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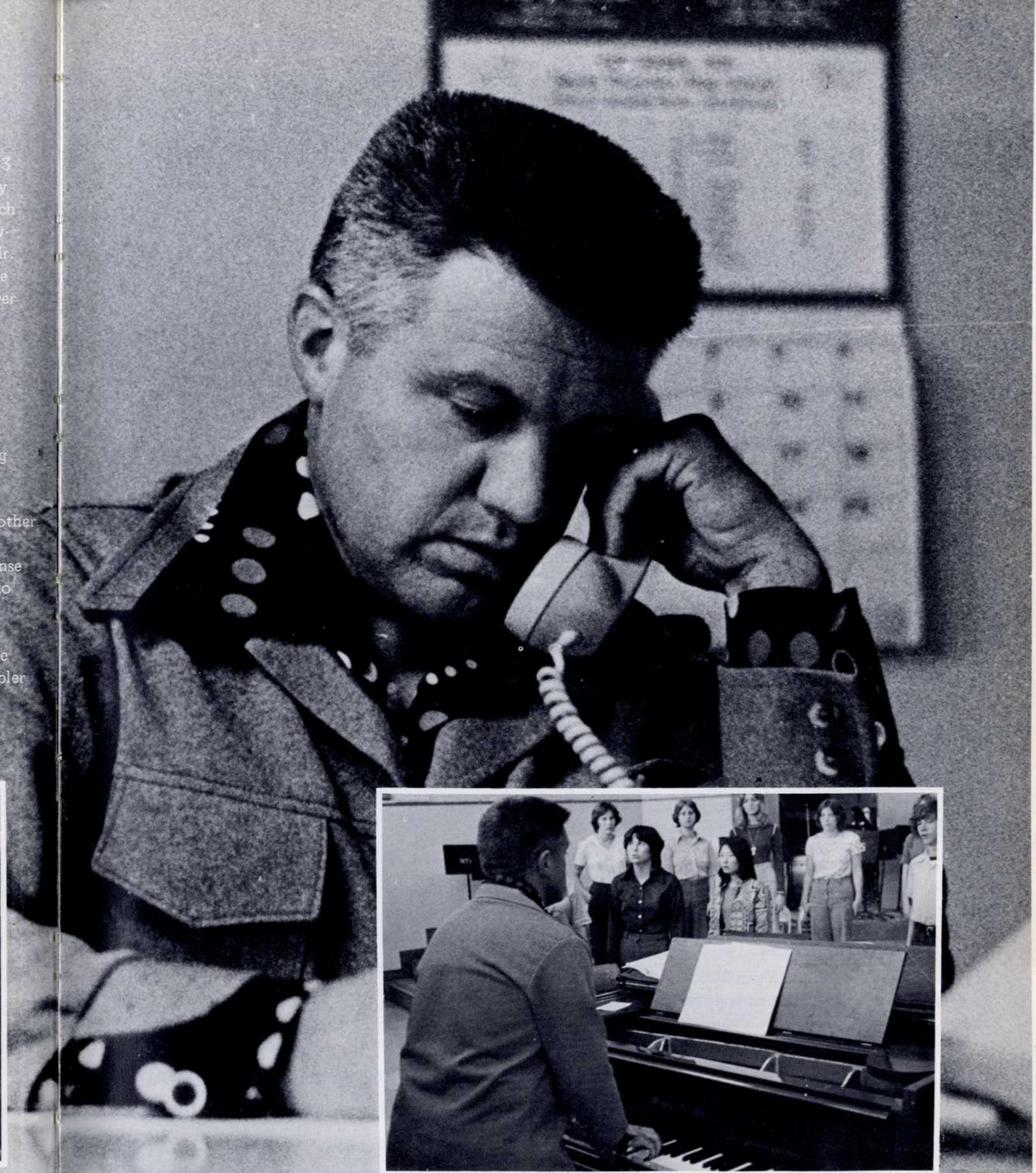
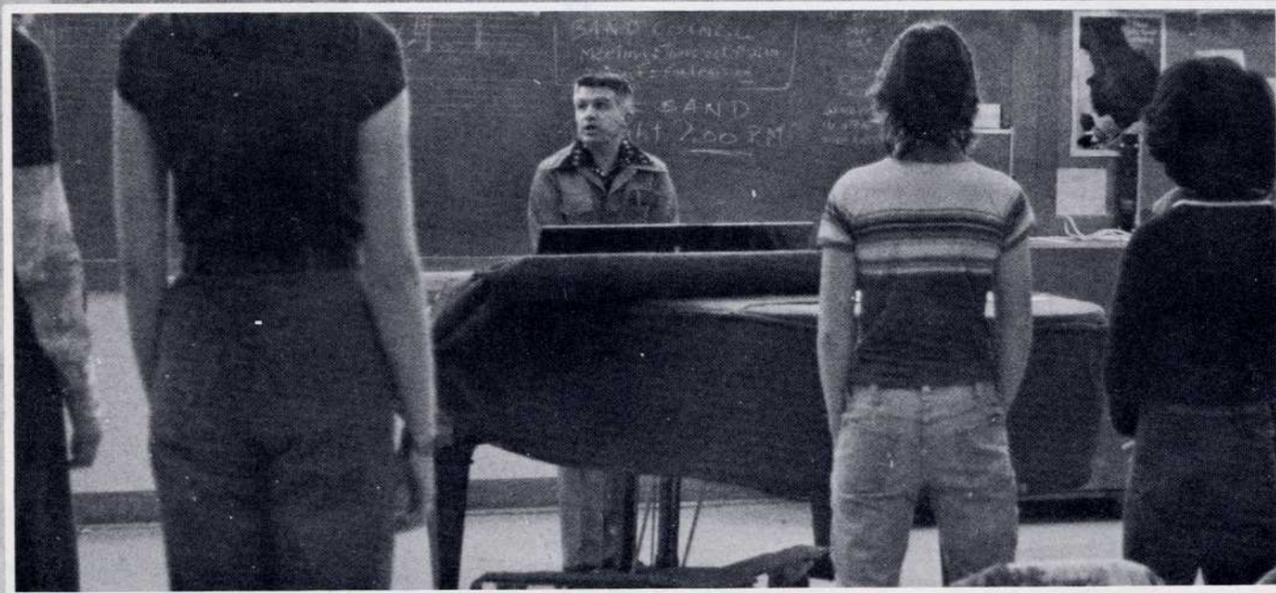


Larry Price has been at North Thurston for 13 years. There are still some ex-students and faculty who can remember when he had a crew-cut. Which wasn't so long ago, considering he still has a crew-cut. In fact that's one of the nice things about Mr. Price- he doesn't change much. He still has all the enthusiasm and pep of a rookie teacher. He's never become numb and caring still has priority in his book.

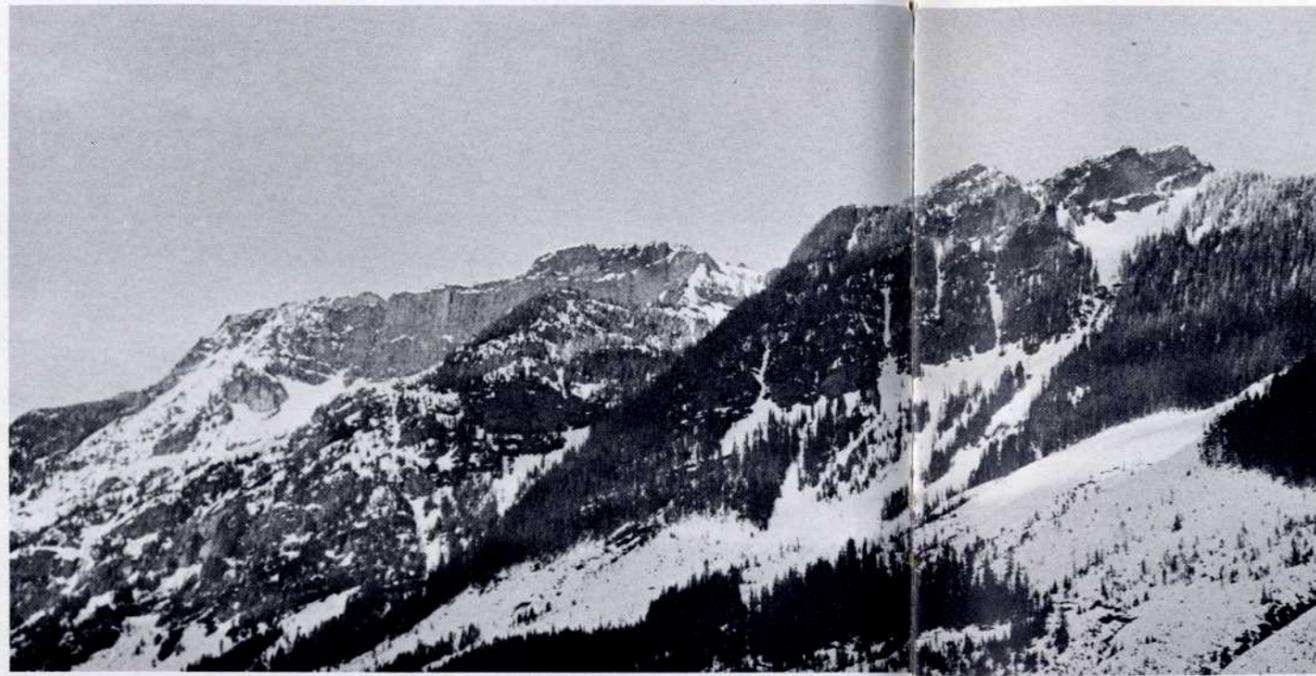
Whether it's moving risers for a concert or writing a scholarship recommendation, Mr. Price puts in that little something extra. That effort doesn't stop at the end of the school day, either. He meets classes after school and at night. During football season you'll find him out in the cold hawking hot apple cider with his concert chorale group. Saturdays look for him making pizzas, another money raising project.

Larry and his wife, Colleen, also take an intense personal interest in students. They're not afraid to committ themselves.

It is with great pleasure and gratitude that the Rambler staff dedicates this years' 1976-77 Rambler to Mr. Larry Price.



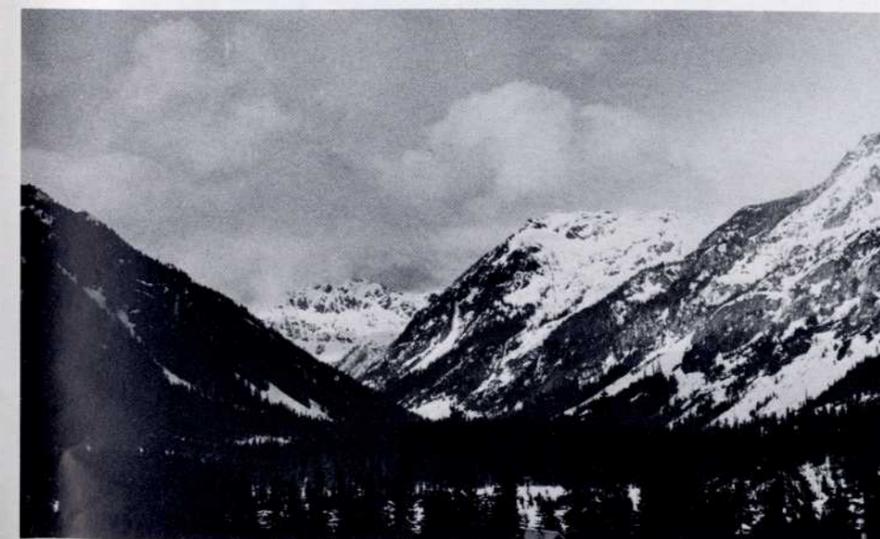
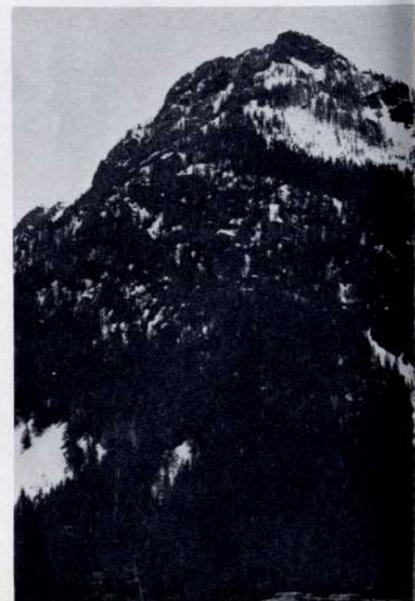
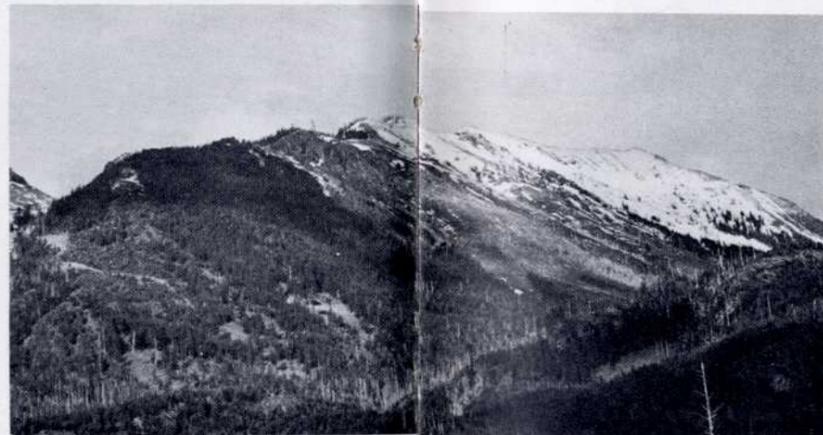
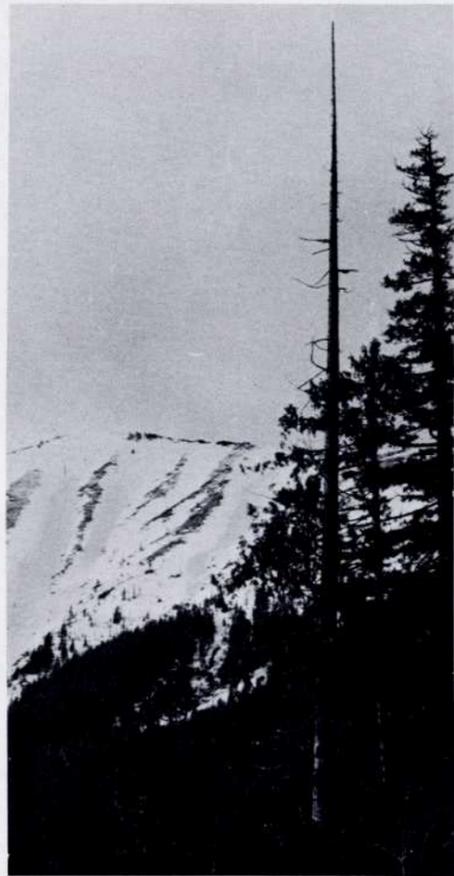
Theme



Why does a man climb a mountain? It has been said, "because it's there." But that isn't the only reason. Man has been intrigued by challenges since the dawn of time. A curiosity to find out what's on the other end of the rainbow, the other side of the mountain...



Everyday life is the same. Full of challenges and hardships, each with its own way of being conquered, overcome, or adjusted to. Coming into high school as freshmen the class of 1977 had to adjust to the changes. There wasn't going to be anyone to hold their hand and do things for them anymore.



Adjustment was gradual, taking most of their first two years. By their junior year (sophomore for some) they fit into the structure of North Thurston, having adjusted just as a mountain climber who begins the final assault on the summit. This year as seniors they have finally reached the summit. High school is over and they can never come back. For some, life will hold simpler challenges; for others there will be higher mountains to conquer.



The staff of the 1976-77 Rambler would like to extend its best wishes to the graduating class of 1977, and to the under-graduate classes of 1978, 1979 and 1980. We hope that your journey through high school may be as rewarding as it was for the class of '77.

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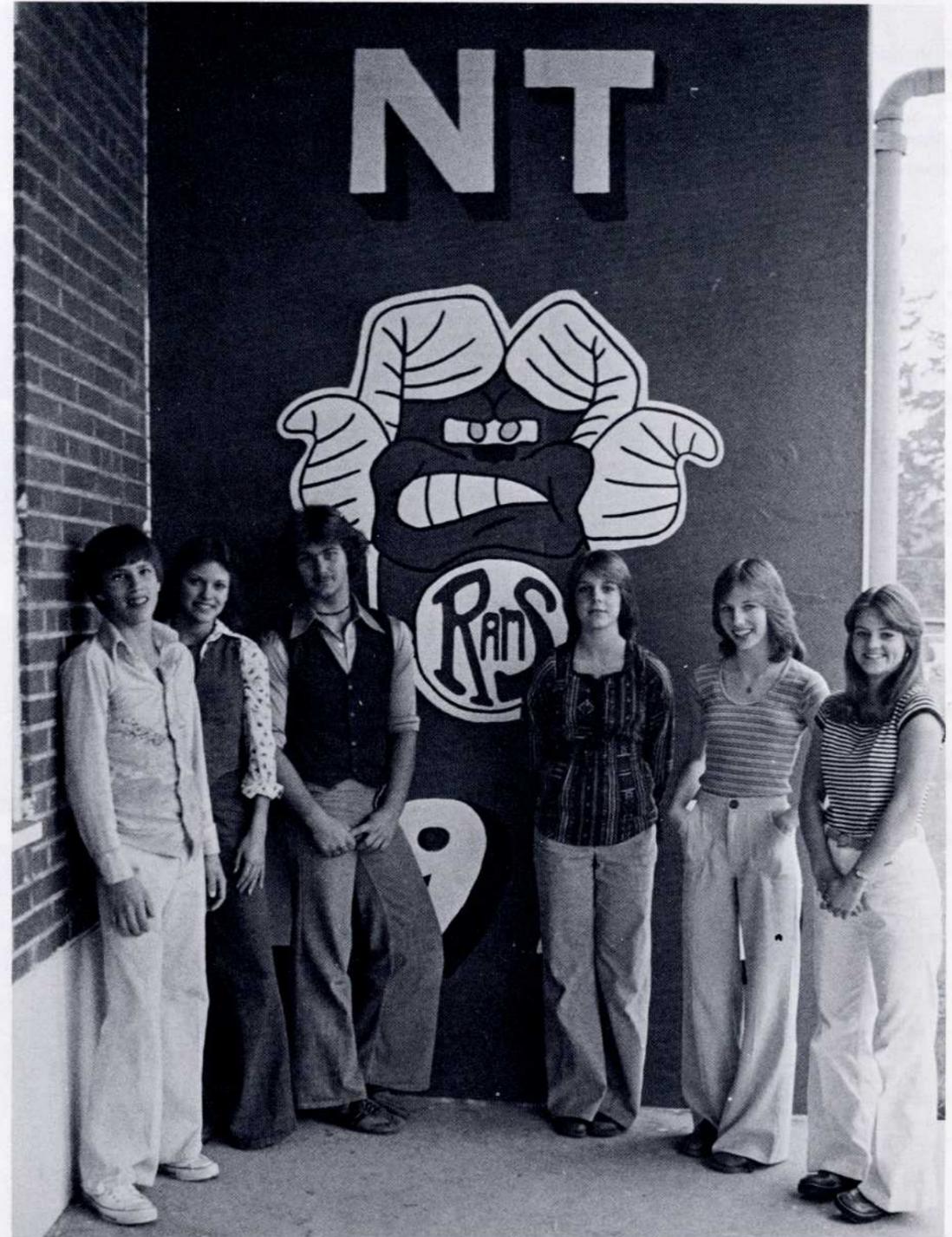
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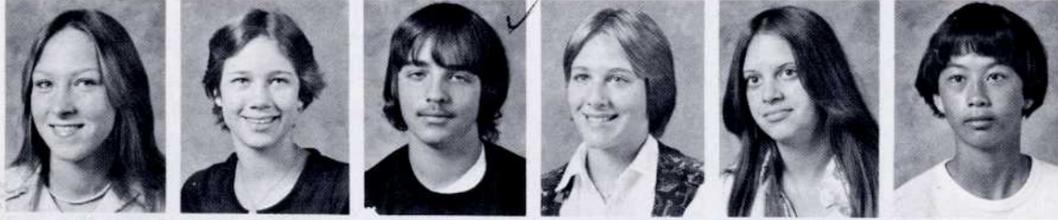
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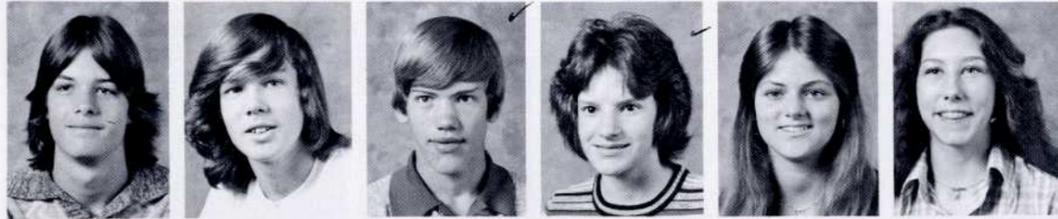
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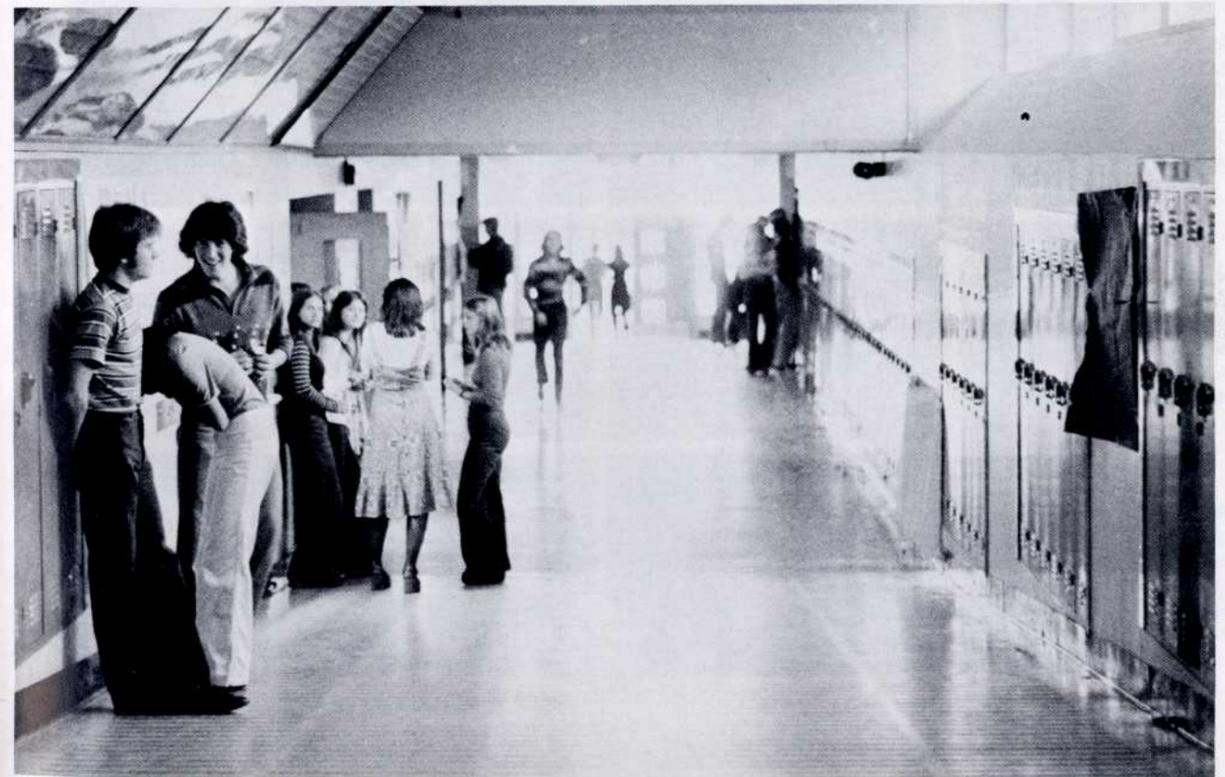
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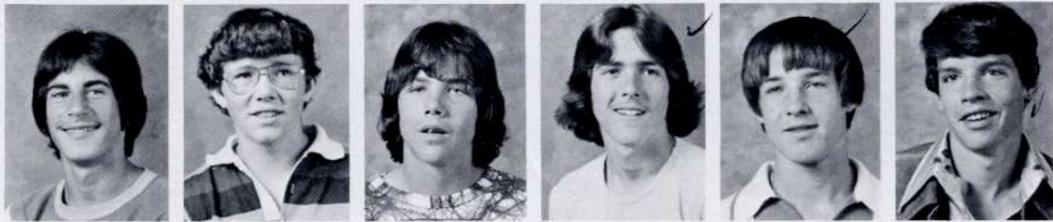
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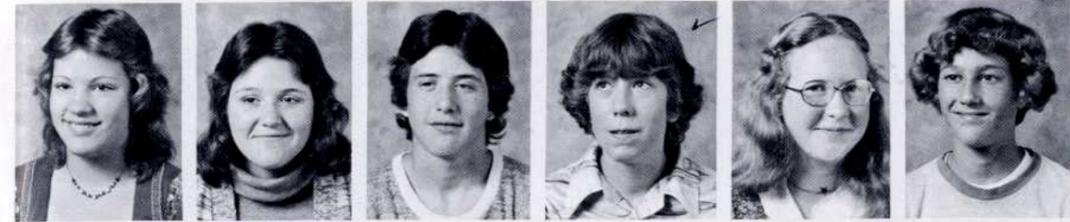
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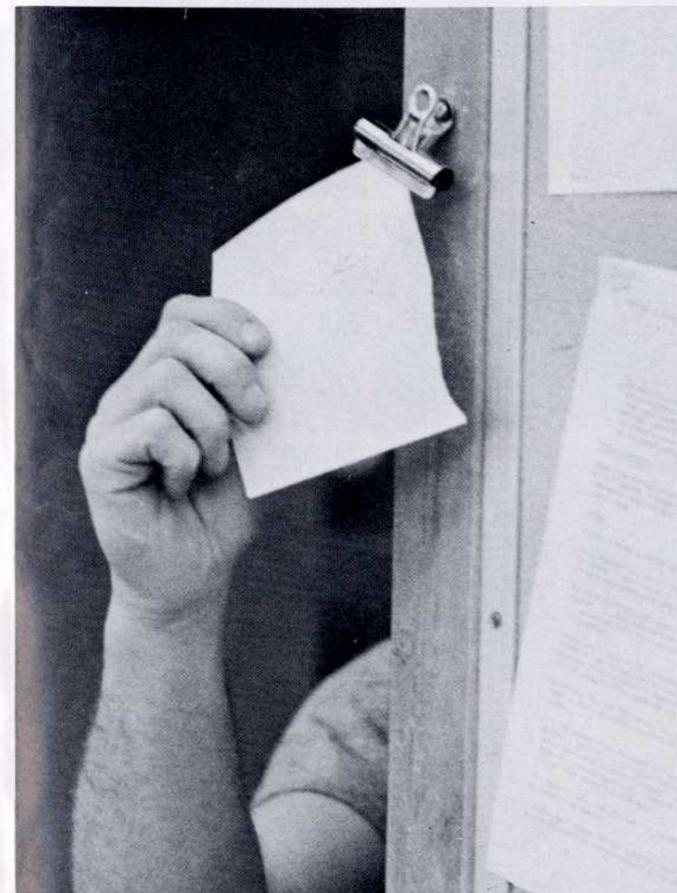
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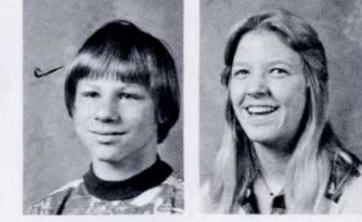
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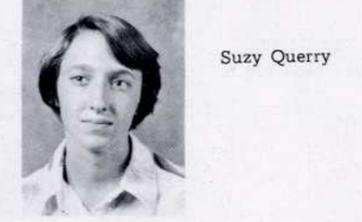
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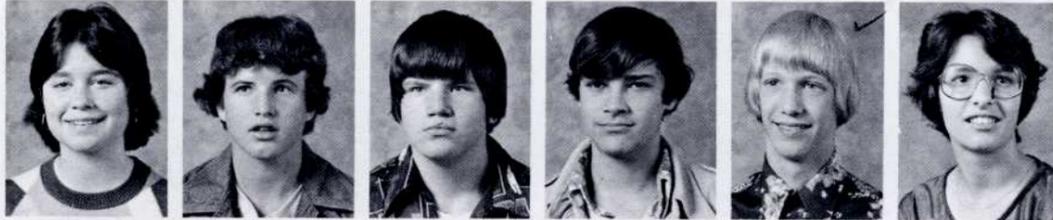
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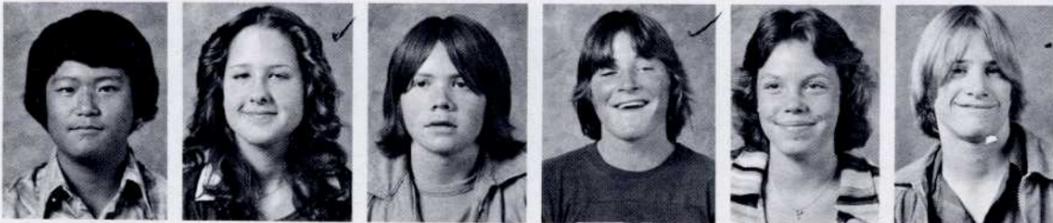
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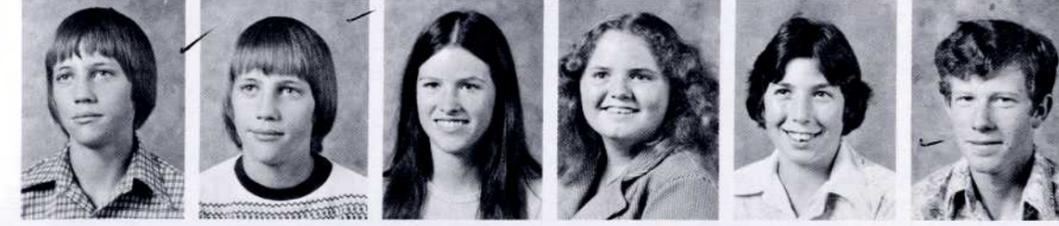
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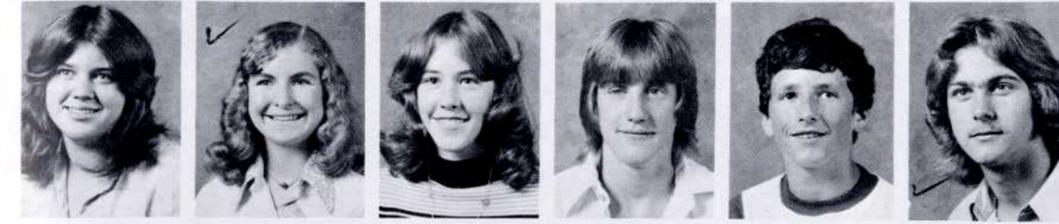
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Student Lounge

The student lounge (formerly the multi-use room) opened this year, much to the joy of the students. Originally, there were no vending machines or any games. But due to the untiring efforts of the Student Lounge Committee (led by the "unsinkable" Janet Grabill); foosball and pinball and music were introduced for the students' pleasure and entertainment.



