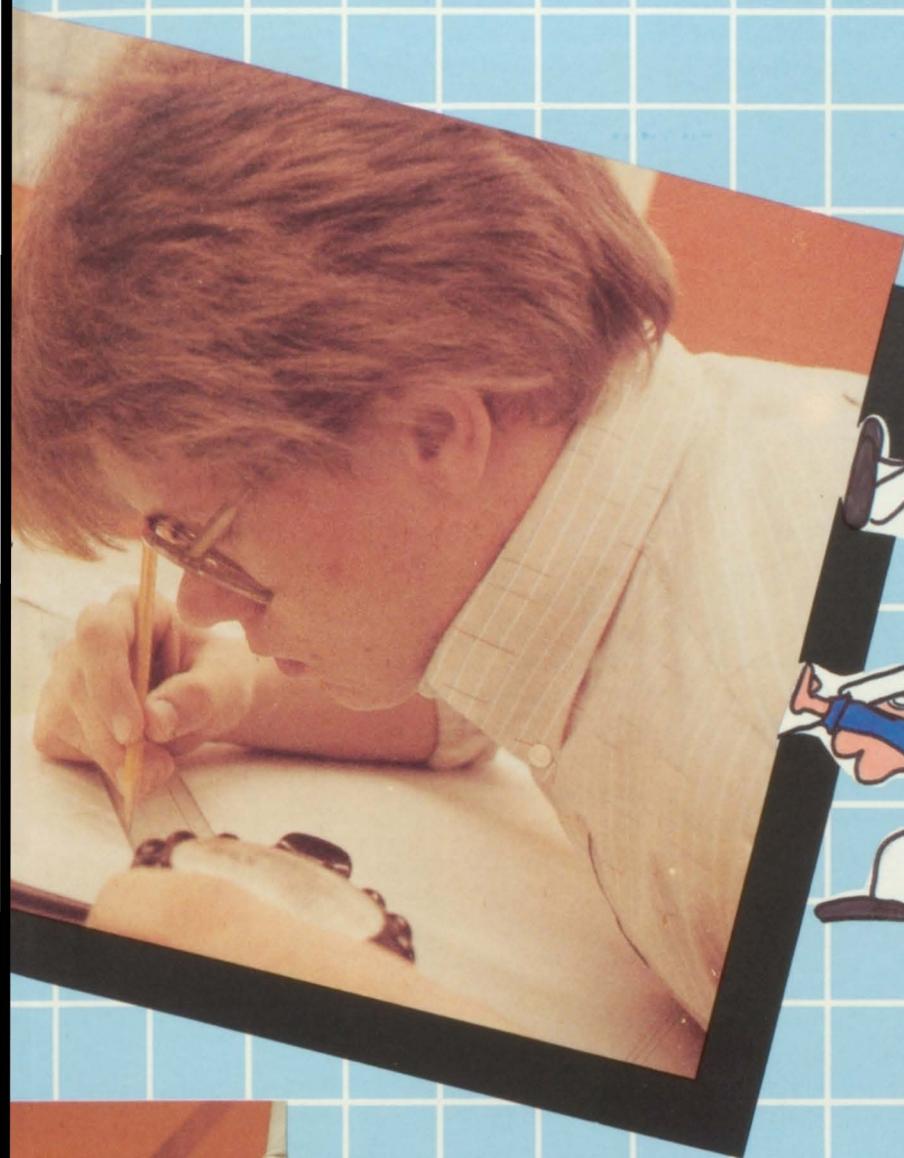
nois University in Edwardsville in a competition for high school seniors.

Striving for senior Bernice Weber was taking a part in a TV commercial after being one of 15 girls picked out of approximately 450 girls.

For junior Donna Palenchar it was perfecting her writing in an essay contest for Guideposts magazine where she won a \$2000 scholarship.

Perfection doesn't just happen. It requires time off the field, out of class and on your own striving for what you want. Yet, knowing what you want and going for it means finding your goals and getting them straight.





**Clockwise from Far Left**

Trying to raise school spirit, Band director John Heath leads the band in an early morning pep rally for the Lady Bulldogs who were striving for the top.

Senior Mark Rosen carefully pencils in a line for drafting class. Drafting is a form of art involving much precision, where every line must be as perfect as the last.

Drawn into the action of the game, junior Bonnie Deibert watches as her teammates play in the first game of regionals. The Lady Bulldogs went on to capture regionals and sectionals, but lost in supersectionals.

Assistant principal Joe Schaefer and Student Council member Lesa Kraus, in an effort to produce the best homecoming coronation ever, make sure every castle is perfect and able to stand. The Student Council recreated the Land of Oz as part of the "Over the Rainbow" theme. Health classes teach students valuable first aid skills where perfection is a necessity. Junior Donna Volvia strives to perfect her head bandage on sophomore Amy Livingston.



## Just our Luck

Getting it straight means everything has to fall into place. It involves planning, overcoming obstacles, extra effort and a little bit of luck. But sometimes luck can play tricks.

In the eyes of most students it was great to get three snow days off at the end of February. But as luck would have it, many found themselves stranded in their homes as near blizzard conditions enclosed the area.

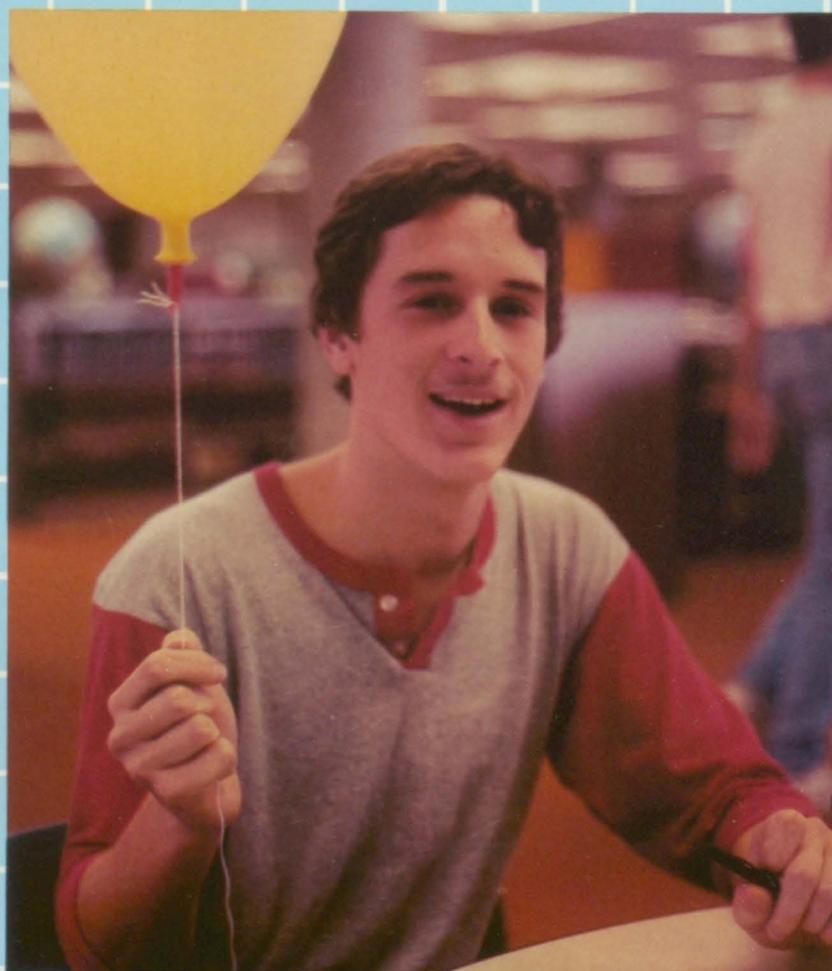
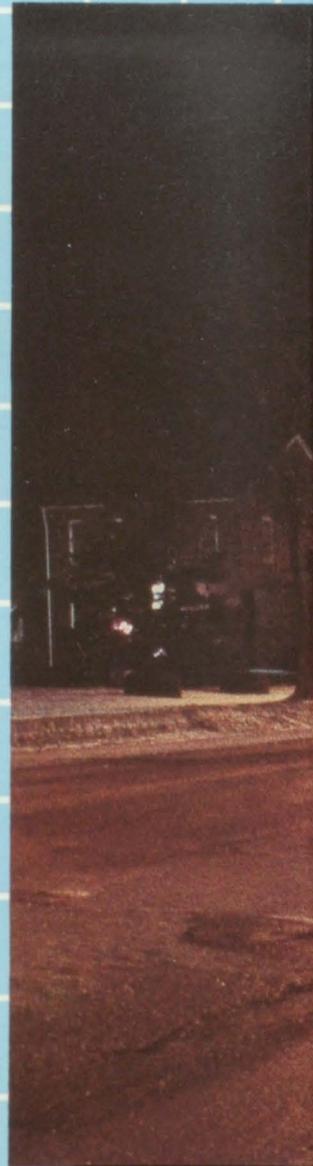
It was just senior Robbie McCord's luck that when he finished the title page for yearbook, he had put his phone number on the finished drawing instead of the school's and was required to do part of the work over.

For senior Devin Willie, luck was making it to state in golf and then getting to play only one round because of illness.

It was just luck that on a day when temperatures hovered below freezing and snow pelted down, someone decided to pull the fire alarm during fourth hour lunch.

For the girls basketball team it was just their luck that on the day of senior game, school was dismissed at 11:15 and the game was cancelled because of snow storms that never quite arrived.

It was true luck for a bus load of fans who on their way to watch the girl's basketball team play in supersectionals, ended up missing the game as their broken down bus was repaired.





**Clockwise from Top:**

Luck played many tricks on the students in 83-84. When snow caused the school to close down, it was great. Yet, most found themselves stranded in their homes as the snow continued to fall and accumulate.

A pre-game event before every home football game was having the football players run through the traditional pop-through. This time, however, the wind caused the pop-through to tear before the football players had a chance to run through it.

Students and faculty reenter the school building after a fire alarm had been triggered causing them to evacuate it. It was just everyone's luck that the alarm sounded on a cold, snowy day during fourth hour.

Senior Dean Frey, supporting the Student Council, found himself carrying a balloon around school all day.

# Starting out Right

▽ Waving his magic wand, Mr. Koch plays his role as the mighty "Wizard" for the game "Wizard Sez."

"Somewhere Over the Rainbow" is what students and teachers hummed during Homecoming Week, as they took a trip down the yellow brick road and wound through a week of Student Council-sponsored activities.

Competitions began almost a week ahead when classes decorated the commons for the theme contest. On Monday Mr. Koch played the Mighty Wizard in a rendition of "Wizard Sez." Tuesday found students blowing up balloons until they popped, and on Wednesday teams raced for the pot of gold and played musical chairs to music from the famous "Wizard of Oz" album. Winners added points to class totals.

These activities combined with a "show your emerald green" dress-up day and a lollipop day added uniqueness to the traditional week.



△ Catching the beat, these senior girls enjoy dancing at the sock hop which followed the homecoming game.

▷ Junior class girls celebrate their victory over the sophomore girls after the championship powderpuff game.



▽ At the homecoming pep rally, a blindfolded Rob McCord discovers that a kiss he thought came from a cheerleader actually came from his mother.



◁ Showing her school spirit, Christy Essenpreis carries a helium-filled balloon purchased from the Student Council.



△ Adding to the spirit of the pep rally was a skit in which sophomore Brad Wilken became a glamorous cheerleader and freshman Carla Niggli, a husky football player.

# Following the Rainbow

Highlighting every homecoming week are the powderpuff game and the pep rally.

Even though bad weather caused Tuesday evening's scheduled tricycle race to be cancelled, it couldn't dampen spirits for the powderpuff volleyball game inside the gym, where the sophomores captured the victory. At that game, Mark Rosen was chosen powderpuff queen, selected on the basis of beauty and talent.

The annual pep rally, on Thursday this year because of a teachers institute on Friday, found an array of motley dressed students who had dressed for Tornado Twister day by wearing their clothes inside out. With its usual popular skits, music and cheers, the pep rally left everyone, especially the seniors who had won the class competitions, in a homecoming mood.

The spirit carried over to Friday evening where mum-wearing fans cheered, stomped and clapped to spur the Bulldogs onto victory against Jerseyville. But even the special halftime band show couldn't muster enough points as the Dogs went down to defeat, 25-9.



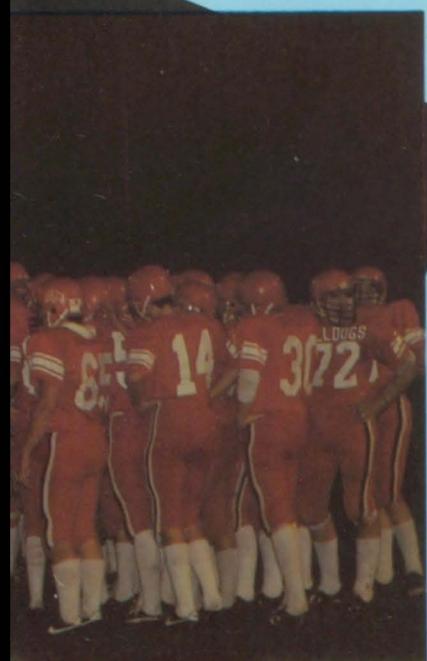
△ Buying a mum, an annual homecoming tradition, became a headache for junior Lisa Brusack who had to hand them out.

▽ Strutting their stuff, the band tries to get the fans in the football spirit by playing the song "On Broadway."

▽ Although seniors Andy Frerker, Mark Rosen, David Bugger, Jeff Wellen, and Drew Mesle all vigorously competed for the title of Powderpuff Queen, the people's choice ultimately went to Mark Rosen.



▽ Working their makeshift stage, the men from Southern Illinois Audio Show set up for another show.



◁ In the traditional pregame huddle, the Bulldogs try to gear themselves up for a victory against Jerseyville.

△ Hoping the music will stop, sophomore Helen Shaw tries to win the musical chairs competition.

# Over the Rainbow

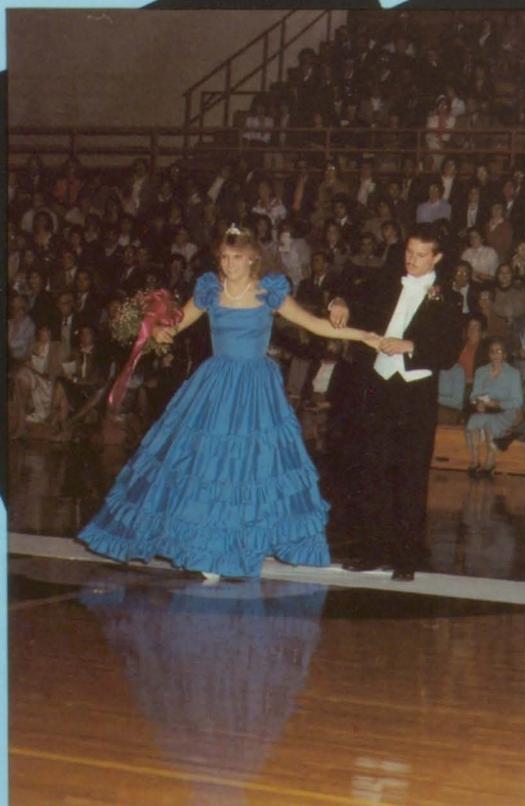
Rainbow magic kept spirits and suspense going into Saturday night for the annual coronation.

Entering under a gigantic rainbow spanning one end of the gym, twelve select juniors and eighteen seniors, greeted retiring queen Gayle Radmer and king Scott Koch.

Then master and mistress of ceremonies Mr. John Hester and Mrs. Lynn Rutz made the announcements everyone had been waiting for. Cindy Hester and Devin Wille were named special maid and escort and Cheryl Rehkemper and Brian Zobrist were announced as the new reigning royalty of HHS.

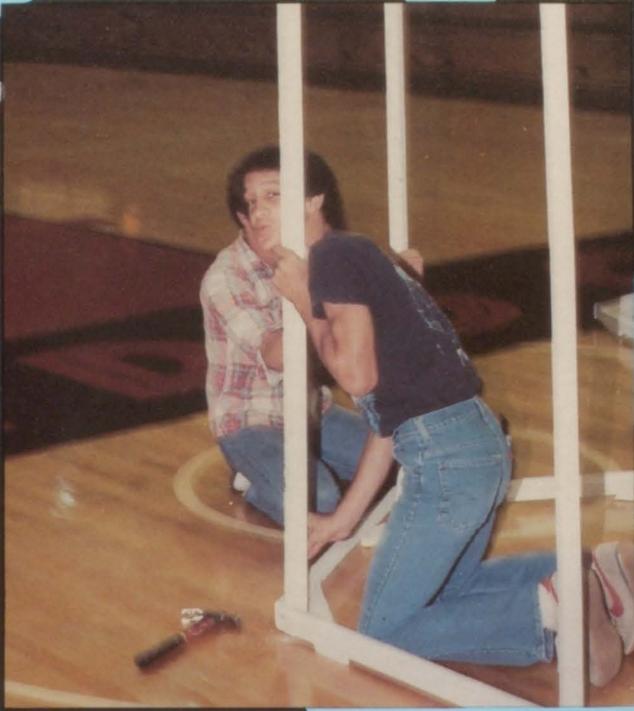
By Monday the magic had disappeared. The rainbow and its castles had disintegrated into a gymnasium and the ladies and gentlemen of the court once again became HHS students. Homecoming 1983 had been a brief, but magical, fun-filled week that would remain as memories somewhere over the rainbow.

▽ After many hours of planning and preparation, Student Council adviser Ms. Swafford and adviser Mrs. Highlander and her husband make a last minute check before coronation, the final event of homecoming week.



◁ Retiring queen Gayle Radmer, escorted by retiring king Scott Korte, make a final walk across the gym floor.

▽ Junior Ben Hanna begins the massive task of turning the gym into the Land of Oz.



▽ Court members wait patiently for the announcement of who will become the 1984 homecoming queen and king.



△ A huge rainbow, arched over make-believe castles guarded by school mascot Fat Al, provided the backdrop for the coronation.

▷ Escorted by 1984 king Brian Zobrist, newly-crowned homecoming queen Cheryl Rehkemper walks to the central position of honor on the gym floor.



# The Court



**Freshmen Court Members**  
Russell Korte, Cheri Portell, Carla Niggli, Dan Reaka



**Sophomore Court Members**  
Scott Riggs, Kelly Moss, Jim Iberg, Chantel Harnetaux, Jay Korte, Traci Zobrist, Matt Collmann, Jeanie Schaffner



**Junior Court Members:**  
Ben Hanna, Meredith Heineman, Jeff Dubach, Robin Hartlieb, Todd Imming, Kerri Knebel, Scott Sims, Bonnie Deibert, Tim Dillow, Michelle Rinderer, Bill Hartlieb, Shari White.



**Senior Court Members**  
Cheryl Rehkemper, Tom Collman, Jamie Essenpries, Brad Paschal, Julie Bullock, Larry Whitlow, Kristie Harris, Craig Baumann, Stacy Tuffli, Grant Barth, Debbie Lofquist, Rob McCord, Michelle Riggs, Kevin Gaffner, Sherri Neumann, Brian Zobrist, Cindy Hester

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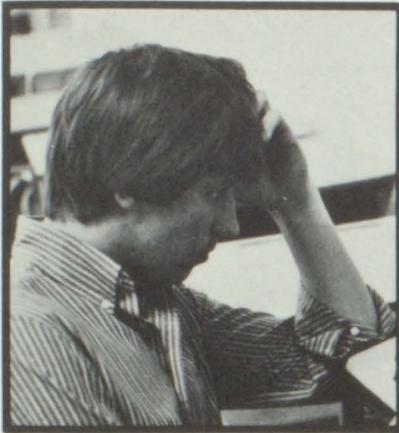
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## Editorial

Well, now that the 1984 school year is over, what was so outstanding about it? What made it better than any other year before it?

Spending four years at HHS I've seen events happen, changes occur and faces come and go, and I can safely say 1984 was so special because of the students.

The drawing together of friendships throughout the four classes, the school spirit that suddenly emerged out of nowhere when the girls basketball team rose to the top and the closeness between students and teachers all helped make 1984 one of the best.

Sure, 1984 had its traditional football season, homecoming and graduation, but it was also filled with changes that seperated it from the rest. A prom that threw away the old traditional proms and helped set a course for those yet to come, a new cafeteria that gave students

a choice and the success of the ladies sports all helped distinguish 1984 from any other year.

It was a year that faced many tragedies also, but throughout these events, I've seen more concern from the students, and more of them voicing their concerns than in years before.

Students showed their interest to get involved to help produce instead of being just spectators.

There were no great leaders in any one class, but instead group efforts from all people involved in an activity.

Looking back in 1894, which seemed to have passed in the blink of an eye, I saw many things happen day-by-day and as I exit the hallow halls of HHS, I carry with me memories of a great year and many great friends that are second to none.

Robbie McCord, Editor

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# Top of the List at HHS

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Many crazes come and go, but only a few find their home at HHS.

Brilliant colors, breakdancing, and bandanas, cabbage patch kids and curly hair, movies and Michael Jackson. What do all these things have in common? These are only a fraction of the new crazes which swept the halls of HHS and the corridors of the country during the 1983-84 school year.

Walking bodies of bright pastels and outstanding black painted HHS. Polos with collars turned up, oxford shirts with skinny ties, wool sweaters, and loafers contributed to the "prep" look. On the contrary, cropped jeans, fishnet stockings, colored panty hose, and high-heeled pumps gave a "punk" look. Then there is al-



Goofing around, a few girls wear the latest in fashion crazes seen in Highland.

ways the casual "jean and t'shirt" look.

Curly hair dominated the looks at HHS. Perms were in, straight was out. Some people chose to wear their hair in a popular style where the hair is cut around the ears, the top and the sides are chopped, and the back is left long.

The box office was filled with popular movies which teens of HHS flocked to see. The Lori theatre had a full house during the times they showed popular movies such as "Return of the Jedi," "Tootsie," "Footloose," "Christine," and "Children of the Corn." Some HHS students chose

to go to Collinsville or Edwardsville to see those movies which were sold out in Highland.

Michael Jackson dominated the music scene when he swept all of the Grammy Awards. Right behind him stood Lionel Richie, Van Halen, Boy George, Quiet Riot, and Journey. Popular music was accompanied by a new dance style. Teens and younger kids threw their bodies onto the ground and went into strange gyrations. They called this new dance style breakdancing.

Whether the new crazes are yours or not, there is always some new thing that will catch your eye.

# End of the Line

## After twelve years of school, the class of 1984 could finally say they made it!

Eleven years down and one to go. Finally you are a high school senior. Seniors are often advised to coast through their senior year and mark time until graduation. But for the Class of '84, the year meant more than marking time.

Some students at HHS who had clearly met the requirements for graduation at last found time to take classes such as "I Can" or other "fun" and practical electives.

For some who felt their high school curriculum was no longer challenging or offered nothing new, early graduation was the answer. Theresa Klein, who decided to take this route commented, "I decided to graduate early because I met all of the requirements and I wanted to work. Then after

work my plans are to go to college."

Senior year also gave classmates a last chance to leave their mark as the Class of 1984, by winning team championships. Andy Prusa commented, "With the good season of the girls basketball season, the spirit really was there. The fans were there even at away games. It really made me proud of the school. I feel out of my four years here at HHS the spirit couldn't have been better than in my senior year."

The senior class was drawn together by even more unforgettable experiences, from the drudgery of filling out college applications to the moment of receiving college acceptances. Tina Maroon remarked, "It is a big

step in deciding what to do after high school. I just hope everyone makes the right decision, whether it is college or work."

Together the seniors rallied in school spirit, in sharing the future, and in confronting the end of adolescence. Missy Putman remarked, "I really can say that I had an outstanding senior year. The Jr./Sr. Prom was super and the winning of many sport teams really added a lot to the school year. Even though there wasn't any school musical this year, it didn't stop the seniors from having a good year." The band concert of HHS TV turned out to be even better than the real MTV. Band senior Mark Rosen commented, "That is when I really felt that this was my last concert. The band seniors really had four good years, and the Phoenix Arizona trip was really worthwhile."

Graduation was one event anticipated and most seniors will always remember when the wrong announcements were delivered. In spite of the first announcements, which said "Venice High School" instead of Highland High School," graduation ceremony scheduled for June 1, continued as planned. Tina Voegele summed it all up when she said, "That will really be the last time that we as a class are all together. I really wouldn't want to belong to any other class but the 1984 class of Highland High School."

< Senior Brenda Korte stands with the rest of the class of 1984, during the graduation ceremony in the gym.



## Teaching—More Than Just a Profession

"There is so many neat things about teaching," was business teacher Miss Cheryl Swafford's reply when she was asked what she liked most about teaching. Qualifications for a teaching position at HHS are much more than obtaining a degree in education. The degree must be accompanied by the ability to discipline students while establishing a close friendship with them and an understanding for them. Sacrificing hours of their free time, instructors at Highland High School give up much of their time with families to concentrate on school activities, such as grading papers and coaching as well as advising classes and clubs.

A survey was distributed to the faculty to gather information on teaching likes and dislikes. The replies revealed teachers' opinions on various subjects.

When asked about advising clubs and classes, Mr. Thomas Koch, Ag teacher, responded, "It's super—I enjoy working with students in and out of the classroom atmosphere." Another teacher commented, "Advising a class or club both result in additional demands on one's time. I have enjoyed both activities when I have gotten the cooperation and support needed from the students. You do get to know students better than you ordinarily would if they were just in your class or not in class at all."

Miss Swafford stated, "It gives you a different perspective of the student outside of the classroom. On the other hand, it gives that student a different perspective of you."

HHS faculty also proclaimed what they liked most about teaching. "Sharing the good that we know and passing it on to others who want to know about our

subject and grow in it." "Being around and working with young people. It keeps one young," was the response of one teacher. Another commented, "Being able to see students achieve and being part of that achievement." One liked "the hours and summer break."

One of the questions asked the teachers was what one thing they would like to change about their teaching professions. Many replied that the salary should be higher. Others responses included, "Student respect and quick mouths which respond before thinking," "The last two weeks of school," "I would like to see a better working relationship between students and teachers. I would like to see more students take their role more seriously."

Because of the size of enrollment at HHS, relationships between students and teachers are easily established. Students find themselves going to teachers

for help with personal problems as well as difficulties with school. Classroom size is small enough that many teachers can work on a one to one basis with most.

The faculty was asked how strong they feel a student/-teacher relationship should be. Many teachers agreed that relationships should be strong, but most important they should have mutual respect. Another responded, "I think that students should respect their teachers and use them as a resource person—not an excuse for failure. I think teachers should see students as individuals and give them as much positive support as possible to encourage learning." Others feel they should be "strictly professional, though closeness is not unacceptable."

When one educator was asked about all the tasks that are involved in teaching, he summed it all up by stating that "It's all part of the job!"



Outside the classroom, Mr. Tom Koch, Agriculture teacher, holds the head of a young calf while a group of youngsters look on.

# Goodbye Fun and Games

It's changing before our eyes. The world is now saying goodbye to the era of video games and moving on to the more serious side of the computer industry.

Principal Fred Singleton stated, "We're no more in an industrial society. Now 65% of the world is an information society. School's are trying to pass this on to students for help in future jobs."

The students at HHS began grabbing hold of the help offered by the school. The jump from 89 students taking computer classes in 1983 to 135 in 1984, showed the growing importance in academic instruction.

Junior Tammy Imboden, data processing student, stated, "Computers are taking over everything. If you know how to use them,

you'll have a better chance at getting a job. They make things a lot easier, and with people being so lazy . . ."

The importance not only affected those who are planning to further their education in a business field, but was also seen in the agriculture department as students worked to raise money for their own computer.

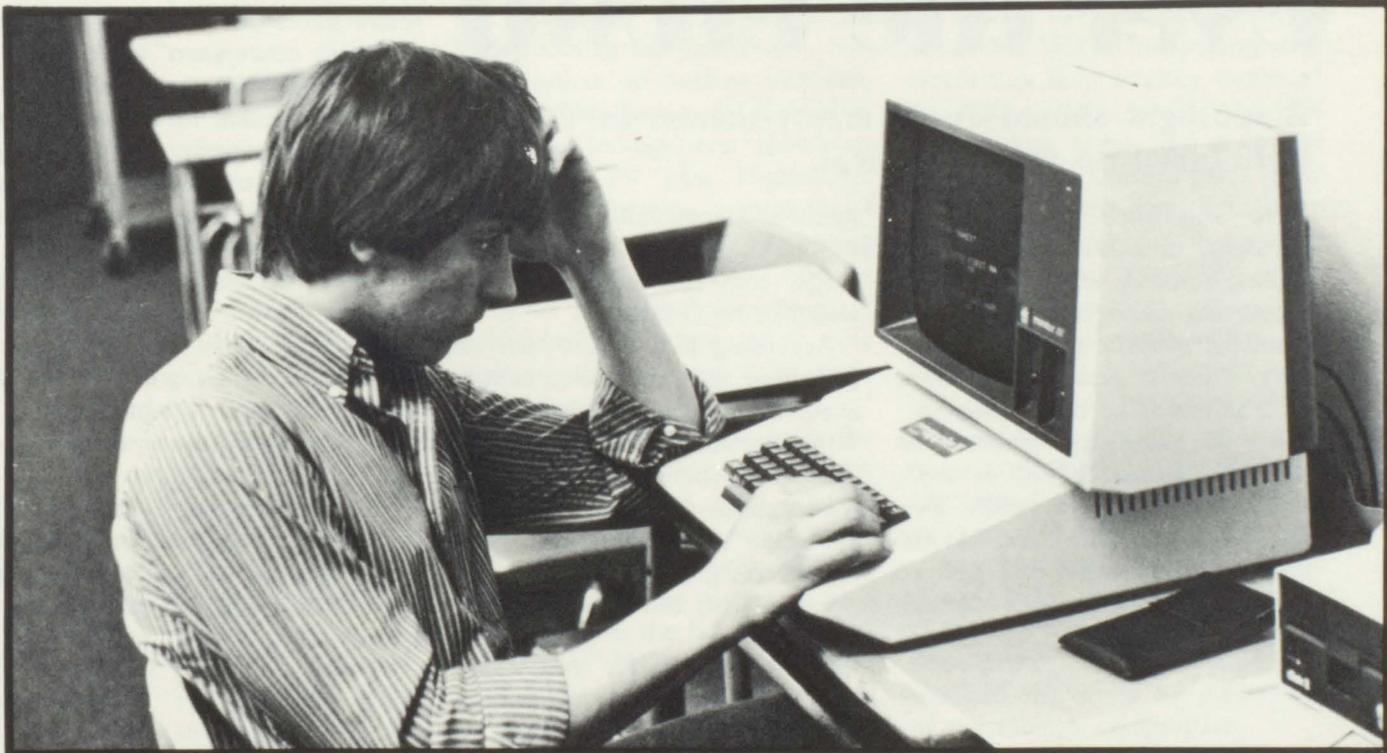
"Learning the basics here can give you a better advantage against others in your job field. What we're trying to do here is teach those basics," stated Singleton.

The basics were taught in classes such as data processing, computer literacy and advance programming by Ms. Cheryl Swafford and carried over into

the math department through the interest of Mr. John Hester and Mrs. Jeanne Probst.

The question of how the school could manage to finance the growing field of computers is one that was often asked. Faced with the problem of the computers becoming out-dated, the school wrote for grants and used part of the student activity fund to purchase new equipment. Education Plus also helped in any way they could by supplying software.

The computer has also begun playing a large part in the smooth operation at HHS. Moving from a semi-computer system in 1983, the school converted to their own in house computer system, to speed up averaging grades and distributing report cards.



Stumped by one of the school's computers, junior Gordon Rogier dwells deep in his mind for the answer. Rogier is one of the fortunate students who owns his own computer.

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◁ An empty theater faces the set from the 1983 musical titled "The King and I," but in '84, the empty theater will face an empty stage.

# A Hush Falls Over the Crowd

A spotlight shined on an empty theater in '84, as HHS faced no spring musical.

No curtains opening. No spotlights or musical numbers. No leading actor or actress or even a supporting cast. No applause or standing ovation from the audience. When it gets right down to it, it all means no school musical.

For 16 years the musical has been an annual event at HHS, dating back to 1967 with "Bye, Bye Birdie." In the years that followed, the musical gained immense popularity with the stu-

dents and community. Yet, in the 83-84 school year, a change was made; this was the year there would be no musical.

According to principal Mr. Fred Singleton, several reasons brought about the decision for no musical. With the leaving of Mrs. Sue Hill, drama teacher, two years ago, the problem of finding someone "in house" or in the school, to do the directing arose.

Faced with this problem in the

82-83 school year, the school looked to the outside for help.

Graciously stepping in to take the reins of directing was Mrs. Shirley Schaeffer, who did an excellent job," stated Singleton. Yet, problems became noticeable during the 6-8 weeks of getting ready for opening night.

The largest problem seemed to be filling the gaps, between the students, director, and the school system. Singleton worked to close those gaps, but due to health problems in '84, he was unable to take on the responsibilities that accompanied working with an outside director.

A low rate of enthusiasm also played a large part in cutting the musical this year. In '83, the school was forced to have more tryouts than expected due to lack of participation from the students.

This lack of enthusiasm could play a large part in the coming years. Singleton stated, "We'll give it a shot next year and if we can't get a full cast, we may go to every other year."

For years the musical has provided an outlet for students not involved in sports, band or any other form of activity. It gave these students a chance to show their talents to the public.

Junior Kyle Schumacher stated his opinion on the issue. "I was really mad that there wasn't one. It gave people something to do in the spring when things are dwindling down. It serves as an outlet."

Singleton stated, "The public is amazed at the talents students have. Outside people see students in a different light, I enjoy that."

# 1984

## IN 1984 .. ..

The year re-introduced the book, "1984," as well as the Olympic games.

As the old Year of '83 flew by and the cork of a champagne bottle was released, it was time to begin the year with the title 1984.

Some people decided that this book 1984. In 1948 an Englishman named Eric Blain, under the pen name of George Orwell, wrote a novel about the future. He then titled the book 1984. Since that time the novel has appeared in many high schools across the country. The interest in this classic became enormously high this year as many readers reexamined Orwell's predictions.

The book, though, does not capture the reality in which our society and government operates today. It does, however, touch upon current issues such as political cover-up and nuclear war.

Kim Kaminski, who read the book for a composition report commented, "I think everyone should read this book. It is so interesting to read. I really learned a lot from it."

Ironically, the book discusses nuclear war in one section and

growing concern over the chance of nuclear holocaust, led to a T.V. movie titled "The Day After." It was a television show that forced the viewers to experience the effects of a nuclear war. It reveals the average American going about their day, when in the background a half-heard T.V. bulletin reports on nuclear weapons. Then comes some of the most horrifying footage ever shown on a network TV. Mrs. Highlander, the school librarian, remarked, "I think that it was an outstanding footage on nuclear war. I learned a lot in just those two hours. I think ABC's footage on it was really interesting, but I do hope that it never ever happens."

Also making headlines, were the winter and summer games of the 1984 olympic games.

Continous snowfall delayed skiing events of the winter olympics in Yugoslavia, but when it was time to begin, the U.S. was ready. American skier Bill Johnson earned the U.S. its first gold medal in the downhill. Debbie Arm-

strong also brought home a gold medal in the women's giant slalom. Figure skater Scott Hamilton brought home a gold for the U.S. In the women's figure skating competition, Rosalynn Summers, the U.S.'s leading women skater, narrowly lost to Germany's Katarina Witt. Following the victorious U.S. hockey team of the 1980 olympic games, the 1984 U.S. hockey team had a lot to match up to. Unfortunately they didn't match the record as they finished 2-2-2 for a seventh-place finish, the lowest ever. And finally in the men's slalom, three-time overall World Cup champion, Phil Mahre, brought home a gold medal just ahead of his twin brother Steve Mahre, who took a respective second. In the end, the u.S. team brought home a total of eight medals, four gold.

The summer Olympic games were held in Los Angeles, California, and before the games even began, the Russians already shocked the world by pulling out of the summer competition.



Juniors Angie Lutostanski, Patti Young and Kyle Schumacher, along with freshman Annie Lutostanski help unload boxes filled with fruit that the band sold to raise money.

## HHS Lacks Money

It was the '83-'84 school year that felt the first effects of the referendum which failed in '83. Yet, after many talks of cuts, just how much actually did suffer from the budget?

"Most of the changes weren't apparent to the students," stated Principal Fred Singleton.

The most obvious were cuts concerning classes. Several classes offered one or two years are no longer being offered. Singleton commented that there had been a 15% reduction of classes alone in social studies in three years.

Along the lines of the academic cuts were the cuts in staff members. Singleton also felt low teacher salaries revealed the low budget that the school faced. Singleton stated, "We have a good, quality staff, and we're very lucky to have them. But we're having trouble competing with industry and we could lose teachers due to the salary."

The school has been forced to buy only the necessary items. Clubs and sports found the only way to get supplies and equip-

ment was to raise money themselves. The football team selling Pizza Hut coupons, the co-op students selling Dankin animals or the band selling fruit or coupon books showed the necessity for groups to raise money on their own.

Yet, most groups wouldn't be



△ Band director John Heath, up to his neck in fruit, looks on as sophomore Stephanie Hosto adds one more box of fruit to the enormous stack.

anywhere without the generosity of others. Sports were heavily supported by the Booster Club, while donations from people such as Mr. Louis Lutostanski, Mr. Sherrill Hampton, Mr. Carl Basler or Mr. Ralph Korte helped provide a better education for those in the industrial art department. A strong supporter of the school is the whole community itself. Purchasing the items that students sell, as well as paying taxes, the community enables the educational process and activities to continue.

Senior Ray Foster noticed the cuts in one of his business classes. "When your up in the business machines and you want to run copies of anything, they want you to use the old paper from Scott Air Force Base instead of the new paper in the nice packages."

The cuts will continue until a solution is found. But until then students will continue to be forced to fund their activities.

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# Slögänmäniå in '84

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**Slogans play a large part in the life of a student, and a few seem to be the more popular.**

What's in a slogan? Is someone trying to say something important or is it just a gimmick enticing students to buy buttons, bumper stickers or any other items that bear a few words of wisdom, or not so wise as the case may be.

Commercials play a large part in slogans. Trying to sell an item with a slogan is the advertisers' intent. The largest and most popular saying in 1984 became "Where's the beef?" a slogan that the fast-food restaurant Wendy's possessed in an attempt to sell their burgers. This saying soon appeared on buttons and shirts. Competing in the battle for fast-food business were slogans like

Burger King's "Broiling beats frying," or McDonald's "Good Morning, McDonalds and you."

In the contrasting spotlight are the diet soda slogans that think light is best. "Diet Pepsi, just one small calorie" became the hit slogan for Diet Pepsi with competition coming from Diet 7-Up's "No caffeine. Never had it, Never will."

Bumper stickers, a form of traveling billboard, gave individuals a personal form of advertising as well as expressing their true feelings. "Leave it to Beaver," "I love New York," and "I love Michael Jackson," were just a few sayings that garnished cars

in the student parking lot.

Also assisting in self-expression were buttons that decorated the shirts of many students. "I'm the one your mother warned you about," "No Problem," and "I love my Saint Bernard," were just a few of the many sayings that traveled through the halls of school.

Another popular item of expressing oneself was T-shirts. Wearing a shirt bearing a person's favorite college, a concert from the night before or a nickname became a very popular item among the students.



Garnishing the car, this "Leave it to Beaver" bumper sticker found its place on Robbie McCord's window.

# THOSE HANDY FOLDERS

A traditional event for most students happens every year just before school begins in August. In the fall of '83, it was no different.

When the first day of school rolled around many students made their annual trips to the stores so that they could purchase the necessary school supplies for the upcoming year—especially notebooks.

Besides the "Highland High School" folders given away during registration, students were found carrying folders that suited their personal tastes. From the plain, single colored, 36¢ notebook to the "Peanuts" or "Garfield" notebook to the notebook having a photograph, students were careful to purchase, from the wide selection, those that caught their eyes the most.

Throughout the school days ahead the notebook became a popular carrier of homework, ditto's, messages and doodles.

Not only did the notebook companies prosper in the school year, but also the suppliers of tape. Students who were either hit by the money crunch or who sought the challenge of making a notebook last throughout the year were of-

ten recognized as the ones who carried a notebook covered by tape. You see, I had this roll of tape in my locker . . ."

Senior Tony Johnson said, "I wanted to see how long a folder could last. I wanted to see if the folder could last a whole year."



△ Getting a workout, the notebooks of senior Tony Johnson's end the year held together by layers of tape.

## Getting Involved

Future Farmers of America is a club set up to help the student learn about agriculture and livestock.

This year's club did a number of the things that set it apart from other clubs. They served a meal at the Bergmann-Taylor Harvest Demonstration. They helped put up the Christmas decorations in the town square. The petting zoo was held in the spring of the year for the primary students to get one on one

contact with farm animals.

Many of the members entered contests and judgings. They entered the FFA Land Use Contest, FFA tractor driving contest, Livestock and dairy judging, FFA horse judging. For the grain farmer there was the grain and poultry show.

FFA also held its annual awards banquet and Parent-Member banquet where parents got to know one another.

# Hands-on Learning

Psychology is the study of human behavior, usually dealt with in extensive study. For many of Mr. Steven Moore's psychology students the chance to study human behavior came at the end of the school year.

The psych students had the choice of projects they would like to do. They could travel to the elementary school to work with the grade school kids and study their behaviors, assist with early childhood screening, do research papers or think up their own project.

Those who chose to travel to the grade school did so for a period of six weeks, where they observed the behaviors of a child or a group of children.

Not intended to change the thoughts and lifestyle of the child, the project dealt mainly with observation and recording of data.

Senior Beth Brown found the project helpful. "Since I want to go into teaching, it helped me. Babysitting kids doesn't help the way teaching the grade school kids does."

Senior Bill Coffee, third hour psych student, chose the early childhood screening.

"I led children around to the stations that tested their coordination and mental abilities, while I studied their reactions." After being asked what he learned from the project, Coffee stated, "I always thought kids liked to do things. I thought they had plenty of energy. But I didn't think they would be afraid of failing."

# Special Reminders

Well now the movie is over and you begin to exit the theater. Suddenly you realize that in your pocket there is that ticket stub that you received at the beginning of the movie. Now the real challenge comes. What do you do with the ticket stub? Wait! Don't toss it into the waste basket, but turn it over and write down the movie, where it was or maybe who you went with.

Ticket stubs serve as special reminders. They might show that you saw "Footloose" more times than anyone else or that you were the first in Highland to see "Re-

turn of the Jedi." One student, sophomore Maura Brockmeier commented, "I write what movie or concert that I have seen on the back of the ticket stub and then I put them into a big shoebox for later references." Another sophomore Jackie Klaus remarked, "I keep my ticket stubs in my scrapbook to remember what movies I have seen. Then I may casually look through them on a rainy day."

To some, ticket stubs are just reminders of what movie they saw, but to others they may evoke personal memories.



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## Unpredictable



Normally with the opening of school doors comes the closing of swimming pool gates. But, rising temperatures caused doors of education to dismiss early which allowed gates of relief to remain open.

Temperatures, which had climbed into the hundred's throughout summer months, reached a high of 105 on August 20. They showed no signs of relenting even after school began. When Junior Liz Weiss was asked how she conquered the heat, she replied, "Well, I kept good hours at the swimming pool!"

While August brought heat, December hit with record breaking lows with the mercury dipping down to the ten below zero mark. Icicles hung from Santa's beard and Christmas was not only white but also bitterly cold putting a

Junior David Wagner, before heading out for a swim, gathers up just a few things to take along.

freeze on some HHS student's holiday activities. Senior Cheryl Rehkemper commented, "I had to stay away from society because it was so cold."

Preceded by a springlike thaw in late January, February brought an unscheduled five day weekend to HHS because of drifting snow. Although delightful to most, early dismissal due to hazardous roads led to disappointment for the girl's basketball team whose long waited senior night was cancelled.

April 3 marked the day of the worst hail storm in 10 years. Although hail piled up like snow on the streets surrounding HHS, it caused no apparent damage.

A late spring sent rain almost daily and on practically every weekend until school was out.

Once again fickle Mother Nature showed who was in control.

## GIVING SENIORS INSIGHT

On November 9 most seniors were not present in their first hour classes. Were they all sick? Skipping? The truth is, that Wednesday these seniors participated in Career Awareness Day sponsored by the Business and Professional Womens Club and the National Honor Society.

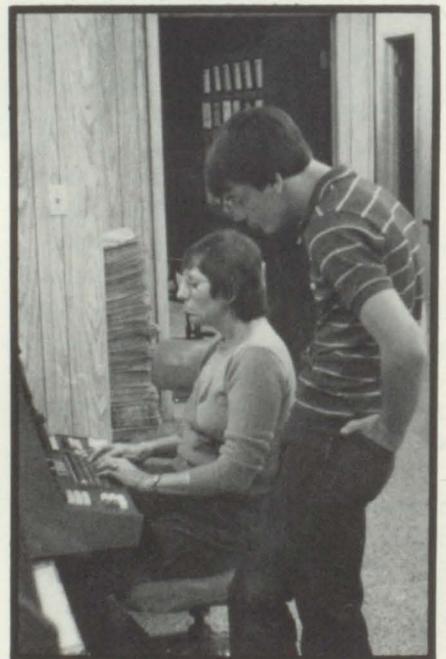
At the end of October, sheets listing different types of jobs, were given to each senior. From these sheets, each student could choose three fields of work. The BPW reviewed these sheets, and, by contacting local businesses, assigned each student a business related to one of the three fields requested.

Instead of reporting to first hour, the seniors were on their

way to "work." The idea behind Career Awareness Day, is to give students some insight as to what it is like to actually do the type of work they are interested in. The fields ranged from accounting to engineering to veterinary work.

The only problem encountered by a few students is that they found the businesses were only remotely related to their fields. Besides this slight dilemma, it was a very successful day. Most of the seniors enjoyed the day and became more aware of the work involved in their possible careers.

Senior Bill Stoff looks on as an employee of the Highland News Leader shows him how to typeset.



# Ending Publication After 30 Years

"Get your Paw Prints, Friday during 7th hour. Only 25¢." During the '83-'84 school year, this was one phrase that never made the daily announcements.

For the first time in over 30 years, the school newspaper wasn't to be produced or distributed periodically throughout the year to the students or faculty.

Changing from *The Bulldog*, the name it began with, to the Paw Print in the 1960's, the newspaper has provided everyone with news and information about the school.

Yet, for several reasons, stu-

dents and faculty were to rely on the daily announcements, the VCR crew and their "HHS News", or by word-of-mouth to gain information on the happenings around school.

Hurting the continuation of the paper was lack of interest from the students. The number of the students wanting to take the class was too small to justify scheduling class time.

So for the '83-'84 school year, the Paw Print ended its publication, hopefully to regain it in the years to come.



The 1982-83 school year was the last year involved in the publishing of the Paw Print.

## Walk-Man Fever



Not quite a walk-man radio, the portable radio serves the same purpose for Mike Nelson during final exams.

He slowly relaxed in his chair. Small, concealed headphones encircled his head. He carefully reached down to his side and pressed a shiny, metallic button that with a click, disappeared into a 3½" x 5½" box that clung to the waistline of his pants. Suddenly his hand rhythmically beat the top of the table and his body joined in, swaying in harmony with the beat of his hand. He was taken away, lost in a world of music.

Call it a fad, call it a faze, but whatever it's called, the walk-man radio began making its place at HHS.

Students walked through the halls, quietly studied or enjoyed lunch as they listened to their favorite tape or radio station.

The walk-man radio became an ingenious invention as it provided a student with his/her taste of music during study hall or exams, without bothering anyone else around.

The name provides a misleading picture of the item though. Some were equipped with an AM/FM radio, yet others were built as a small cassette player, and for the elaborate music enjoyer, the small box frame contained both a radio and a cassette player.

# What's in, in '84

The styles of clothing are endlessly changing, and only a few students could grasp the latest fashions.

Year in, year out fads come and go, and the fad that seems to change the most often is the style of clothing.

Whether trying to get the look seen in movies such as *Flashdance*, or the "GQ" appearance, students are often ones trying out the new styles.

A new look that hasn't been seen in schools for awhile began showing up this school year. Ties and sports jackets for the guys and dresses for the girls began blending into the school scene. Senior Andy Frerker stated, "It's a change from what everybody else wears. I don't want to be like everybody else. Anyway, it puts a little class in your life."

Another popular look in the halls became the new *Flashdance* look. A look that took off after the box office smash movie *Flashdance* made its debut on the

screen.

Sleeveless shirts, torn sweatshirts, leg warmers, and handkerchiefs wore around the neck or on a part of the leg were often found on students. A contributor to this appearance was Michele Korte who had this to say, "It improves your image by developing a style that's all your own. It's the new style and wearing the new style helps you look up-to-date."

Another popular look became the preppie style incorporating Izod and Raulph Lauren fashions among others. Guys and girls alike wore sweaters bearing the aligator or polo emblem or even the fashionable argyle style. A large admirer of this style, music teacher Mr. John Heath, commented, "When I was growing up in my impressionistic years, that was the clothing worn. It was

what I grew up with."

Jean jackets, parachute pants and pin striped jeans also found their spot at HHS.

The clothing look will continue to change and there will be those who follow the changes and those who hang on to tradition. It's just a matter of taste and the desire to stand out.



Although dress fads come and go, casual, comfortable jeans have remained favorites of most students.

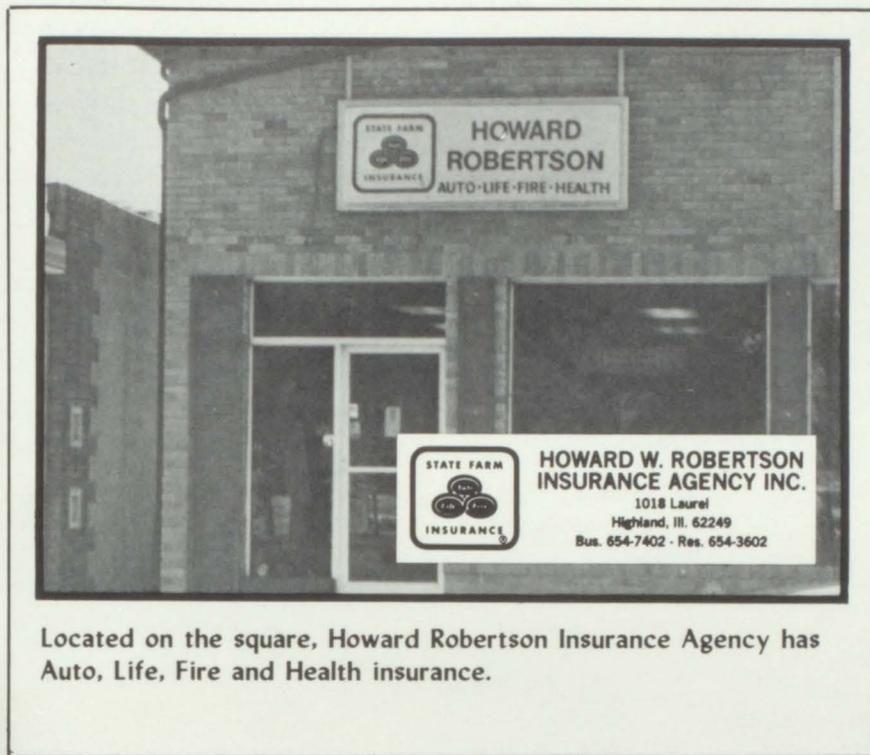


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## *Changing the Look at Report Card Time*

### **Time for a change at HHS.**

The school year of '83-'84 brought about many changes to the students and faculty. One noticeable change happened every nine weeks around report card time.

The school changed the format on the report cards offering more information in addition to the grade received in class.

Now the students can see his/her grade point average, semester average and whether or not the grade was a plus or minus.

The change came about because the school switched to their own "in home" computer system. Report cards were figured and distributed quicker and offered more information. Principal Fred Singleton said, "We generated more information to where the student stands. We speeded up the whole system too. Now the school can begin figuring the cards on a Tuesday and have them out on a Thursday."

Distribution also was done differently then in the years past. The report cards were mailed every nine weeks to the student's home instead of being mailed on only the second and fourth nine weeks while being handed out to the students in person on the first and third.

## **Expressing Feelings**

**On May 4, some students found just the right way to express their feelings.**

When you think of sunny spring days with a nice breeze blowing through your window, of course you also think of flowers. Specifically daisies. And then you think, "I wish someone would send me some daisies," or "I'd like to give that person some daisies."

These wishes were granted when the National Honor Society sponsored "Daisy Day" on Friday, May 4. Students were given a chance to express their feelings towards others by giving their friends or favorite teacher a "breath of springtime."

Friday morning at 7:30 am the daisies were picked up and brought to school to be sold for

35 cents a piece or three for a dollar. Little did the 300 daisies know, that before first hour began, they would all be purchased and given away to loved ones and friends. Many students turned away with disappointment as they discovered that there were no more daisies left.

Glancing down halls and into classrooms, students could see small patches of pink, white, blue, and yellow, lying on desks and in vases, which were also sold by the National Honor Society.

In spite of inflation, students still had enough money to express their feelings by saying it with flowers.

# Behind the Scenes

They're the men and women behind the scenes, always ready to help.

Here they come to the rescue. No, not a knight in shining armor, but a custodian dressed in gray bearing their wrenches, screwdrivers, ladders or mops to make HHS a cleaner and safer place to be.

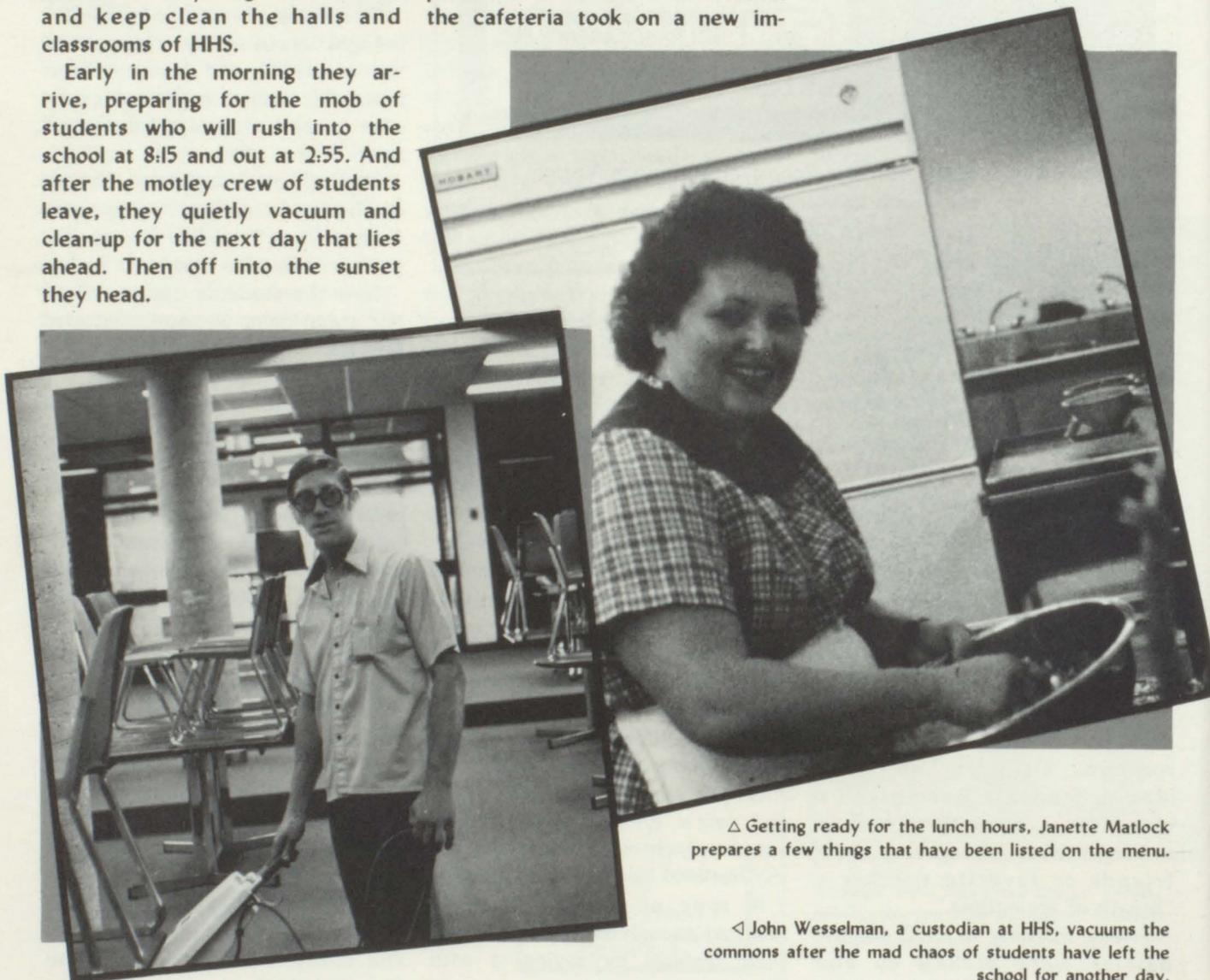
They're the quiet men and women who give of themselves and their services without the utter of complaints. Day-in-day-out they pick-up after reckless students, fix anything that breaks and keep clean the halls and classrooms of HHS.

Early in the morning they arrive, preparing for the mob of students who will rush into the school at 8:15 and out at 2:55. And after the motley crew of students leave, they quietly vacuum and clean-up for the next day that lies ahead. Then off into the sunset they head.

Feeding the troops of students is left to the dedicated cafeteria workers who put in their time preparing a menu, cooking the food and cleaning up the kitchen and the commons after noon rush hours are over.

Under new management, the cafeteria workers as well as the students saw many changes occur. From decorative posters and signs concerning health, to fruit punch to a hostess snack stand, the cafeteria took on a new im-

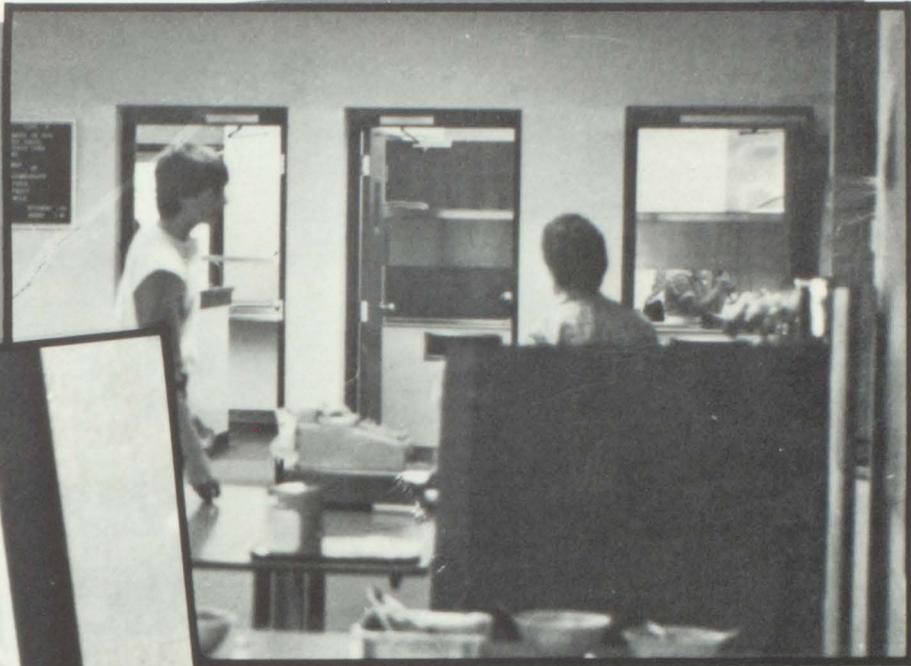
age. Also free gifts were given away in raffles periodically throughout the year by the cafeteria, as students received raffle tickets for purchasing certain type lunches. And finally, for a change, students could often see the cafeteria commemorating a certain event as soft music could be heard faintly in the background, setting the perfect atmosphere for dining pleasure.



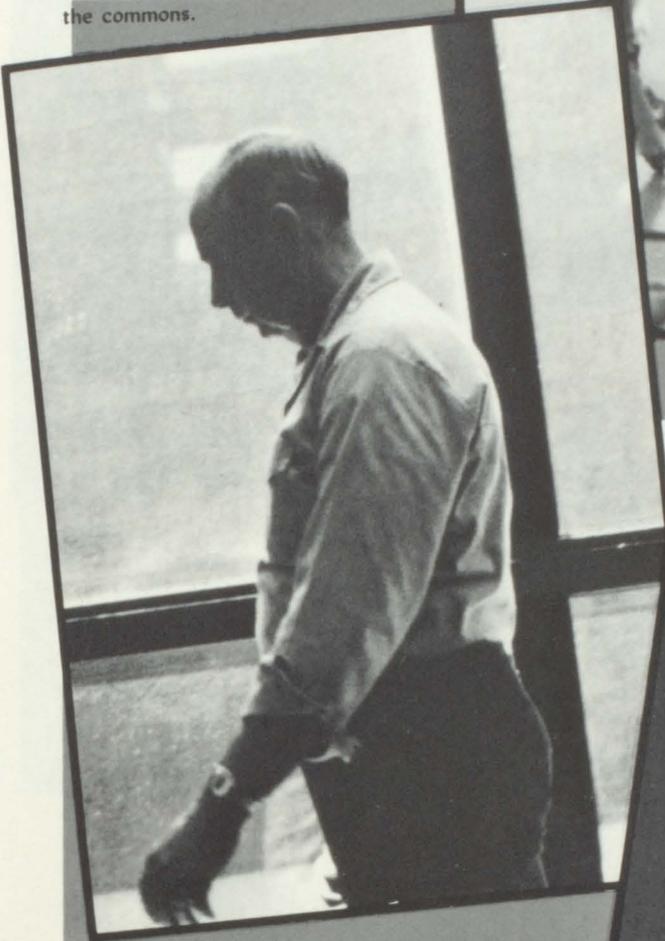
△ Getting ready for the lunch hours, Janette Matlock prepares a few things that have been listed on the menu.

◁ John Wesselman, a custodian at HHS, vacuums the commons after the mad chaos of students have left the school for another day.

Trying out the new hostess stand, a student grabs a snack for lunch. The stand was one of the new looks in the commons.



Quietly taking a stroll through the halls, head janitor Cele Korte is on hand and ready for his next assignment.



Keeping the floors clean, Margaret Starksweather mops up any dirt tracked in during the course of the day.



Cafeteria workers: Row 1 Mary Jane Fornelli, Jane Hess, Kathy Holtgrave, Jane Rosen, Janet Kraus; Row 2 Aggie McGuire, Joan Wilke, Jeanette Matlock, Nancy Smith, Vi Boschelli.

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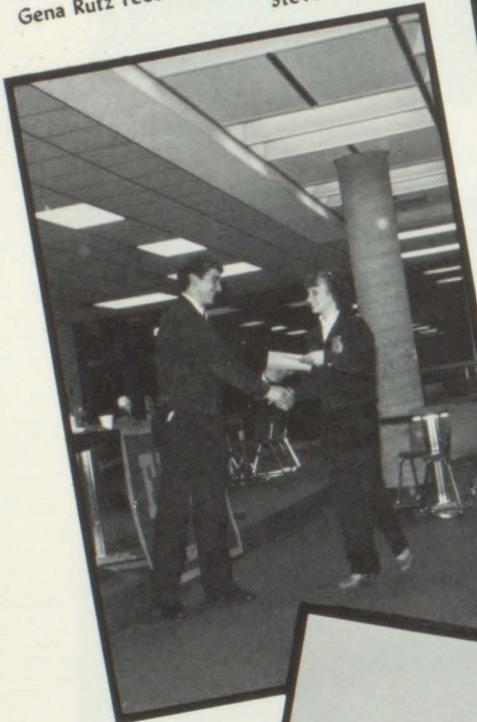
At the FFA Awards Banquet, sophomore Gena Rutz receives an FFA award from Steve Boeser.



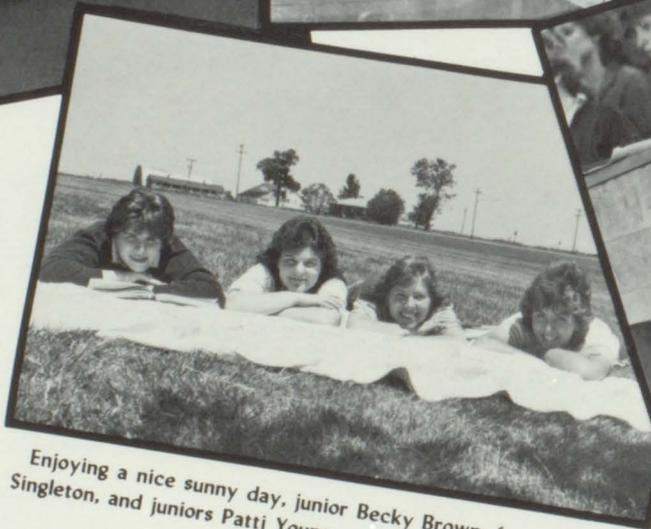
Getting the spotlight, Beth "Bertha Quinn" Hundsdoerfer and "Boy" Ben Hanna introduce the next act at the spring band concert.



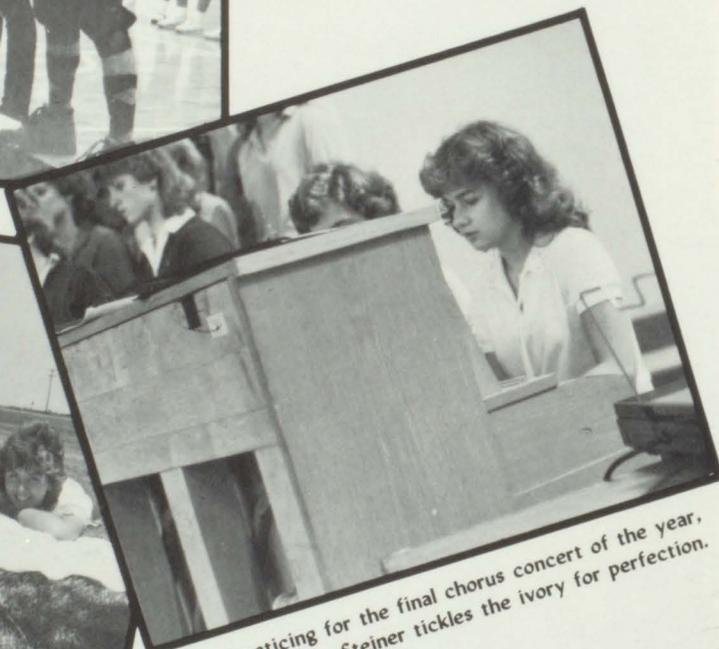
△ During the International Fellowship Banquet, president Boyd Rinderer carries a bowl of punch to the table for refreshments.



◁ Present at a football pep rally, 12 students put on a skit of 12 things not to do during high school.



Enjoying a nice sunny day, junior Becky Brown, freshman Lori Singleton, and juniors Patti Young and Beth Kruse have a picnic outside instead of dining in the commons.

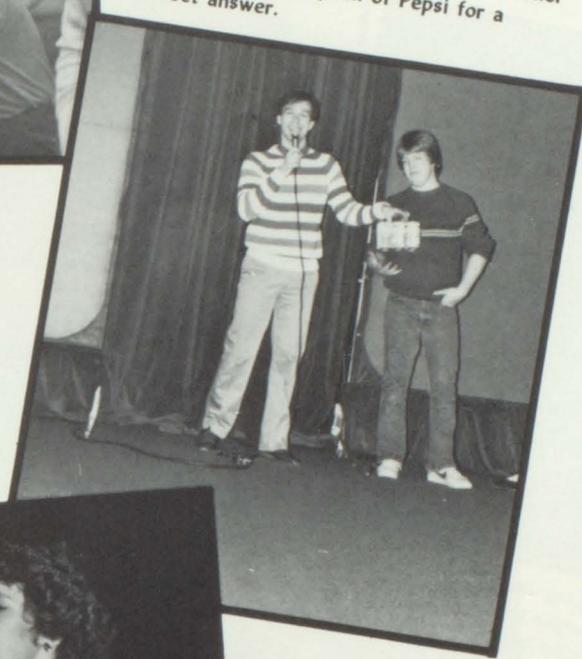


Practicing for the final chorus concert of the year, sophomore Amy Steiner tickles the ivory for perfection.



◁ At a meeting in the multi-purpose room, juniors Dani Coffee and Anne Livingston find time to smile for the camera.

▽ After the Pepsi show, senior David Parker was awarded a six-pack of Pepsi for a correct answer.



During the treble choir's performance, sophomore Laura Campbell entices the audience with a solo at the spring chorus concert.



Rousing school spirit at a basketball game, sophomore Stacy Thiems helps to perform the school song.

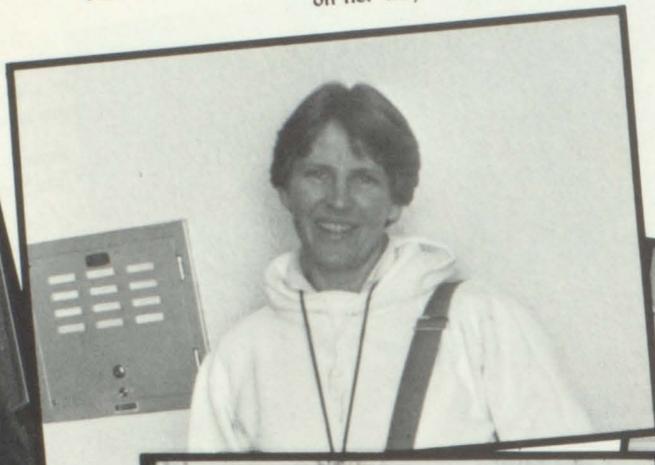


In the guidance office, secretary Terry Frey organizes a few of her papers.

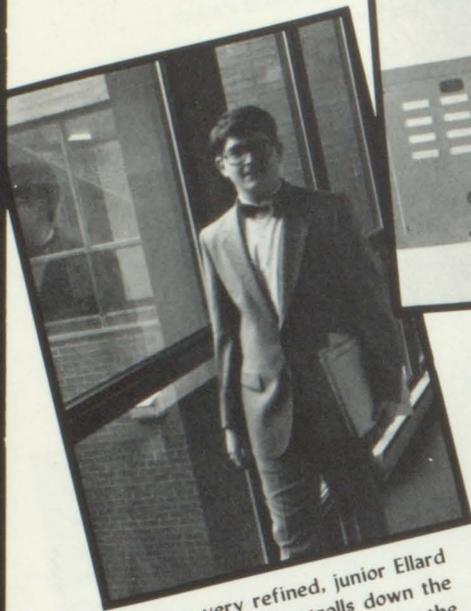


During a home basketball game, senior Rob Bloemker hopes to successfully add two points to the Bulldog's score.

P.E. teacher Nona Holmstron is caught by the camera on her way to the gymnasium.



Showing the talent of the treble choir, retiring chorus director Marjorie Clayton, holds up the girls chorus division I trophy.



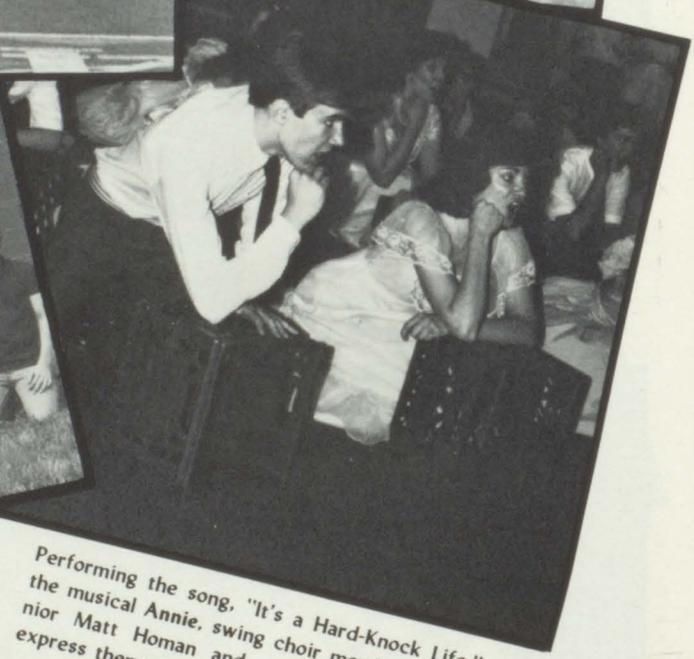
Looking very refined, junior Ellard Douglas leisurely strolls down the corridor preparing to leave for the Model U.N. convention.



Overwhelmed with happiness, sophomore Gena Rutz holds up her hand in victory as she breaks the string.

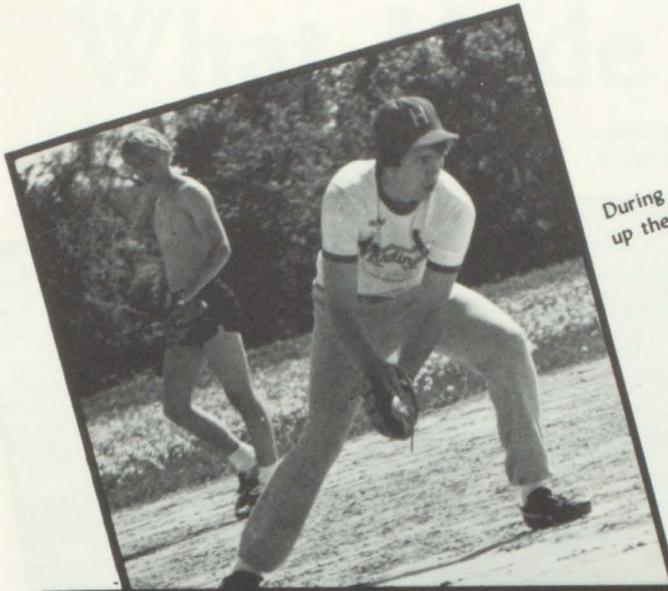


After an exhausting game of red-rover, the senior band members quickly assembled, for their picture.



Performing the song, "It's a Hard-Knock Life," from the musical Annie, swing choir members, such as junior Matt Homan and senior Becky Saul, get to express themselves visually as well as vocally.

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During practice, junior Tim Rutz scoops up the ball from his third base position.