Above: The original and oldest member of the lounge.
 Above right: Foosball...A-1 entertainment if you've got the available change.
 Center: Pinball, as demonstrated by Bill Todd.
 Center right: Tunes for all; if you can get it to work right.
 Right: The lounge...end result of many years of hard work.

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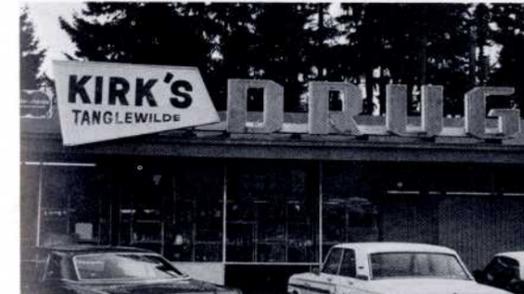


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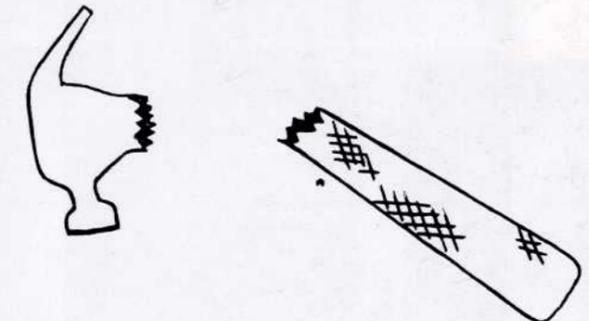
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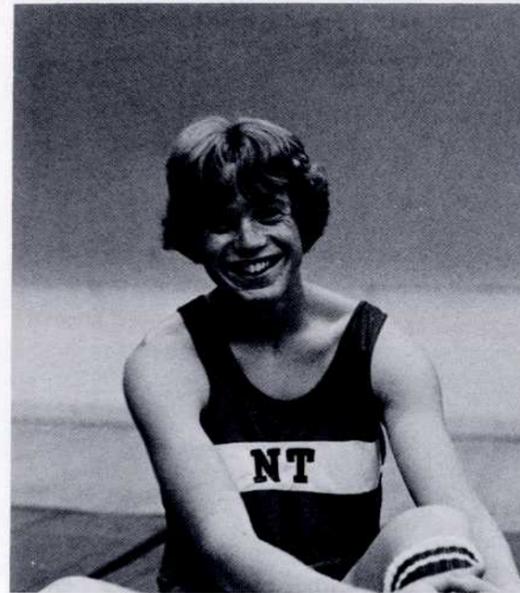
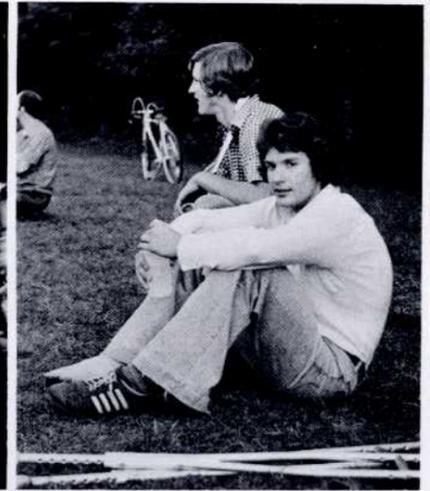
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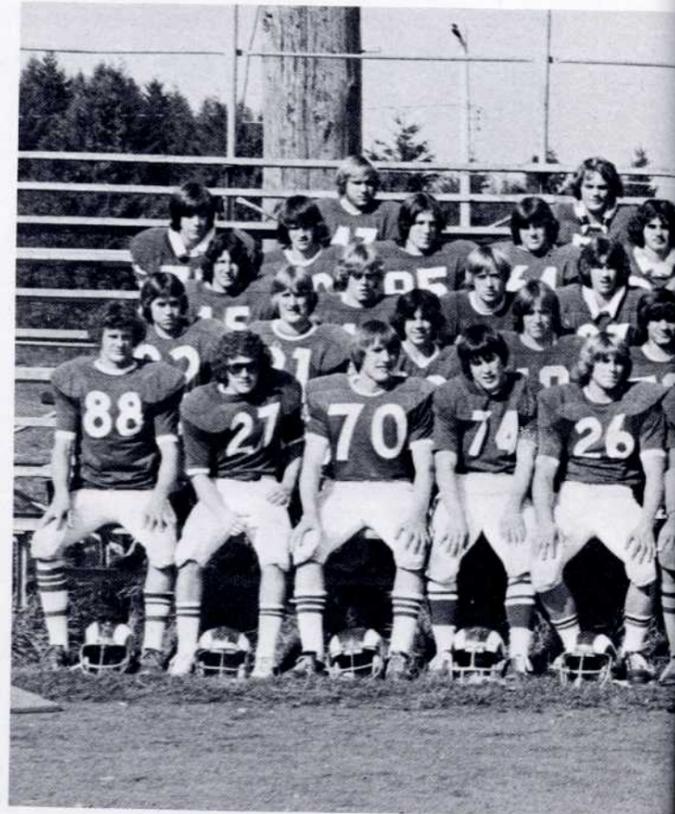
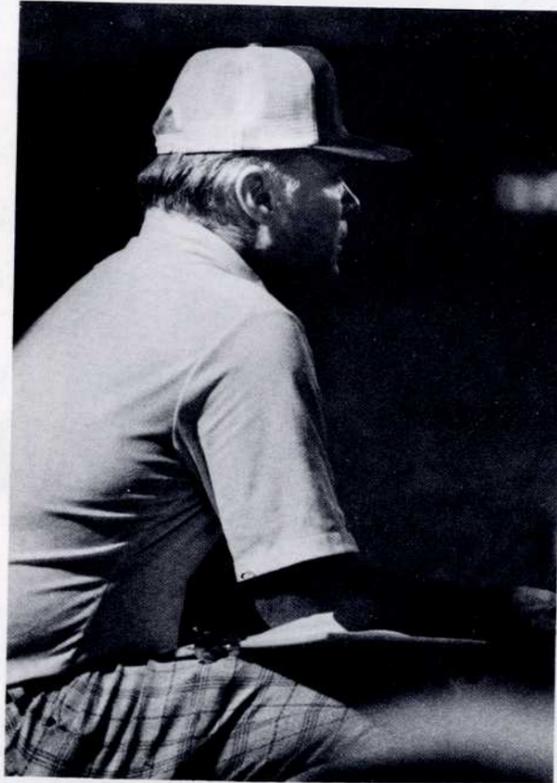


FALL SPORTS

Football

This year's Ram football team took to the field as one of the most powerful teams in the state--potentially. Led by returning all-leaguers Jim Dresser, Brian Hilts and Scott Madison, North Thurston swiftly put the word "potential" to rest.

Opening with a road trip to Sumner Stadium, the Rams shocked many people, including the Spartans and their loyal fans by methodically tearing the de-

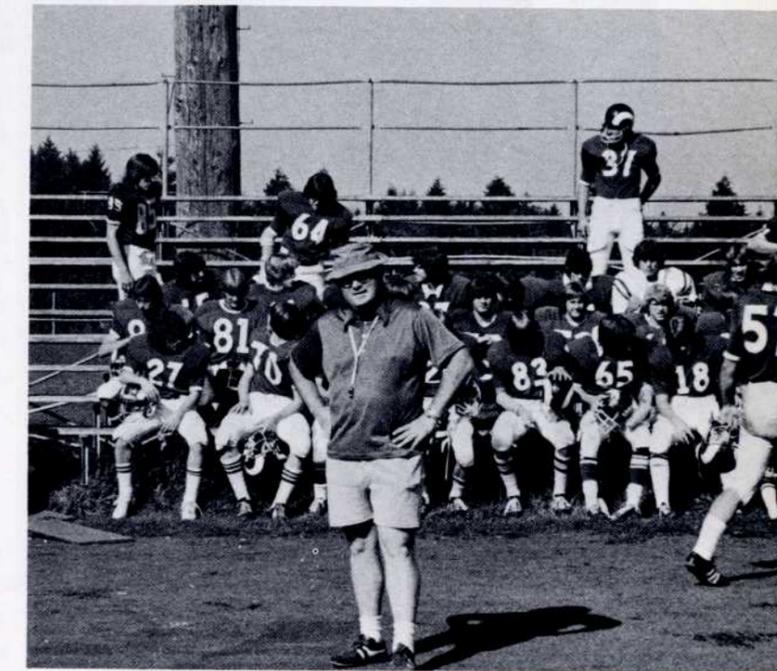
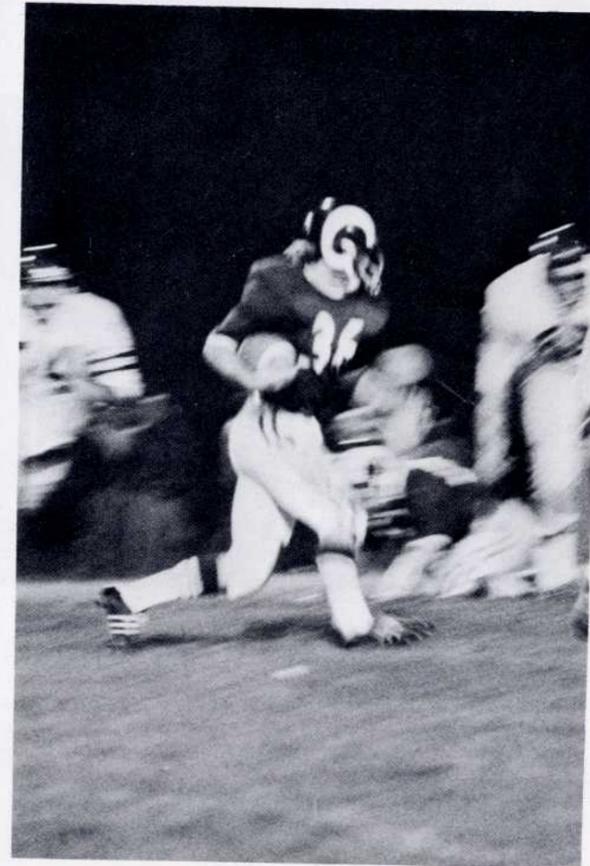
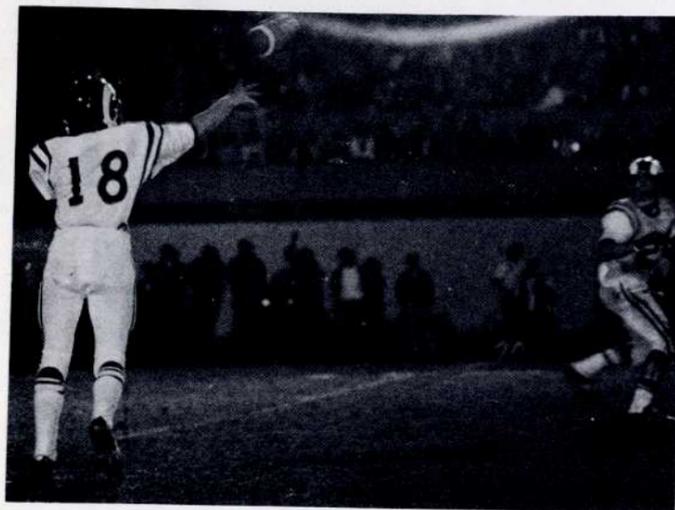


Co-captains-
 Brian Hilts
 Scott Madison
 Steve Hawthorne

AWARDS--

Mr. Hustle- Jeff Conyers	Defensive players-- Scott Madison
Coaches Award- Dave Anderson	Dennis Welter
MVP- Jim Dresser	Inspirational- Steve Hawthorne

Left: The 1976 North Thurston Football Team. Front row- (l to r) Neal Reynaud, Romaine Helke, Roy Yeates, Mike Johnson, Jim Dresser, Chuck Armijo, Jeff Conyers, Kevin Feldhausen, Dennis Welter, Lee Sinco, Tad Waymire, Darrell Roberts, Doug Darmody. Second row- (l to r) Dave Anderson, Steve Matzke, Matty Brown, Tony Welter, Shannon Fluetsch, Don Jansen, Darhl Avery, Mark Feldhausen, Bob Bergeron, Mark Iden, Brent Warner, Dennis Cameron. Third row- (l to r) John Ashbaugh, Jeff Hilts, Brian Shea, Jim Anderson, Steve Hawthorne, Guy Burdett, Scott Madison, Don Hall, Dave Haupt, Les Rhodes, Mark Chitwood. Fourth row- (l to r) Sam Owens, Randy Winders, Mark Chrisk Jay Welch, Meko Stakes, Brian Hilts, Tom Henry, George Hjelm, Carl Raben, Rick Reines, Rick Fry, Frank Henley. Back row- (l to r) Rocky Perrott, Randy Worrell, Jon Luebke, Tom Talbot. Below: "And they say I'm not organized!!" Upper far left: Coach Fouts. Lower far left: Kevin Feldhausen (18) releasing a swing pass to Dresser.



Center left: Junior running back Brent Warner. Left: Senior Brian Hilts running over and around Hoquiam defenders.

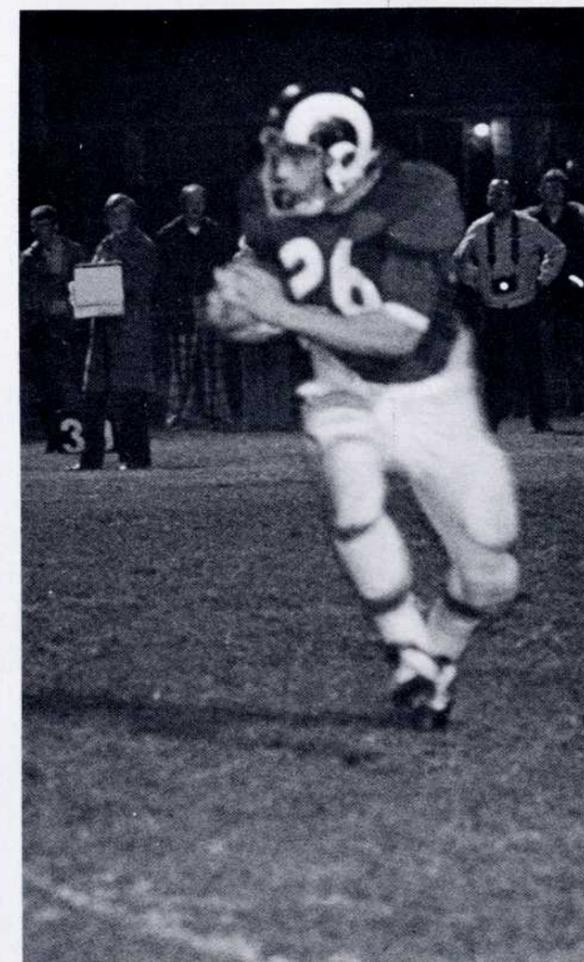
Football

fending state champs apart, 29-15. Thurston was led by fullback Jim Dresser's 110 yards rushing and three extra points. Taking a 22-8 lead late in the third quarter, the Rams coasted to the win with the reserves finishing the game.

Traveling again, this time to tangle with the Peninsula Seahawks, didn't seem to affect them much as they literally buried the 'hawks in one of the greatest offensive shows ever. With Dresser and junior Brent Warner running wild, the Rams amassed 520 yards of total offense, the most by a Thurston team in a long time.

Remembering last year's loss to the Hoquiam Grizzlies in the play-offs, Thurston up-ended the hapless Hoquiam squad, 27-14. The Rams jumped to a 13-0 lead before the Grizzlies scored to make it 13-7 at the half. A tough defense and consistent offense kept the Grizzlies bottled up all night, holding the wish-bone offense to under 200 total yards.

The Rams opened their league campaign



ALL-LEAGUE PLAYERS

- First Team--
 OT Steve Hawthorne
 OG Jeff Conyers
 C Randy Worrell
 OB Jim Dresser
 DL Dennis Welter
 DL Scott Madison
 DB Brian Hilts
 Second Team--
 OT Don Hall
 OB Brent Warner
 DB Carl Raben
 DB Neal Reynaud
BACK OF THE YEAR***
 Jim Dresser,
 2,282 yds. career
 190 points career
 1,620 yds. season
 190 points season



with the visiting Tumwater T-Birds. Keeping with tradition, the Rams "squeaked by" the T-Birds in a truly hard-hitting game. Dresser and Warner scored two touchdowns apiece, while Tumwater's lone score came on a pass interception late in the fourth quarter. Otherwise, the 'birds were held to 110 yards while Thurston racked up 277 in total offense.

All of this set up an early clash for the league title between the Rams and second-year school Capital. Moving the opening kick-off 60 yards in six plays for the game's initial score, the Rams made it look easy. But a scrappy Cougar defense and several key Ram penalties kept the score close. The second half opened with the Rams holding a slim 6-3 lead, but Cap broke the kick-off for a T.D., and a 9-6 lead. Coming right back, senior Brian Hilts ran the ensuing kick-off back 52 yards. From there, the Rams "rammed" home the winning touchdown for a 12-9 come-from-behind victory.

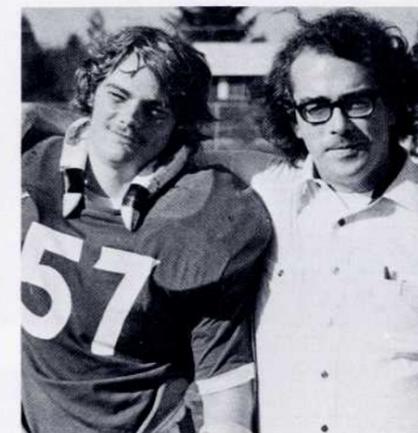
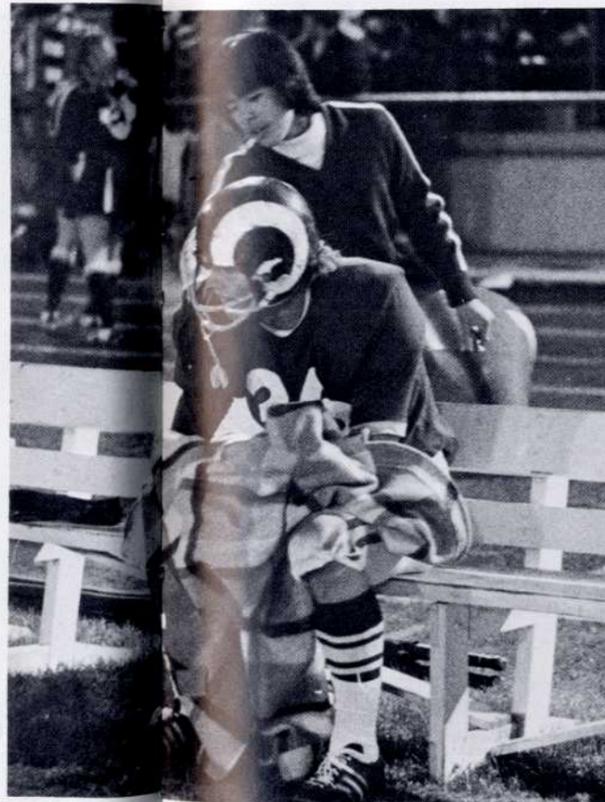
Playing in front of the home crowd at Thurston Field, the Rams bumped heads with the Elma Eagles. On the opening kick-off, Dresser ran 80 yards for the touchdown which set the tone for the evening. Although the reserves played most of the way, they still held the hapless Eagles to a total output of 86 yards.

Above: Senior Co-captain Brian Hilts on the loose against Tumwater.
 Top: The 1976 Freshman football team.
 Right center top: The frenzied action of the game condensed into a fraction of a second.
 Right center bottom: Senior Jim Dresser kicking one of his many extra point conversions.
 Far right top: BHL Back of the Year and first team All-State running back Jim Dresser.
 Far right: Senior quarterback Kevin Feldhausen moving the Rams to their winningest season ever.

Football



Above: The coaches, taking time out for a pose. Left to right—Jerry Kelly, defensive co-ordinator; Jim Fouts, head coach; Walt Zieger, defensive back-field coach; Dennis MacDonald, offensive co-ordinator; Mike Leahy, line coach; Bill Broeker, line coach. Right: Coach Fouts directing a monday color drill. Below: Coach Duane Olsen, Frosh coach. Below right: Coach Willie Davenport, Assis. Frosh coach.



Top: The "Big 'O'", TE Jon Luebke, RT Steve Hawthorne, RG Jeff Conyers, C Randy Worrell, LG Lee Sinco, LT Dennis Cameron, SE Neal Reynaud. Far left: Brent Warner taking a break from the action. Left: Coach Leahy and one of his pet linemen.

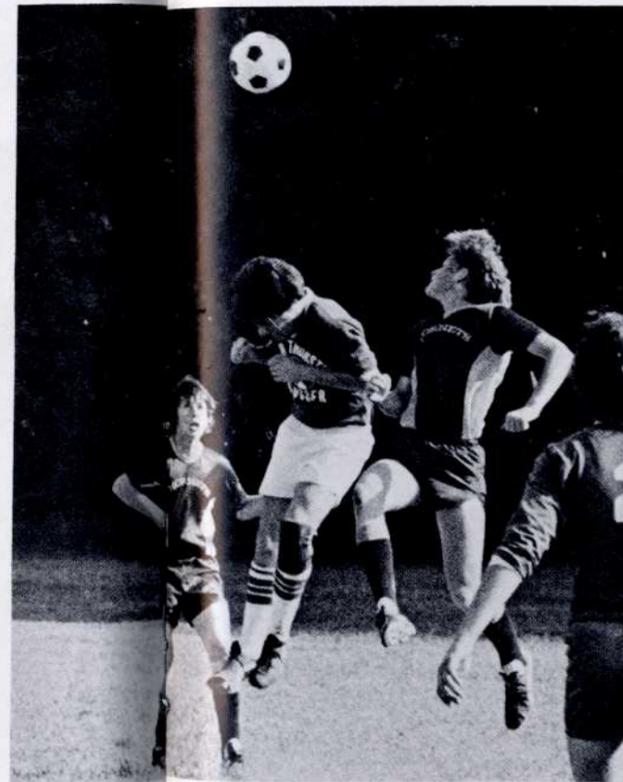
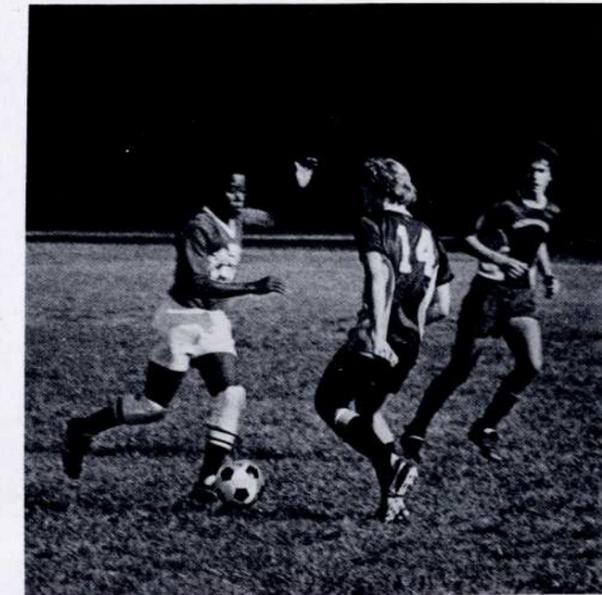
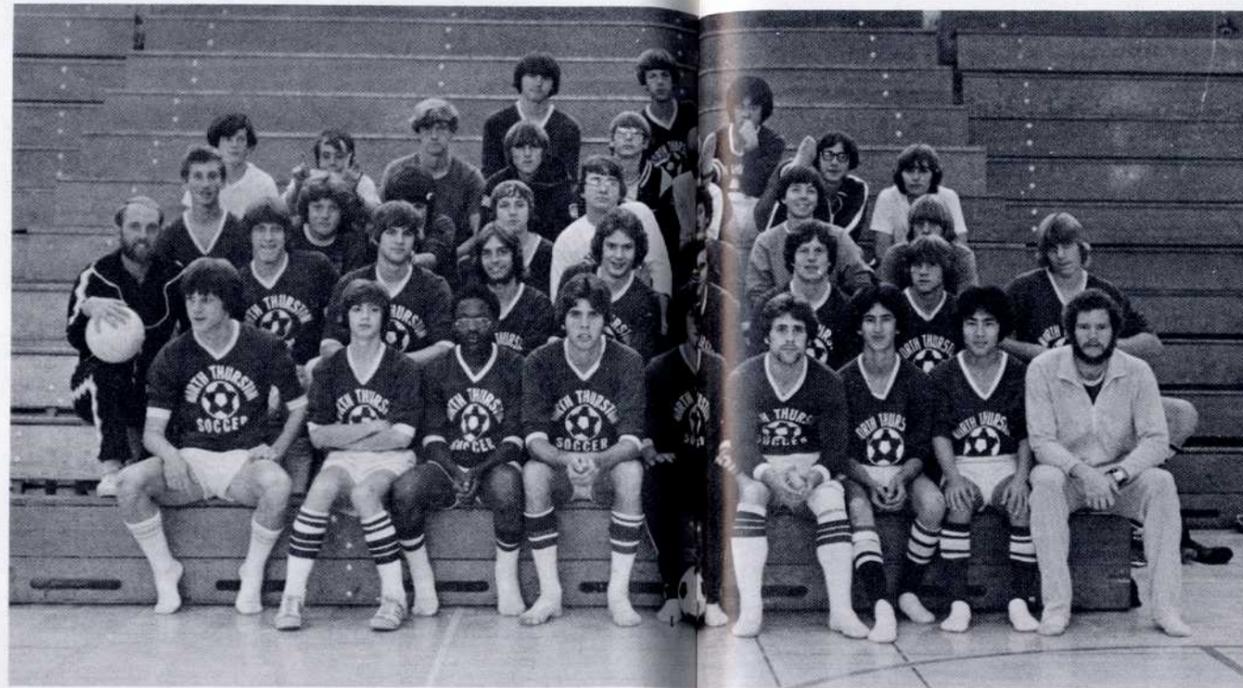
defense stopped both the run and the pass to hold a potent 'climber offense to only 168 total yards.