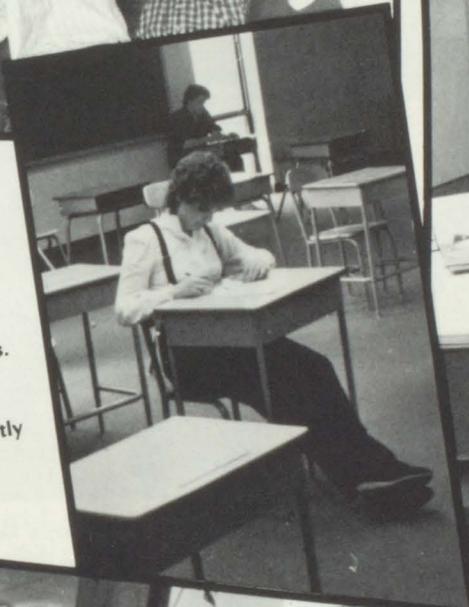


Working diligently, senior Gary Ohren tries to figure out a problem from one of his business classes with the aid of an adding machine.

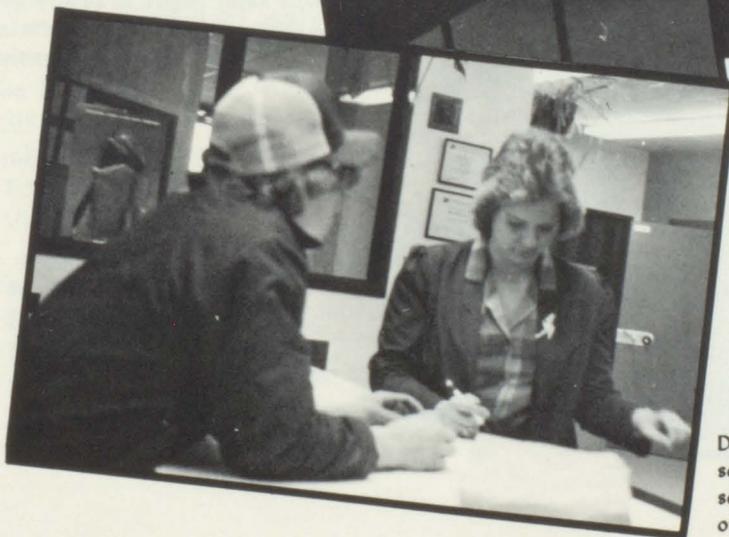


△ Members of the coronet section ham-it-up while displaying their musical talents.

▷ In the biology department, senior Jamie Essempreis quietly takes a test.



Gaining a little information, sophomore Jeff Barker finds the library an ideal place to study.



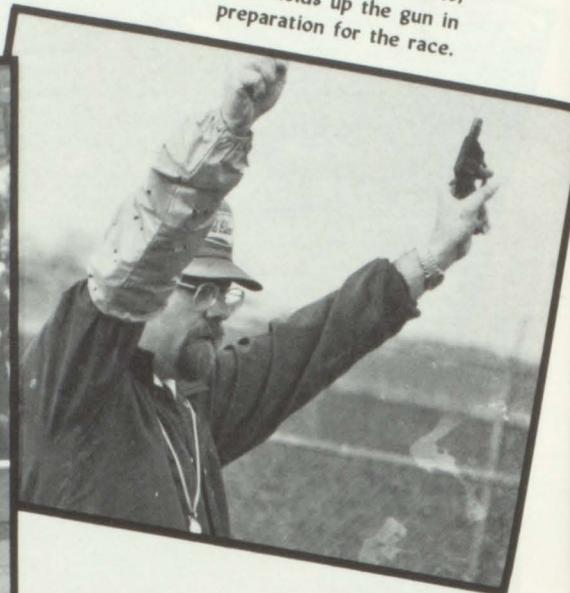
During school hours, secretary Sherry Szoke helps senior Pat Thurmond in the office.

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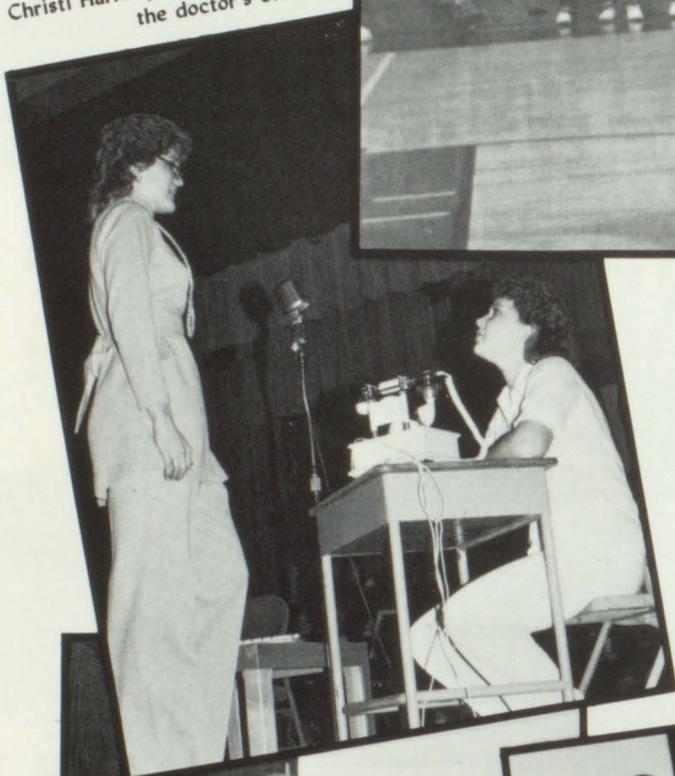
Making an entrance at a pep rally, Santa Claus, alias John Heath, raises school spirit.



Working as a starter at home track meets, Mr. Steven Moore holds up the gun in preparation for the race.



Putting on a skit for HHS T.V., senior Cheryl Rehkemper and Christi Harris perform a visit to the doctor's office.



Sophomore Kathy Hagist, in an attempt to find further information, uses the card catalogue.



At her desk, Mrs. Bonnie Thiems, organizes information for the library.



Before being apprehended, sophomore Jay Korte manages to reach the hall in an escape attempt from the English department.

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# What Made Headlines

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## Tragedy in the sky

As the passengers of Korean Airlines flight 007 boarded in New York, no one imagined that they would be involved in the most earthshaking event of the year. The date was Sept. 1, 1983 and the flight, scheduled to fly from New York to Anchorage, Alaska and finally to Seoul, Korea, would never complete this schedule.

Enroute from Anchorage to Seoul, the Korean plane, a Boeing 747, veered off course slightly. The pilot evidently thought he was still on course and did nothing to change it. The new course brought the plane towards the Soviet Union and at 1:00 p.m., flight 007 was detected over the Kamchatka Peninsula by Soviet radar.

The Soviet launched war planes to track 007 visually. The Korean plane maintained its course and eventually achieved radio contact with a Japanese airport, which was supposed to track 007 over Japan. But 007 was not over Japan and did not, at this time,

even appear on Japanese radar. Flight 007 was, in fact, flying towards Sakhalin Island, an island northwest of Japan which houses several Soviet military bases.

As 007 came upon Sakhalin, it was finally picked up by Japanese radar but it was too late for them to help. At this time a tracking MiG 23 fired an air to air missile which scored a hit on the plane. On Japanese radar, the plane dropped drastically and minutes later disappeared completely.

Of the 269 passengers and crew members aboard, none survived. There were at least 47 Americans on board, including tourists and a congressman.

## *Videos, Craze of the '80's*

Videos have become the most popular fad to hit the markets.

If you're a rock or pop music addict, then you will know about the thrill of watching videos. They have been playing on the cable station MTV since 1981, and have just recently made their way into general T.V. on NBC's "Friday Night Videos."

Videos can best be described as a three to five minute film that presents a visual concept of a song. Some of the more popular videos range from Def

Leppard's "Rock of Ages," top the overwhelming videos by Michael Jackson. One problem with videos, though, is that the artists are no longer performing live as they did a couple of years ago. Record companies are now putting money into the making of videos.

Freshman Jim Reidelberger remarked, "I would rather watch a video than listen to the radio because then I can

see who is singing it. I also remember it better then and then I know if I want to go to their concerts."

Videos have just begun, and as it looks, they'll continue to be around for a while longer. Junior Bonnie Deibert said, "They keep on getting better and better and the thing that I like most about them is that they have a variety of music being played."

## The New Kid in School

Picture yourself walking into HHS for the first time. As you step from the familiar feeling of your car onto the hard blacktop of the parking lot, your stomach muscles become tight and twist into knots. When you approach the sidewalk which leads into the building, you see, strung across the pavement, two metal chains that prevent you from walking directly onto the sidewalk. Do you step over them? Do you walk around them or do you go under them?

After you overcome this first obstacle, you see that there are two sidewalks leading into the building. Which one should you take—the one on the left or the one on the right? You choose one and proceed on your way.

When you open the doors into the school, you are hit with the sounds of students talking and laughing as they send weird glances in your direction. You have a strange feeling of not fitting in. At which table will you sit? This is yet another decision you as a new student must make.

Melissa Putman and Brian Dean, two new students at HHS, both agreed that making new friends was the hardest part about moving to a new school.

When Missy Robertson, another new student was asked what was hardest for her, she replied, "Saying good-bye to old friends." Missy likes HHS and feels, "You have to go a long way to find someone that you don't like."

All three students had a positive first impression of Highland High School.

## Secretaries Tackle Daily Challenges

Keeping the school running smoothly is a full time job.

"Cele Korte, please come to the office."

Every student at HHS has heard this call at one time or another. But who are the voices behind the innercom? They are Lynn Rutz, Sherry Szoke, and Terry Frey.

These secretaries type, file, do attendance, take care of all kinds of orders, talk to just about everyone, and also answer the phone.

Sherry Szoke commented, "I like my job because there is always something to do and it is never boring." The thing she likes least about school is registration, but she likes the kids. She also said she and Lynn answer many calls about weather from parents and deliver a lot of messages to students. Last, but not least, Mrs.

Szoke commented, "We just try to keep things in smooth running order."

Terry Frey, another secretary, works in the guidance department, so her job is a little different. "A lot of what I do is done on the computer," Part of her job is doing schedules. She also fills in as the school nurse when the nurse is gone. She types materials for college reps whenever they come to visit, and schedules appointments for counselors. "I like my job. There really isn't much that I don't like to do," she commented.

The secretaries do more than most students realize. They assume many detailed responsibilities that keep the school running efficiently.

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## What's Your Secret Ambition?

Be an amiral in the navy—  
Boyd Rinderer

To marry a great guy and  
have a big happy family—  
Cheryl Rehkemper

To become a veterinar-  
ian—Audra Wilson

Meet "Bo Brady"—Brenda  
Korte and Lisa Kuhn

Live through college until  
graduation—Sherri Newmann

Destroy communism and the  
U.S. Congress—Pat Leopold

Play pro basketball—Tina  
Voegele

Become a rock star—Devin

Wille and Roger Young  
To become Elmar J. Fudd,  
millionaire, owner of a man-  
sion and a yacht—Jay  
Strackeljahn

If I told anyone, I would be  
arrested—Mike Sleeth

To have a date with Kerry  
Von Eric—Sue Hencke

To own a Mercedes Benz  
(before I'm 35)—Julie  
Bullock

Make lots of money without  
having to work, get married  
and live happily ever after—

Tami Grapperhaus

Marry a millionaire—Nancy  
Korte

Be a playboy bunny—Craig  
Bauman

To be beautiful like Ms.  
Swafford—Dawn Steiner

Take Hugh Heffner's place  
in life—Mike Zobrist

Replace the St. Clair roofing  
man, the guy who wears the  
house—Andy Prusa

Live on the planet Mars—  
Jenny Rice

Getting a job—Joyce Kamper

Finding the guy of my  
dream—Tammy Rutz

Become a multi-millionaire—  
Jim Geiger

Always be happy, succeed  
and marry a great guy—  
Darla Rinderer

Travel around the world and  
work in the fashion mar-  
ket—Michele Riggs

Take a cruise with a bunch  
of hungry millionaire play-  
boys—Pam Reinacher



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# Most Remembered Nicknames

Bonehead—Dean Frey  
 Zobe—Brian Zobrist  
 Ralph—Nancy Korte  
 Weiner—Tina Davis  
 Iggie—Laurie Albenerst  
 Whip—Darla Rinderer  
 Weasal—Stacy Tuffli  
 Skinny—Dawn Steiner  
 Dizmo—Gail Wellen  
 Freda—Tina Maroon  
 Raggy—Michele Riggs  
 Stud—Brian Zobrist  
 Underoo—Andy Frerker  
 Chester—Kim Massina  
 Ziggy—Lisa Kuhn  
 Halfpint—Patti Meier  
 Tom Boy—Sheila Marquardt  
 Toothpick—Alice Graff  
 Happy—Janet Buske  
 Wormie—Bernice Weber  
 Turkey Chop—Shawn Gillespie  
 Maggie-May—Margaret Sugg  
 Weiner—Jean Frank  
 Chip and Dale—Michele Riggs  
 and Julie Bullock  
 Dr. W.—Larry Whitlow  
 Chipmunk—Jenny Rice  
 Cowboy—Craig Baumann  
 Himey—Jamie Essempreis

## YOU KNOW YOU'RE BORED IN STUDY HALL WHEN YOU

Do your homework  
 Doodle on paper  
 Fall asleep  
 See how many things you  
 can do with your gum  
 Count how many times Cele  
 Korte walks by  
 Imitate the teacher  
 Clean out your purse or wallet  
 Count gum wads under the  
 table  
 Read the same magazine 5 times  
 Listen to the PE classes  
 See how long you can sit  
 balanced in your chair  
 Study for a test that's at  
 the end of the week

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# What Advice Would You Give to a Freshman?

Be a jock, not a yeehaw—Boyd Rinderer  
 Don't take physics—Gail Wellen  
 Enjoy high school as much as you can; gets over too quick—Cheryl Rehkemper  
 Beware the seniors and enjoy your high school years—Audra Wilson  
 Don't let the teachers get the best of you—fight for your rights—Brenda Korte  
 Don't act like a senior until you are one—Sheri Neumann  
 The only thing you'll learn is that your in the next best thing to a maximum security prison—Pat Leopold  
 Don't be a smarty coming into high school; you've got a lot to learn—Tina Voegelé

Don't talk—Devin Wille  
 Skip as much school before you don't have to take exams—Sue Hencke  
 Don't do something you don't want to do just because everyone else is doing it—Tami Grapperhaus  
 Drop out now—Nancy Korte  
 Mind your own business—Lori Parris  
 Graduate early—Craig Baumann  
 Listen to the upperclassmen—Stacey Tuffli  
 Take literature, calculus, physics, chemistry and comp.—Dawn Steiner  
 Ride a Zobrist bus to all events—Mike Zobrist  
 Act your age or you'll be sorry—Lisa Kuhn

Become buddy with Mr. Singleton—Andy Prusa  
 Drop back 10 yds. and punt—Roger Young  
 Whatever you do, don't get caught—Andy Frerker  
 Don't get on the bad side of any senior—Tami Rutz  
 Drop band—Jim Geiger  
 Don't smart off to a senior—Mark Reaka  
 Make the most of high school; it flies by fast—Michele Riggs  
 Sit it out this year because it will get better in the next years—Pam Reinacher  
 Don't mess up your freshman year; plan for the future—Lee Ann Rautenburg

# Remembered Phrase or Saying

Zobe got another ticket.—Boyd Rinderer.  
 How ya doin'—Jamie Essenpreis  
 See how you are!—Gail Wellen  
 Where's the beef?—Audra Wilson  
 Kinda makes you wonder—Sherri Neumann  
 I don't like to lose—Pat Leopold  
 Geel—Tina Voegelé  
 You don't know that—Jay

Strackeljahn  
 Fine I say, fine—Mike Sleeth  
 Wonderful—Sandy Long  
 Fine—Julie Bullock  
 You got to believe—Dawn Steiner  
 For cooperating, you get three days—Mike Zobrist  
 See ya later—Jeff Gibbons  
 I'm sure—Lisa Kuhn  
 No guts, no glory—Andy Prusa

Life goes on and on and on and on—Jenny Rice  
 Can't wait till graduation—Joyce Kamper  
 Go for it baby—Mark Reaka  
 See how you are—Darla Rinderer  
 Who needs boys—Michele Riggs  
 But anyway—Robbie McCord

## Your Most Embarrassing Moment

Sophomore year, during a run-on before a football game, I fell down—**Jamie Essempreis**  
 Falling off the same step three times in one night—**Gail Wellen**  
 Doing the doctor office skit at our senior band show and looking like an idiot—**Cheryl Rehkemper**  
 Half of my high school career—**Sherri Neumann**  
 Regional game against Mascoutah I got locked in the bathroom and had to crawl under to get out—**Tina Voegelé**

Not knowing where to go to get lunch—**Devin Wille**  
 I never got embarrassed. Jay Strackeljahnn  
 When everyone found out about Jr. Prom and told me to keep hold of my keys—**Mike Sleeth**  
 When my zipper broke and Mr. Ott tried to help me fix it—**Sue Hencke**  
 The day the wind blew my skirt up in P.E.—**Janet Buske**  
 When I was giving blood my senior year and started to get sick—**Tami Grapperhaus**  
 Throwing up on someone else's ACT test—**Nancy Korte**  
 Our senior skit at our senior band show—**Lori Parris**  
 Passing out in the library my sophomore year—**Craig Baumann**  
 Throwing up on Mr. Stillwagon my freshman year—**Rob Bloemker**

Having my hoop fly up at the senior band concert—**Stacey Tuffli**  
 When I was a freshman and the first week of school I bumped into a senior girl and got gravy on her—**Audra Abert**  
 When I dropped my tray in the commons my freshman year—**Dawn Steiner**  
 When I . . . a . . . yeal!—**Jeff Gibbons**  
 Got locked in the guys bathroom—**Lisa Kuhn**  
 High school itself—**Andy Frerker**  
 Forgetting my keys—**Tammy Rutz**  
 Getting tied to the volleyball poll and everybody leaving and I was stuck—**Darla Rinderer**  
 Having my car locked in Mr. Heath's garage while he went on a trip—**Robbie McCord**

## What Song Best Describes Your Years at HHS?

"The Best of Times"—**Jamie Essempreis**  
 "Gonna have a party"—**Cheryl Rehkemper**  
 "Authority Song"—**Audra Wilson**  
 "Bang Your Head"—**Brenda Korte**  
 "Best Years of Our Lives"—**Sherri Neumann**  
 "Africa"—**Pat Leopold**  
 "Spanish Fly"—**Devin Wille**  
 "Waisted Days and Wasted Nights"—**Mike Sleeth**

"Girls Just Wanna Have Fun"—**Sandra Long**  
 "The Way We Were"—**Julie Bullock**  
 "Nobody Told Me There Would Be Days Like These"—**Nancy Korte**  
 "Against All Odds"—**Lori Parris**  
 "Fish Heads"—**Craig Baumann**  
 "Chance of a Lifetime"—**Stacey Tuffli**  
 "Take This Job and Shove

It"—**Jeff Gibbons**  
 "Teenage Waste Land"—**Andy Prusa**  
 "Thriller"—**Jenny Rice**  
 "School song"—**Jim Geiger**  
 "Leave It"—**Jim Geiger**  
 "Another One Bites the Dust"—**Andy Frerker**  
 "Let the Good Times Roll"—**Michele Riggs**



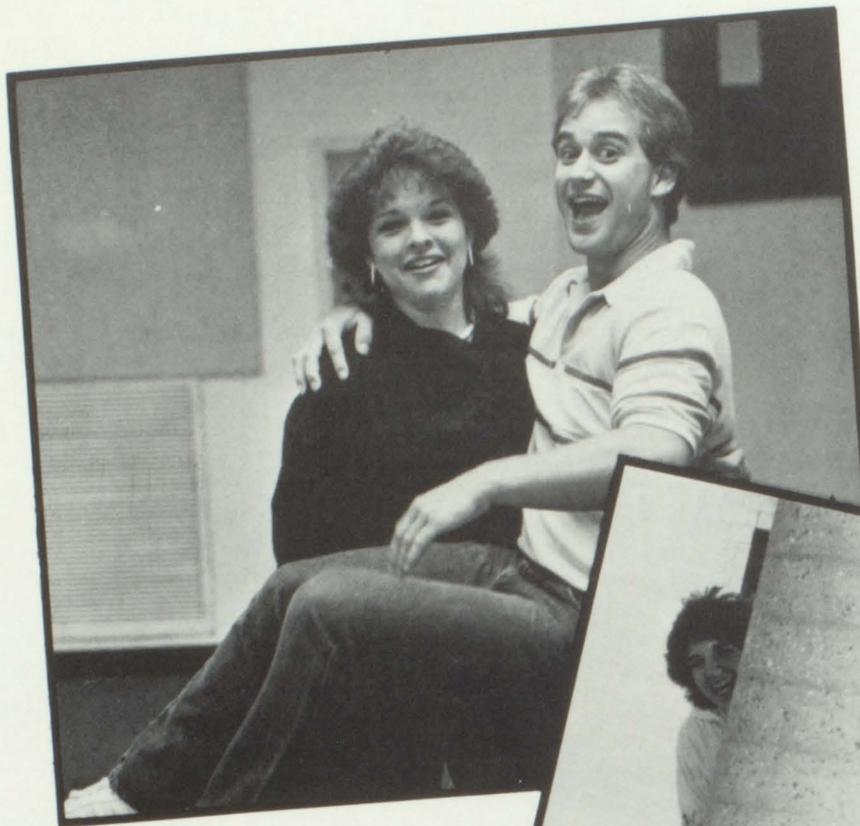
**Best Looking**  
Suzie Schmitt  
Devin Wille



**Likely to Succeed**  
Michele Fornelli  
Jay Strackeljahn



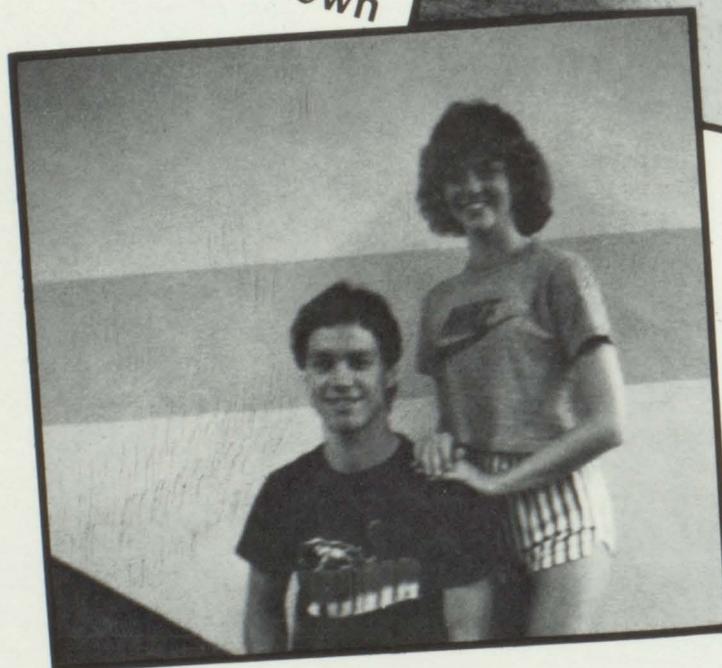
**Most Talented**  
Tony Johnson  
Tina Voegele



Julie Bullock  
Brian Zobrist  
**Friendliest**



Roger Young  
Jamie Essenpries  
**Class Clown**



Robbie McCord  
Stacey West  
**Best Dressed**



## Music Makers

Band and Chorus are only two parts of the performing arts. These two play a large part at HHS.

The band this year made many accomplishments and received numerous awards. In October, they journeyed to Southern Illinois University in Carbondale, where they swept a second place trophy in the street parade competition. To complete the day, they presented a pre-game show for the Saluki crowd. During concert season the large concert band gave their all at the Organizational Contest in Nashville, and received a first place rating. They were then invited to the state competition held at U of I in Champaign-Urbana where they placed third in their class.

Choral students also had a successful season. Individuals excelled at the State Solo and Ensemble concert. Mrs. Clayton took the Swing Choir, Mixed Chorus, and Treble Choir to the Organizational Contest. The Swing Choir danced their way to the judges hearts and received a I rating; the Treble Choir placed first and the Mixed Chorus took second place. Three students were selected to attend All-State this year. Becky Saul, senior, performed in the All-State Jazz Choir for the second year; Lisa Brusack, junior, sang with the All-State Honors Chorus and Greg Braswell, senior, sang with the All-State Concert Choir.



Once again the Swing Choir received a first place rating at the Solo and Ensemble contest. Above David Lancey accepts his first place award from Jill Rinnert.

Also receiving a first place rating at the Solo and Ensemble contest, Lisa Brusack and Dawn Steiner are presented with their award.

# Music Makers

Highland High School's Band always seems to be raising funds for some major activity. This year its goal was to raise \$10,000 for new band uniforms.

The campaign started in the fall with a coupon bank sale and was followed with grapefruit and oranges and cheese and sausage sales. The annual magazine drive and the chicken dinner also helped the band raise the much-needed money.

Although fund raising is important, the main function of the band is to provide its members with a musical background. Divided into two seasons, during the fall the band focuses on marching and preparing pregame and halftime football shows. Each show is entirely different and involves new skills and maneuvers.

During the winter the almost 160 member group divided into two concert groups. While preparing for its three annual concerts, members also participated in pep bands for all home basketball games. Individuals also brought home 19 medals from the state solo and ensemble contest.

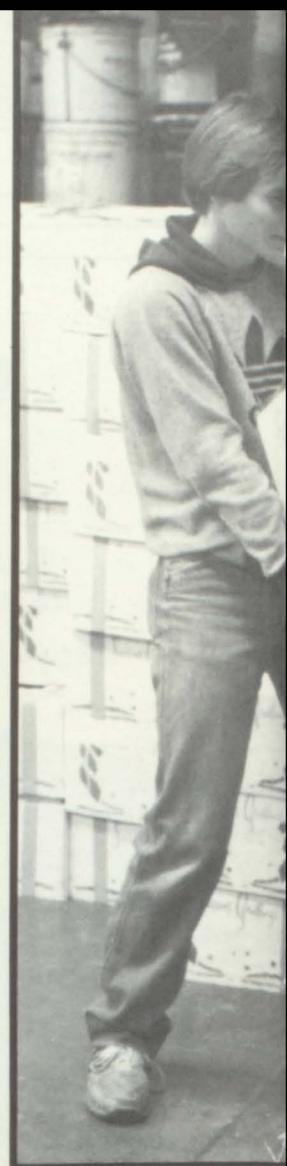
The always-anticipated spring concert took on the popular MTV

△▷ Majorettes are Row 1: Jeanean Holt, Jill Redman, Row 2: Paula East, Sandy Long.

▷ Clowning around, Mr. Heath enjoys the quietness of his band.

▽ Junior band members enjoy the pizza party for selling the most magazines in the magazine drive.

theme and recognized the 32 senior members of band, allowing them to show off special talents. The concert brought a sentimental end to a year of working together for common goals.





◁ Senior Andy Frerker helps load fruit into cars for delivery.  
 ▽ The band, led by junior drum major Donna Palenchar, marches down the streets of Carbondale.



△ Mr. Heath walks alongside the band to see if the rows are straight in a parade competition.



◁ Flag Corp members are Row 1: Karen Koch, Dani Coffee; Row 2: Michelle Fornelli, Cheryl Rehkemper, Beth Brown; Row 3: Leasa Landolt, Shari White, Stacey Tuffli; Row 4: Kristi Harris, Tina Voegelé, Beth Kruse, Lisa Brusack.

▽ Showing spirit for the basketball team, the pep band performs at a game.



△ Senior Stacy West, feature twirler for the Highland Marching Bulldogs, takes a break from practice.



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# Music Makers

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"We are the Music Makers and we are the dreamers of dreams" is a song which meant a lot to Mrs. Marjory Clayton who after 17 years of teaching music at Highland High School was retiring. In 1974 Mrs. Clayton started the Swing Choir which has grown in popularity and is in great demand at many area functions. Mrs. Clayton will be missed by all her students as well as former students and faculty members.

This year, the Treble Choir and Swing Choir received a first place rating at the choral contest while the Mixed Chorus received a second place rating.



Top Swing Choir: Rob Driemeyer, Lisa Brusack, Keith Klenke, Bernie Weber, Anne Livingston, Jeff Gall, Matt Homann, Dawn Steiner, Kyle Schumacher, Becca Saul, Angie Lutostanski, Lesa Krause, David Lancye, Dani Coffee, Tanis Wildhaber, Greg Braswell, Annie Lutostanski, Pat Robinson.

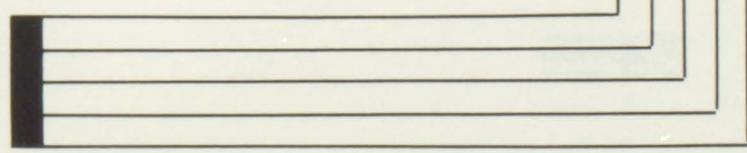
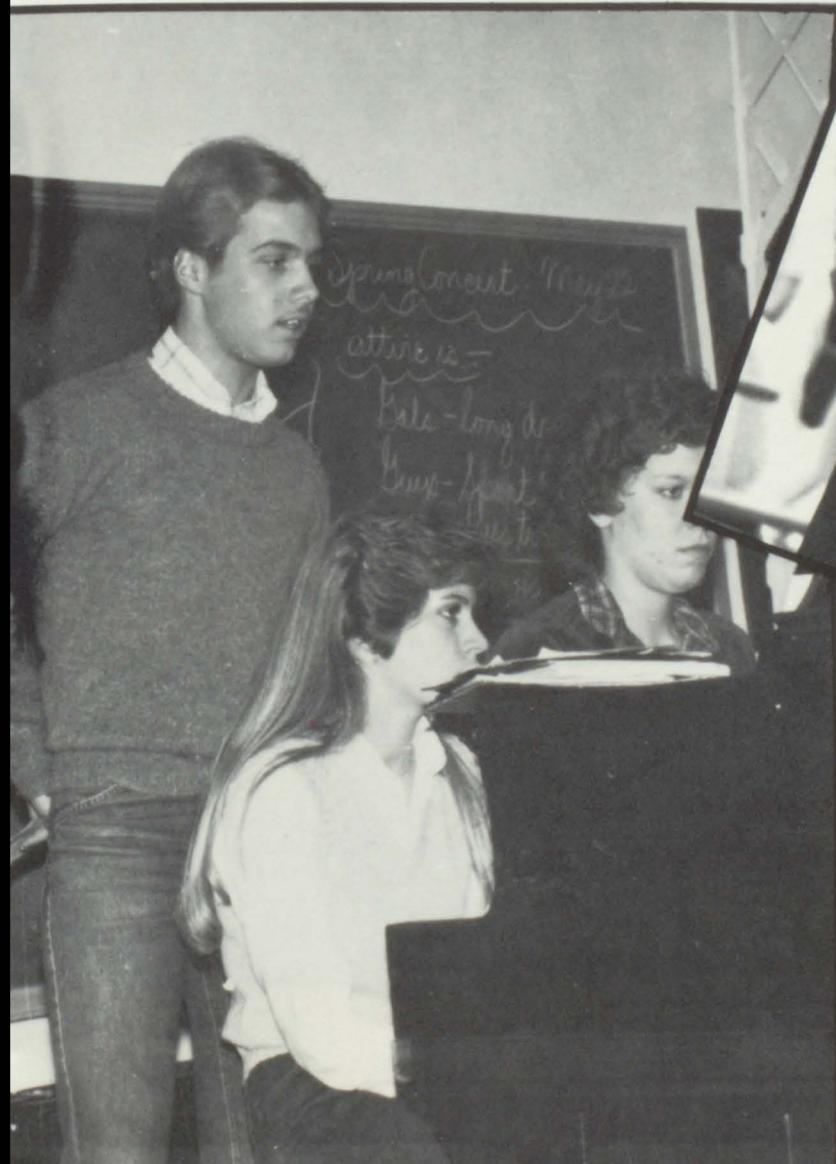
Above Directing her last concert, Mrs. Marjory Clayton leads the mixed chorus in singing their last song.



△ After receiving a first place rating at the chorus contest, the Treble Choir performs at the spring concert.

▷ Adding a very special touch to her last concert, Mrs. Marjory Clayton sings one of her favorite songs.

▽ Rehearsing for All-State, Senior Greg Braswell works with pianists Shari White and Lisa Brusack.



# The Best of Times

"It was the most enjoyable prom I've ever been associated with, even when I was in high school. It was outstanding. I had a real good time." This was junior sponsor Frank Stillwagon's reply when questioned on what he thought of the 1984 Junior-Senior Prom.

Careful when choosing a theme, the Class of '85 decided that they were going to make their prom "The Best of Times". Advisor Barry Thomas began checking on details to make the night very special, "This way, we can expect more next year when the juniors plan for our prom." Preparation for April 27, began early and went full force for six months. New ideas came into existence, were voted on and passed by the class. A meal was to be catered before the actual dance with valet parking, which included many parents' as helpers for the evening.

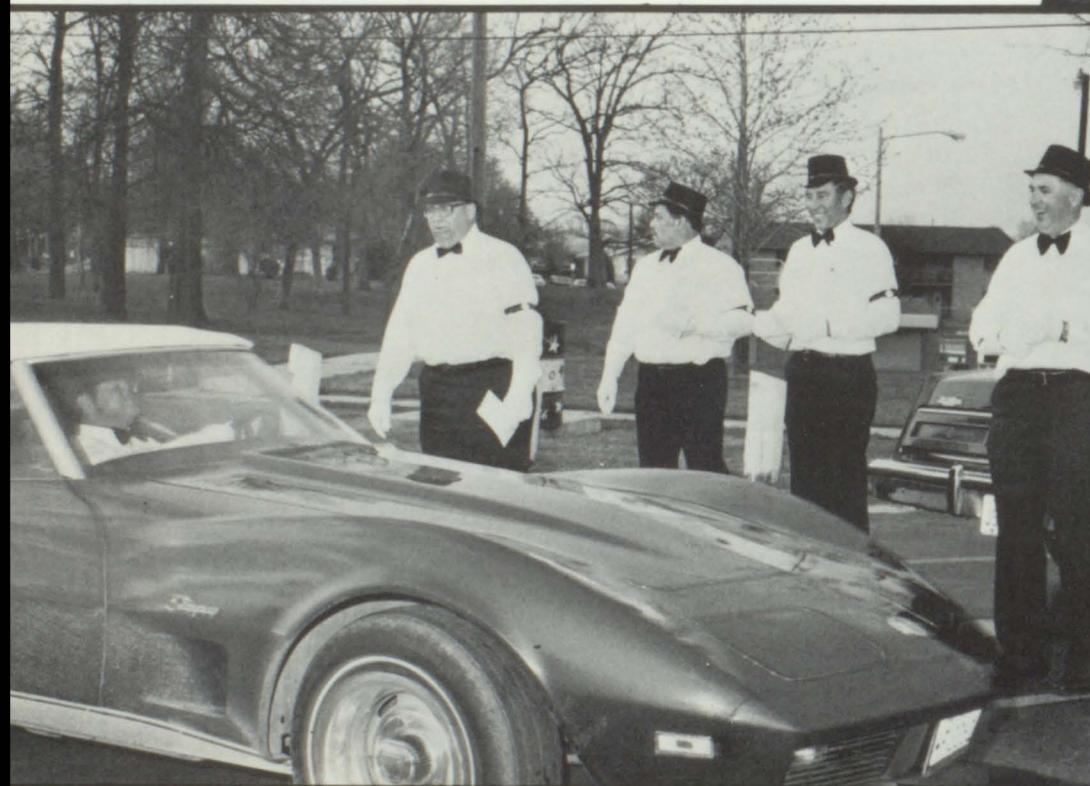
Friday April 27, the night everyone had been waiting for, finally arrived.

For those who purchased meal tickets, festivities began at 7:00 when fathers in top hats, garters and white gloves waited to park cars. Inside mothers in uniform served prime rib and shrimp.

When the rest of the guests arrived at 8:00, music, provided by Magnum, got underway. Even though it was time for the band to take a break, the prom-goers helped the seniors reminisce with a slide presentation put together by Mark Reaka.

Post prom activities provided a free night at Leisure World paid for by parents of the community. Promgoers could take advantage of all facilities.

Surprised yet overjoyed by the acceptance of the new ideas and providing a perfect night to many, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Stillwagon, Mrs. Michalick, and Mrs. Weiss all agreed that they had a hand in making this prom "The Best of Times".



△ Mr. Zobrist parks a Corvette with pride as other chauffeurs watch with envy.

▷ Junior adviser Mr. Thomas and wife did an enormous amount of work to make the prom successful.





◁ Junior girls explore the food menu. The meal was a big hit both with the student body and faculty.

▽ Junior promgoers discuss plans made for the night ahead which could include a visit to Leisure World.



△ White tablecloths, silk roses, and china made the ballroom just like a fancy restaurant.

◁ Along with a chef, waitresses served the meal of prime rib and shrimp.

▷ A Highland Booster opens the door for Jenny Becker as a part of the services offered.



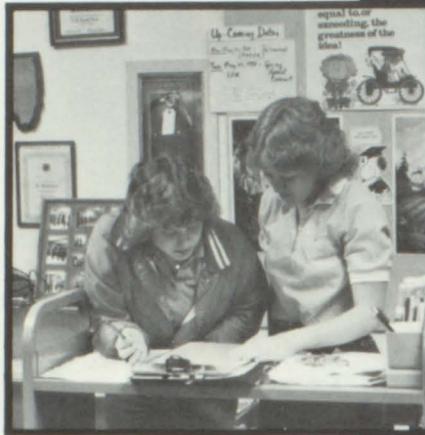
# Clubs

Band Council, Chorus Officers, YFC, and Friends of the Media Center exist primarily to serve others and make life easier for them.

In an effort to keep a large group like band unified, band members took their ideas and complaints to the Band Council who then discussed them with Mr. Heath.

Chorus Officers took attendance at all chorus practices and assisted Mrs. Clayton in other ways. YFC provided an opportunity for members to gather and discuss issues in a Christian atmosphere.

During National Library Week, Friends of the Media Center planned a week of activities to entice students to use the library. Members worked throughout the year to assist Mrs. Highlander in keeping the library running smoothly.



△ Seniors Jill Rinnert and Connie Korte do their job of taking attendance at all chorus practices.

△▷ Mrs. Jenna Highlander works at the desk in the library with senior Shelia Marquardt.

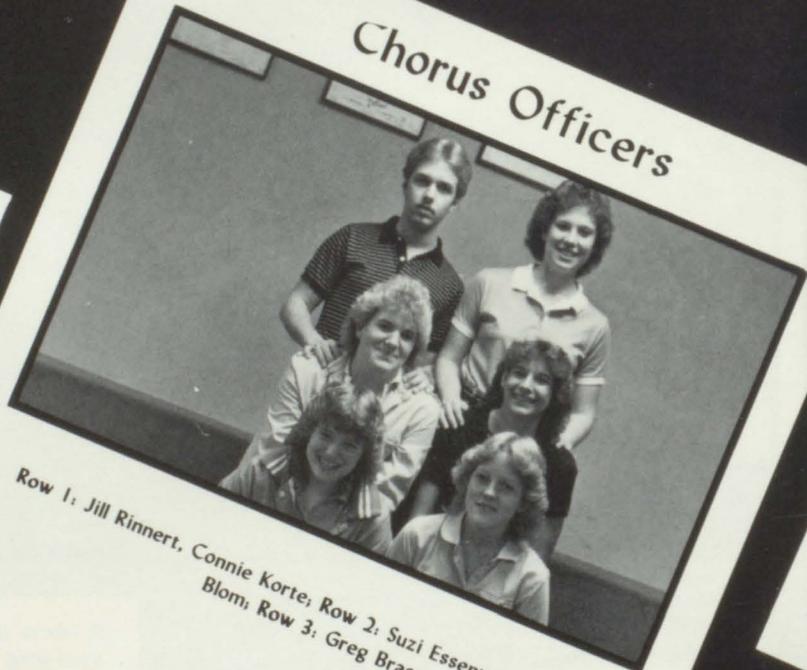
▷ Mr. John Heath directs the band at the annual spring pop concert.

## Band Council



Row 1: Craig Baumann, Mark Rosen, Grant Barth, Jay Strackeljahn, Row 2: Stacy West, Andrea Nehrt, Annie Lutostanski, Karen Koch, Lisa Uhe. Row 3: Michele Riggs, Beth Brown, Angie Lutostanski, Lisa Brusack.

## Chorus Officers



Row 1: Jill Rinnert, Connie Korte; Row 2: Suzi Essenpreis, Sherri Blom; Row 3: Greg Braswell, Lisa Brusack.



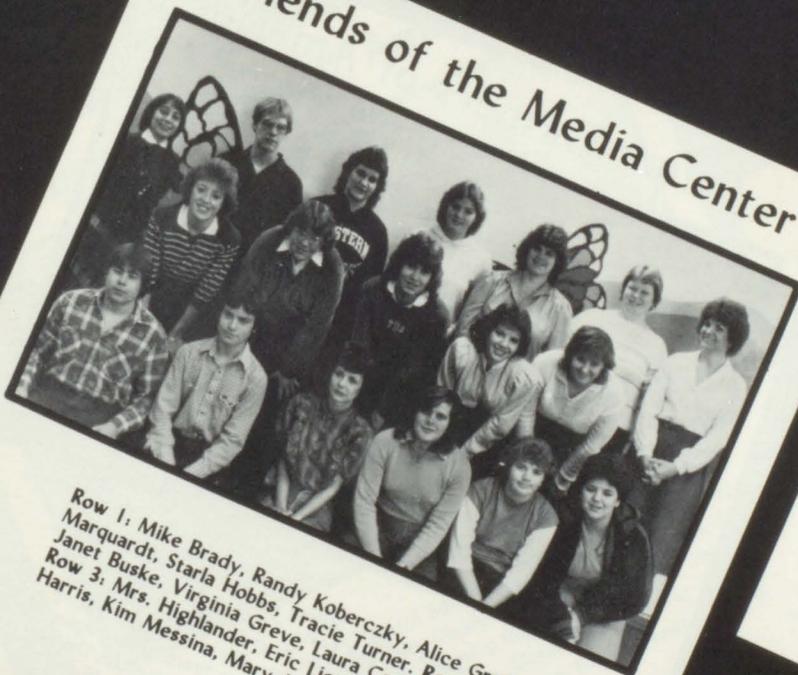
◁ Aside from being advisor for YFC, Mr. Don Clossen has many other duties as well.

▽ Singing in perfect harmony are Deb Kuhl, Margaret Sugg, Bernice Weber, Crista McLean, Virginia Greve, Jill Rinnert, Dana Hoenig, Becca Saul.

▷ Junior Angie Lutostanski, member of Band Council, does her share of loading fruit for the band.

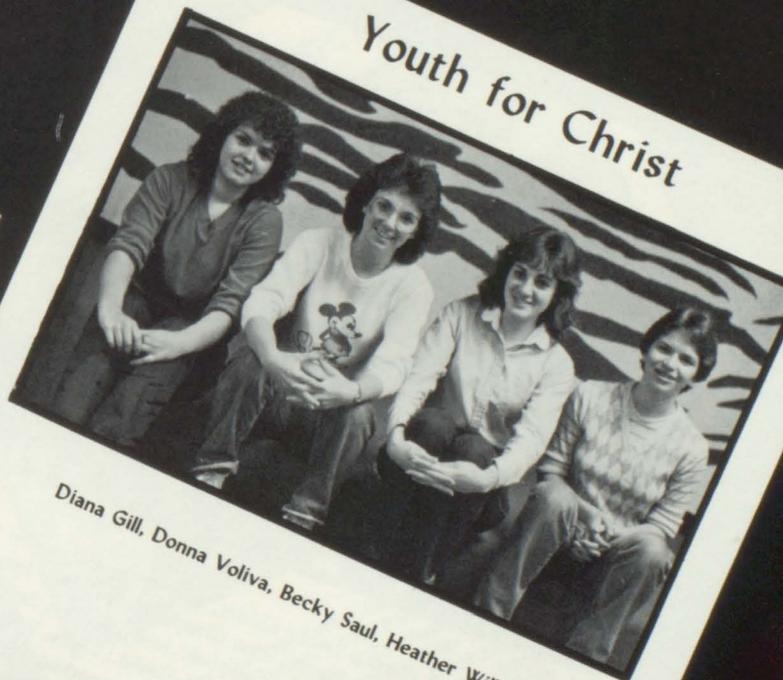


## Friends of the Media Center



Row 1: Mike Brady, Randy Koberczky, Alice Graff, Shelia Marquardt, Starla Hobbs, Tracie Turner. Row 2: Patti Meier, Janet Buske, Virginia Greve, Laura Campbell, Susan Dillow. Row 3: Mrs. Highlander, Eric Liening, Sue Stumpf, Sarah Harris, Kim Messina, Mary Ann Finke, Mrs. Thiems.

## Youth for Christ



Diana Gill, Donna Voliva, Becky Saul, Heather Williams.



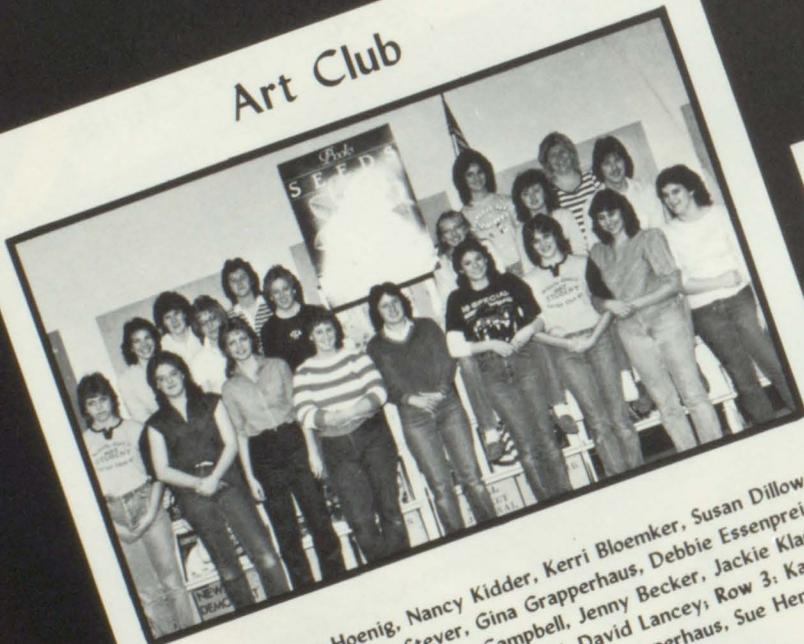
△ Sophomore Kerri Bloemker works on the latchhook rug during her art class. Kerri is also a member of Art Club.



△ Members of the Student Council listen intently during a Student Council meeting. < Listening to the many topics that are discussed, Ms. Cheryl Swafford, Mrs. Jenna Highlander, and Mr. John Heath do their jobs as club advisors while president Cindy Hester conducts a meeting.



## Art Club



Row 1: Dana Hoenig, Nancy Kidder, Kerri Bloemker, Susan Dillow, Kathy Duffin, Jennifer Stever, Gina Grapperhaus, Debbie Essenpreis, Sue Stumpf; Row 2: Laura Campbell, Jenny Becker, Jackie Klaus, Maura Brockmeier, Polly Ramatowski, David Lancey; Row 3: Karen Williams, Missy Neudecker, Tamara Grapperhaus, Sue Hencke.

## Future Farmers of America

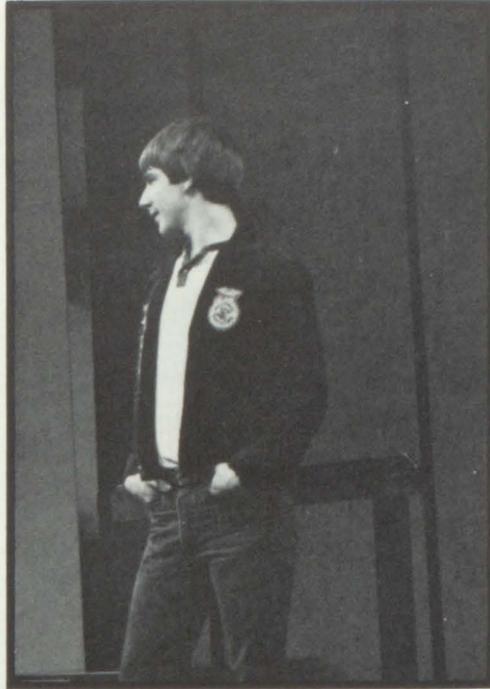


Freshmen-Sophomores Row 1: Bryan Rutz, David Weis, Dale Krump, Brett Hosto, Russell Korte, Gena Rutz, Carla Suess, Kathy Zurliene, Kelli Haese, Brenda Ernst; Row 2: Ron Rehkemper, Jim Iberg, David Plocher, Chris Voegele, Denny Wetzel, Steve Boeser, Tom Tebbe, Scott Frank, Tim Rogier, Preston Zwanzig; Row 3: Jeff Bone, Todd Hustedde, David Iberg, Rick Bellm, Steve Frey, Tim Schneider, Jay Wernle, David Thiems, Paul Tebbe, Keith Toenyes, Bill Isbrecht, Mark Landmann, Mike Nagel, Todd Busch, Allen Knackstedt.

▽ Mr. Tom Koch, advisor for FFA, participates with the elementary children at the FFA barnyard. The children get to touch and see various animals.

# Clubs

Art Club, Student Council, and FFA helped students get involved. They sponsored activities that provided students with opportunities to plan and participate in these activities. One of the major activities was Homecoming which was planned by Student Council and the Art Club helped with the decorations. Student Council also sponsored two dances during the year. FFA held their annual slave auction where members' services were auctioned to farmers. Art Club members took field trips and sold their wares at the annual art fair.

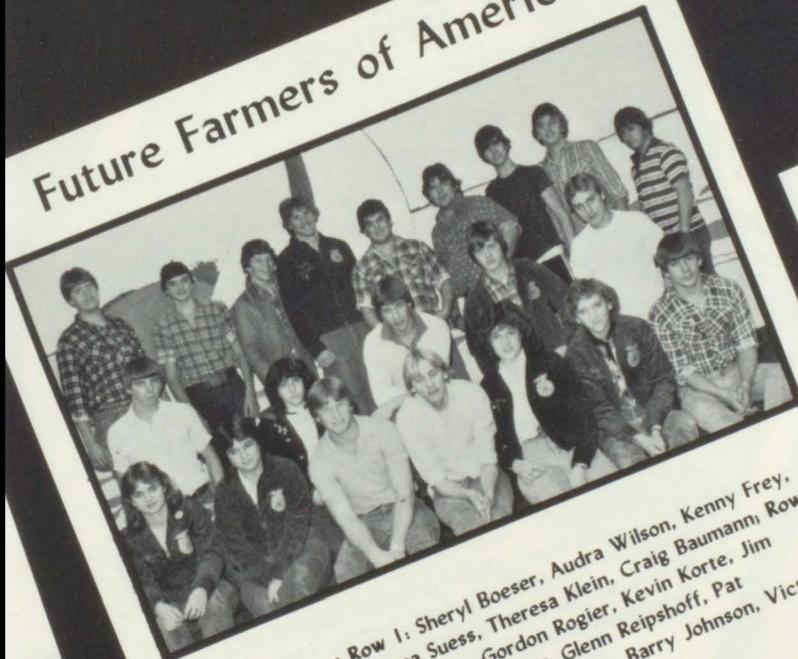


△ Senior Craig Baumann is auctioned away at the FFA slave auction.

◁ Junior David Lancey paints Gale Ervin's face at the Art Fair.



## Future Farmers of America



Juniors-Seniors Row 1: Sheryl Boeser, Audra Wilson, Kenny Frey, Bruce Henschen, Dena Suess, Theresa Klein, Craig Baumann; Row 2: Rich Daiber, Tina Tebbe, Gordon Rogier, Kevin Korte, Jim Vosholler; Row 3: Dean Korsmeyer, Glenn Reipshoff, Pat Thurmond, Todd Schneider, Randy Korte, Barry Johnson, Victor Munie, David Klein, Joe Altevogt.

## Student Council



Row 1: Amy Monken, Kathy Zurliene, Claire Drake, Carla Niggli, Shelly Neumann, Cheri Portell, Mark Geppert; Row 2: Janean Holt, Sherri Blom, Kelly Moss, Jeanie Schaffner, Kerri Blomeker, Suzi Essenpreis, Polly Ramatowski; Row 3: Lisa Brusack, Angie Lutostanski, Kerri Knebel, Bonnie Deibert, Todd Imming, Scott Sims, Ben Hanna, Todd Korte; Row 4: Sherri Neumann, Julie Bullock, Debbie Lofquist, Michele Riggs, Cindy Hester, Jamie Essenpreis.

# Clubs

French Club, German Club, Spanish Club, and International Fellowship provided students with opportunities to understand others. Members of these clubs were introduced to new languages and cultures. These clubs took field trips, participated in language days to increase their knowledge, and sold suckers with foreign phrases on them.

The three foreign exchange students enabled HHS students to learn about people from other countries. They were special guests at the International Fellowship annual banquet. This banquet also helped the foreign language classes to understand each other better.

▷ Junior Phil Gundlach participates in the puppet show that German Club gave.  
 ▽ Rather than meet as a single club, Spanish Club met by classes. Officers included Row 1: Shelby Cunningham, Donna Voliva, Lesa Kraus; Cindy Englemann, Karla Barreda; Row 2: Cheri Portell, Tammy Adams, Chris Chaney, Terri Grapperhaus, Darrell Ridens; Row 3: Senora Alarcon, Randy Long, Joe Castegnaro, Devin Wille, Eric Augustine, Susie Ginther.



▷ Mrs. Christine Warner, advisor for German Club, talks on the phone in the guidance area.

## French Club

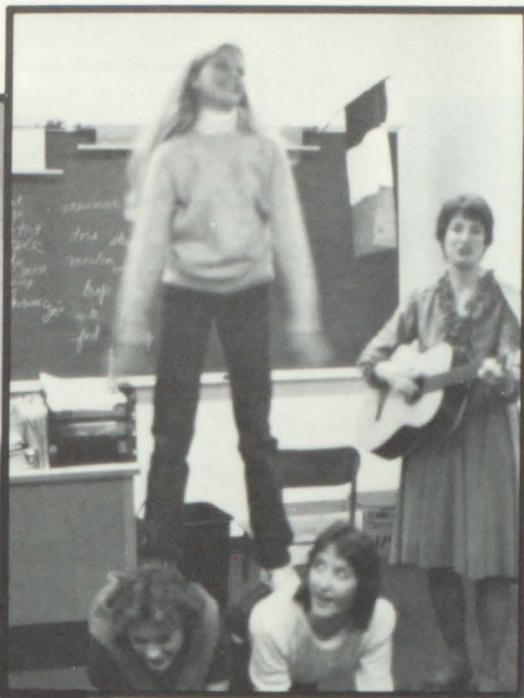
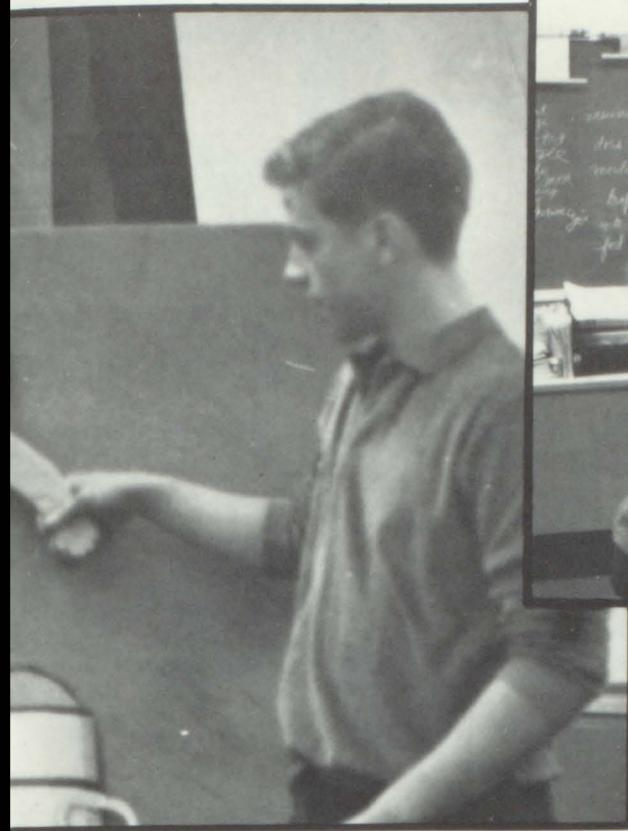


Row 1: Michelle Bleisch, Susan Hanna, Sarah McCall, Polly Ramatowski, Andi Hurley, Bill Camp, Claire Drake, Chris Hetzel, Row 2: Jeff Gall, Paula Holzinger, Chuck Sanders, Julie Torbit, Stacey Thiems, Amy Steiner, Dani Coffee, Cindy McDonald; Row 3: Karen Granger, Lee Ann Rautenberg, Marsha Hilmes, Rob Ronat, Amy Monken, Sherri Neumann, Tina Maroon, Keith Klenke, Tom Hess.

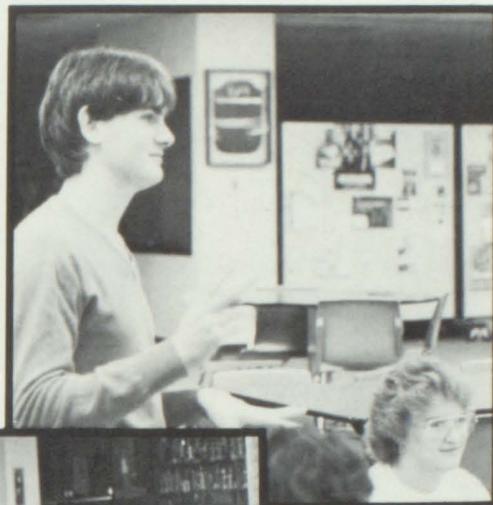
## German Club



Row 1: Kim Kuhl, Patti Young, Dean Korte, Jeff Heim; Row 2: Frau Warner, Virginia Greve, Anne Livingston, Anthony Ramsey, Becky Brown, Suzie Waller; Row 3: Phil Gundlach, Lee Ann Gusewelle, Beth Brown, Beth Kruse, Jeff Buchmiller, Jeff Nihiser.



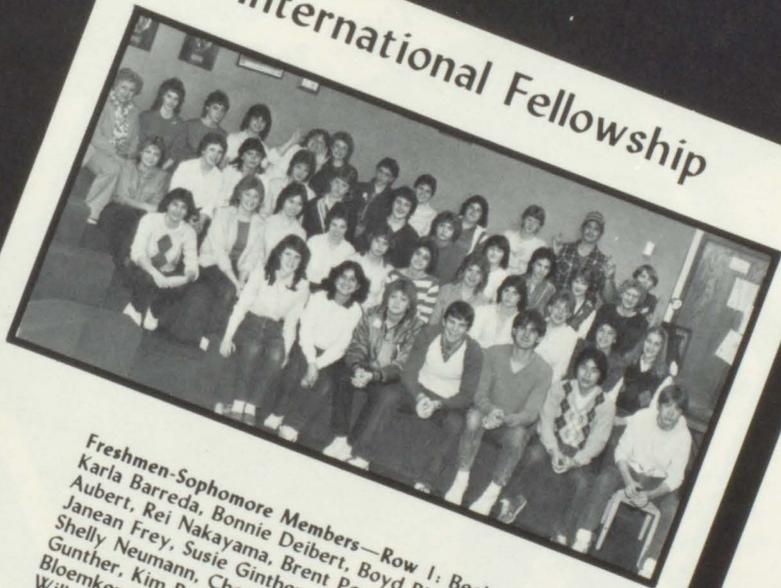
◁ French Club members participate in a group activity during the meeting.  
 ▽ Foreign exchange student Laurent Aubert talks at the International Fellowship Banquet.



◁ Spanish Club members goof off before their Spanish Club meeting.  
 ▷ There are many foods to chose from at the International Fellowship Banquet.



## International Fellowship

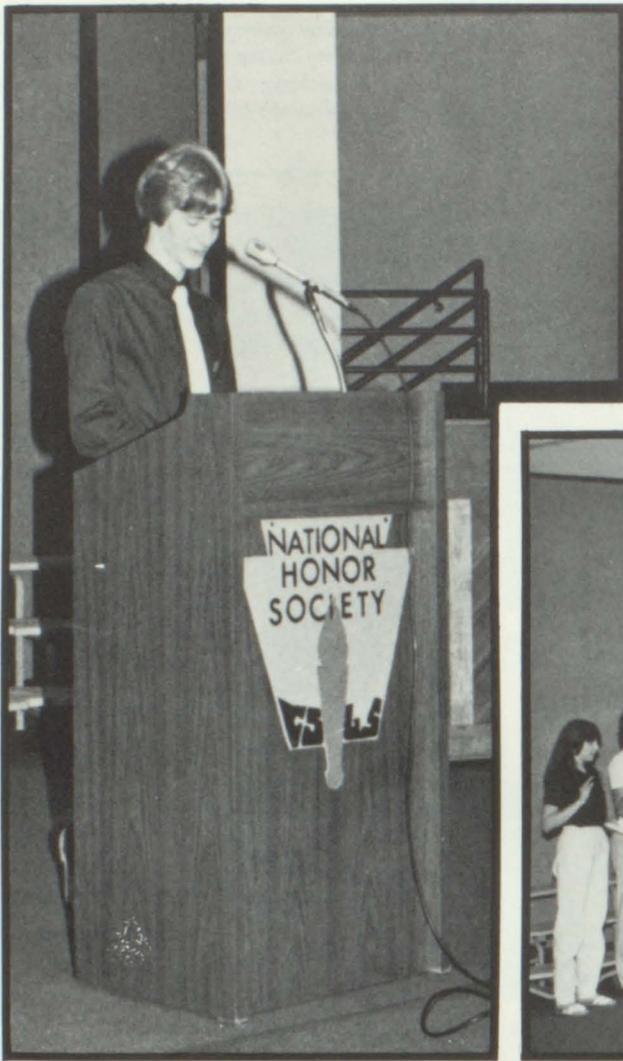


**Freshmen-Sophomore Members—Row 1:** Becky Geppert, Karla Barrada, Bonnie Deibert, Boyd Rinderer, Laurent Aubert, Rei Nakayama, Brent Portelli, Row 2: Sherrri Blom, Janean Frey, Susie Ginther, Dawn Bassler, Carla Niggli, Shelly Neumann, Cheri Portell, Chris Hadsall, Regina Gunther, Kim Rudolph, Tanis Wildhaber; Row 3: Kerri Bloemker, Kris Clayton, Gina Schwarz, Elise Schumaker, Wilke, Rob Driemeyer, Lisa Prigmore, Klarann Brown, Beth Michelle White, Cathy Gundlach, Kelly Tebbe; Row 4: Senora Alarcon, Kitty Wilson, Eva McLean, Lisa Hock, Tammy Adams, Kris Bridgewater, Michele Korte, Shelly Riffel, Mary Fenton, Mark Geppert, Billy White, Darrell Ridens.

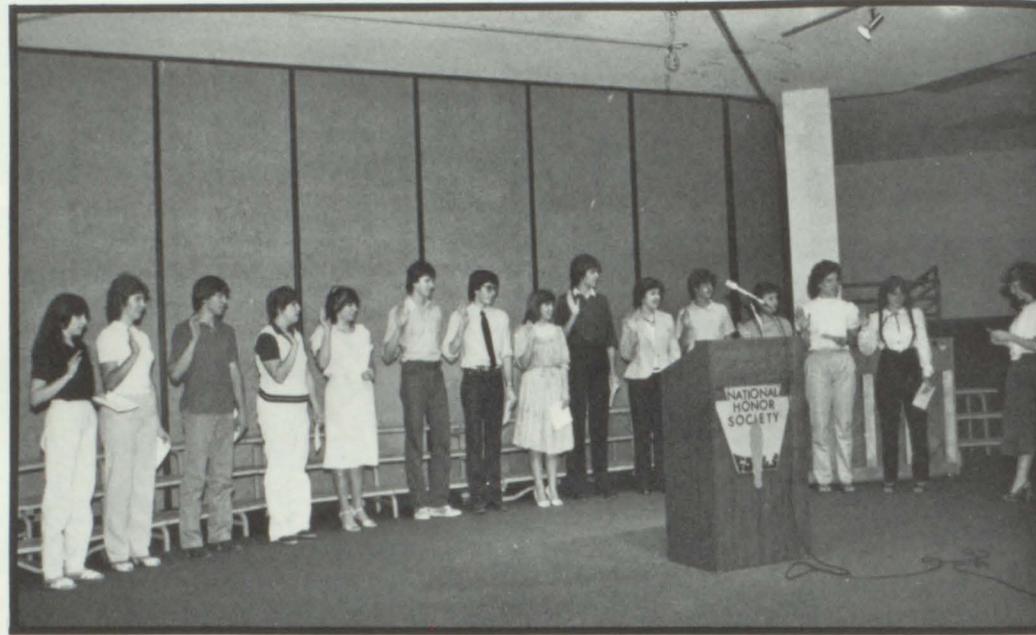
## International Fellowship



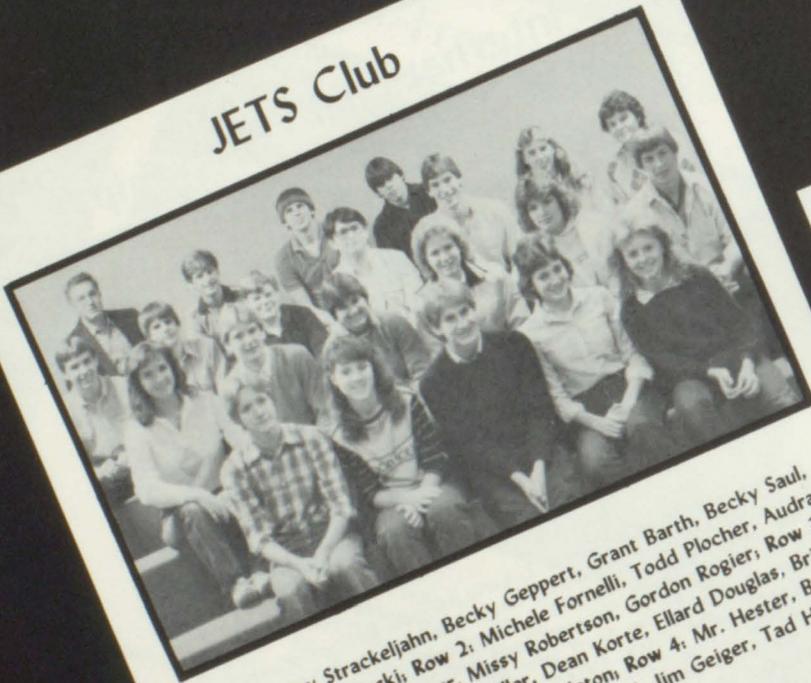
**Junior-Senior Members—Row 1:** Karla Barrada, Becky Geppert, Bonnie Deibert, Boyd Rinderer, Laurent Aubert, Rei Nakayama, Brent Portelli, Row 2: Becky Saul, Sheryl Robison, Donna Voliva, Michelle Rinderer, Mia Bennett, Terri Grapperhaus, Eric Augustine, Chad Weiss, Scott Sims; Row 3: Terri Dusky, Karen Williams, Bernice Weber, Margaret Sugg, Shari White, Karen Moss, Chris Kulage, Cami Bizer, Kitty Wilson, Kerri Bloemker; Row 4: Joe Barr, Jeff Dubach, Ellard Douglas, Blake Kohlbrecher, Kim Kaminski, Rob Bloemker, Craig Marti, Bruce Augustine, Jamie Essenpreis, Lee Ann Rautenberg, Sherrri Blom.



- ◁ Senior Jay Strackeljahm makes a speech at the Honor's Invocation.
- ▽ The newly elected members of NHS take their pledges for this club.
- ▷ Seniors Grant Barth and Becky Geppert, members of Jets Club, donate books to the library.



## JETS Club



Row 1: Jay Strackeljahm, Becky Geppert, Grant Barth, Becky Saul, Kim Kaminski; Row 2: Michele Fornelli, Todd Plocher, Audra Wilson, Cindy Hester, Missy Robertson, Gordon Rogier; Row 3: Matt Homann, Jeff Buchmiller, Dean Korte, Ellard Douglas, Brian Dean, Yvonne Haislar, Lori Singleton; Row 4: Mr. Hester, Brian Saul, Jim Geiger, Tad Haller.

## Model U.N.



Row 1: Becky Brown, Matt Homann, Anthony Ramsey, Mike Nelson; Row 2: Kathy Hagist, Dana Hoenig, Rob Driemeyer, Bill Duffin, David Nelson; Row 3: Ann Bedard, Randy Kobersky, Kurt Albert, Diana Gill, Shelby Cunningham; Row 4: Scott Voegel, Dean Korte, Brian Dillow, Ellard Douglas.

# Clubs

▽ Jets Club members talk before one of their meetings.



Jets, Model U.N., and NHS challenged student's minds. Students involved in these clubs worked hard and earned recognition for their achievements.

Members of Jets took tests and competed with students from other schools.

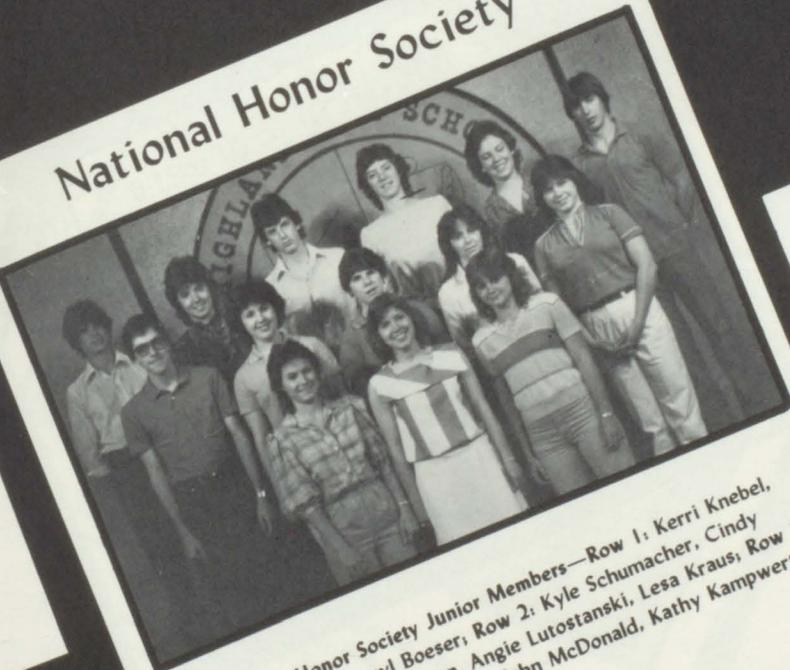
Model U.N. members represented countries that are in the actual United Nations at spring and fall sessions at McKendree College.

NHS sponsored career awareness day so seniors could learn about business in the community.



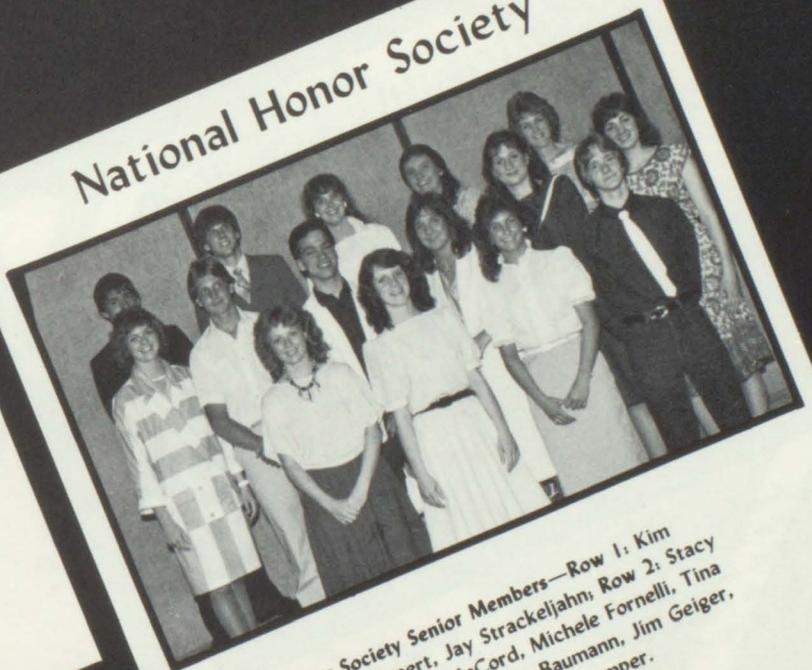
◁ Mrs. Debbie Caulk, adviser, and other Model U.N. members leave for the mock session at McKendree College.

## National Honor Society



National Honor Society Junior Members—Row 1: Kerri Knebel, Patti Young, Sheryl Boeser; Row 2: Kyle Schumacher, Cindy Englemann, Becky Brown, Angie Lutostanski, Lesa Kraus; Row 3: Jeff Buchmiller, Beth Kruse, John McDonald, Kathy Kampwerth, Lisa Brusack, Gordon Rogier.

## National Honor Society



National Honor Society Senior Members—Row 1: Kim Kaminski, Becky Geppert, Jay Strackeljahn; Row 2: Stacy West, Todd Plocher, Rob McCord, Michele Fornelli, Tina Voegelé, Becca Sauli; Row 3: Craig Baumann, Jim Geiger, Beth Brown, Dawn Steiner, Cheryl Rehkemper.

# Clubs

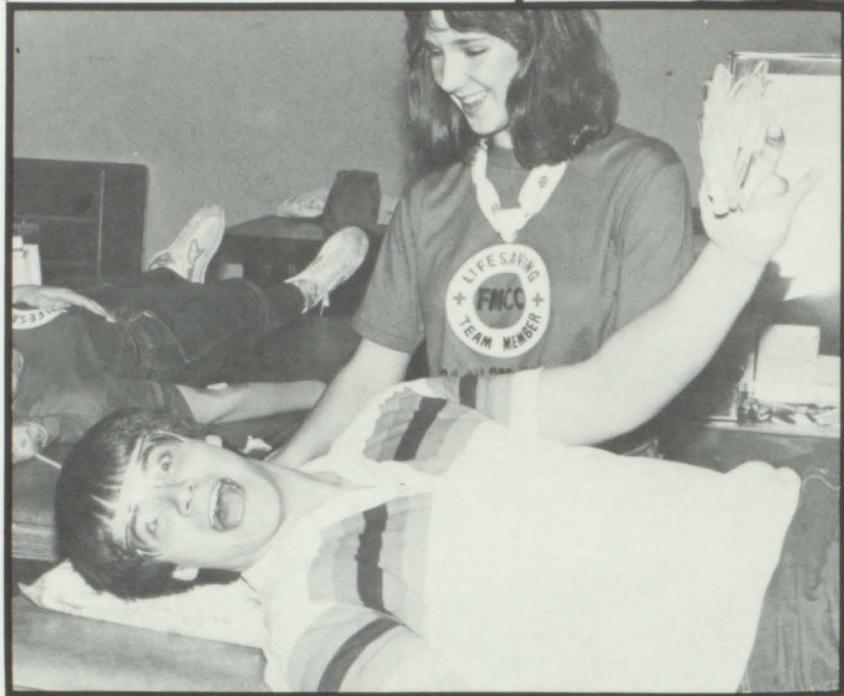
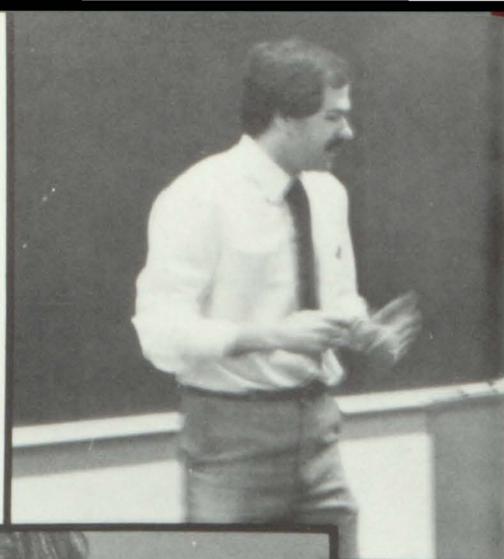
To prepare for life after high school, clubs like FMCC, Office occupations, Distributive Education, and Science Club gave students opportunities to look to the future.