After an early score by the Blazers, North Thurston scored 30 unanswered points to take total command of the game, 30-8. Take away an 80 yard run against the reserves and Timberline was held to 34 total yards of offense. Dresser had a big night as he scored 24 points and ran for 128 yards along with junior Brent Warner's 112 yards accounting for the majority of total offense for the Rams.

Space does not permit us to write about the three state play-off games that the the Rams were involved in. The scores were—N.T. 21, Centralia 7; N.T. 28, Sunny-side 20; N.T. 0, West Valley (spokane) 22. A great season, a truly great season.

Soccer

Below right: Jeff Graves moves in close with Elma.
 Right: Several games were almost called off because of fog or darkness.
 Below: Dave Livingston's form shows why he had one of the most powerful throw-ins in the league.



Top right: Wendel Finney goes to the ball.
 Above: Keith Koplitz, one of the league's best goalies broke his arm halfway through the season and played halfback with his cast on.
 Center: John Dugan, fullback, keeps the ball away from the net.
 Top center: The 1976 Ram varsity and J. V. teams.

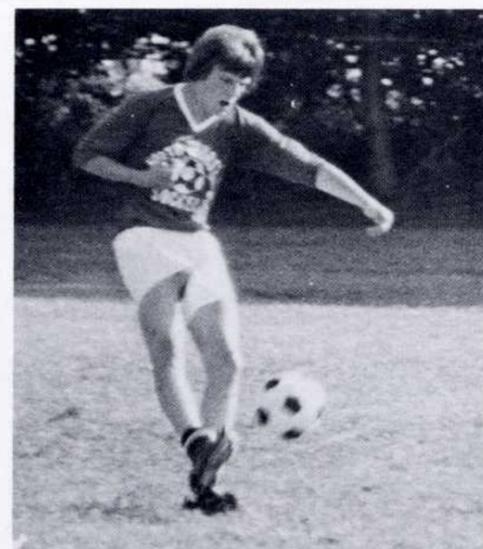
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N. Thurston	3	Capital	3
N. Thurston	1	Timberline	1
N. Thurston	1	Charles Wright	4
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N. Thurston	1	Olympia	4
N. Thurston	3	Enumclaw	2
N. Thurston	4	Charles Wright	0
N. Thurston	3	Capital	2



Soccer

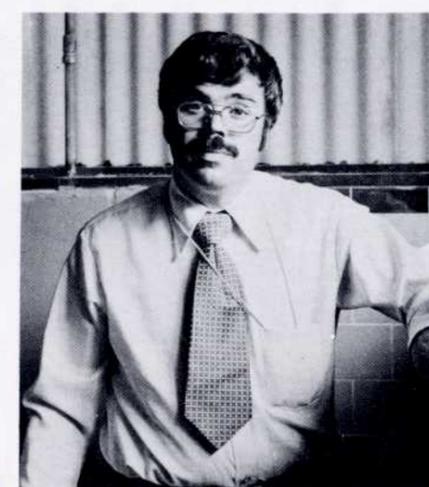
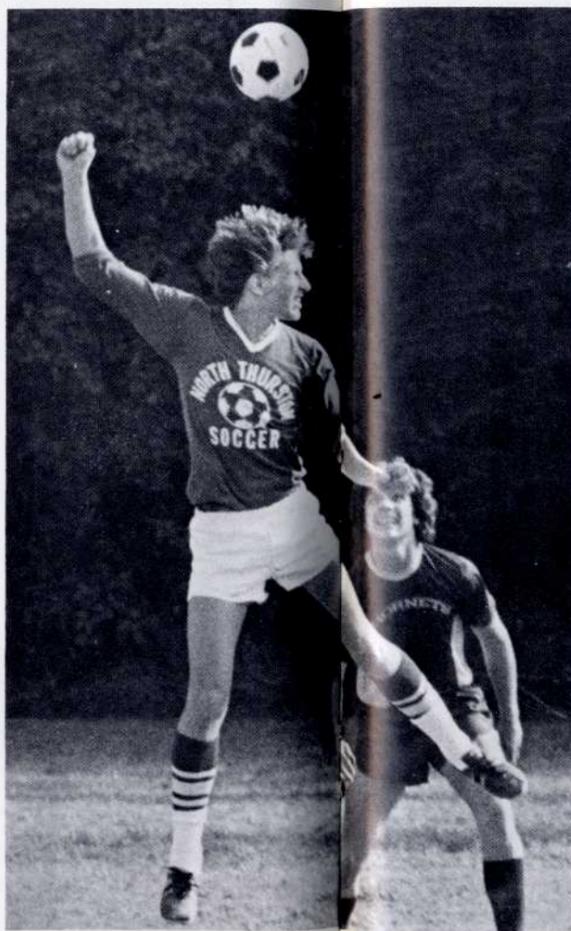
Lower right: Frosh soccer team. Front row- (left to right) Judd Walker, Bob Fraser, Allen Banks, Bob Ledgerwood, Rick Mowlds, Marvin Hicks, Daryl Logue. Back row- Jim Konen, Vance Ostrander, Kurt Knurnvick, Bob High, Yung Song, Bruce Cole, Kurt Talley, Ben Van Buskirk.



Below right: The 1976 freshman team. They took their lumps in the first round and showed a lot of improvement in the second round of competition.
Far left: Livingston's form is almost textbook.

Frosh Scores

N. Thurston	0	Capital	3
N. Thurston	2	Olympia	3
N. Thurston	1	Timberline	2
N. Thurston	3	Capital	0
N. Thurston	0	Olympia	1
N. Thurston	5	Timberline	0
N. Thurston	3	Enumclaw	3
N. Thurston	2	N.T. J. V.'s	5



J.V. Scores

N.T.	1	Timberline	0
	1		1
N.T.	5	Capital	0
	7		2
N.T.	6	Olympia	0
	6		2
N.T.	5	Charles	0
	6	Wright	1
N.T.	5	Tumwater	0
	7		0
N.T.	2	Enumclaw	1
	1		2
N.T.	2	Lakeside	1
	1		1



Top right: Mark Leingang, fullback, once scored a goal from the center of the field.
Right: Leingang brothers Mark and Greg move up field together, sophomore brother Al made the varsity before the season was over.
Far right: Mr. Slosson was drafted as frosh coach because he saw a game once. "Soccer balls are round?"



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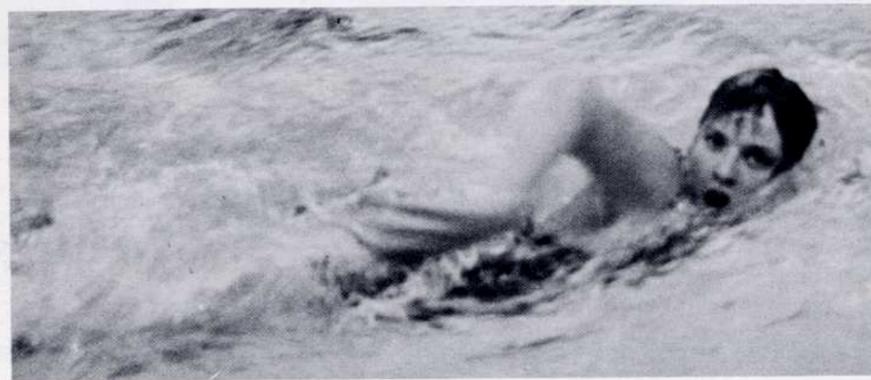


Above: Back row- (l to r) Cindy Walker, Janet McGimpsey, Kathy Baker, Ann Stathem, Cathy Randall, Mary Hull, Cathy Carson. Front row- (l to r) Kim Arrington, Jo Lundgren, Valerie Kay, Christie Scott, Gracie Maribona, Left: Kathy Randall in action on the courts.



This years girls tennis team improved greatly over last year under the supervision of first-year Coach Wheaton. For the second year in a row, the weather co-operated and held back the usual fall rain torrents so that the girls could compete outdoors. The league was again tough, but the Ewes managed to crack into the win column more than once. Youth, aggressiveness and a never-say-die attitude kept the team in many a match, with next year promising to be even better.

Girls Swimming



Above: Dee Foster swims to state. (quite a long ways, too, I might add!!!!!!)
 Right: (left to right) Mr. Brockman and Mrs. Foley, girl's swimming coaches.



Black Hills Relays	Sixth place	
N. Thurston 35	Timberline	125
N. Thurston 29	Aberdeen	54
N. Thurston 70	Capital	101
N. Thurston 23	Olympia	59
N. Thurston 47	Shelton	36
Regionals	Tenth place	

Cross Country



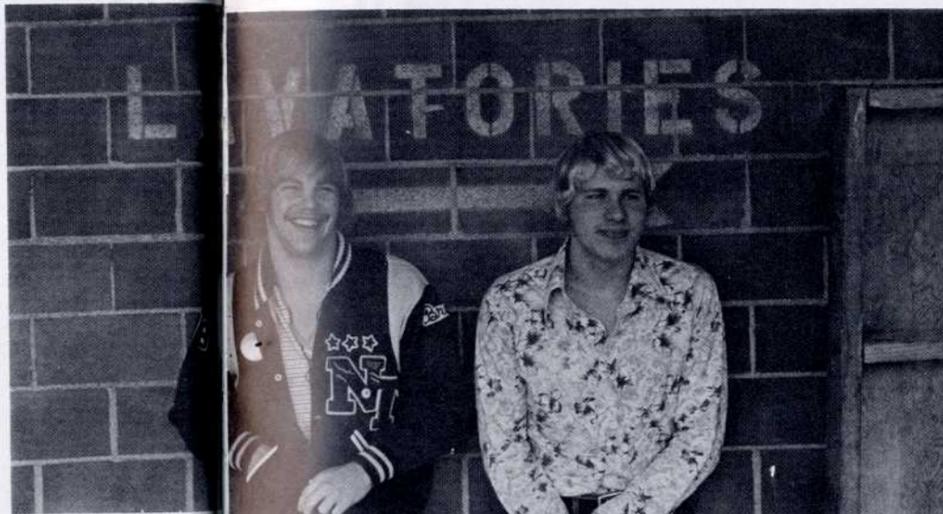
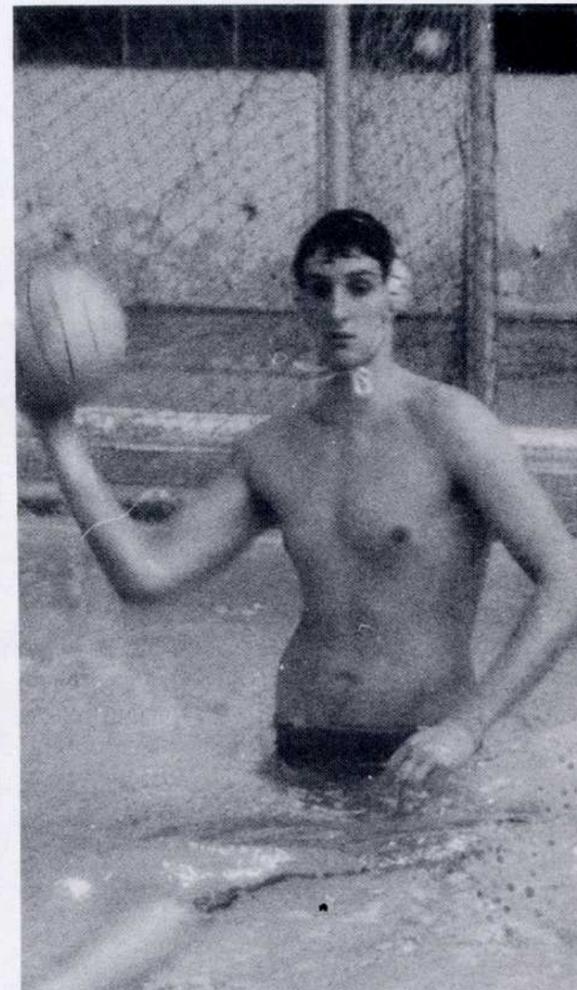
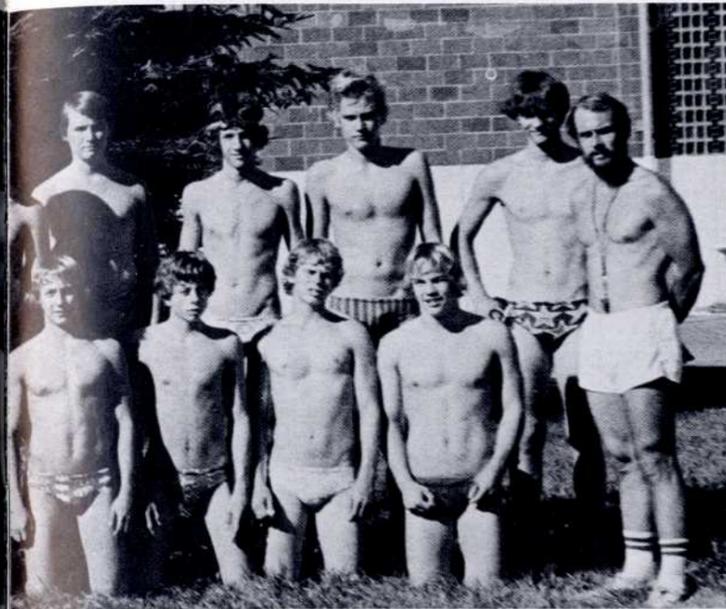
Above: (left to right) Top row-Mary Clark, Yvonne stickelman, Robin Bozak, Cathy Kendall, Sue Wilfong, Bottom row-Kanina Born, Debbie Berg, Wendy Gifford, Jennifer Cooley.

Jamboree	Fifth place
Five-way meet	Third place
N. Thurston 50	Aberdeen 15
N. Thurston 15	Chehalis no score
N. Thurston 45	Tumwater 15
N. Thurston 15	Hoquiam 48
N. Thurston 15	Centralia no score
N. Thurston 49	Olympia 15
N. Thurston 30	Shelton 25
N. Thurston 21	Elma no score
N. Thurston 20	Timberline no score
N. Thurston 30	Capital no score
District meet	Ninth place



Waterpolo

Right: 1976 Waterpolo team.
 Back row- (left to right) Scott Furrer, Gary Kitch, Dave Robbins, Greig presnell, Brian Dunn, Mark Worley, Gerg Tadlock, Darrin Schoniger, Jeff Koble, Bruce Brazier, Ray Hershey, Joe Fasano. Front row (left to right) Daren Braget, Eric Worley, Mitch Tabler, Dan Shaw, John Evans, Terry Brockman, Kirby Schaufler, Wayne Koch, George Norton, Brad Brockman, Coach Jackson. NOT SHOWN- Gary Havens, Kelly Ness, Jay Springer.



This year's waterpolo team, led by the combined efforts of Mark Worley, Kirby Schaufler, John Evans, Jay Springer and Brad Brockman (captains) had a better than average season with six wins and four losses. At the state tournament, the Ramfish placed first in the double A bracket, while placing sixth over-all in the combined bracket (A-AA-AAA schools).



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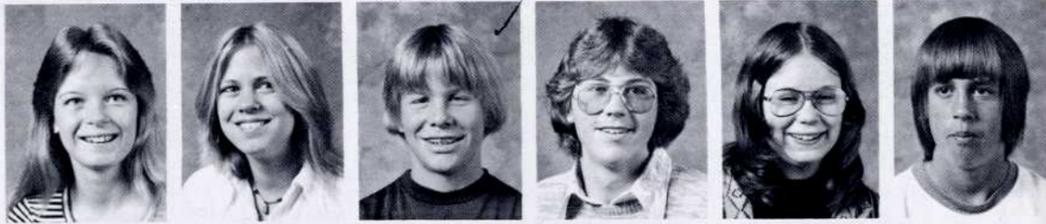


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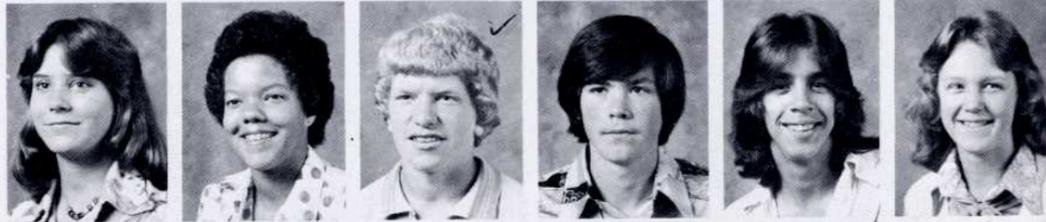
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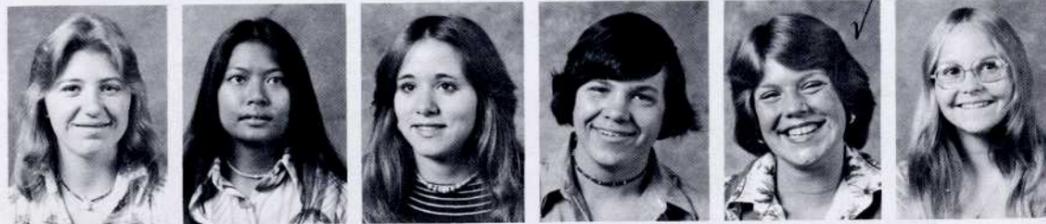
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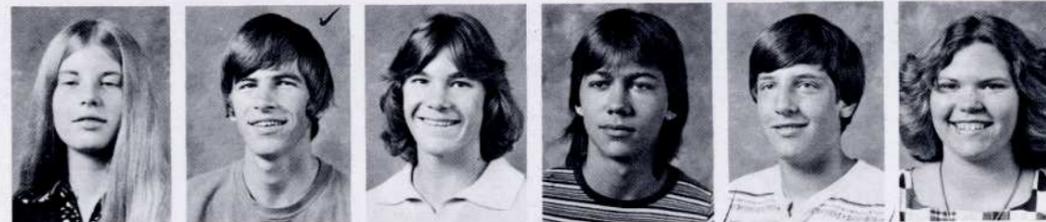
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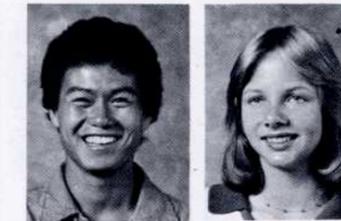
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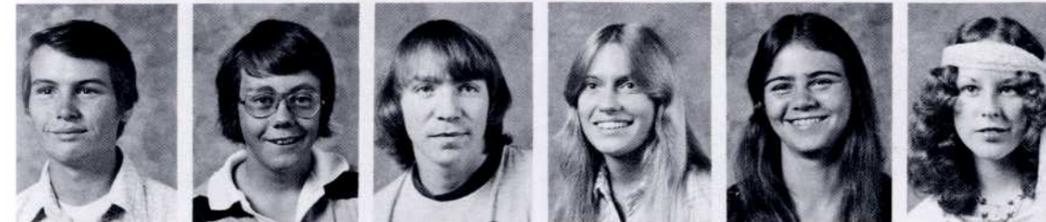
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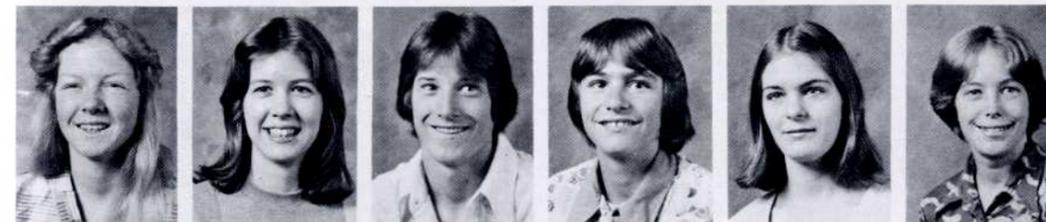
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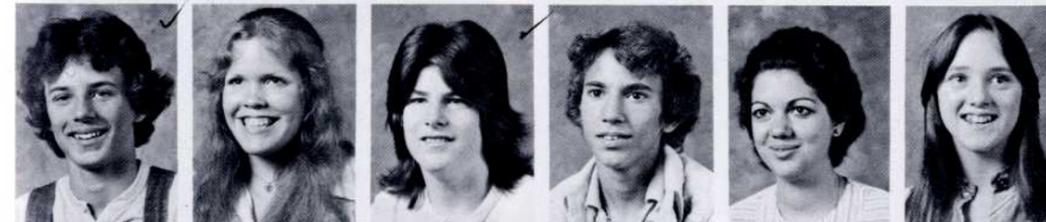
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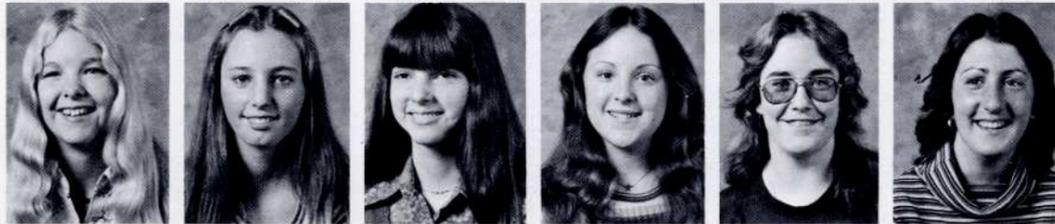
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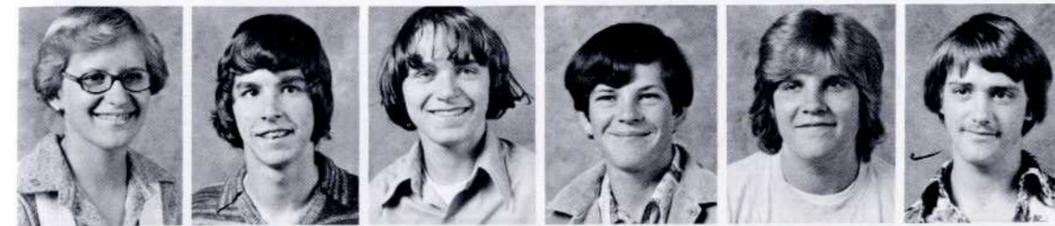
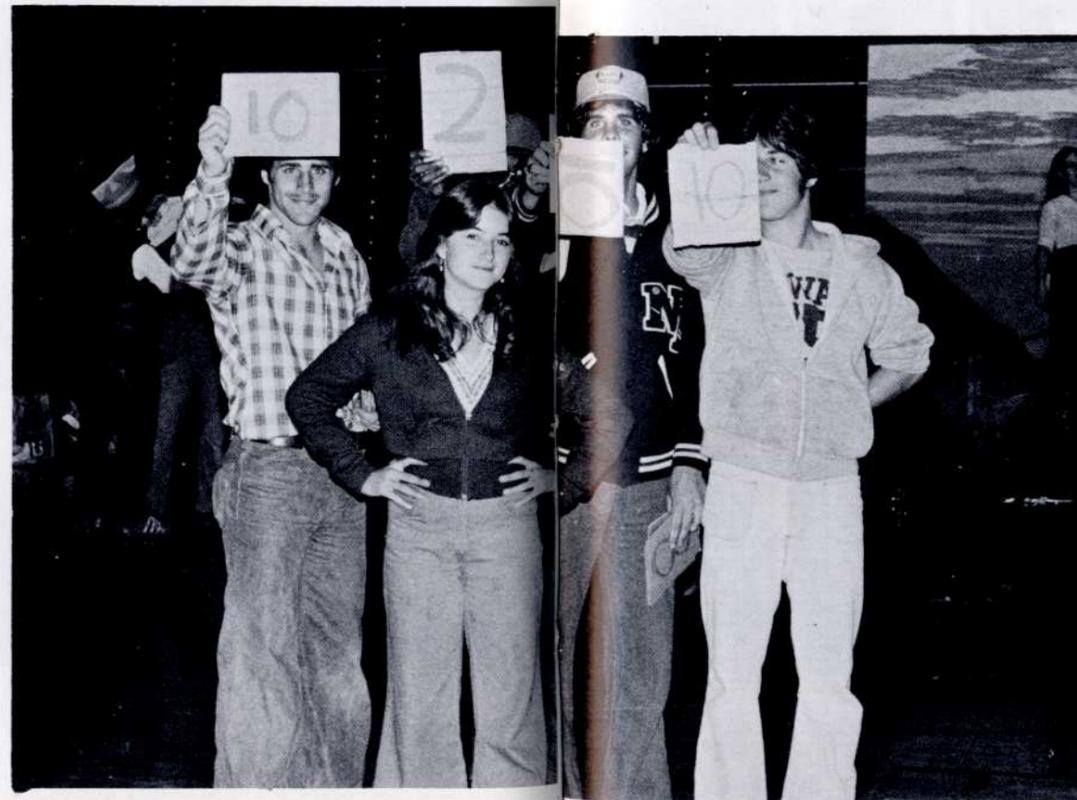
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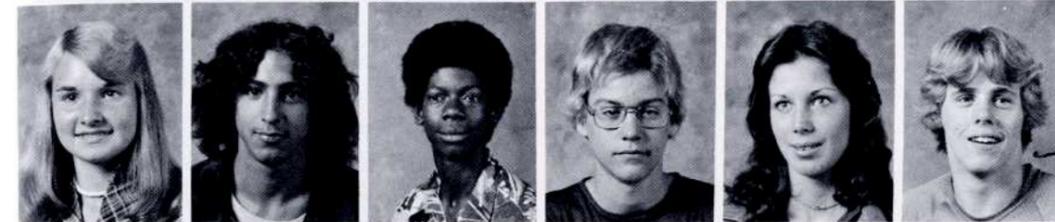
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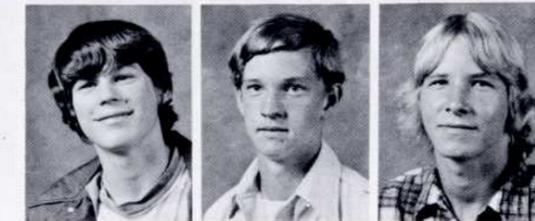
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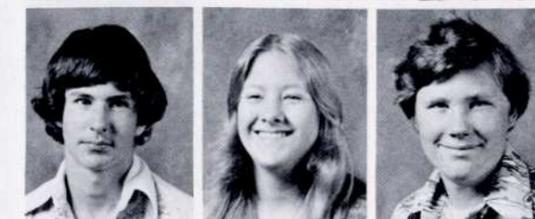
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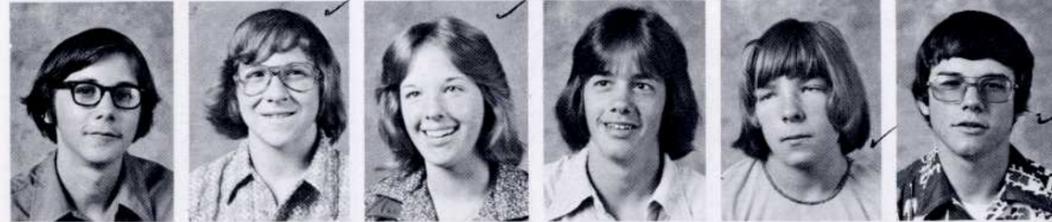
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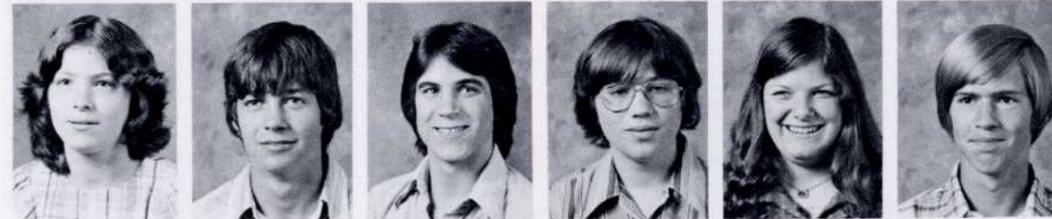
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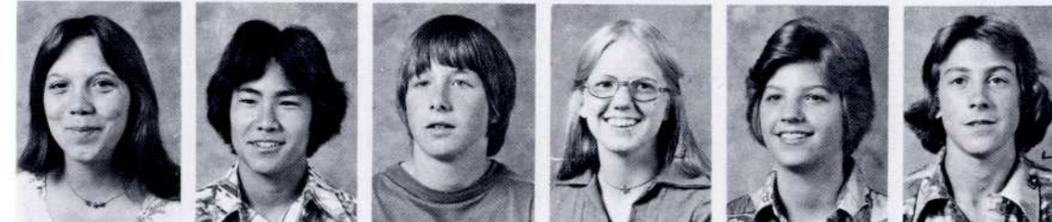
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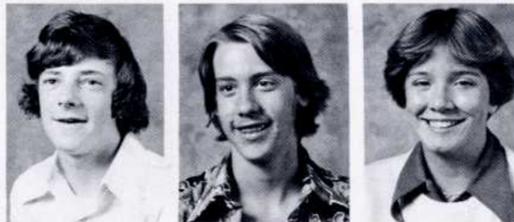
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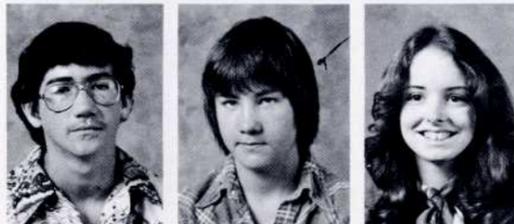
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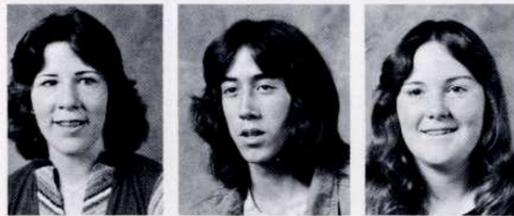
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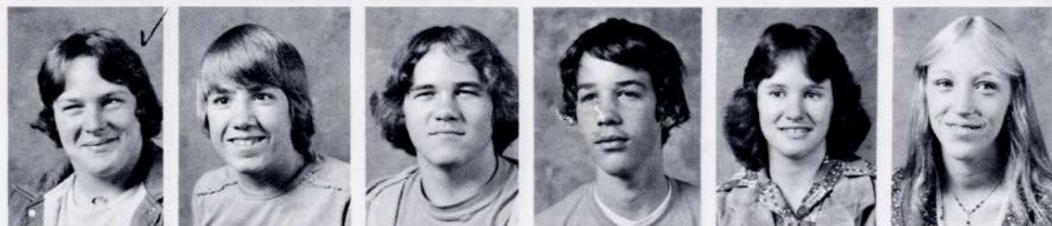
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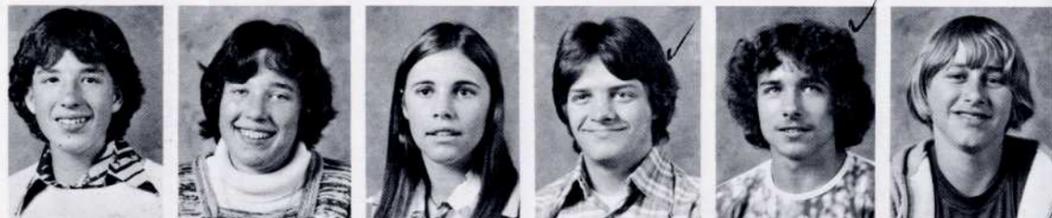
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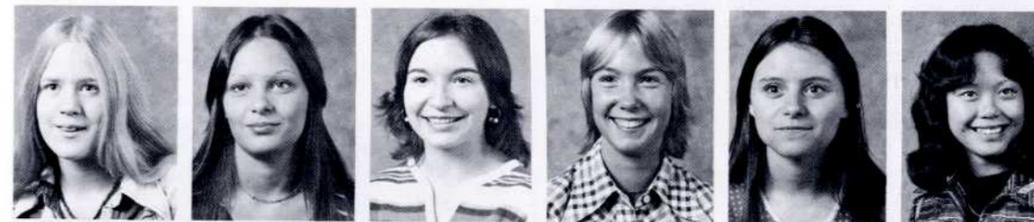
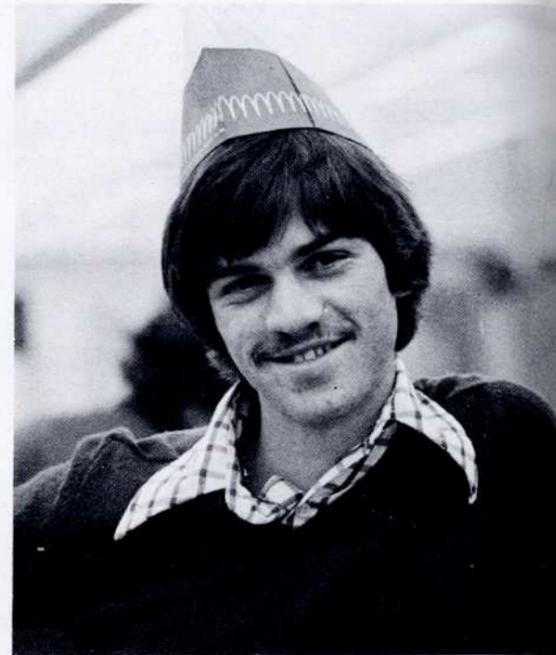
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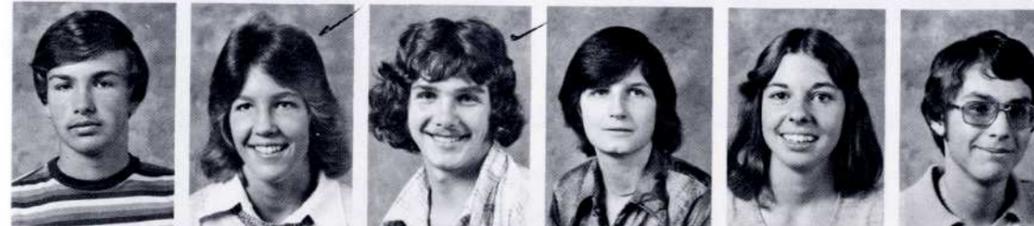
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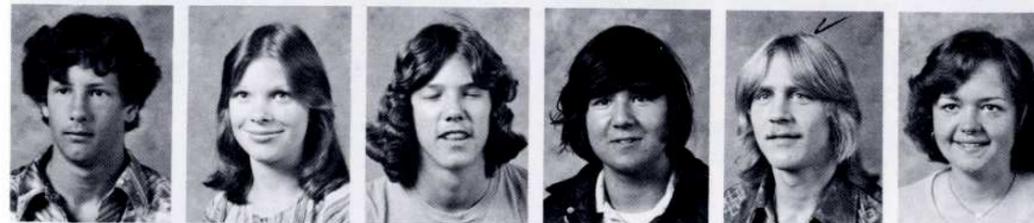
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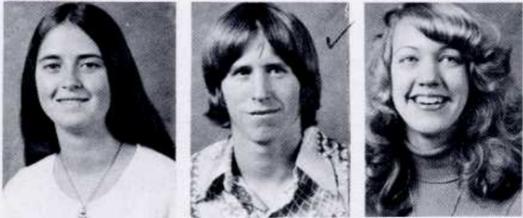
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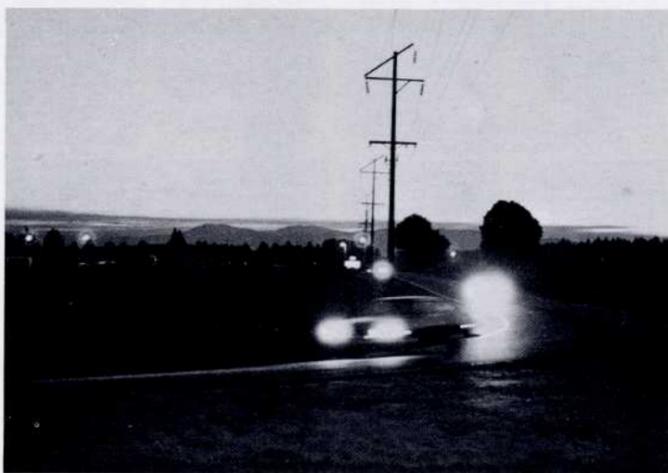
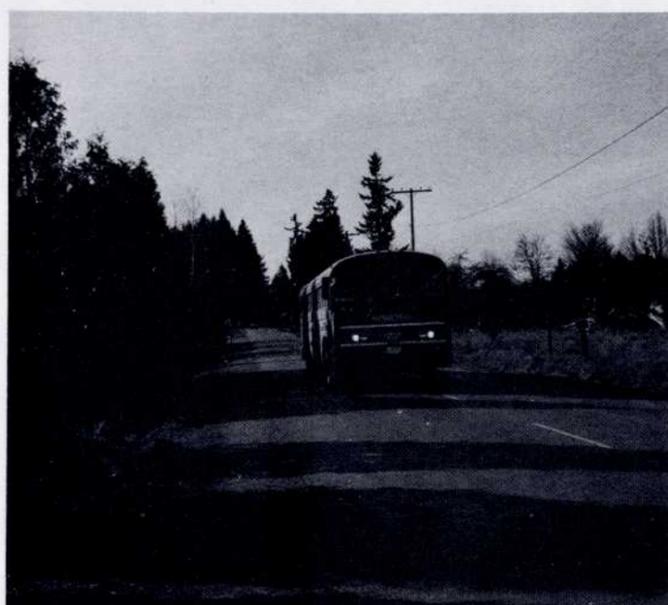
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Honor Society has done different activities both for the club and outside the club. The Honor Society revised their constitution, sold candy canes at Christmas time, inducted new members, and has plans to help a needy organization. Honor Society also held their annual awards night; at which non-athletic awards are presented to deserving individuals.



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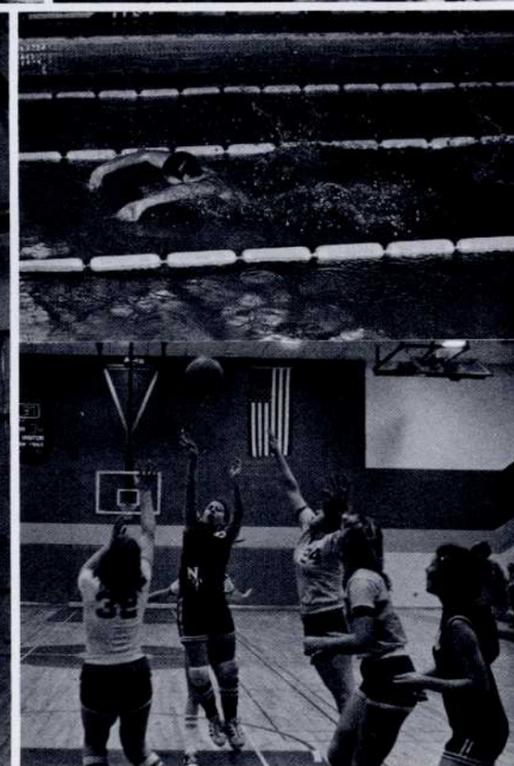
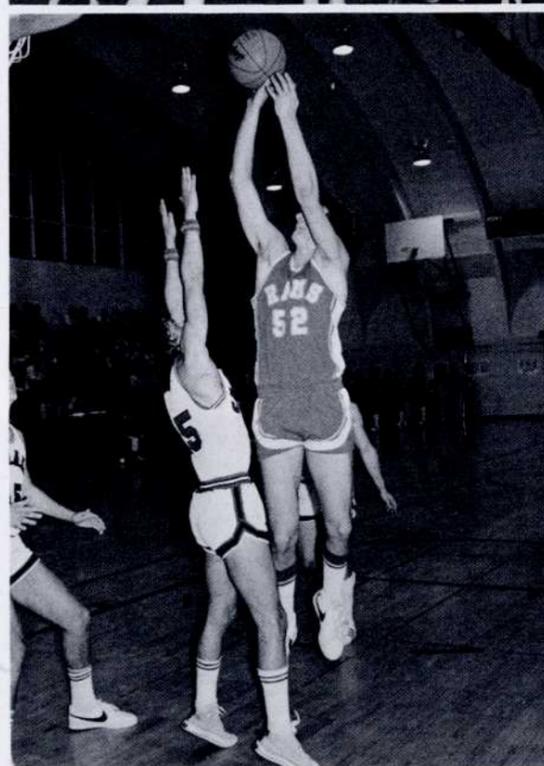
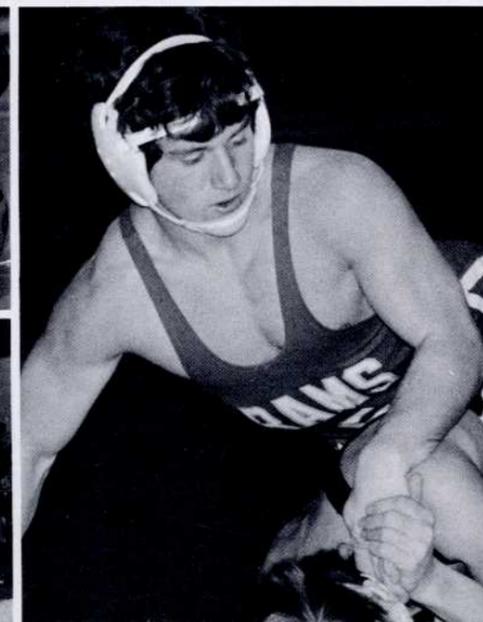
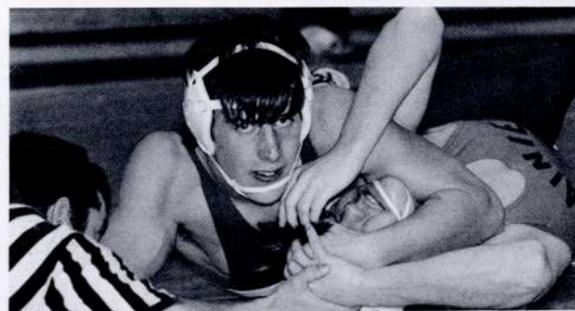
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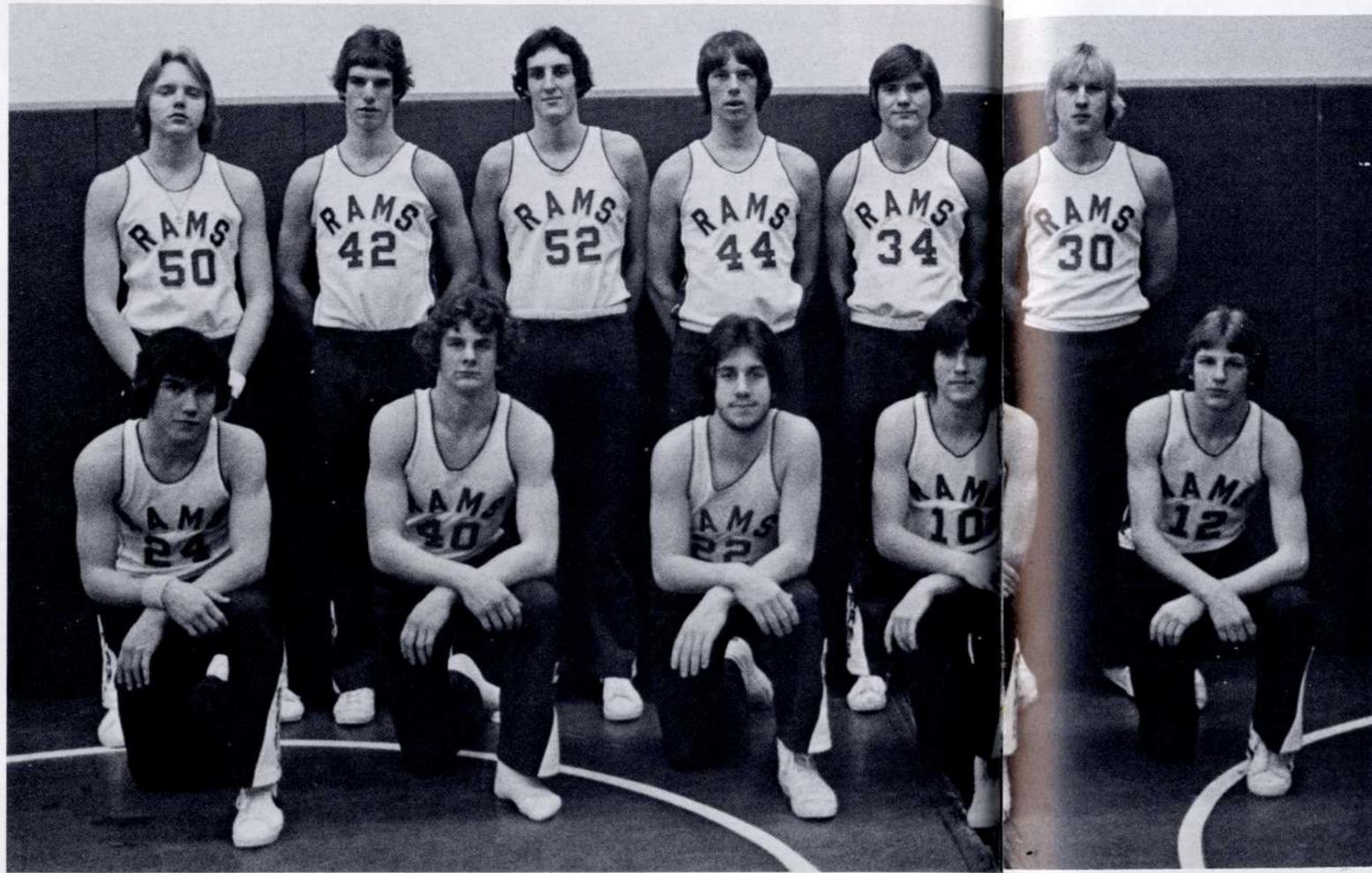
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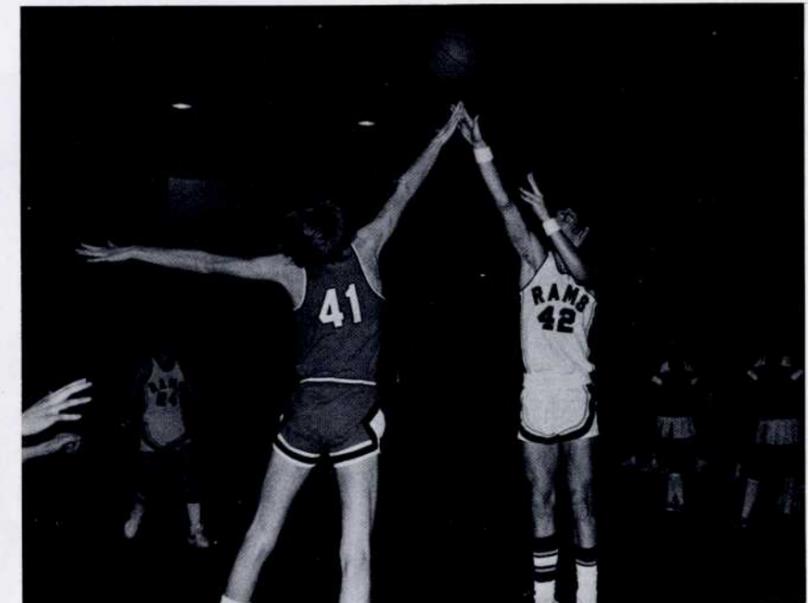
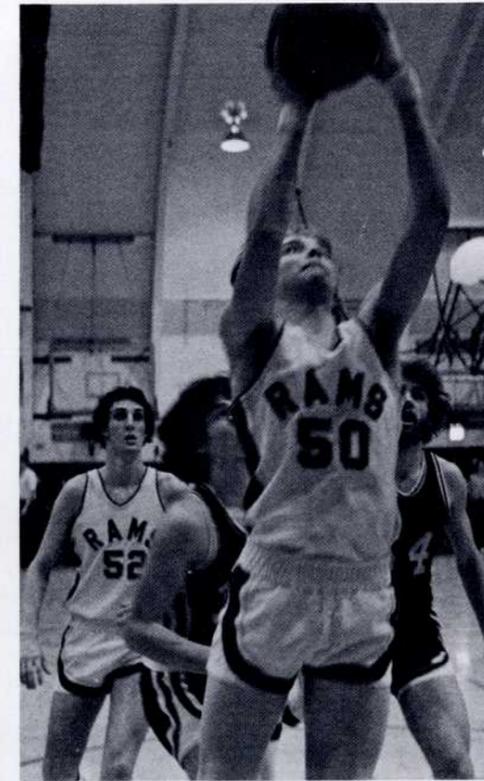
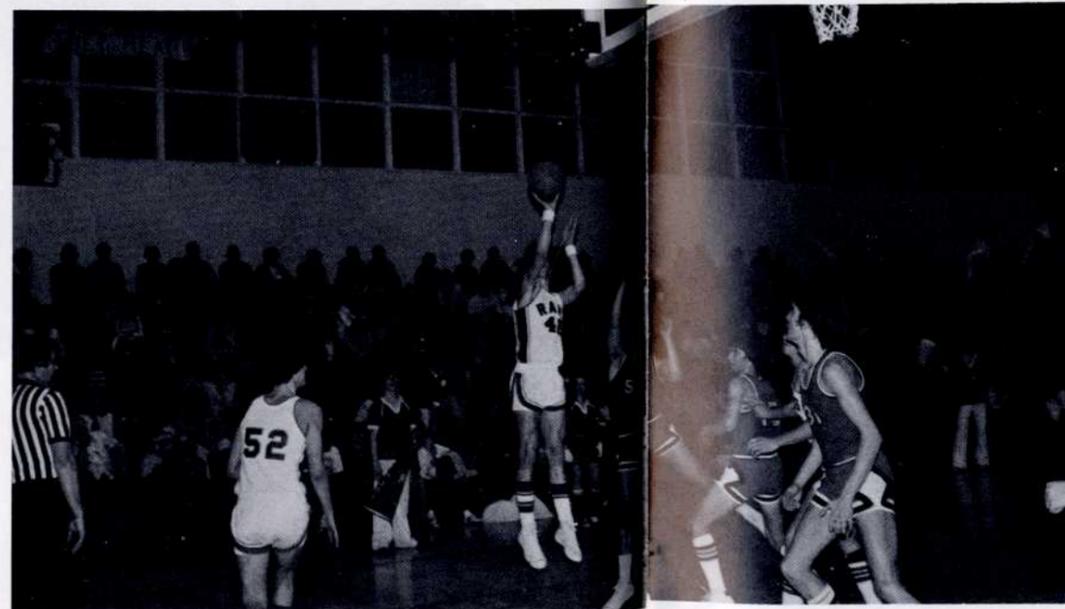
Basketball



The 1976-77 Basketball team had something that not very many basketball teams in the past didn't...height. This year, led by seniors John Dugan (6'), Rusty Mize (6'3) and Neal Reynaud (6'2); 6'4 juniors Jay Feeney and Dean Logue, the Rams towered above the rest instead of being looked down on.

Coach Koval is still doing his usual good job of motivating the team, as well as drilling them in the fundamentals of the game. The season had many ups and downs, but compared to the past few years, there have been more ups than downs. Improvement is the key.

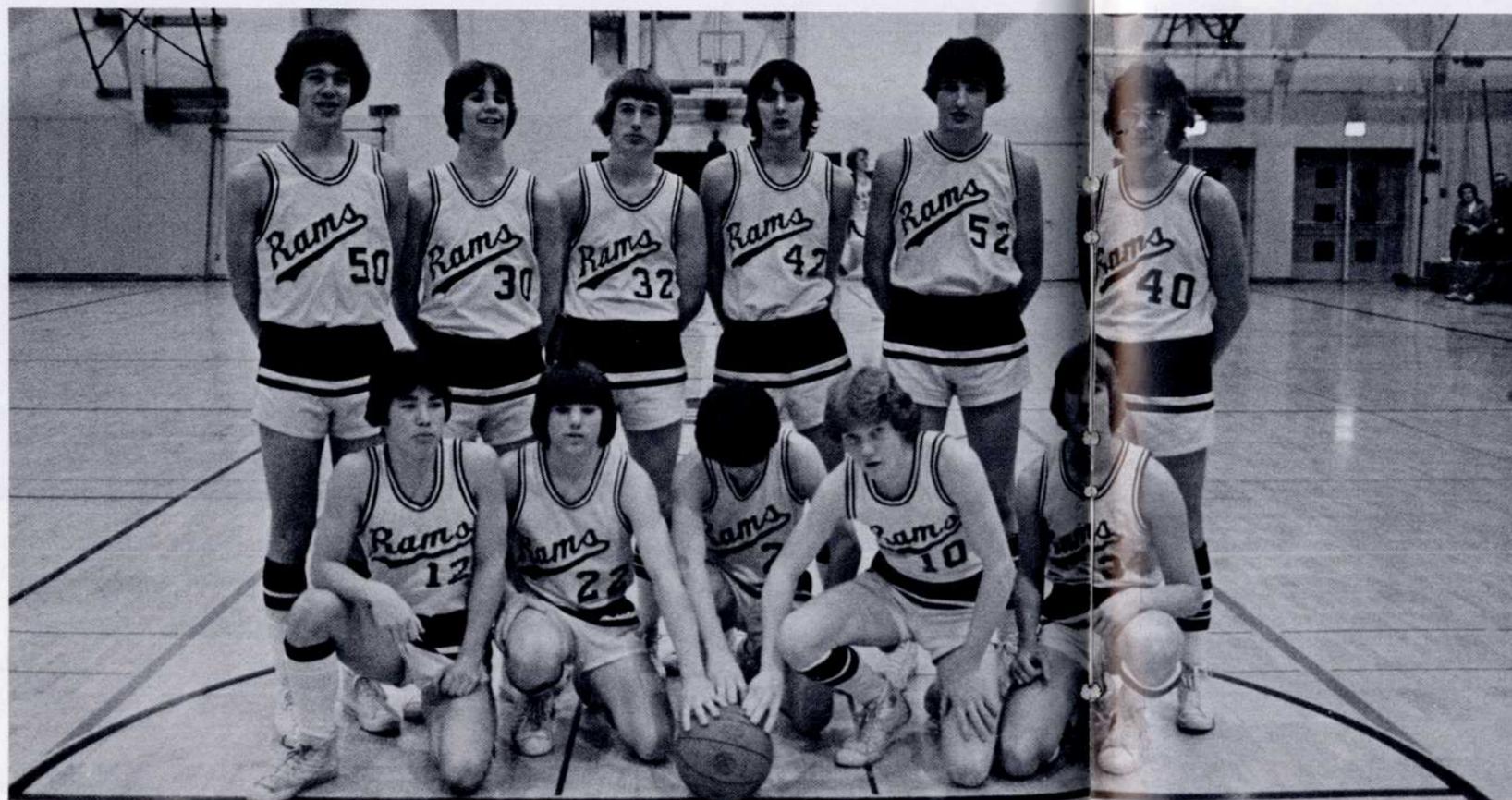
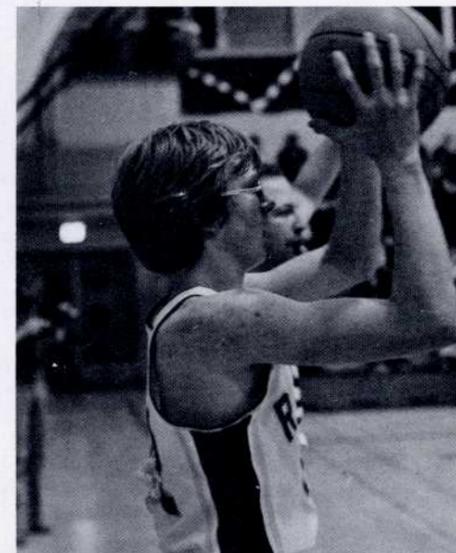
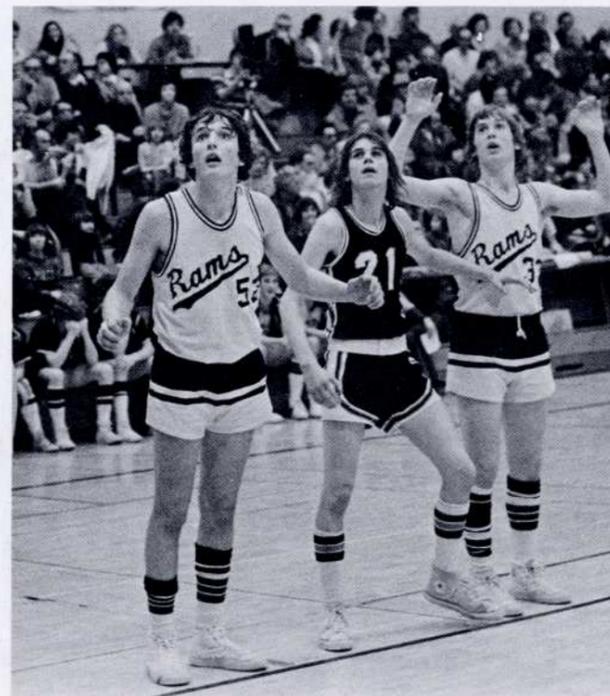
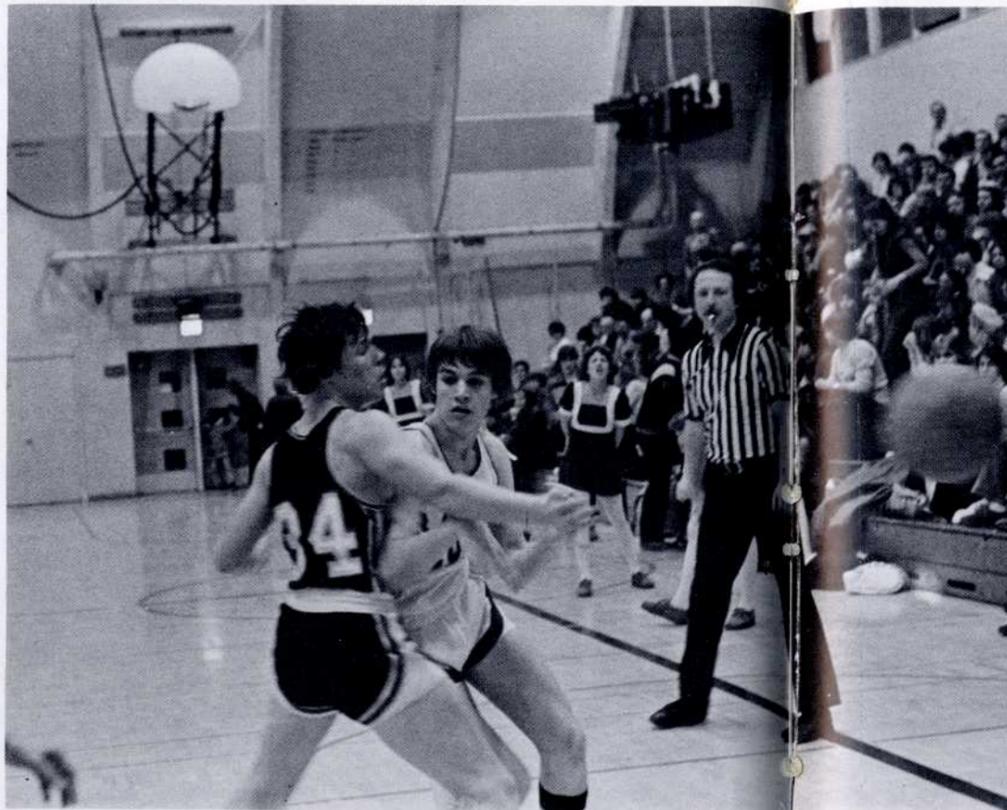
The Junior Varsity has often been the proving ground for future varsity stars...this year being no different. Led by talented soph Brian Shea, the junior varsity has compiled a very fine winning season. At times they led the league, but always were in the running.