FMCC held a blood drive and encouraged eligible students to donate blood.

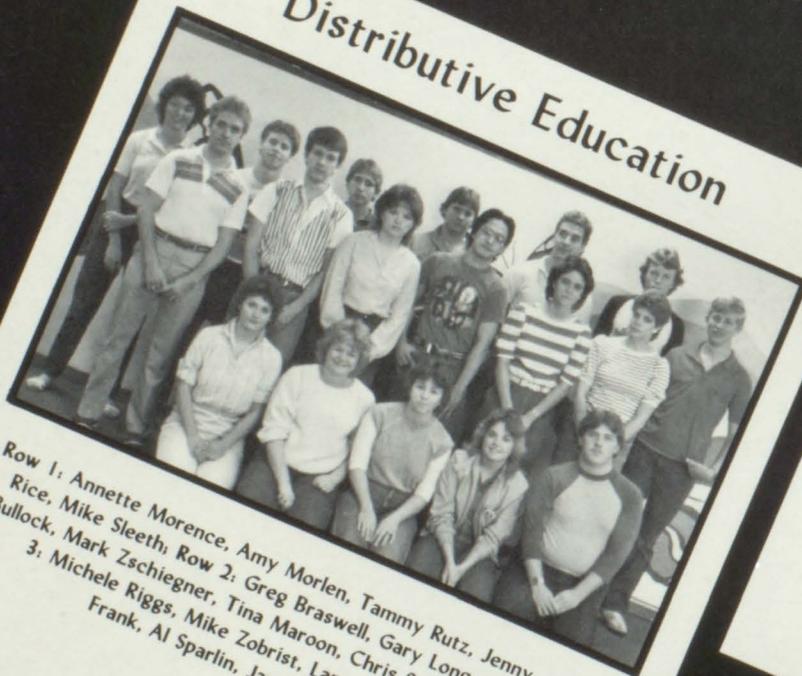
Office Occupations and Distributive Education planned their annual banquet for employers who participate in the Co-op program.

Science Club planted trees outside the school and took field trips to expand their knowledge of career opportunities in the field of science.

▽ Senior Roger Young prepares to give blood for the FMCC blood drive with the help of FMCC member Michele Fornelli.

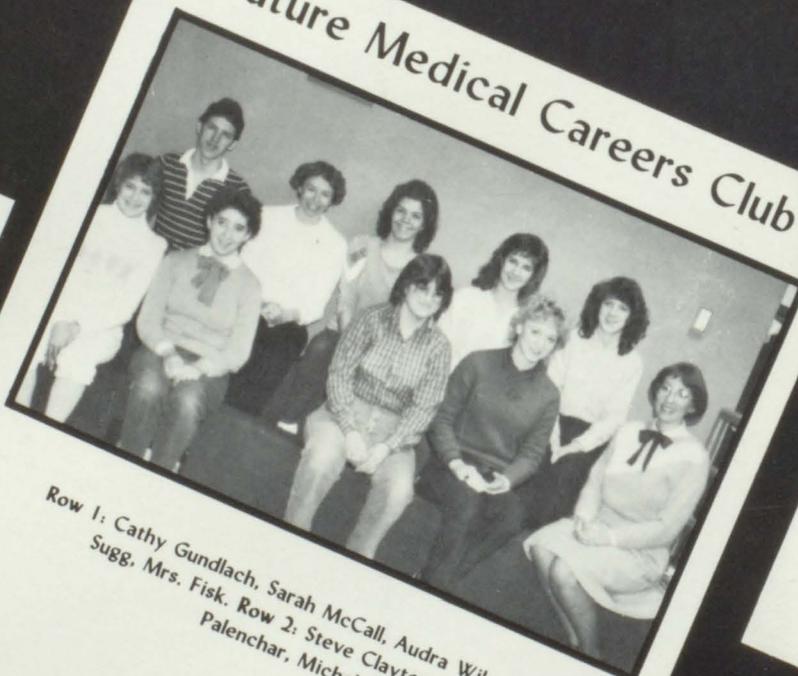


## Distributive Education



Row 1: Annette Morence, Amy Morlen, Tammy Rutz, Jenny Rice, Mike Sleeth; Row 2: Greg Braswell, Gary Long, Julie Bullock, Mark Zschiegner, Tina Maroon, Chris Siverly; Row 3: Michele Riggs, Mike Zobrist, Larry Whitlow, David Frank, Al Sparlin, Jay Kennedy, Brian Melton.

## Future Medical Careers Club

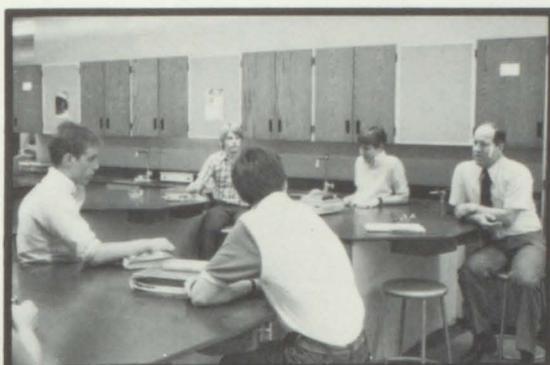
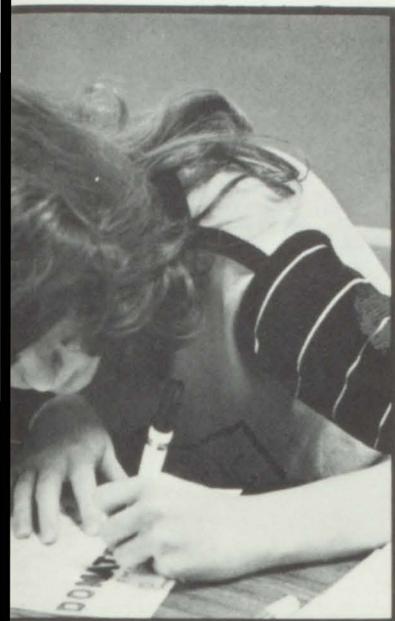


Row 1: Cathy Gundlach, Sarah McCall, Audra Wilson, Margaret Sugg, Mrs. Fisk, Row 2: Steve Clayton, Paula East, Donna Palenchar, Michele Fornelli, Becky Geppert.

◁ Mr. Arlen Baker, adviser for the Co-op program, speaks to his Distributive Ed. class.

▽ Senior Becky Geppert works on posters for the FMCC blood drive during a club meeting.

▷ Senior Jamie Essepreis takes senior Michele Rigg's temperature for the blood drive while seniors Lee Ann Rautenberg and Jim Kidder fill out the required forms for giving blood.



▷ Senior Greg Braswell participates in the Co-op program by working at Robert's.  
 △ Mr. Brent Grodeon, adviser for Science Club, talks with the members during a club meeting.

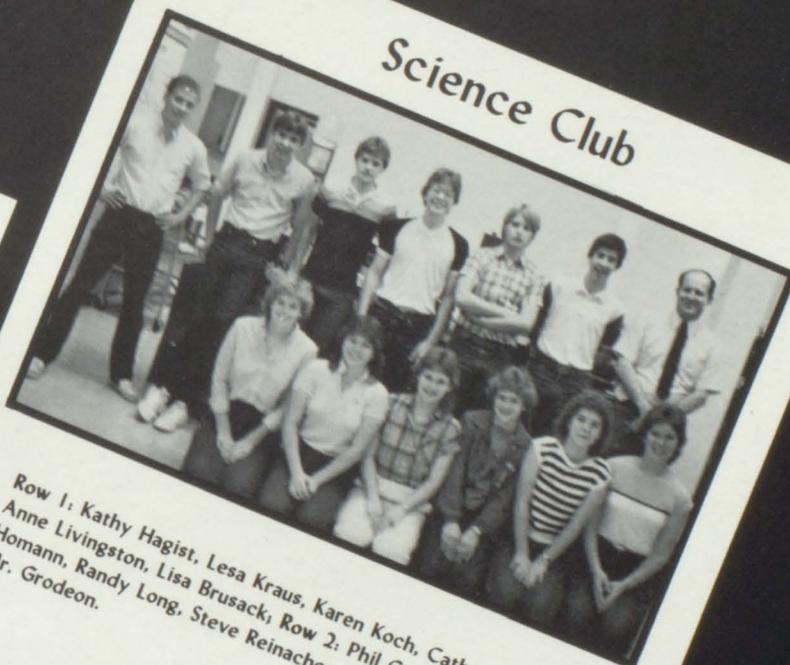


## Office Occupations



Row 1: Brenda Korte, Sherri Neumann, Patti Meier, Jean Frank, Janet Buske, Lisa Kuhn; Row 2: Kristi Harris, Audra Abert, Nancy Korte, Tracy Frey, Geralyn Frey; Row 3: Shari Sanvi, Nancy Jacober, Susan Landman, Dana Haukup, Tammy Isaak, Sandy Long.

## Science Club



Row 1: Kathy Hagist, Lesa Kraus, Karen Koch, Cathy Gundlach, Anne Livingston, Lisa Brusack; Row 2: Phil Gundlach, Matt Homann, Randy Long, Steve Reinacher, Steve Parris, Dan Henke, Mr. Grodeon.

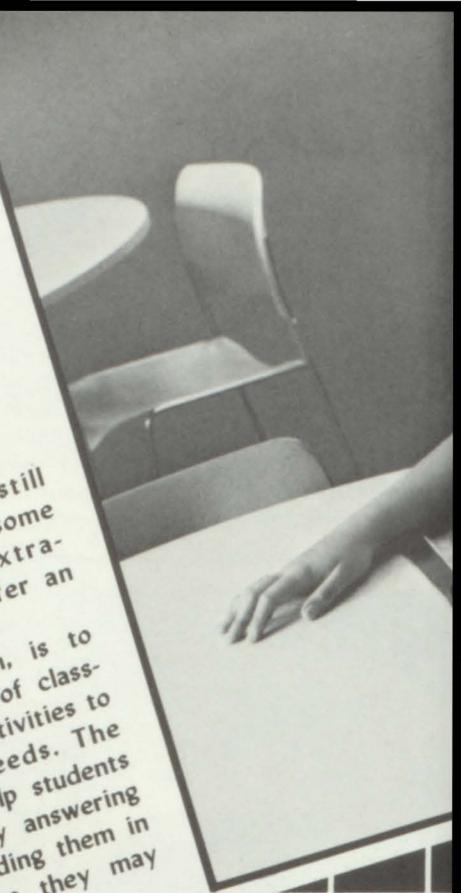
## Just The Facts

In a society that is rapidly changing from industrial to high-tech, so is Highland High. The murmur of computers, the music of video games and the melodies of MTV can all be heard at HHS. Not only can these sounds of the wheels turning in the students minds.

It is obvious that learning at HHS has become more than just reading, writing and arithmetic. Many students view high school as a social institution because of the extra-curricular activities that are offered.

Although classroom work is still considered most important, some people do forget that extra-curricular activities also offer an education.

The key to success then, is to find the right combination of classroom learning and extra activities to suit each individuals needs. The faculty is available to help students find this combination by answering their questions and heading them in the proper direction so they may find just the right facts.



▽ Junior Angie Lutostanski and band director Mr. Heath enjoy the pizza at the bands pizza party.



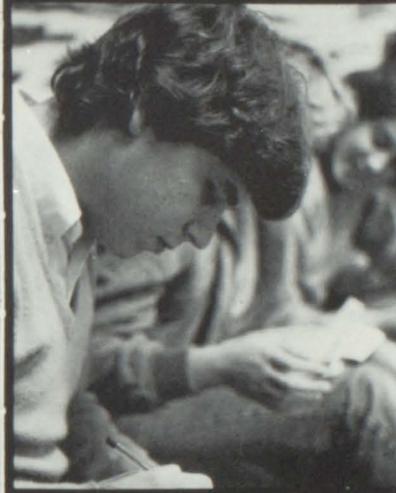
▽ Senior Jill Rinnert signs a memory book for a friend.





◁ Karla Barreda, the foreign exchange student from Guatemala, relaxes with a magazine during her lunch hour.

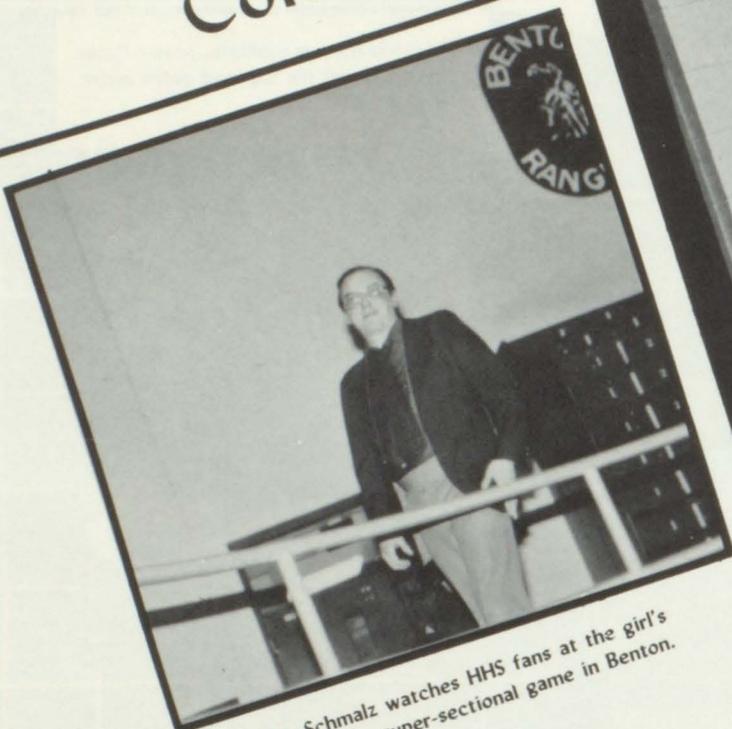
▽ Anticipating graduation, senior Drew Mesle fills out his cap and gown order form.



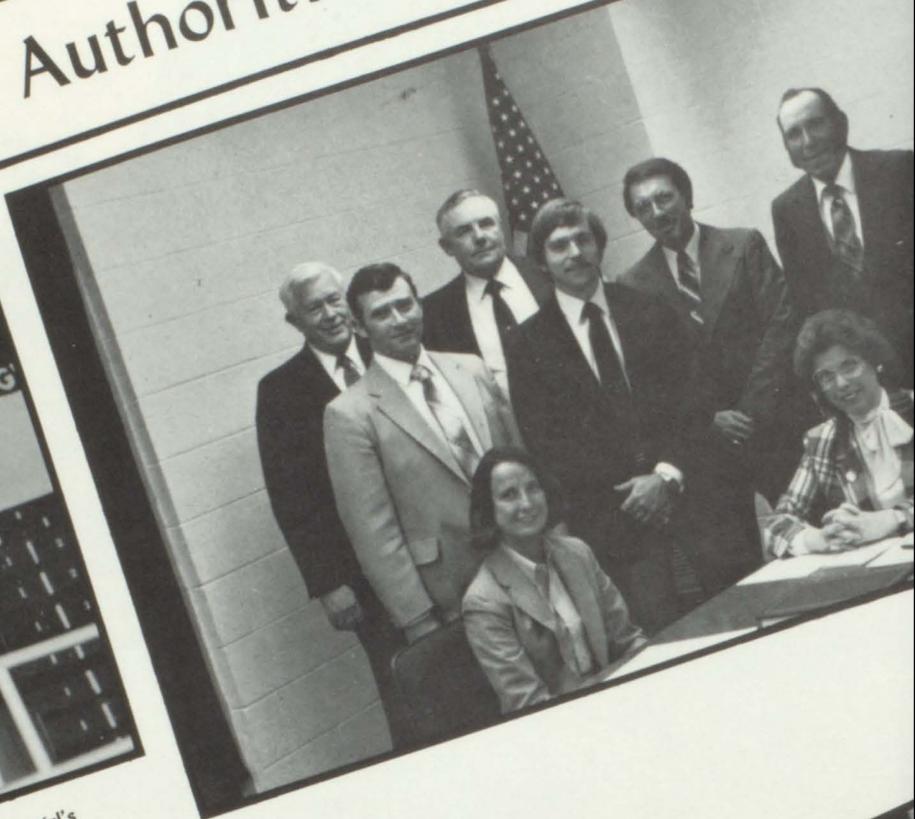
△ Sophomores Robin Wheatley and Jill Redman get a jump on their college planning.

◁ Singing in the swing choir, freshman Annie Lutostanski also participates in treble choir.

# Consult the Authorities



△ Mr. Schmalz watches HHS fans at the girl's super-sectional game in Benton.



△ Members of the Board of Education (standing) Superintendent Olin W. Stratton, Mr. Carl Baumann, President Ronald Hemann, Mr. Wm. Michael Gould, Mr. James Collmann, Mr. Robert Hosto (seated): Mrs. Mary Kathryn Drake, Mrs. Sharon Rinderer

## School Secretaries



Mrs. Terry Frey



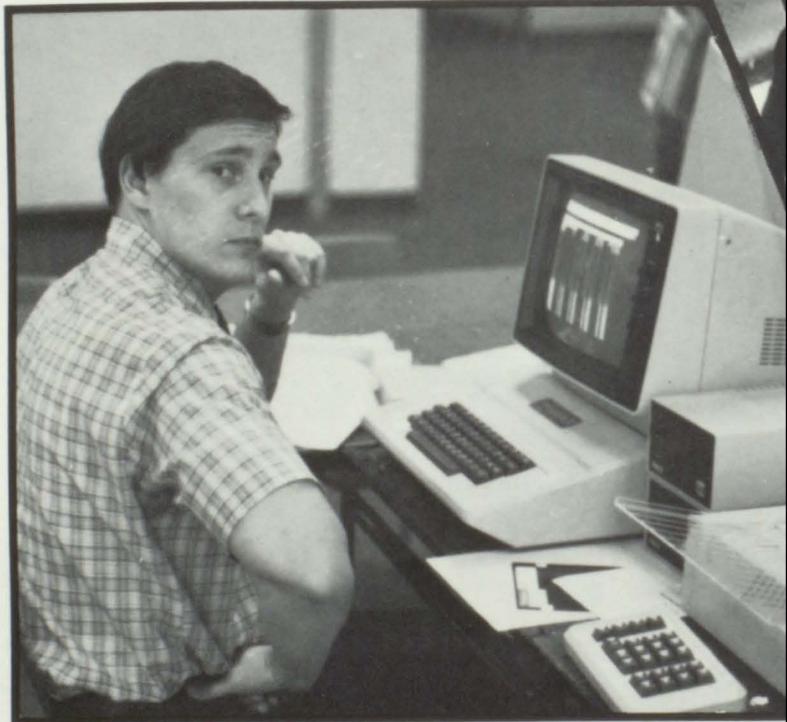
Mrs. Lynn Rutz



Mrs. Sherry Szoke



Mrs. Bonnie Thiems



△ Mr. Closson often uses the computer for his classes as well as for the athletic programs.

Making sure that everything runs as smoothly as possible is the main concern of the HHS administration.

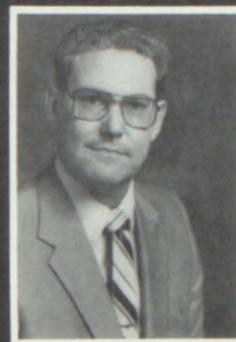
Believe it or not, they are responsible for other jobs than just making sure students clean up after lunch hours, keeping them from wearing shorts during the warm months and getting in that quick kiss between classes. Aside from establishing new rules and policies, each of the four administrators also teaches classes during the school day. Mr. Dale Schmalz, who also works in the guidance area says, "My biggest responsibility in keeping this school running smoothly is making student schedules, student grade cards and keeping student and faculty permanent records."

Although the secretaries are not considered part of the administration, it would be difficult to keep things running smoothly without them. They relay messages and take care of the daily business. Terry Frey, guidance secretary says, "I feel like I have to know a little bit about everything. My biggest job is staying one step ahead."

For any type of problem or question any student would find the correct solution by consulting the authorities—the HHS administration.

△ Mr. Schaefer speaks with John Klopstein, director of the new food service at HHS.

▽ Making fun of the Flashdance craze, Mr. Singleton models his "off-the-shoulder" suit for his Economic students.



Mr. Fred W. Singleton  
Principal  
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MA: Colorado College  
Economics



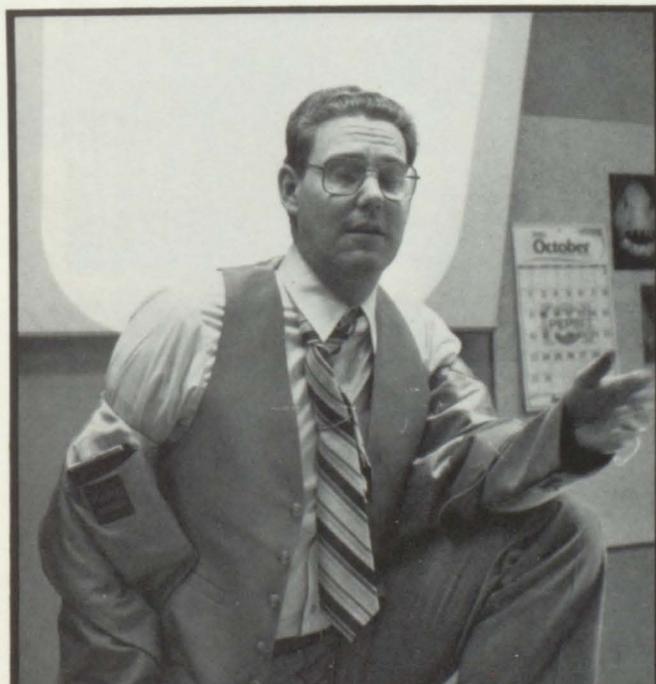
Mr. Joseph Schaefer  
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Welding II



Mr. Dale Schmalz  
Assistant Principal  
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MS: Southern Illinois Univ.(E)  
Guidance, Typing I  
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Mr. Don Closson  
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MS: Illinois State University  
US History, Athletic Director  
Adviser: Youth for Christ



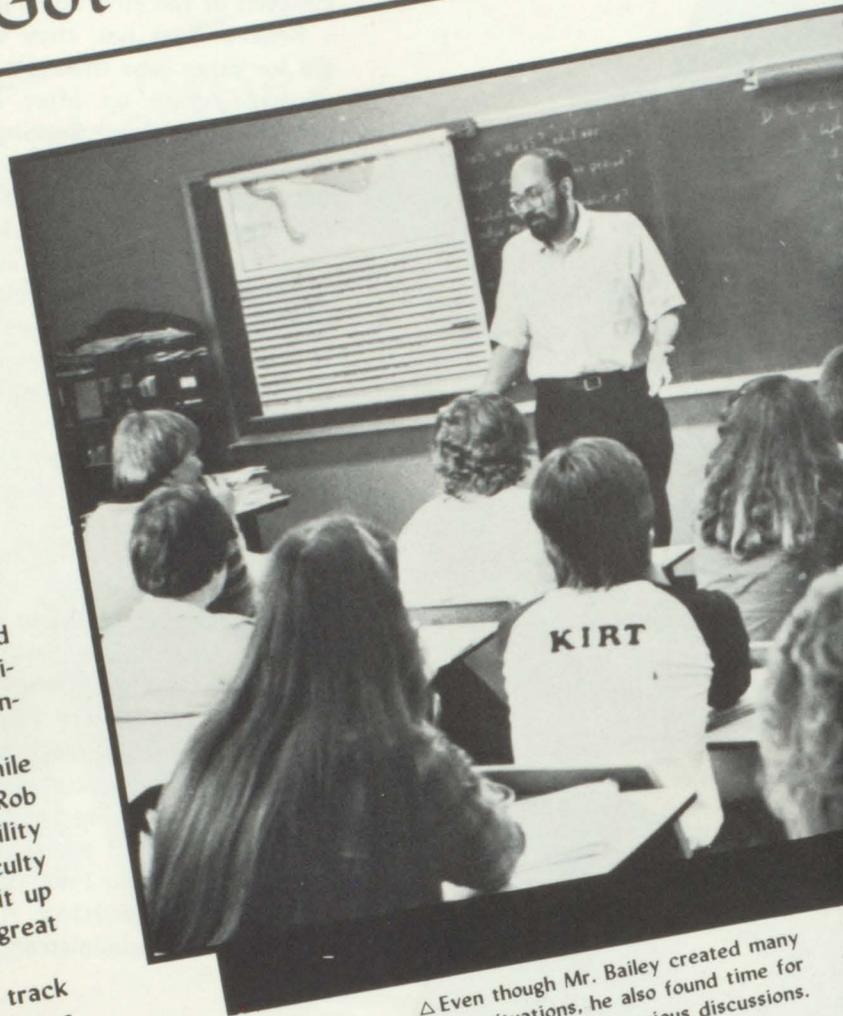
# Give It All You've Got

Give it all you've got, was a phrase that could have easily been used to describe Mr. David Bailey, his life and his teaching career. An honor graduate from McKendree College, he entertained his American history classes with his witty sense of humor for 13 years. His unique teaching style motivated students and made American history alive and fun to learn. Mr. Bailey's death on December 7, brought a stillness to Highland High, as the students felt the loss of not only a teacher but a friend.

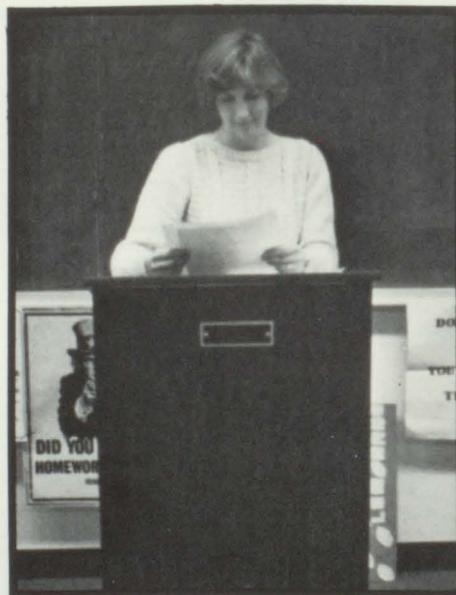
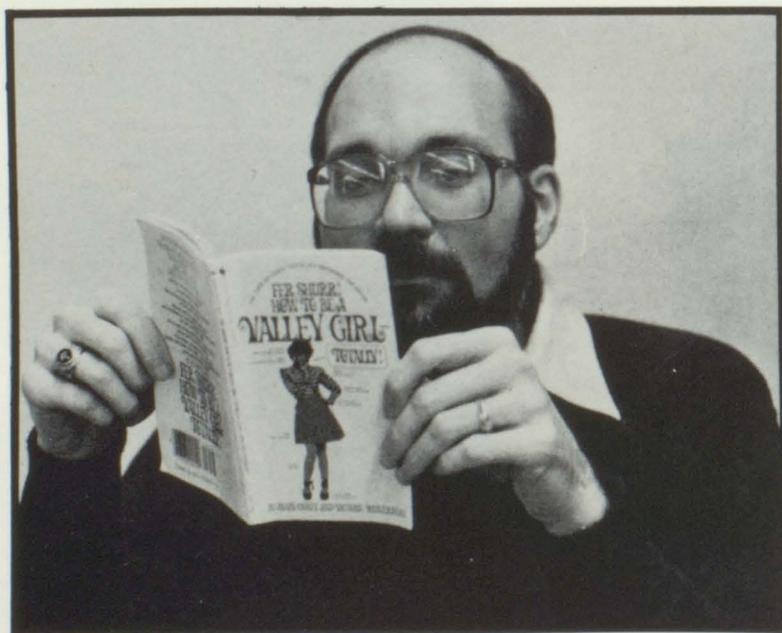
Even though he will be remembered for his great sense of humor, Mr. Bailey was also known as a warm and sensitive human being.

He always found time to give a smile and an encouraging word. Senior, Rob Bloemker, said, "I admired his ability to get along with everyone." Faculty member, Frank Stillwagon summed it up by saying, "he was an all-around great human being."

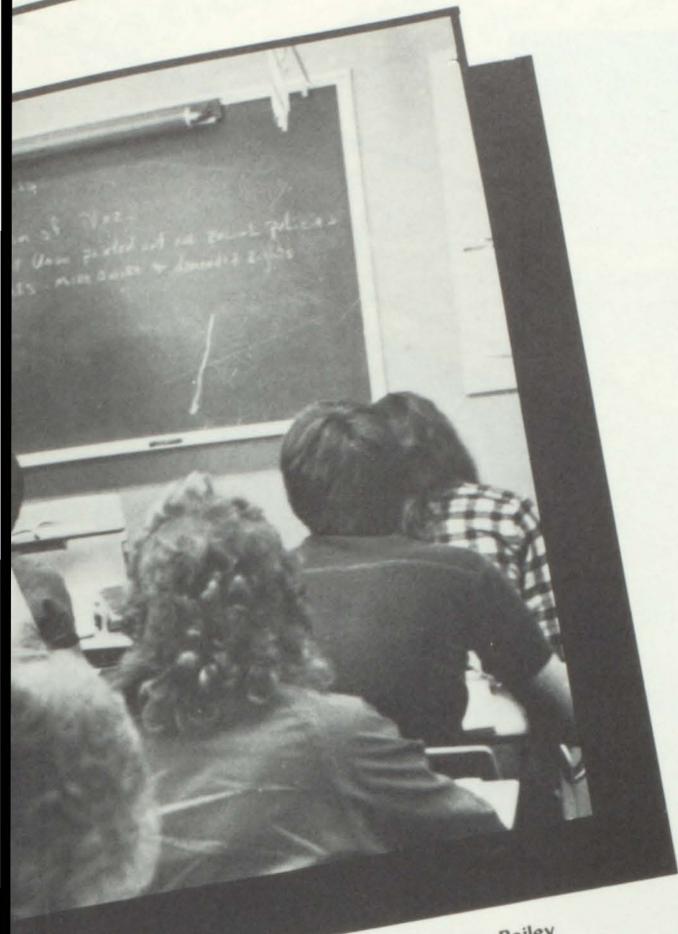
Mr. Bailey was also a former track coach and NHS advisor. He was always willingly involved in school activities. He acted as minister for the adult living classes simulated wedding, he spoke at the class of 1981's graduation ceremony and served as chairman of the 1978 NCA evaluation committee.



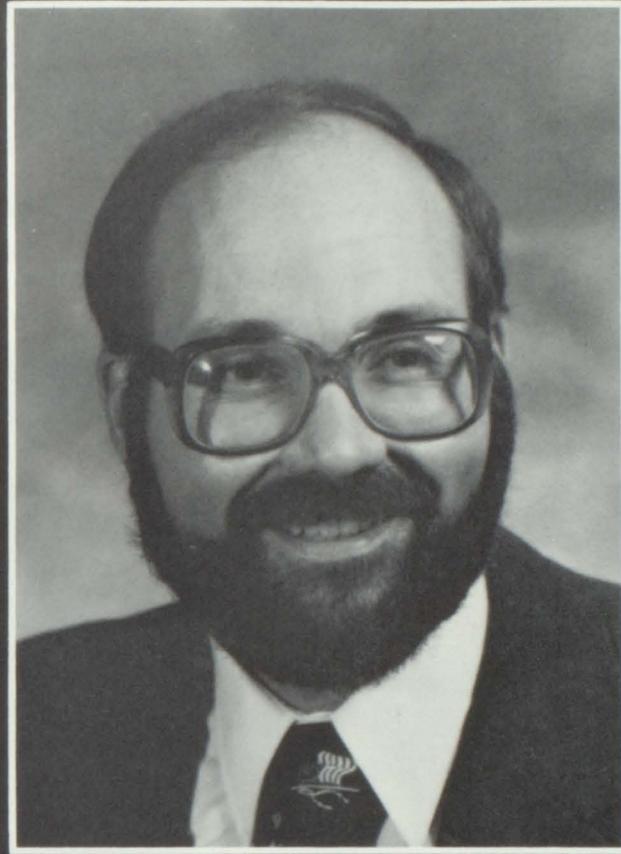
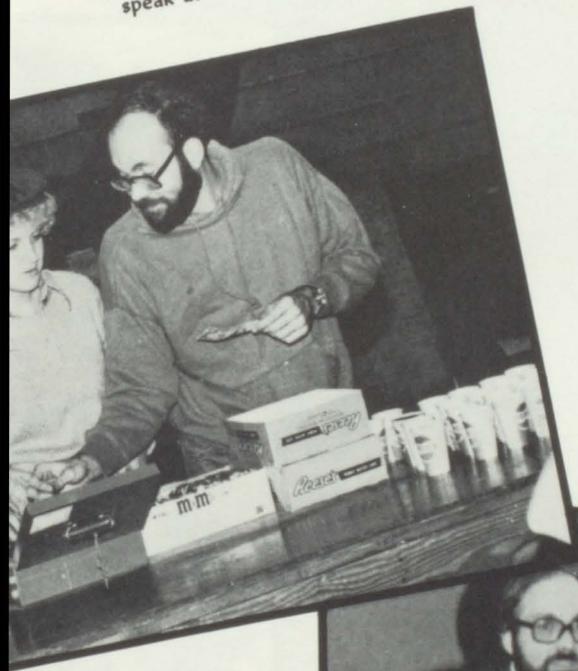
△ Even though Mr. Bailey created many humorous situations, he also found time for serious discussions.



△ Mrs. Caulk lectures behind one of the podiums donated to the social studies department by Mrs. Bailey in memory of Mr. Bailey.  
◁ Keeping up with the latest trends, Mr. Bailey used Missy Neudecker's book to learn about valley girls.



▽ As an advisor of the class of 1981, Mr. Bailey helped sell concessions at a football game.  
▽ A witty speaker, Mr. Bailey was often asked to speak at school functions.



Mr. David Bailey  
American History Teacher  
1948-1983

Mr. Bailey gave Highland High School the gifts of warmth, laughter and friendship. But, perhaps the most precious gift he gave, was the spirit and determination that he showed throughout his long illness.

Mr. David Bailey, teacher and friend, is missed by all who knew him.

# Build On



- △ Sophomore, Rob Ronat, uses class study time to catch up on some reading.
- ▷ Using the library to find sources is an important basic skill.



- △ Fourth year math student, David Parker, discusses a trigonometry problem with Mrs. Probst.
- ▷ During Algebra I, Mr. Rosenberg listens to a question concerning square roots.

# Basics

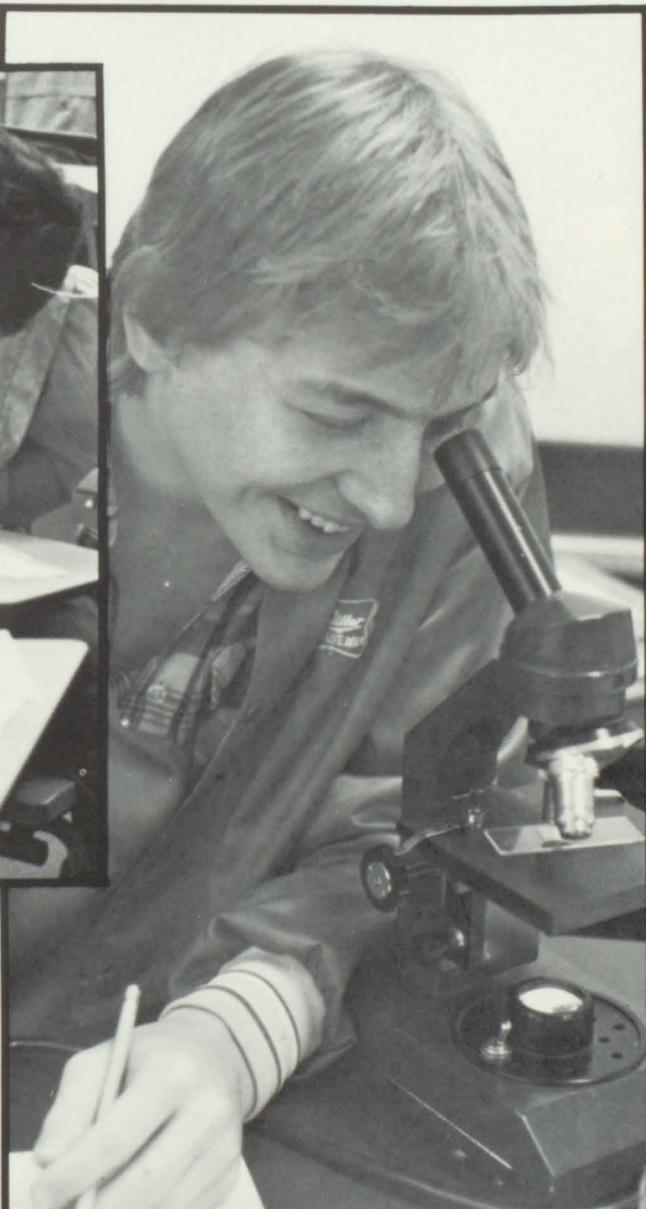
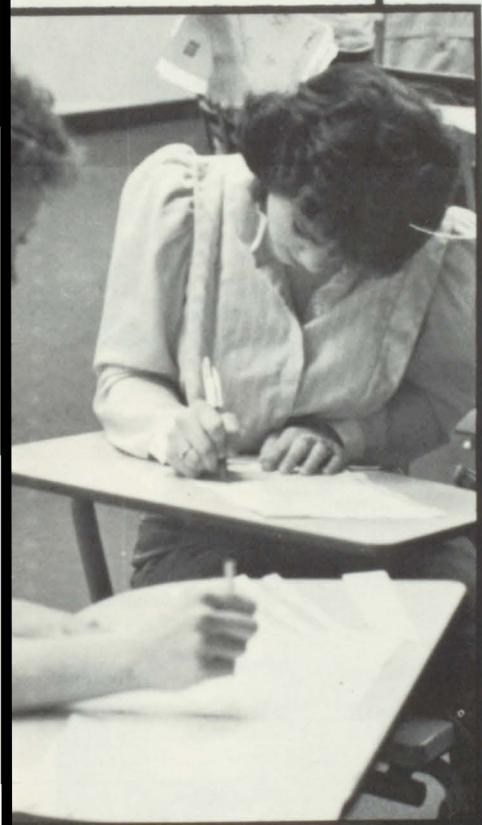
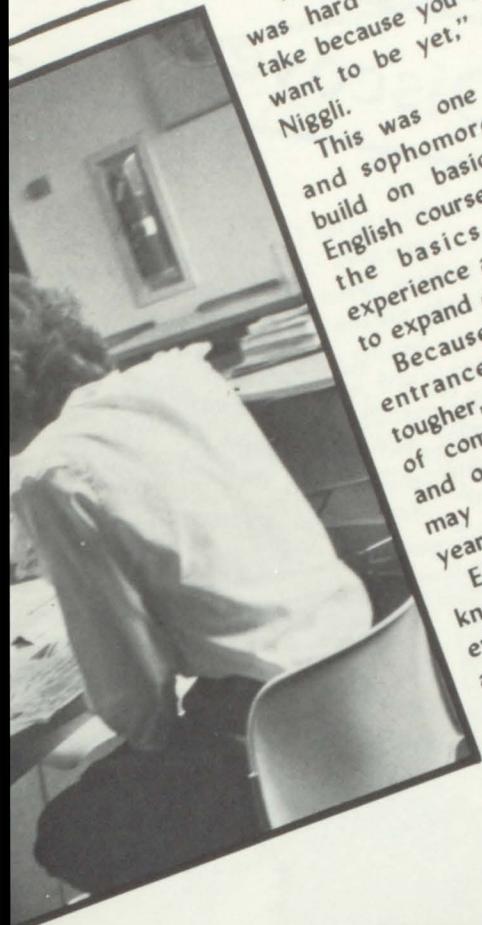
"When we were given a choice, it was hard to decide what classes to take because you don't know what you want to be yet," said freshman Carla Niggli.

This was one reason that freshman and sophomores are encouraged to build on basics and take math and English courses. A solid background in the basics gives a student the experience and knowledge that it takes to expand on special subjects later on. Because colleges are making their entrance requirements tougher and tougher, it was mentioned that instead of completing three years of English and one year of math, HHS students may soon be required to take four years of both English and math.

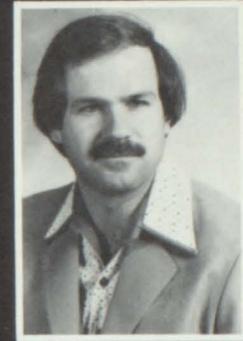
Even with the rapid expansion of knowledge and broadened abilities in every field of technology, the basics are not a fad, and will always be needed to continue growth and success in our society.

◁ Ruth Weidner finds that expanding on a basic ideas is important to the success of a good paper.

▽ Troy Robertson experiments with the microscope, a basic instrument used in the Biology lab.



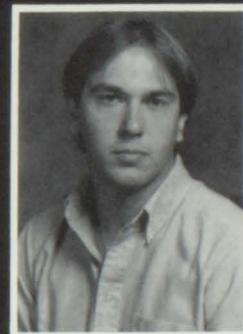
Mrs. Gloria B. Alarcon  
BA: Washington University  
Spanish I, II, III, IV  
Adviser: Spanish Club,  
International Fellowship



Mr. Arlen Baker  
BS: Eastern Illinois University  
MS: Southern Illinois Univ.(E)  
Off. Occ., Dist. Ed., Bs. Orient.,  
Merchandising  
Adviser: Off. Occ., National  
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Mrs. Shirley J. Bastilla  
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BA: Southern Illinois  
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Adviser: French Club



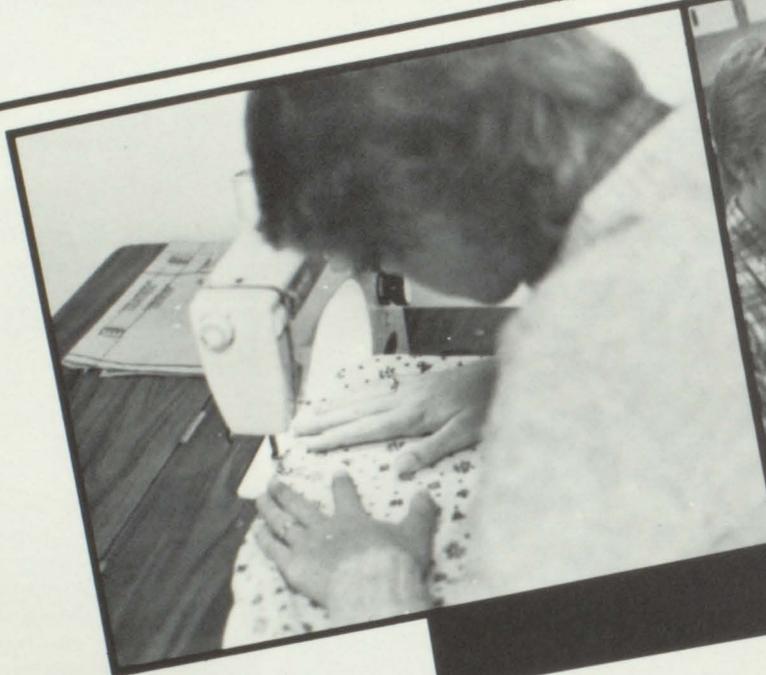
Mr. Brad P. Bevis  
BS: Eastern Illinois University  
MS: Southern Illinois  
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Health, PE Conditioning  
Coach: Freshman Football

# Discover



△ Mike Zobrist and Darla Rinderer walk down the aisle to take their vows for the Adult Living class's simulated wedding.

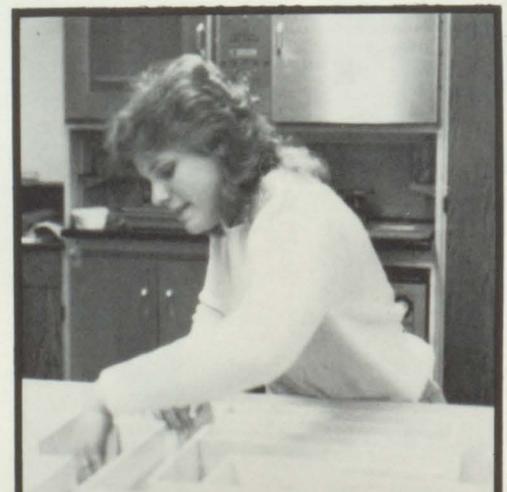
Preparing for the future is what elective classes are all about. They offer students a chance to break away from the normal routine, to expand and discover new interests and to build a basis for a career choice.



△ With steady hands, Cathy Kampwerth uses the sewing machine to make herself a new outfit.  
Seniors, Mark Rosen and Boyd Rinderer discover that surviving on their own cooking may be tougher than they thought.  
Sophomores Tricia Fornelli and Kerri Bloemker work on the latch-hook rug that is presently displayed in the west staircase.  
By playing in the pep band, Lisa Uhe used an elective to show her support for the Bulldogs.



▽ Psychology teaches Gail Wellen patience as she does a project about the behavior of hamsters.

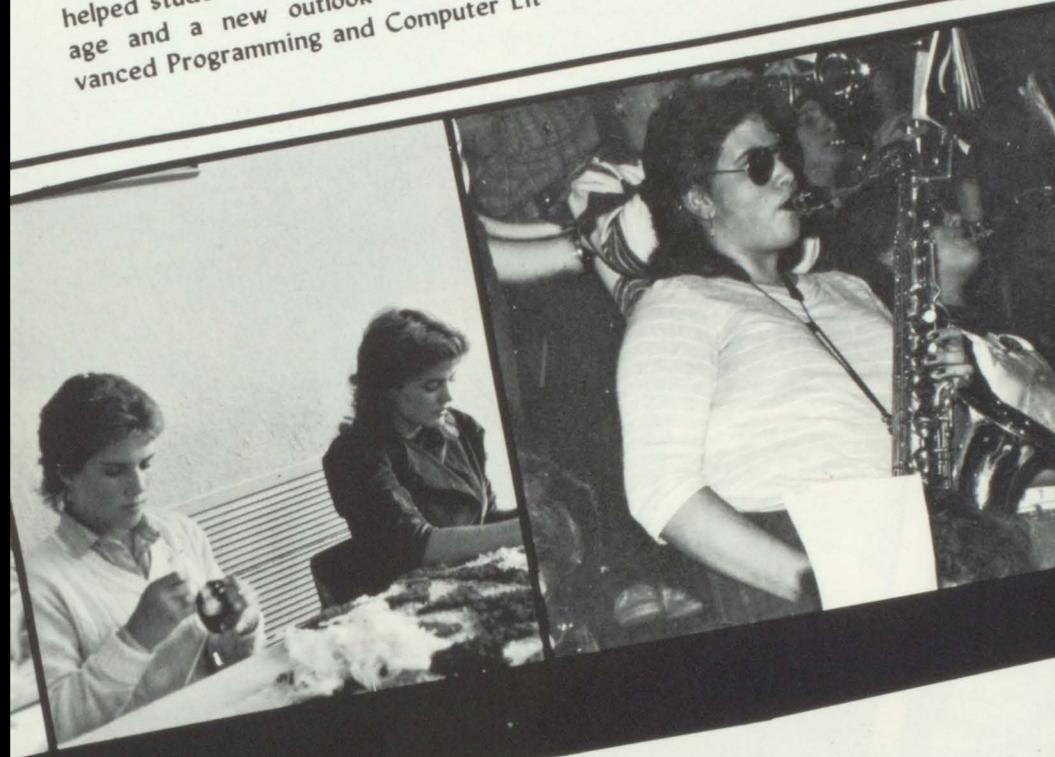


# The Options

A wide variety of electives are offered and opened to everyone. Survival Living allows the male student to become familiar with cooking cleaning and sewing. The I Can course, a new elective added to the curriculum, helped students gain a positive self image and a new outlook on life. Advanced Programming and Computer Lit-

eracy familiarized students with new technology, and Business Orientation was used as an introduction to possible careers in business.

Of course, these are only a few of the electives offered, but with these as examples, it is easy to see that HHS was a good start in finding a direction for the future.



▽ Gaining experience for future careers is one advantage of elective classes.



Miss Marian L. Beyer  
BS: University of Illinois  
Typing I



Mr. Larry J. Burke  
BS: Eastern Illinois University  
MS: University of Missouri(R)  
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# Master the Research

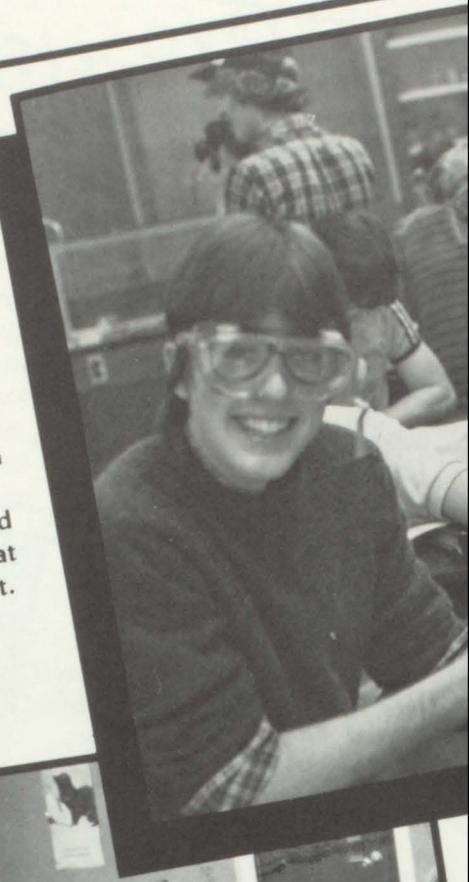
No matter how much you try to avoid it, there is no way to get away from research. All classes have some form of research that has to be done. It may be looking up the answers on a study guide to doing vocabulary words.

To get all of this research done many students found themselves in the library. With an average of 6 classes in the library a day Mrs. Jenna Highlander and her 17 student librarians were kept busy. The librarians were trained for the busy season though. "This year we really didn't have the usage first semester that we did sec-

ond semester," commented Mrs. Highlander about the heavy use of the library during the month of March.

Another type of research that is done occurs in the laboratory. Everyone takes some kind of science class. Whether it is Biology I or II, Chemistry I or II or Physics I, they all spend time in the lab. Some of this research was done with microscopes and some by dissecting as students learned through experimentation.

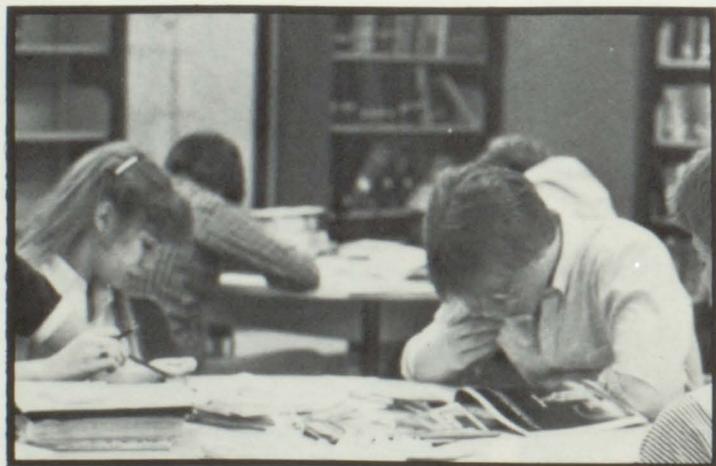
No matter what kind of research had to be done, HHS students learned that research involves both time and effort.

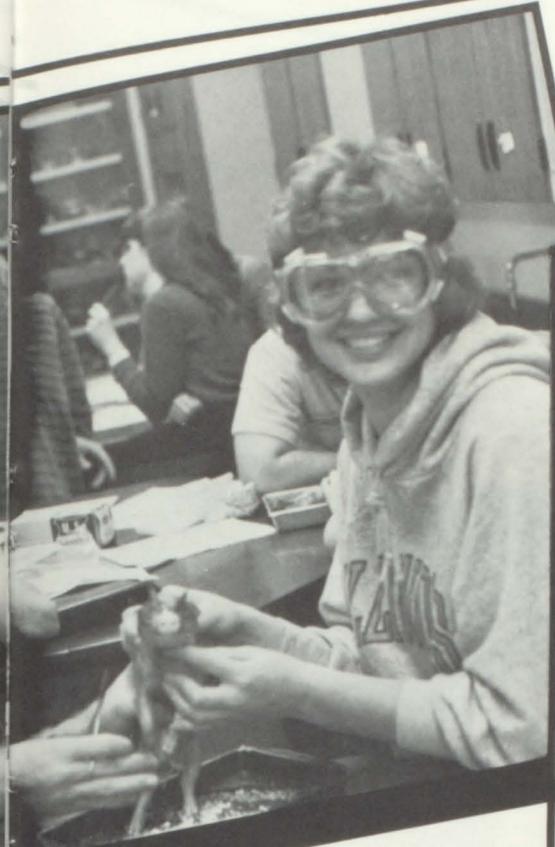


▽ Composition students spend their time in the library writing their notecards.

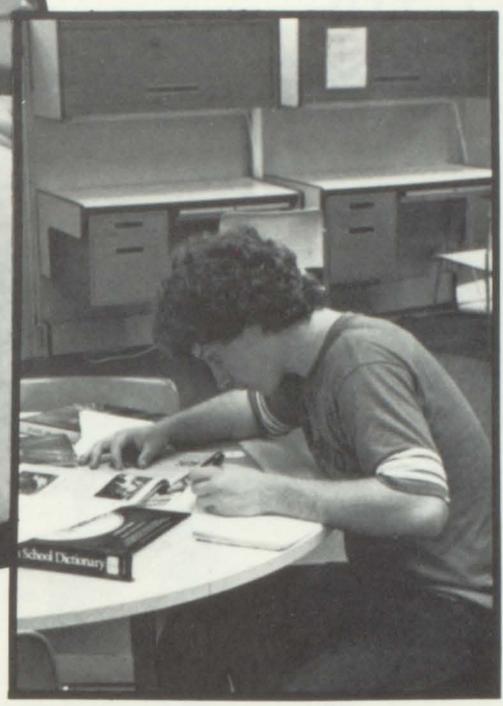


▽ Librarian Mrs. Highlander finds time to read the News Leader with a few of her student librarians.



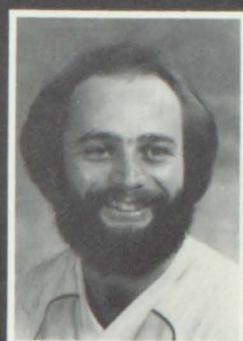
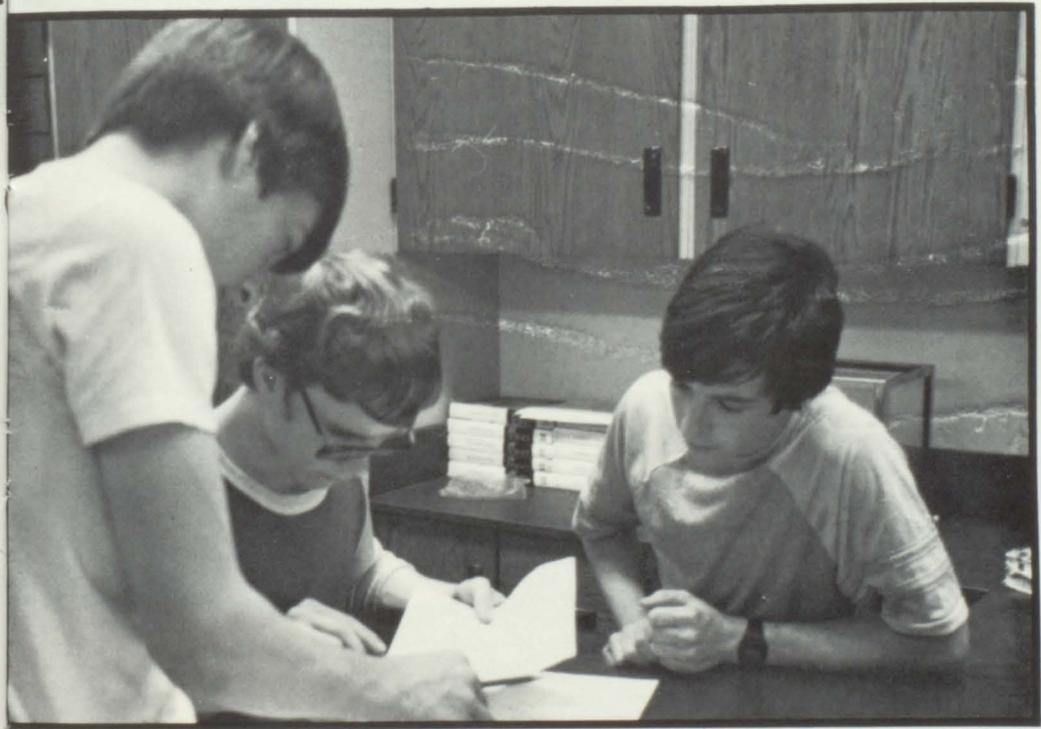


◁ Sophomore Gena Rutz gets help on her research paper from Mrs. Theims.  
 ◁ Mr. Grodeon helps sophomore Troy Robertson with one of his biology questions.  
 △ Juniors Kyle Schumacher and Dani Coffee poses with their pig before they dissect it.



Sophomore Jeff Barker spends time in the library writing a paper for health.

Sophomore biology students Daniel Henke, Brian Wiess and Matt Collmann work on a lab together.



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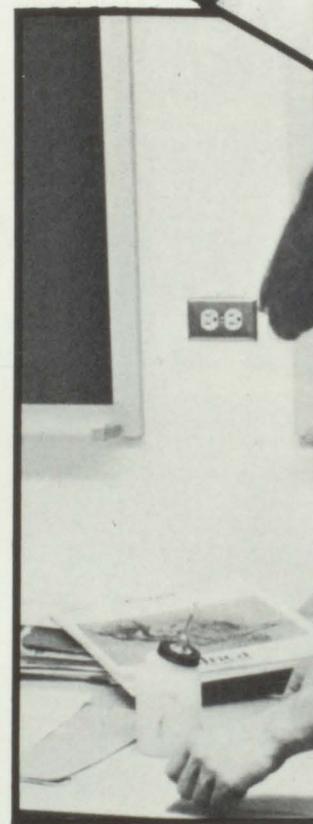
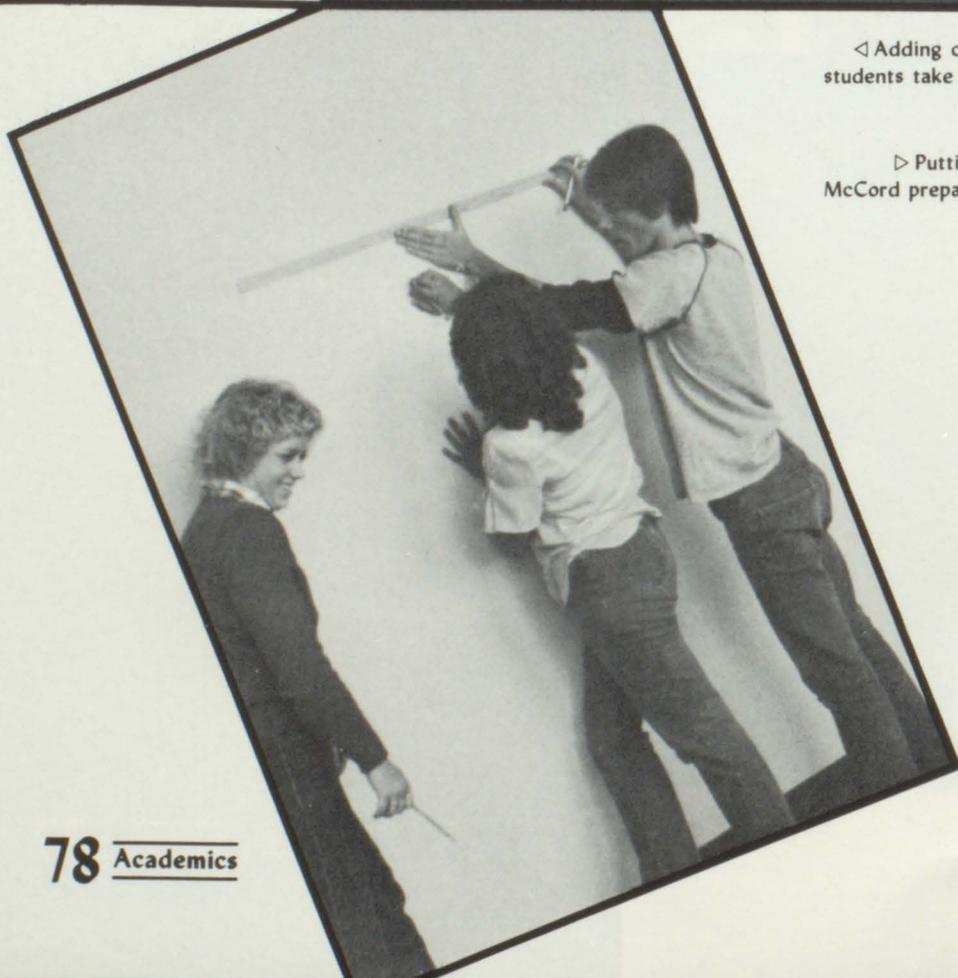
# Meet the Classics

▽ Singing with joy, but also with sadness, a group of senior chorus members perform at their last concert.



◁ Adding color to the English Department, art students take measurements for just one of their many murals.

▷ Putting on the finishing touches, Robbie McCord prepares his art work for the annual Art Fair



Band, Chorus, and Art are just some of the examples of fine arts. This year, many students are a part of these fine arts. In art, students can draw or construct a piece of art, and in music, students can create and compose music. This year, students began to realize how these two arts tie together.

People think of music as an art when they hear it playing at a concert, on a radio, or when they play it themselves. When people create art, they try to create it in a pattern, similar to music. In the eyes of some, art is made in a rhythm similar to their favorite song, while in their minds, the words to the song is created into a picture of painting.

△ Kyle Schumacher collects his first place award that he achieved at the Solo and Ensemble contest from Connie Korte.

▽ David Lancey watches as Missy Neudecker arranges her exhibits for the Art Fair.



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# Figure It Out

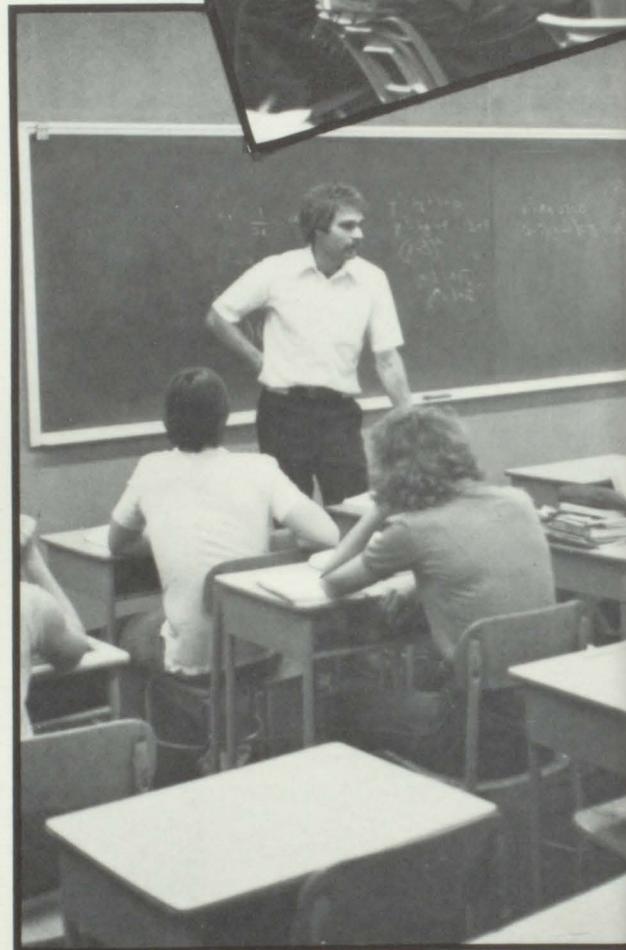
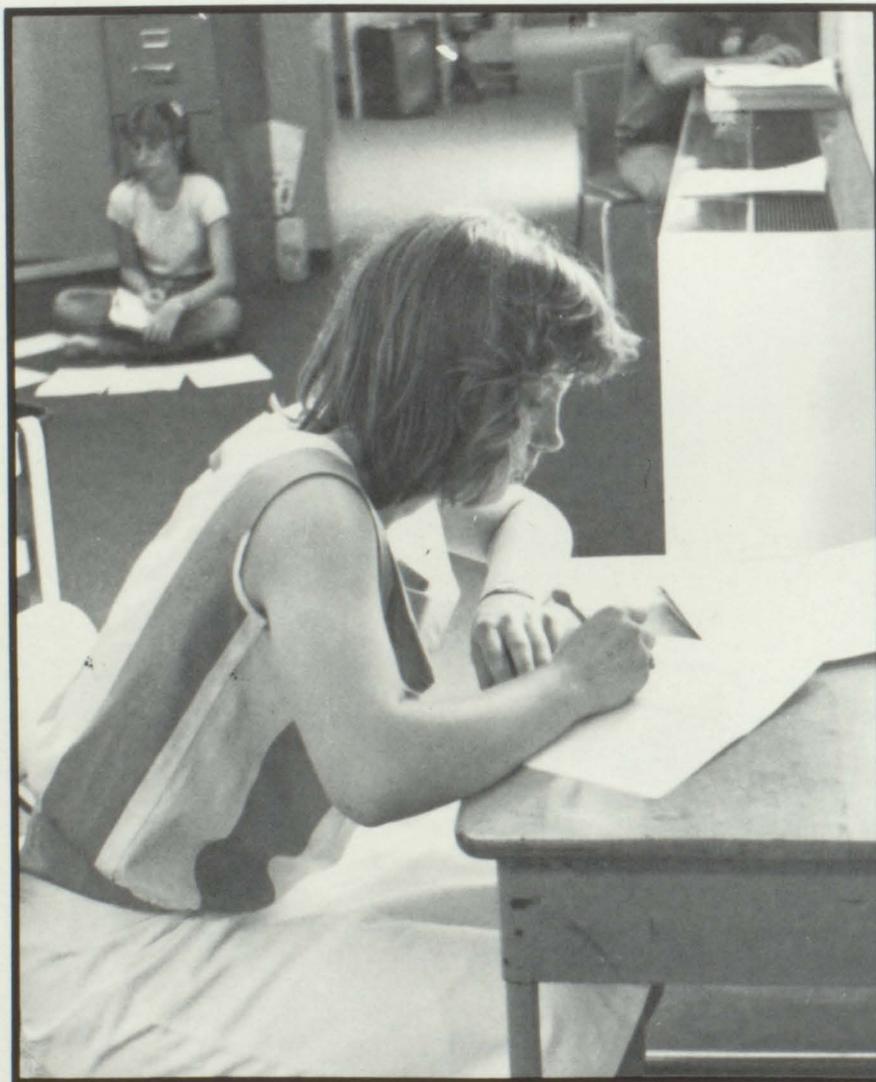
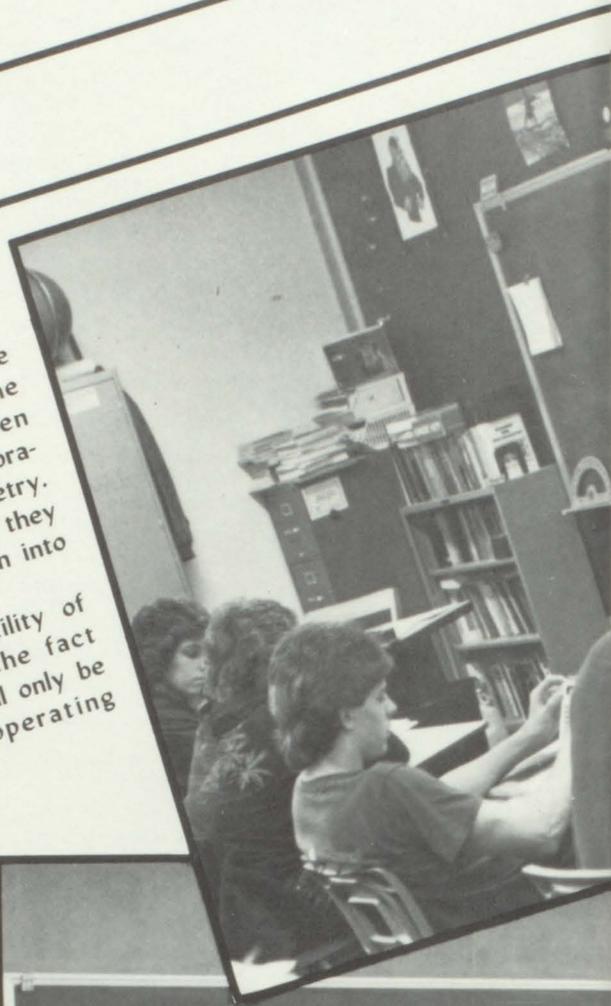
In this confusing world of automation and machines, the need for basic math skills seems to be changing. The introduction of the calculator and computer has altered the methods of problem solving and the way students learn.

For that reason basic mathematical skills have taken on new functions and importance. Once a student has mastered the skills of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, he is ready to face the

new challenges of setting up problems so that he can benefit from new modern equipment.

HHS's math department provides the proper mixture which builds on the foundation of basic skills and then expands to the complexities of algebraic formulas and theories of geometry. Finally math students apply what they have learned and feed information into computers to work out solutions.

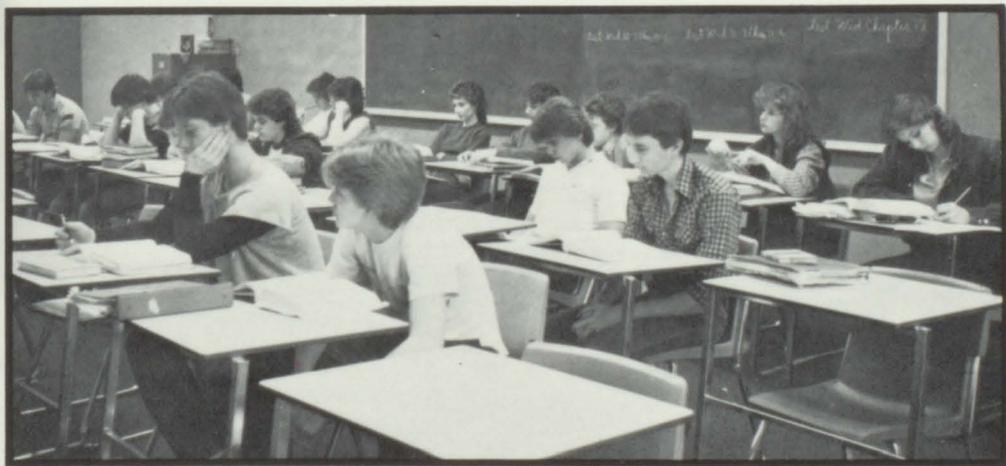
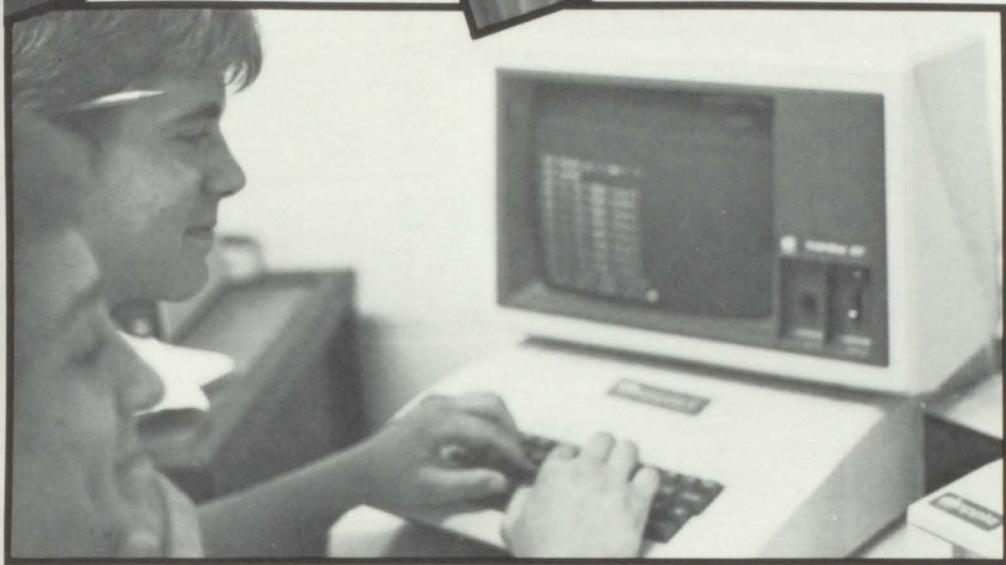
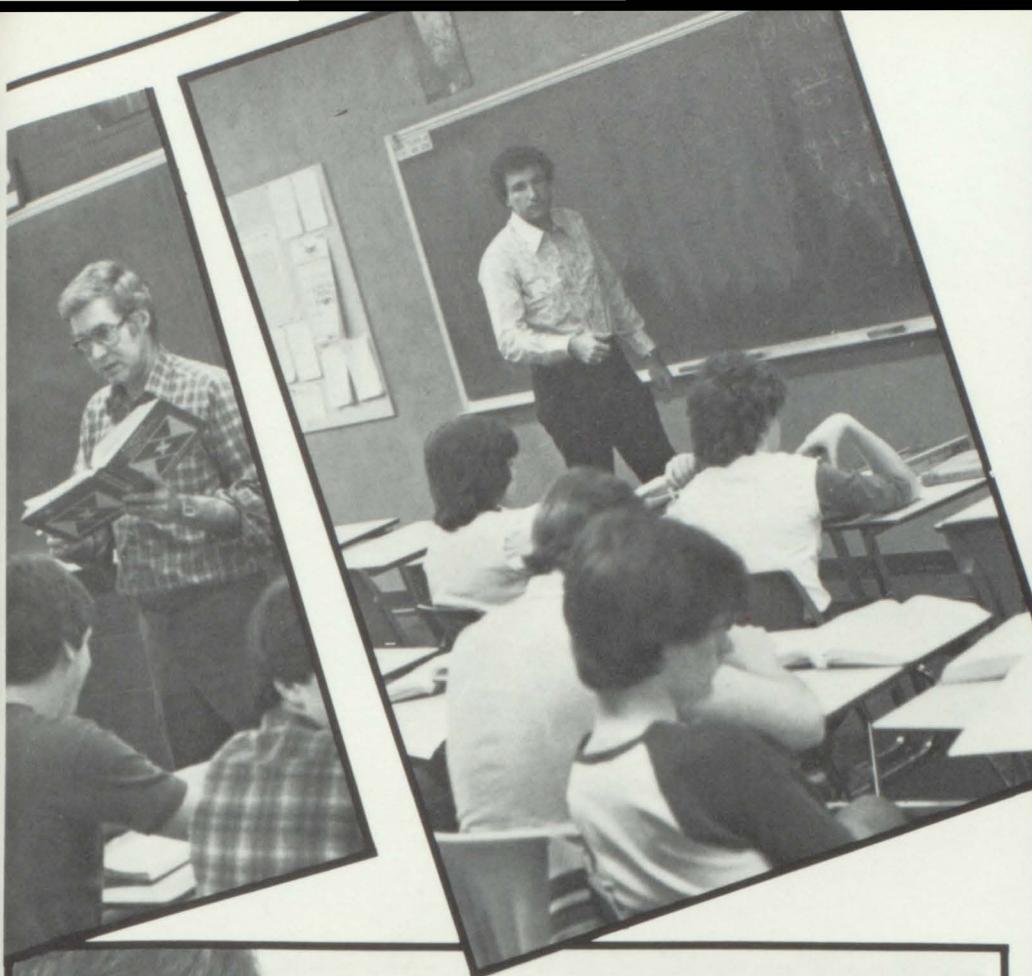
But regardless of the versatility of calculators and computers, the fact remains that the machines will only be as smart as the persons operating them.



△ In spite of his interest in computers, Mr. Hester's students know that book learning is important also.

△ Open discussion helps Mr. Rosenberg keep his students involved.

◁ When it comes time for testing, the math student, like others, finds that challenges must be faced alone.



- △ The blackboard helps Mr. Iftner explain a problem.
- △ Ben Hanna and Todd Imming find using the computer still means knowing to set up a problem.
- △ Homework, study time and class discussions help math students master basic skills.



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# Keep It Practical

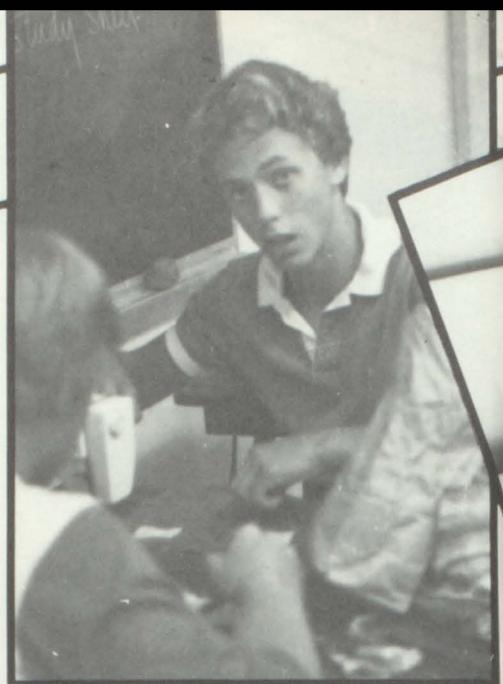
Deciding what classes to take is no problem for some, but others find themselves with an extra hour to fill. Many fill this extra hour by selecting a practical class from the home economics or shop departments.

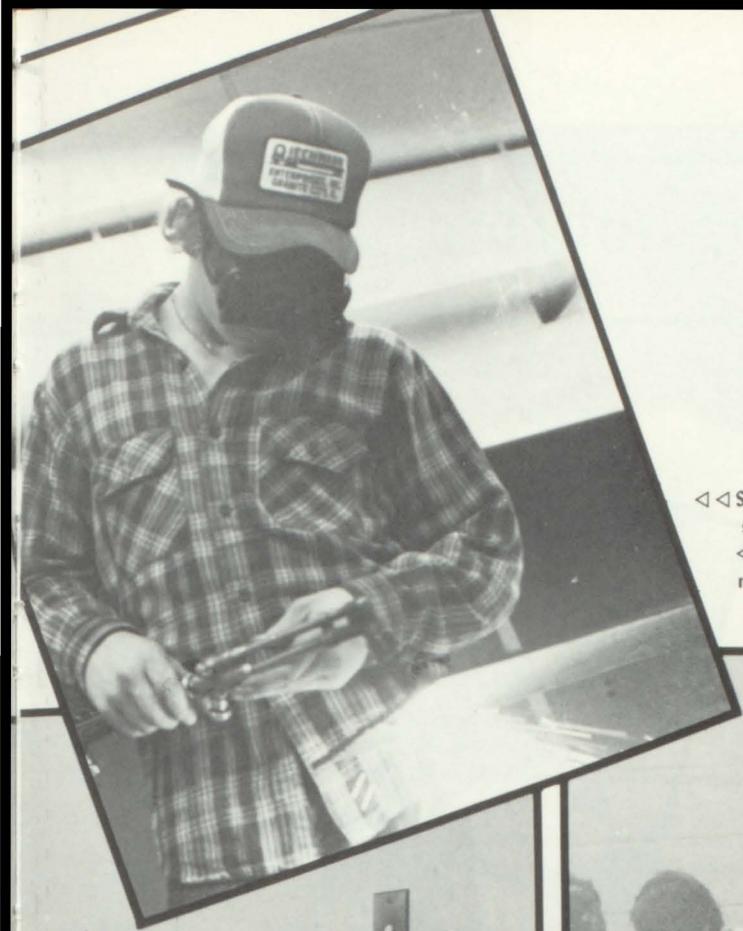
Home economics once consisted of teaching girls how to cook, but that is no longer the case. The department offers classes like child care and parenting that teach about children and how to care for them or relationships and adult living that get students ready to go out into the real world and prepare for married life. There are still

classes like foods and clothing and even a survival course for guys who have never taken a home economics class before.

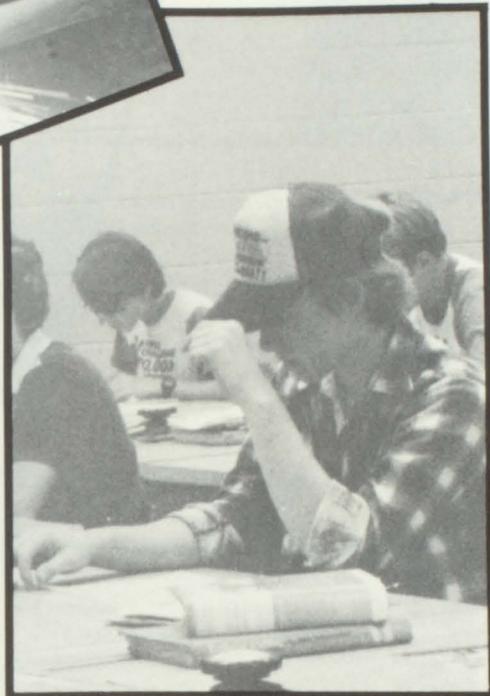
No longer just for boys, shop classes teach both males and females a variety of valuable skills, such as wood working or welding. Others teach students how to wire a house correctly. In a class like drafting students can even design their future home.

Both shop and home economics teach students how to do things on their own and help to prepare for life after high school.

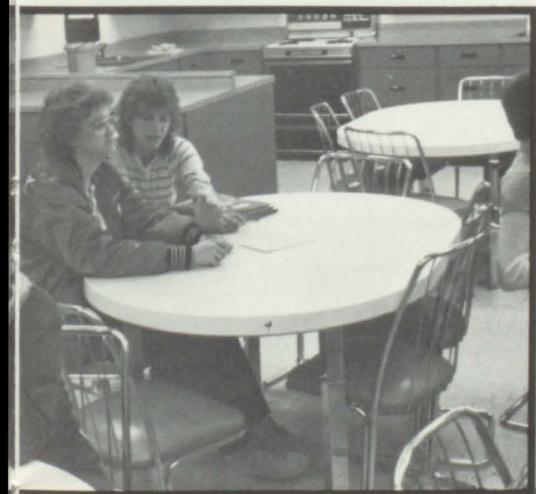
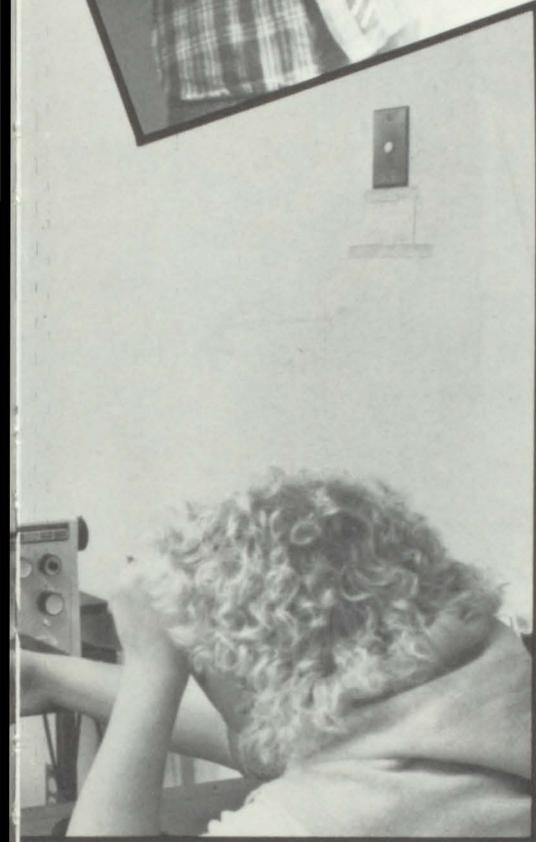




◁◁ Senior Kevin Gaffner finds that sewing isn't as easy as it looks.  
 ◁ Senior Pat Thurmond prepares metal to be used on his welding project.



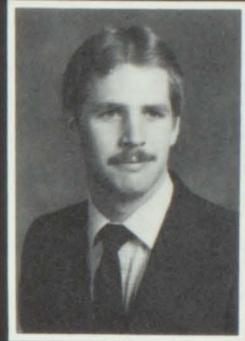
△ Before they can start their designs, drafting class members must master textbook theory.  
 ◁ Senior Sue Hencke offers to help senior Christa McLean "redesign" a blouse.



◁◁ Seniors Randy Korte and Darrell Gilomen cut their metal down to size.  
 ◁ After preparing foods, class members discuss their successes and failures.



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 Adviser: Senior Class



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 Biology, Algebra I

# Explore New Possibilities

When students at Highland High want to experience something new and exciting, they often turn to the foreign language department.

Learning a foreign language gives students a chance to learn about new languages, cultures, and manners. In class they may try new foods and experience other foreign habits.

In addition to International Fellowship, students in foreign language classes may belong to their respective foreign language clubs. Club meetings are held monthly and members discuss various issues concerning the cultures of respective languages and countries.

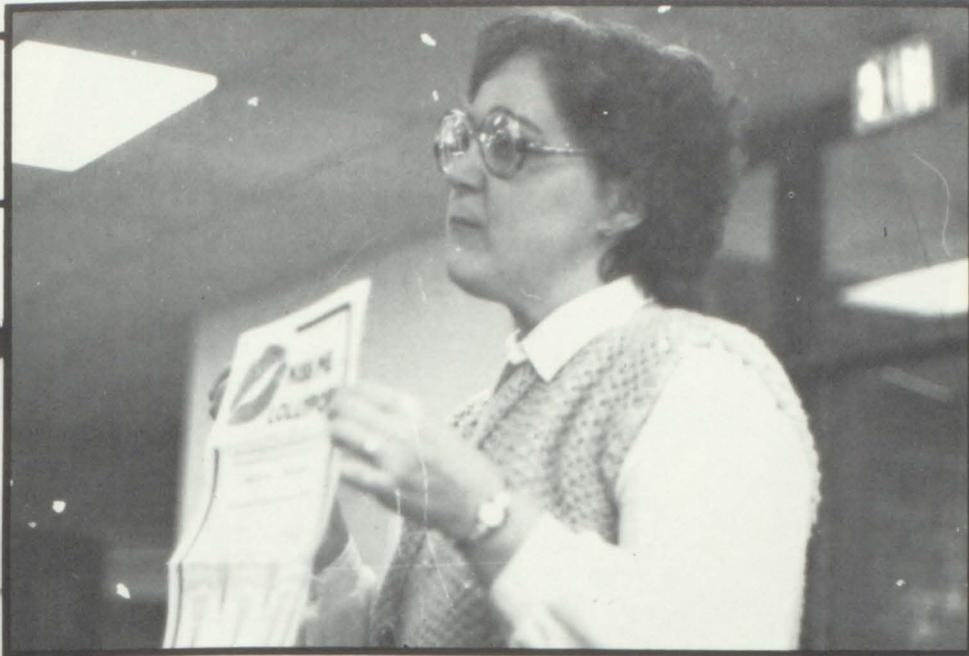
Lead by German teacher Mrs. Warner, Spanish teacher Mrs. Alarcon, and French Teacher Mrs. Bastilla, students had fine help in learning and experiencing these exciting new languages.



▷ Showing her school spirit Mrs. Alarcon reveals her bandana during "Show Your Pride" week.

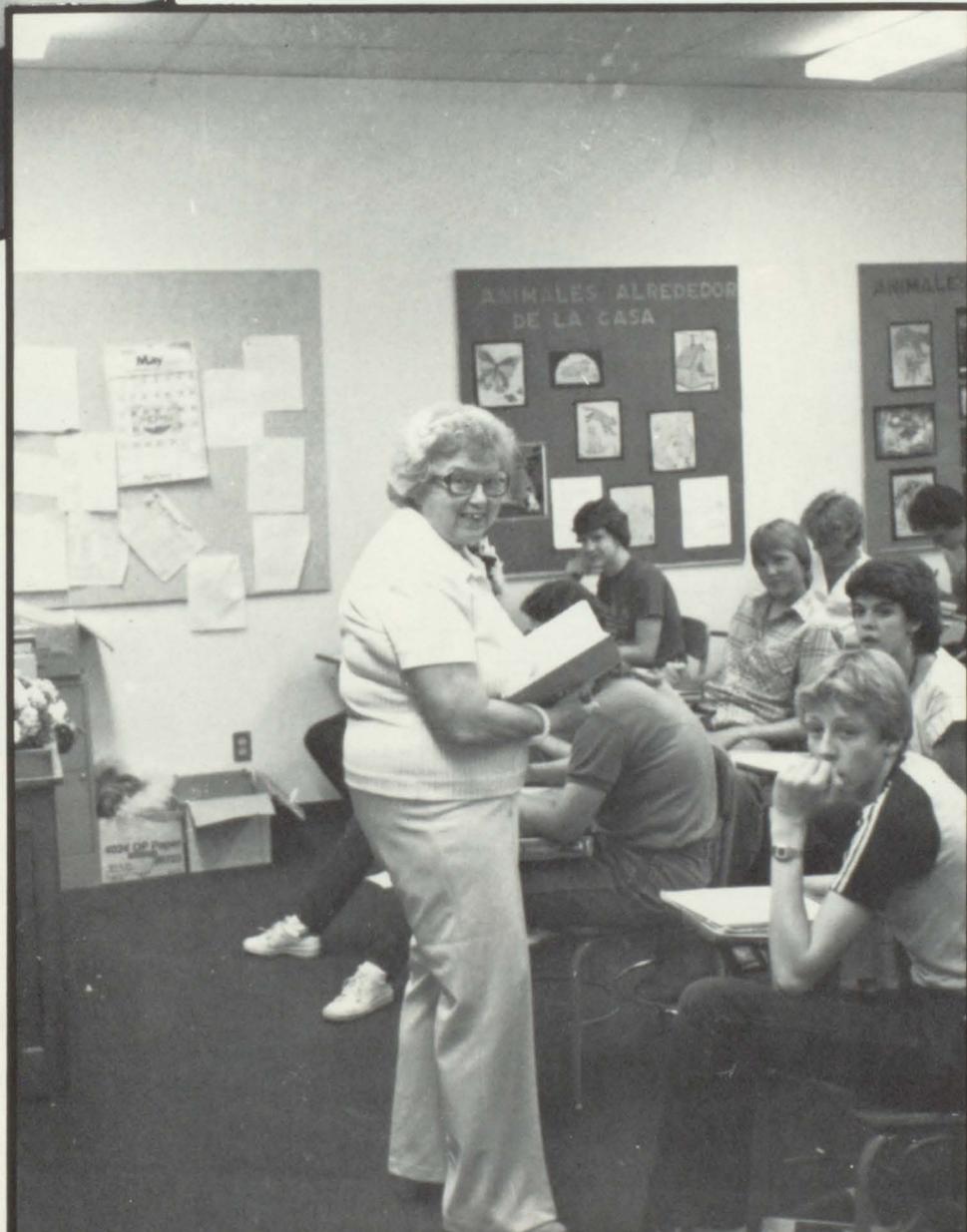
▽ During their lunch hour, Suzie Waller, Patti Young, and Beth Kruse sell lollipops to the students and faculty to raise money for the German Club.





△ Mrs. Warner discusses a money making project with the German Club. This year the club sold lollipops over both lunch hours.

▽ Mrs. Alarcon takes time out from her class to smile for the camera. Many students and faculty are going to miss Mrs. Alarcon, who is retiring after many years of teaching at Highland High School.



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History, Alternative English  
Adviser: Senior Class  
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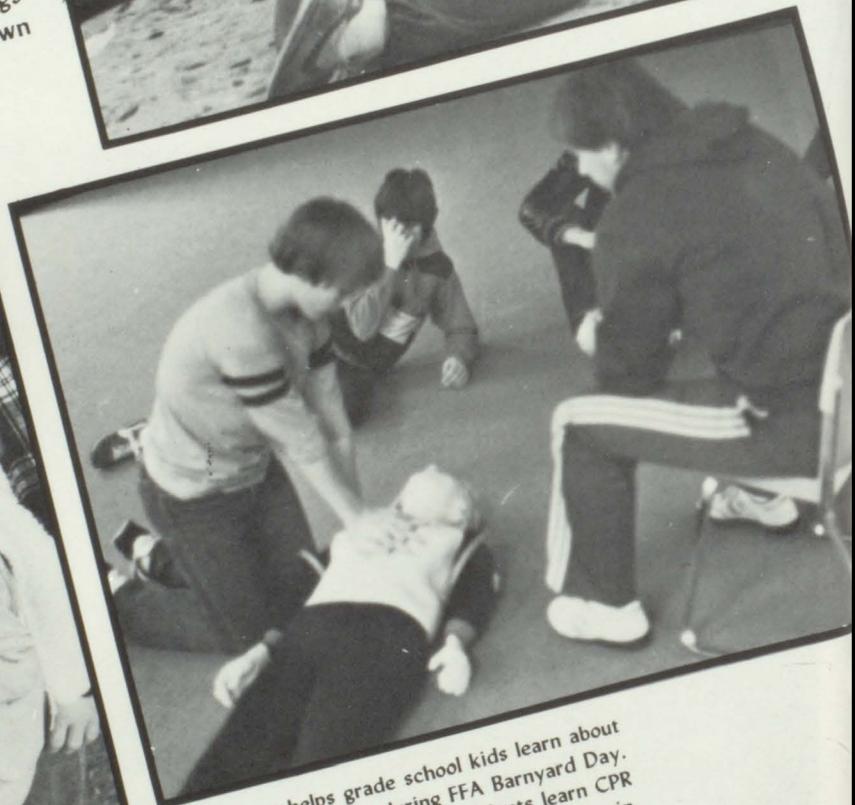
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# Break the Routine

Most high school students would agree that sitting in a classroom for seven hours a day, five days a week, one-hundred eighty days a year would become quite boring and monotonous. Thanks to the curriculum at HHS, students get a chance to break the normal classroom routine by doing other outside activities. For many, this becomes a time to excel and show how much has really been learned.

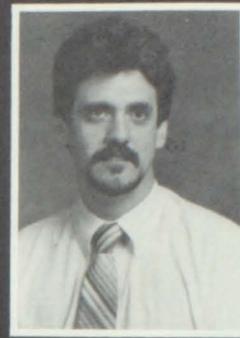
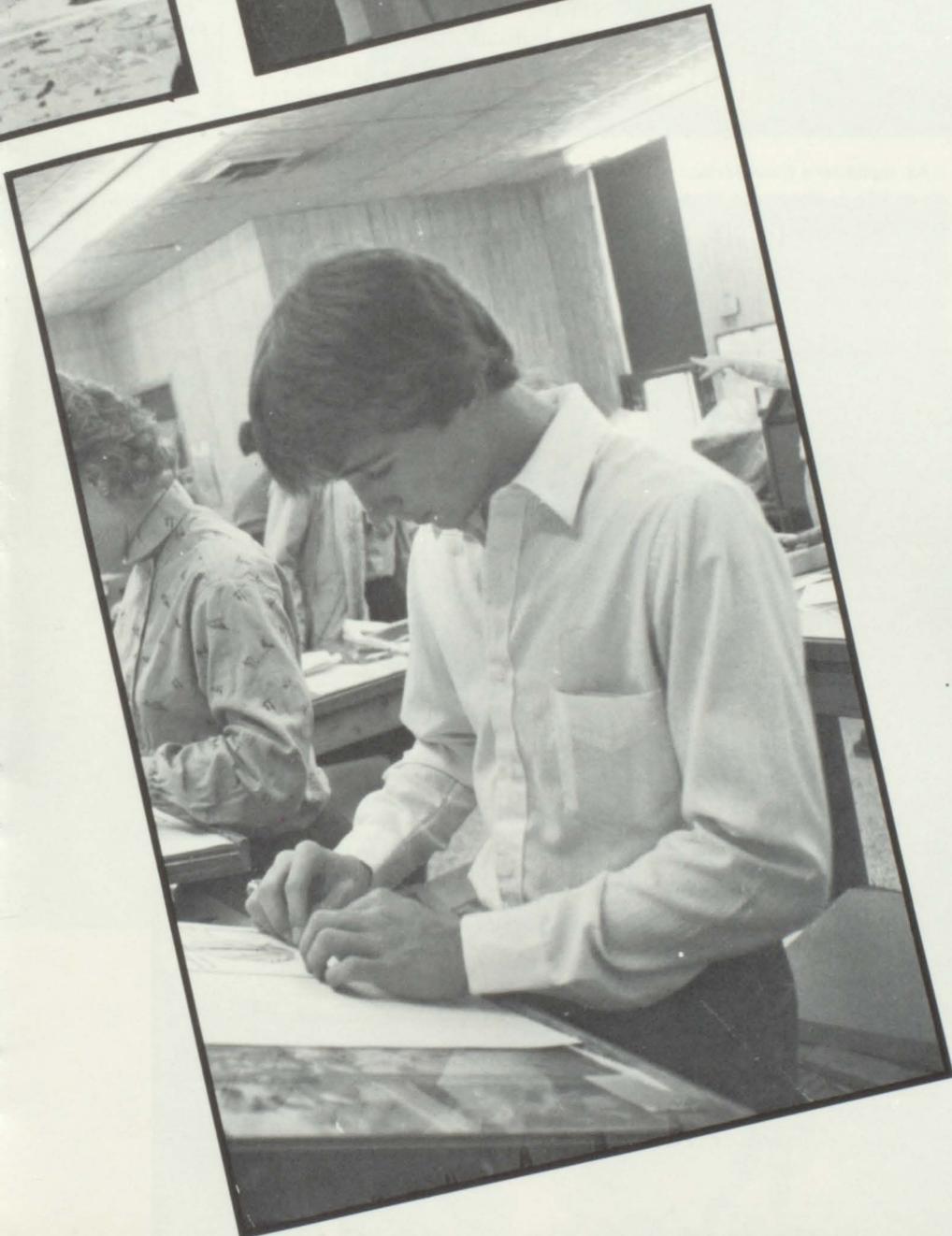
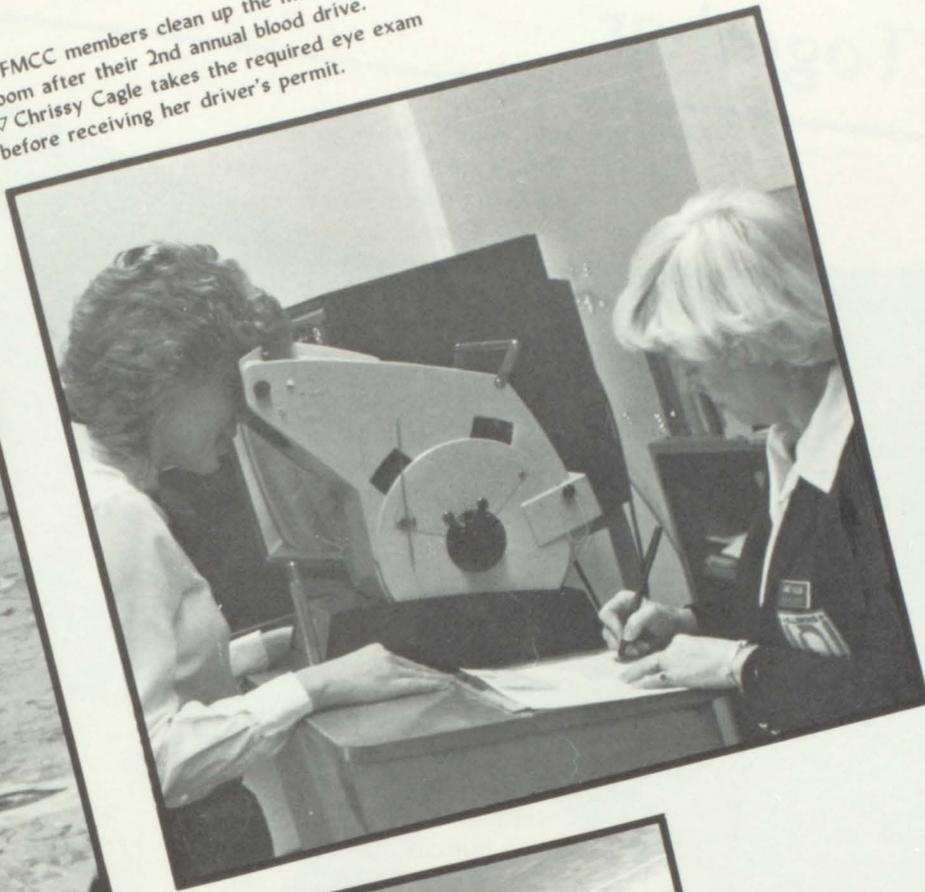
Career Awareness Day, sponsored by the National Honor Society, gave seniors a chance to find out about jobs that interested them. Barnyard Day gave FFA students a chance to help the grade school learn about different farm animals and Co-Op offers a chance to get a start in the working world.

There is a large variety of outside the classroom activities and there are many benefits for both students and teachers. Even if it's just a trip to the library, it is important to get away where students can learn to do things for themselves and become their own person.



◁ Gena Rutz helps grade school kids learn about her rabbit during FFA Barnyard Day.  
 △ Mr. Bevis helps his Health students learn CPR by letting them practice with a mannequin.  
 ▷ During Career Awareness Day, Larry Whitlow learns about newspapers by working at the Highland Newsleader.

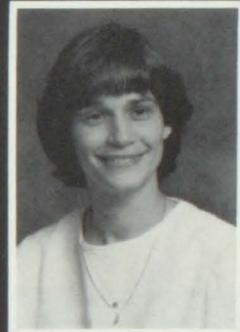
◁ FMCC members clean up the multi-purpose room after their 2nd annual blood drive.  
 ▽ Chrissy Cagle takes the required eye exam before receiving her driver's permit.



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 Eng.  
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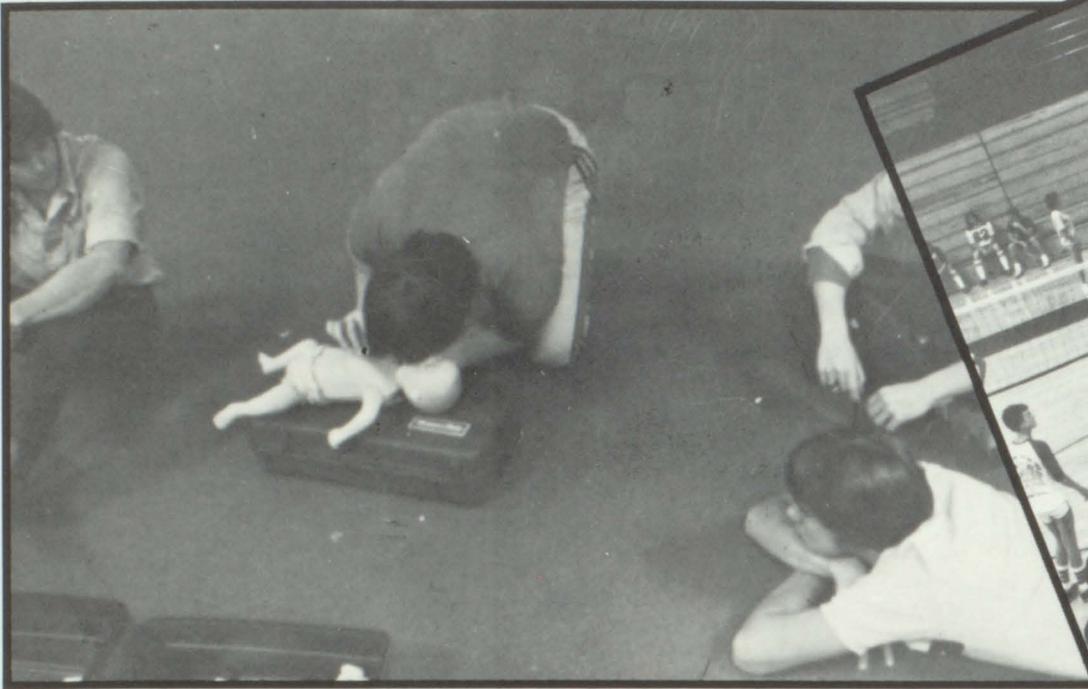


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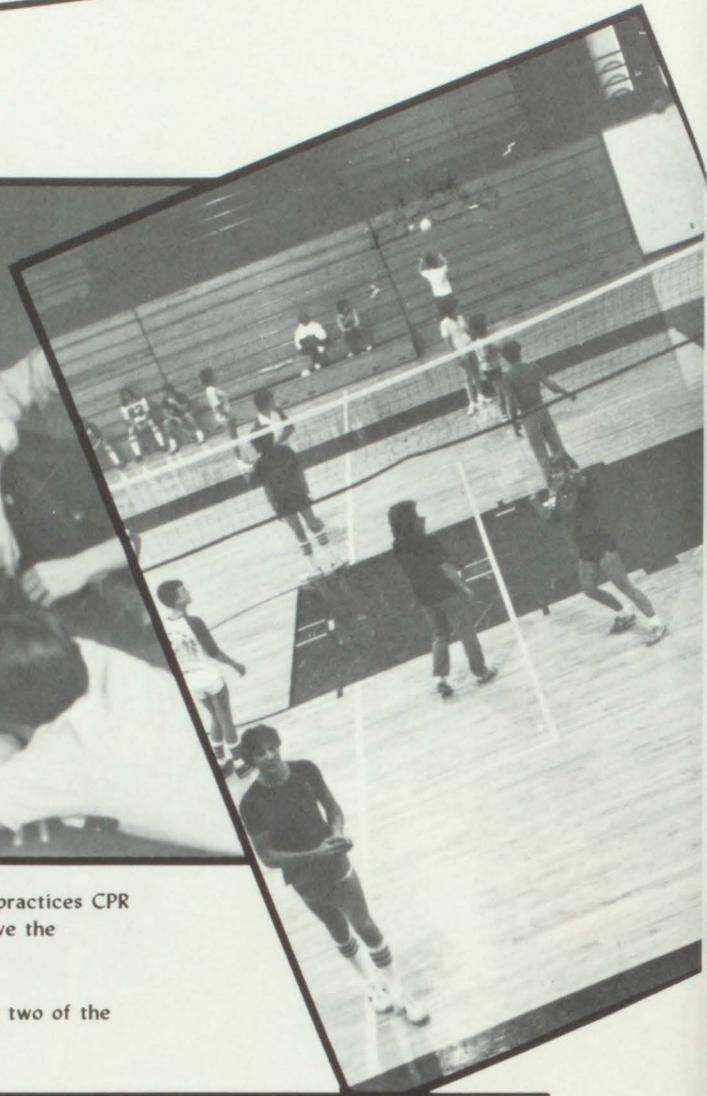
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 Living, Parenting  
 Adviser: Future Homemakers of  
 America

# Get it Together



△ As sophomore Dean Melton practices CPR on an infant, classmates observe the procedure.

▽ Volleyball and Basketball are two of the many sports taught at HHS.



Getting into shape and staying healthy are two things that HHS students don't have to worry about. Health related classes offered at HHS give students the opportunity to learn more about their body and how to keep it in good condition.

Every student enrolled in Highland High is required to take PE all four years and a health class at some time during their sophomore year. This year, a special class was established for the individuals interested in serious shape-up activities. This class, Conditioning PE, contained mostly athletes along with a few who enjoy intense physical conditioning.

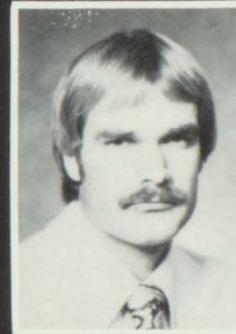
Regular PE classes learn about sports, their origin and rules, while participating in them for a given period or time. Health classes learn about the body and how it works. Subjects studied include drugs, alcohol, anatomy, and specialized parts of the body. An intense study of CPR usually concludes the class where students actually receive their CPR card.



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Coach: Football, Basketball, Track



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MS: Southern Illinois University(E)  
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△ Jay Korte blindfolds Matt Homann so Matt can experience what being blind is all about.

# Plug Into The Future

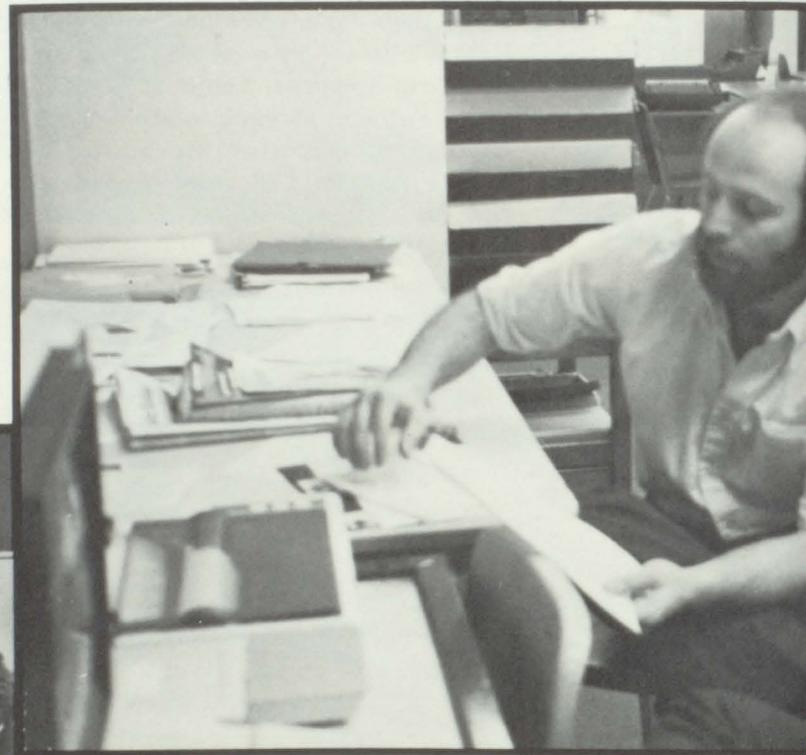
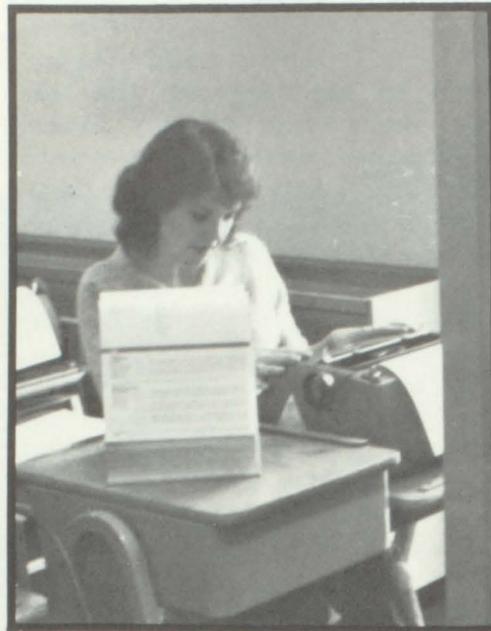
The real reason students have to go to school is to prepare for the future. Most students try to take classes that will help them after high school. For those who plan on going into some field of business the business department is a very familiar place.

It all starts out in business orientation when students learn about other business classes and careers in business and then moves up to typing and shorthand. It doesn't end there though. There are other classes like business machines which teach students how to use different calculators and machines.

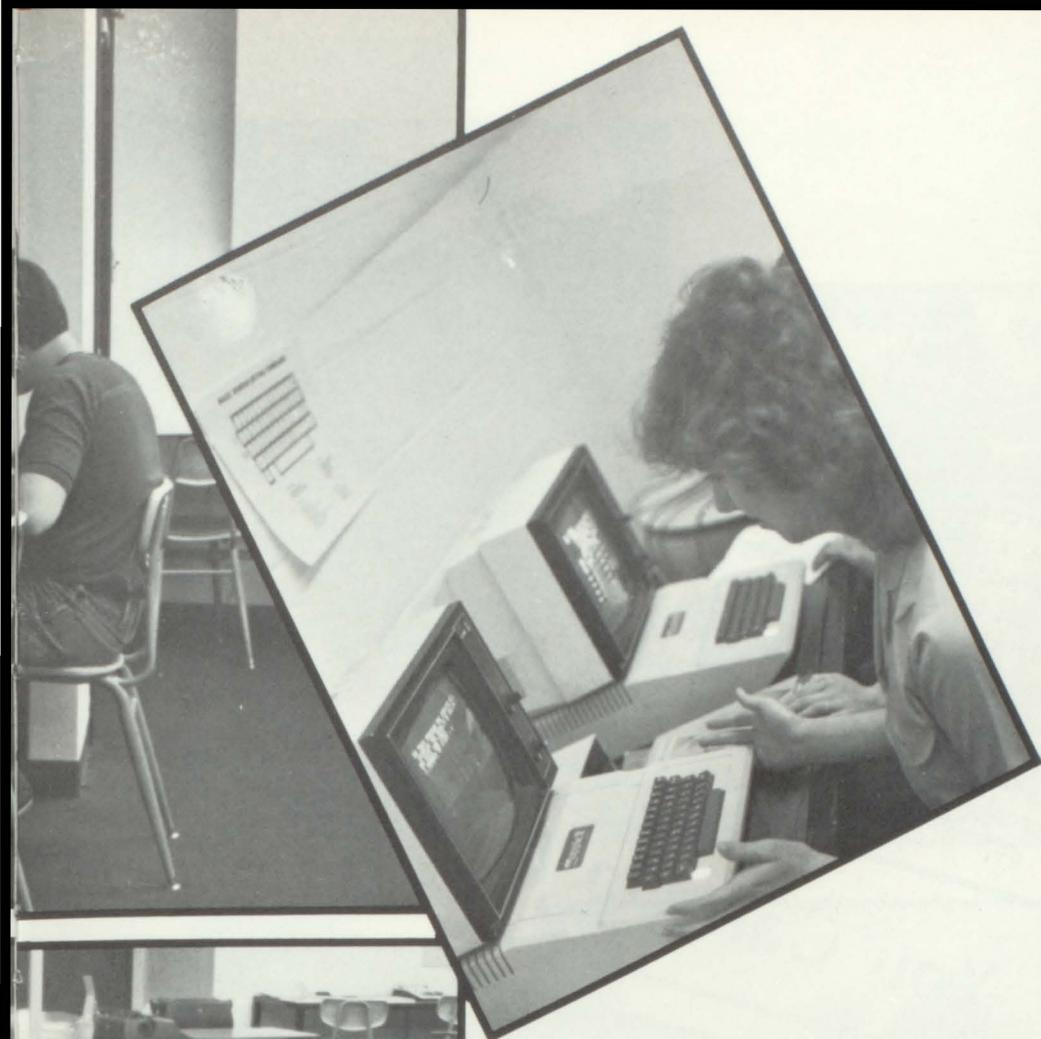
Other students find themselves in the computer room taking courses like computer literacy, advanced programming, or data processing so that someday they can get into the world of computers.

With all of the various business related classes it is no wonder the business department is so popular.

▽ Sophomore Laurie Campbell practices her typing skills.

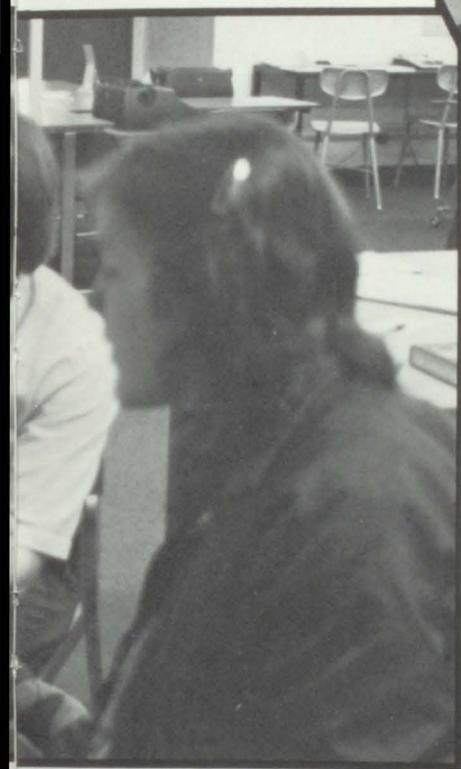


△ Senior Missy Neudecker and junior Kathy Kampwerth work on their Business Law.



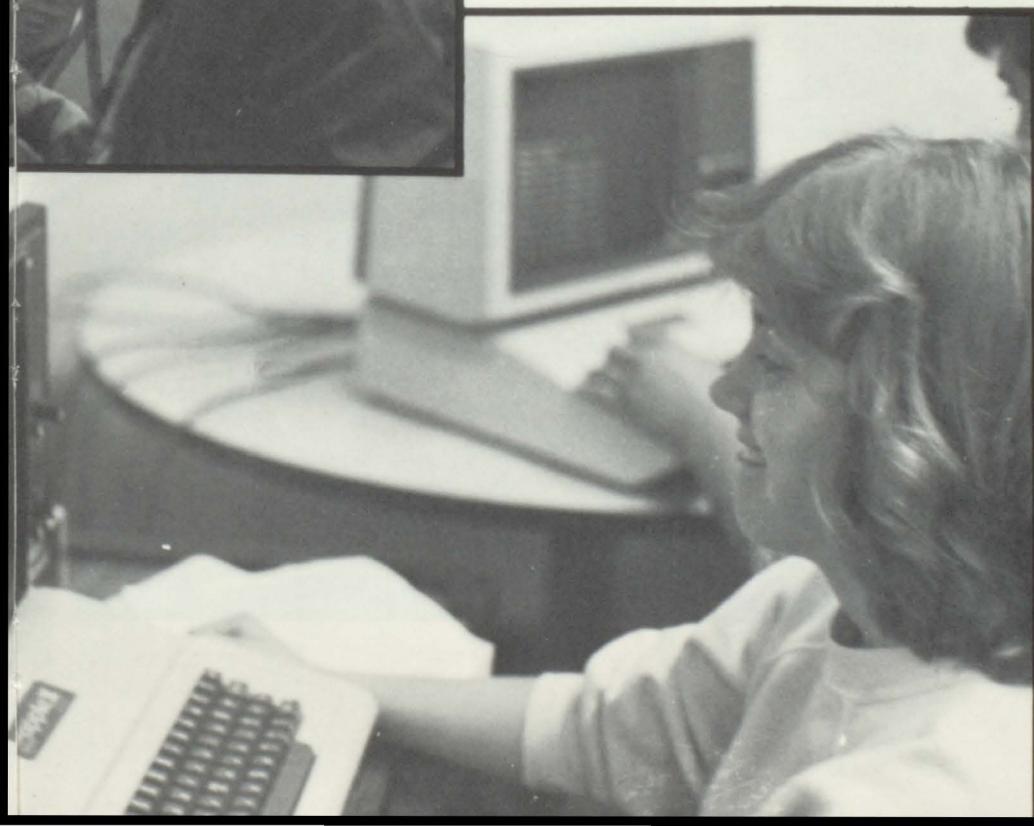
△ Junior Beth Kruse watches as her program runs.

△ ◁ Senior Gary Ohren works on one of the many jobs that must be done for business machines.



◁ Mr. Cipicchio shows junior Karen Bohnensteil how to use the computer.

▽ Junior Patti Young tries to get all of the bugs out of her computer program.



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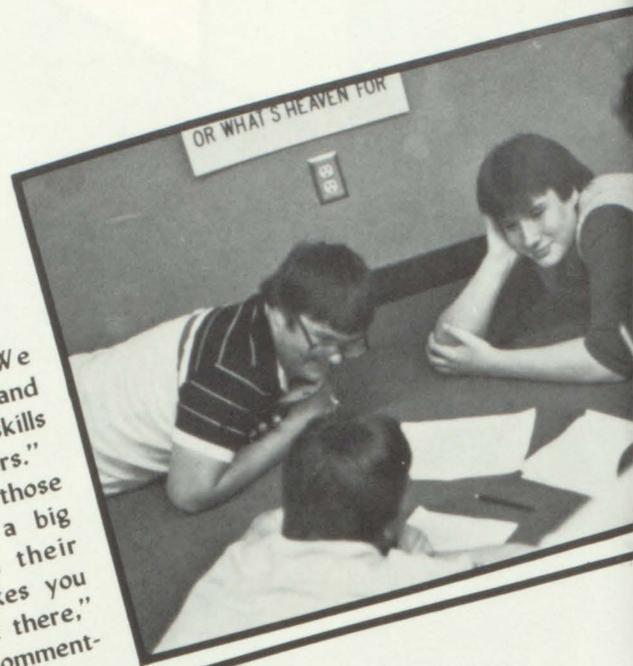
"The 'I Can' course is probably one of the best, most positive additions HHS could have made to its curriculum," commented Julie Bullock after taking the new second semester course.

"I Can" dealt with giving students a better and more positive image of themselves. It was also one of the few classes that all grade levels could take.

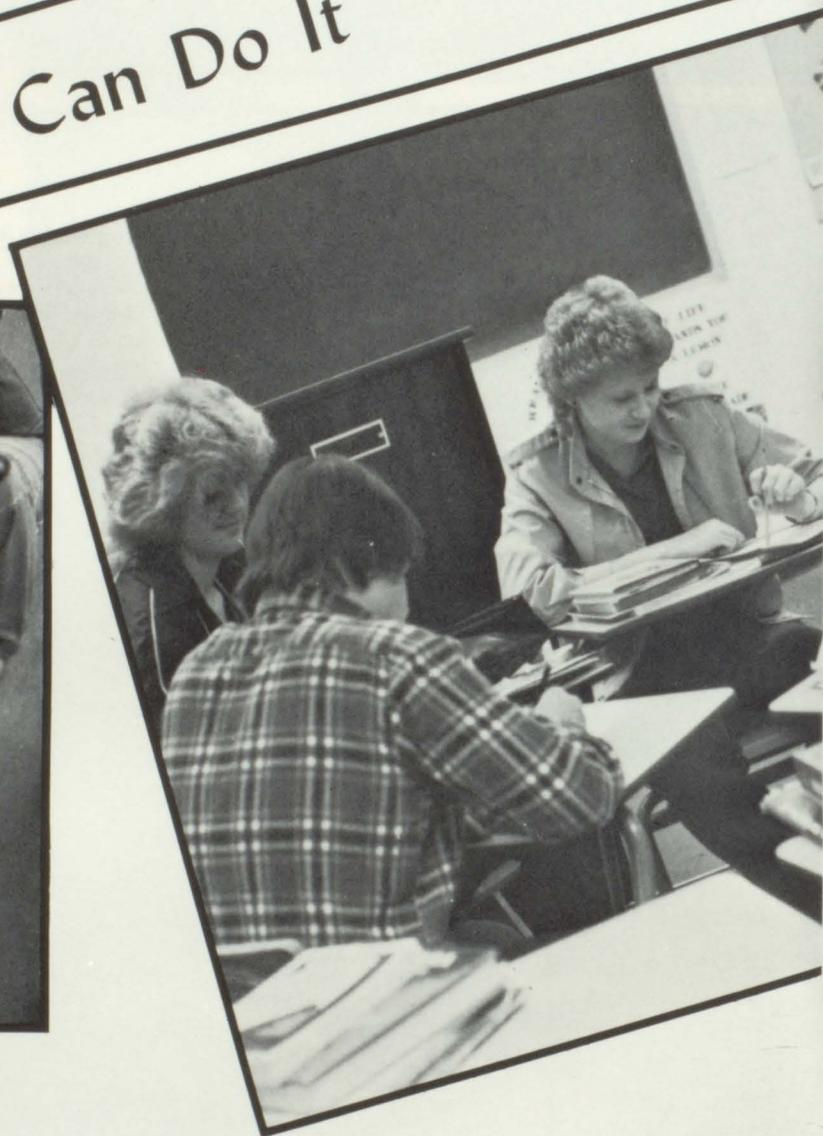
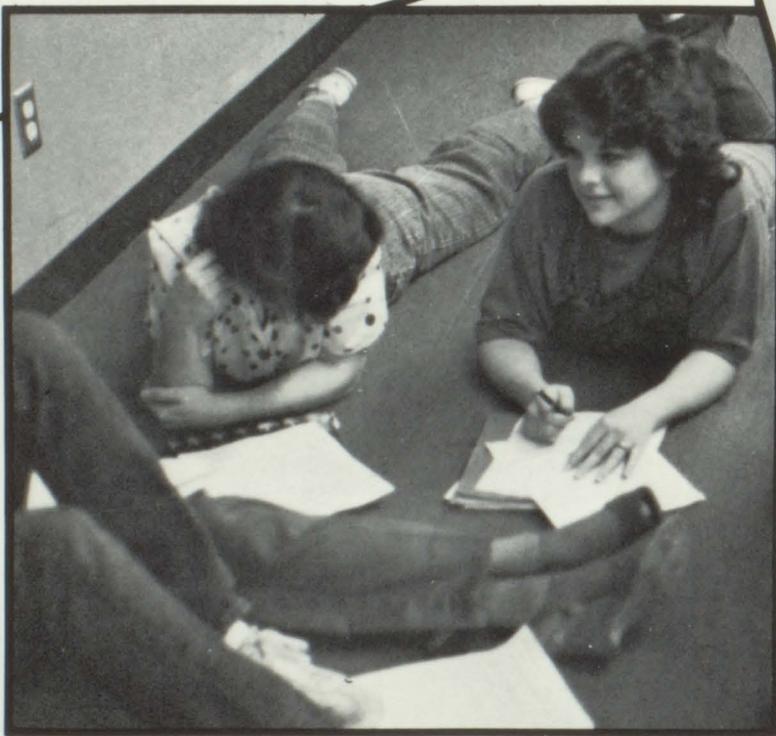
Before the class was offered instructor Mrs. Debbie Caulk

researched its need and said, "We talked to several local businesses and they told us they can teach job skills but not how to get along with others."

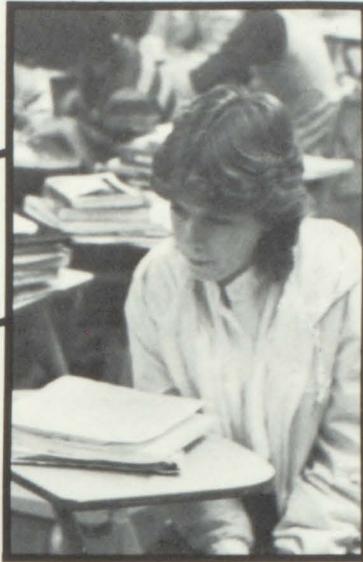
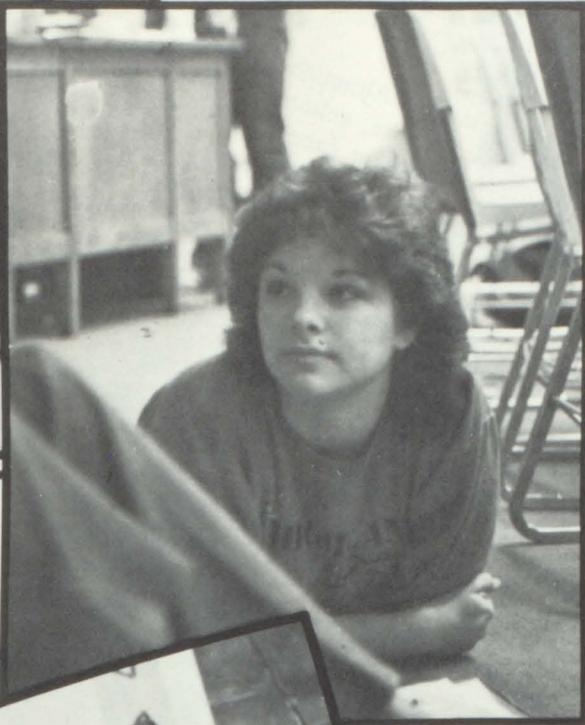
By the end of the semester those who took the class could see a big difference in themselves and their friends. "It is a class that makes you get involved—you can't just sit there," sophomore Laurie Campbell commented.



## You Can Do It



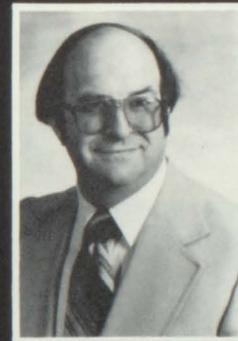
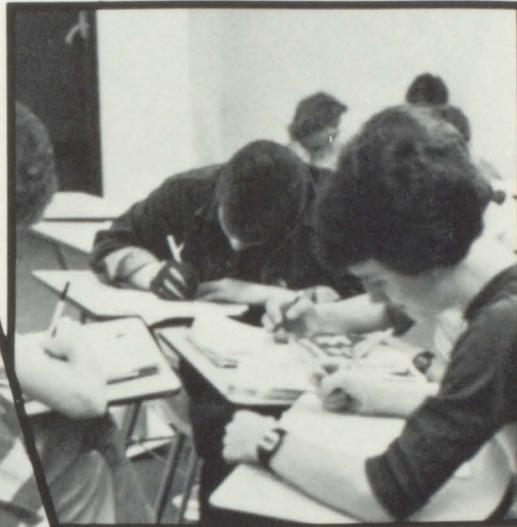
"I Can" gave students many opportunities for group interaction as well as time for personal reflection.



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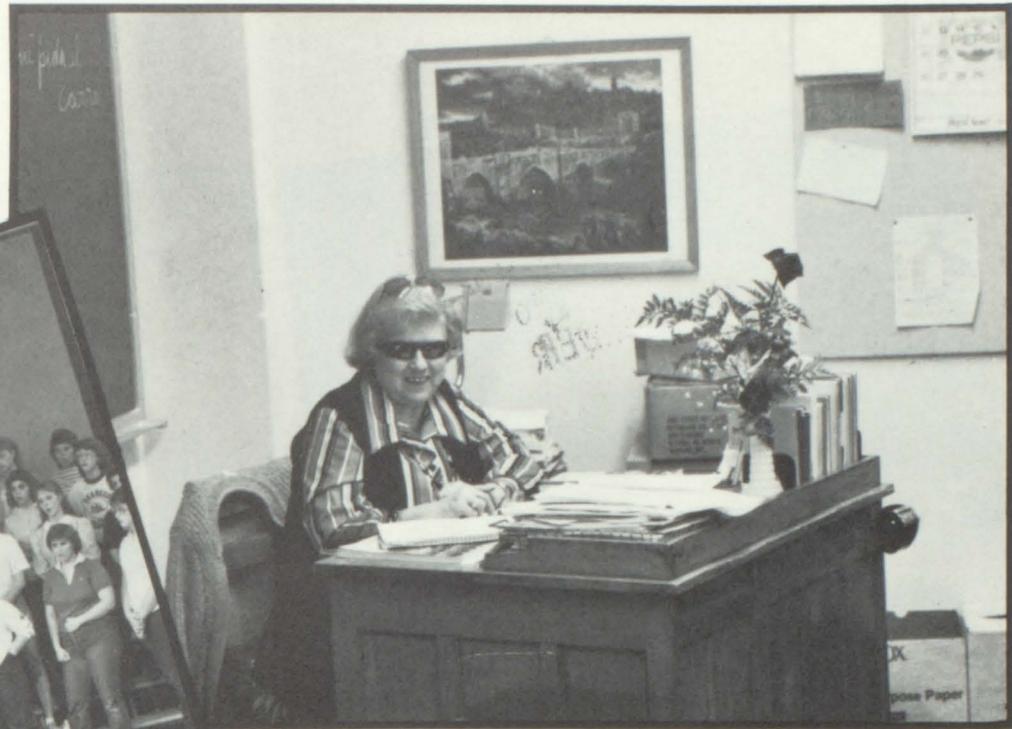
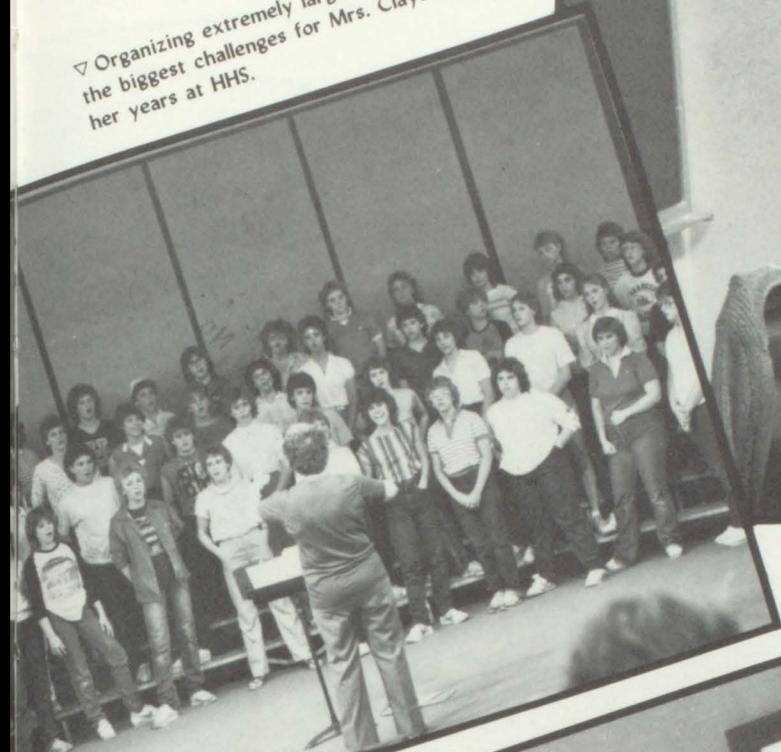
Life is full of changes and with each change we must learn to adapt to the differences they will make to us as individuals. The retirement of Spanish teacher, Mrs. Gloria Alarcon and Chorus teacher, Mrs. Marjorie Clayton, will cause several changes at HHS. For Spanish and Chorus students, adjusting to new teachers and learning their rules may be hard, but saying good-bye to Mrs. Alarcon and Mrs. Clayton will be even more difficult. For Mrs. Alarcon and Mrs. Clayton, it is a time of mixed emotions. Although it will be hard to break the school routine and sad to leave familiar faces, it will also be a time of happiness. Because of retirement, these two ladies, who have served HHS so faithfully, will be given a chance to have some time for themselves, which is what they really deserve. Along with many thanks, they are wished the best for a happy and successful retirement.

▽ Mrs. Clayton takes a final bow after one of the many HHS choral concerts.



△ A well deserved round of applause is given to Mrs. Alarcon and Mrs. Clayton during their retirement party.

▽ Organizing extremely large classes was one of the biggest challenges for Mrs. Clayton during her years at HHS.



△ Showing her pride during HHS spirit week, Mrs. Alarcon grades papers with her shades on.

▽ Mrs. Clayton proudly displays a 1984 plaque won by the girls chorus for a Division I rating.



△ Showing their spirit, Mrs. Alarcon poses with two of the Spanish students on hat day.



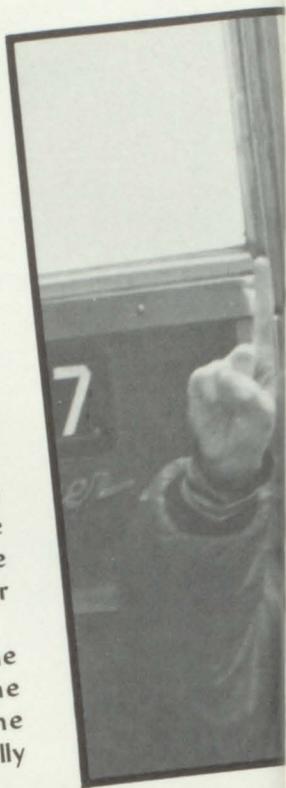
# Take The Challenge

Even if just for a second, there are times in every athlete's career when the question, "Is it all really worth it?" pops in mind.

Many HHS athletes give up their summer by spending three hours a day trying to keep in shape during summer P.E. Football players are forced to gain weight in the fall and wrestlers are forced to lose weight in the winter. Since girls sports haven't quite gained the support that boys athletics have, girls may be harassed for being a "jock" instead of a "lady." Grades may

drop and bodily injuries may occur. Of course every sport has its disadvantages but there are also advantages. It's finally winning that trophy, seeing your picture in the paper, being recognized at the awards banquet, listening to the crowd yell your name or hearing the words, "You did a good job," or "We're proud of you."

Those are the times when the athlete is assured that the advantages far outweigh the disadvantages and that it is all really worth it.



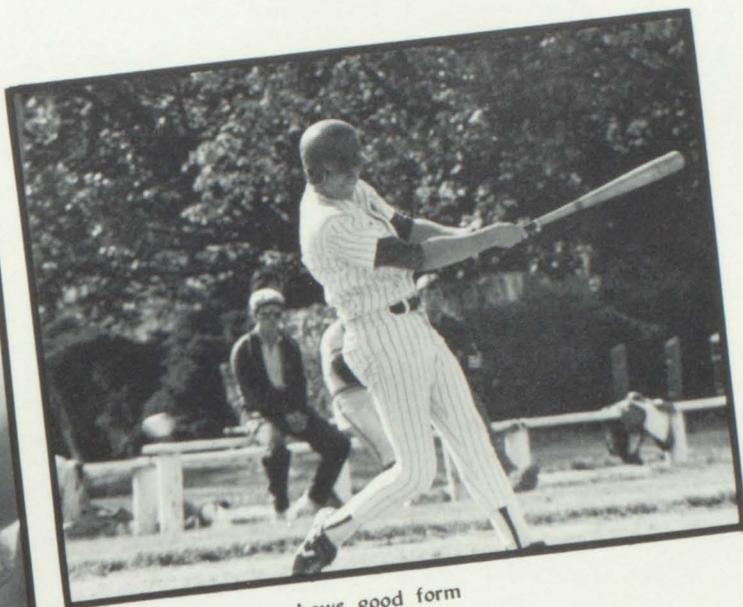
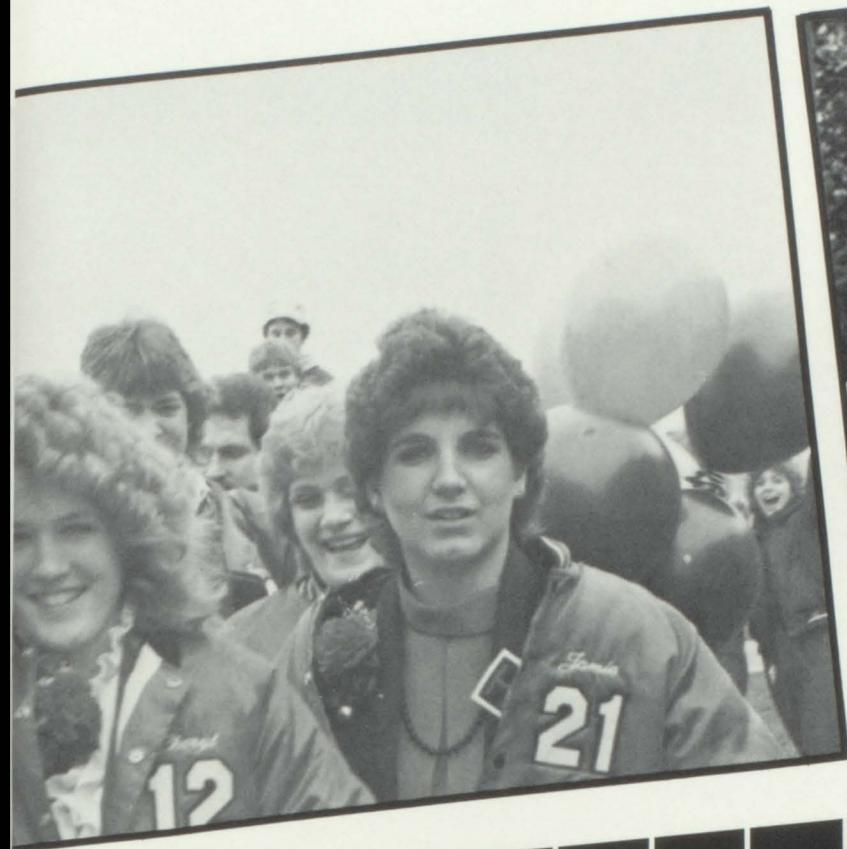
◁ Coloring the posters for the blood drive was just one of the many tasks for the FMCC members.



◁ Junior Brian Dean eyes up senior Larry Whitlow who is set for a shot.



▽ Although Mark Geppert is a freshman, he shows tough competition for senior Andy Frerker



△ Senior Jim Geiger shows good form as he successfully hits the ball.

◁ Boarding the bus for super-sectionals, seniors Cheryl Rehkemper and Jamie Essenpreis are supported by their fans.

▽ Junior Lisa Gustin finds the right spot to read her book.



## VARSITY FOOTBALL

# Hopeful Dogs Low on Luck

Every weekday since mid-August, in temperatures that reached close to 100 degrees, the Highland Varsity Bulldogs could be found out on the practice field, getting ready for the upcoming season. But even after many days of training, hard work and sweat, the Dogs were only able to capture two of their scheduled nine games, one of which came in their home opener against Greenville which they took with a 20-9 victory.

The team suffered another early season punch besides the heat. They lost four starting seniors, three who moved away and one who suffered a foot injury. Yet, some people felt this loss of seniors had little to do with the team's 2-7 record. Senior lineman Andy Prusa stated, "People thought the loss of four seniors would hamper the season, but we had underclassmen fill in the va-

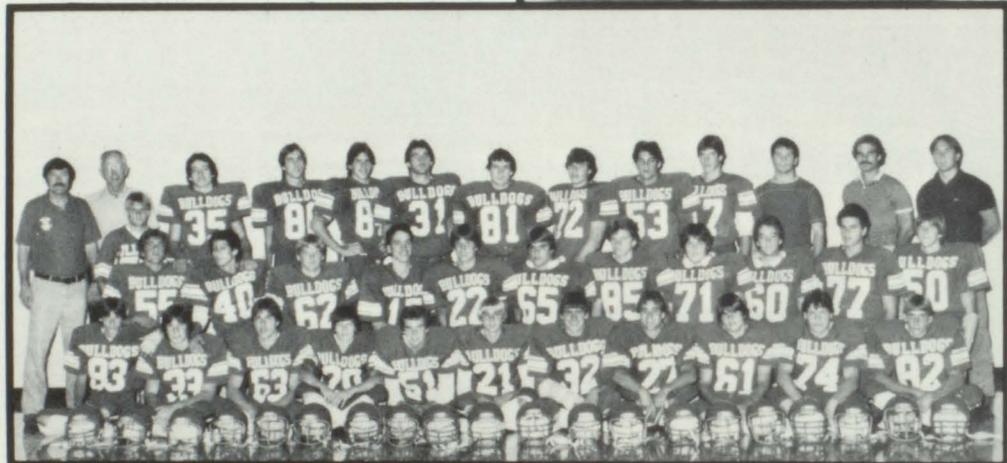
cant spots. It didn't really hurt us, it just cut down on experience."

Even with the loss of participants and a losing record, the Bulldog offense still managed to challenge opposing defenses by scoring an average of 20 points per game. Leading the offense was senior running back Brian Zobrist, who finished the year with a total of 960 yards, and finished 2nd team all-conference.

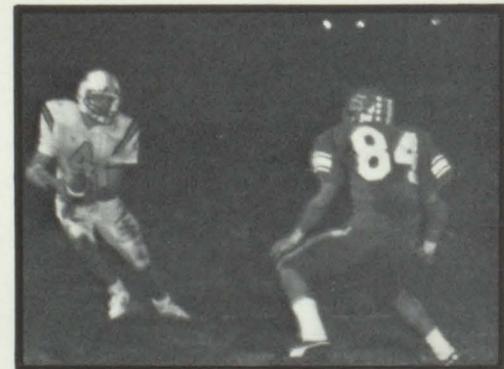
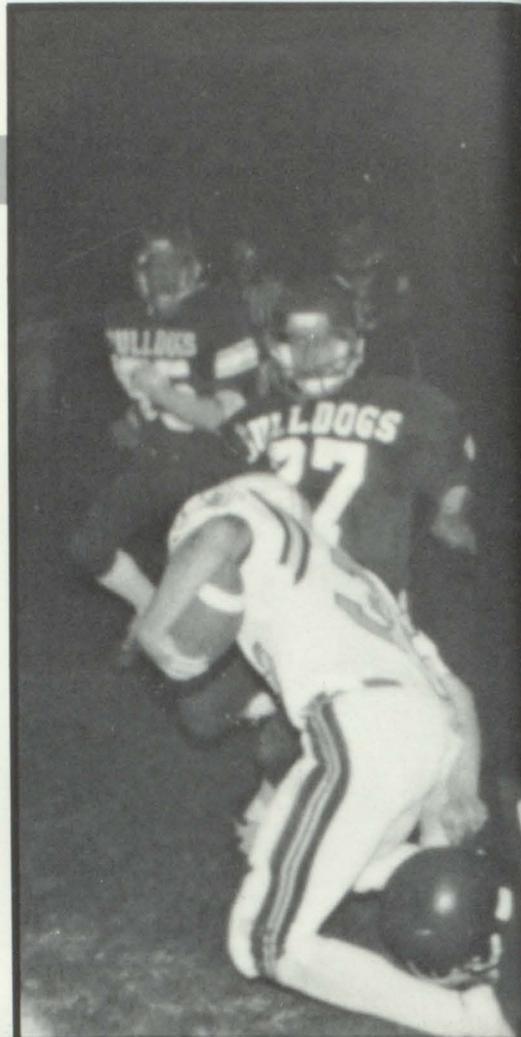
The Dogs suffered seven straight losses after their opener—losses such as final-minutes-of-the-game defeats to Newton and Bethalto, and the one point, overtime loss to Wood River. Yet, team pride enabled them to capture one last victory from conference rival Mascoutah Indians 33-28.

## SCORECARD

HHS		OPP
20	Greenville	9
28	Newton	32
19	O'Fallon	30
33	Bethalto	39
31	Wood River	32
14	Roxana	40
0	Triad	14
6	Jerseyville	25
33	Mascoutah	28



△ Row 1: Jeff Siegrist, Brad Wilken, Tim Conrad, Tom Geiger, Matt Duncan, Ron Messerli, Craig Baumann, Brian Zobrist, Tad Haller, Paul Braundmeier, Mike Grapperhaus. Row 2: Todd Imming, Ben Hanna, Andy Prusa, Robbie McCord, Tim Dillow, Cary Brown, Joe Barr, Keith Greear, Blake Kohlbrecher, Scott Head, Jim Geiger. Row 3: Coach Glenn Monken, Coach Frank Prchal, Todd Korte, Craig Marti, Jeff Dubach, Bill Hartlieb, Rich Jancek, Tim Rutz, Kenny Frey, Mike Widman, Brian Dean, Boyd Rinderer, Coach Bill Rosenberg, Coach Brad Bevis.



△ Isolated one on one with the Jerseyville kick returner, junior Bill Hartlieb sets his stance to prevent the runner from getting too many yards.