Above left: The 1976-77 Varsity Basketball team. Standing- (l to r) Rusty Mize, Dean Logue, Jay Springer, Ross Regester, Jay Feeney, Jon Luebke. Kneeling- (l to r) Rich Frye, Neal Reynaud, John Dugan, Keith Petersen, Mark Iden. Left: Dean Logue shoots while Jay Springer (52) looks on. Top: Rusty Mize (50) goes for the lay-up. Above: Dean Logue on the jumper.

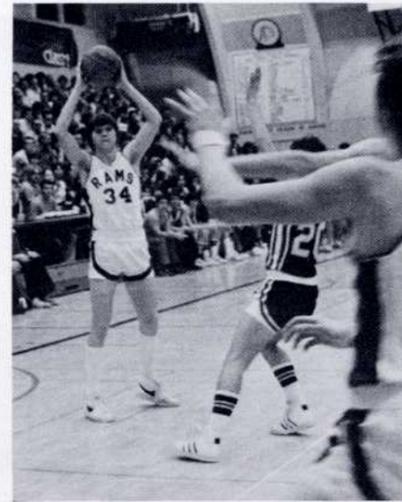
Basketball

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N. Thurston	39	Centralia	60
N. Thurston	40	Hoquium	57
N. Thurston	40	Aberdeen	52
N. Thurston	49	Olympia	55
N. Thurston	65	Elma	48
N. Thurston	80	Capital	51
N. Thurston	64	Chehalis	41
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N. Thurston	57	Tumwater	50
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N. Thurston	64	Capital	52

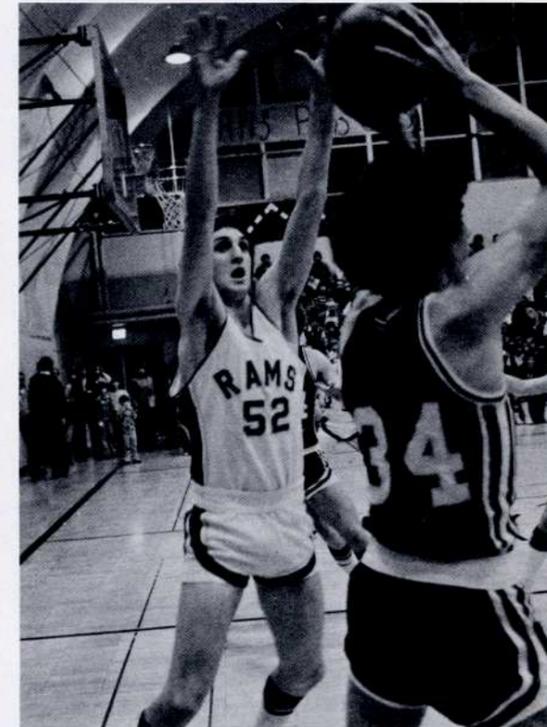
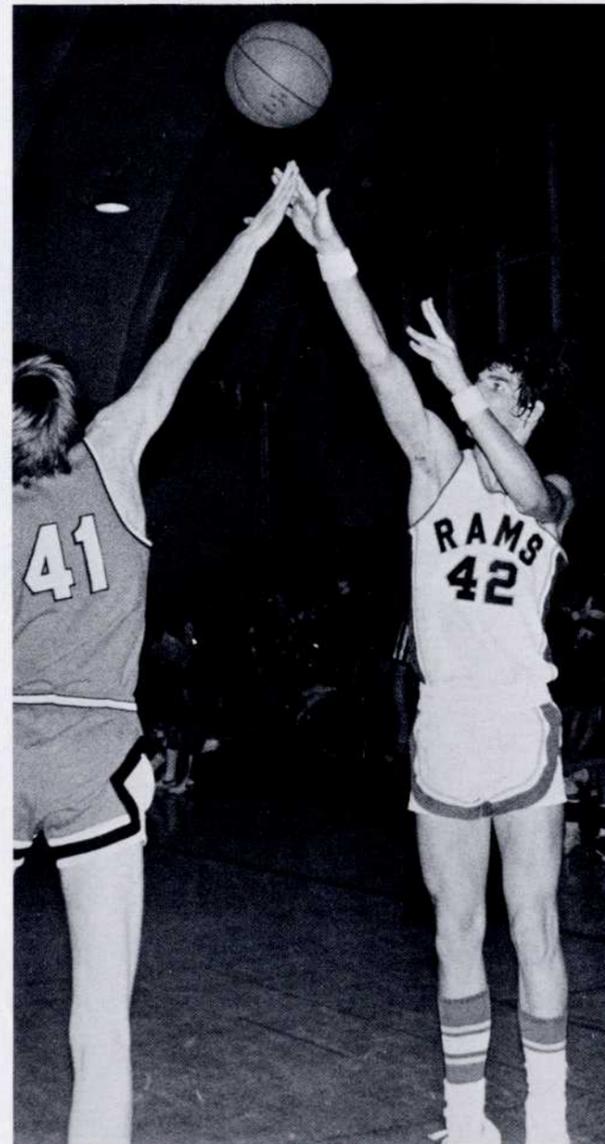
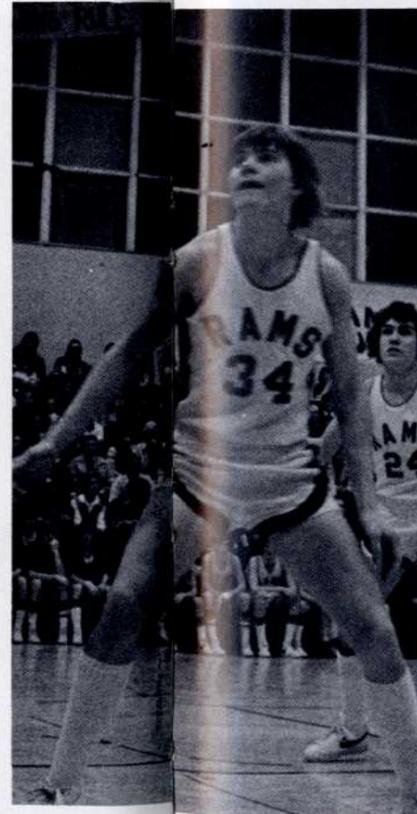


Top left: Bill Swenson driving to the bucket from the outside.
 Above center: Dan White and Brian Shea await the rebound.
 Above right: Ron Stoker calls the play on offense.
 Left: Junior Varsity coach Lew Keller.
 Far left: The 1976-77 Junior Varsity Basketball team. Standing- (1 to r) Bill Jackson, Bill Wilfong, Brian Shea, John Nesbitt, Dan Wite, Jim Anderson, Kneeling- (1 to r) Mike Kelly, Doug Kramer, Phil Comstock, Farron Parman, Steve Matzke.

Basketball

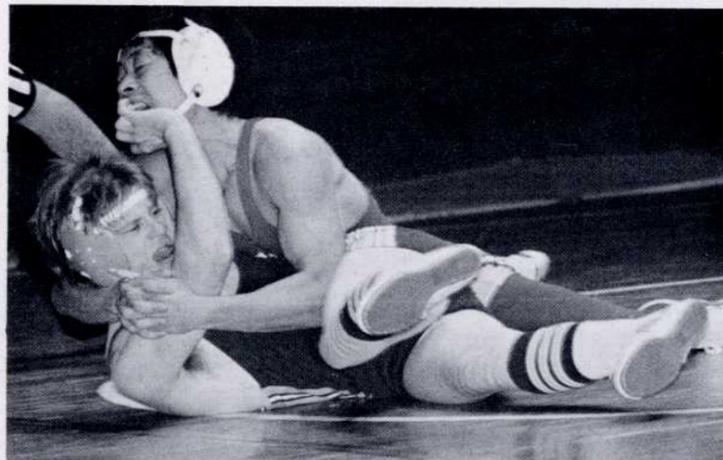


Left: Jay Feeney (34) looks for an opening in the enemy defense.
 Far Left: The 1976-77 Sophomore Basketball team coached by Mr. Wally Debord.
 Far lower left: The 1976-77 Freshman Basketball team coached by Mr. Bill Broeker.
 Lower left: Feeney and Rich Frye (24) set for the rebound.
 Below: Dean Logue (42) pops one in over an unidentified Capital player.
 Lower right: Defensive pressure being applied by Ram Jay Springer.

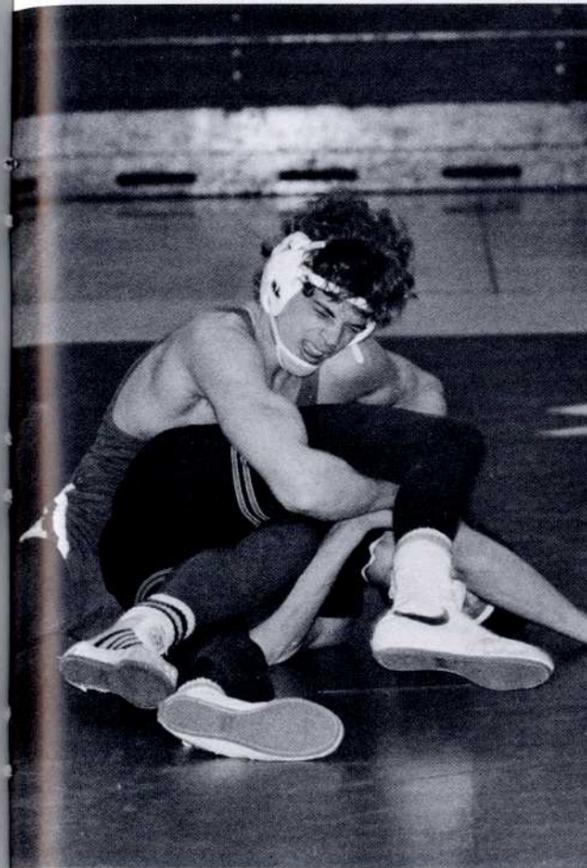
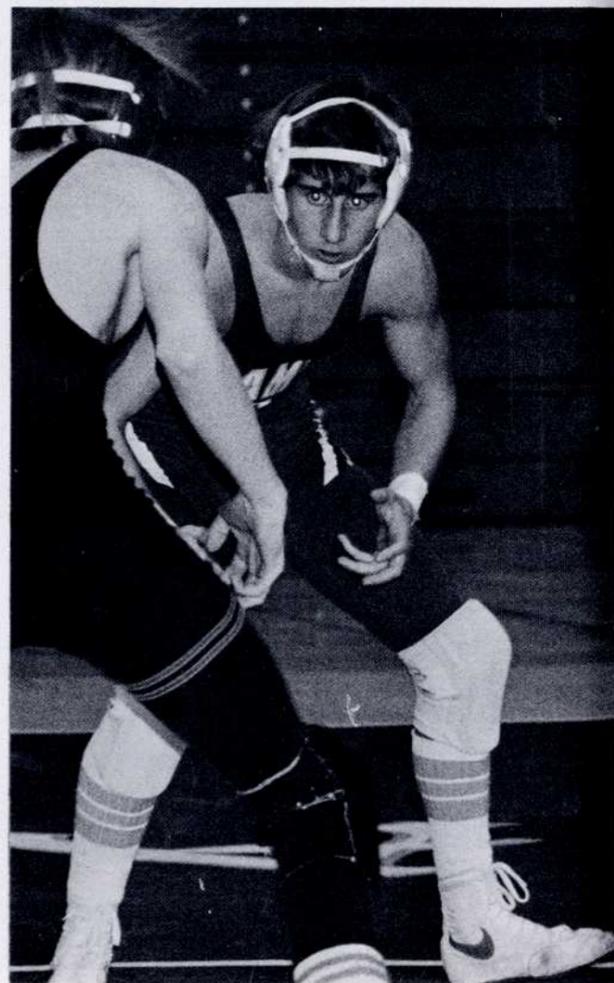


Wrestling

Below left: Our Faithful Managers- (l to r) Lynette Harpel, Leslie Boyd, Cindy Hilts, Sherry DeWitt, Denise Johanson, Standing in rear- Mary Roberts.
 Right: Bill Strand controls the situation at Districts.
 Bottom left: Myung Choi has Timberline's Clayton Conway in trouble.
 Bottom right: Ken Zink stalks his Shelton foe.

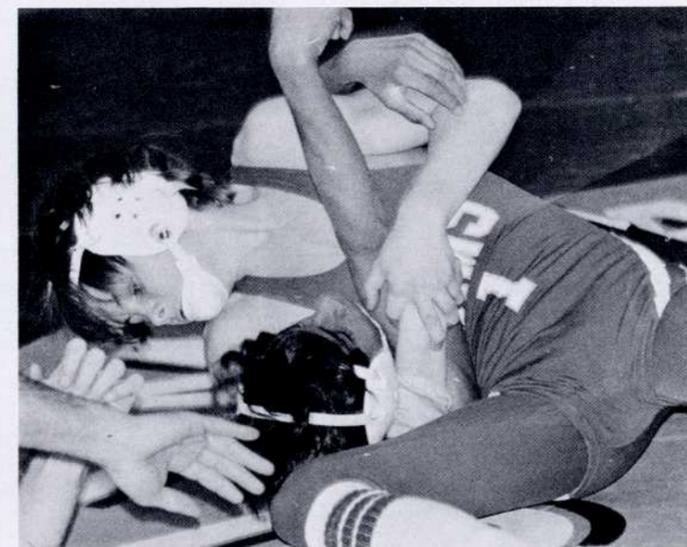


District Placers:
 First Place- Brian Hilts, Dave Livingston
 Randy Worrell, Jim Dresser
 Second Place- Dave Roberts, Mike Proffitt
 Third Place- Ken Zink, Guy Burdett
 Fourth Place- Mitch Sample, Bill Strand
 Mark Feldhausen



State Placers:
 First Place: Brian Hilts, Two-time State
 Champion (1976; 148 lbs.,
 1977; 158 lbs.).
 Second Place: Jim Dresser, Dave Livingston

Bottom: 1976-77 Junior Varsity wrestling squad. Sitting- (l to r) Kirk Jones, Jim Linder, Dave Alverson, Jay Petersen, Willie Lassleben, Ken Brigham. Kneeling- (l to r) Bill Furgison, Dave Willis, Darwin Tucker, Kelly Duffy, Shannon Fluetsch, Tony Welter, Jay Welch, Jeff Hilts. Standing- (l to r) Kevin Feldhausen, Mike Johnson, Paul Kuehne, Jim Steik, Roy Yeates, Dean Taylor, Derrick Presnell, Doug Williams, Frank Rhodes.
 Left: Rick DeWitt using the leg ride to the fullest against his Shelton opponent.
 Below: Mitch Sample executing the head and arm against Olympia.

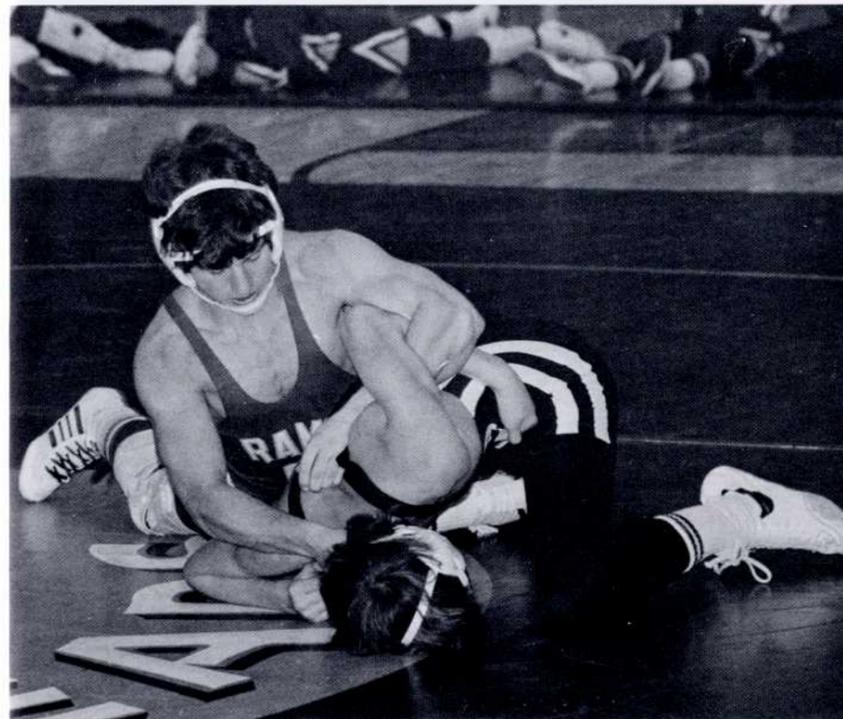
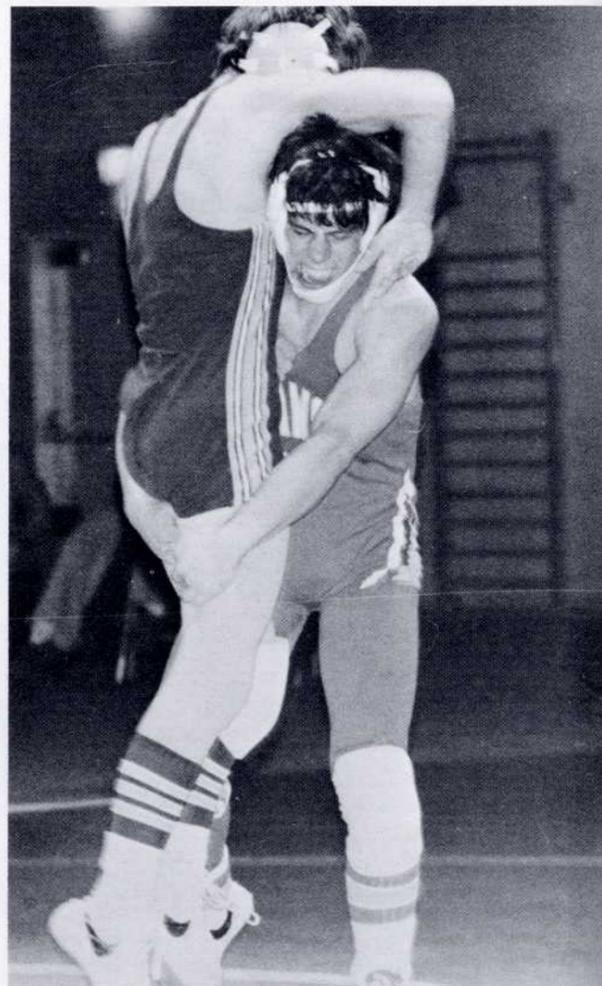
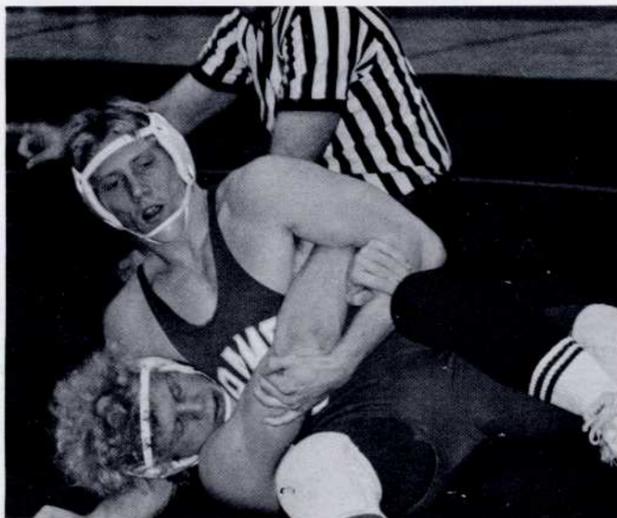


Wrestling

Regional Placers:

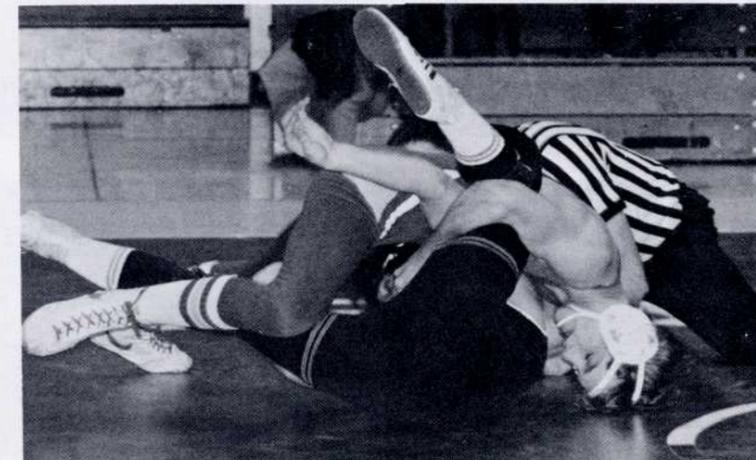
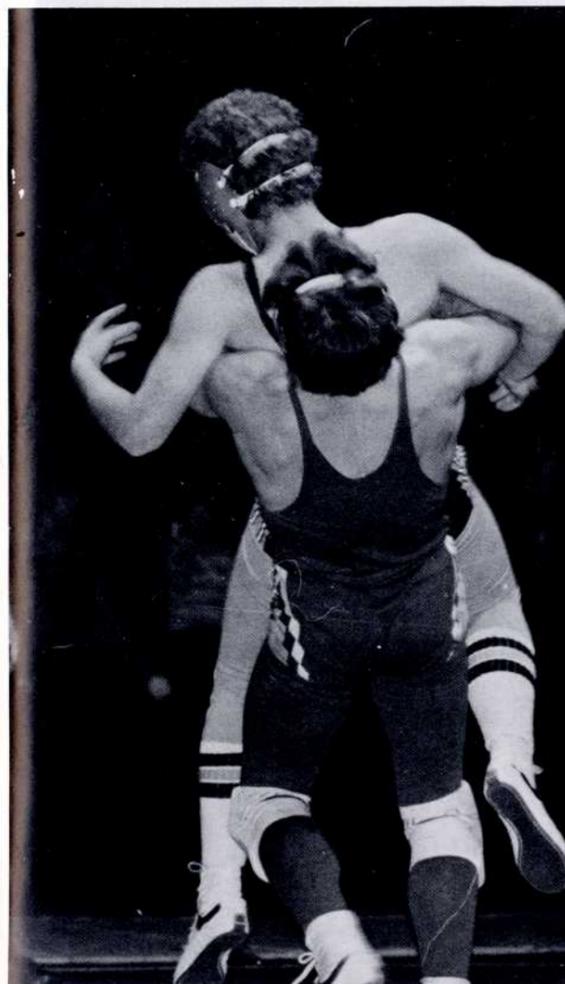
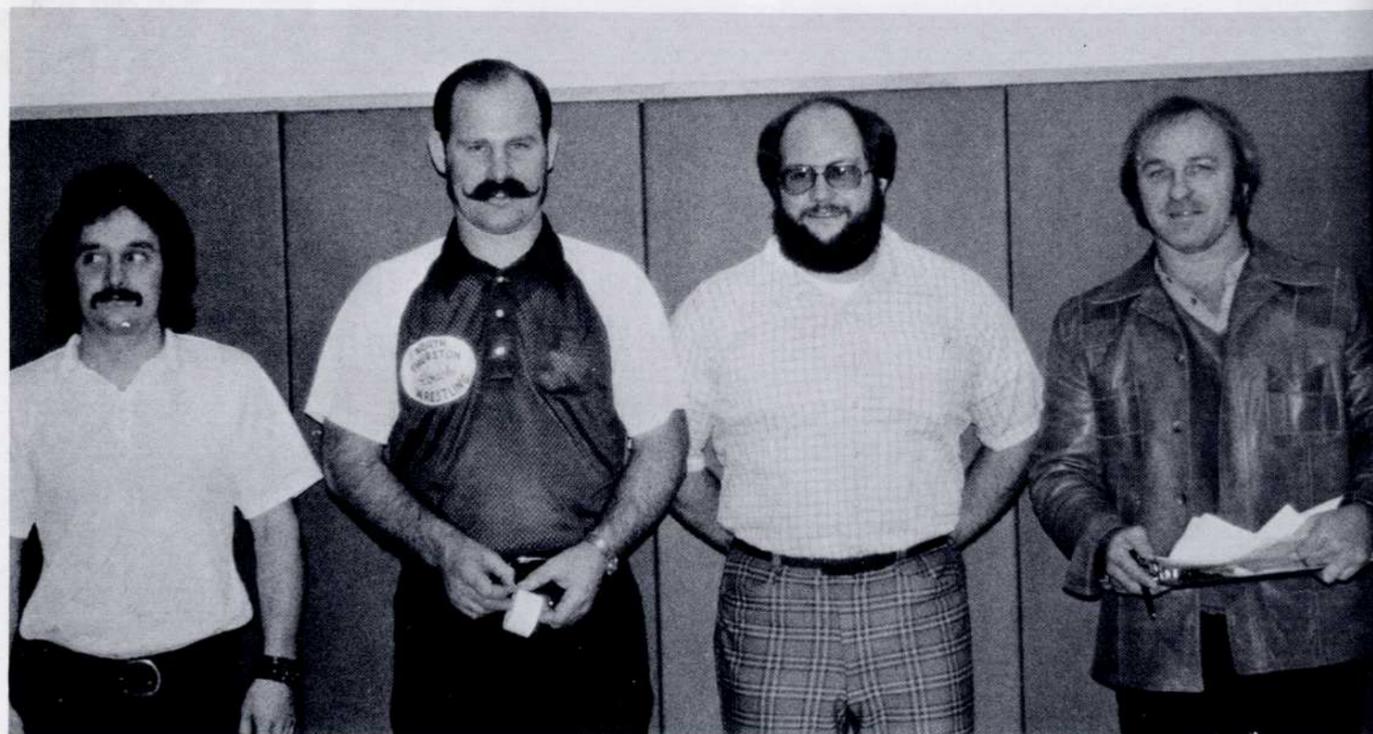
- First Place- Brian Hilts, Jim Dresser
 Dave Livingston
- Second Place- Mike Proffitt
- Third Place- Guy Burdett, Dave Roberts
- Fifth Place- Randy Worrell, Ken Zink
 Rick DeWitt
- Sixth Place- Bill Strand, Mark Feldhausen

Top left: Hilts goes for pin with head & arm combination.
 Top right: Guy Burdett goes ape.
 Below: Coaches, left to right, Brian Hoonan, Larry Smith, Ron Busche, Gary Iverson.