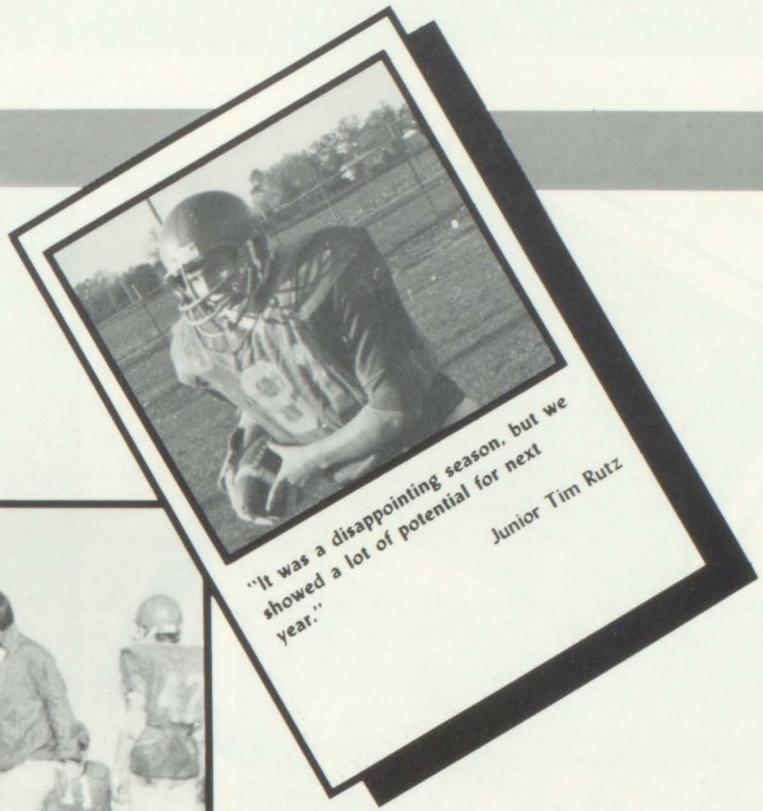
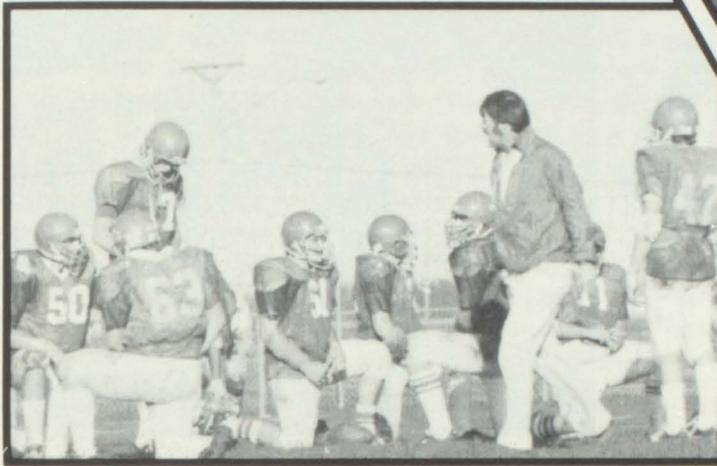
MOST VALUABLE PLAYER  
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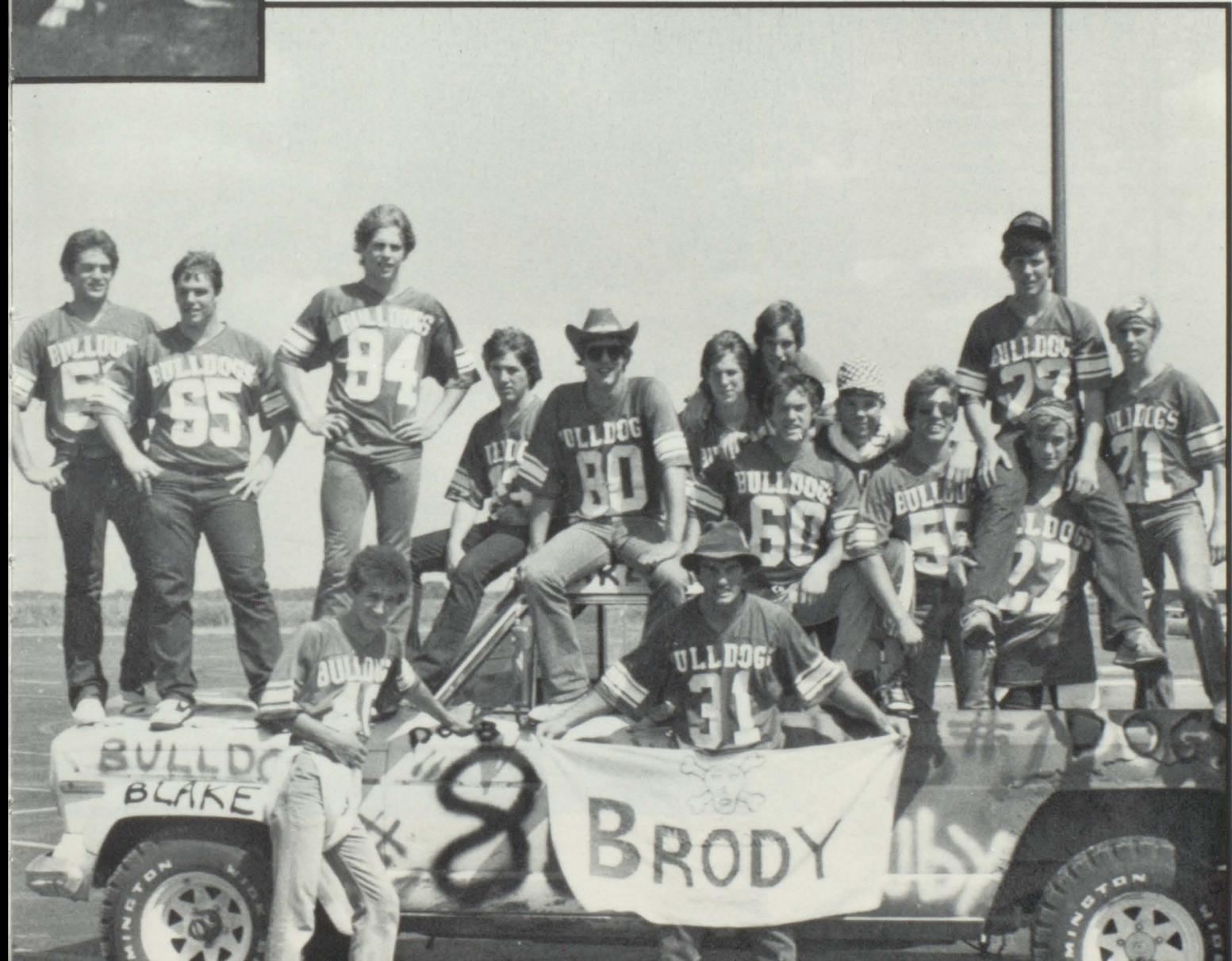
◁ During the Homecoming game against Jerseyville, sophomore Brad Wilken manages to tackle the Panther runner as senior Brian Zobrist runs to help.

▽ Working with the defensive linemen, Coach Glenn Monken continues to stress how important hard practice is in developing a competitive team and a good season.

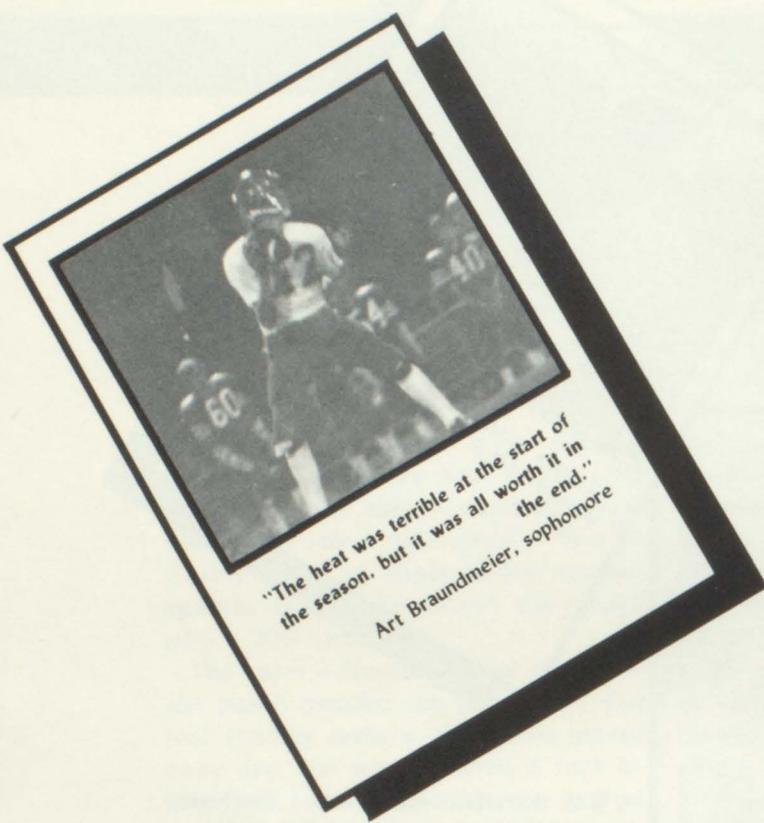


"It was a disappointing season, but we showed a lot of potential for next year."  
 Junior Tim Rutz

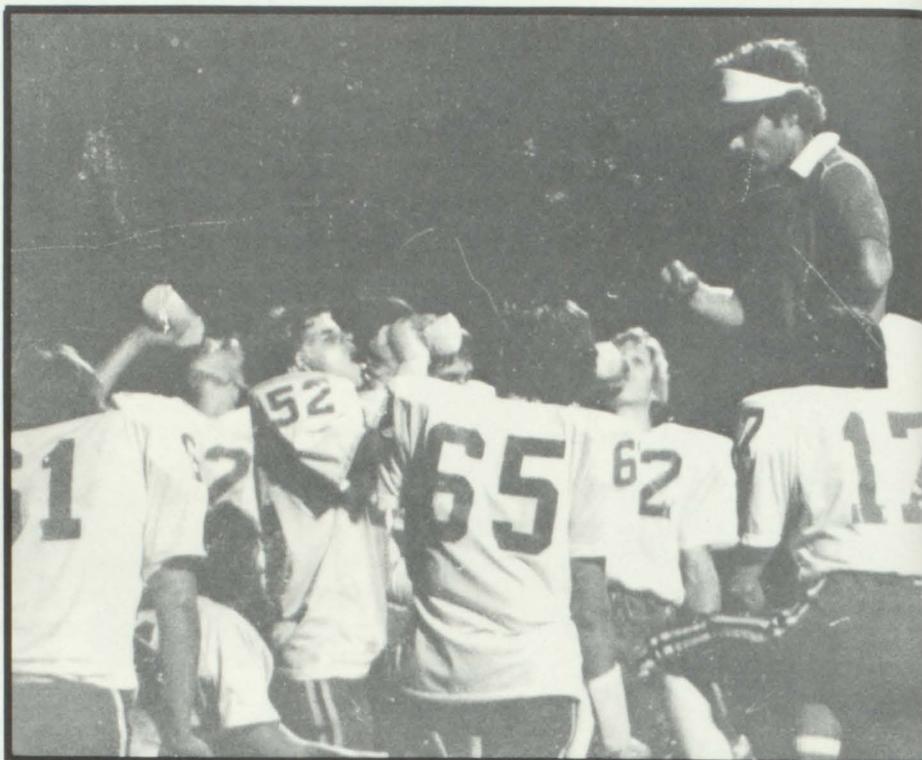
▽ With the season opener only a few hours away, the Bulldogs use junior Jeff Dubach's truck to show their pride and spirit in HHS.



▽ Coach Bill Rosenberg tries to inspire his players while establishing his strategy at half-time.



"The heat was terrible at the start of the season, but it was all worth it in the end."  
 Art Braundmeier, sophomore



## SCORECARD

HHS	Freshmen	OPP
	Triad Jamboree	
6	Triad	0
8	Hillsboro	0
8	Gillespie	0
	First Place	
20	O'Fallon	28
22	Civic Memorial	14
14	Wood River	8
6	Roxana	34
14	Triad	6
	Sophomores	
16	Greenville	0
14	O'Fallon	22
14	Civic Memorial	20
0	Wood River	24
20	Roxana	42
20	Triad	6

▷ Freshman Dan Warning's hopes for a big gain are shattered at the scrimmage line.



# Frosh Excel While Sophs Struggle

A 4-2 record proved to be the best ever for freshman football coach Barry Thomas. Under his guidance, the frosh Dogs won the Triad Jamboree and continued to show their excellence, winning three of their last five games.

Under the leadership of quarterback Craig Sands and the maneuvering ability of running back Robert Ball, the offense generated the points while the defense, coached by Brad Bevis, held back the opposing teams. "We had 34-35 kids come out," stated Coach Thomas. "It was a team effort."

Being the first team to score on Roxana and beating undefeated Triad in the last game of the season were highlights frosh gridders will remember.

Repeating last year's performance, the sophomore squad won its first and

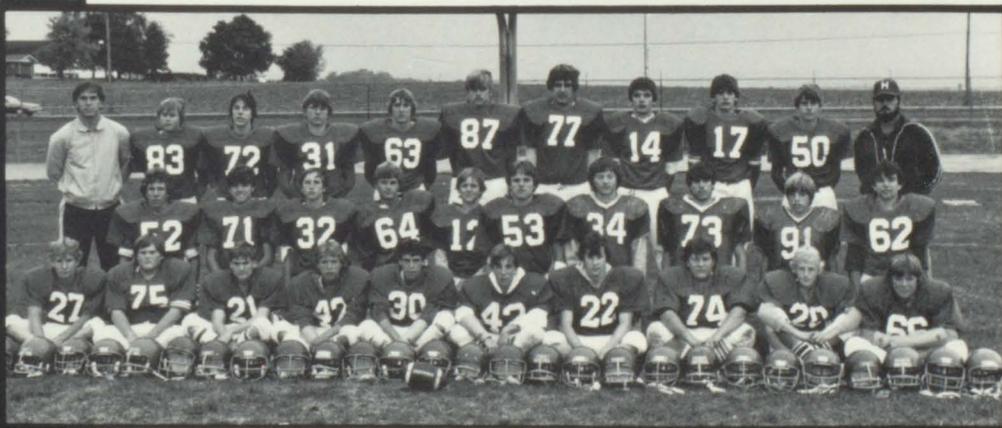
last game but lost every game in between. However, their 2-4 record was not disappointing to Coach Bill Rosenberg, who commented, "We had a lot of good-sized sophomores, so we were competitive. We kept the games close and there were a few we lost that we could've won."

The season, which started on a good note when the sophs shut out Greenville 16-0, floundered as they lost their next four games. Losing a few players to eligibility and lacking speed hurt the squad the most. Like the freshmen gridders, the Dogs showed they would not give up as they defeated Triad in their final game. "The season didn't go so well, but beating Triad made it worth it," agreed sophomore Paul Braundmeier.

▽ During their final game against Triad, the sophomore offensive line listens attentively to sophomore quarterback Art Braundmeier's calls.



◁ Sophomore: Row 1: Harvey Jordan, Robert Ball, Craig Sands, Russ Miller, Randy Kleinmann, Art Braundmeier, Brad Wilken, Scott Michaelis, Mike Brown, Jeff Barker, Mike Grapperhaus; Row 2: Coach Bill Rosenberg, Scott Troxell, Dan Warning, Chris Voegele, Paul Braundmeier, Steve Frey, Frankie Crockett, Alan Zobrist, Scott Head, Matt Zajac, Steve Zobrist, Todd Hunsche, Lee Harris, John Sanders, Mike Loeh.



Freshmen: Row 1: Larry Luitjohan, Brian Dillow, Dan Warning, Steve Price, Kenny Diesselhorst, Tony Williams, Rich Grodeon, Chris Rusick, Terry Lammers, Doug Stueber; Row 2 Dan Burke, Jim Reidelberger, Lee Harris, Scott Frey, Darin Hartlieb, Britt Balster, Gerald Klein, Joe Messina, Scott Davis, Jeff Bone; Row 3 Coach Brad Bevis, Brian Klostermann, Bob Koelz, Mike Loeh, Russell Korte, Danny Ridall, Matt Zajac, Scott Hampton, Craig Sands, T.J. Meyer, Coach Barry Thomas.

▷ Warming up for a game, sophomore Sherri Blom displays her spiking ability.

## VOLLEYBALL

# Choosing to Win

With a 16-8 season, the girl's volleyball team lived out their dream of being the first Highland volleyball team to capture the title of Regional Champs.

Early season tournaments did not include the happy ending that the lady spikers experienced during regionals. The Bulldogs took third place in Triad Invitational as a result of a tri-game battle with the area's top team, Mater Dei. Advancing to the championship game of the Wood River tournament, they captured the second place trophy, taking a back seat only to Bethalto.

But it was experience, height, and leadership that became dominating

factors that led the Highland team on to beat Mascoutah soundly for the regional title.

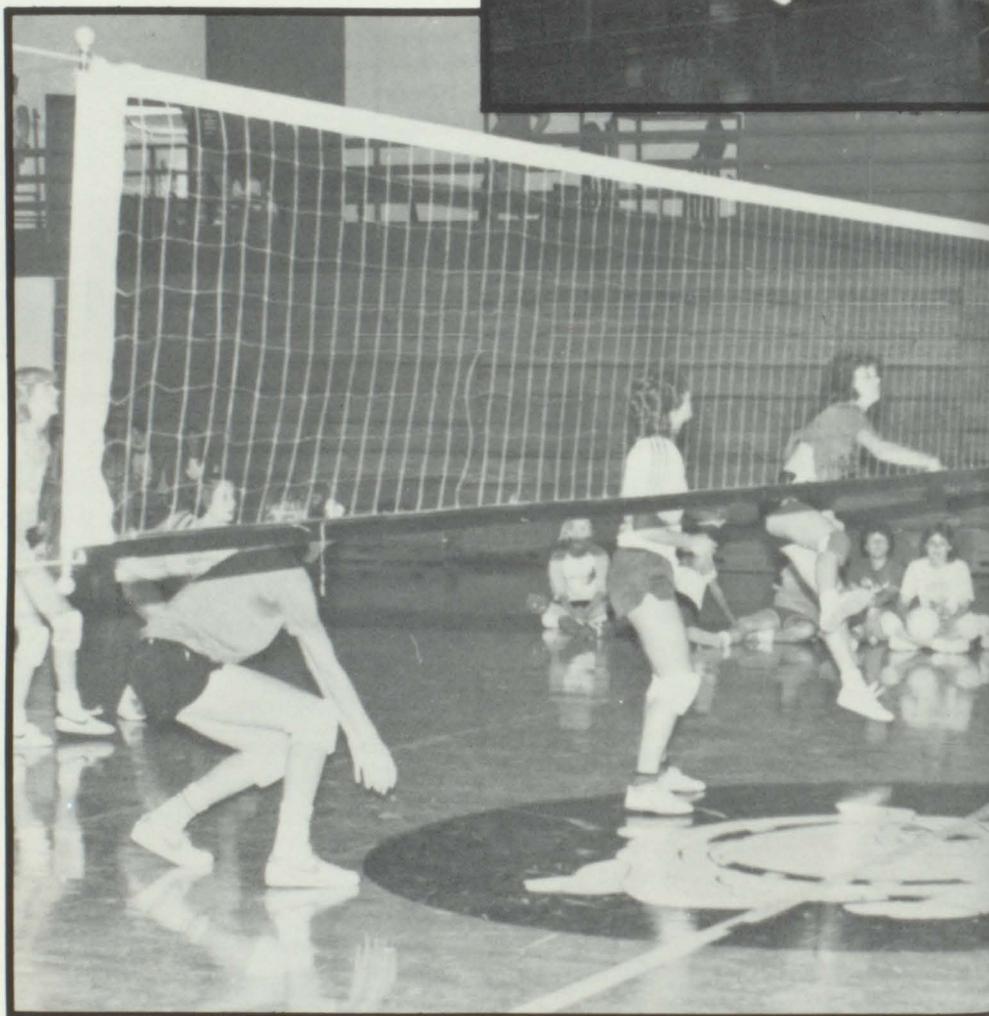
Junior Cathy Kampwerth and senior Tina Voegle were selected for First Team All-Conference while honorable mention for All-Conference went to seniors Jamie Essenpries and Darla Rinderer. The Belleville All-Area Volleyball Team recognized Kampwerth for the second team and Voegle as an honorable mention.

This Highland squad believed in coach Nona Holmstrom's philosophy, "You cannot choose to try to win or you can choose to lose." The Highland Bulldog volleyball team chose to win.

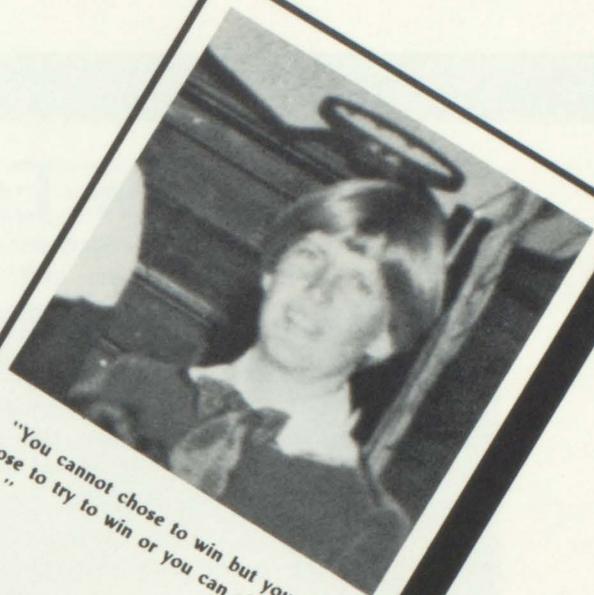
## SCORECARD

Civic Memorial	Score (HHS-OPP)
OPP	Score (HHS-OPP)
Triad	15-2, 15-7
Mascoutah	15-8, 15-9
Wesclin	12-15, 15-4, 15-13
Civic Memorial	15-13, 15-12
Hillsboro	15-11, 15-10
Staunton	15-9, 17-19, 15-11
Mater Dei	7-15, 7-15
Breese Central	16-14, 15-13
Jerseyville	15-5, 15-1
Roxanne	6-15, 15-3, 15-1
Granite City	16-14, 15-11
O'Fallon	13-15, 15-3, 7-15
Wood River	4-15, 15-17
Edwardsville	9-15, 15-6, 15-6
Madison	15-6, 15-3

Strenuous practices resulted in obtaining the title of Regional Champs for the lady spikers.



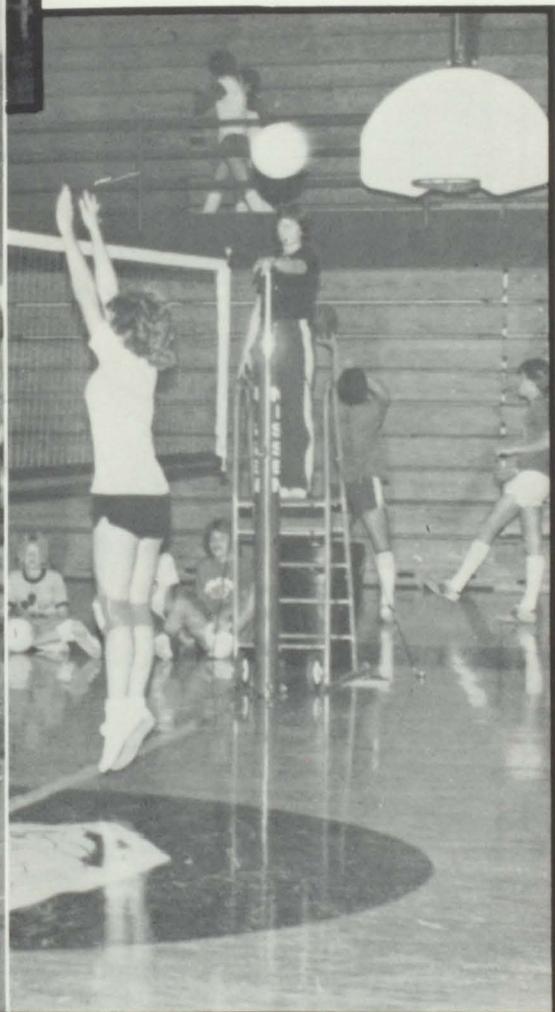
▽ Varsity: Row 1 Coach Holmstrom, Beth Kruse, Cindy Engelmann, Darla Rinderer, Bobbi Rickher, Kerri Knebel, Donna Voliva; Row 2 Cathy Kampwerth, Tina Voegele, Tina Frey, Kim Sedlacek, Dawn Steiner, Jamie Essenpries.



"You cannot chose to win but you can chose to try to win or you can chose to lose."

Coach Holmstrom

▽ Junior Varsity: Row 1 Lori Singleton, Kerri Knebel, Donna Voliva, Traci Imboden, Karen Koch, Andrea Nehrt; Row 2 Coach Holmstrom, Cindy Engelmann, Sherri Blom, Tina Frey, Kerri Bloemker, Maura Brockmeier, Donna Kraus.



MOST VALUABLE PLAYER  
Cathy Kampwerth  
MOST DEDICATED  
Darla Rinderer  
MOST HUSTLE  
Jamie Essenpries  
MOST IMPROVED  
Beth Kruse

# Below Expectations

"The season went well but ended on a sour note." So said first year golf coach Paul James, referring to the team's record of 12-1, losing only to Mascoutah.

Consisting of four seniors, one junior, one sophomore, and two freshmen, the team set a new team record of 145, and a new conference record of 299.

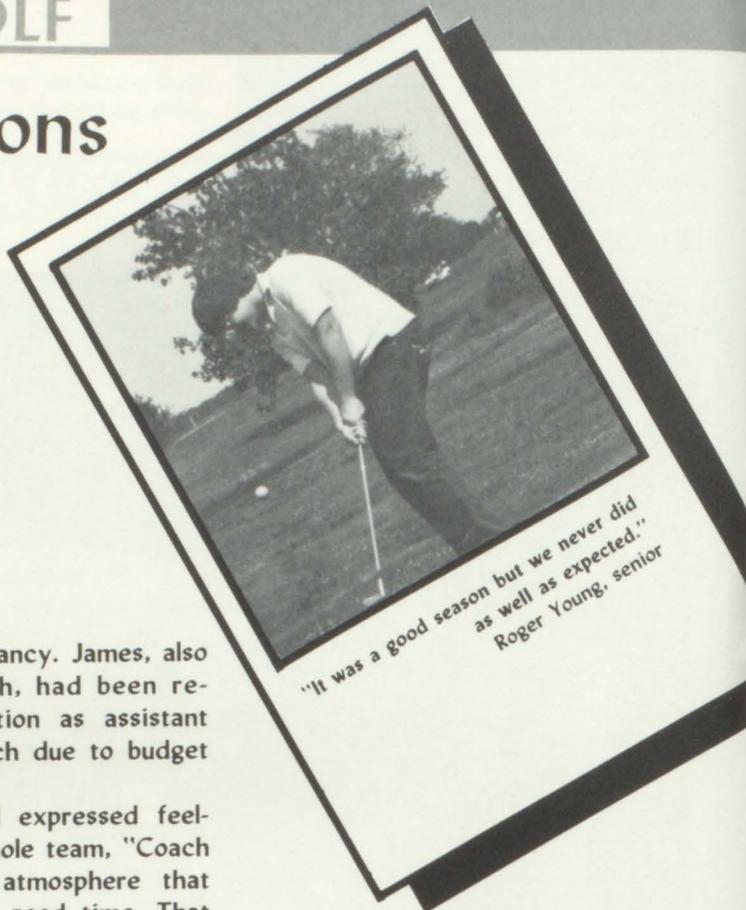
Throughout the season, Edwardsville proved to be the golf team's toughest opponent, defeating the Bulldogs in the Granite City Scramble, the Regionals, and the Sectionals.

As disappointing as the season ended, five members were named all conference. Seniors Tony Johnson, a two year veteran, Devin Wille, Roger Young, and Rob Bloemker, all four year veterans, captured the first four spots. Junior Brent Portell, a three year veteran, took the ninth.

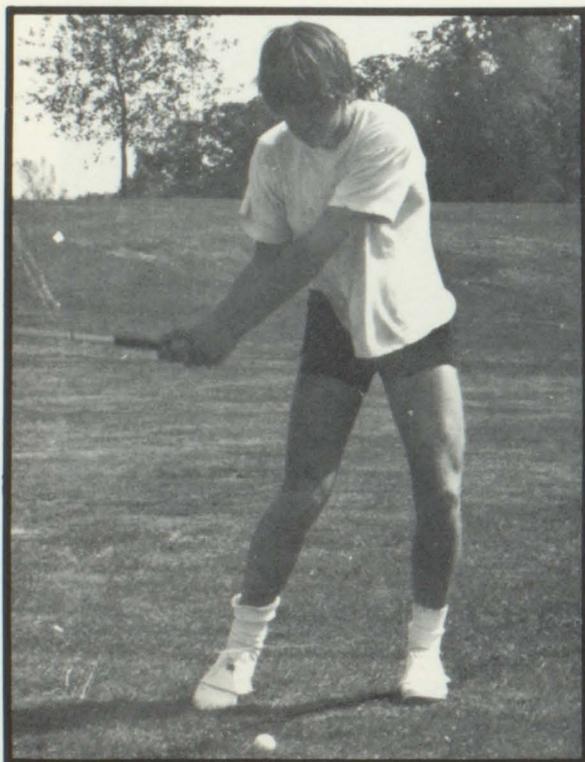
It was a good season for first year coach James who demonstrated his coaching versatility by stepping in to

fill the golf coach vacancy. James, also girls basketball coach, had been released from his position as assistant freshman football coach due to budget cuts.

Junior Brent Portell expressed feelings shared by the whole team, "Coach provided a relaxing atmosphere that allowed us to have a good time. That was the main thing.



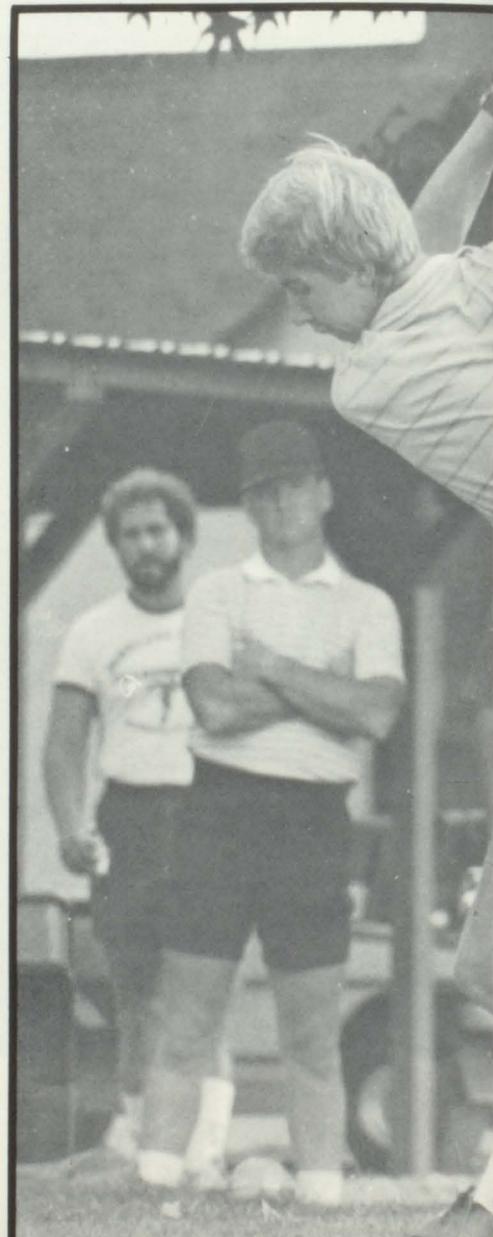
"It was a good season but we never did as well as expected."  
Roger Young, senior

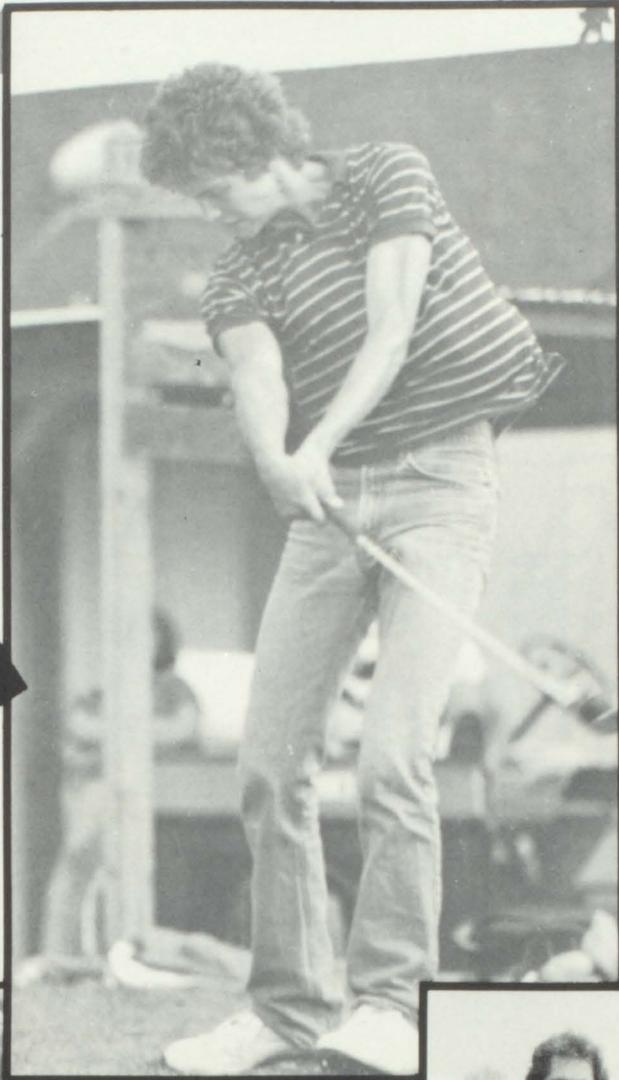


△ Junior Brent Portell practices his driving to remain the number five man on the team.

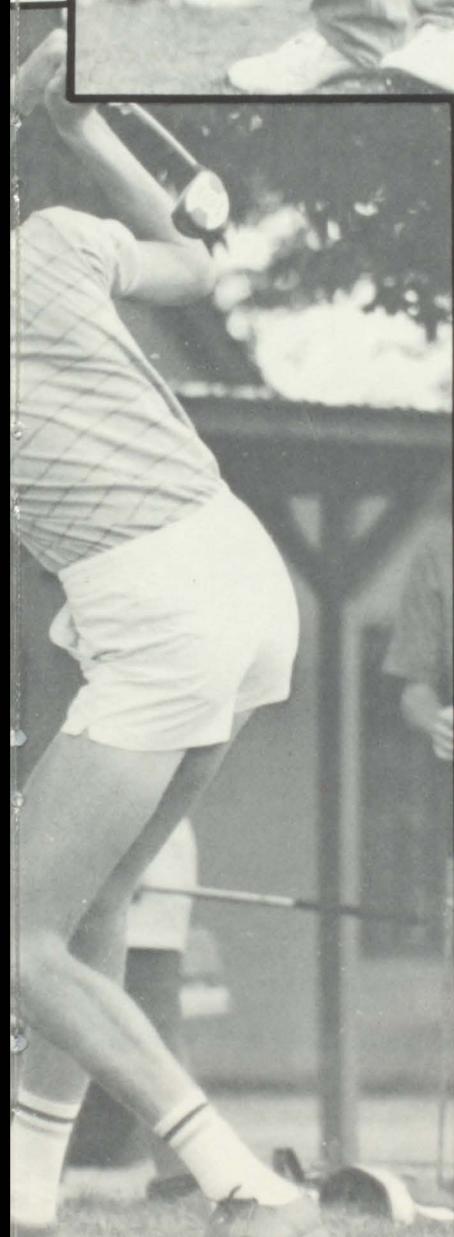
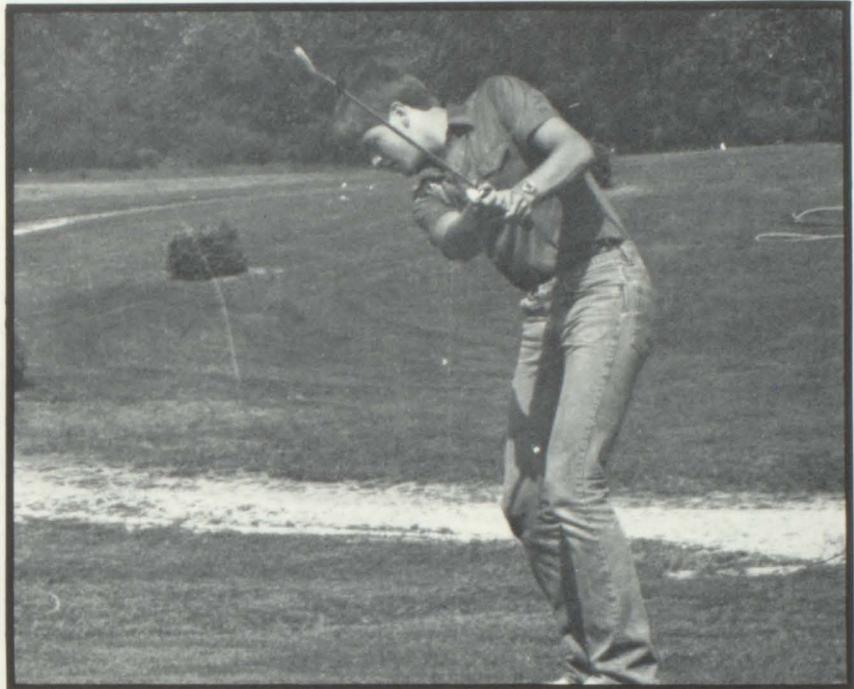
## SCORECARD

HHS		OPP
158	Granite City	160
156	Triad	182
144	Jerseyville	177
GRANITE CITY SCRAMBLE		
209	Edwardsville	206
	O'Fallon	207
154	Roxana	174
154	Metro-East	183
161	Central	211
EDWARDSVILLE INVITATIONAL		
379	Edwardsville	363
160	Mascoutah	152
	Woodriver	173
150	Vandalia	163
	Effingham	163
145	Mascoutah	155
	Roxana	163
	MVC	
299	O'Fallon	318
	Mascoutah	324
151	Mater Dei	173
REGIONALS		
319	Belleville West	306
	Edwardsville	318
SECTIONALS		
318	Springfield	313
	Edwardsville	





◁ Senior Devin Wille displays the determination that it took to be number two in the conference.  
 ▽ Senior Rob Bloemker puts his four years of experience to use to chip the ball up a hill, and to be number four in the conference.



△ Golf team, Row 1: Coach Paul James, Chris Loyet, Rob Bloemker, Tony Johnson, and Devin Wille. Row 2: Roger Young, Chris Hadsell, and Brent Portell.

◁ Senior Tony Johnson gets ready to tee off. Tony, a two year veteran, was able to take first place in conference.

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER  
 Devin Wille  
 MOST IMPROVED PLAYER  
 Roger Young

# Putting It Together

Capturing the conference title for the second consecutive year, the Lady Netters finished their eighth winning season with a ratio of 13 victorious battles to two losses.

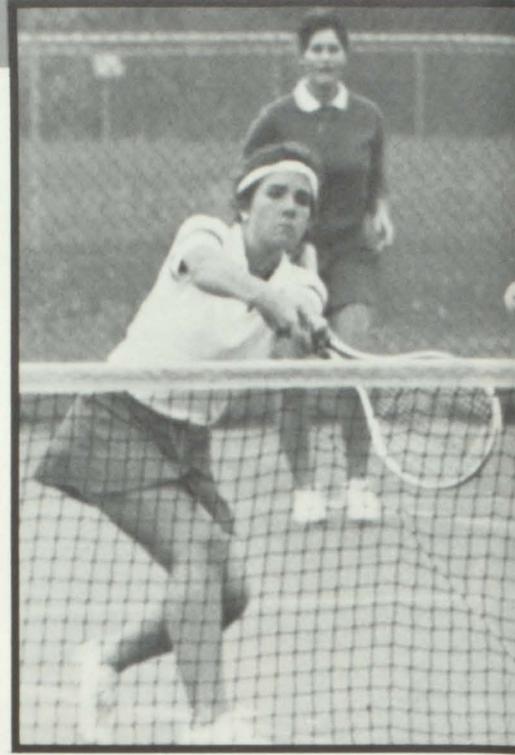
With seven out of ten players being seniors, the '84 Bulldog team contained quality participation. According to Coach Carie Iftner, "Having seniors with and without experience was a great asset." Experience, however, was not a key factor in this year's winning season. Only four out of the seven seniors were four year tennis veterans.

When first singles player, Meredith Heinemann was unable to play in five matches due to illness, senior Michelle Fornelli was promoted to the first seat. The ladies managed to place 6th out of the total of twelve participants at Belleville East Tournament. To beat this score, they ended up on their home court for the HHS Invitational. Following the conference championship, the Bulldog team advanced to sectionals where they grasped 2nd place from the

12 teams that took part.

Meredith Heinemann participated in the tournament as a sole court player along with a doubles team composed of Shari Sanvi and Michelle Fornelli. The three of them closed their season in the top half of the finals.

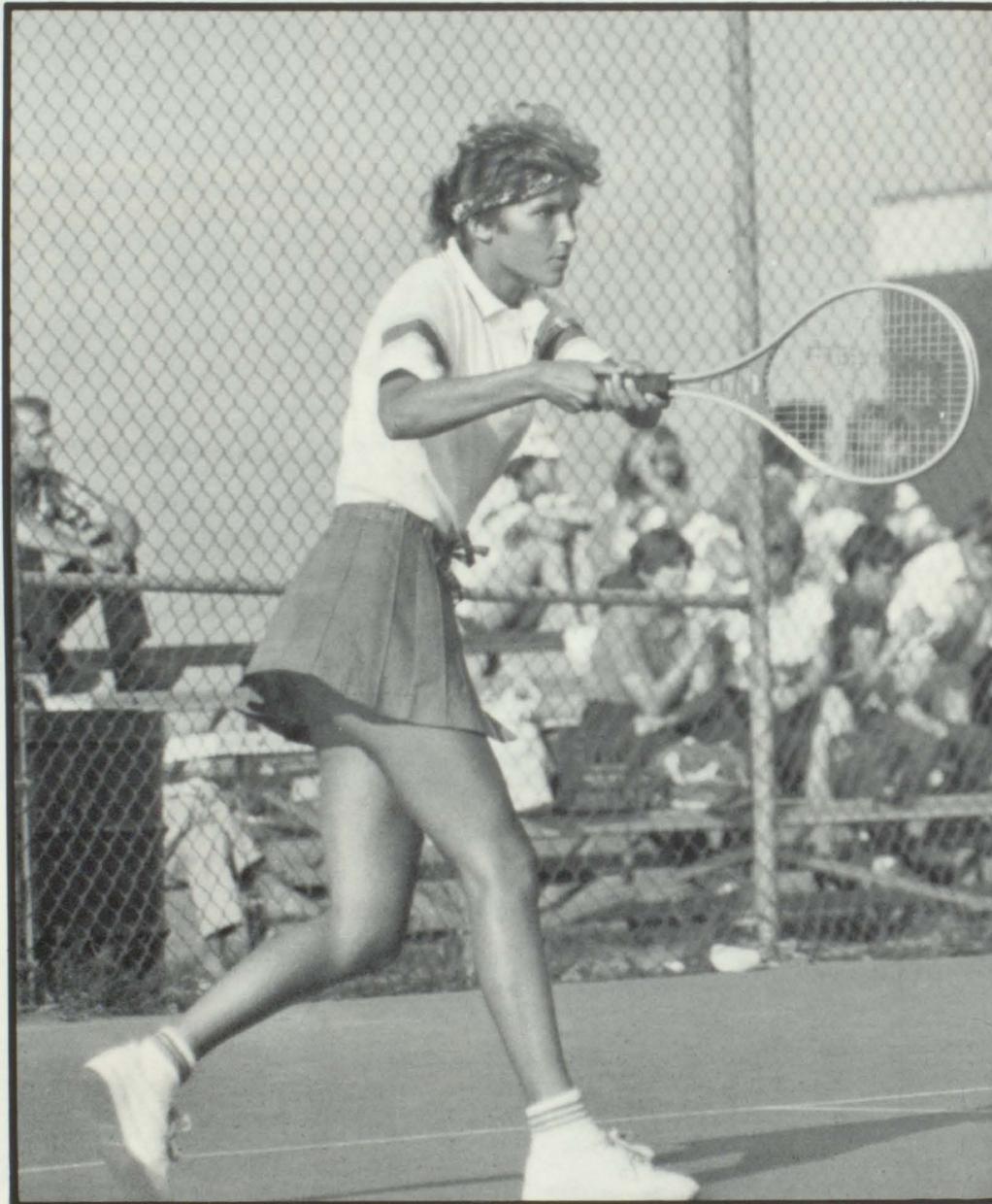
According to Mrs. Iftner, "The highlight of the season was beating O'Fallon for the conference title." Capturing the conference championship from the arch rivals was worth all the spirit, effort, and teamwork put into the whole season.



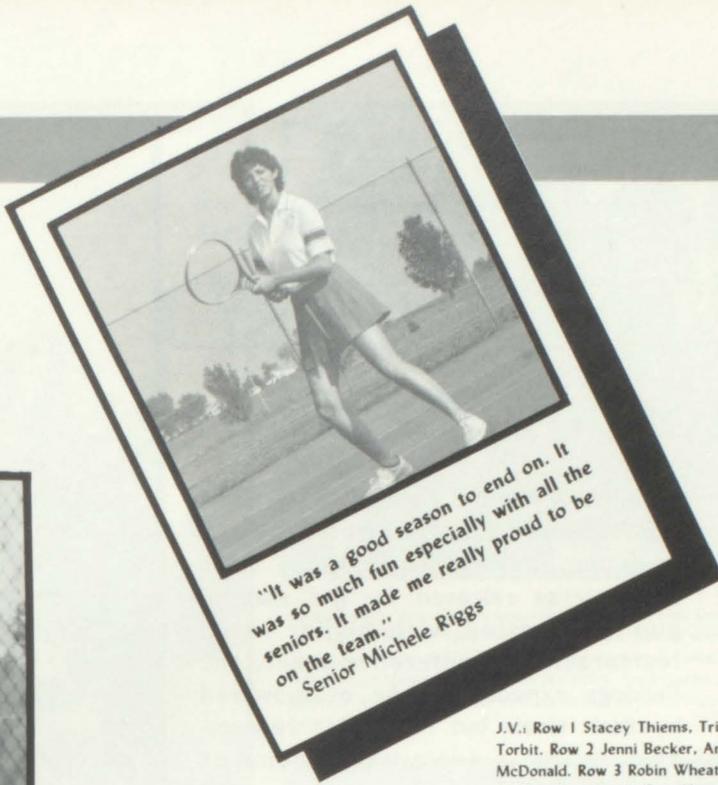
## SCORECARD

HHS		OPP
5	Edwardsville	2
2	O'Fallon	5
5	Centralia	2
7	Greenville	0
Ist HHS Invitational		
5	Collinsville	2
3	Triad	2
7	Jerseyville	0
6	Roxana	1
6th Belleville East Tourney		
5	Mascoutah	0
7	Civic Memorial	0
6	Wood River	1
3	Mater Dei	4
Ist	MVC	

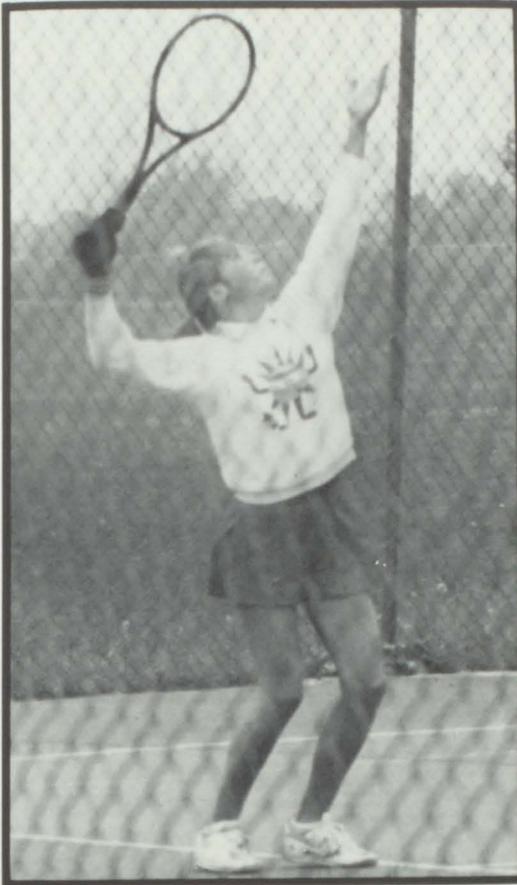
▷ Senior Stacey Tuffli returns, with a backhand, the ball to her opponent. Tuffli was one of seven seniors that helped compose the varsity team.



◁ Senior Michele Fornelli returns the ball over the net with a volley as her partner, senior Shari Sanvi, looks on. Fornelli and Sanvi competed at the state tournament as a doubles team.  
 ▽ Junior Meredith Heineman eyes the ball as she prepares to serve. Heineman, after being absent from five matches, returned to capture a spot at the state tournament.



"It was a good season to end on. It was so much fun especially with all the seniors. It made me really proud to be on the team."  
 Senior Michele Riggs



J.V.: Row 1 Stacey Thiems, Tricia Fornelli, Suzi Essenpreis, Julie Torbit. Row 2 Jenni Becker, Andrea Case, Amy Steiner, Cynthia McDonald. Row 3 Robin Wheatley, Gail Ervin, Brandi Kohlbrecher, Coach Cary Iftner.



Varsity: Row 1 Meredith Heineman, Shari White, Michele Fornelli. Row 2 Missy Neudecker, Lee Ann Rautenberg, Kim

Kaminski. Row 3 Gina Langhauser, Stacey Tuffli, Beth Brown, Shari Sanvi, Coach Cary Iftner.



Coach Cary Iftner shares some humor with senior Shari Sanvi after a home match. Sanvi was one of the returning four year veterans.

▷ At the conference meet, the HHS girls stay with the pack.

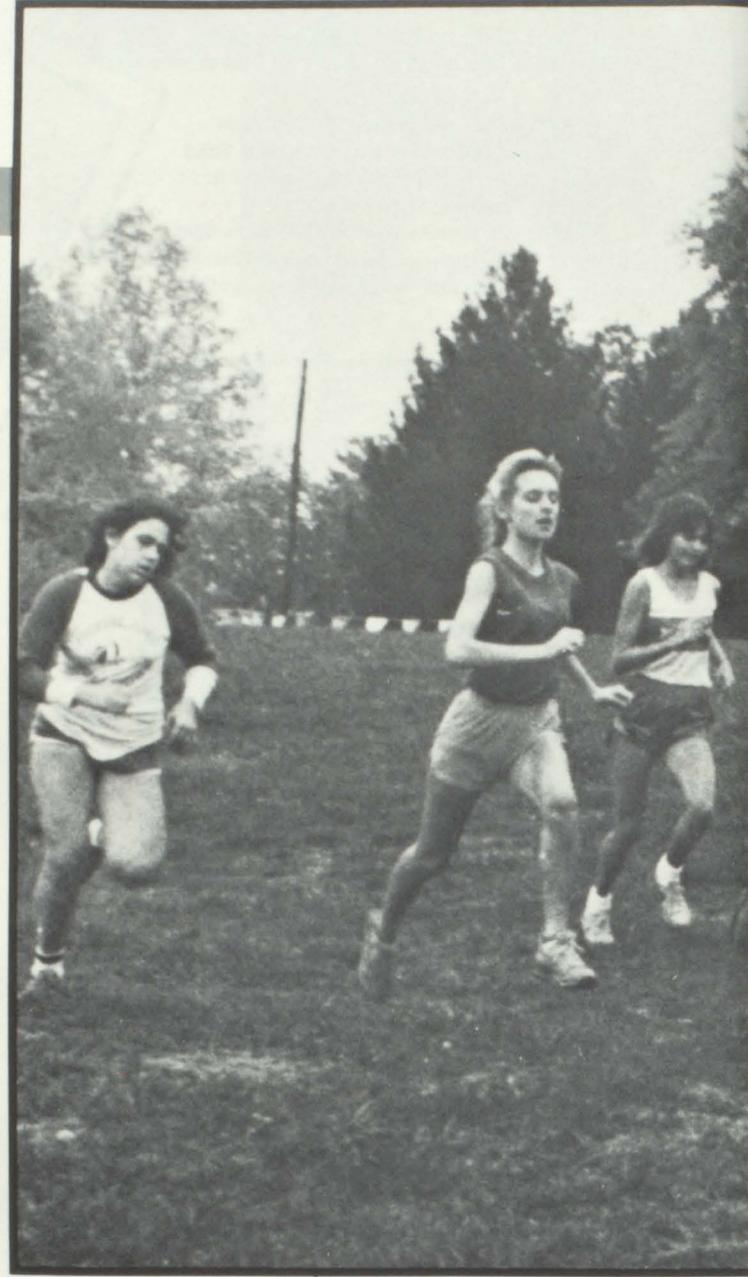
## CROSS COUNTRY

# Season of Struggle

Reaching for the Conference victory, the Highland Cross Country team burst from the starting line with the same intensity as released by the starting gun. Competing with higher rated teams at the Conference meet, the Bulldogs expected to be overpowered by their rivals but finished a respectable 3rd as a team and strong as individual runners.

While meeting success at the Conference meet, the team did not fair as well throughout the season. With top participants coming from both inexperienced runners as well as experienced, the squad fought inconsistency. Injuries and extreme heat got the team off to a slow start and a mediocre finish.

All Conference achievers included seniors Todd Plocher and Andy Frerker and freshman Mark Geppart and Nick Andres. Titles for All-Conference of the girl's race went to senior Denise Thiems, junior Tina Tebbe and sophomore Jill Redman.

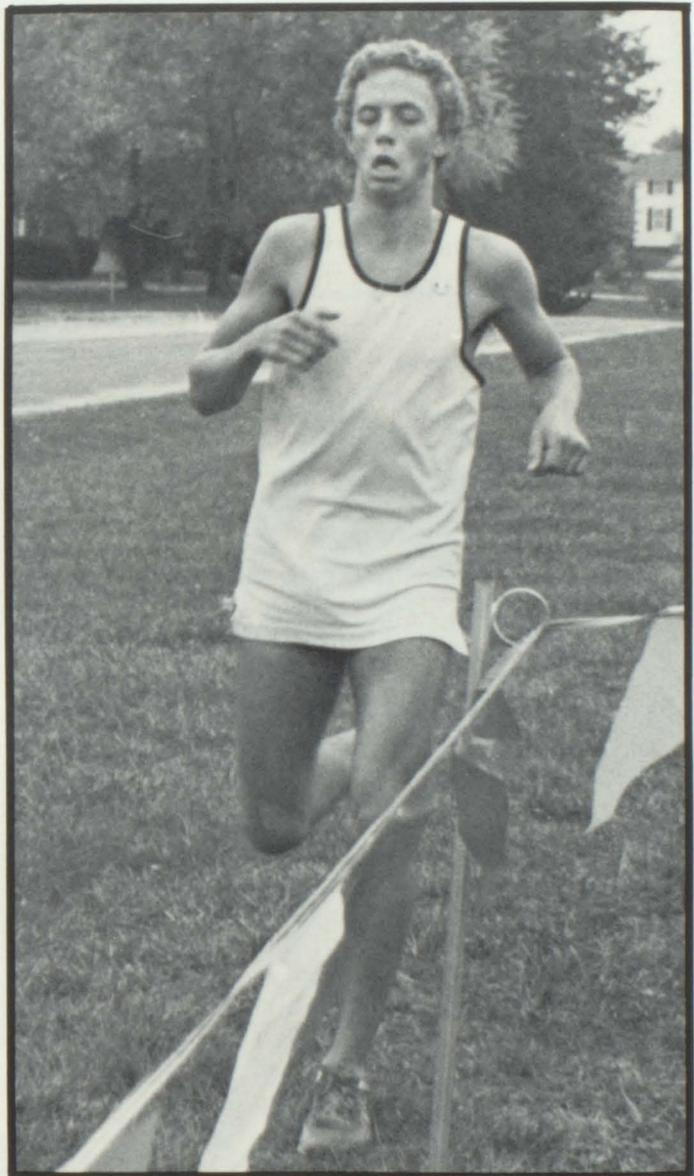


## SCORECARD

HHS/#	TEAMS	OPP
9th/12	Regional	
3rd/6	MVC	
5th/7	County Meet	
5th/6	Jacksonville Inv	
5th/12	Highland Inv	
16th/21	Edwardsville Inv	
10th/21	Triad Inv	
17th/21	Granite City Inv	
29	Roxana	29
3	Wesclin	13
42	Civic Memorial	90
	Jerseyville	84
	Mascoutah	23



Cross Country: Row 1 Jill Redman, Denise Thiems, Tina Tebbe; Row 2 Andy Frerker, Nick Andres, Dan Henke, Kevin Camp, Tom Tebbe, Russ Rieke, David Schilli, Mark Geppert, Paul Tebbe; Row 3 Coach Steve Moore, Scott Jansen, Jim Miles, Todd Plocher, Kevin Gaffner, Steve Bennett, Ron Rehkemper; not pictured: Kurt Thuenemann.



△ Exhausted, senior Kevin Gaffner finished the conference meet in 16th place which left him one place from All Conference.

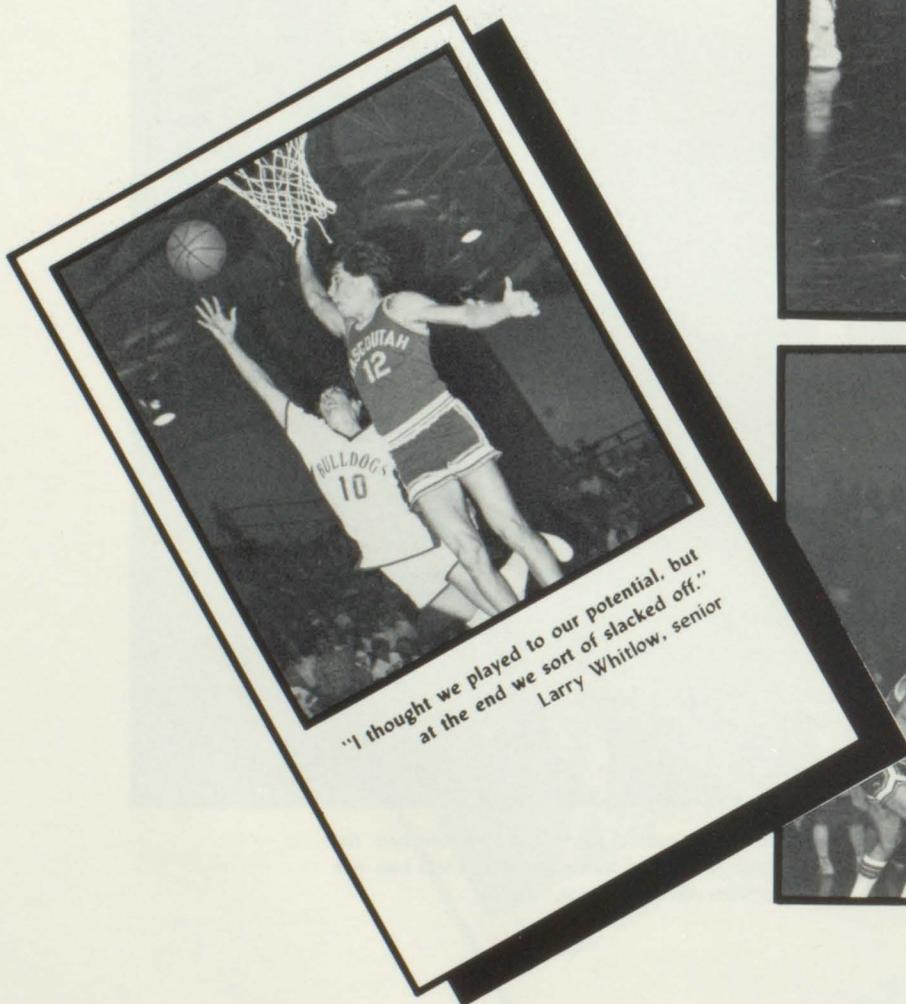
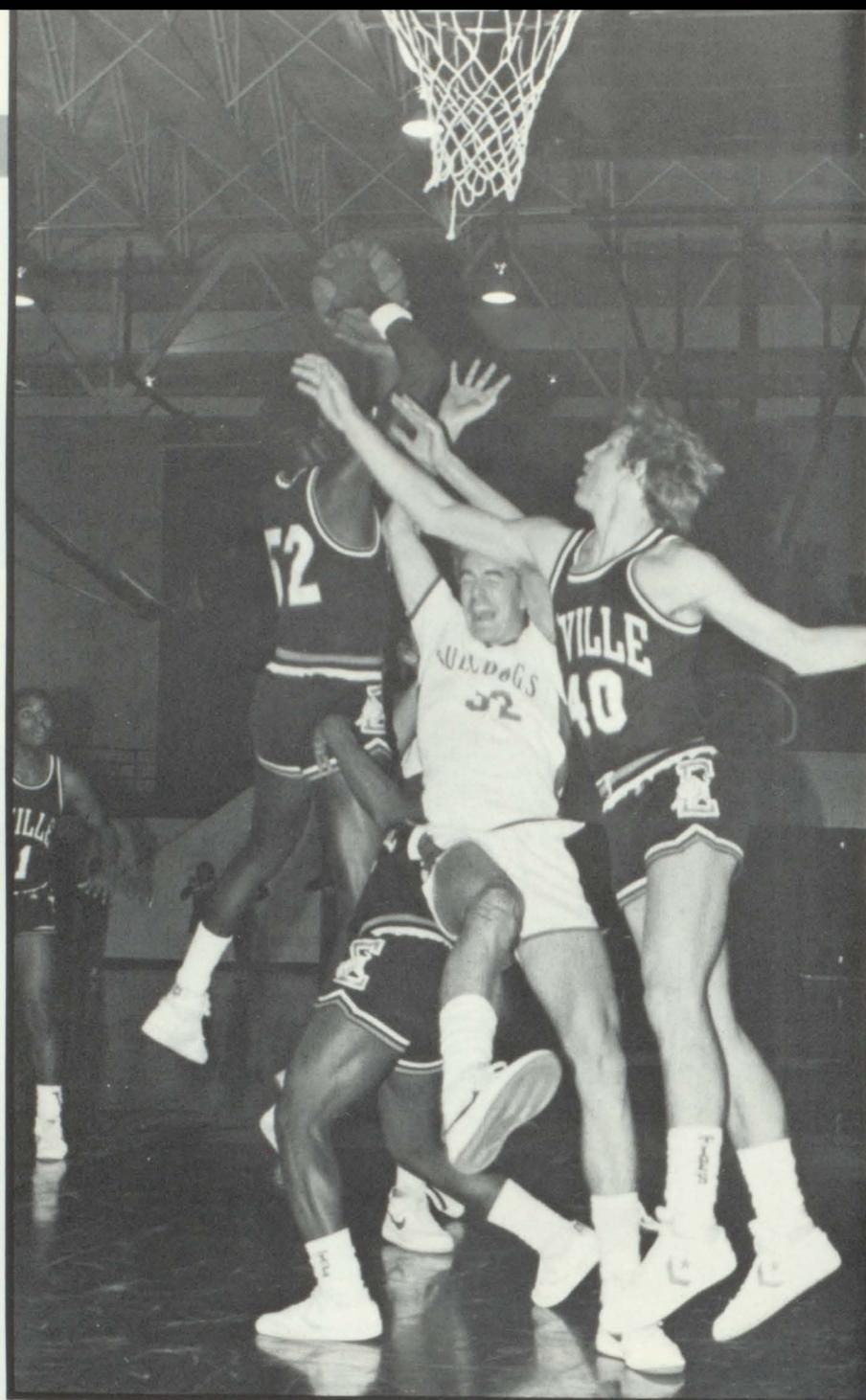


△ The HHS team members congratulate the other team members after a well run meet. The Bulldogs finished 3rd in the conference out of 6 teams.

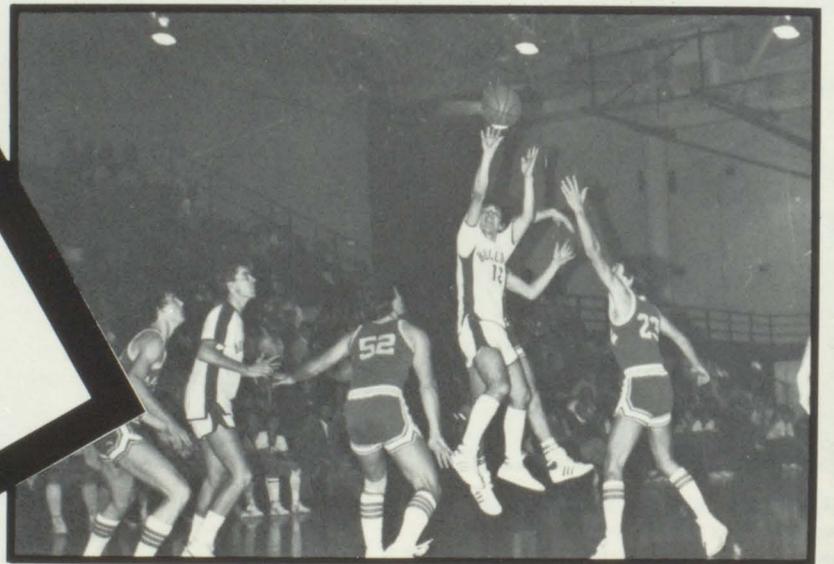
▷ Senior Rob Bloemker finds that 1-3 odds are not good when trying to grab a rebound.

# SCORECARD

HHS	Junior Varsity	OPP
41	Vandalia	63
48	Bethalto	61
34	Mascoutah	61
68	Roxana	61
59	O'Fallon	38
50	Edwardsville	73
47	Wood River	58
63	Jerseyville	62
63	Triad	66
52	Springfield	48
40	Triad	68
65	Civic Memorial	45
29	Meascoutah	56
81	Greenville	64
51	Wood River	74
73	Jerseyville	69
65	O'Fallon	60
67	Roxana	66



"I thought we played to our potential, but at the end we sort of slacked off."  
Larry Whitlow, senior



△ Beating the defense on the jump, sophomore Scott Riggs goes for an outside open shot.

## Roller Coaster Ride

With a 13-12 record, the roller coaster varsity basketball season opened with seven wins. The streak ended by a 2-point loss to O'Fallon. Then the ride began as the Bulldogs would win a few and then lose a few, not being able to win more than two in a row. The final 65-54 regional loss to Effingham ended the ride.

Although winning just over half their games, the team was competitive. Senior Rob Bloemker, voted to several All-Star teams, and senior Larry Whitlow paced the team in most offensive categories. Bloemker led the team in scoring, shooting 18.1 points per game. On defense, he led with 200 rebounds. Whitlow had the most interceptions with 57. With the help of underclass-

men like Brian Dean, Chad Weiss, Jeff Dubach, and Scott Riggs, the Bulldog nucleus was tough, if not outstanding.

The highlight of the season came when the Bulldogs took the first HHS basketball championship trophy in the Triad Round Robin Tournament.

The JV squad rode the same roller coaster finishing the season at 9-9. Their biggest streak came at the end as they won their last three games to reach the .500 mark.

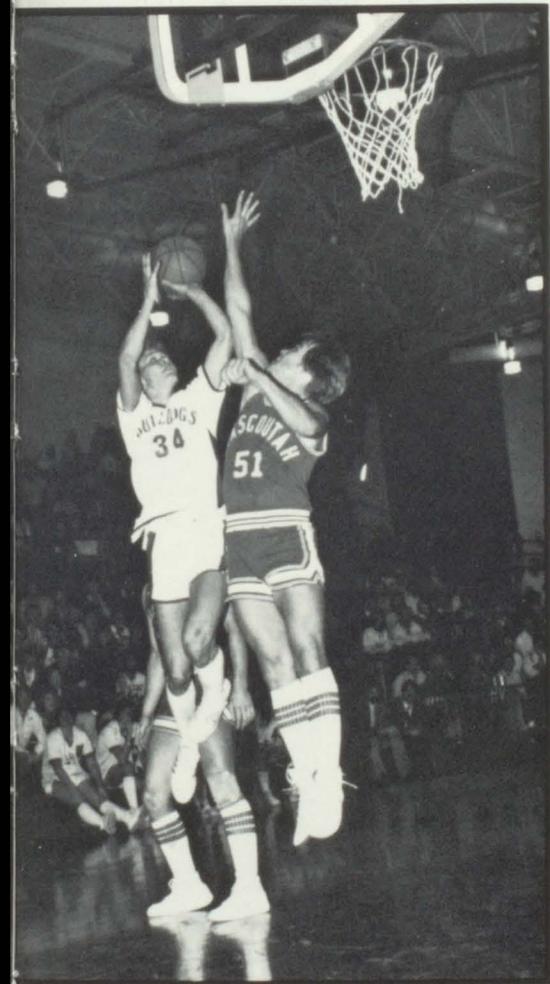
With only four juniors and the rest inexperienced sophomores, the squad lost five of their seven opening games. The addition of junior John McDonald midseason solidified the offense and the defense. The ball handling and floor leadership shown by junior Brent Portell helped keep the squad in every game.

Highlights included two last minute victories, both against Jerseyville, and a 52-48 victory over a tough Springfield team.

<With a Mascoutah player between him and the basket, junior Chad Weiss decides to go over rather than through him.

## SCORECARD

HHS	Varsity	OPP
63	Vandalia	56
	Triad Tourney	
56	Hillsboro	41
81	Greenville	76
54	Triad	49
70	Bethalto	68
58	Mascoutah	49
83	Roxana	64
65	O'Fallon	67
58	Edwardsville	79
69	Wood River	88
81	Jerseyville	74
80	Triad	66
	Litchfield Tourney	
54	Litchfield	55
86	Lincolnwood	55
70	Mt. Zion	93
70	Springfield	72
63	Triad	60
75	Bethalto	64
50	Mascoutah	61
64	Greenville	78
72	Wood River	84
73	Jerseyville	70
70	O'Fallon	73
60	Roxana	75
54	Effingham	65



Varsity: Row 1 Mgr. Missy Robertson, Brent Portell, Larry Whitlow, Scott Riggs, Alan Zobrist; Row 2 Coach Steve Oliver, John McDonald, Jeff Dubach, Rob Bloemker, Joel Clasquin, Chad Weiss, Brian Dean, Coach Bill Rosenberg.

## FROSH/SOPH BASKETBALL

# Hanging Tough

"One thing I wanted to do is to teach this group how to win," stated freshmen basketball coach Frank Stillwagon. "It was an excellent season; the kids worked hard and listened attentively. By doing this they learned a lot of fundamentals."

After an opening season loss to Litchfield, the freshmen exploded as they won their next five games. A one point loss to Mater Dei ended the streak, but the freshmen rebounded losing only two more games, one of which came against conference rival Mascoutah in the final game. This ended the season with a 12-4 record. The

highlight came midway in the season as they won the O'Fallon tourney for the second time in four years.

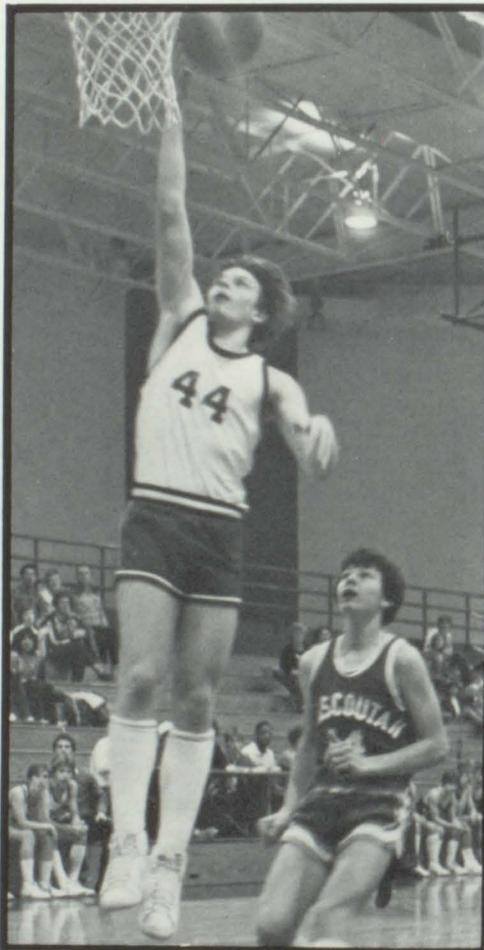
With only seven games in the season, the sophomore squad lost their opener and struggled to win only half the remaining six games. Losing a number of players to varsity contributed to the inexperience of the rest of the squad.

The team held tough, though scoring an average of 55 points a game. "We kept all the games close, but ended up short in the long run," stated head coach Bill Rosenberg. "However, the potential for next year looks good."

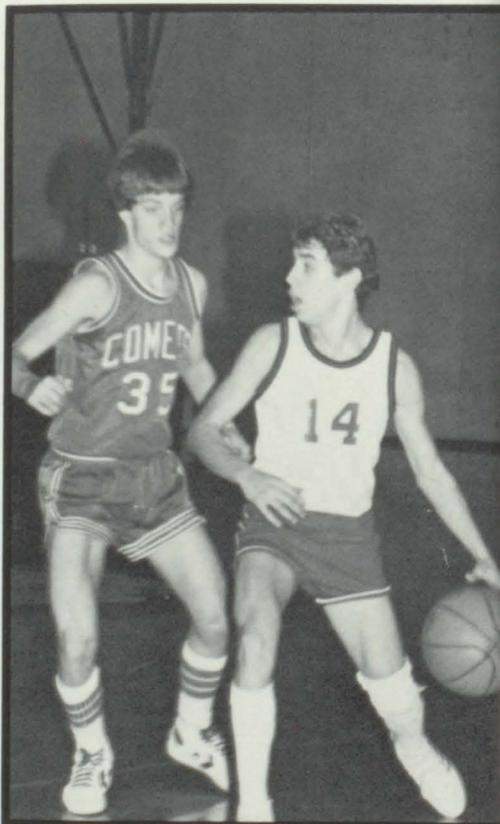
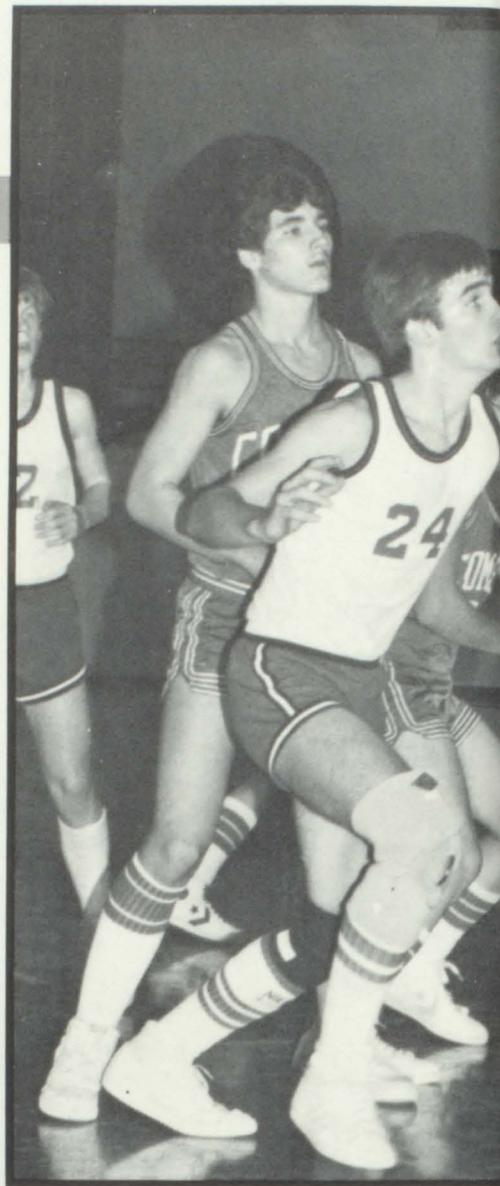
▷ Working hard for a victory, freshman Steve Zobrist does a layup hoping to make it in before the opposing team steals the ball.