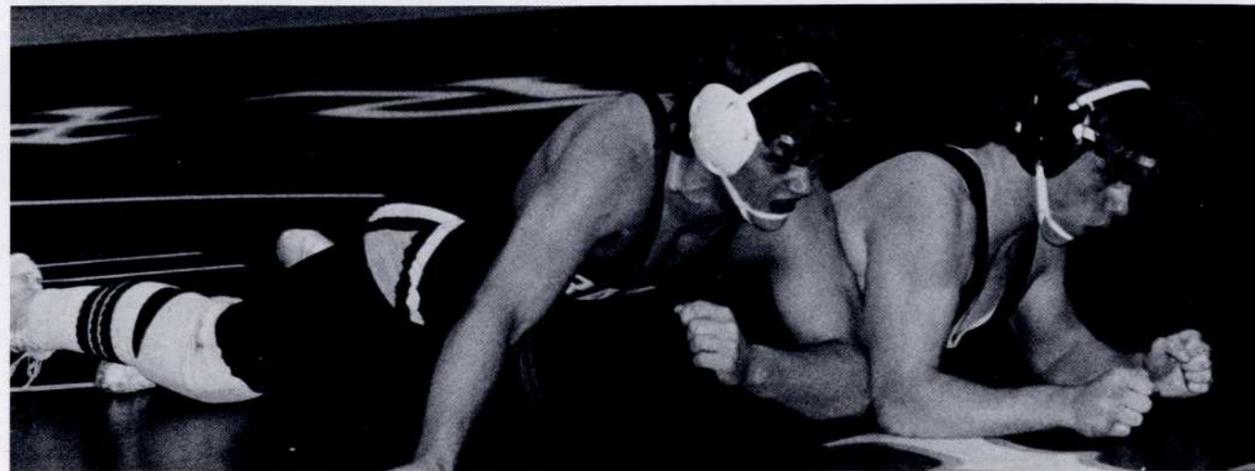
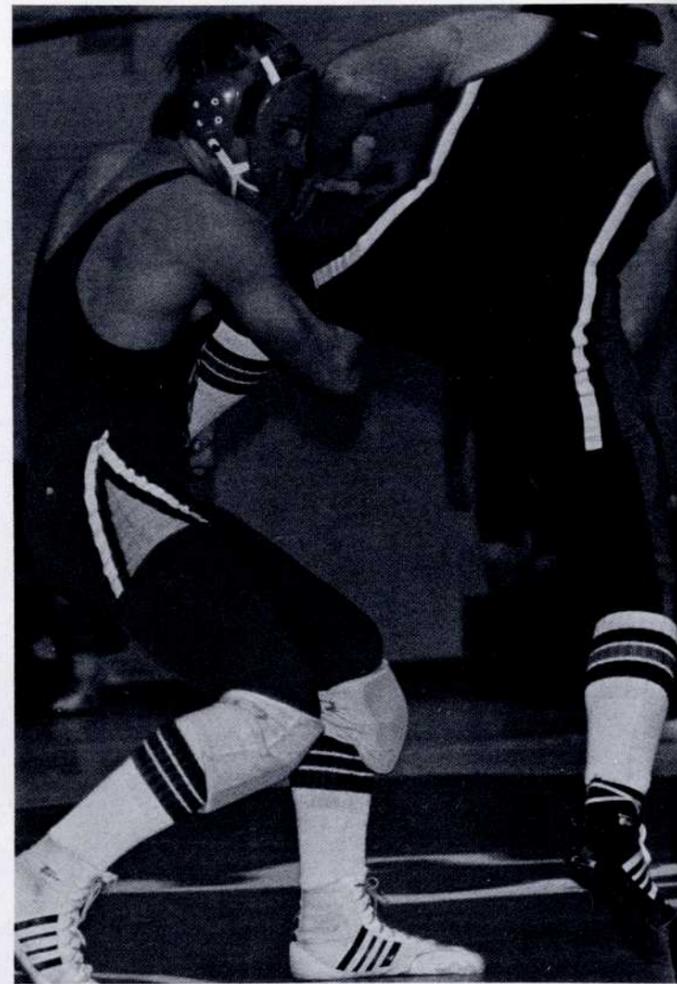
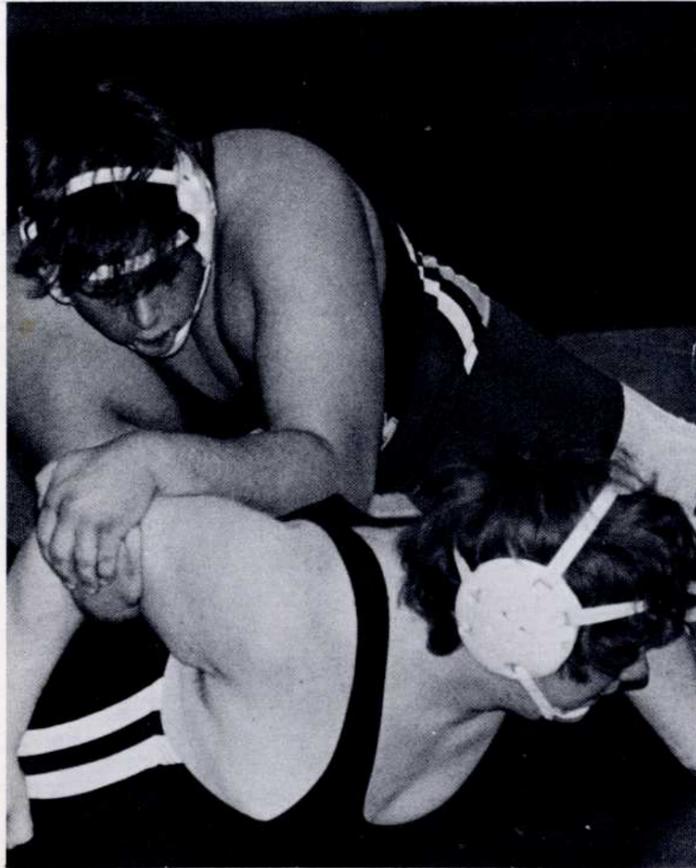
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N. Thurston	46	Leilehua	18
N. Thurston	49	St. Louis	22
N. Thurston	43	Kamehameha	24
N. Thurston	32	Radford	31

Top Left: Dave Roberts arm bars Oly. victim.
 Bottom Left: Dave Livingston executes back suplex.
 Below: Mark Feldhausen craddles Shelton foe.



101	Mitch Sample	Frosh	6	12	0
108	Bill Strand	Soph	9	10	0
115	Ken Zink	Senior	15	4	1
122	Myung Choi	Junior	5	9	0
129	Rick DeWitt	Senior	6	2	0
135	Dave Roberts	Senior	10	2	1
141	Guy Burdett	Senior	16	3	1
148	Mark Feldhausen	Junior	11	7	0
158	Brian Hilts	Senior	21	0	0
168	Dave Livingston	Senior	20	1	0
178	Randy Worrell	Senior	15	4	1
190	Jim Dresser	Senior	21	0	0
Hwy	Mike Proffitt	Senior	16	4	0

Wrestling



Top left: Senior Mike Proffitt, Heavy weight.
 Top right: Senior Jim Dresser, 190 lbs.
 Above: Senior Randy Worrell, 178 lbs.



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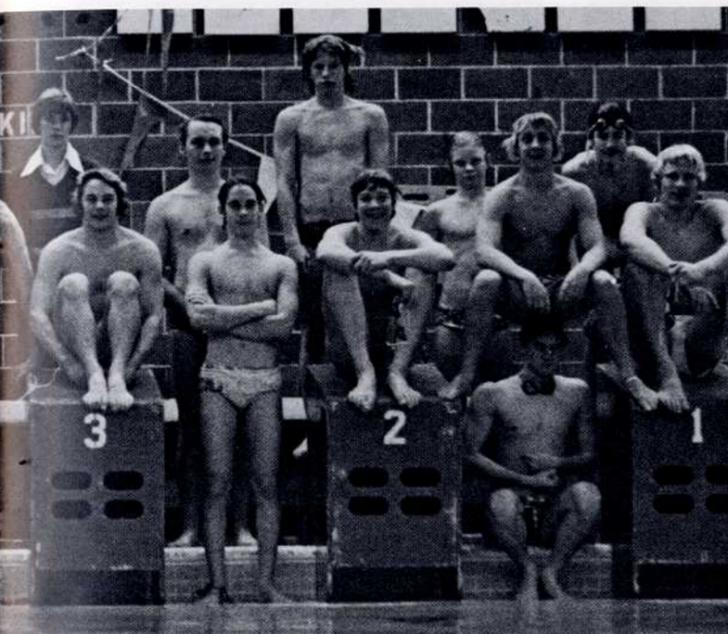
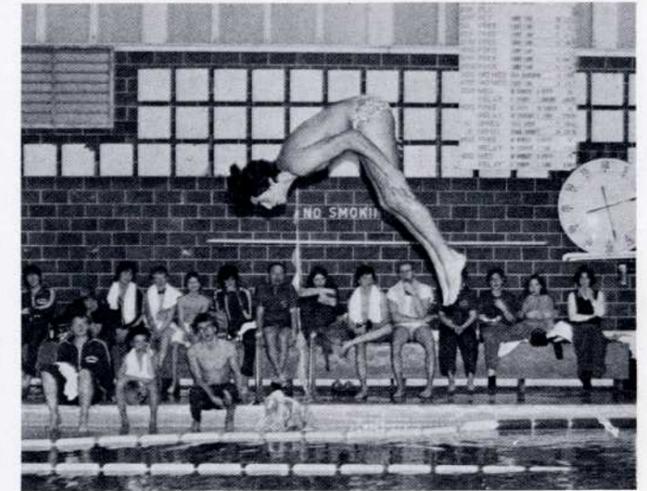
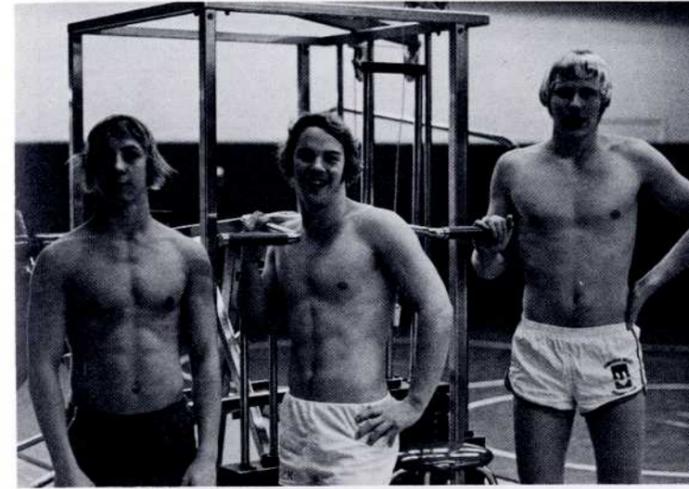
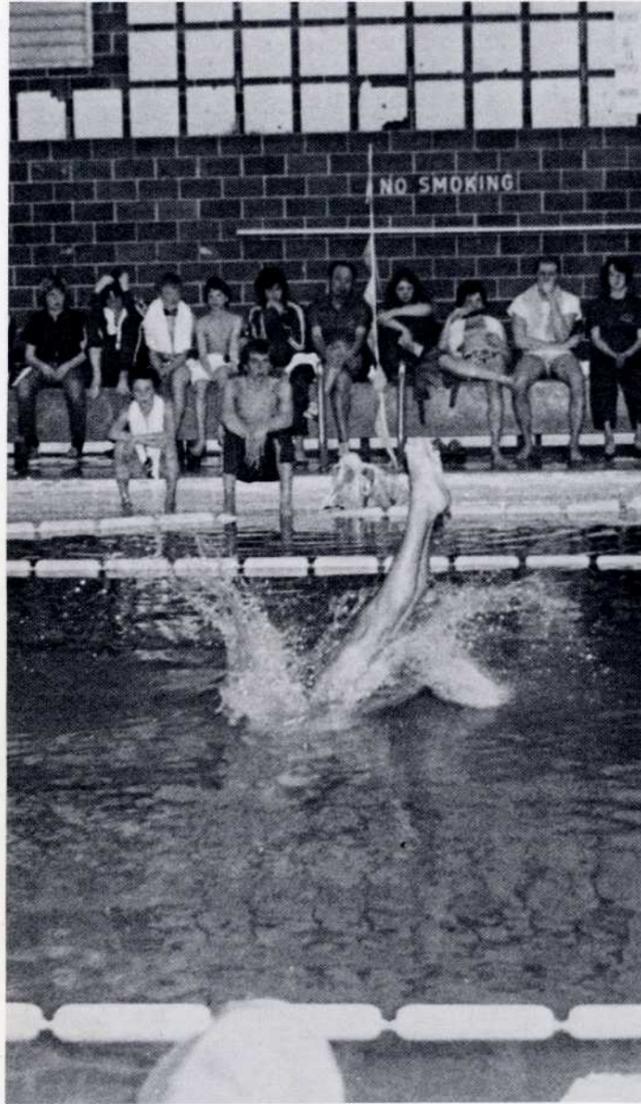


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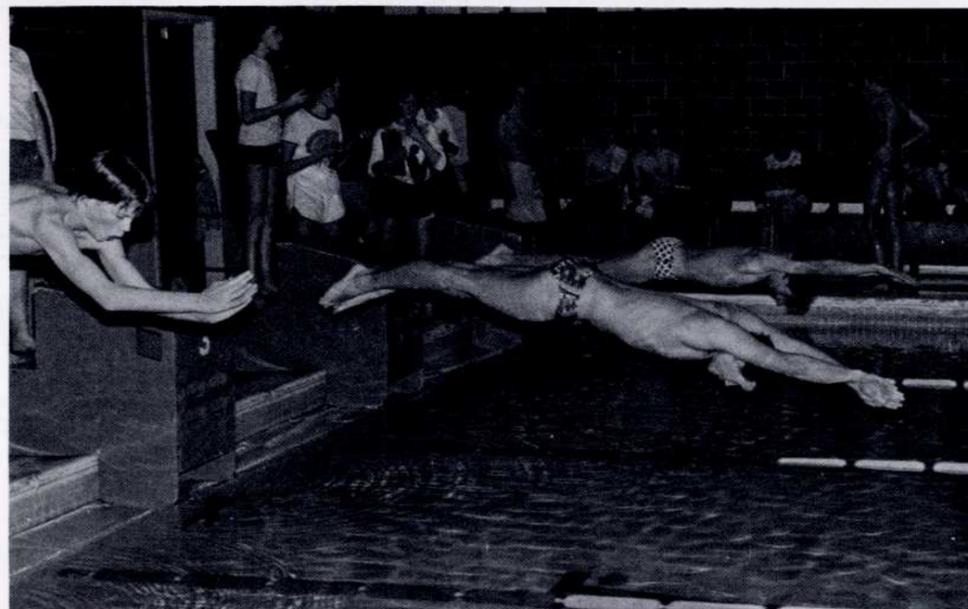
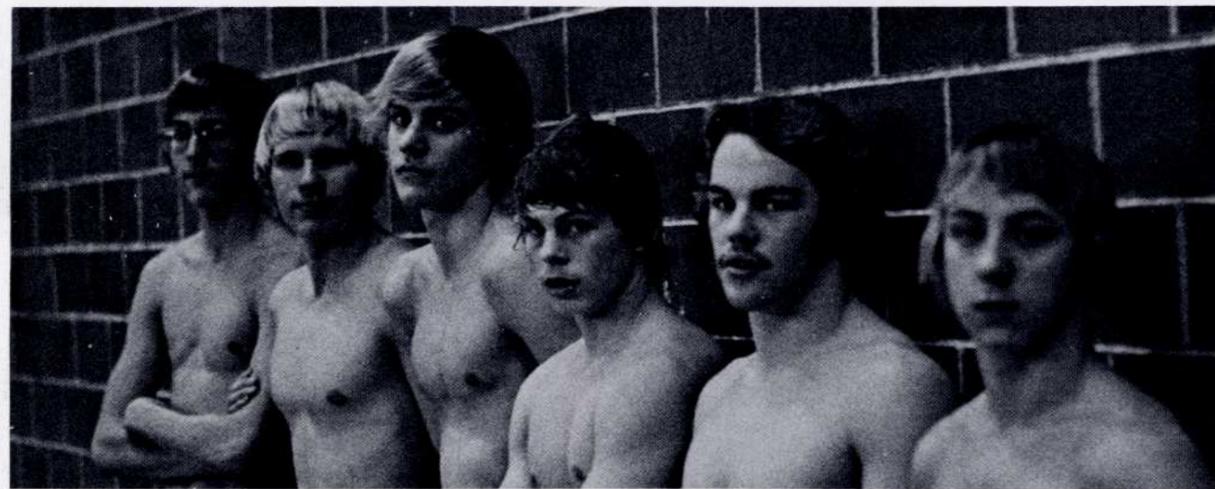
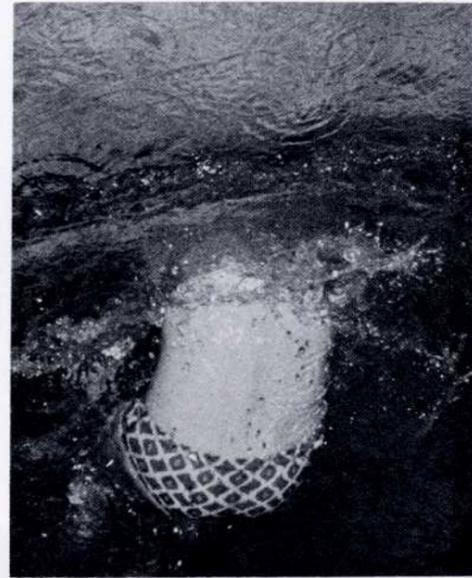


The Ramfish, under the coaching of Bruce Jackson and Fred Brockman, had a very successful season with seven wins and one loss. The only loss was to the defending Black Hills League Champs, the Olympia Bears. Coach Jackson was very pleased with the times throughout the season, especially those of districts and state meets. This years Ramfish qualified six people to the state roster and most of the team to districts.



Center: Left to right-Daren Braget, Dan Mauer, MiSun Song, Coach Bruce Jackson, George Norton, Dan Shaw, Dave Robbins, Roxanne Russell, Ray Hershey, Scott Furrer, Jeff Furrer, Eric Worley, Lisa Ray, Brad Brockman, Jeff Cobel, Terry Brockman, Andy Coleman, Brian Dunn, Dean Hanson, Kirby Schaufler, Greig Presnell, Bruce Brazier, and Mark Worley.

Far left: Let's try that again.
 Top left: Presnell "Up close."
 Top right: Co-captains Kirby Schaufler, Brad Brockman, and Mark Worley.
 Bottom: And their off!
 Below: Ramfish



Top left: Up, up and away!
 Top right: Bottoms up.
 Center: State Qualifiers
 Right: Let's go!



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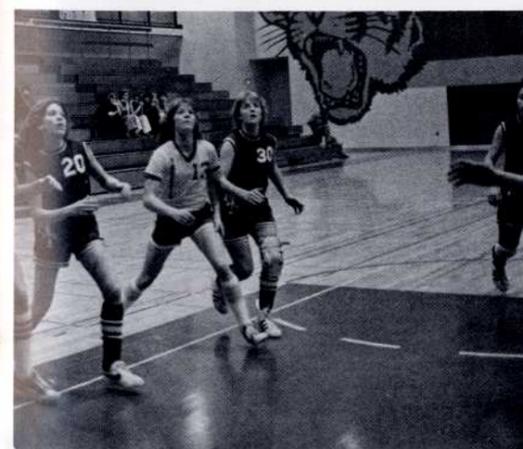
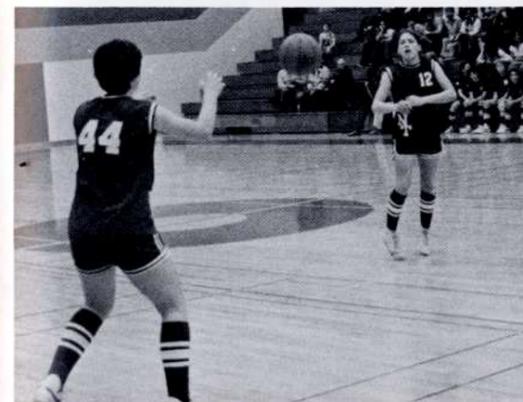
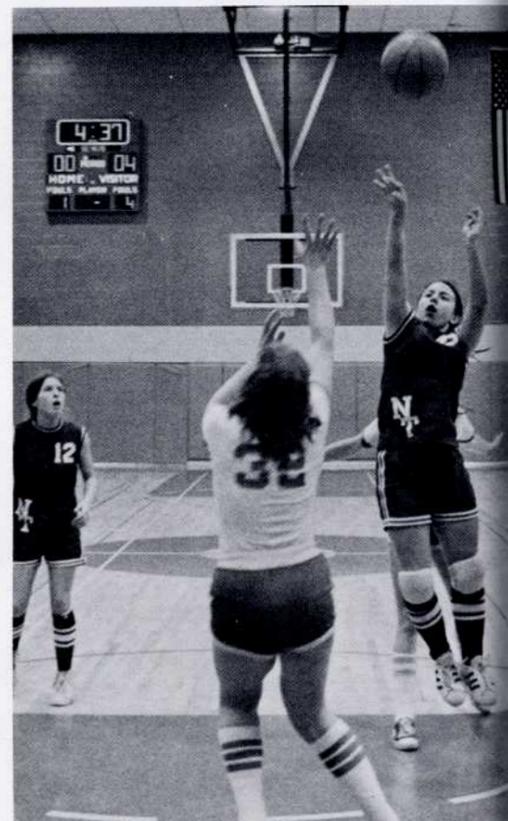
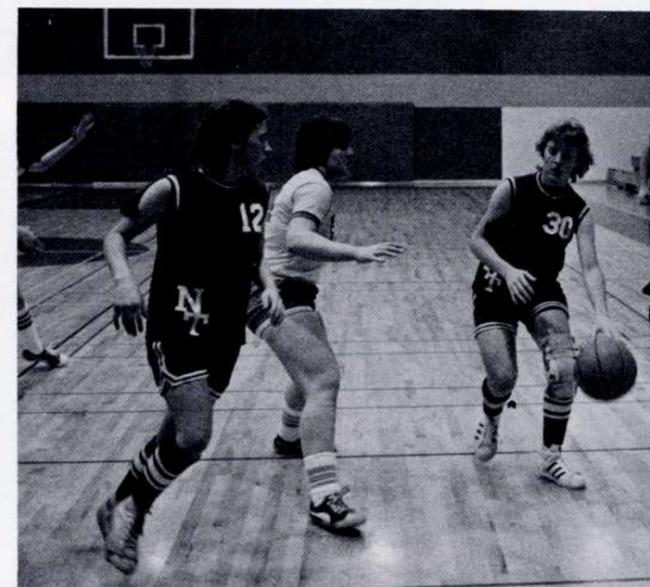
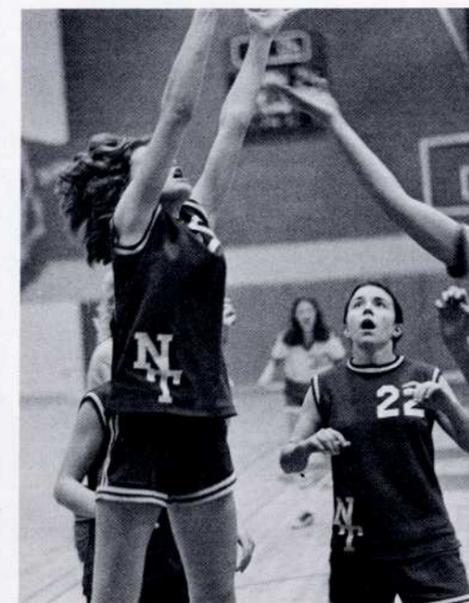


Girls Basketball

This year's girls basketball team turned out to be the best in the school's history. Opponent after opponent fell as the girls fought their way into the state play-offs for the first time ever.

The team consisted of three seniors, four juniors and three sophomores. So the next few years are bright and promising for further post-season competition.

Right: The 1976-77 NTHS Girls Basketball team. Front row- (l to r) Lori Dresser, Melanie VanDelden, Lisa Hjelm, Becky Brown, Lianna Bergen. Back row- (l to r) Ardys Parman, Gidget Williams, Kathy Baker, Katie Robbins, Nancy Logue.

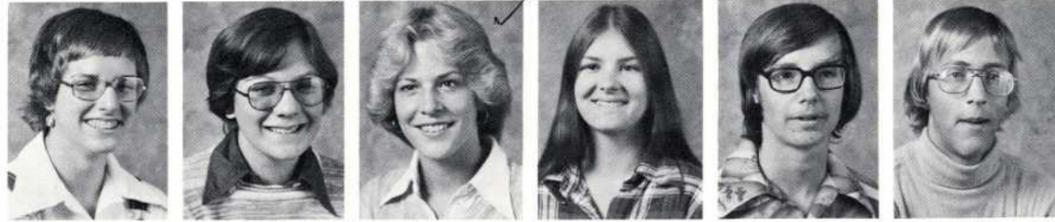


Above: Lisa Hjelm (dark uniform) fights for a jump ball early in the game. Right: Lianna Bergen taking a shot in district competition against Aberdeen.

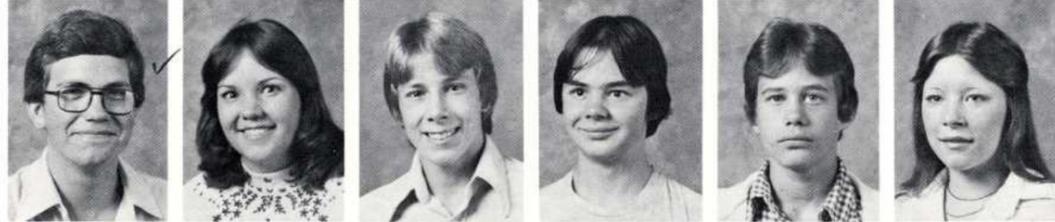
Top: Lianna (22) looks on while teammate Ardys Parman fights for a rebound. Above: Gidget Williams (30) moves the ball down-court while Lisa sets a pick. Upper left: Nancy Logue (44) and Lisa set the play. Lower left: Positioning for the rebound.