## SCORECARD

HHS	Freshmen	OPP
44	Litchfield	68
55	Greenville	45
71	Wood River	35
55	Triad	48
	O'Fallon Tourney	
43	Freeburg	39
61	O'Fallon	42
	Staunton Tourney	
58	Mt. Olive	38
60	Staunton	74
80	North Greene	50
54	Mater Dei	55
51	O'Fallon	44
79	Breese Central	70
57	Roxana	56
82	Civic Memorial	54
60	Triad	59
64	Mascoutah	68
	Sophomore	
37	Wood River	50
41	Triad	47
59	O'Fallon	45
62	Roxana	54
59	Civic Memorial	60
57	Triad	56
45	Mascoutah	62



▷ Keeping his body between the opponent and the ball, freshman Kenny Diesselhorst works his way down to the basket.



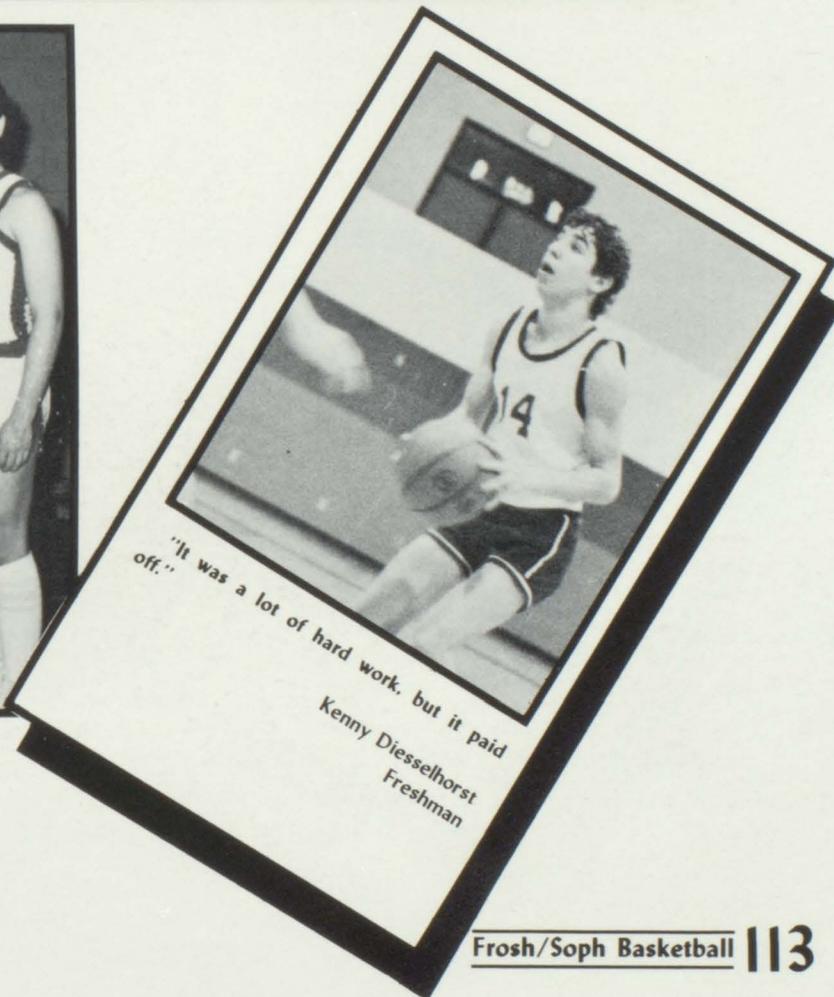


◁ Bobbling the ball, freshman Scott Hampton tries to gain control of the ball for the Freshmen Bulldogs.

▽ Freshmen: Row 1 Brent Hosto, Lee Harris, Kenny Diesselhorst, Dan Reaka, Mark Geppert; Row 2 Rich Grodeon, Ronnie Rehkemper, Scott Hampton, Steve Zobrist, Tony Williams, Coach Frank Stillwagon.



△ Sophomores: Row 1 Rob Ronat, Matt Collmann, Tim Watson, Row 2 Coach Bill Rosenberg, Alan Zobrist, Dennis Bentlage, Art Braundmeier, Joe Castegnaro, Scott Head.



## You've Got to Believe

### SCORECARD

HHS		OPP
69	Wood River	29
57	Vandalia	30
21	Central	34
79	Roxana	23
50	O'Fallon	32
60	Wesclin	42
57	Civic Memorial	40
60	Bunker Hill	50
	St. Paul Tourney	
66	St. Paul	30
48	Triad	52
68	Jerseyville	31
72	Mascoutah	55
55	Greenville	37
	Regionals	
53	Mascoutah	52
	Sectionals	
48	Matoon	47
	Super Sectionals	
31	East St. Louis Lincoln	45

"You've Got To Believe" was the motto for the girls basketball team. At the beginning of the season, coach Paul James bought the girls T-shirts picturing the assembly mall in Champaign, where the state finals are held and the motto "You've Got To Believe" printed on the front.

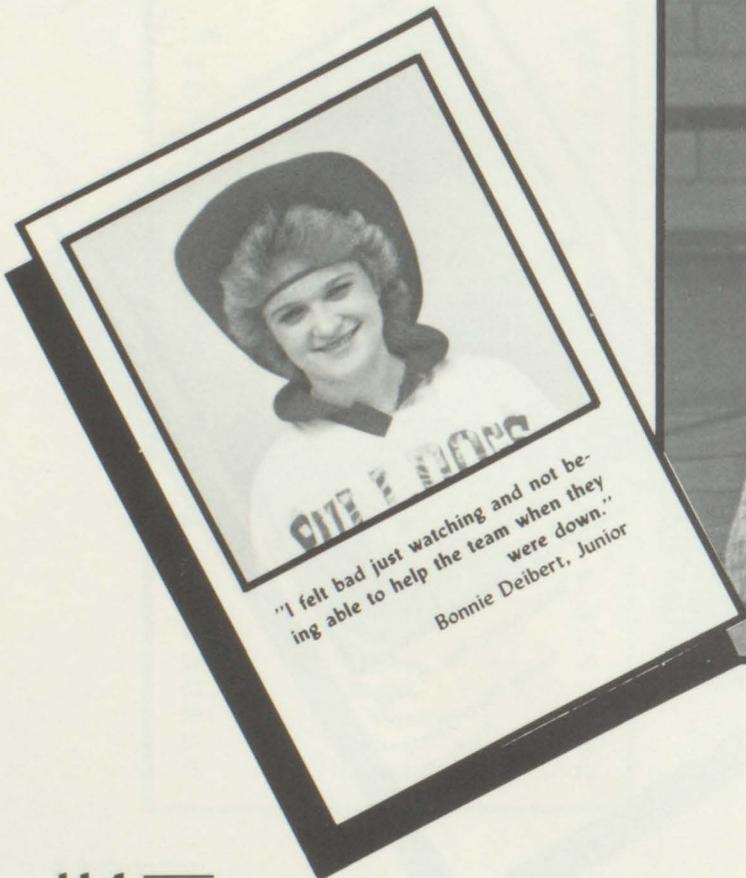
Consisting of five seniors, three juniors, and two freshman, the girls gradually accumulated the wins to make the dream of making it to the Assembly Hall come true. Cathy Kampwerth better known as "Tree" stated, "We did good, we had a few games when we were against ourselves but we were able to pull it out in the end."

Beginning by capturing the Mississippi Valley Conference championship, the girls set a school record by winning all of their conference matches. Then it was on to a Regional victory over Mascoutah (53-52) followed by a sec-

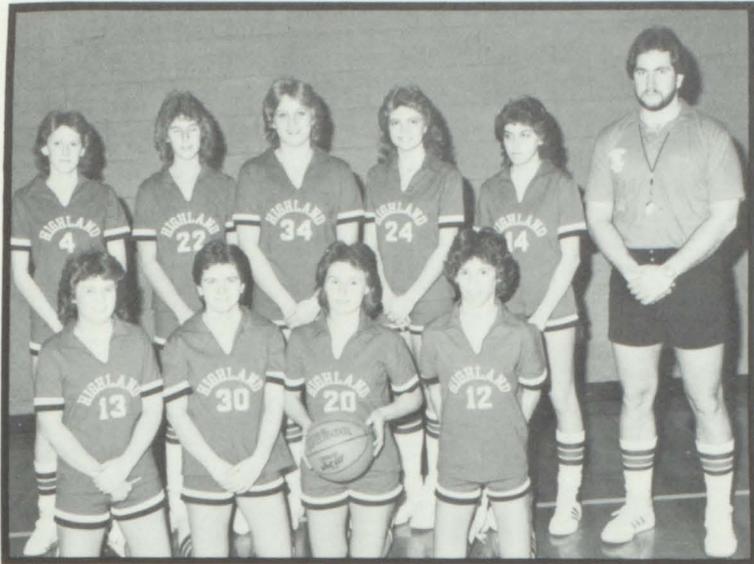
tional win over the Green Waves of Matoon (48-47). The sectional win automatically placed the girls at the Sweet 16 spot putting them up against East St. Louis Lincoln in the super sectional game at Benton. Lincoln's quickness and shooting ability prevailed and the Lady Bulldogs met defeat (45-31).

Cathy Kampwerth, Tina Voegle and Cheryl Rehkemper were named to the All Tournament team and 1st team All Conference along with Darla Rinderer as honorable mention. Rinderer also participated on the McDonald's area basketball team. The St. Louis Post Dispatch was especially interested in Kampwerth because of her 6'4" height and ran a front page picture and inside coverage.

Coach James summed up the season by saying, "We had as good a year as we had planned for, and we accomplished our goals. It will be a season we will never forget."



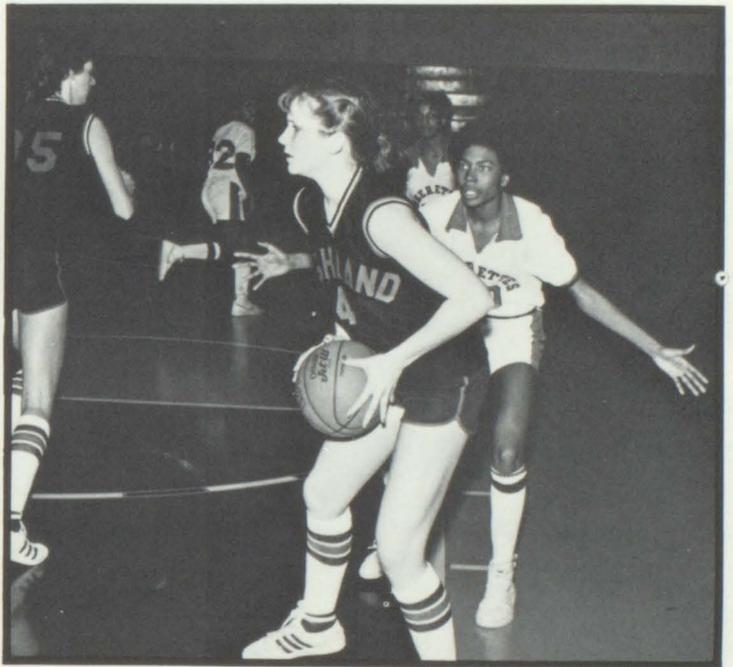
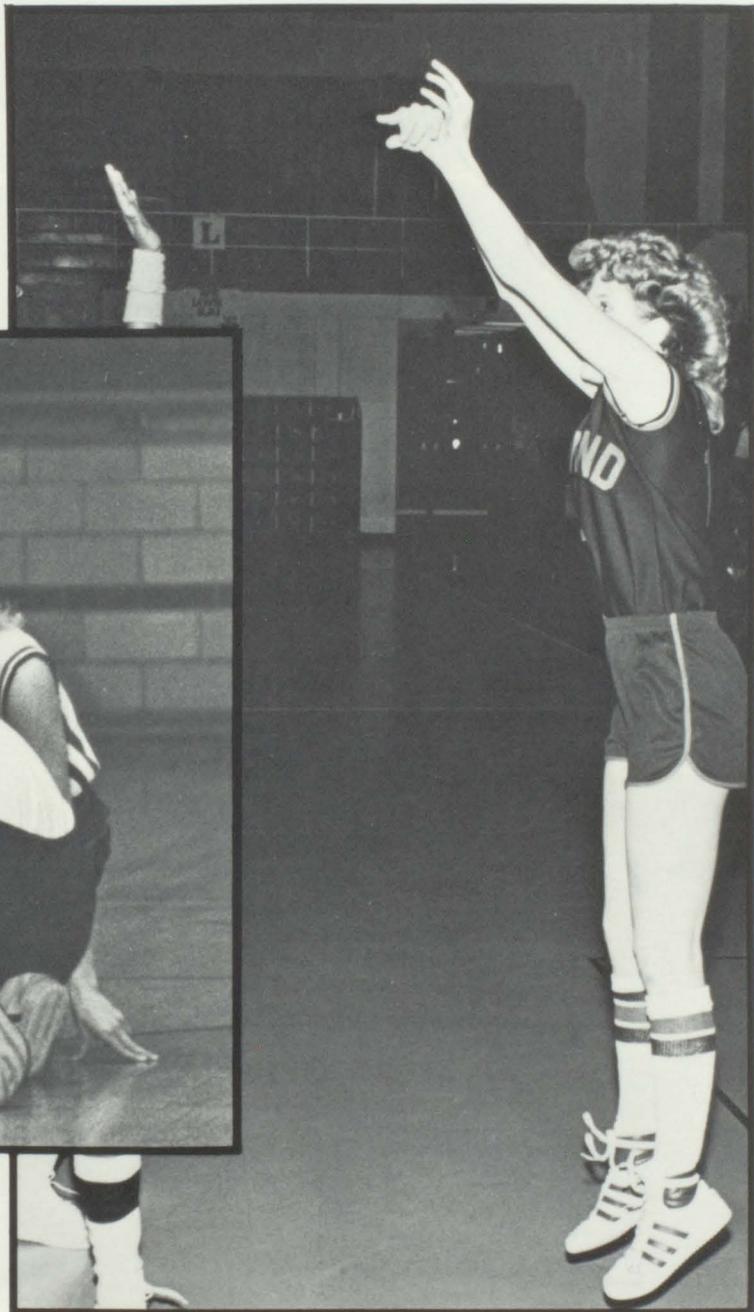
△ The varsity team huddles for a pre-game cheer.



△ JV Squad: Row 1 Kathy Zurliene, Shelly Riffel, Kerri Knebel, Jennifer Abert; Row 2 Cindy McDonald, Robin Wheatly, Tina Frey, Kerri Bloemker, Kathy Schwend, coach Paul James.



△ Varsity Squad: Row 1 Jennifer Abert, Darla Rinderer, Cheryl Rehkemper, Kerri Knebel; Row 2 Coach Paul James, Tina Frey, Tina Voegle, Cathy Kampwerth, Bonnie Deibert, Jamie Essenpries, Dawn Steiner.



◁ Cheryl Rehkemper shoots over a Tiggerette defender for another two points.

△ Trapped by her opponents Tina Voegle looks for an open team mate to pass the ball to.

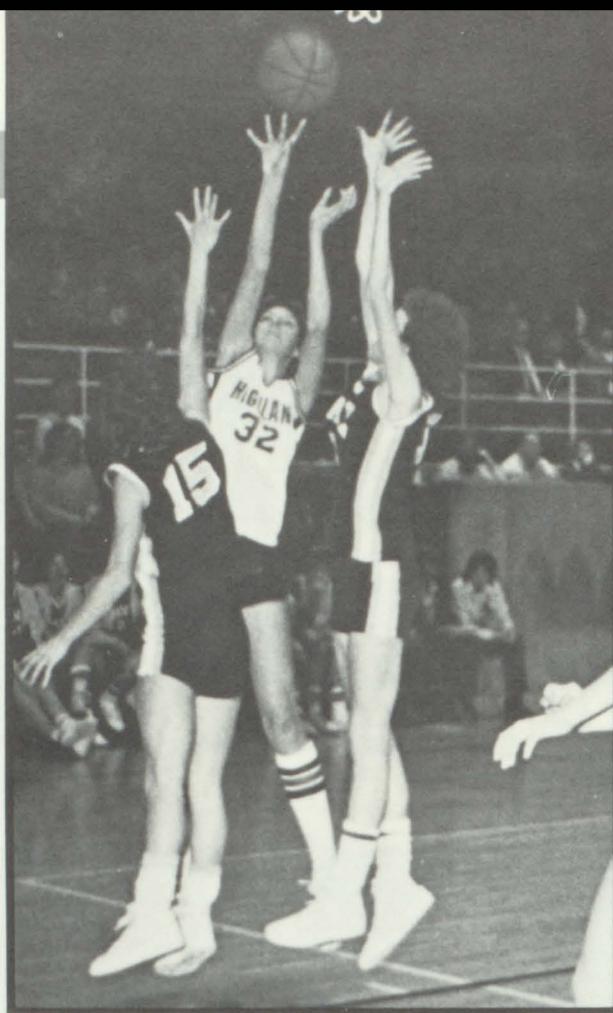
MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS  
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 Tina Kampwerth  
 MOST IMPROVED  
 Tina Voegle

# Always Giving Support

Ask any of the girls on the basketball team, and they'll tell you they couldn't have gone as far as they did without support from the fans.

When the girls went to supersectionals, the fans went with them, as much a part of the team as the players themselves. Without fans, sports would have no meaning. To put it simply, who would cheer for the winners?

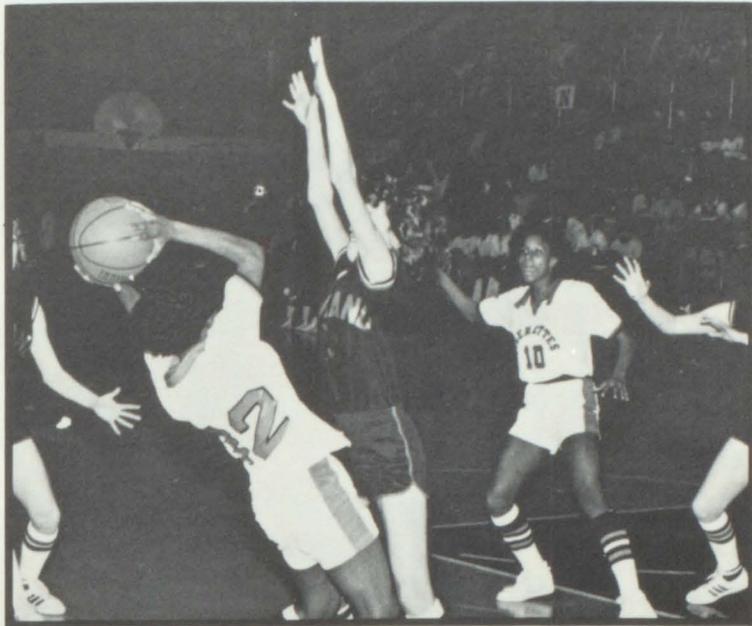
▽ Senior Greg Braswell gets the crowd motivated for the basketball team.



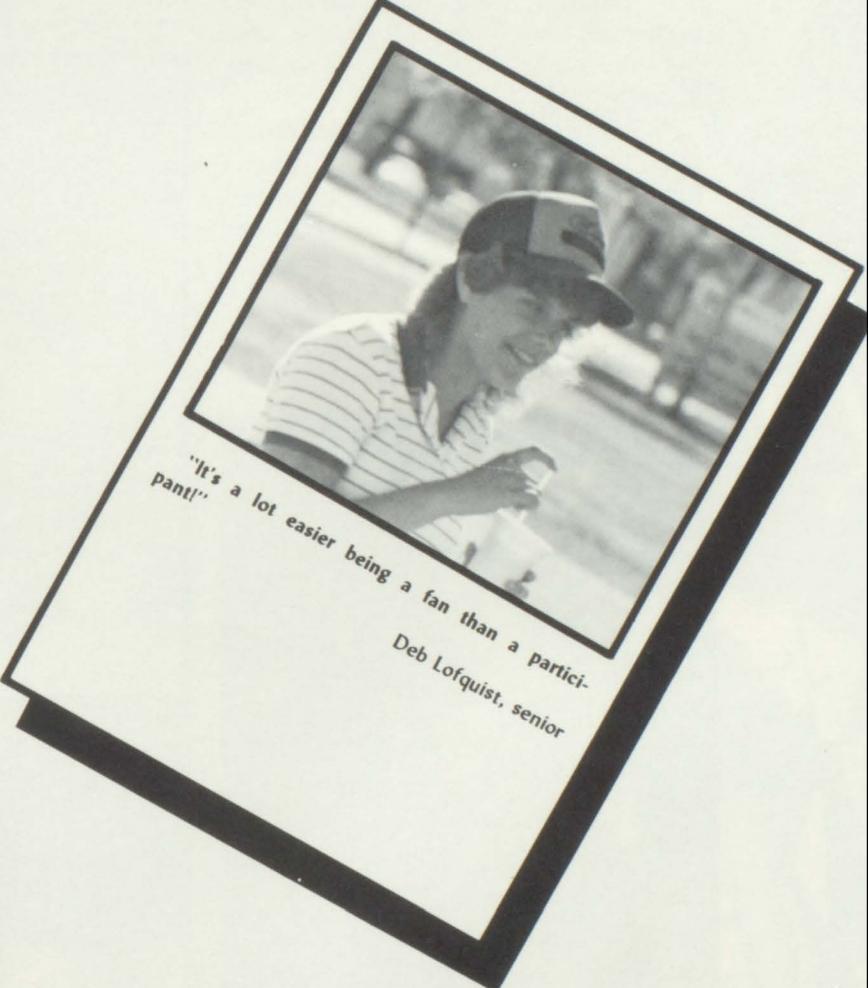
△ Seniors Craig Baumann and Dean Frey show their support for the Lady Bulldogs by painting their faces with school colors.



◁ Against the Mattoon Wave, junior Cathy Kampwerth shoots over two guards to score more points for their sectional victory.  
 ◁ Junior Steve Frey lets out a yell after a victory over the Mattoon Waves.



▽ Although losing to the Lincoln Tigerettes in supersectionals, senior Darla Rinderer plays her girl close as senior Cheryl Rehkemper hurries to assist.



◁ Without the fans, the girls would never have gone to supersectionals and have an outstanding season.

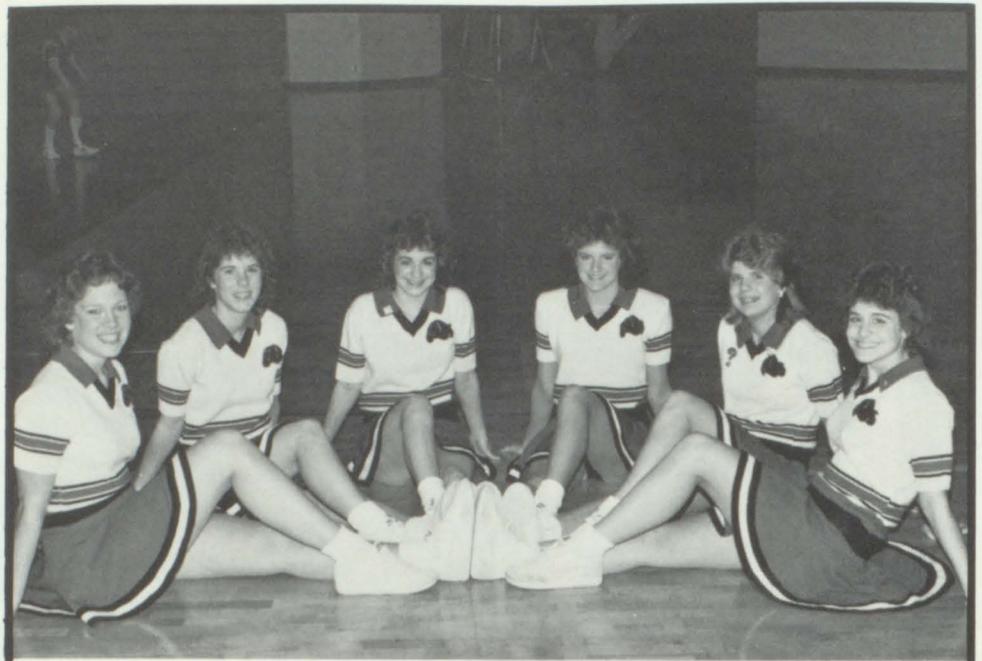
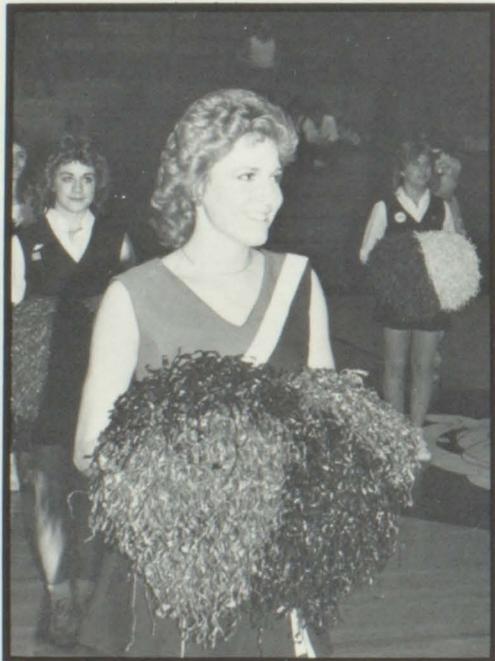
# Spirit—No Matter What

Have you ever wondered what it might be like to have no cheerleaders at HHS? There would be no banners or pop-throughs, no locker decorations, no cheering before school, no leading of cheers at the games and no spirit week. As you can see there is a lot that the cheerleaders do to keep spirits high. Each of the cheerleaders had to contribute a little more of their time since there were only two squads, a varsity and a JV squad for both the basketball and football teams this year.

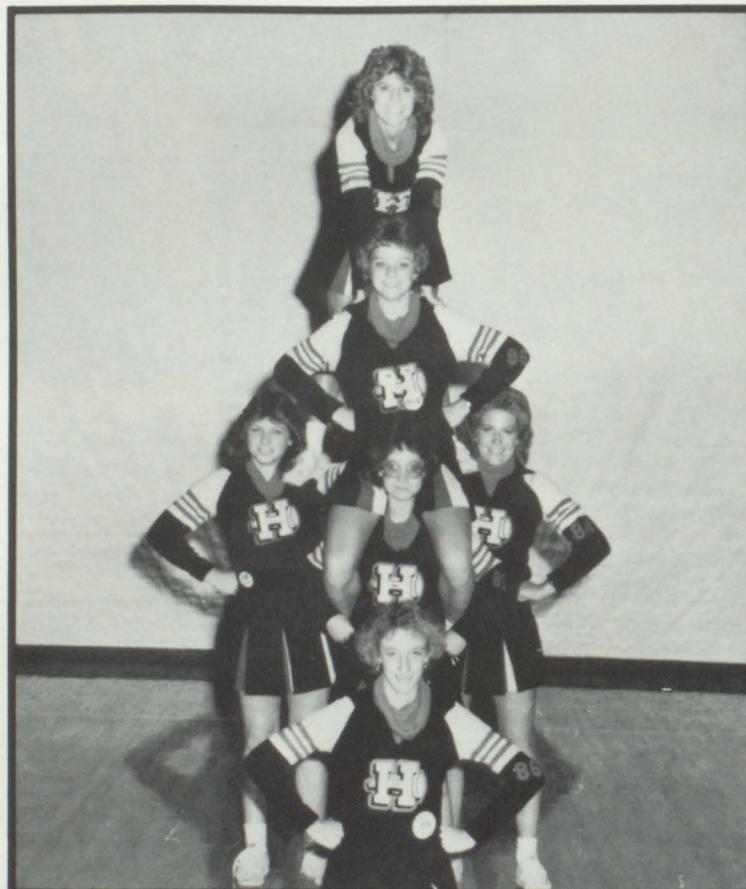
This year the girls decided to get new uniforms. They picked a style that was rarely worn by high school cheerleaders but seen mostly on college squads. The uniforms consisted of a sleeveless v-necked vest and skirt. The new uniforms were worn during the basketball season and proved to keep the girls cooler than their old sweater uniforms.

When asked how she would feel if there were no cheerleaders, Starla Hobbs stated, "I think having no cheerleaders would be the pits because then our sports would have no spirit backing them up."

▽ Cindy Hester, a four year cheerleader, cheers in her new uniform.



△ JV Basketball Cheerleaders: left to right are Lisa Brusack, Anne Livingston, Traci Zobrist, Stacey Thiems, Cheri Portell, Shelly Neumann.



△ Varsity Football Cheerleaders (top to bottom) Michelle Rinderer, Jennie Schaffner, Lesa Kraus, Christy Swiney, Cindy Hester, Heidi Zobrist.



JV football cheerleaders from top to bottom are Cheri Portell, Carla Niggli, Shelly Neumann, Amy Monken, Traci Zobrist, Chrissy Cagle.

▽ Carla Niggli finds it a little easier to find her way around in the mascot costume with the help of Traci Zobrist.



Varsity basketball cheerleaders left to right Lesa Kraus, Heidi Zobrist, Stacy West, Chrissy Cagle, Cindy Hester, Jeannie Schaffner, Michelle Rinderer.

▷ Larry Whitlow, varsity basketball player, is the first one to tear through the pop-through made by the cheerleaders.



# SCORECARD

## WRESTLING

### Record Setters

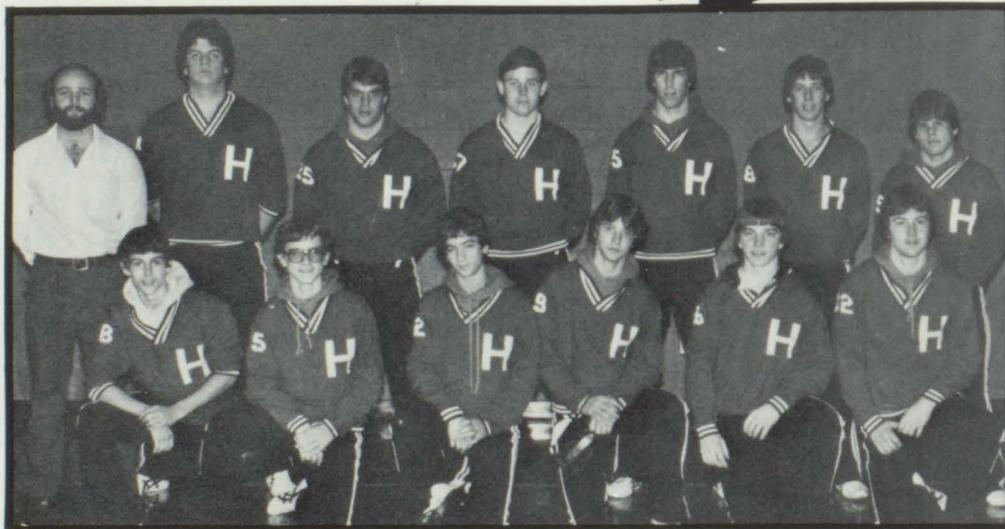
"There were a lot of surprises; we did better than anyone thought we would," stated David Bugger, senior and two year veteran, as he described the 5-11 wrestling season. This record was the best the wrestling team has achieved in six years. In addition, they were able to fill all 12 weight classes for the first time in five years, and they performed better in dual meets than in recent seasons.

The year proved to be most successful for individuals. Cary Brown, junior and three year veteran, broke the record for having the most wins and pins for a junior since 1973, earning a personal record of 22-9, 15 of those victories being pins. Brown made it as far as sectionals, gaining him conference honorable mention.

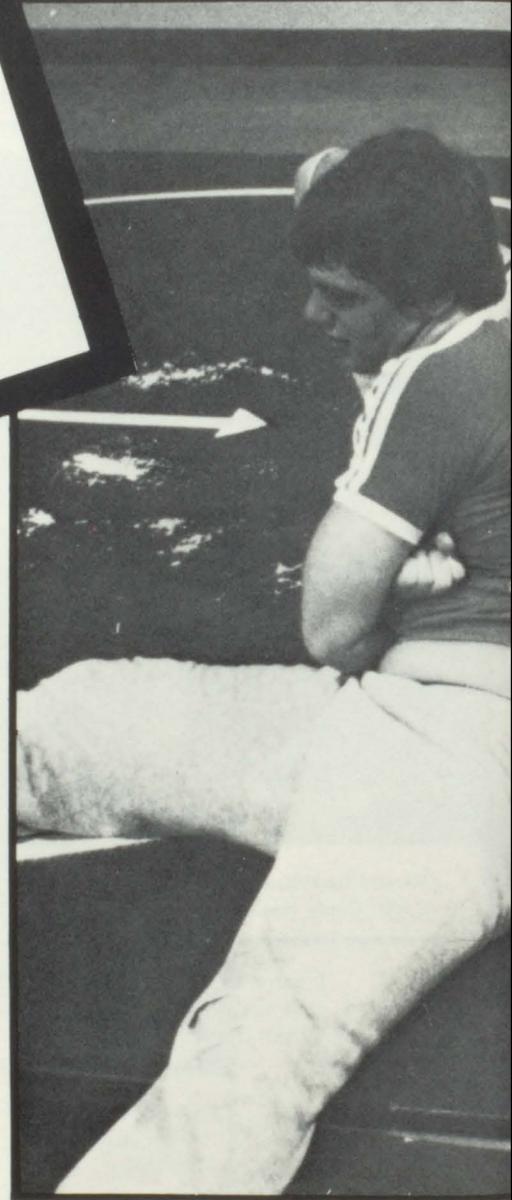
The second exceptional wrestler on the squad was sophomore and two year veteran, Paul Tebbe, who now has the best record for a sophomore ever in Highland wrestling with a record of 18-7. He also earned conference honorable mention.



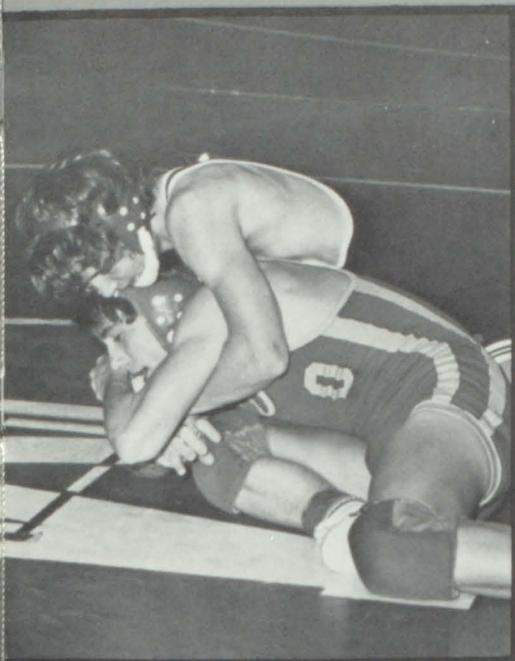
HHS	OPP
6	Triad 53
21	O'Fallon 37
6	Edwardsville 26
12	Civic Memorial 42
34	Wood River 29
6TH	Litchfield Tournay
7TH	Carrollton Tournay
24	Alton Marquette 39
37	Mascoutah 27
33	Vandalia 31
25	Litchfield 31
21	Vandalia 31
25	Litchfield 31
21	Vandalia 37
18	Belleveille Altoff 42
34	Hillsboro 28
24	Jerseyville 42
12	Roxana 56
7TH	MVC
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37	Hillsboro 27



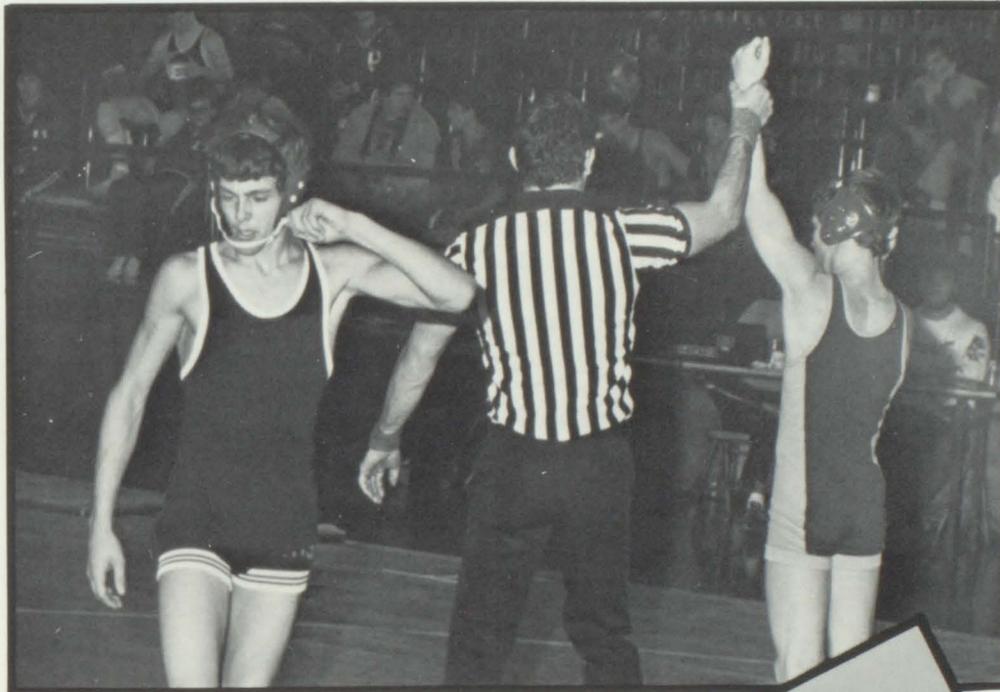
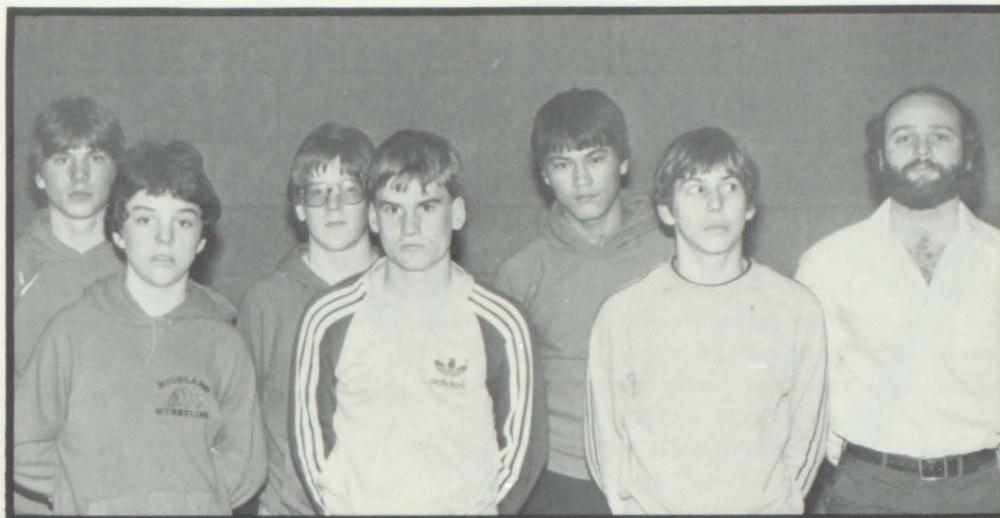
△ Varsity: Row 1 Paul Tebbe, Brian Weiss, Kevin Camp, Rob Hubler, David Bugger, and Scott Michaelis; Row 2 Coach Ted Cipicchio, Chris Loyet, Cary Brown, Mike Brown, Eric Auguston, Gordon Rogier, and Tad Haller.



▽ Junior Rob Hubler works for a fall after breaking his opponent's base.



▽ J.V.: Row 1 Eric Good, Dan Warning, and Tom Tebbe. Row 2 Brian Rutz, Steve Brown, Robert Ball, and Coach Ted Cipicchio.



△ Sophomore Paul Tebbe experiences first hand the agony of defeat after losing a conference match to Roxana.

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER  
**Cary Brown**  
 MOST IMPROVED PLAYER  
**Rob Hubler**  
 MOST DEDICATED PLAYER  
**Eric Augustin**  
 MOST OUTSTANDING UNDERCLASSMAN  
**Paul Tebbe**

◁ Junior Cary Brown demonstrates a double chicken wing and pin combination on junior Eric Augustin in one of the many necessary practices.

# Varsity Inconsistent; JV Prevail

"If I had to describe the season in one word, it would be 'inconsistent,'" stated Coach Mike Hooker as he summarized the varsity baseball season. "In some games we would be pitching good but not hitting well, and in other games it would be just the opposite."

That proved to be true as the dogs ended the season with a 5-13 record. A 7-0 loss to Mascoutah in the opener was a sign of things to come as the squad lost eight of their next nine games. A double header victory against Collinsville, combined with two wins against rivals Triad and Mascoutah, ended the losing streak. The Bulldog high was short-lived as losses to Edwardsville and Belleville East brought the season to a disappointing end.

Coach Hooker described it in one sentence: "We played well, but we made too many mistakes."

Inconsistency and mistakes were not a problem for the JV squad. Under Coach Barry Thomas, the team had an excellent season, finishing 8-4. In three of their four losses, the Bulldogs were winning but lost in the last inning.

Composed of eight sophomores and seven freshmen, the team worked as a unit and won their first four games, outscoring their opponents 25 runs to 8. The next three games were losses, bringing the record to a moderate 4-3. The team didn't give up. Instead, they fought hard and won four of their last

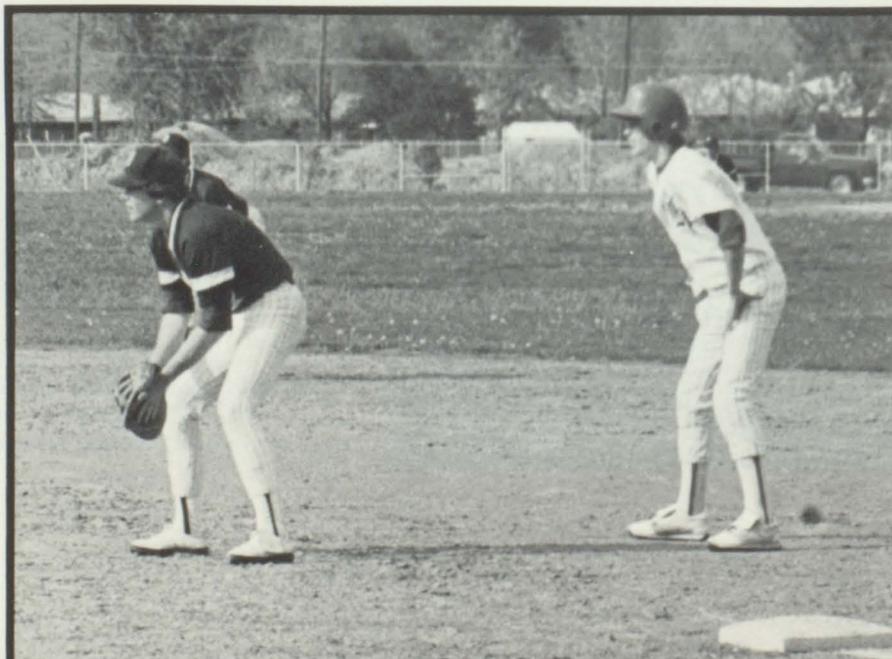
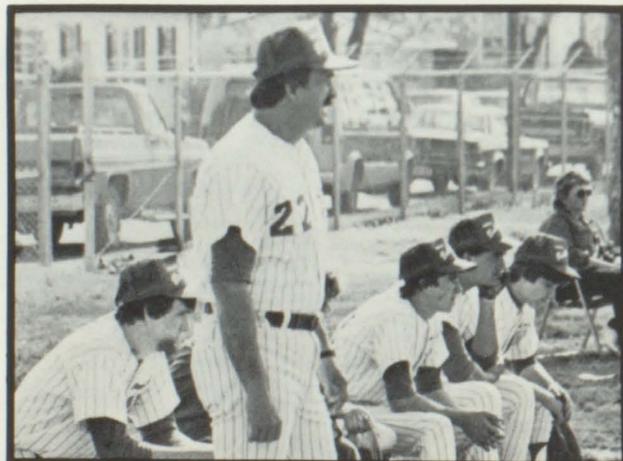
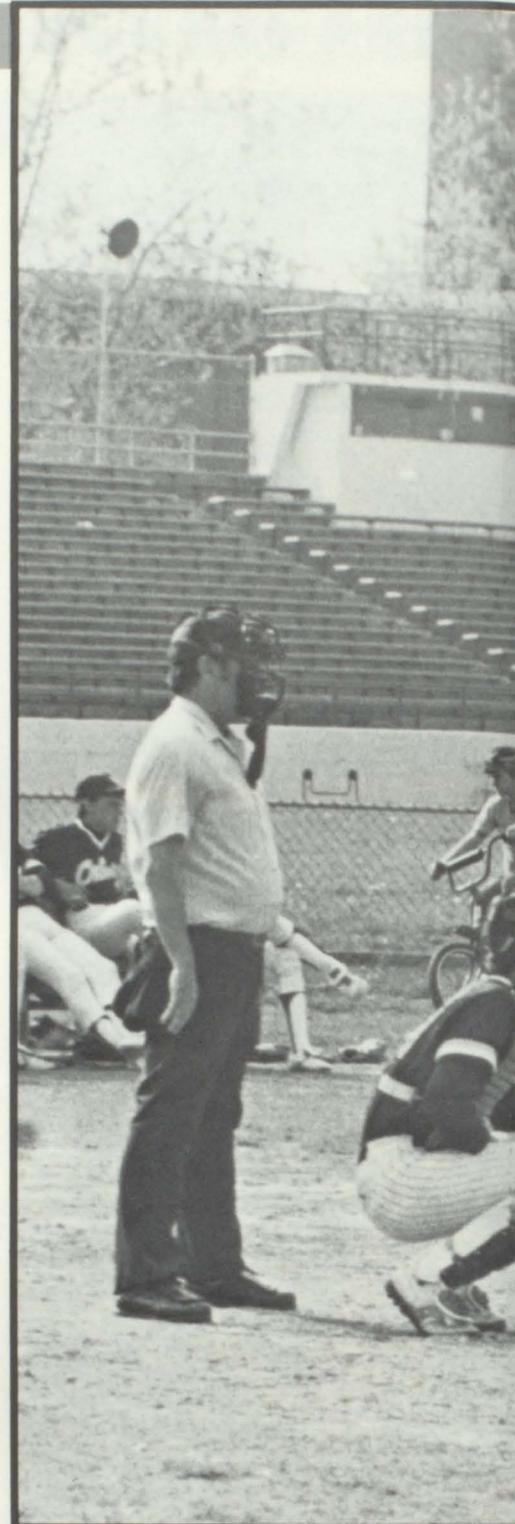
▽ Coach Mike Hooker gives some advice to the playing field while the rest of the team intently watches the game.

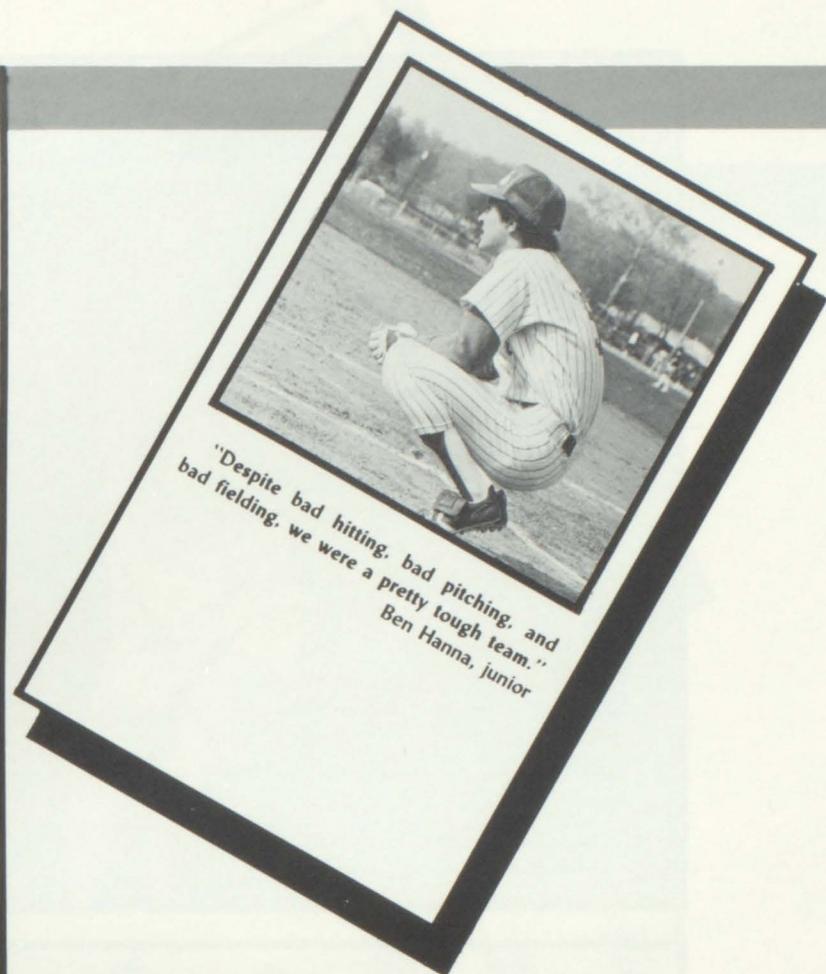
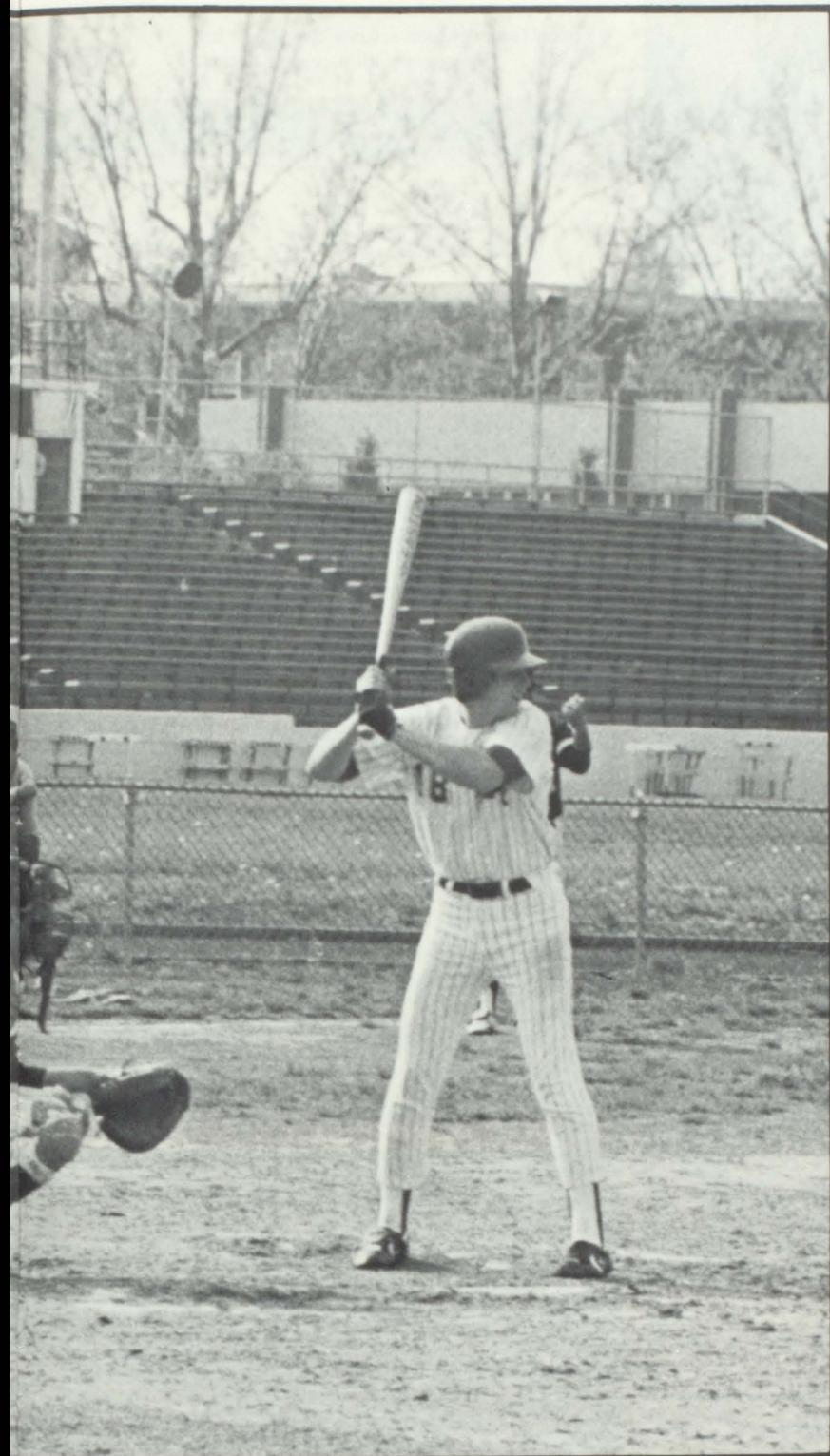
five to close the season.

"They were one of the hardest working groups I've ever had," commented Coach Thomas. "There were a lot of rainouts, but they didn't get discouraged. It shows in their record."

## SCORECARD

Varsity		
HHS		OPP
0	Mascoutah	7
2	O'Fallon	10
7	Roxana	8
5	Central	6
2	Jerseyville	5
5	Bethalto	9
3	O'Fallon	9
6	Wood River	5
2	Bethalto	7
10	Roxana	15
4	Collinsville	3
8	Collinsville	7
1	Jerseyville	2
5	Triad	3
3	Wood River	9
4	Mascoutah	1
11	Edwardsville	15
2	Belleville East	6
Junior Varsity		
5	Mascoutah	4
3	Central	0
6	Bethalto	2
11	Wood River	1
3	O'Fallon	6
2	Bethalto	4
3	Roxana	5
3	Jerseyville	2
12	St. Paul	1
5	Triad	6
11	Wood River	9
7	Mascoutah	6





▽ JV: Row 1 Mike Stricker, Lee Harris, Rich Grodeon, Tom Gibson, Dan Warning, Ronnie Rehkemper; Row 2 Jim Iberg, Tim Watson, Art Braundmeier, Mike Grapperhaus, Brian Wiese, Mike Brown, Coach Barry Thomas.

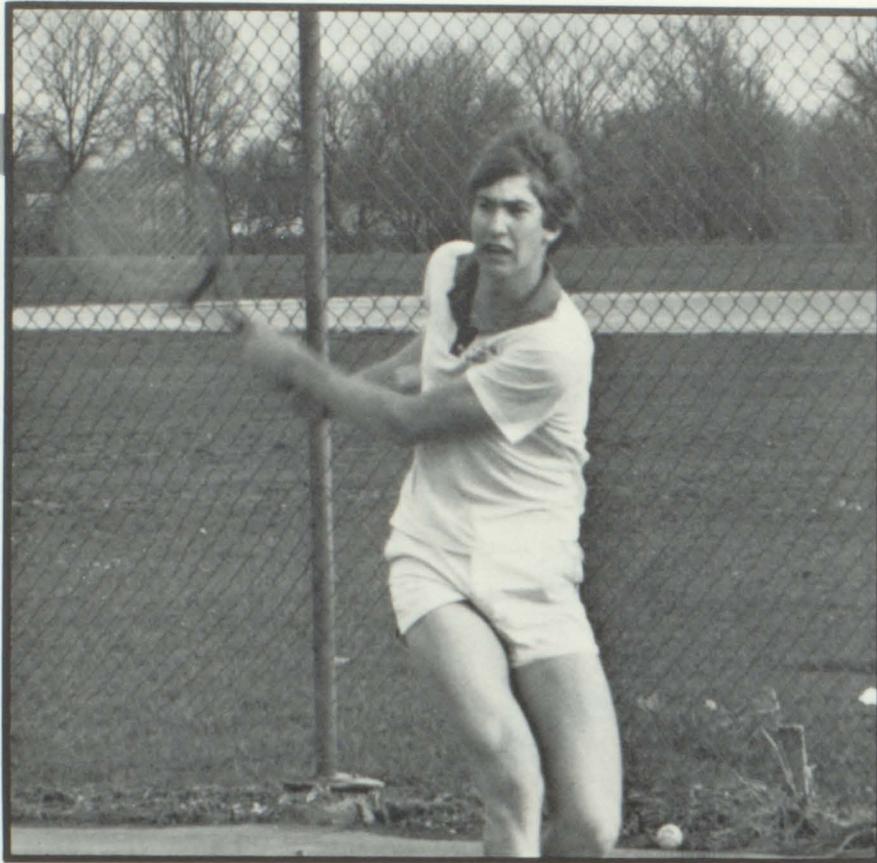


△ Against Wood River, senior Jim Geiger anxiously awaits the pitch. Highland beat Wood River for its first victory.

◁ Junior Tom Geiger leads off of first base, hoping to steal second if the situation presents itself.

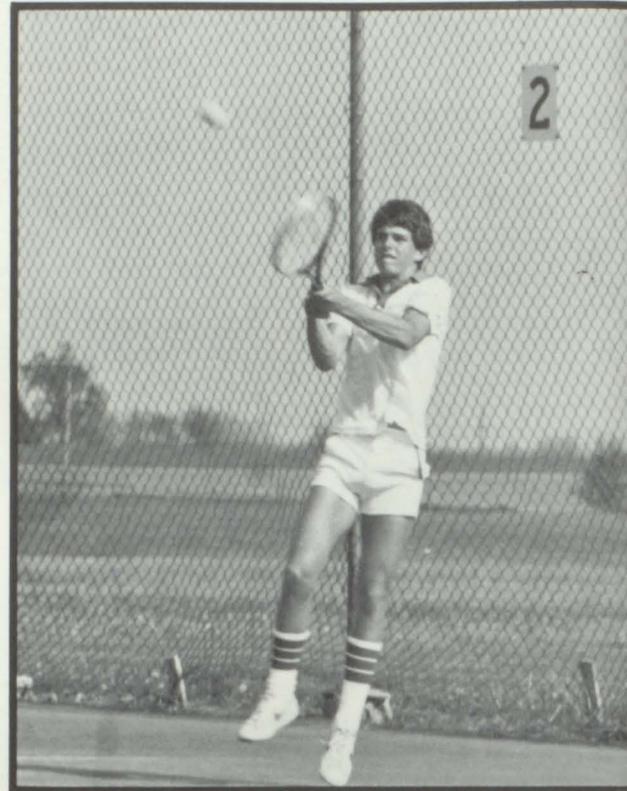
▷ Varsity: Row 1 Mark Zobrist, Ben Hanna, Ron Messerli, Larry Whitlow, Mark Rosen, Scott Riggs, Dave Bugger; Row 2 Tom Geiger, Mike Widman, Coach Mike Hooker, Chad Weiss, Tim Rutz, Jim Geiger, Jeff Gibbons.



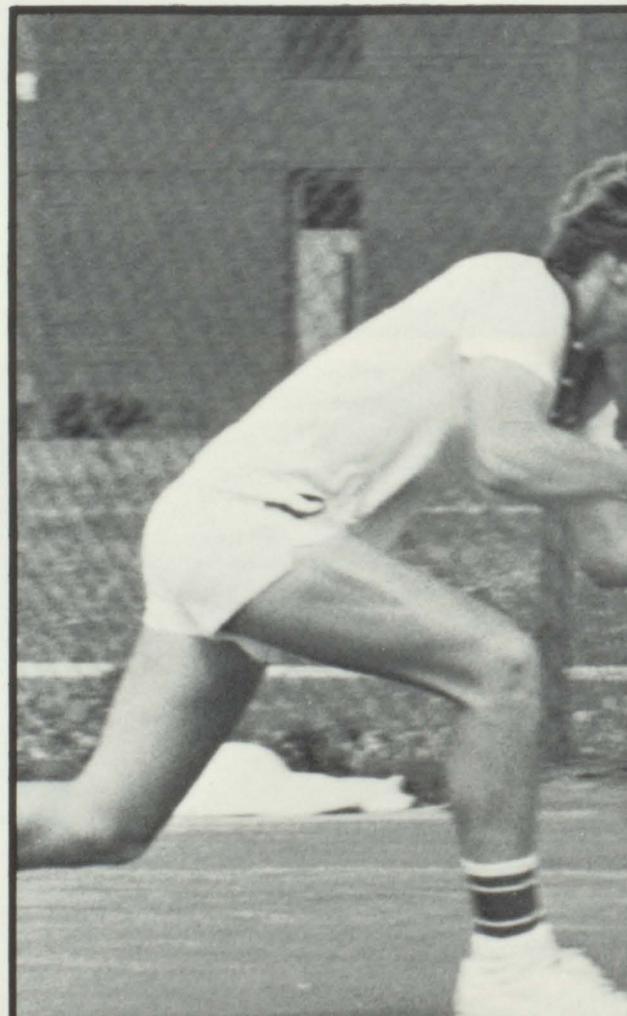


◁ Senior Tony Johnson returns the ball to his opponent with a ground stroke.

▽ Junior Scott Sims shows a look of determination as he returns the ball with a backhand.



△ Junior Jeff Buchmiller demonstrates how tough a tennis match can be after he returns a crosscourt forehand.



# BOYS TENNIS

## Talent, Teamwork

With only three seniors to lead them, the boys tennis team was again able to end their season with a winning record, 9-6, making the number of consecutive winning seasons 14.

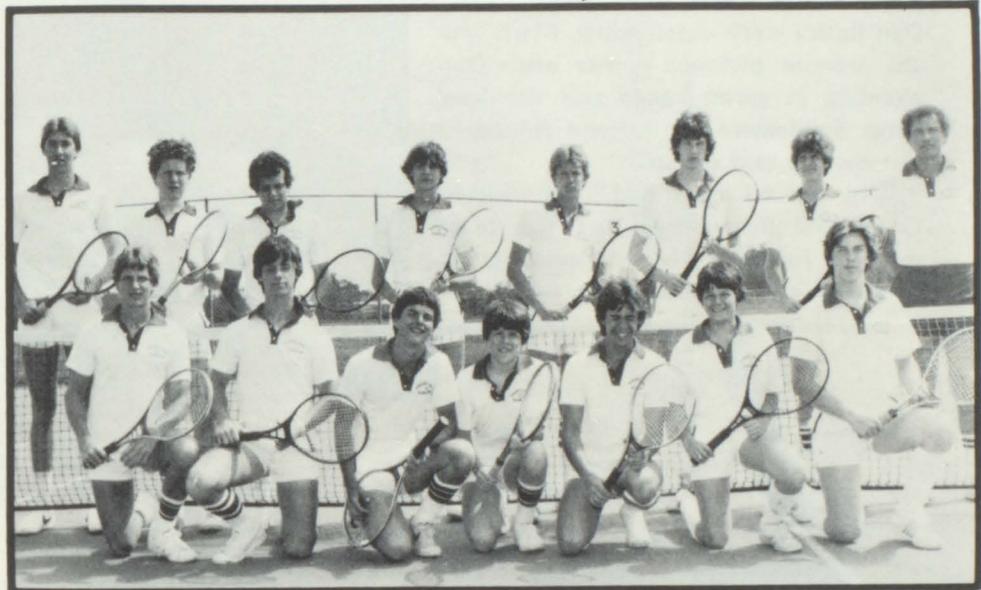
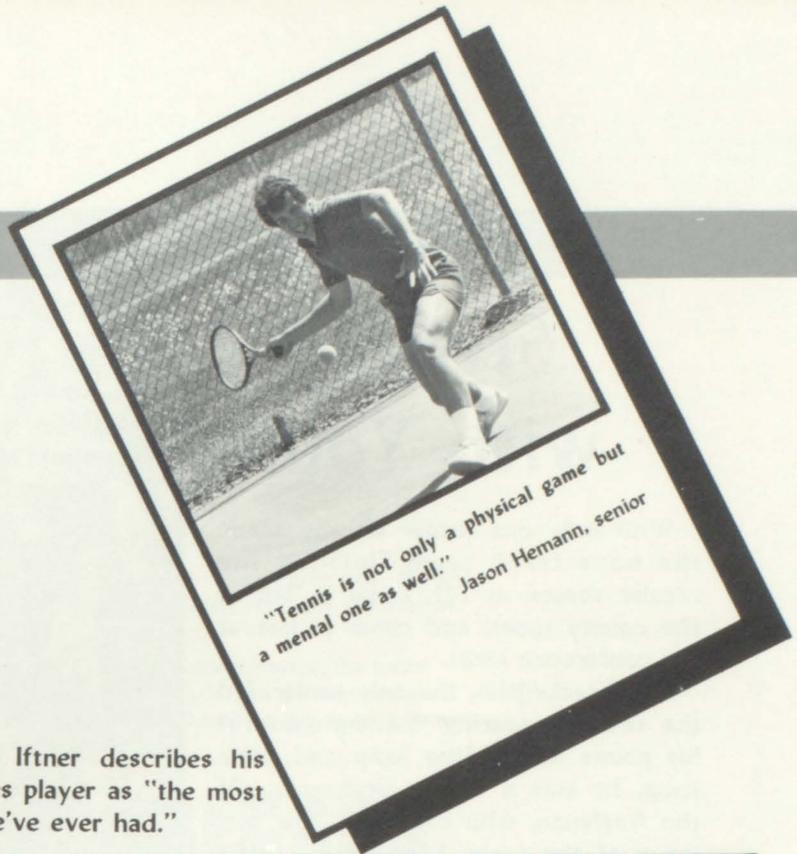
With five juniors, four sophomores, and two freshmen aiding the seniors, Coach Larry Iftner and his netters were able to come in second in conference and third in sectionals.

Taking second in conference was a high point for the Bulldogs; the real low point was taking third in the HHS Invitational after Vandalia and Greenville.

Individually, two seniors finished HHS as number one players. Todd Plocher, three year veteran, "got the most out of his ability", according to Coach Iftner. The number four singles player was able to take the first place spot in conference, therefore making him all conference.

Three year veteran Tony Johnson advanced to state finals after taking third place in conference, and after coming back to take first place in

sectionals. Coach Iftner describes his number one singles player as "the most talented player we've ever had."



△ Tennis team, Row 1: Todd Plocher, Joe Homoky, Scott Sims, Jon Camp, Rob Zerban, Bill Camp, and Bob Koelz. Row 2: Tony Johnson, Rich Bedard, Jason Hemann, Jeff Siegest, Rick Cain, John McDonald, Jeff Buchmiller, and Coach Larry Iftner.

◁ Senior Todd Plocher displays the stamina it took him to be number one in the conference as he chases a drop shot.

## SCORECARD

HHS		OPP
7	Roxana	0
3	Bethalto	4
2	O'Fallon	5
5	Mascoutah	2
7	Jerseyville	0
2	Centralia	7
5	Greenville	4
14TH	Bell. East Inv.	
6	Mater Dei	3
4	Wood River	3
	HHS Invitational	
0	Vandalia	3
0	Greenville	3
2	Hillsboro	1
3	Mater Dei	0
2ND	MVC	
3RD	SECTIONALS	

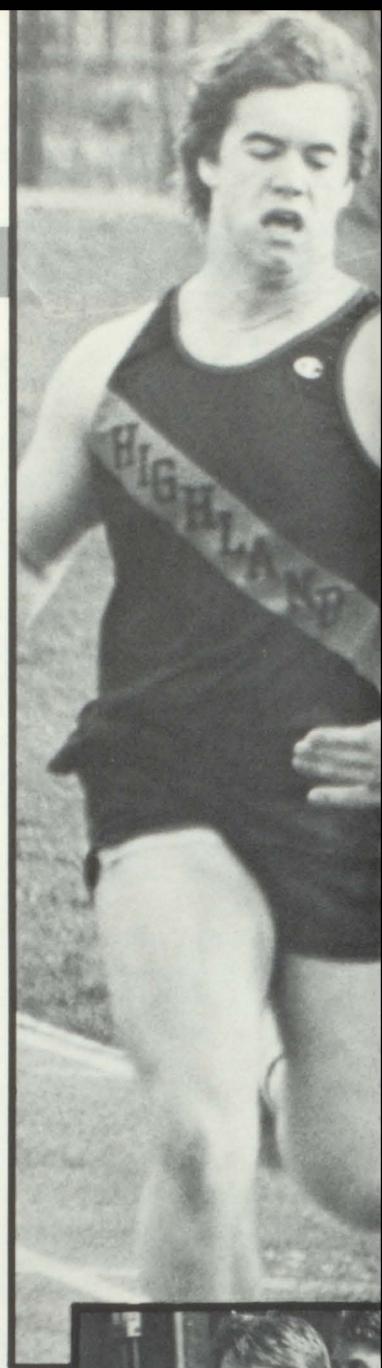
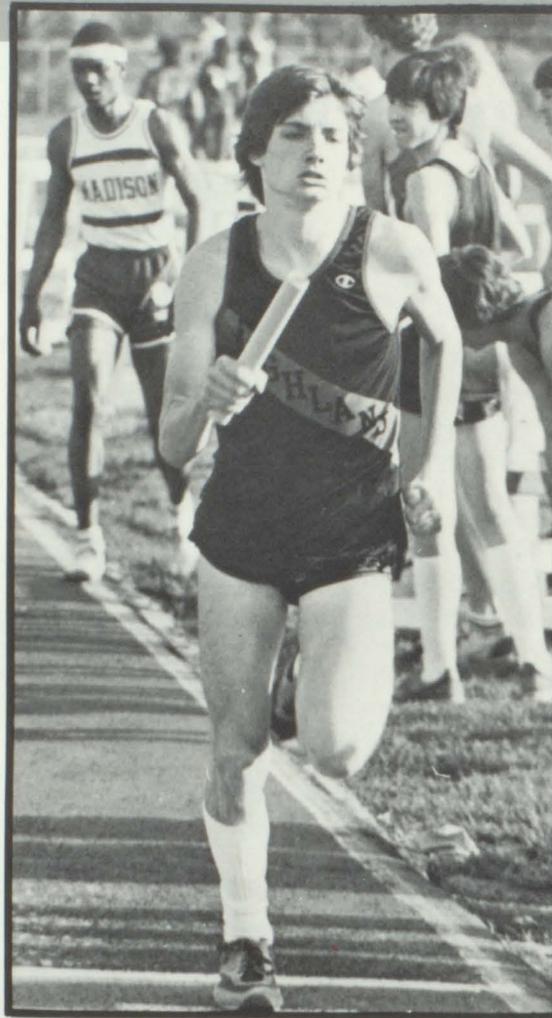
## BOYS TRACK

# Struggling with Youth

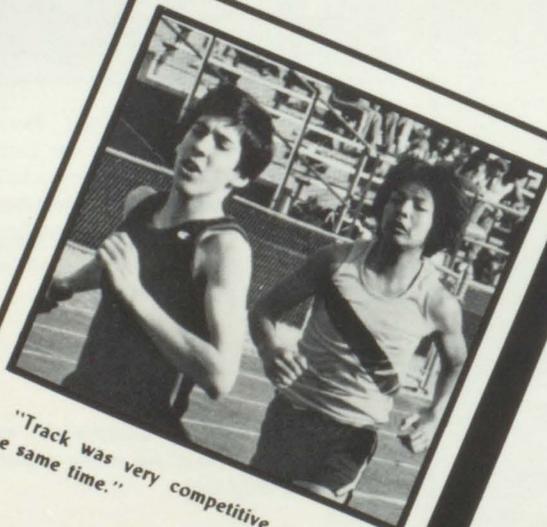
With only one senior on the team, the boys track team finished the regular season at 1-12, came in 5th at the county meet, and came in last at the conference meet.

Jay Strackeljahn, the only senior, led the team in scoring. Earning most of his points in the long jump and triple jump, he was a steady performer. Of the freshmen, who comprised the majority of the team, Mark Geppert and Dan Reaka were outstanding. Mark was the premier distance runner while Dan excelled in sprint races and the long jump. Sophomore Scott Head shined in the shotput and discus.

"The record looks bad," commented Coach Bill Rosenberg, "but the team worked hard. If this determination keeps up, the future looks bright."



△ Coach Steve Moore, who starts all home track meets, waits for the runners to get set before he fires the gun.



"Track was very competitive and fun at the same time."  
Dan Henke, junior



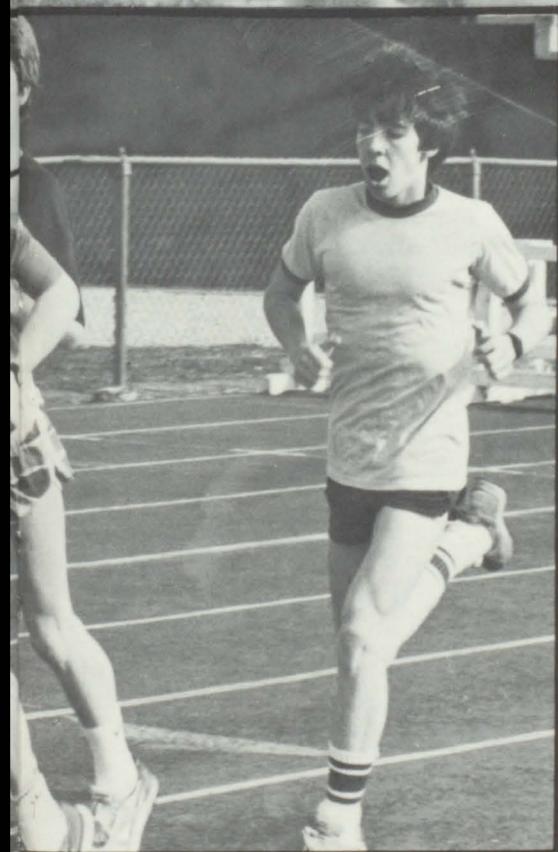


◁◁ In the opening meet, sophomore Harvey Jorden pushes ahead after receiving the handoff.

◁ With the fastest runners running the sprint races, the relays were left to the heavyweights. Here, junior Blake Kohlbrecher hands off a baton to junior Brian Dean.

## SCORECARD

HHS		OPP
20	Jerseyville	99
	Mascoutah	82
	Madison	49
64	Wood River	72
33	Salem	104
	Litchfield	38
24	O'Fallon	134
	Civic Memorial	62
	Roxana	54
54	Mater Dei	82
59	Triad	75
	Breese Central	60
	St. Paul	56
5th	County	
7th	Conference	



◁ With an unusually wet season, the tracksters had to practice often in the gym. During a dry spell, freshmen Mark Geppert and Nick Andres and junior Dan Henke run quarters to develop their stamina.

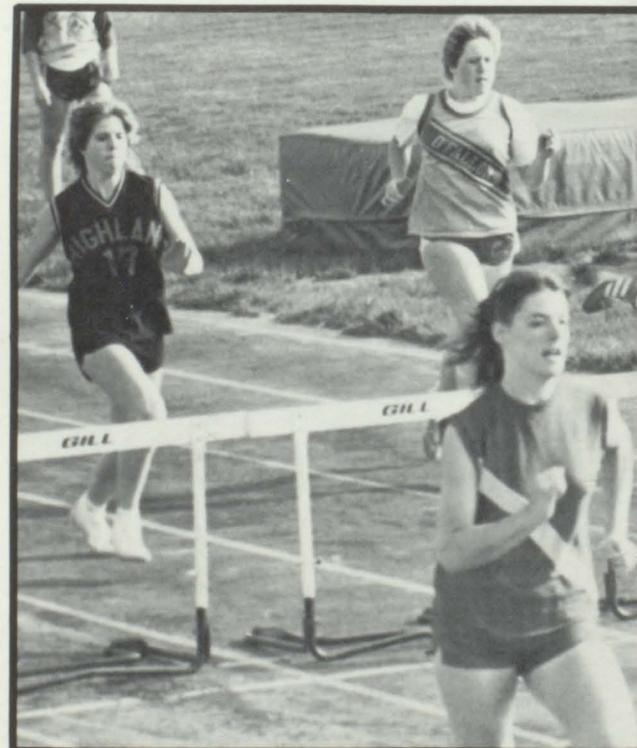
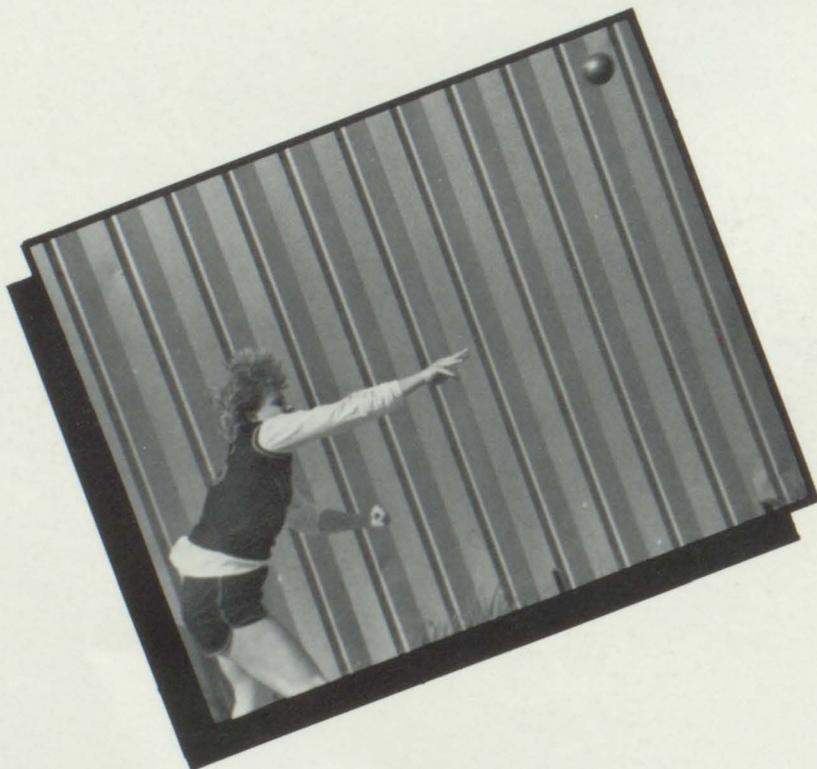
△ Track: Row 1 Harvey Jorden, Mark Geppert, Dan Henke, Nick Andres, Robert Ball, Dan Reaka; Row 2 Coach Paul James, Mike Nelson, Steve Bennett, Eric Augustin, Scott Head, Jay Strackeljahn, Coach Bill Rosenberg.

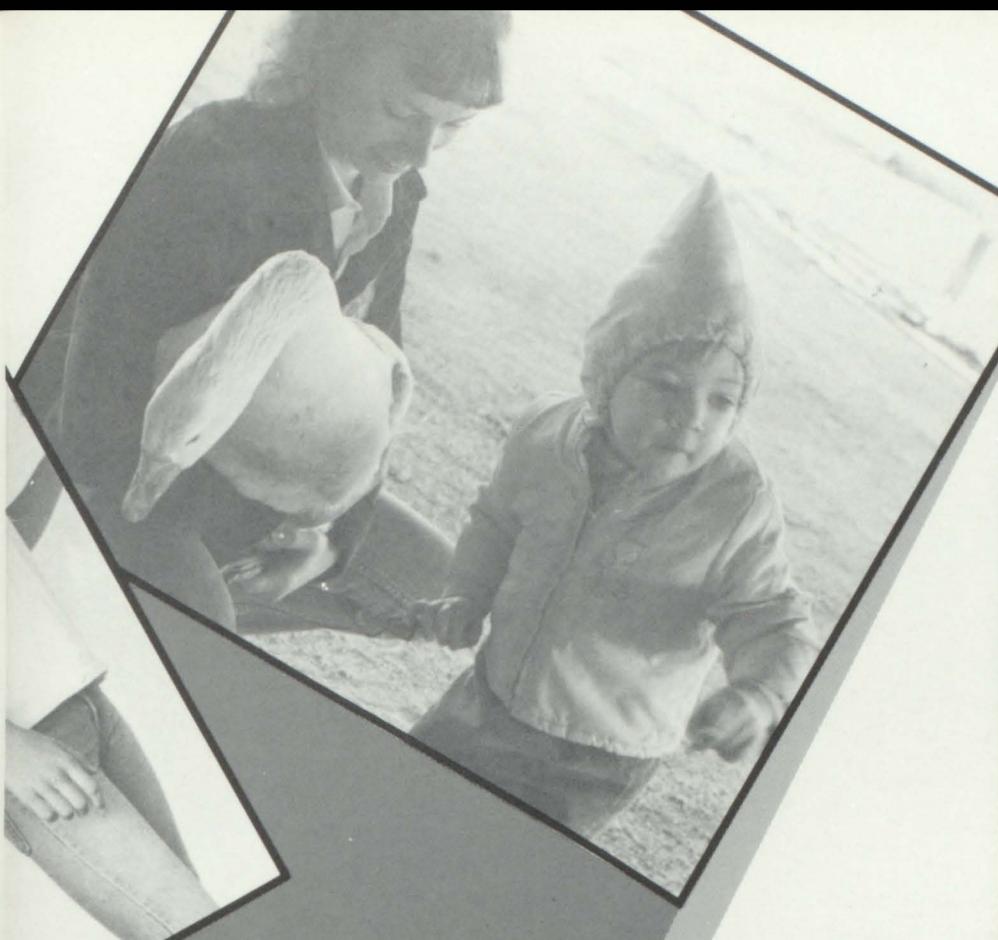
# Determination: Key to Success

Determination, being the key to success, was present as the girls track team finished the season with a winning record. Although it seemed not to have been present by the boys track team's losing record, the determination was present, but was overcome by lack of experience and numbers. "Everyone worked together and everyone did their best, some more than others, but nevertheless, everyone gave it their all," stated junior Amy Pisaneschi, a member of the girls track team.

For some tracksters, determination compelled them to increase race times, jumps, or throws. Others were determined to increase stamina or improve their form. No matter how small the obstacle, if it was overcome during the track season, then determination was truly the key to success.

- ▷ Gena Rutz tears through the finish line first to beat out her opponents.
- ▽ Tina Frey throws the shot put for a new school record.
- ▽▷ Tracy Frey giving it her all to stay ahead of O'Fallon and Mascoutah team rivals.





◁ Carl Thiems shows Scott Steinkoenig what it is like to have no vision in a class demonstration.  
 ▷ At the FFA Barnyard, Gena Rutz shows her new friend one of the many different animals present.

# Bumping in

"Serve It!" "Bump It!" "Spike It!" These were the cries yelled to help the Class of 1986 on to capture the 1983 Powder-Puff Championship. When asked how it felt to win, Laura Campbell stated, "It felt great!" Then Matt Homman exclaimed, "Being an underclassman is no longer something to be ashamed of."

They surely weren't ashamed when it came to playing the Class of 1987 and the Class of 1985. Lisa Uhe thought, "Competition was going to be tough for us." But competition was only a problem when it came time to play the juniors for the championship. In that game the sophomores decided to pour on the power that led them to the final victory for the 1983 Powder-Puff Championship.



Teresa Tift  
 Keith Toenyas  
 Julie Torbit  
 Scott Troxell  
 Lisa Uhe  
 Chris Voegele  
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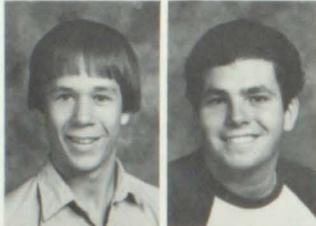
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 Kitty Wilson  
 Kevin Woodside  
 Rob Zerban  
 Alan Zobrist  
 Heidi Zobrist  
 Traci Zobrist  
 Preston Zwanzig

Leading the class are junior officers (sitting) Scott Sims, treasurer; Bruce Augustin, secretary, (standing) Meredith Heineman, president, and Michelle Rinderer, vice president.



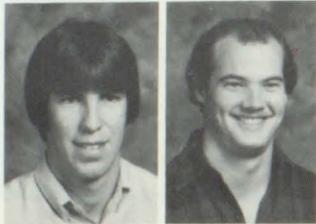
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Curt Barker



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Karen Bohnenstiehl  
Cindy Brandt  
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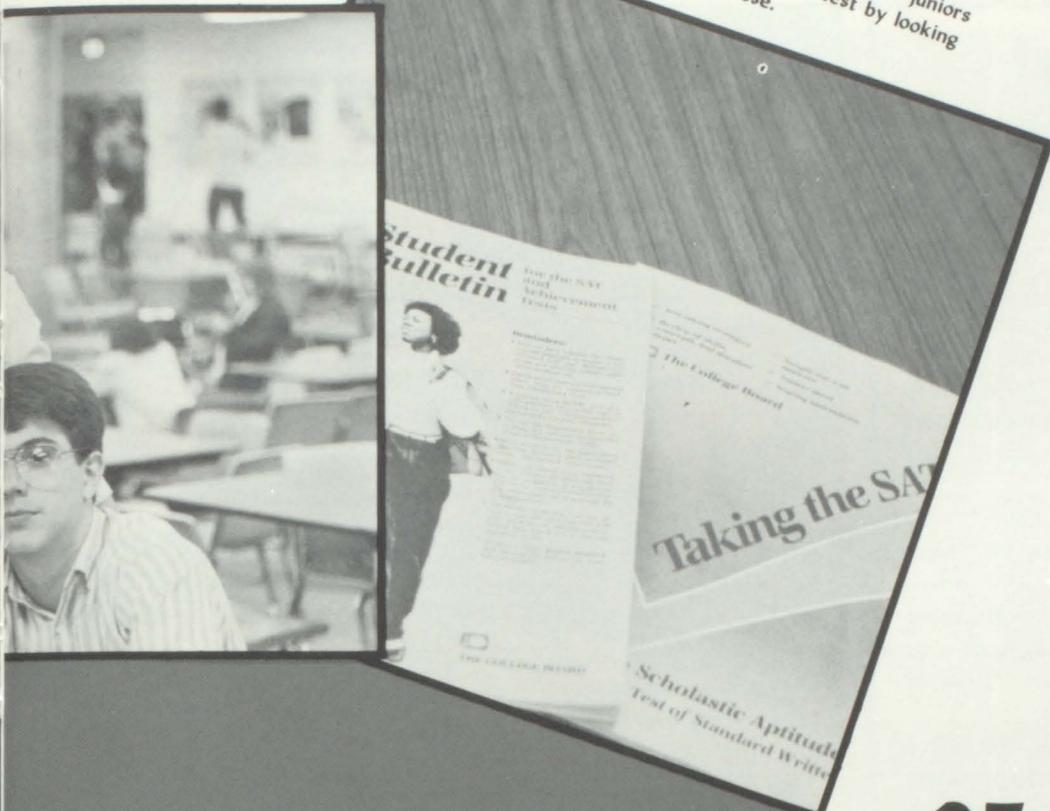
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Julie Debatin



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Robert Donato  
Rob Donnelly  
Ellard Douglas  
Jeff Dubach  
Matt Duncan  
Terry Dusky



▽ Before the big testing day arrives, juniors prepare for the ACT and the SAT test by looking over guide booklets like these.



# Looking Out

Even though they are only juniors, it is not too early to begin making plans for after high school.

For the college bound, that means taking the ACT. Sixteen juniors who took the test in the spring, scored above the 30 mark in one or more areas. Jeff Buchmiller scored a 35 in math and a 34 in natural science, each just one point away from a perfect score. John McDonald and Patti Young scored 30 or better in 3 out of 4 areas of the test.

While some juniors already know what they want to do after high school, others are still undecided as to what the future will hold for them in two years.

"I know I want to go to college but I don't know what college or what major yet," commented Mary Slantz.

Whether or not juniors know what lies ahead, they soon realize that time is moving more rapidly than they expected.

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Jill Eardley  
Paula East  
Cindy Engleman  
Debbie Essenpreis  
Terry Foederer

Lisa Frank  
Julie Freeman  
Chris Frey  
Ken Frey  
Mark Frey

Tammi Frey  
Tom Geiger  
Debbie Gemoules  
Terry Grapperhaus  
Keith Grear

Philip Gundlach  
LeeAnn Gusewelle  
Lisa Gustin  
Tad Haller  
Ben Hanna

# Noticed at Last

Trendsetters, the class of 1985 was determined to be recognized.

In addition to having 16 people scoring above 30 on the ACT, the juniors also excelled in extra-curricular activities. Changes in the prom such as a dinner and valet parking meant working extra hard to raise money to pay for the extra costs. The sale of mums, candy bars and coupon books helped in this task.

The class of '85 had several top athletes. Cary Brown had the best wrestling record by a junior since 1972 and Cathy Kampwerth, excelling in both volleyball and basketball, was invited to play on a Jr. Olympic volleyball team in Chicago.

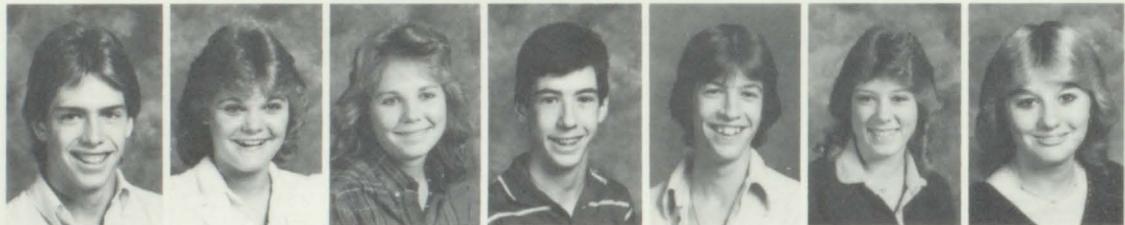
Above all, the juniors found a sense of freedom that allowed them to do their own thing and be successful in their own special way.

Todd Imming and Todd Korte received attention when they transformed themselves to beautiful and irresistible, powderpuff cheerleaders.

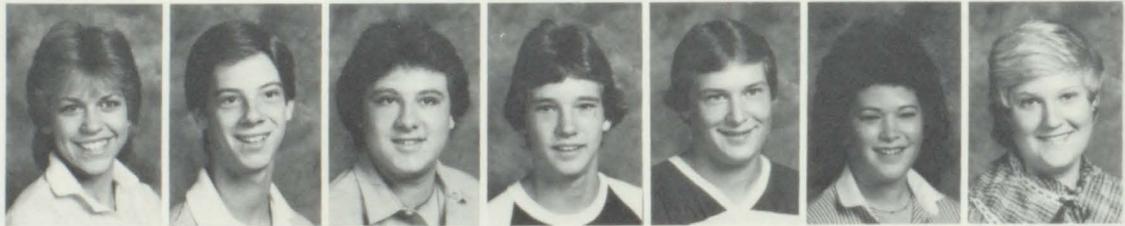


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Robin Hartlieb  
Meredith Heineman  
Daniel Henke  
Darren Henke  
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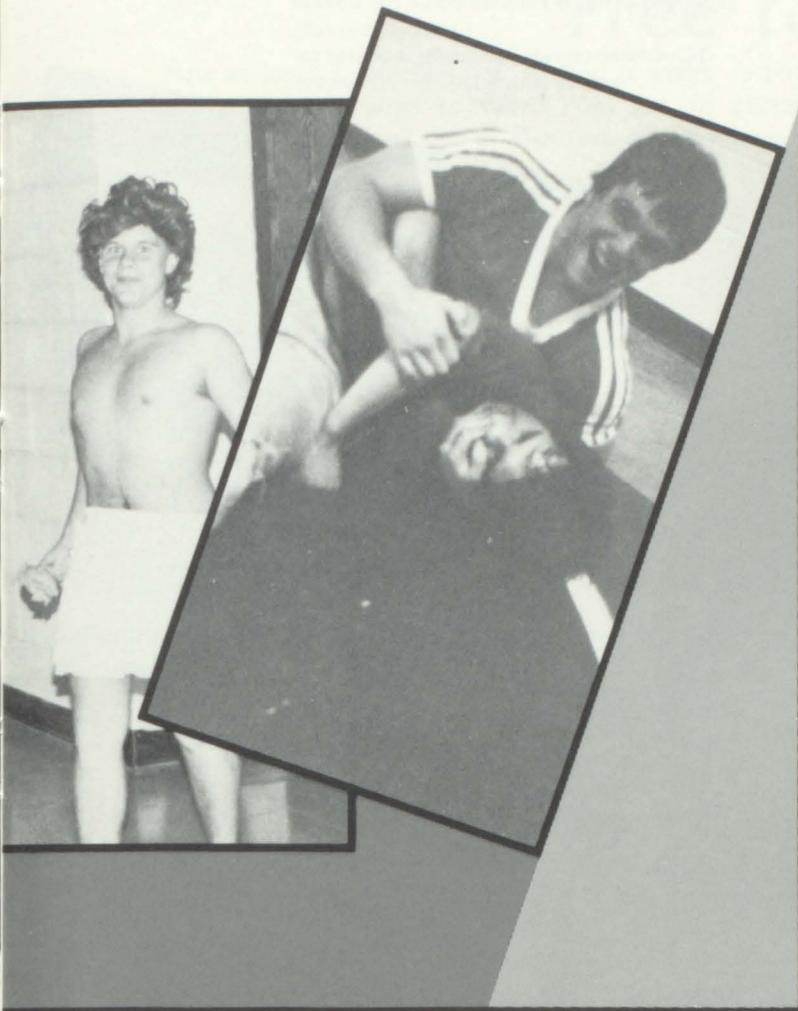
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Kerri Knebel



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Kevin Korte  
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Lesa Kraus



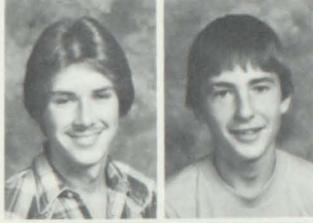
Cary Brown, having a very successful wrestling season, jokingly shows one of his winning techniques on an opponent during practice.



Beth Kruse  
Kim Kuhl



Chris Kulage  
Cindy Kulage



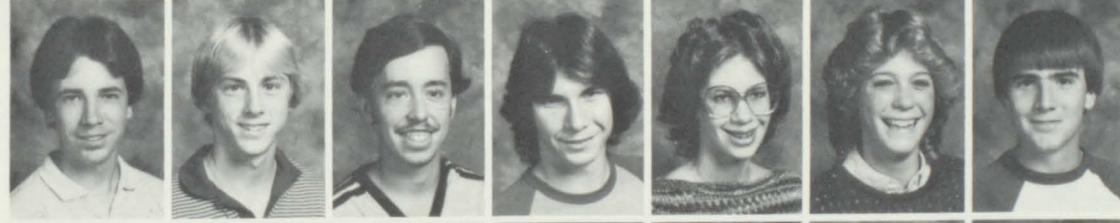
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Mike Landman



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Gina Langhauser



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Gail McKee



John Merkle  
Ron Messerli  
Matt Mettler  
Pete Micheletto  
Tina Miles  
Karen Moss  
Mike Nelson



Craig Niehaus  
Donna Palenchar  
Teresa Pierce  
Amy Piseschi  
Sherry Poettker  
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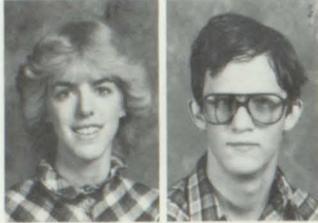


▽ Brad Ambuel works on a geographical map in geography class. A class he chose for a social studies credit.  
 ◁ Computer courses are finally available for juniors with a love for computing.

Kyle Schumacher  
Kim Schwend



Kim Sedlack  
Brian Seifried



Jeff Siegrist  
Scott Sims



Mary Slantz  
Kyle Stuckwisch



Christy Swiney  
Tina Tebbe



Brenda Thole  
Tracie Turner



Bob Voegele  
Donna Voliva



# Free to Choose

Now as juniors, the Class of '85 find it easier to pick the classes they wish to take. "You get to choose classes that will help you in the future", commented Curt Barker.

Some classes such as world history, Illinois history, and living environments, were dropped because of lack of interest. This challenged some students to find other classes. They could pick from Art, Foods, Family Management, and Shop classes, to name a few. A new addition, the "I Can" course opened to grades 9 through 12, helped expand choices. For the computer wizzards, there was the data processing, computer lit., and advanced programming.

For most, the junior year is a time to get away from required subjects and concentrate on classes needed for the future.

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△ As a junior, Bonnie Deibert happily throws away her semester notes knowing she doesn't have to take exams.

◁ As part of journalism class, David Lancey and Matt Duncan spent long hours on the phone, selling ads.



Not pictured:  
Diana Burke  
Tina Ellsworth  
Jeanette Forehand

		Jim Vosholler David Wagner
		Suzie Waller Chad Weiss
		Shelly Wesselmann Shari White
		Mike Widman Liz Wiess
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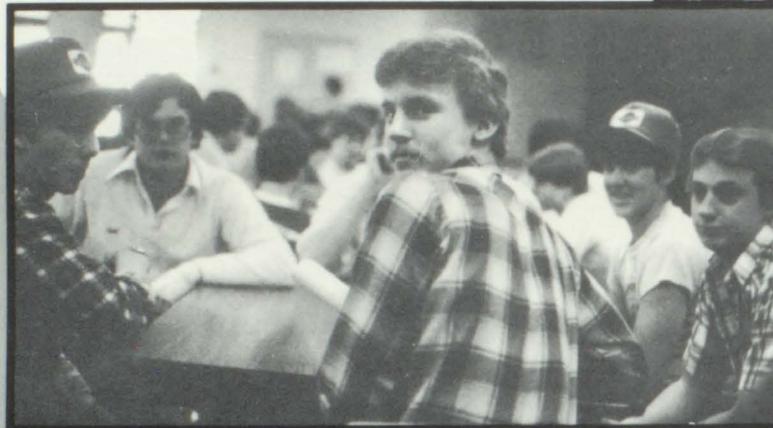
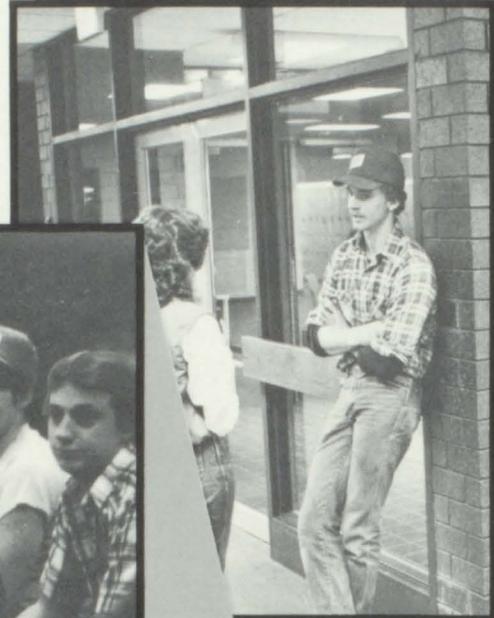
# Getting a Head Start

Early graduation required a formal petition signed by the student's parents and a careful review of the student's educational and career plans by the director of guidance and the high school principal. Students who had 17½ credits and met the other requirements could graduate at the end of the first semester of their senior year.

Eighteen students who fulfilled the requirements decided to graduate early. Their plans included getting jobs, continuing education, joining the armed

forces, or planning their weddings. After much contemplating the early graduates decided to go for it even though they missed out on participating in spring sports, going on spring field trips and all the excitement the seniors have while preparing for graduation.

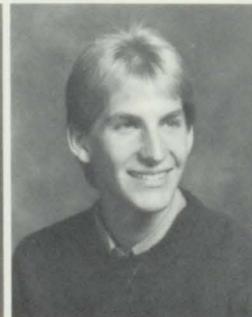
They received their diplomas with the rest of the class in June, but by that time had already started on the road to other ventures.



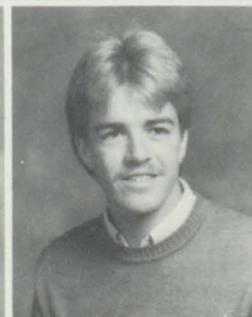
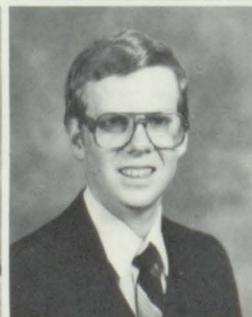
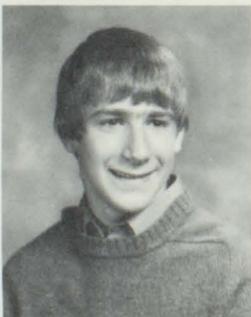
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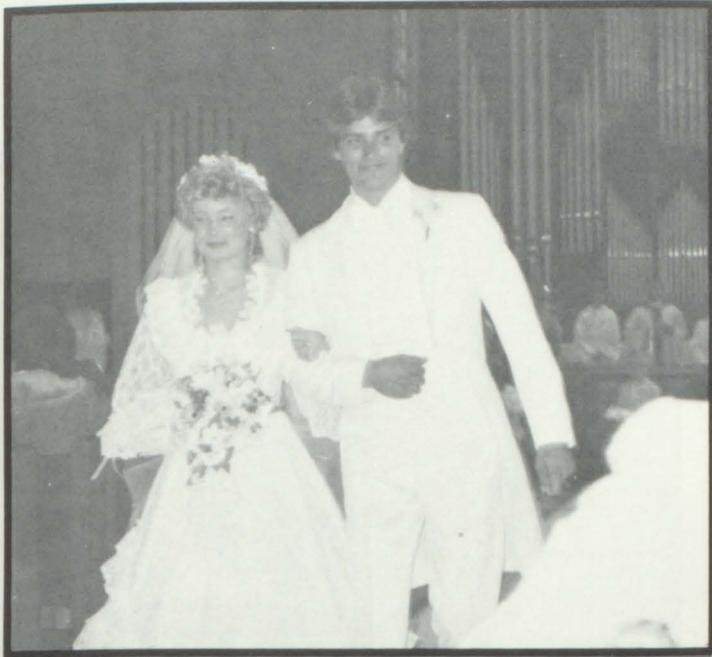


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Lisa Bargetzi  
Penny Barnes  
Karla Barreda  
Grant Barth



Warren Barth  
Craig Baumann  
Rachelle Berry  
Jim Bjornson  
Rob Bloemker





Far left Early graduate Theresa Klein tells Becky Geppert all about attending SILE.  
 Far left center Even though Todd Schneider graduated early he still found time to take off from farming to come visit his friends at HHS.  
 Top left Since early graduate Bruce Henschen had to pick up his graduation announcements, he just stopped off to talk to Sarah Harris too.  
 Left Early graduate Todd Schneider talks to Gina Grapperhaus about what he has been doing since he is out of school.  
 Above Karen Auer graduated early to make plans for her wedding.



Greg Braswell  
Beth Brown



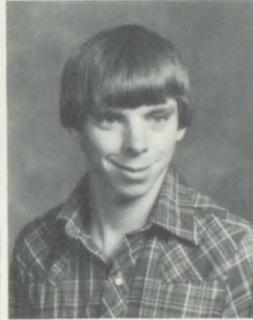
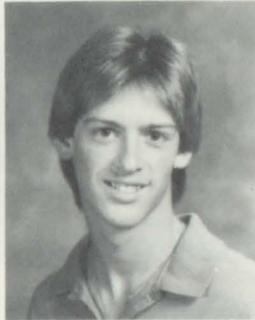
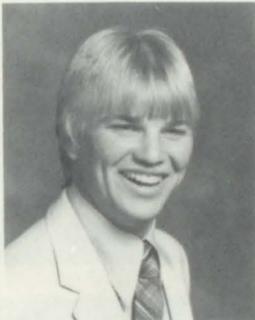
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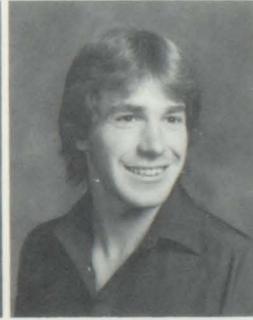
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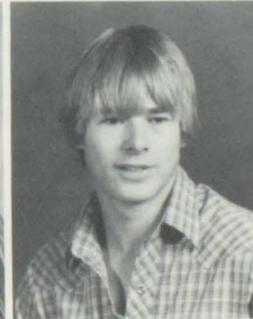
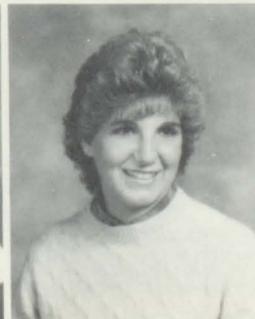
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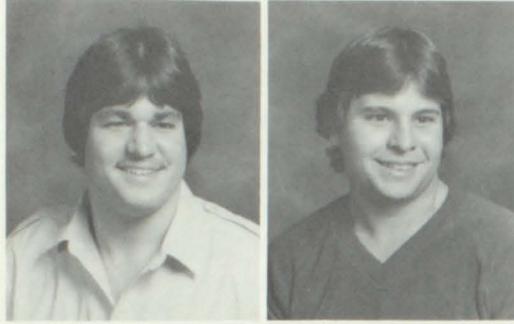
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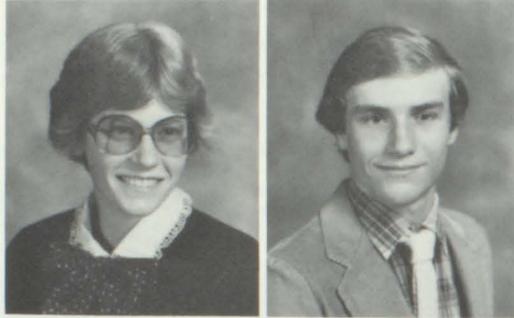
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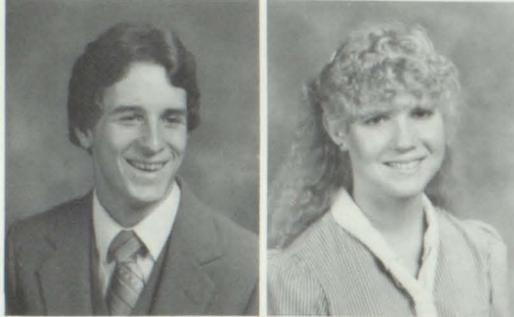
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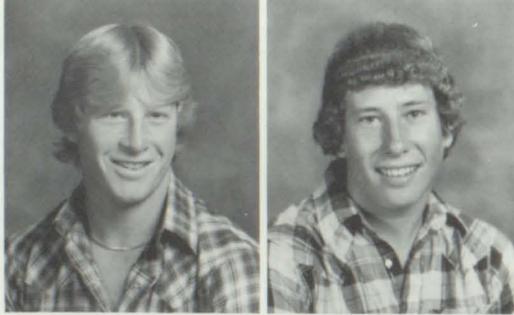
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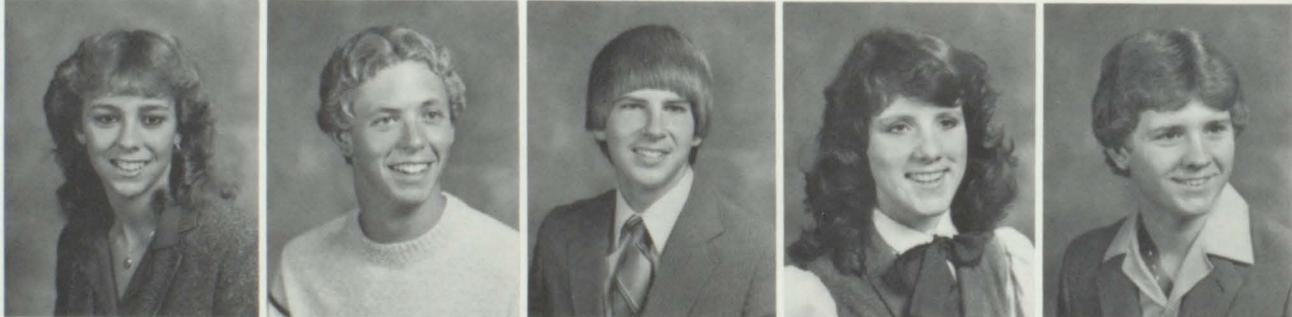
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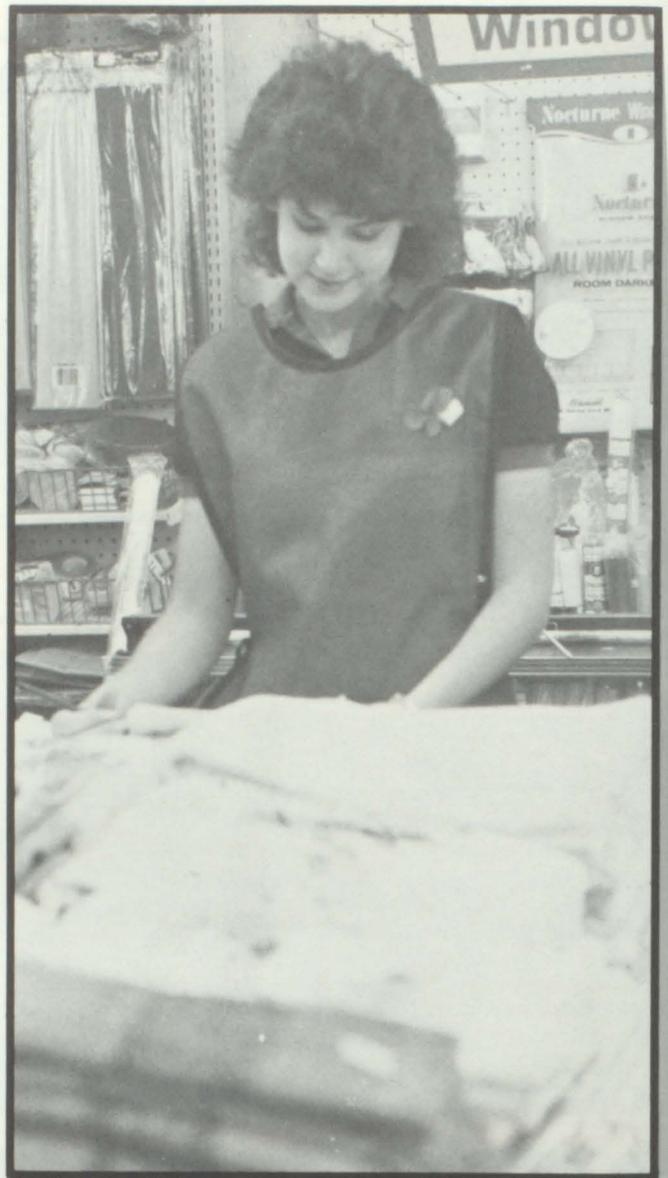
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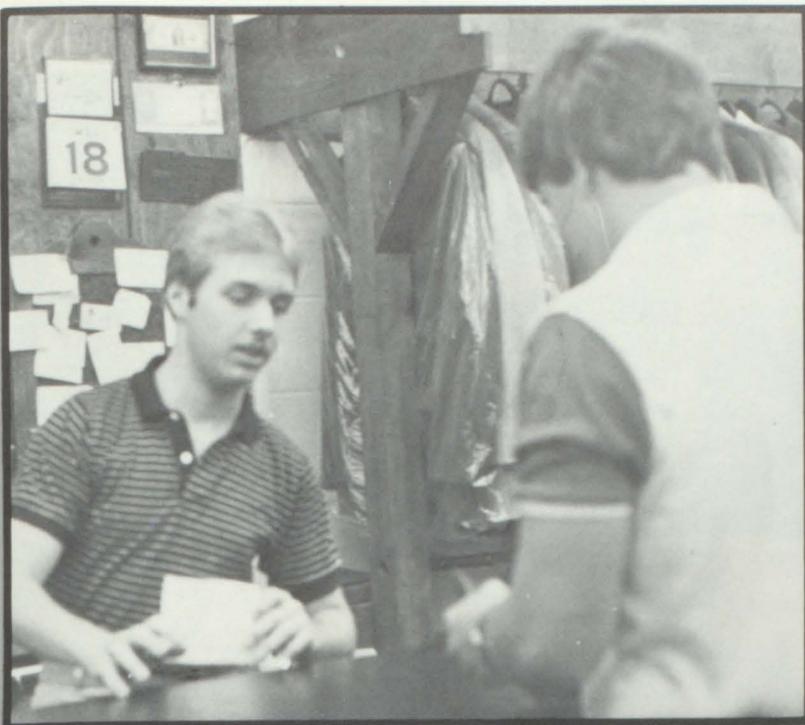
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Virginia Greve



△ Senior Suzie Schmitt checks towel prices at Tschannen's Ben Franklin.



△ Senior Greg Braswell finds that waiting on customers is a big responsibility at Robert's Men's Wear.



△ Working at Pamida gives Senior Tina Davis a little more spending money.



△ Senior Kristi Harris works at Richard S. Jacob Insurance through the COOP Program.

## Sacrificing for the Pay Check

Work is the physical or mental effort involved in doing or making something. That is how it is defined in the dictionary. But most students will agree that it also takes responsibility and sacrifice to hold a job while attending high school.

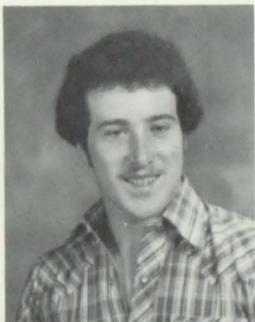
Responsibility is one of the hardest parts about working. The workers are responsible for being on time, handling the merchandise they are working

with, making the customers happy and letting them know that they are always welcome back.

"Missing out on school activities and parties over the weekend is a real disadvantage of working," commented Rich Dusky who works part time on a farm and at the News Leader. Not being able to get homework completed because of work, missing favorite T.V. programs, favorite rock concerts, or

high school sports are all sacrifices students have to make when they hold a job while in high school.

Experience, responsibility, and growing up are all good things a job can do. But the thing Dawn Steiner likes most about her job working at the show is the "MONEY!" Many who work will agree with her.



Lisa Haar  
Scott Haese  
Keith Hagler  
Sondra Haller  
Tonya Hamilton



Kristi Harris  
Shelley Harris  
Kathy Hediger  
Jason Hemann  
Sue Hencke

# Being a Part

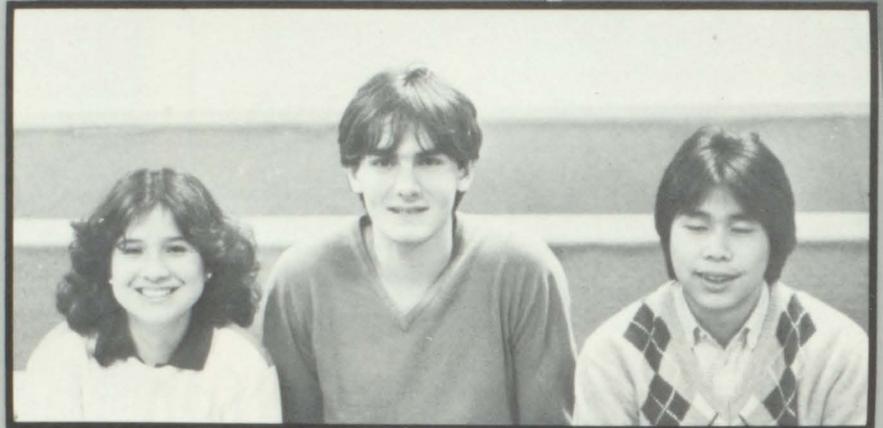
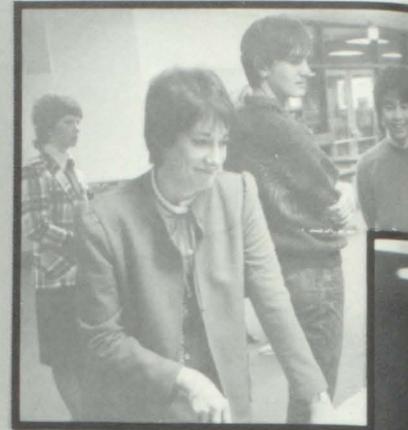
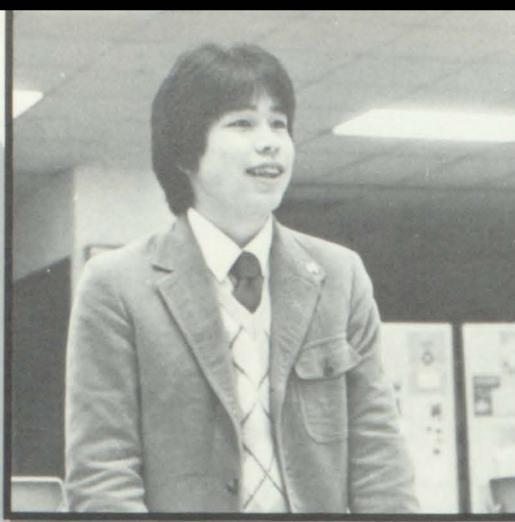
Three foreign exchange students came to HHS to learn about life in the United States.

Rei Nakayama from Japan liked HHS because "there are more classes to choose from, even though my school is bigger."

Laurent Aubert from France wanted a new experience and to learn to speak English better.

Karla Barreda from Guatemala said to become an exchange student you "have to have good grades, be between 16 and 19 years old, and have an English background." She is glad she met all of the requirements.

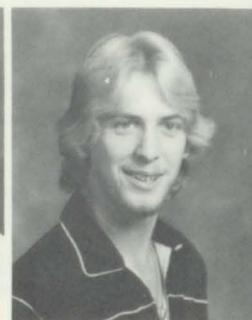
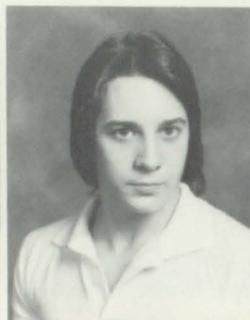
Laurent, Karla, and Rei all agreed that their families Mr. and Mrs. Tom Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Geppert, and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Schoen, along with the International Fellowship and Rotary Club, all made them feel right at home.



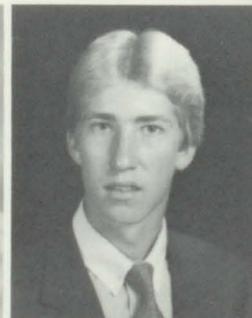
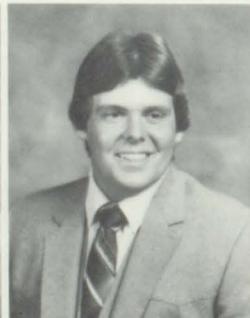
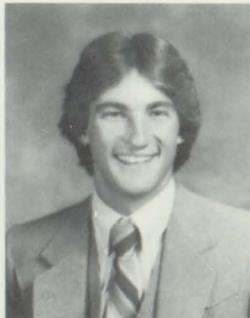
△ Rei Nakayama from Japan, Laurent Aubert from France, and Karla Barreda from Guatemala were the foreign exchange students at HHS during the 83-84 school year.

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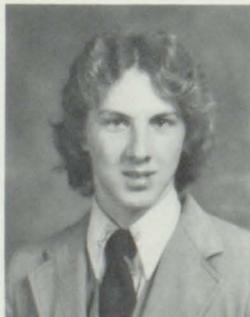
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Kim Kaminski  
Joyce Kamper  
Ted Kaufman  
Jay Kennedy  
Jim Kidder



◁ Rei explains how his country differs from the U.S.

◁ Mrs. Janet McNutt serves cake to Laurent, Rei, and Karla at the International Fellowship buffet.



△ Laurent tastes foreign food at the International Fellowship Banquet.



△ Karla explains why she became a foreign exchange student and encourages everyone to become one.



Connie King  
Charlie Klein  
Theresa Klein  
Brenda Korte  
Connie Korte

Nancy Korte  
Randy Korte  
Deb Kuhl  
Lisa Kuhn  
Leasa Landolt

Pat Leopold  
Debbie Lofquist  
Sandy Long  
Tina Maroon  
Sheila Marquardt

# Senior Night

On senior night, seniors are recognized for their contributions to their organization or sport.

Even though the girls basketball team's senior night was snowed out, underclassmen showed their appreciation by giving the seniors roses.

Seniors on the guys football and basketball team presented parents with hugs, kisses, and roses to thank them for all their support.

At their spring concerts, the seniors performed an original skit about their years in band, and were honored by underclassmen. Likewise, chorus members recognized senior members with roses and special music.

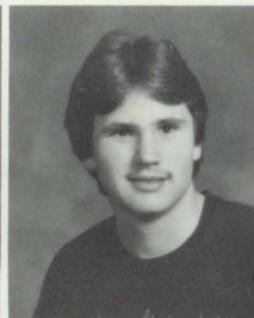
Every senior night is different, but they are all filled with tears and memories that are special to the departing class member.



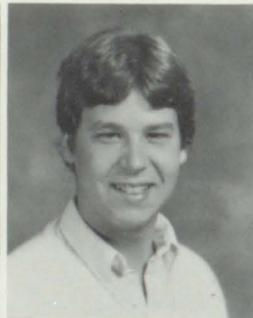
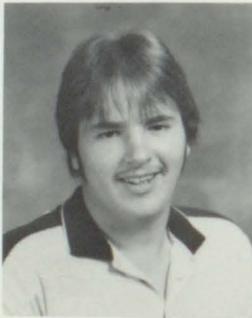
△ Chosen as the cutest senior football player from his baby picture, the cheerleaders honored Brian Zobrist with a baby blanket, bonnet and teddy bear.

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Debbie Matthews  
Robbie McCord  
Crista McLean  
Scott McNielly  
Patti Meier

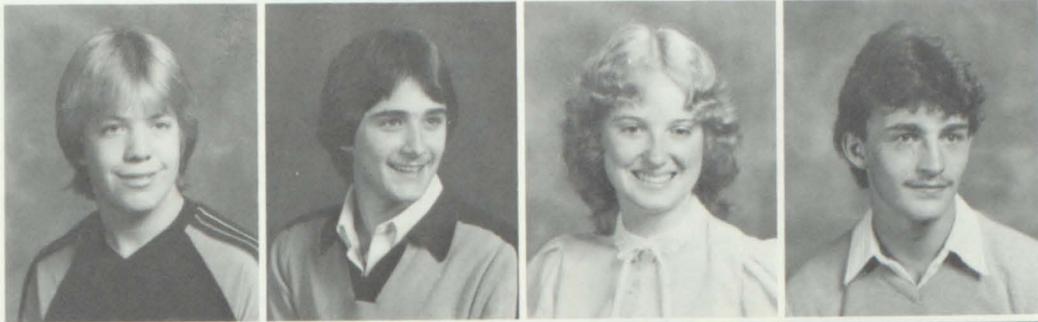


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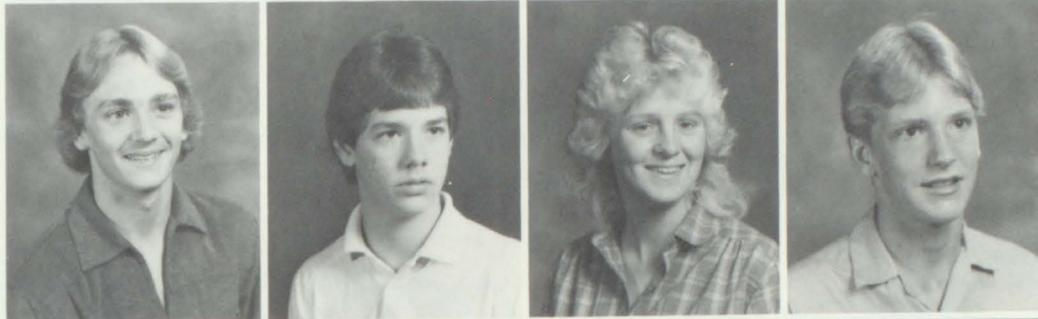


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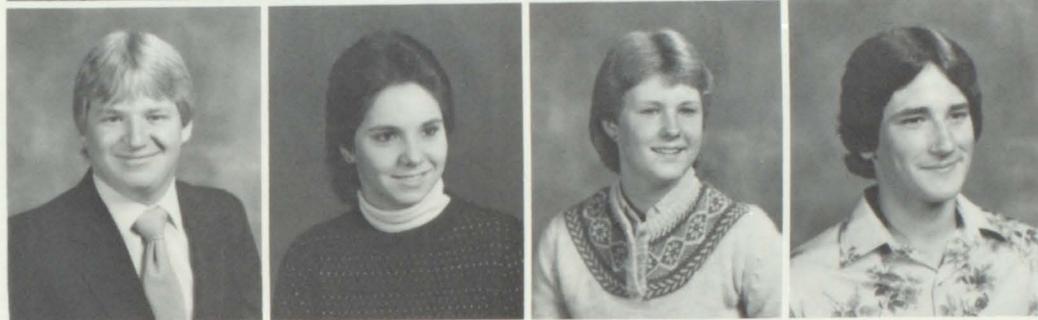




David Parker  
Scott Parks  
Lori Parris  
Brad Paschal



Ron Perigen  
Steve Phillips  
Kathy Pierce  
Todd Plocher



Andy Prusa  
Melissa Putman  
Lee Ann Rautenberg  
Jeff Ray



▷ To wish Tina Voegele and Dawn Steiner good luck at super sectionals their friends gave them roses.

▽ During the Spring Band Concert the senior band members put on a skit about their years in band.

◁ Senior Bernice Weber receives a rose and a hug from Junior Dave Lancey at the Spring Chorus Concert.





High school is a mixture of memories such as shown by Deb Kuhl (above) and Rich Dusky (above right) who sign yearbooks and memory books. Posters, bumper stickers, signs, and other bits and pieces make up the scrapbook of life at HHS.

## Cluttered Memories

Old report cards.

Secret notes passed during class.

A school announcement saying "Happy Birthday" with your name on it.

Wrinkled reports, pressed flowers.

Ribbons, metals, and trophies.

Decorations and napkins from Prom.

Programs from musicals, school concerts and ball games.

Buttons, bulldog bumper stickers.

Small footballs, basketballs, and megaphones.

Yearbooks, senior memory book.

Class ring.

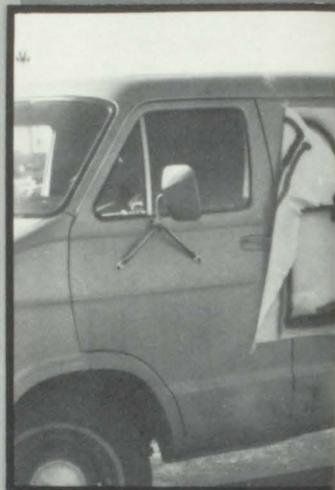
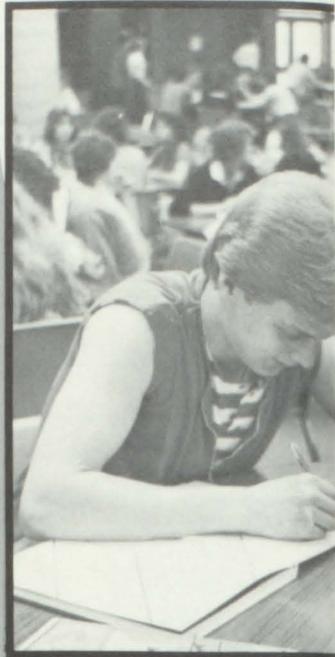
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Senior necklace.

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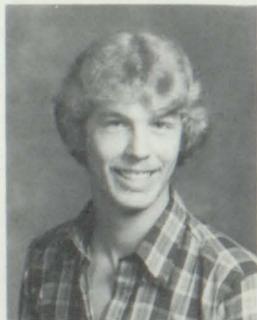
And many, many pictures.

Cluttered memories from four years of high school.

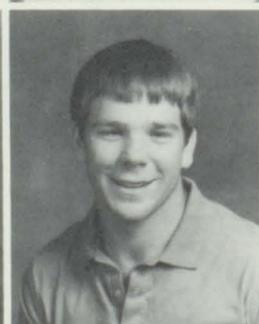


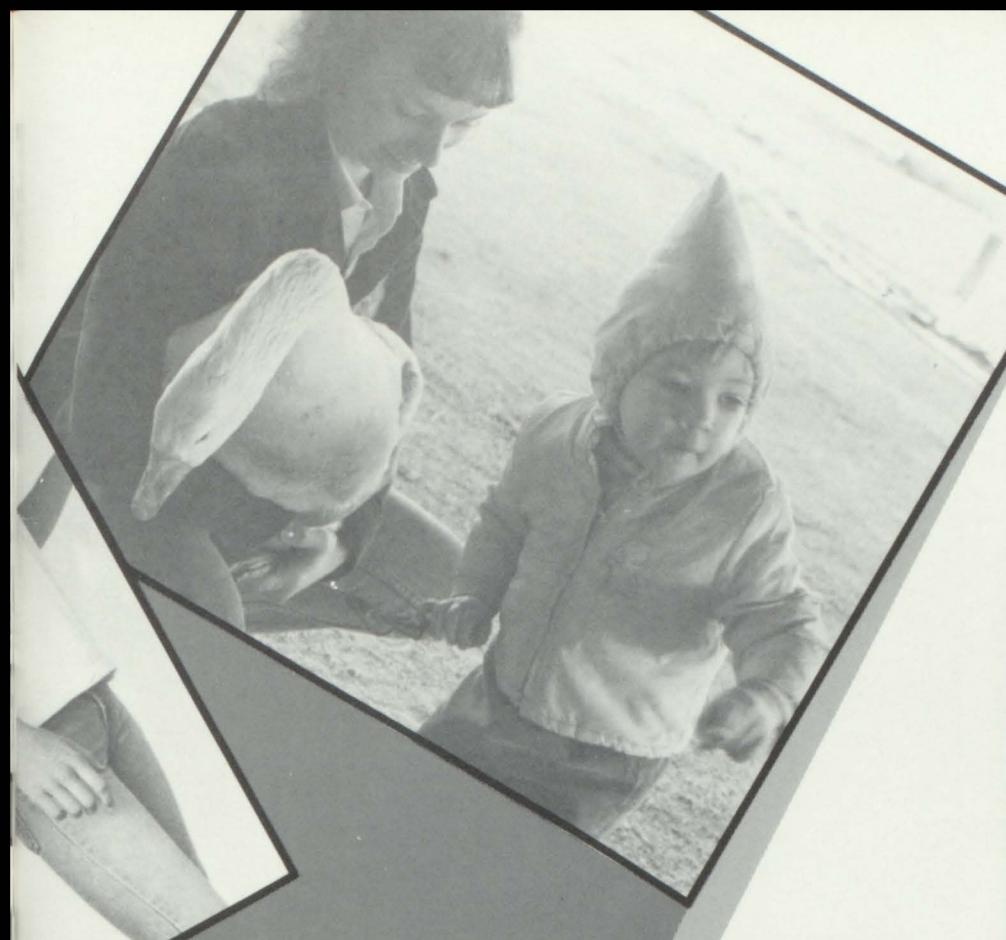
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Mark Reaka  
Cheryl Rehkemper  
Pam Reinacher  
Dana Riechmann  
Jenny Rice



Glenn Riepshoff  
Michele Riggs  
Cheryl Riley  
Boyd Rinderer  
Darla Rinderer





## Bumping in

"Serve It!" "Bump It!" "Spike It!" These were the cries yelled to help the Class of 1986 on to capture the 1983 Powder-Puff Championship. When asked how it felt to win, Laura Campbell stated, "It felt great!" Then Matt Homman exclaimed, "Being an underclassman is no longer something to be ashamed of."

They surely weren't ashamed when it came to playing the Class of 1987 and the Class of 1985. Lisa Uhe thought, "Competition was going to be tough for us." But competition was only a problem when it came time to play the juniors for the championship. In that game the sophomores decided to pour on the power that led them to the final victory for the 1983 Powder-Puff Championship.

◁ Carl Thiems shows Scott Steinkoenig what it is like to have no vision in a class demonstration.  
▷ At the FFA Barnyard, Gena Rutz shows her new friend one of the many different animals present.

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Teresa Tift  
Keith Toenyes  
Julie Torbit  
Scott Troxell  
Lisa Uhe  
Chris Voegele  
Scott Voegele  
Stephanie Vonrohr

Lee Voss  
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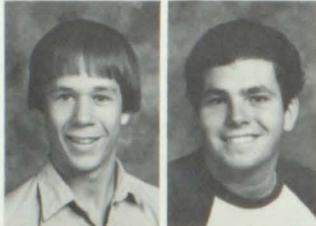
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Brian Wiese  
Brad Wilken

Bobby Wilkinson  
Kitty Wilson  
Kevin Woodside  
Rob Zerban  
Alan Zobrist  
Heidi Zobrist  
Traci Zobrist  
Preston Zwanzig

Leading the class are junior officers (sitting) Scott Sims, treasurer; Bruce Augustin, secretary, (standing) Meredith Heineman, president, and Michelle Rinderer, vice president.



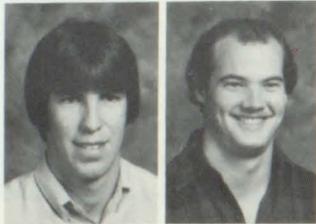
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Rich Armbruster  
Bruce Augustin



Eric Augustin  
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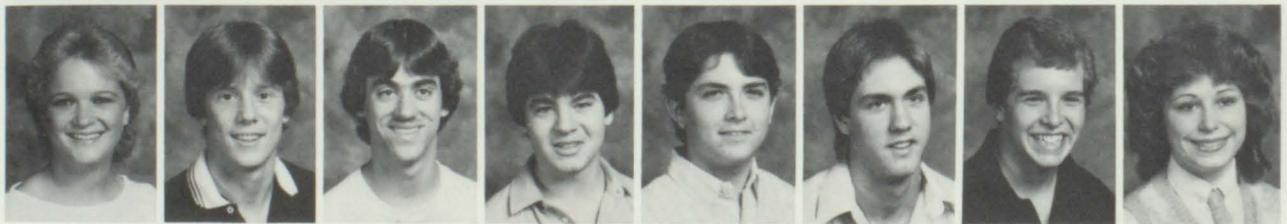
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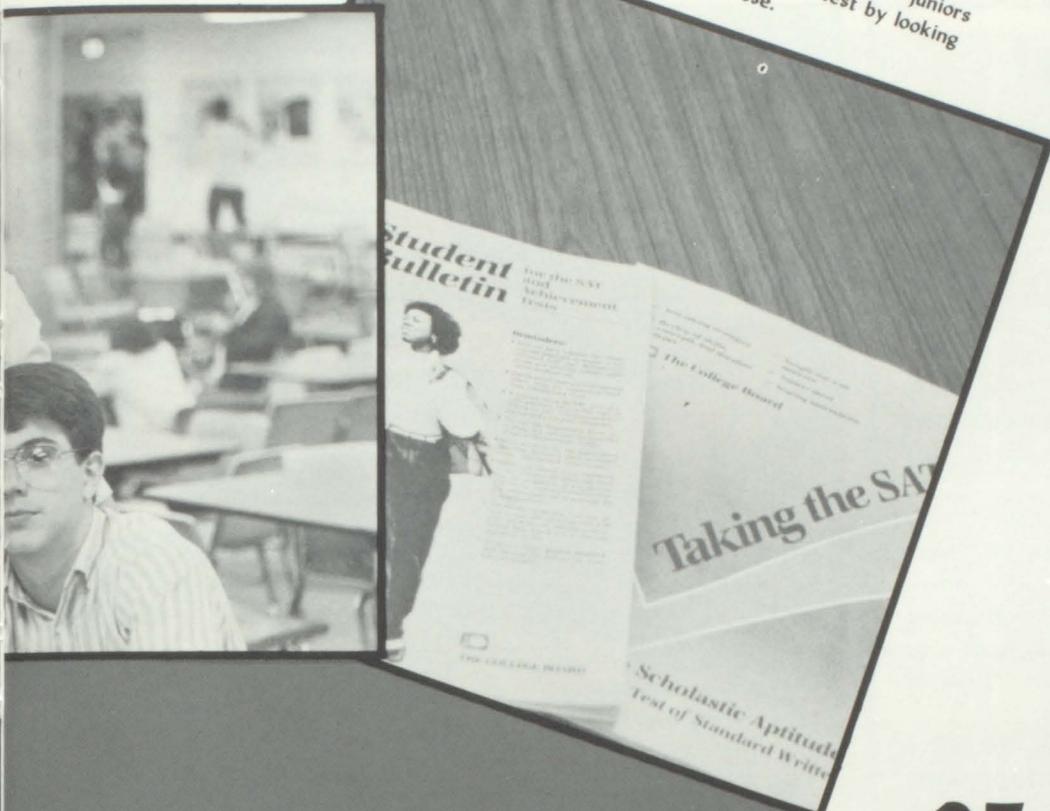
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Dani Coffee  
Tim Conrad  
Pam Cruthis  
Paul Davis  
Brian Dean  
Julie Debatin



Bonnie Deibert  
Tim Dillow  
Robert Donato  
Rob Donnelly  
Ellard Douglas  
Jeff Dubach  
Matt Duncan  
Terry Dusky



▽ Before the big testing day arrives, juniors prepare for the ACT and the SAT test by looking over guide booklets like these.



# Looking Out

Even though they are only juniors, it is not too early to begin making plans for after high school.

For the college bound, that means taking the ACT. Sixteen juniors who took the test in the spring, scored above the 30 mark in one or more areas. Jeff Buchmiller scored a 35 in math and a 34 in natural science, each just one point away from a perfect score. John McDonald and Patti Young scored 30 or better in 3 out of 4 areas of the test.

While some juniors already know what they want to do after high school, others are still undecided as to what the future will hold for them in two years.

"I know I want to go to college but I don't know what college or what major yet," commented Mary Slantz.

Whether or not juniors know what lies ahead, they soon realize that time is moving more rapidly than they expected.

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Jill Eardley  
Paula East  
Cindy Engleman  
Debbie Essenpreis  
Terry Foederer

Lisa Frank  
Julie Freeman  
Chris Frey  
Ken Frey  
Mark Frey

Tammi Frey  
Tom Geiger  
Debbie Gemoules  
Terry Grapperhaus  
Keith Grear

Philip Gundlach  
LeeAnn Gusewelle  
Lisa Gustin  
Tad Haller  
Ben Hanna

# Noticed at Last

Trendsetters, the class of 1985 was determined to be recognized.

In addition to having 16 people scoring above 30 on the ACT, the juniors also excelled in extra-curricular activities. Changes in the prom such as a dinner and valet parking meant working extra hard to raise money to pay for the extra costs. The sale of mums, candy bars and coupon books helped in this task.

The class of '85 had several top athletes. Cary Brown had the best wrestling record by a junior since 1972 and Cathy Kampwerth, excelling in both volleyball and basketball, was invited to play on a Jr. Olympic volleyball team in Chicago.

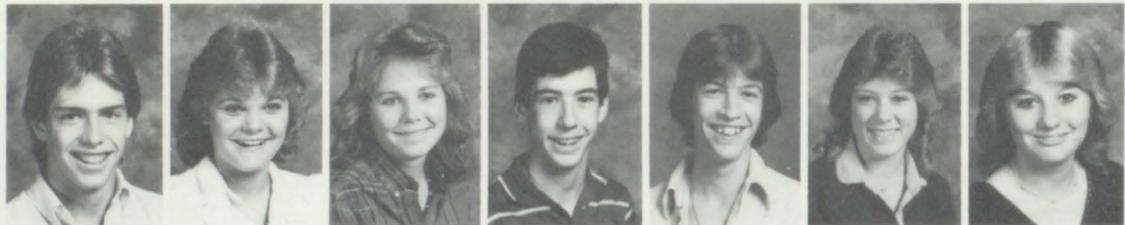
Above all, the juniors found a sense of freedom that allowed them to do their own thing and be successful in their own special way.

Todd Imming and Todd Korte received attention when they transformed themselves to beautiful and irresistible, powderpuff cheerleaders.

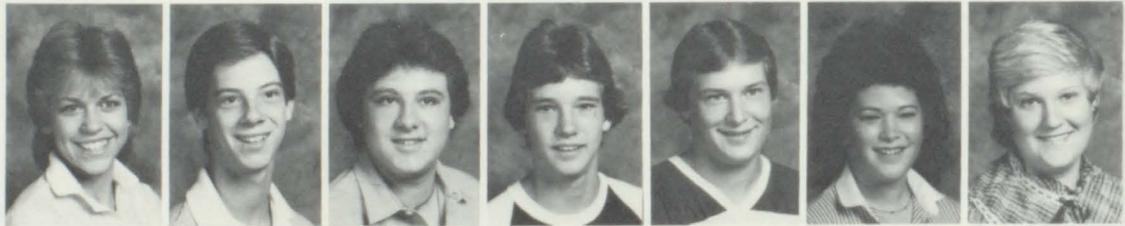


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Robin Hartlieb  
Meredith Heineman  
Daniel Henke  
Darren Henke  
Mickey Hess  
Lisa Hilbert



Dana Hoening  
Joe Homoky  
Trevor Hosto  
Rob Hubler  
Mark Hug  
Lori Hunziker  
Juile Iberg



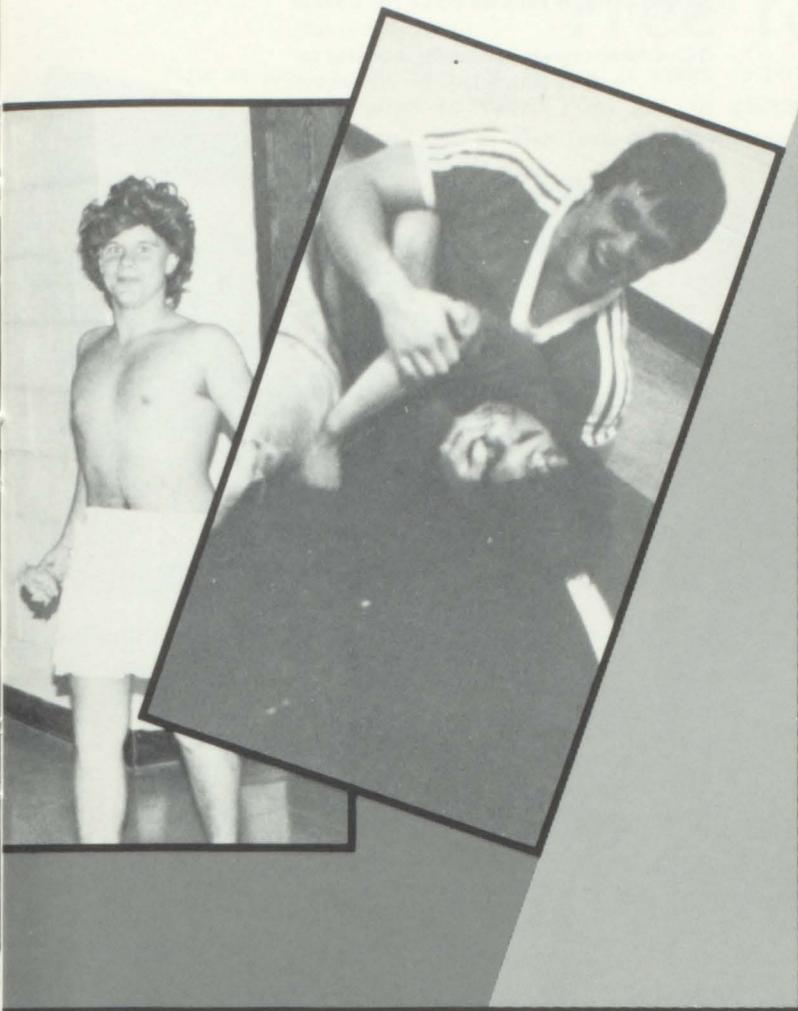
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Sheila Jones  
Angie Kampwerth  
Cathy Kampwerth  
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Kerri Knebel



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Doug Korte  
Kevin Korte  
Todd Korte  
Lesa Kraus



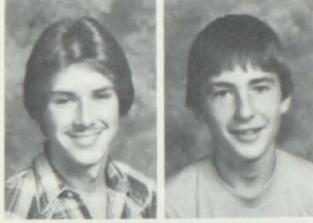
Cary Brown, having a very successful wrestling season, jokingly shows one of his winning techniques on an opponent during practice.



Beth Kruse  
Kim Kuhl



Chris Kulage  
Cindy Kulage



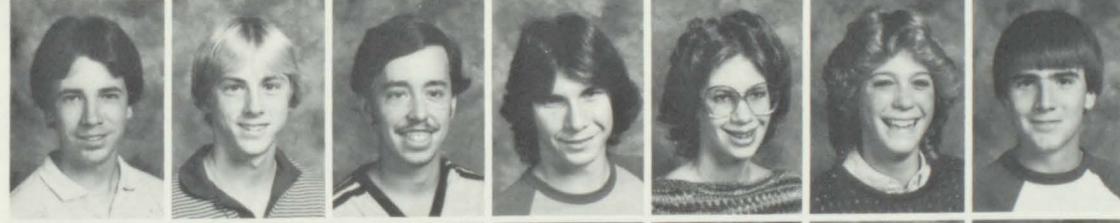
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Mike Landman



Ken Landolt  
Gina Langhauser



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Anne Livingston  
Angie Lutostanski  
Craig Marti  
John McDonald  
Gail McKee



John Merkle  
Ron Messerli  
Matt Mettler  
Pete Micheletto  
Tina Miles  
Karen Moss  
Mike Nelson



Craig Niehaus  
Donna Palenchar  
Teresa Pierce  
Amy Piseschi  
Sherry Poettker  
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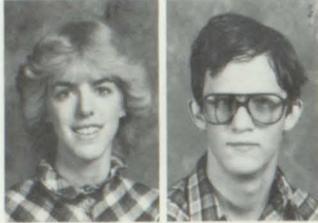


▽ Brad Ambuel works on a geographical map in geography class. A class he chose for a social studies credit.  
 ◁ Computer courses are finally available for juniors with a love for computing.

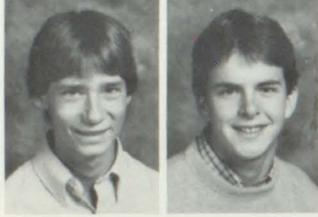
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Brian Seifried



Jeff Siegrist  
Scott Sims



Mary Slantz  
Kyle Stuckwisch



Christy Swiney  
Tina Tebbe



Brenda Thole  
Tracie Turner



Bob Voegele  
Donna Voliva



# Free to Choose

Now as juniors, the Class of '85 find it easier to pick the classes they wish to take. "You get to choose classes that will help you in the future", commented Curt Barker.

Some classes such as world history, Illinois history, and living environments, were dropped because of lack of interest. This challenged some students to find other classes. They could pick from Art, Foods, Family Management, and Shop classes, to name a few. A new addition, the "I Can" course opened to grades 9 through 12, helped expand choices. For the computer wizzards, there was the data processing, computer lit., and advanced programming.

For most, the junior year is a time to get away from required subjects and concentrate on classes needed for the future.

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△ As a junior, Bonnie Deibert happily throws away her semester notes knowing she doesn't have to take exams.

◁ As part of journalism class, David Lancey and Matt Duncan spent long hours on the phone, selling ads.



Not pictured:  
Diana Burke  
Tina Ellsworth  
Jeanette Forehand

		Jim Vosholler David Wagner
		Suzie Waller Chad Weiss
		Shelly Wesselmann Shari White
		Mike Widman Liz Wiess
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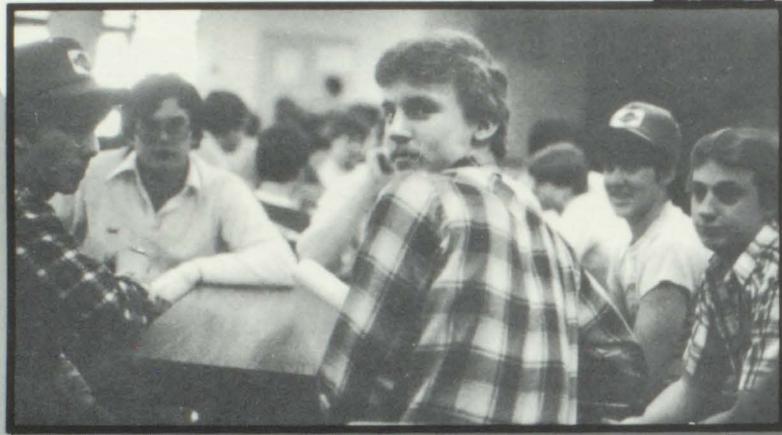
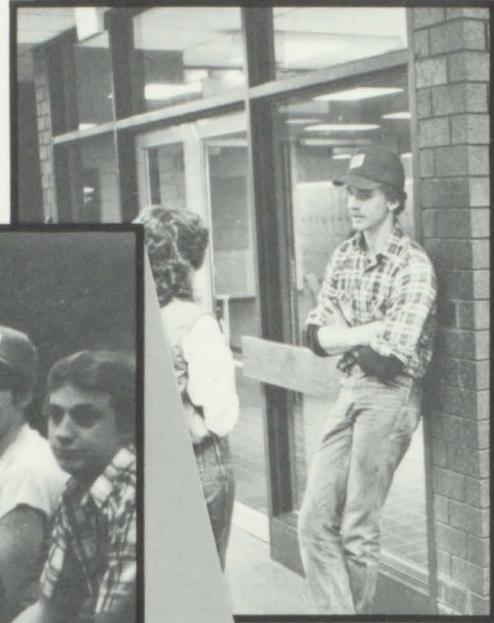
# Getting a Head Start

Early graduation required a formal petition signed by the student's parents and a careful review of the student's educational and career plans by the director of guidance and the high school principal. Students who had 17½ credits and met the other requirements could graduate at the end of the first semester of their senior year.

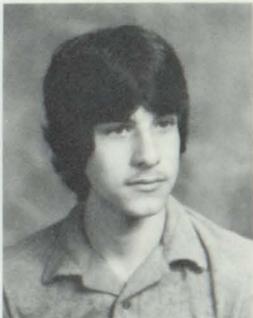
Eighteen students who fulfilled the requirements decided to graduate early. Their plans included getting jobs, continuing education, joining the armed

forces, or planning their weddings. After much contemplating the early graduates decided to go for it even though they missed out on participating in spring sports, going on spring field trips and all the excitement the seniors have while preparing for graduation.