Juniors

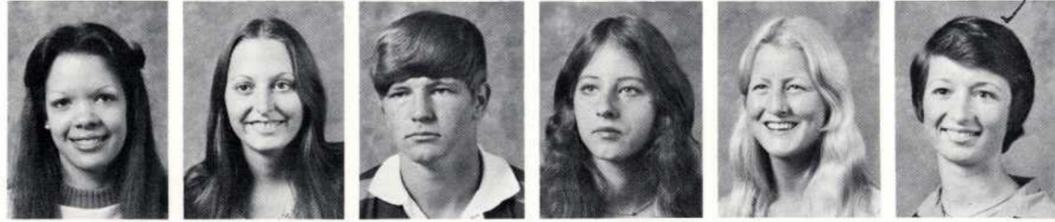
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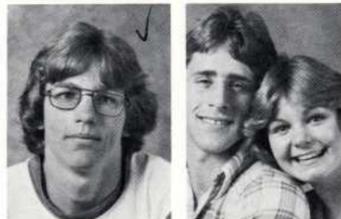
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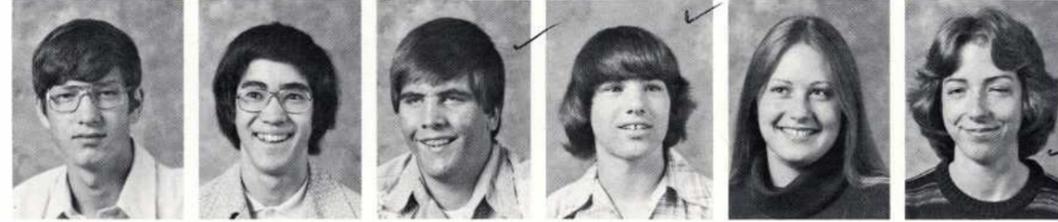
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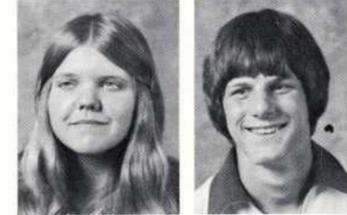
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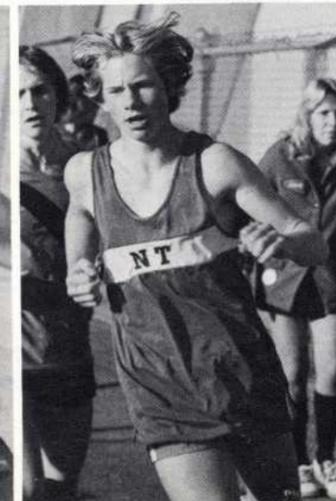
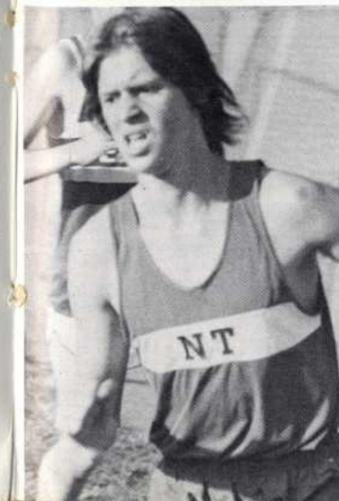
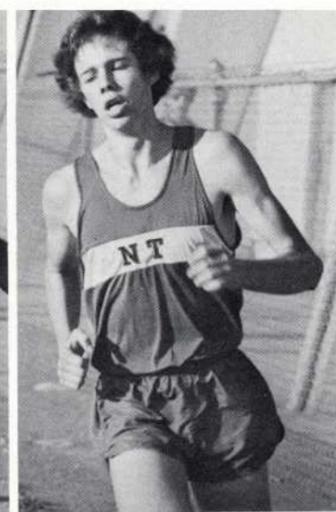
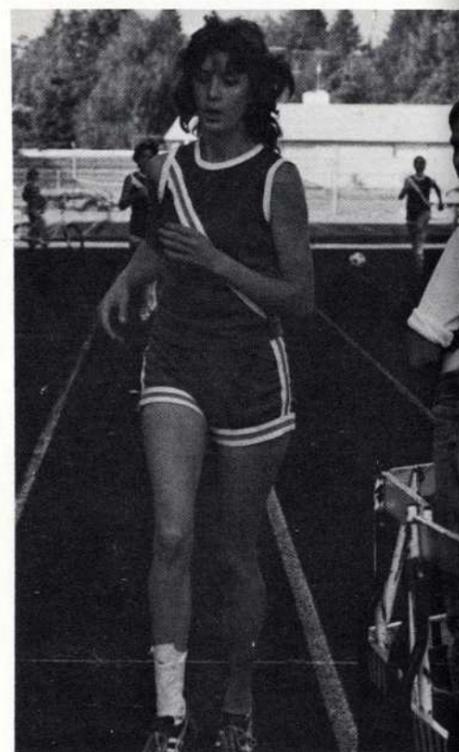
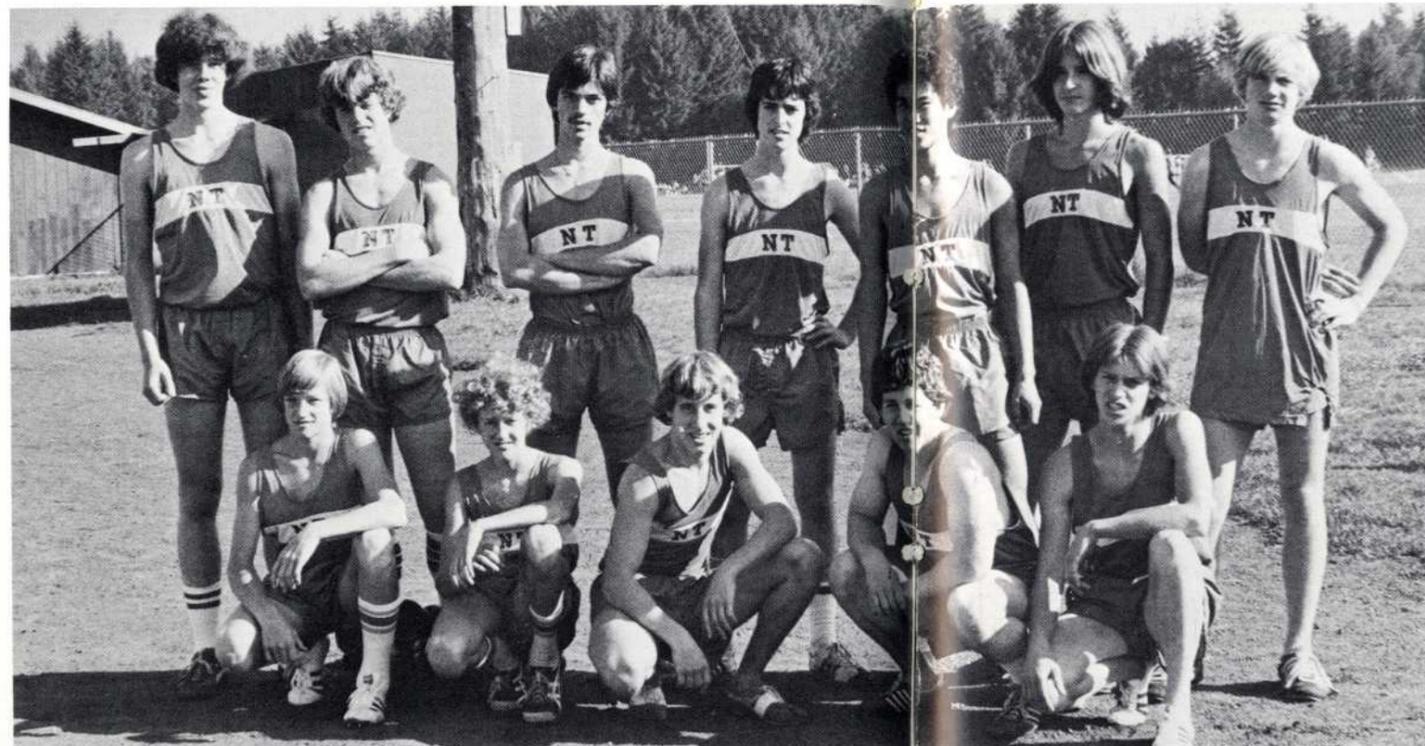
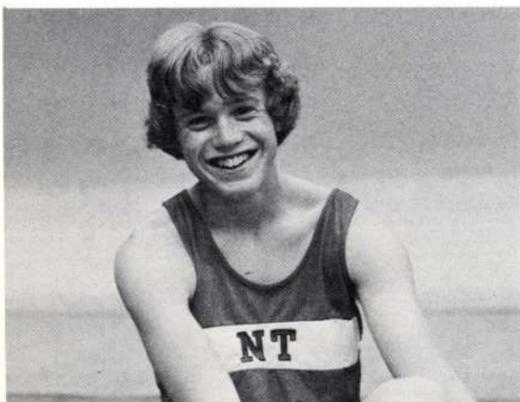


Bennie Litalian
Dean Logue



Brian Lupfer
Laura Lynn

Cross Country



Top: Buzz off, Darrell!
Above: April McGandy striding out.

Above: Ken Zink demonstrates "the chin".
Right: Sue Wilfong at the finish.

Top: 1976 Cross Country Team. Back row- (left to right) Bill Jacobson, Darrell Turner, Chris Cooley, Cliff Wiggington, Y.J. Chong, Tom McKinley, Dan McGlaughlin, Front row- (left to right) Frank Lee, Tom Rohletter, Ken Zink, Dave Roberts, Chuck Winders.

Above: Chris Cooley and Darrell Turner lead the pack.
Left: (clock-wise from upper left) Tom McKinley, Bill Jacobs, Dan McLaughlin, Chuck Winders.

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N. Thurston	31	Timberline	24
N. Thurston	31	Capital	25
District meet		Fifth Place	

Girls Volleyball



N.T.	15,15,15	Chehalis	2,5,7
N.T.	15,15,13,15	Capital	6,0,15,11
N.T.	15,15,15	Centralia	7,6,12
N.T.	15,15,15	Elma	3,11,3
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N.T.	15,14,14,15,15	Tumwater	9,16,16,6,3
N.T.	15,15,16	Timberline	12,4,14

The North Thurston volleyball team led by captain Lori Dresser placed second in the Black Hills League with their only loss being a close match against their rivals, Aberdeen. Because of their league standing, the Rams were able to advance to Districts in which they did quite well. The varsity team consisted of ten members with Joy VanBuskirk the only senior on the team.

The junior varsity team finished their season with a record of 6-4. There were thirteen girls on the team, none of whom were seniors.

Youth was the keynote of the team. They finished a 9-1 season with only one senior on the whole team, the next year or two will prove to be better.

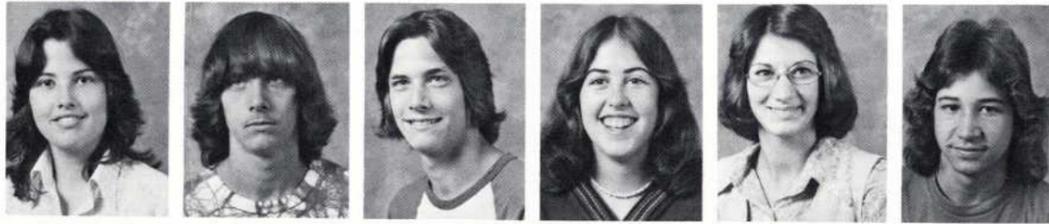


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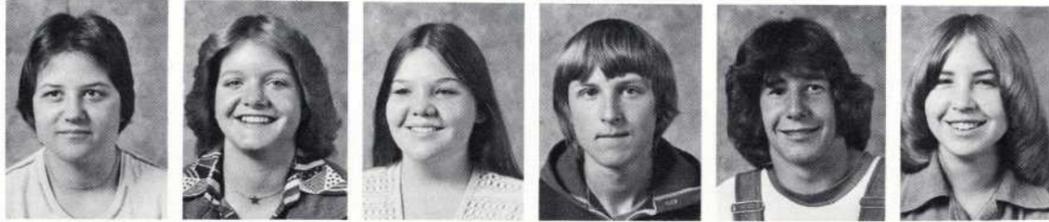
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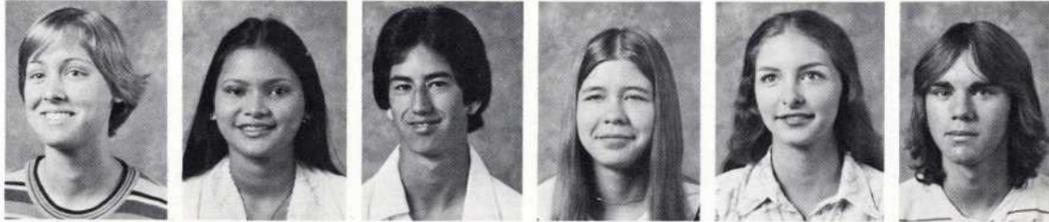
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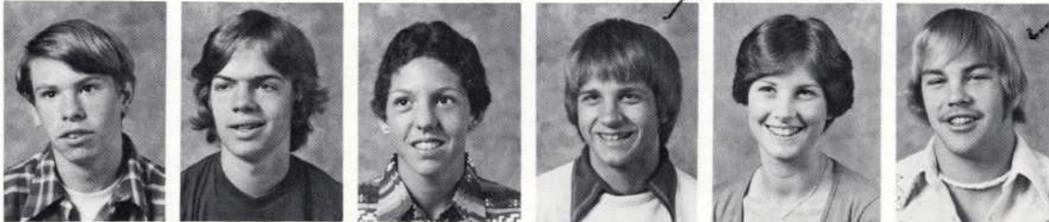
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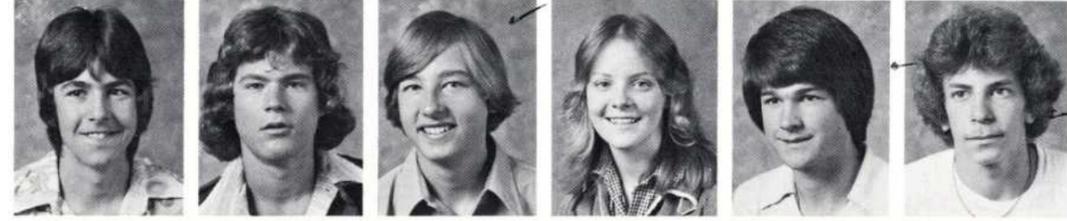
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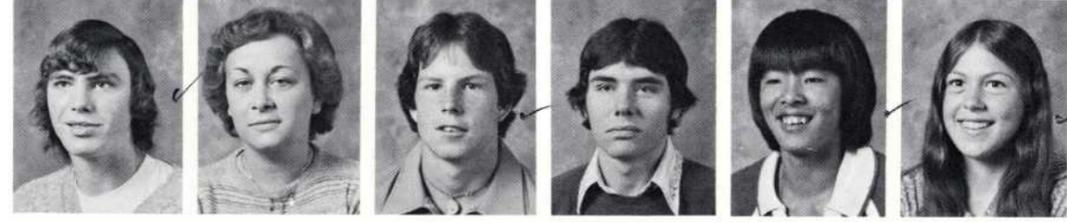
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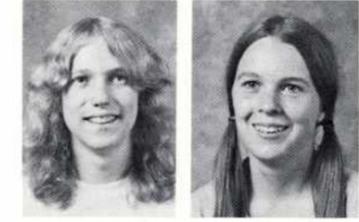
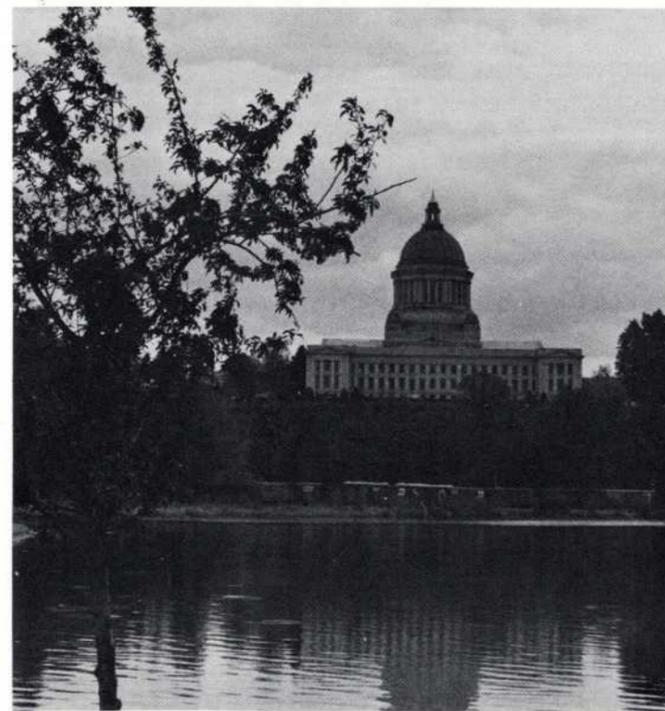
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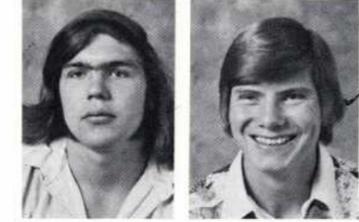
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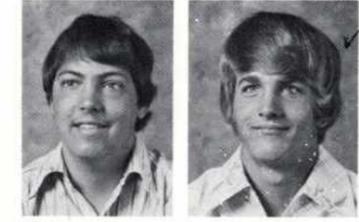
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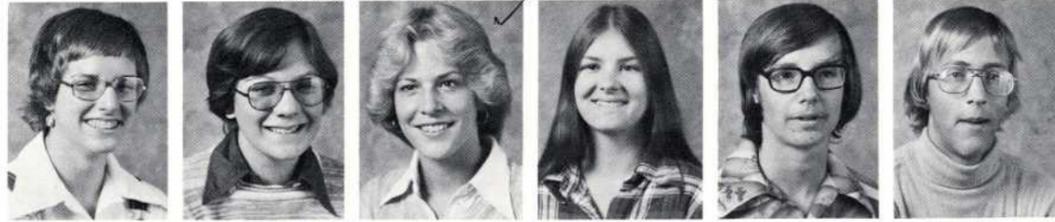
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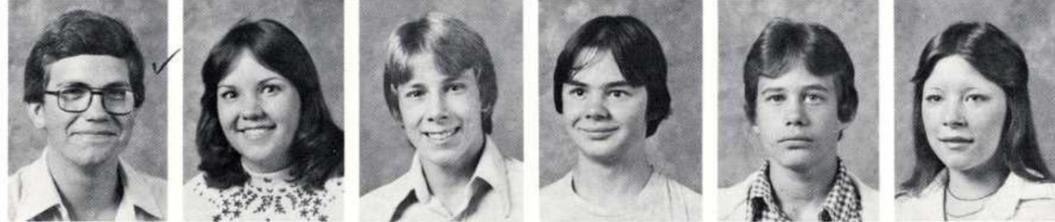
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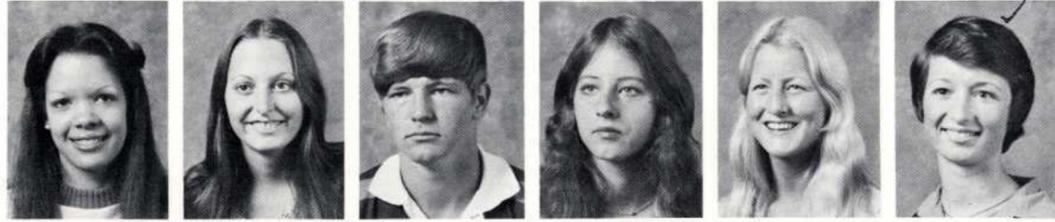
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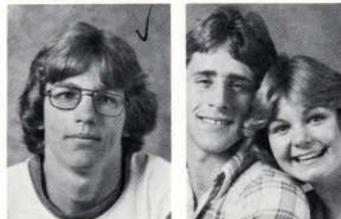
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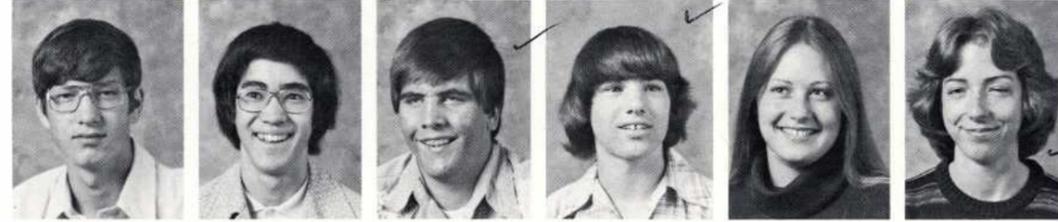
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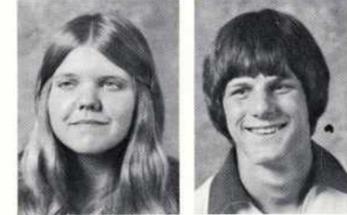
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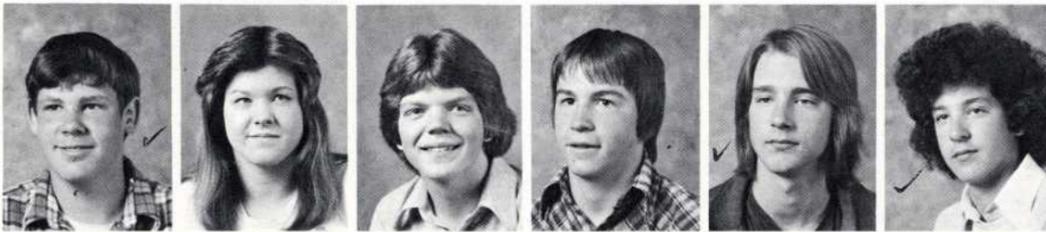
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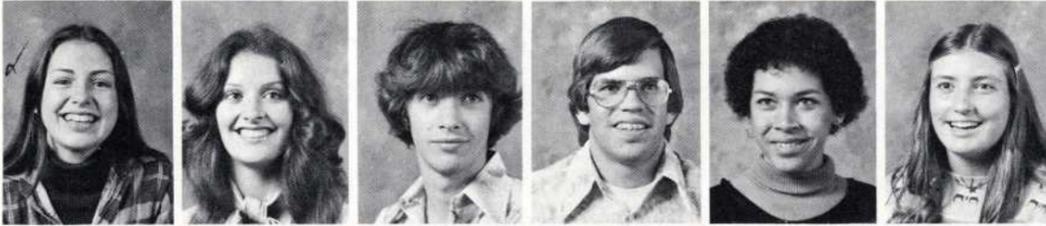
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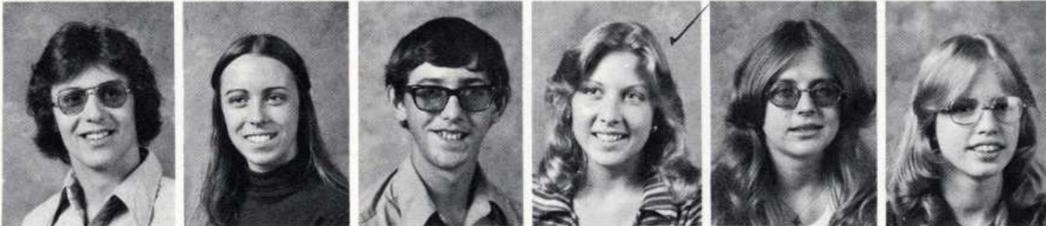
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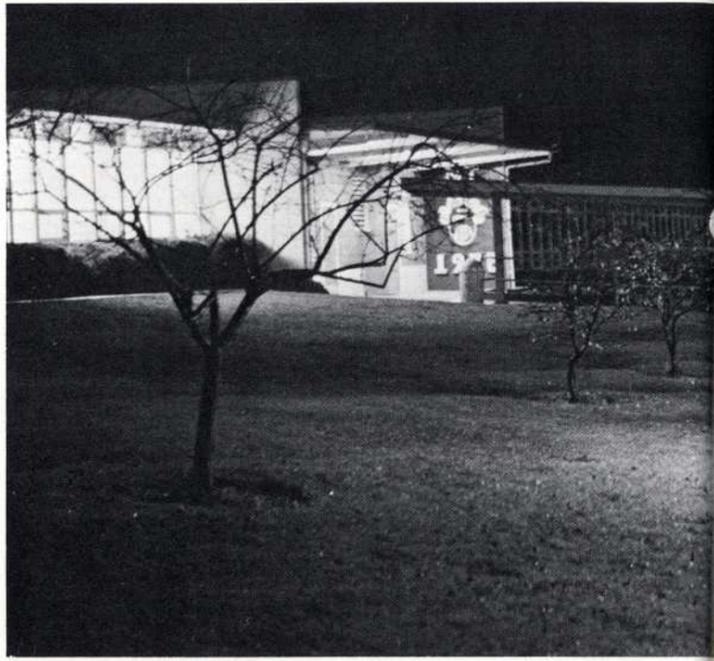
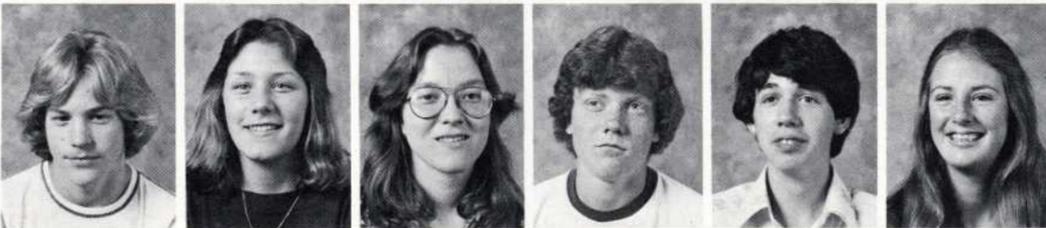
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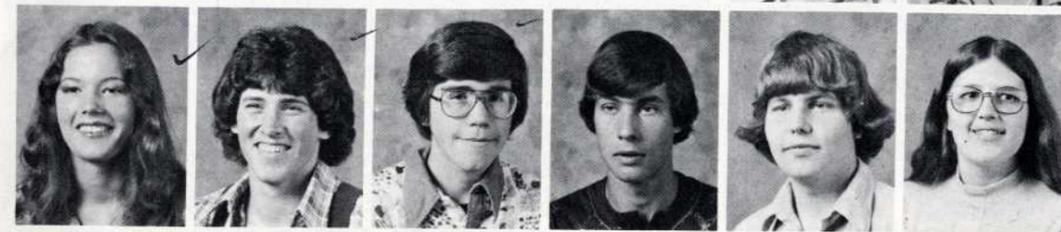
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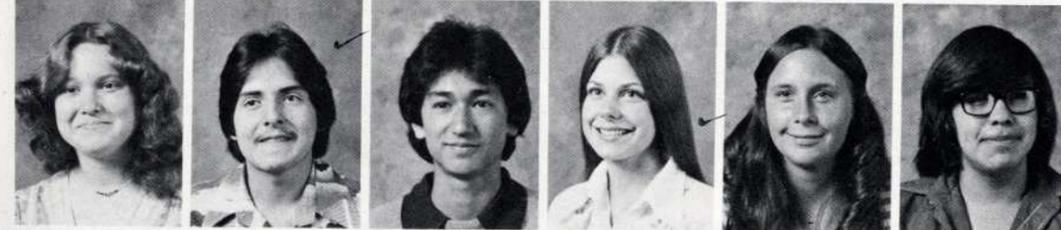
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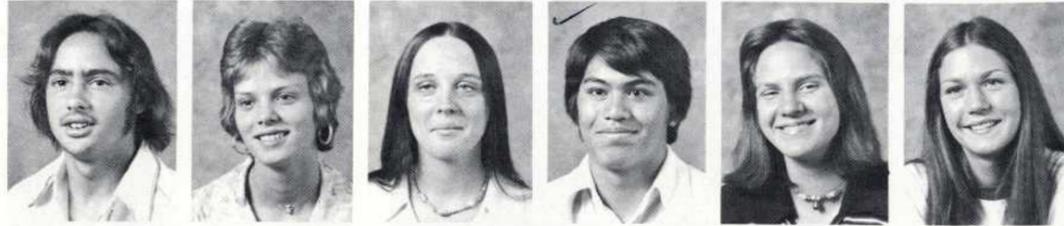
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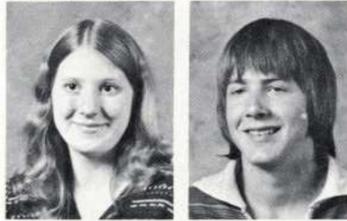
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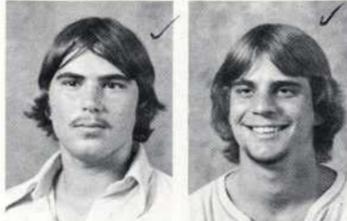
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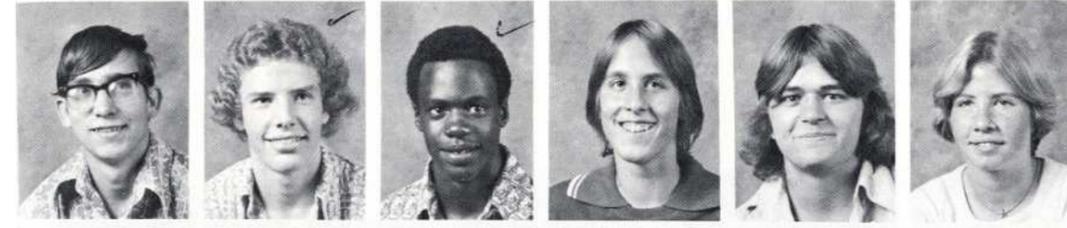
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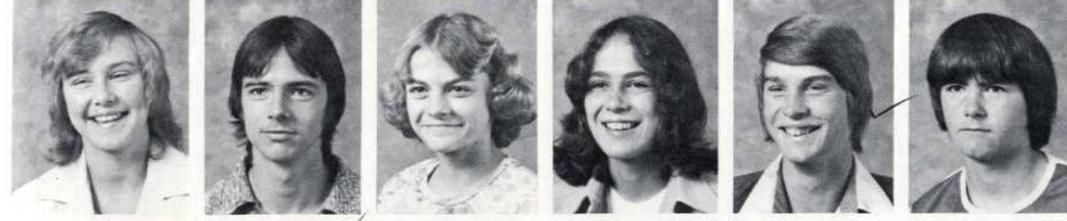
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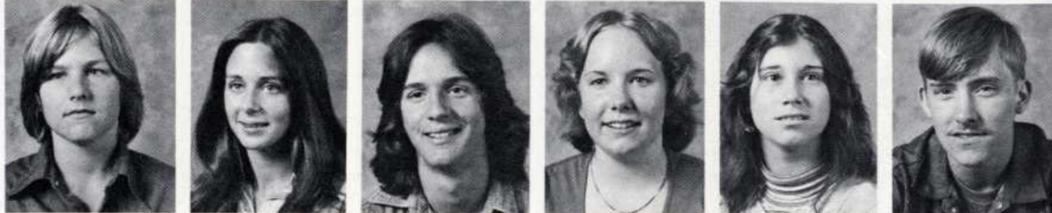
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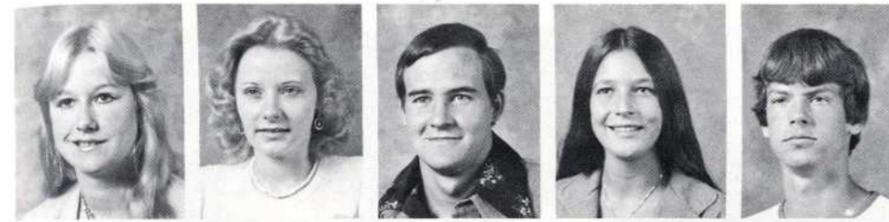
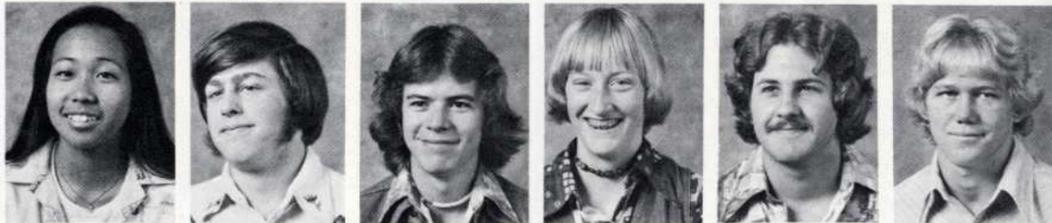
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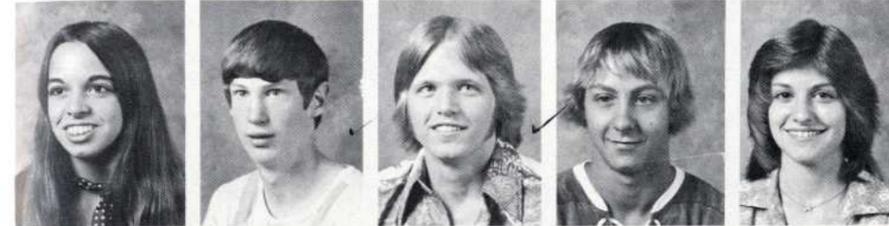
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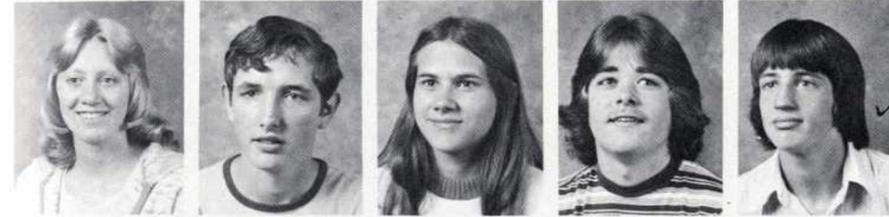
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School Board