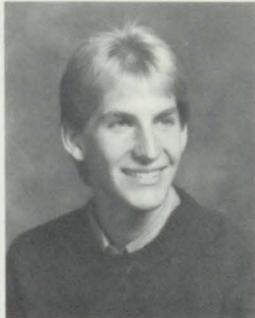
They received their diplomas with the rest of the class in June, but by that time had already started on the road to other ventures.



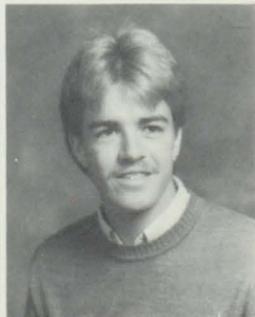
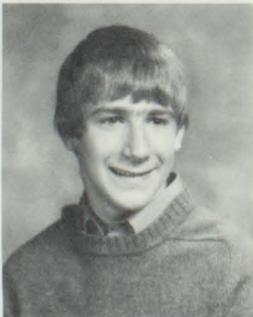
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Karen Auer  
Lisa Bargetzi  
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Karla Barreda  
Grant Barth



Warren Barth  
Craig Baumann  
Rachelle Berry  
Jim Bjornson  
Rob Bloemker





Far left Early graduate Theresa Klein tells Becky Geppert all about attending SILE.  
 Far left center Even though Todd Schneider graduated early he still found time to take off from farming to come visit his friends at HHS.  
 Top left Since early graduate Bruce Henschen had to pick up his graduation announcements, he just stopped off to talk to Sarah Harris too.  
 Left Early graduate Todd Schneider talks to Gina Grapperhaus about what he has been doing since he is out of school.  
 Above Karen Auer graduated early to make plans for her wedding.



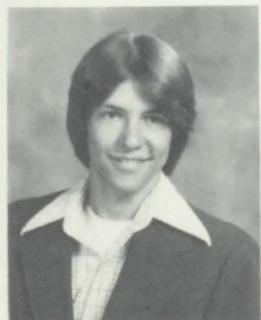
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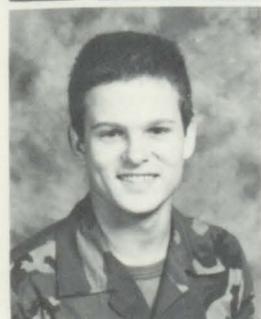
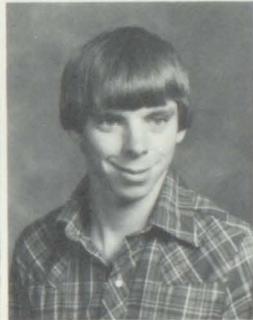
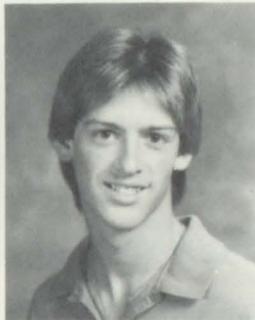
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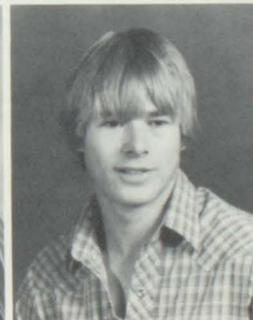
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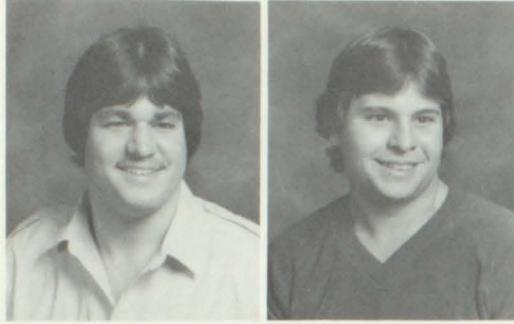
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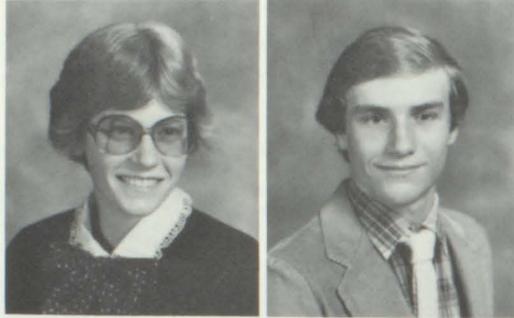
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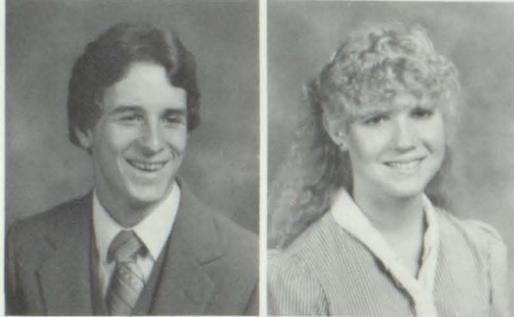
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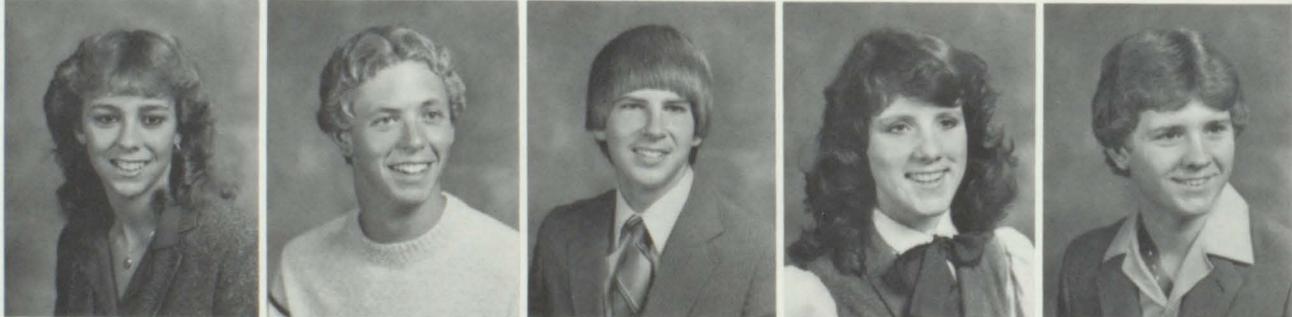
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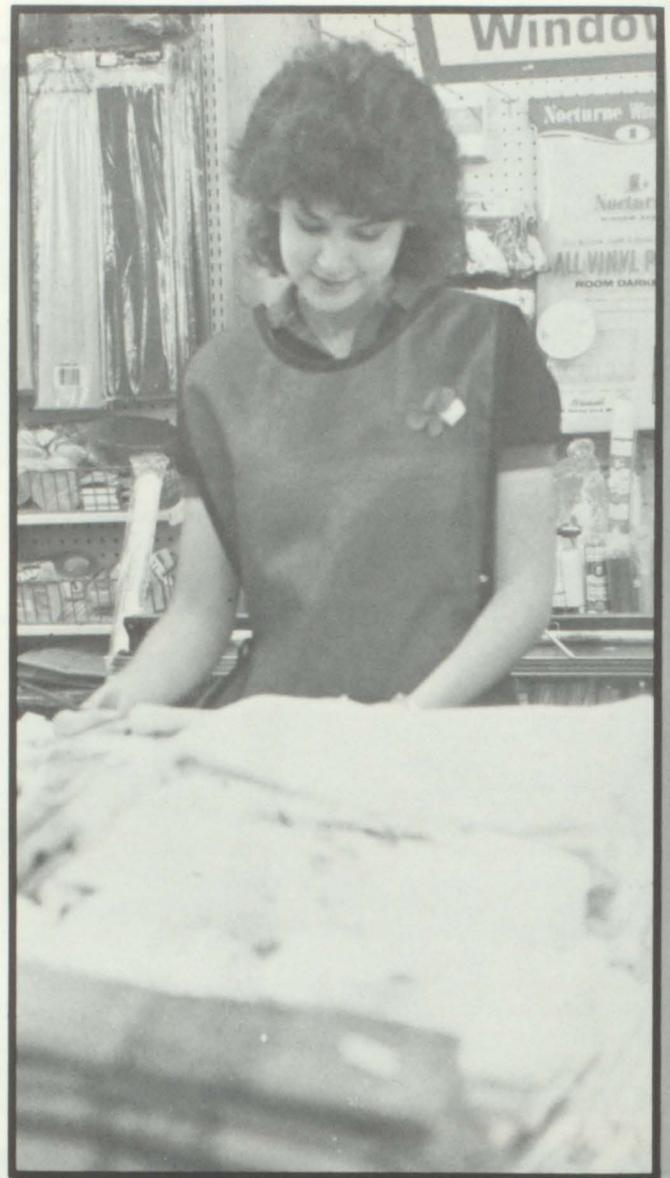
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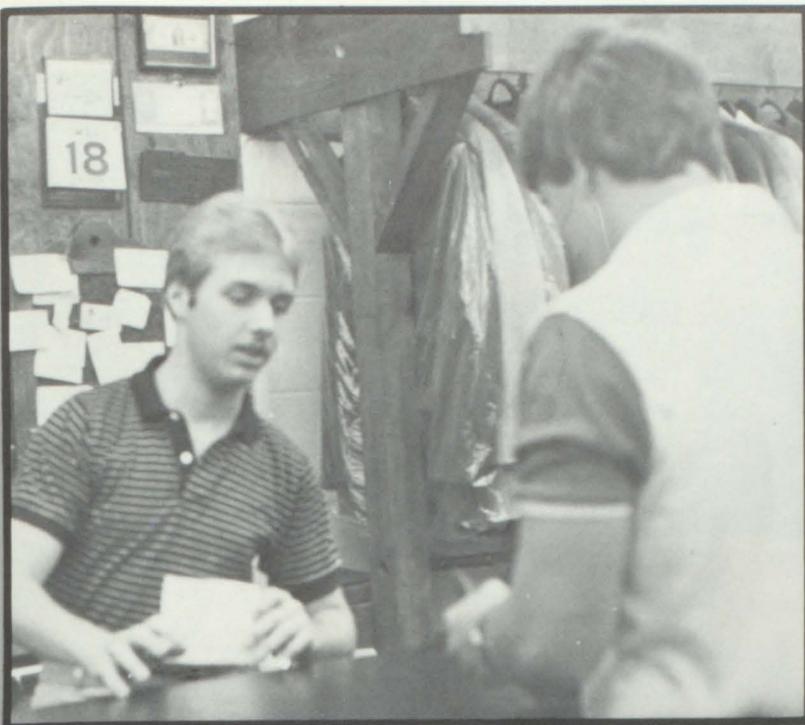
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Virginia Greve



△ Senior Suzie Schmitt checks towel prices at Tschannen's Ben Franklin.



△ Senior Greg Braswell finds that waiting on customers is a big responsibility at Robert's Men's Wear.



△ Working at Pamida gives Senior Tina Davis a little more spending money.



△ Senior Kristi Harris works at Richard S. Jacob Insurance through the COOP Program.

## Sacrificing for the Pay Check

Work is the physical or mental effort involved in doing or making something. That is how it is defined in the dictionary. But most students will agree that it also takes responsibility and sacrifice to hold a job while attending high school.

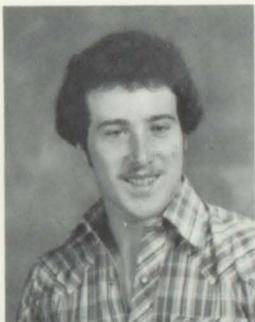
Responsibility is one of the hardest parts about working. The workers are responsible for being on time, handling the merchandise they are working

with, making the customers happy and letting them know that they are always welcome back.

"Missing out on school activities and parties over the weekend is a real disadvantage of working," commented Rich Dusky who works part time on a farm and at the News Leader. Not being able to get homework completed because of work, missing favorite T.V. programs, favorite rock concerts, or

high school sports are all sacrifices students have to make when they hold a job while in high school.

Experience, responsibility, and growing up are all good things a job can do. But the thing Dawn Steiner likes most about her job working at the show is the "MONEY!" Many who work will agree with her.



Lisa Haar  
Scott Haese  
Keith Hagler  
Sondra Haller  
Tonya Hamilton



Kristi Harris  
Shelley Harris  
Kathy Hediger  
Jason Hemann  
Sue Hencke

# Being a Part

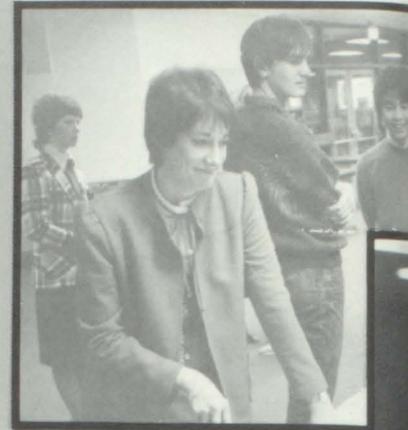
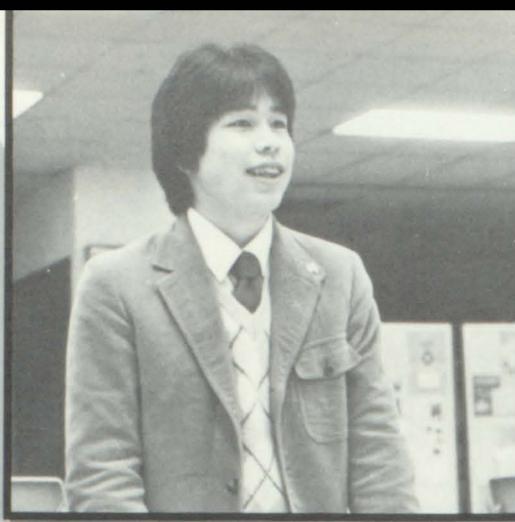
Three foreign exchange students came to HHS to learn about life in the United States.

Rei Nakayama from Japan liked HHS because "there are more classes to choose from, even though my school is bigger."

Laurent Aubert from France wanted a new experience and to learn to speak English better.

Karla Barreda from Guatemala said to become an exchange student you "have to have good grades, be between 16 and 19 years old, and have an English background." She is glad she met all of the requirements.

Laurent, Karla, and Rei all agreed that their families Mr. and Mrs. Tom Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Geppert, and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Schoen, along with the International Fellowship and Rotary Club, all made them feel right at home.



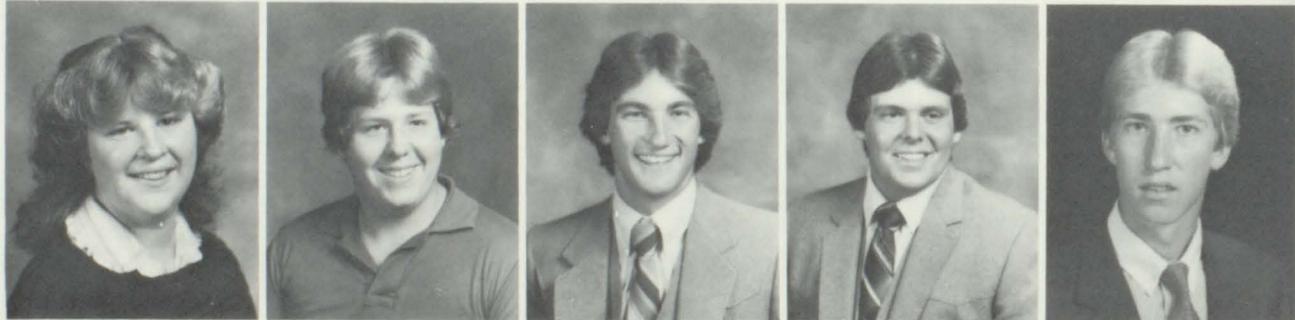
△ Rei Nakayama from Japan, Laurent Aubert from France, and Karla Barreda from Guatemala were the foreign exchange students at HHS during the 83-84 school year.

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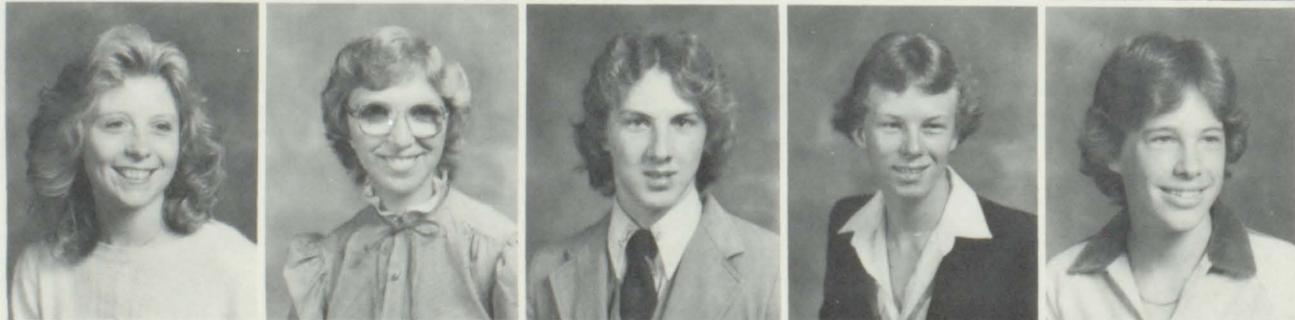
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Kim Kaminski  
Joyce Kamper  
Ted Kaufman  
Jay Kennedy  
Jim Kidder



◁ Rei explains how his country differs from the U.S.

◁ Mrs. Janet McNutt serves cake to Laurent, Rei, and Karla at the International Fellowship buffet.



△ Laurent tastes foreign food at the International Fellowship Banquet.



△ Karla explains why she became a foreign exchange student and encourages everyone to become one.



Connie King  
Charlie Klein  
Theresa Klein  
Brenda Korte  
Connie Korte

Nancy Korte  
Randy Korte  
Deb Kuhl  
Lisa Kuhn  
Leasa Landolt

Pat Leopold  
Debbie Lofquist  
Sandy Long  
Tina Maroon  
Sheila Marquardt

# Senior Night

On senior night, seniors are recognized for their contributions to their organization or sport.

Even though the girls basketball team's senior night was snowed out, underclassmen showed their appreciation by giving the seniors roses.

Seniors on the guys football and basketball team presented parents with hugs, kisses, and roses to thank them for all their support.

At their spring concerts, the seniors performed an original skit about their years in band, and were honored by underclassmen. Likewise, chorus members recognized senior members with roses and special music.

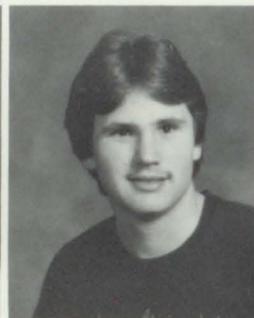
Every senior night is different, but they are all filled with tears and memories that are special to the departing class member.



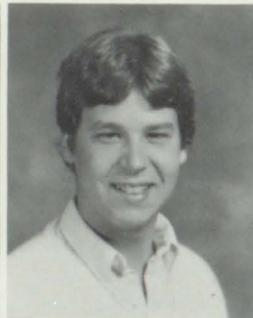
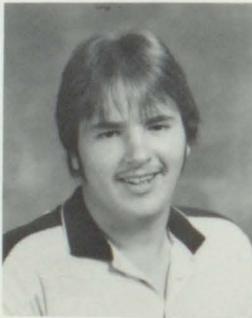
△ Chosen as the cutest senior football player from his baby picture, the cheerleaders honored Brian Zobrist with a baby blanket, bonnet and teddy bear.

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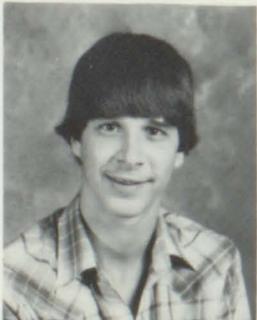
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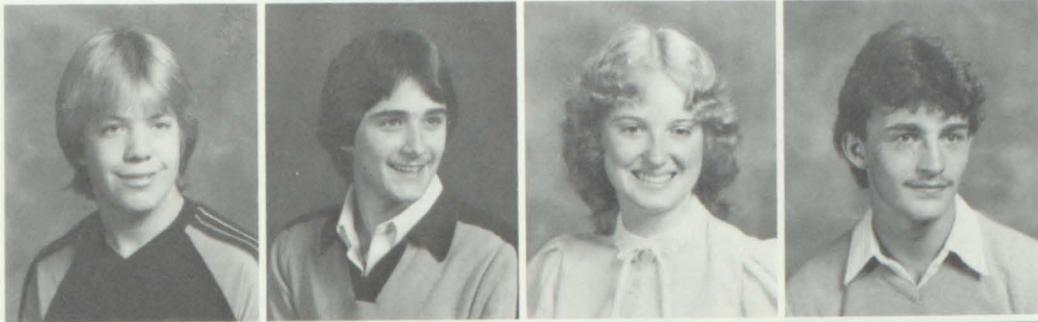


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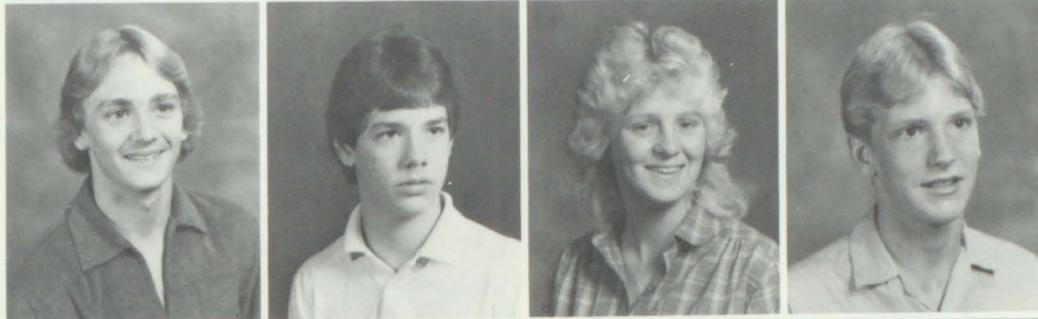


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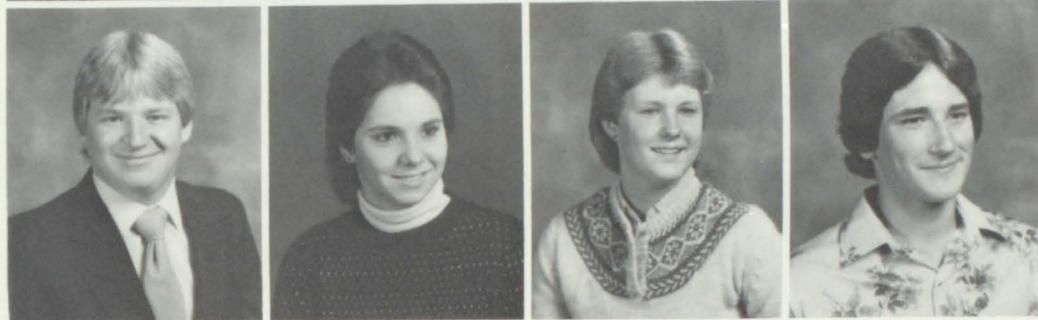




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Scott Parks  
Lori Parris  
Brad Paschal



Ron Perigen  
Steve Phillips  
Kathy Pierce  
Todd Plocher



Andy Prusa  
Melissa Putman  
Lee Ann Rautenberg  
Jeff Ray



▷ To wish Tina Voegele and Dawn Steiner good luck at super sectionals their friends gave them roses.

▽ During the Spring Band Concert the senior band members put on a skit about their years in band.

◁ Senior Bernice Weber receives a rose and a hug from Junior Dave Lancey at the Spring Chorus Concert.





High school is a mixture of memories such as shown by Deb Kuhl (above) and Rich Dusky (above right) who sign yearbooks and memory books. Posters, bumper stickers, signs, and other bits and pieces make up the scrapbook of life at HHS.

## Cluttered Memories

Old report cards.

Secret notes passed during class.

A school announcement saying "Happy Birthday" with your name on it.

Wrinkled reports, pressed flowers.

Ribbons, metals, and trophies.

Decorations and napkins from Prom.

Programs from musicals, school concerts and ball games.

Buttons, bulldog bumper stickers.

Small footballs, basketballs, and megaphones.

Yearbooks, senior memory book.

Class ring.

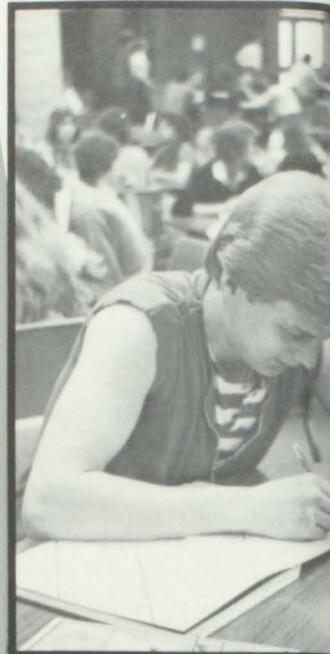
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Senior necklace.

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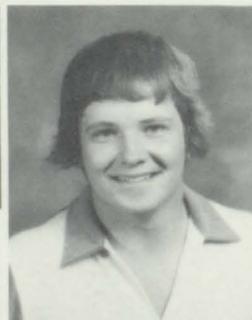
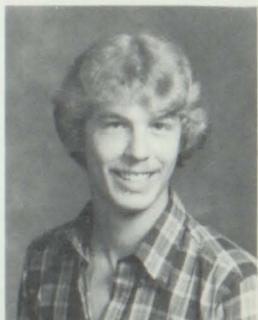
And many, many pictures.

Cluttered memories from four years of high school.

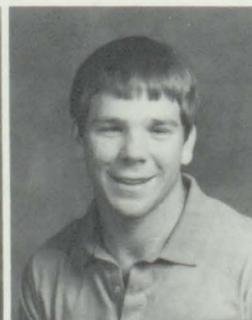
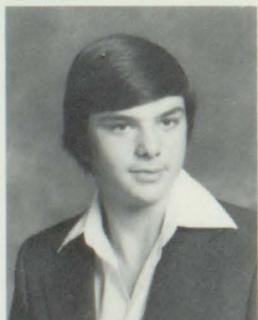


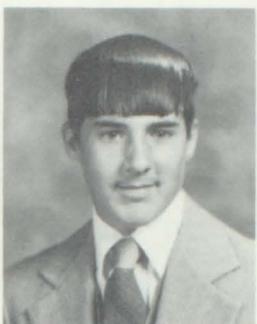
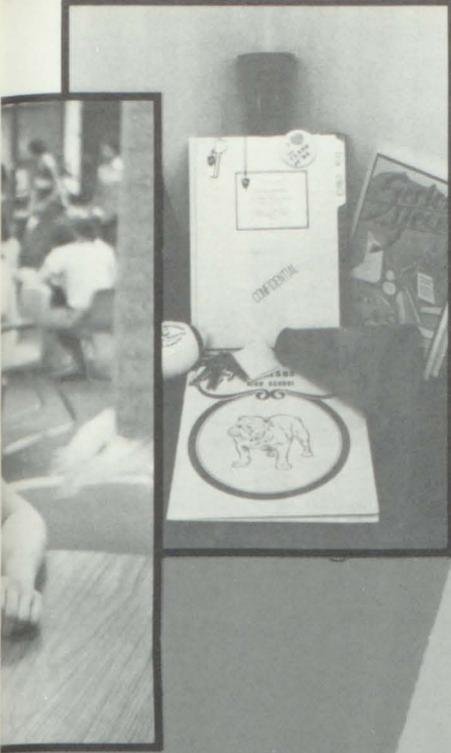
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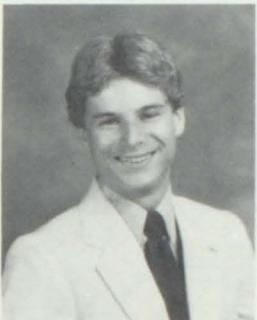


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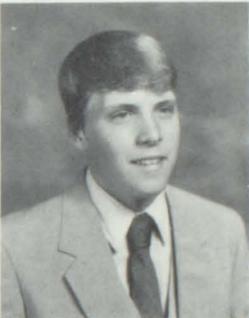




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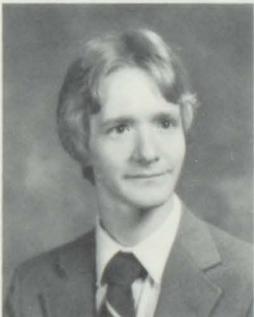
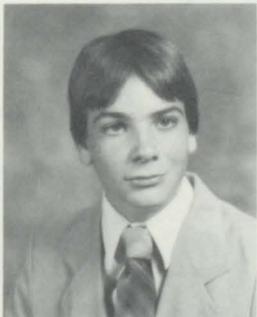
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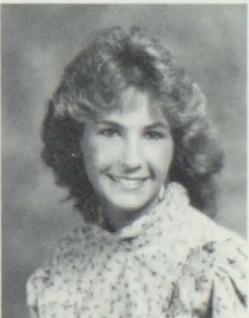
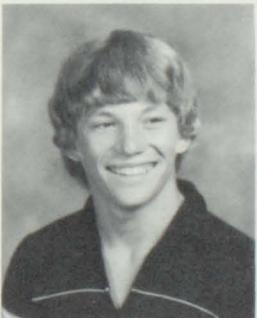
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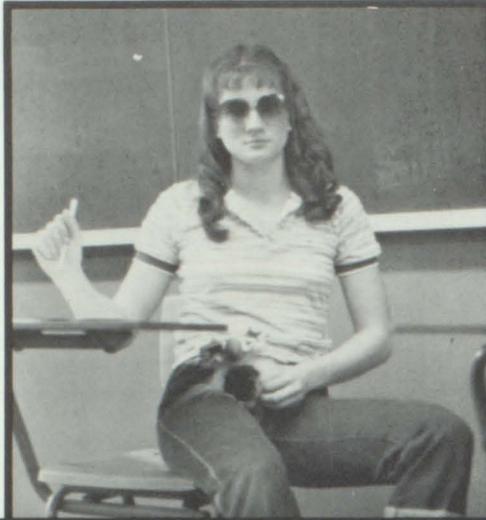
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# Where Do We Go from Here?

One of the hardest decisions for seniors to make is what to do after they graduate. They've spent 12 years in school doing one thing—learning, but figuring out what to do with the rest of their lives still remains a mystery. There are many reasons for the choices they make.

Some seniors go into the service after graduation to help the country and to see the world. Brian Melton said that the day he leaves will be

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the hardest part about signing up. Crista McLean chose to go to Hickey Business School so that she would get a better paying job. Some seniors don't wait until June to graduate. Theresa Klein and Cindy Feldmann wanted to graduate early so they could get a head start and look for jobs. Theresa started SIU-E in the spring.

Some seniors go into the service, some go into college or business school, and still others get full time jobs. The decision is a difficult one to make, but every senior makes it.

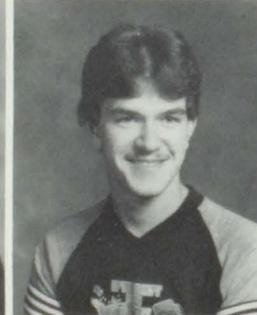
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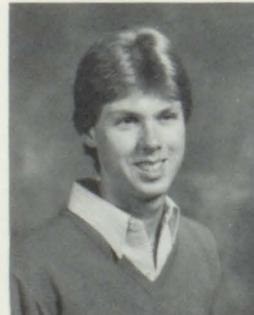
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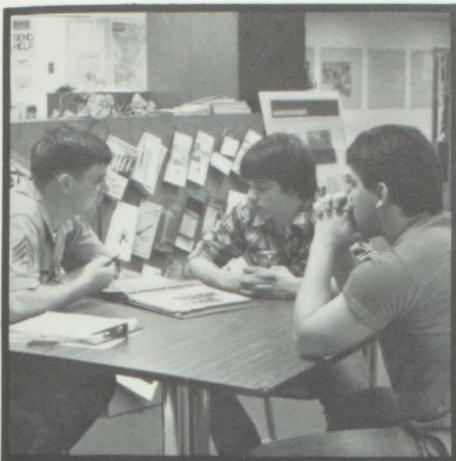
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△ Tina Voegele shows her individuality by dressing up on shade and sock day.

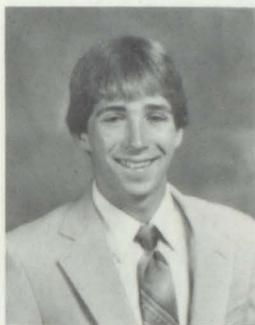
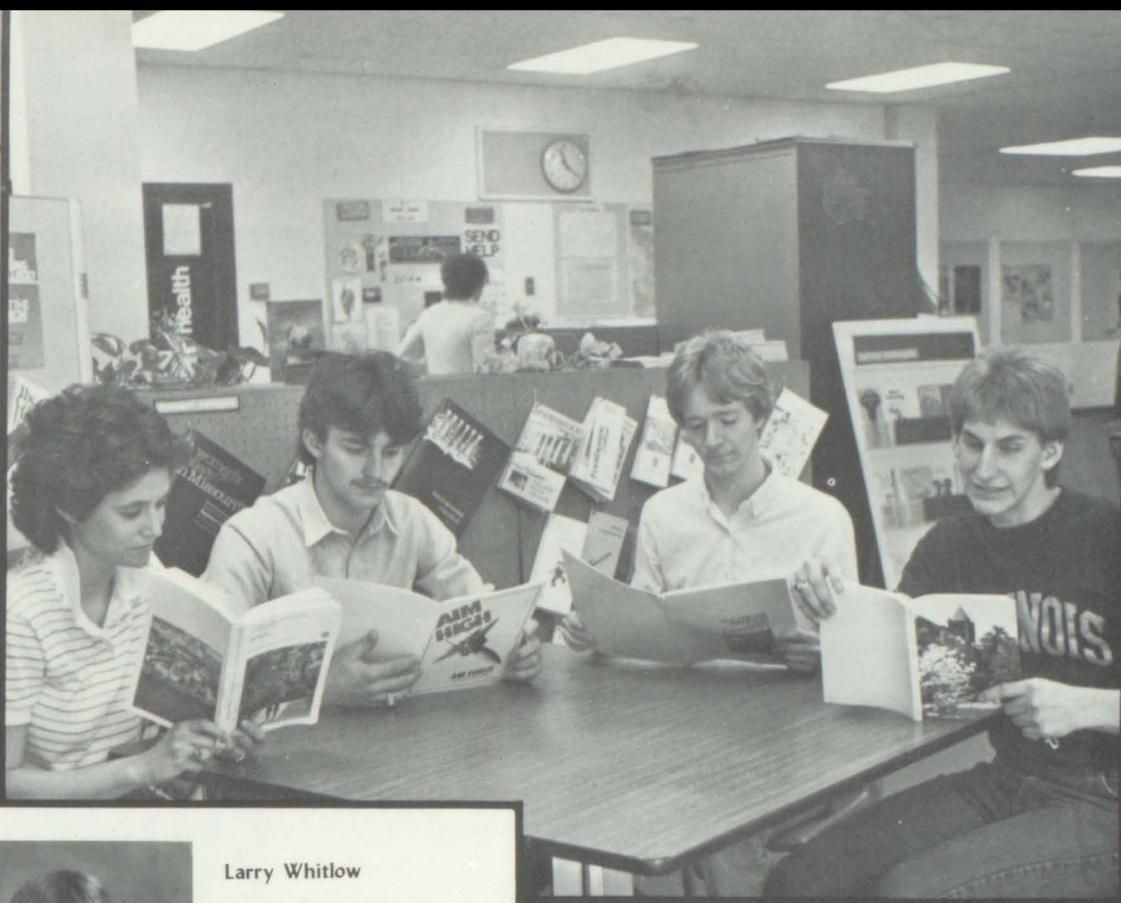
▽ Mr. Schaefer reminds seniors Warren Barth, Don Jakel, Joe Saathoff, and Ron Perigen that one of the responsibilities of being a student is to clear the table after they eat.



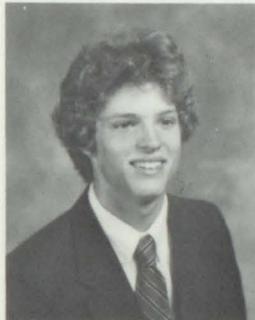


△ Seniors Dave Bugger, and Ray Foster talk to a service representative about their futures.

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Larry Whitlow

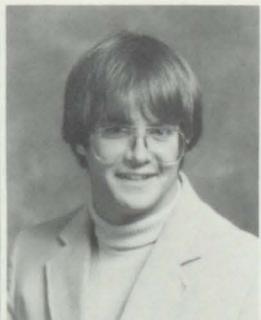


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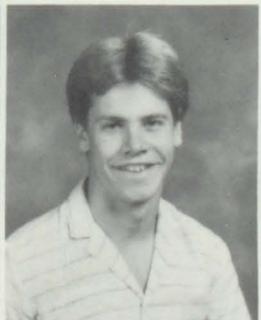
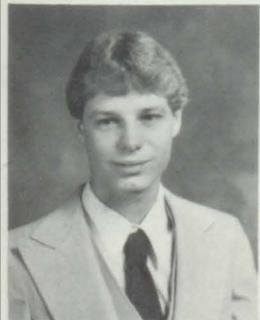
△ Senior class officers Secretary Tina Maroon, President Brad Paschal, Treasurer Jay Strackeljahn, and Vice-President Grant Barth look through college and service brochures to make sure they are choosing the best career for them.

◁ The commons—the most popular place to meet friends before school and at lunch.

▽ Seniors Christi Essenpreis and Lisa Haar wonder where all this studying will take them.



Audra Wilson  
Roger Young  
Brian Zobrist



Mark Zobrist  
Mike Zobrist  
Mark Zschiegner

Not Pictured  
Anthony Johnson  
John Kidder  
Bill Pugh  
Barry Reynolds

A few parents decided to display their congratulations one step further by renting a sign and leaving a message for the class of 1984.



Waiting for the "O.k." from Mr. Dale Schmalz, Andy Frerker and Joanne Hetzel wait to enter the Baccalaureate ceremony held Wednesday, May 30 at the Evangelical Church in Highland. Chosen as marshals, juniors Tim Dillow and Gina Langhauser lead the seniors down the aisle for Baccalaureate and graduation.



# Celebrating The End

With 12 years over and gone, June 1, the final night, marked the time for the seniors to say goodbye.

Celebrating the end? Isn't that wrong? Most yearbooks write of sad goodbyes. Well, tears did appear on graduation night when it was time to say goodbye to the class of 1984, but they were often followed by sighs of relief. No more high school.

After a year or more of planning, that began with thinking about what to do after high school and continued into the winter with ordering of caps and gowns, key chains, and memory books, it finally dwindled down to Friday, June 1.

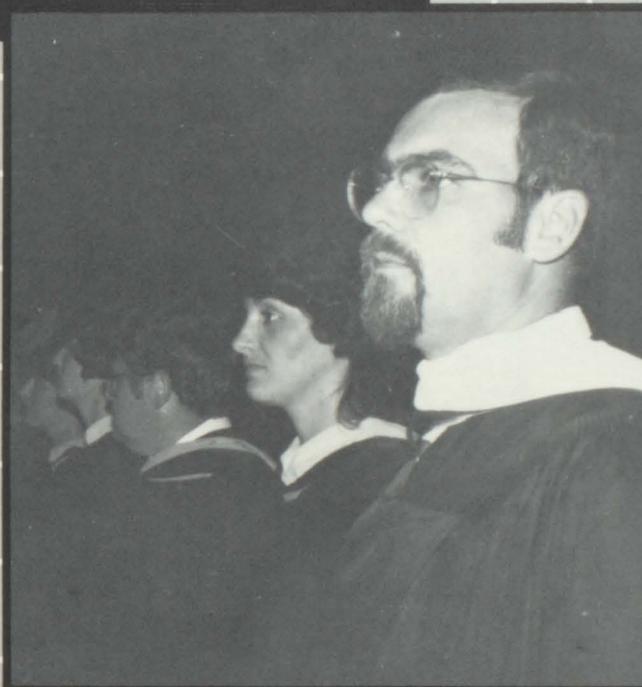
Commencement was held in a gym, packed with relatives and friends, approximately 200 graduating seniors and the band who performed their selection

of "Never Gonna Let You Go," along with the traditional "Pomp and Circumstance."

Following junior marshalls Tim Dillow and Gina Langhauser were Valedictorian Michele Fornelli and Salutatorian Cindy Hester.

The faculty comment came from social studies teacher Mr. Steven Moore who was followed by guest speaker Dr. Bruce R. Wismore, president of Belleville Area College. Diplomas were distributed and the Class of '84 exited as graduates of HHS.

It was all over. Four years of high school had passed and the seniors could look back to see if they had finally gotten it all straight.



◁ Valedictorian Michele Fornelli receives an award from Mr. Olin Stratton, superintendent of Highland schools.

△ Mr. Steven Moore, who was chosen by the senior class to give the teacher comment, stands among the other teachers during graduation.

# Looking Back

Now over and past, the school year offers students the chance to look back.

So the school year is over. Now it's time to take a step back and review the year in a different perspective. "Did I choose the right classes?" "Had I run five yards further, could I have caught the pass to score the winning touchdown?" "Did I ask the right girl/guy to coronation or prom?" "Did I choose the right college?"

The questions continue. Some receive positive responses while others remain unanswered.

The year faced a few changes. Oh sure, it had its annual football season, coronation and prom, yet students watched for the first time, the girls basketball team play in supersectionals,

discovered that there would be no spring musical and that the publication of the school newspaper had ended.

The school year went on though, offering challenges to students. Some were challenges that faced students in the past; others were challenges never met before. Beginning back on August 29, 1983 and continuing on till graduation on June 1, 1984, from the highly successful season of the Lady Bulldogs through the death of history teacher Mr. David Bailey, students faced options, obstacles, and life experiences that they were forced to sift and sort in their struggle to "get it straight."



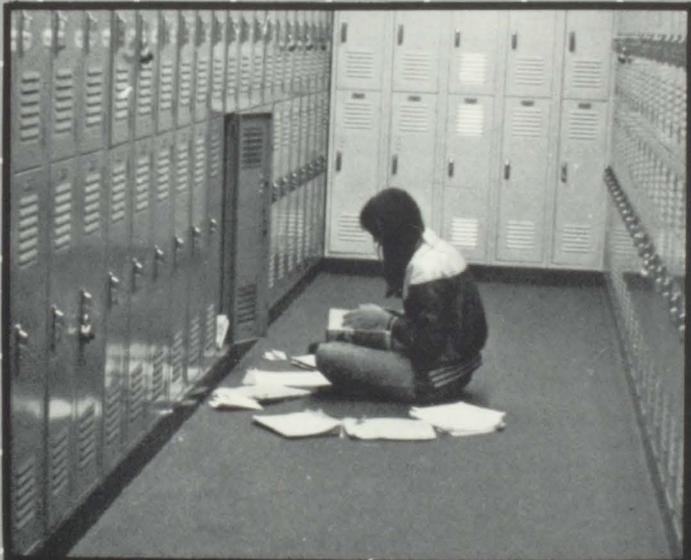
With the end of school coming near, it's time to award those who have excelled through the year.

Junior Angie Lutostanski receives an award for her performances in chorus.

Saying "thanks" in a special way, a few of Mrs. Marjory Turner's students present her with roses during the final week of school.



Senior Bernice Weber performs one last song in the high school auditorium during the spring band concert. For her finale, she performed the song "Nothing" from the musical "A Chorus Line."

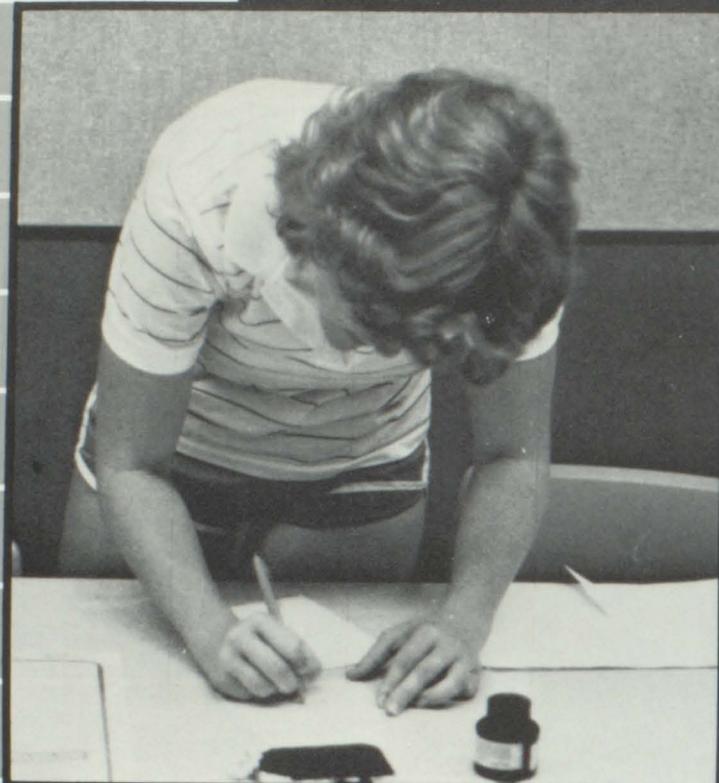


Knowing the end of the school year is near, junior Jeanette Forehand cleans out a few things from her locker. Students were required to have their locker cleaned for the locker inspection on the last day of school.

Showing her team spirit, senior Tina Voegele holds her hand up to show that she feels the Lady Bulldogs are number one.



Putting the finishing touches on her layouts, senior Connie Korte stamps and numbers her pictures. Korte took on the challenge of class editor.



Iris staff: (Left to Right) Lesa Kraus, Lee Ann Rautenberg, Matt Duncan, Stacy West, Mark Reaka, Pat Leopold, Robbie McCord, Jay Strackeljahn, Kurt Thuenemann, David Lancey, Julie Debatin, Paula East, Sue Hencke, Pam Reinacher, Connie Korte, Missy Neudecker, Ginny Greve, Lisa Brusack.



## Let's Get It Straight

Even with a lack of experience, the staff worked to get it straight.

It's funny, sort-of ironic in a way, how the title for the yearbook, "Let's Get It Straight," told the exact requirements of the Iris staff.

Gathering information, getting pictures, making decisions and meeting deadlines were just a few of these requirements.

Meeting these requirements was a little harder for the young staff. When the first day of school arrived in August, it brought thirteen students to adviser Mr. Dale Ott's room, but of the thirteen, only three were second year staff members.

This lack of experience plus the pressure to better the accomplishments made by the 1983 book titled "Inside HHS," such as being named to the "Golden Dozen" by the Southern Illinois

Press Association, and being named top book in its category by the Eastern Illinois Press Association brought the first obstacle of many that the staff would face.

After the first year students were trained on just how a yearbook is made, they began producing the 1983-84 book. Off to a slow start, the book looked as if it would never get done, but as the end of the year rolled around, and two weeks into the summer, the book took form.

Radical changes and rules, that applied in books before, were being broken by the creative staff. In the end, it didn't take the traditional form, actually it opened doors to the yearbooks yet to be made.

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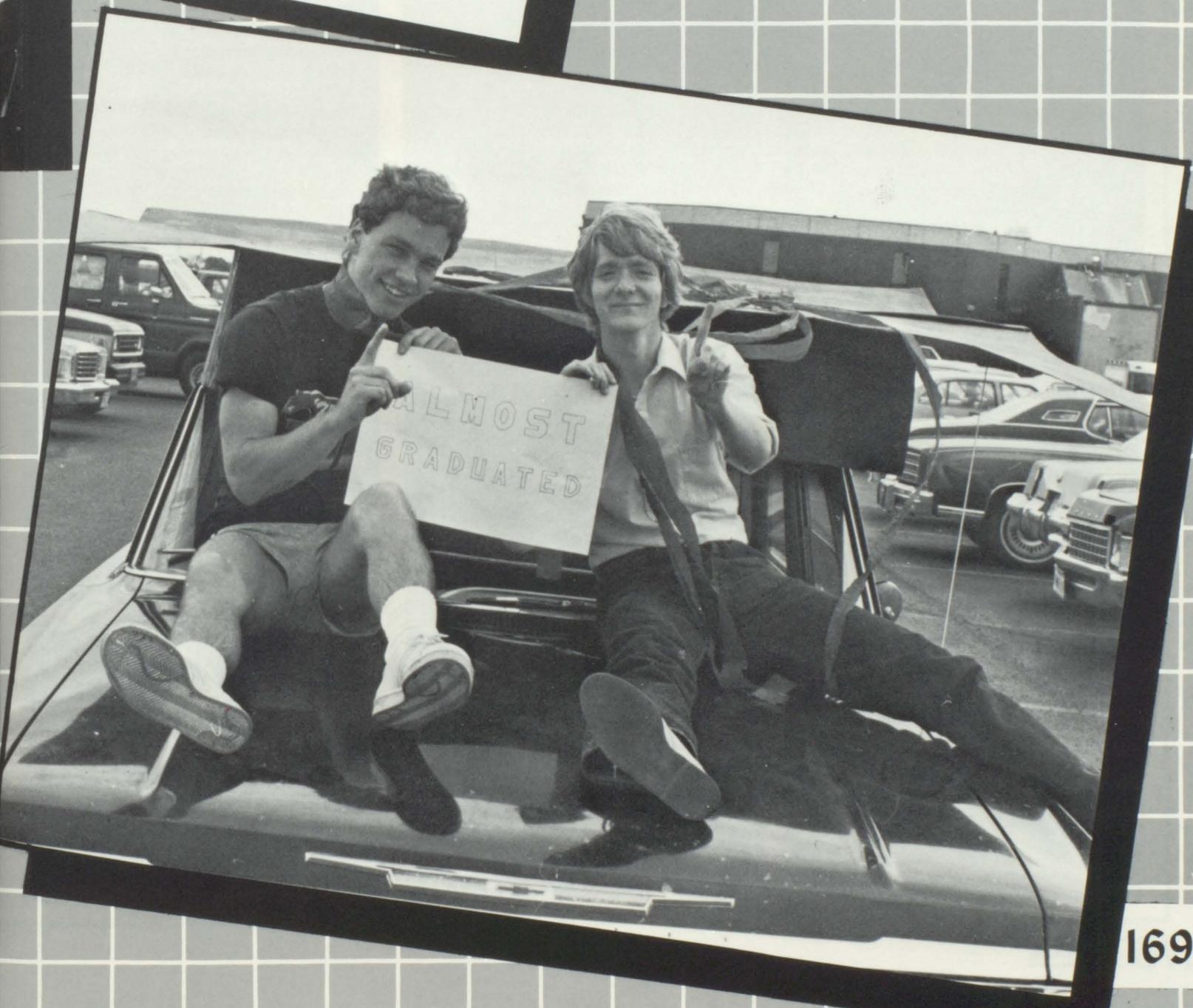


Working together on the light table, juniors Paula East and Julie Debatin crop a picture for their layout.



Working on copy for the basketball layouts, senior Pat Leopold edits and revises his first draft. Leopold, as sports editor, worked on getting the sports section straight.

Not satisfied with a quiet goodbye, editor Robbie McCord and ads editor Jay Strackeljahn, both seniors, hold up a sign while they sit in front of their 8' X 8' graduation hat.



# ADVERTISEMENTS

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There is another important factor that is affected by advertising. It is not so much for the businesses, but for the organizations that require ads to keep running. Much of the publishing costs for the HHS yearbook is covered by the advertising of local businesses. Without their support, the yearbook would probably wither away to a looseleaf notebook with IRIS handwritten on the cover. It is obvious that the students of HHS owe much to the local merchants.

There is a way to show appreciation for their contributions. By shopping area merchants first, you are not only supporting those who support the school, but also you are supporting your own yearbook. Also you just might gain a new pair of jeans or some other item you had no idea was available in the area.

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Thanks for  
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COOP student Julie Bullock is employed at Voegele's Studio, being a receptionist and doing other types of work in photography.

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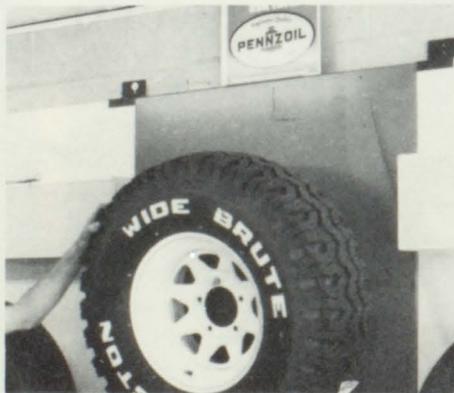
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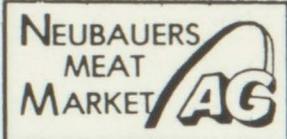
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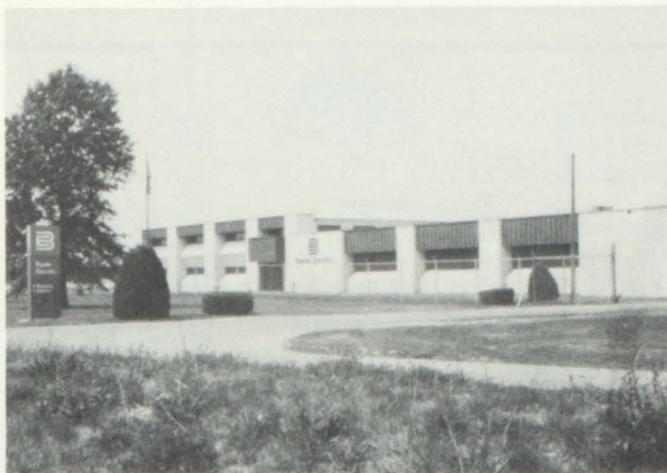
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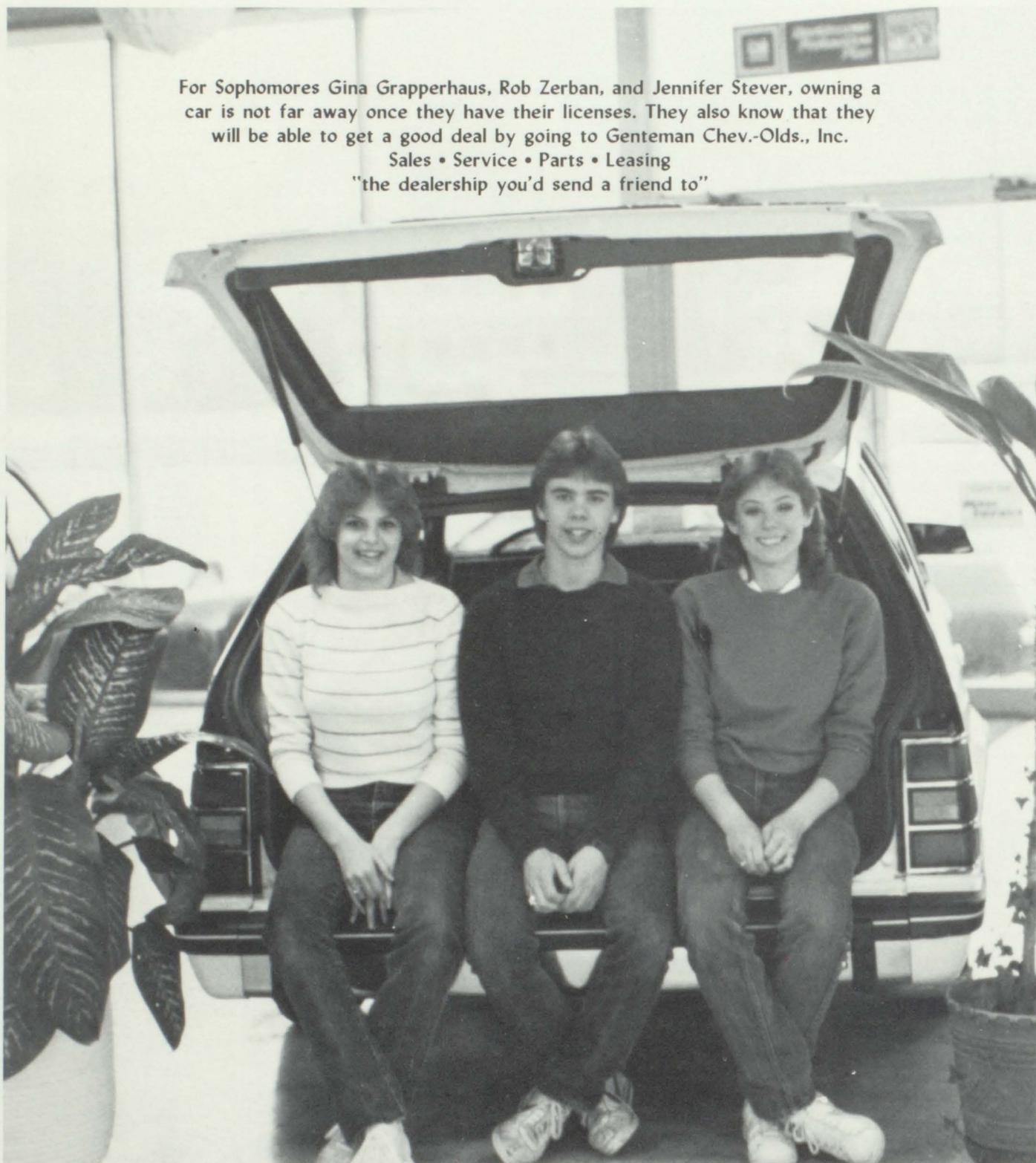
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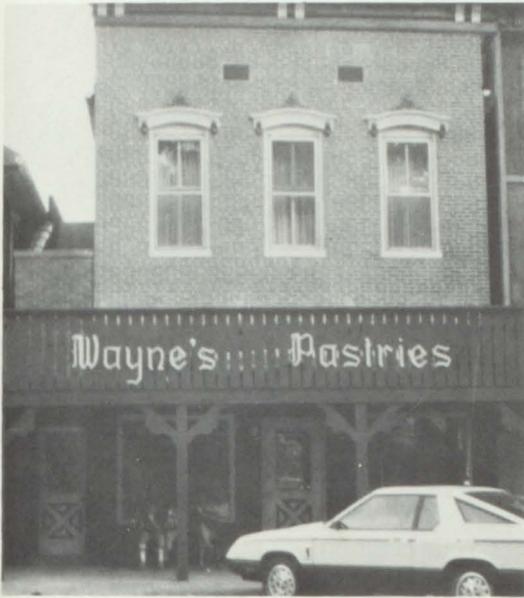
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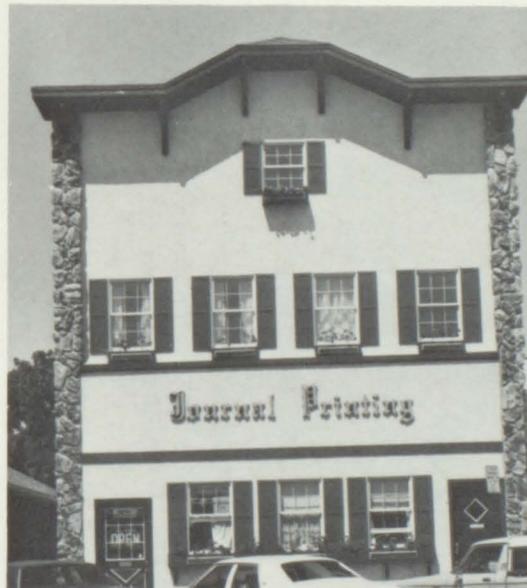
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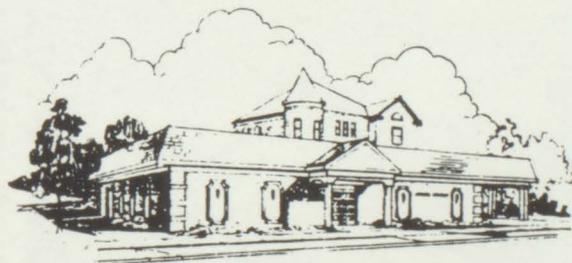
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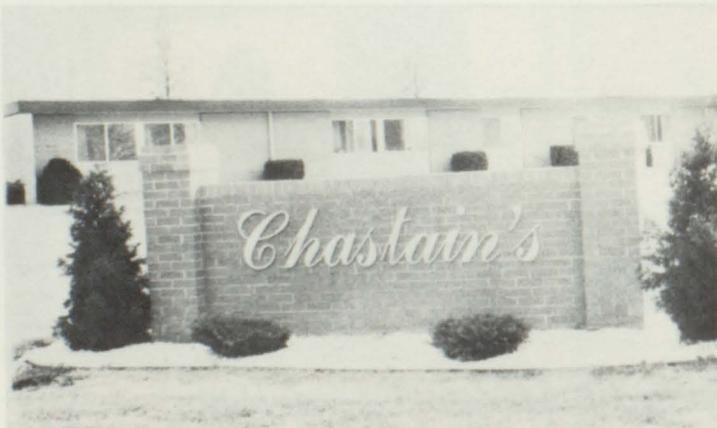
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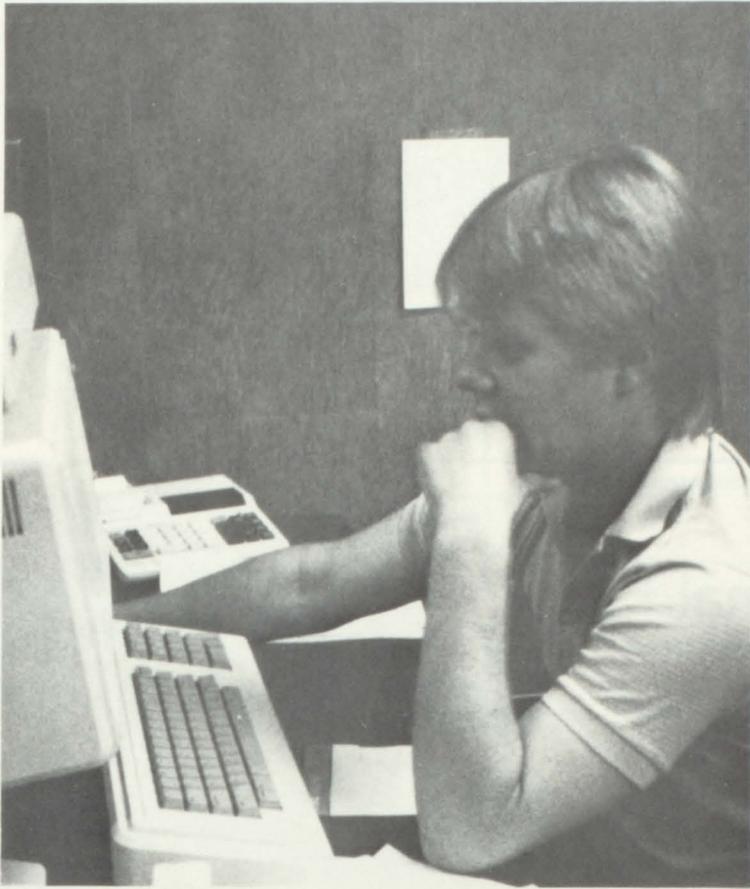
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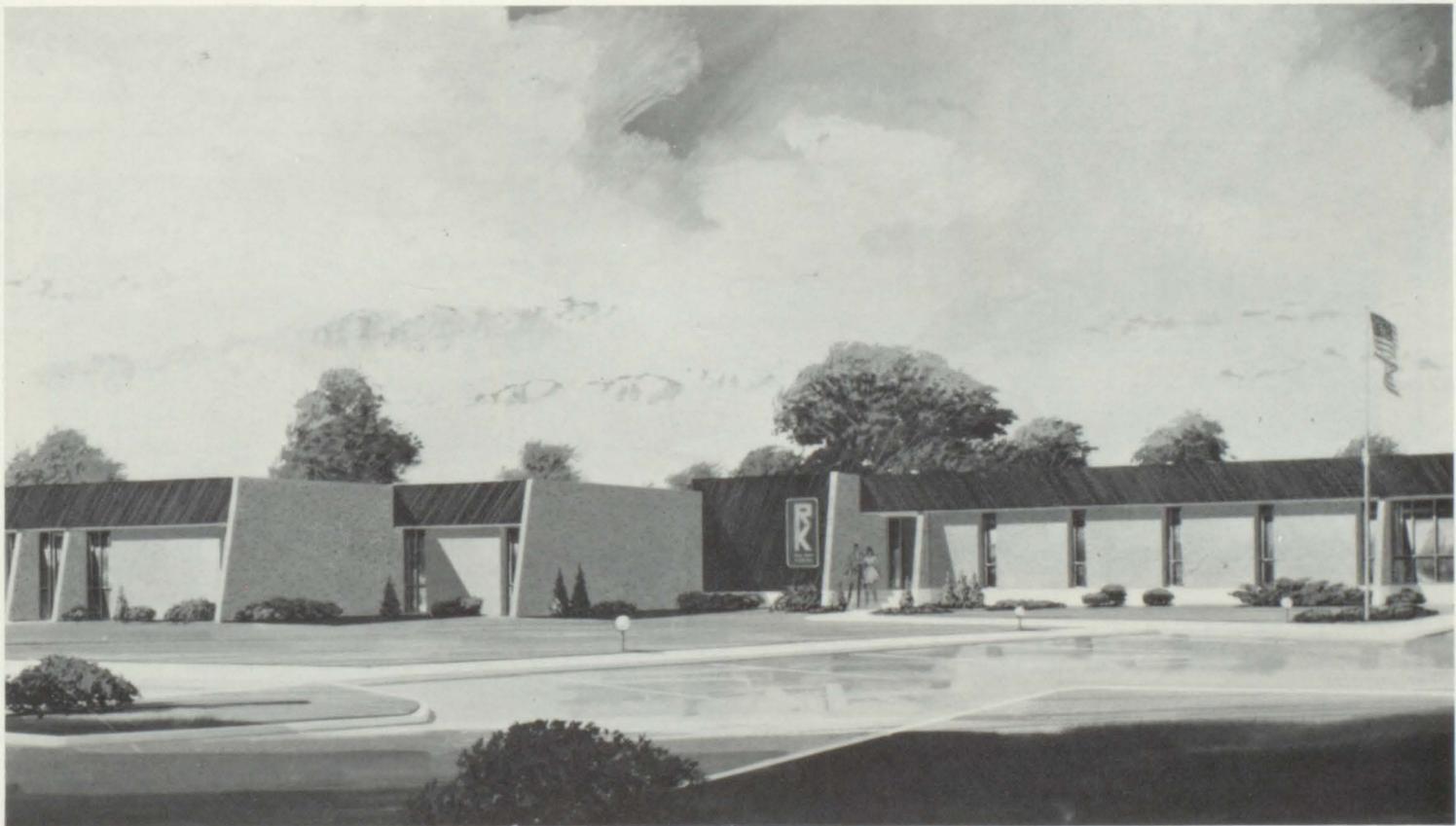


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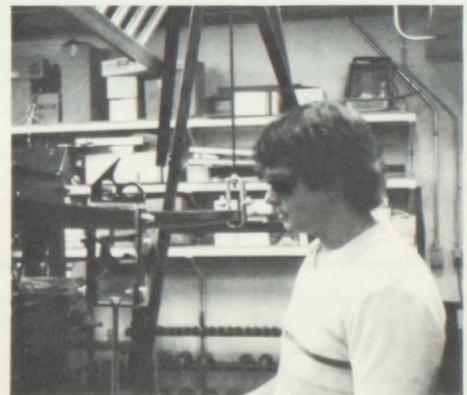
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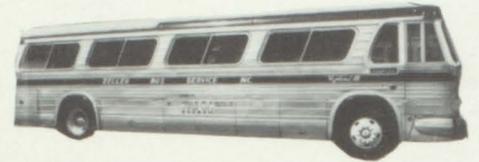
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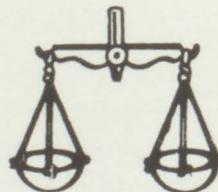
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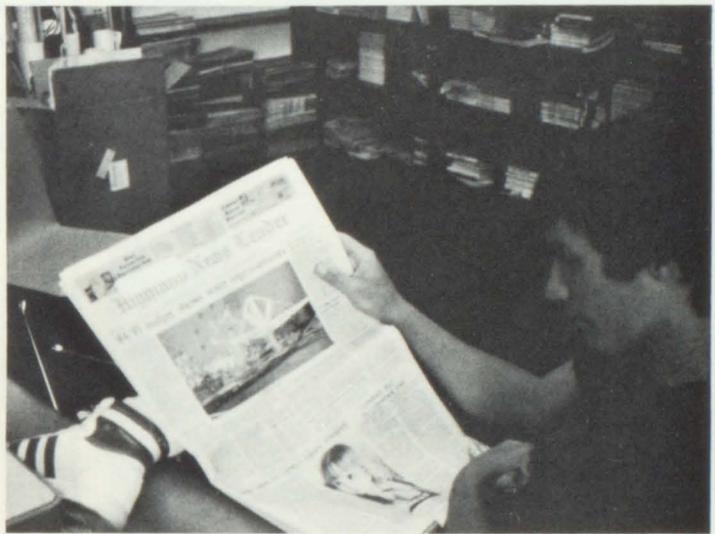
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Senior Shari Sanvi does a little informal advertising for her dad's business, Safe Supply. Safe Supply has industrial rubber and plastics, conveyor, air and water hosing, and rainwear.

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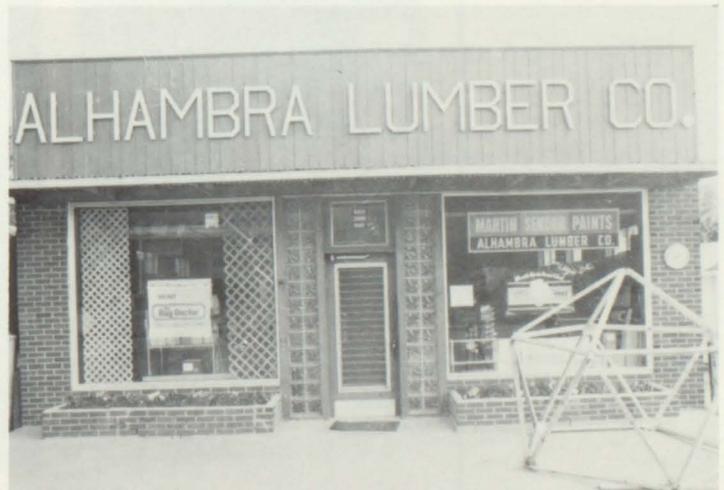
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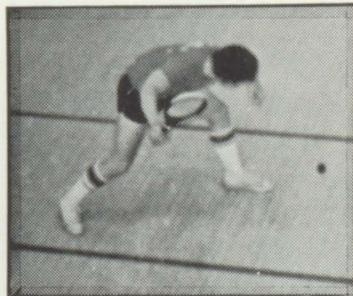
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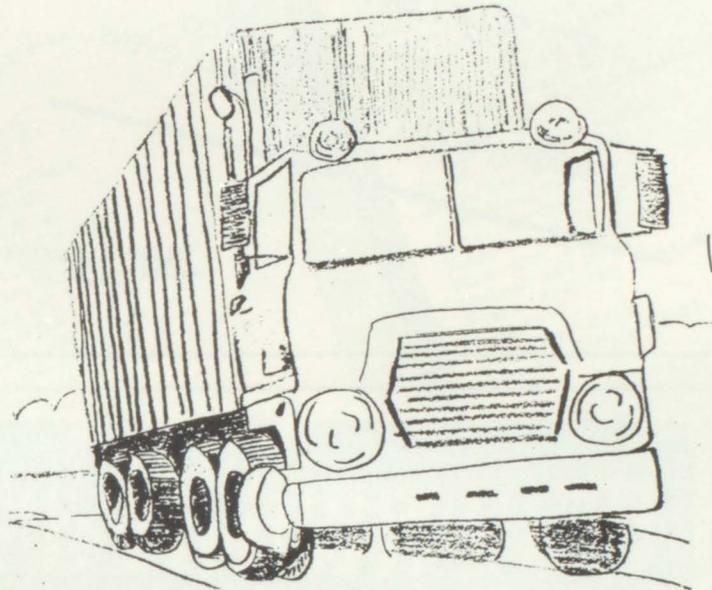
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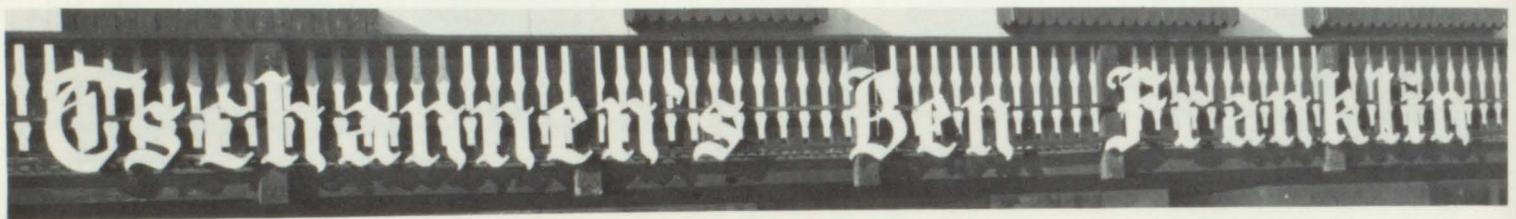
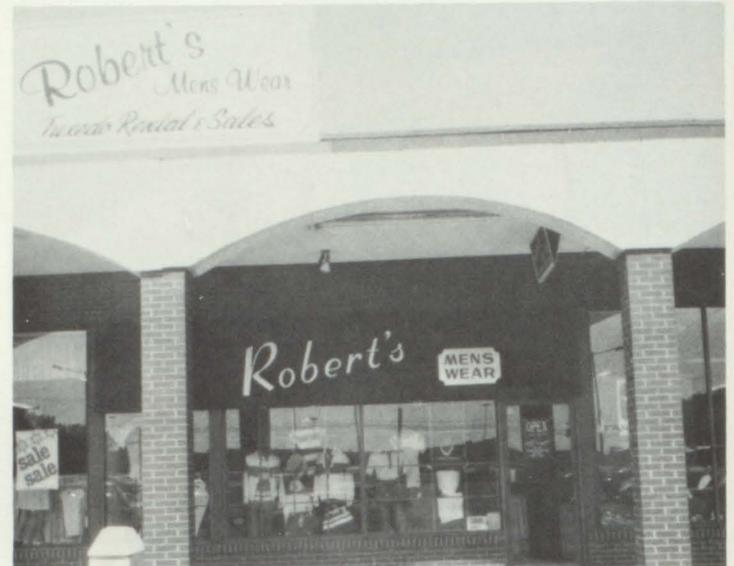
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