Above: Ray Alverson, Thelma Jackson, Mike Kreidler, John Howard, and Rex Comstock.
Right: School Superintendent, Dr. John Gott.
Far Right: Board Chairman John Howard, right, presents a "sincere appreciation" award to Dr. Kreidler following Kreidler's resignation to begin his new position as a state legislator.



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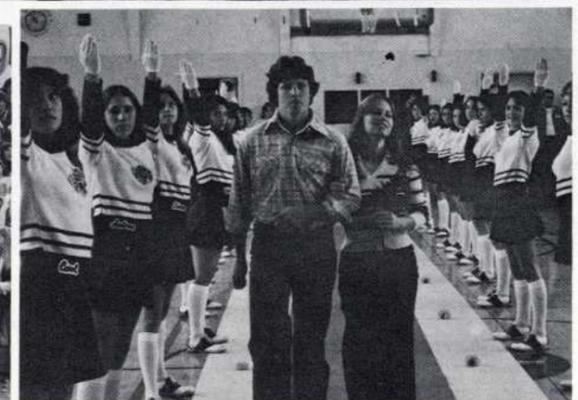
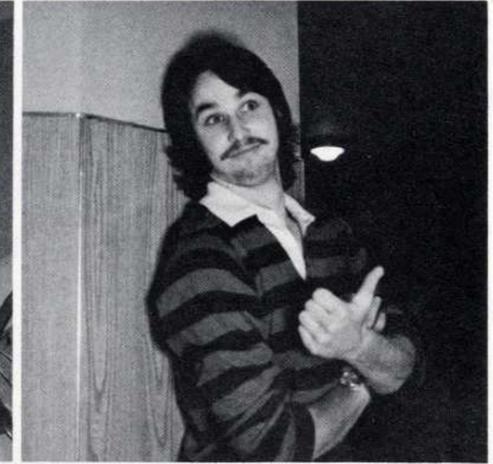
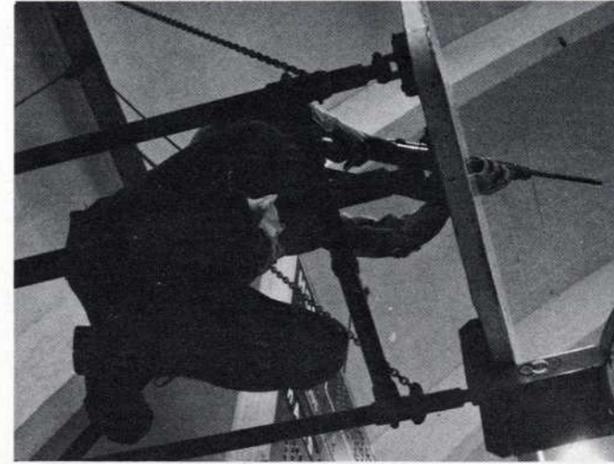


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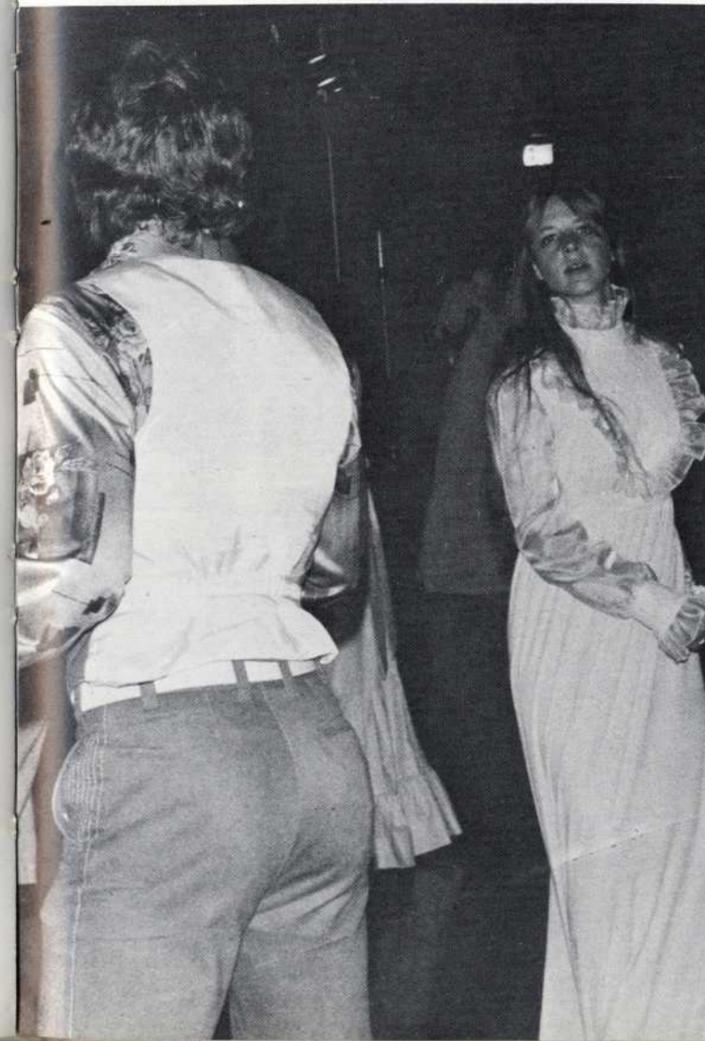
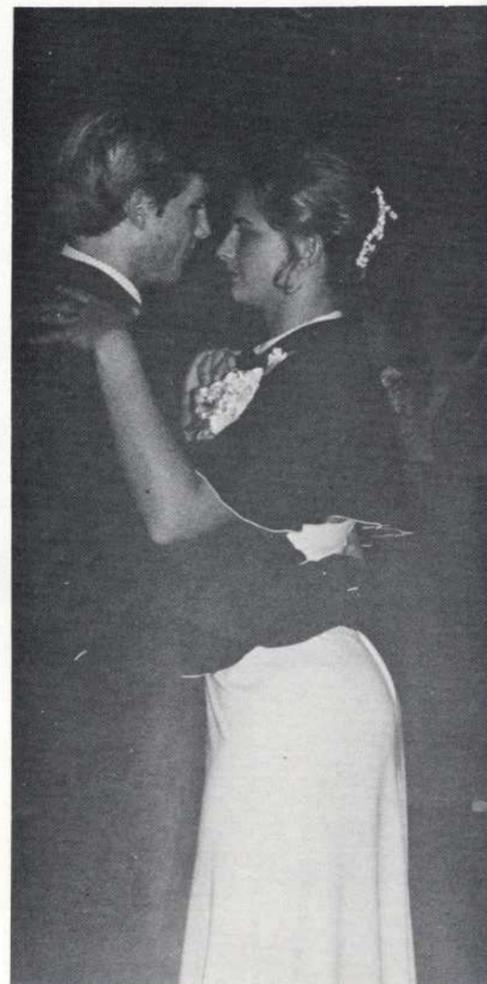
Homecoming



The 1976 Homecoming court: (left to right) princess Faye Freitas, and escort Tom Culleton; Junior princess Linda Wambold and escort Mike Donnelly; Queen Debbie Stark and King Darrell Turner; Senior princess Janet Stover and escort Ron Atwood; Sophomore princess Laurie Lee and escort Jeff Krasch.



Top: Trace, a group from Seattle, provided the tunes for the night.
Right: 1975 Homecoming Queen Michelle Kerle and her escort, Tom Braden.



Above: Queen Debbie Stark walks to her throne escorted by king Darrell Turner.
Left: Brent Warner and Pam White enjoying themselves at the dance.

The homecoming weekend for 1976 was a great success, as the football team devastated the Shelton Highclimbers 29-7. Also, a first in North Thurston history--the homecoming dance was a financial success as ticket sales topped 100 couples, bringing in a profit of over sixty dollars. Although small, it was the first time that the dance was out of the hole, ever.

Half-time entertainment was provided by the NTHS marching band, the Drill Team, cheerleaders and the class floats. After the half-time extravaganza, the fans formed a 100-yard long tunnel for the Ram team to enter the field for the second half.

Saturday night, the semi-formal dance went well with the band, Trace, as the evening's entertainment. The theme, "Dream On" by Aerosmith was best expressed by the junior class with their first-place float and gym decoration.

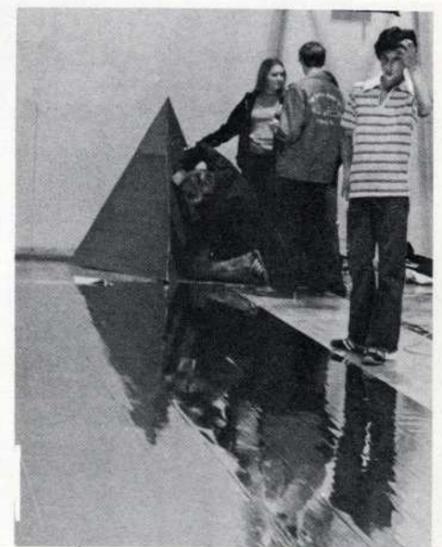
Alumni at the dance were honored by the presence of the 1975 Homecoming queen, Michelle Kerle and her escort, Tom Braden.

Homecoming

Pep Week

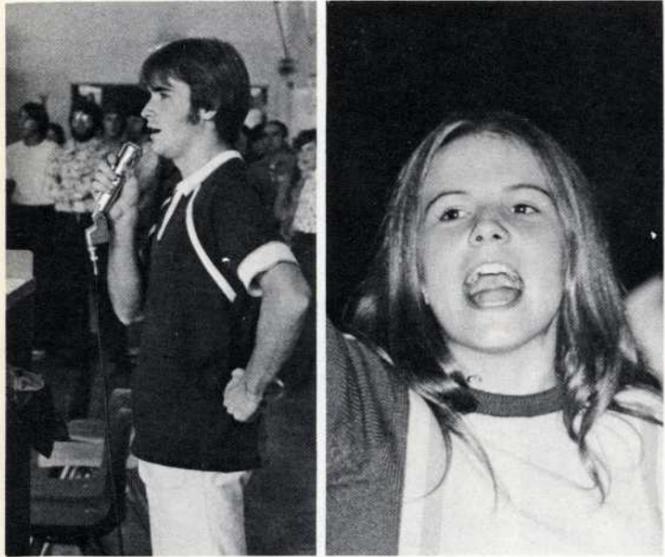
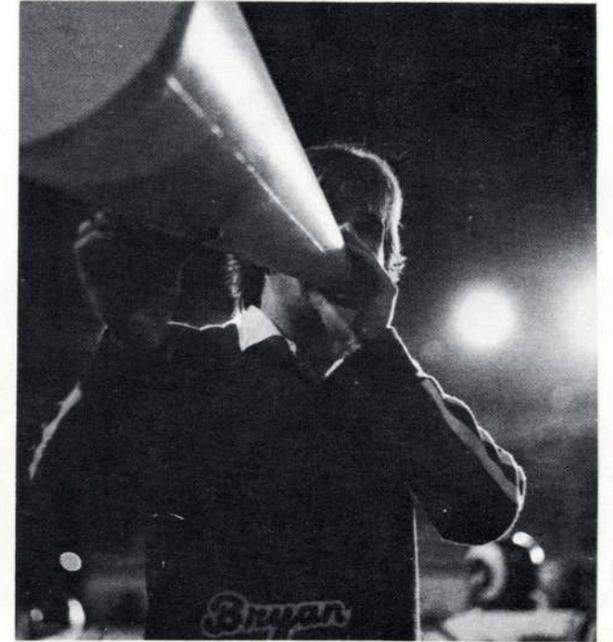


Top right: Queen Debbie Stark and King Darrell Turner on the senior float.
 Below: The junior float, winner of the float competition, with princess Linda Wambold and escort Mike Donnelly.
 Right: Sophomore float with princess Laurie Lee and escort Jeff Krasch.
 Lower right: The class of 1980's entry in the float competition with princess Faye Freitas and escort Tome Culleton.



Cheerleaders

Below: King Brian Hoddle; Queen Cydney Sample.
 Top Center: 1976-77 Varsity Cheerleaders. Back row (left to right) Brian Hoddle, Tammi Black, Laurie Thomas, Todd Lowe. Front row (left to right) Cydney Sample, Erin O'Brien, Joni Smith, Ellen Johnson, Dee Joslin. Not Pictured- Mike Doughty, Kathy Reyda.
 Lower right: Erin O'Brien and Ellen Johnson leading a cheer.
 Far lower right: Junior Varsity Cheerleaders. (left to right) Elaine Greer, Cathy Carson, Tawni Christensen, Sue O'Brien.



This year's cheerstaff was the largest in Thurston's history. Eight girls and three boys were selected to the cheerstaff for the 1976-77 school year. Led again by the "unsinkable Ma Smith", the cheerleaders succeeded in raising the school spirit a few notches.

Sponsoring a "penny mile" they raised over \$400 in competition with Timberline, who managed to raise only a meger \$157. Out-spoken Brian Hoddle was the king with Cydney Sample the queen. The Junior Varsity cheerleaders were Elaine Greer, Cathy Carson, Tawni Christensen, and Sue O'Brien. The Frosh yell leaders were Paula Berry, Tammi Christensen, Theresa Henry, and Monica Glitschka.



Cheerleaders

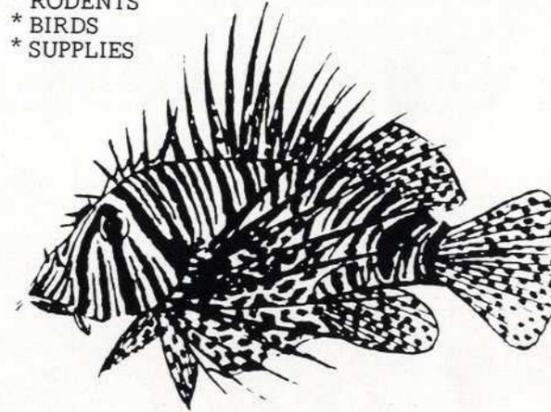


Top: Freshman Cheerleaders. (left to right) Tomi Berry, Tammi Christensen, Theresa Henry, Monica Glitschka.
 Above: "A Sunday drive with the family"
 Right: Laurie Thomas giving a cheer.



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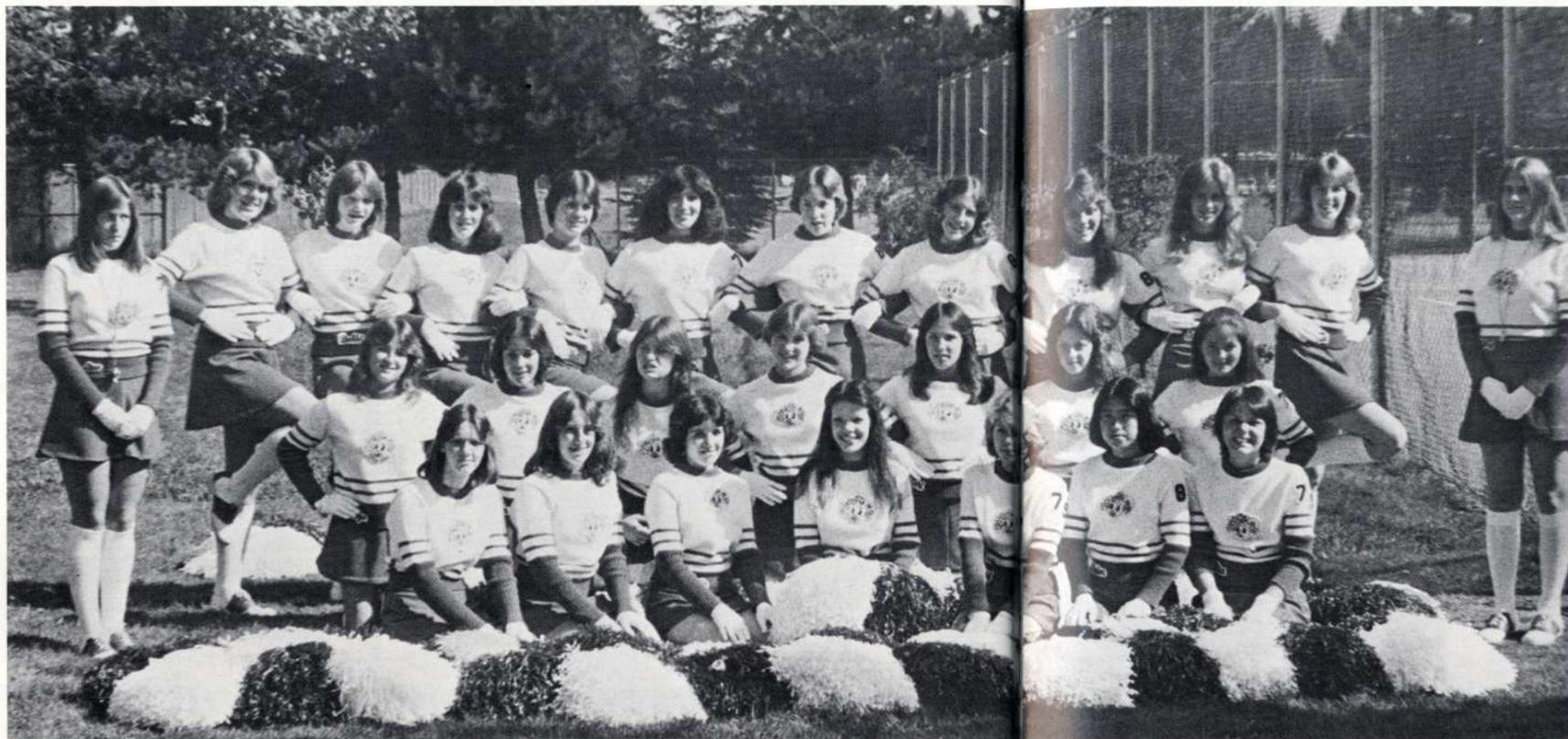


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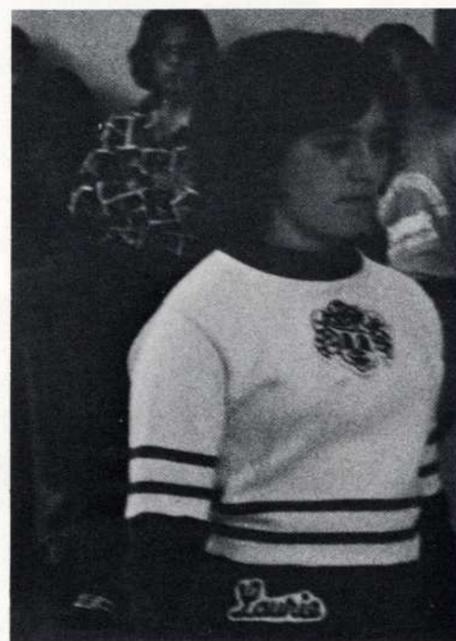
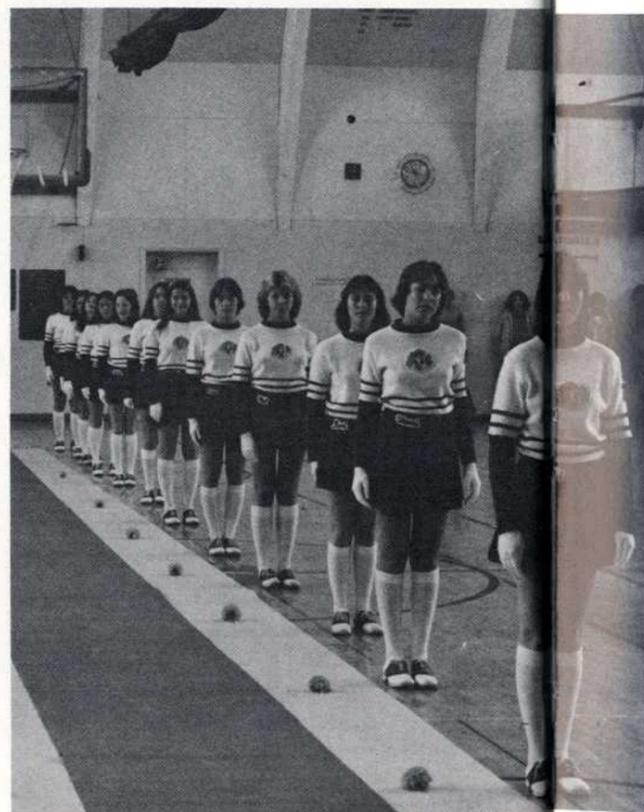
Drill Team



Left: (left to right) Back row- Dev Freeman, Tommi Berry, Bobbi Hollon, Lori Boyd, Lisa Edwards, Carol Moniz, Sheri Cleland, Andrea Randall, Cathy Hall, Karen Evens, Patty Kramer, Janet Reed, Center row- Faye Freitas, Melinda Aguilar, Sheila Michelson, Genie Pettit, Lori Egge, Katie Kuhlman, Darcy Hjelm, Front row- Terri Hora, Janis Gilbert, Laurie Riddle, Denise Guzman, Mel Hora, Helen Chong, Lisa Vernam. Not Pictured- Julie Meier.
Below: (left to right) Melinda Aguilar, Laurie Riddle, Hellen Chong, Carol Moniz, Cathy Hall, Genie Pettit.



Above: (left to right) Sheri Cleland, Darcy Hjelm, Mel Hora, Katie Kuhlman, Terri Hora, Lori Boyd. Behind-Cathy Hall.
Right: Front to back- Bobbi Hollon, Sheri Cleland, Lori Boyd, Mel Hora, Lisa Edwards, Janet Reed, Janis Gilbert, Katie Kuhlman, Darcy Hjelm, Faye Freitas, Denise Guzman, Lisa Vernam.



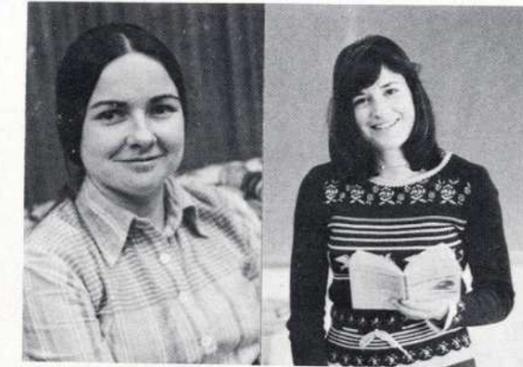
The drill team marched twenty-eight strong this year under the leadership of drill master Dev Freeman and assistant drill master Janet Reed. They performed admirably during half-times of football games and basketball games; also during the Homecoming court assembly.

Girls League

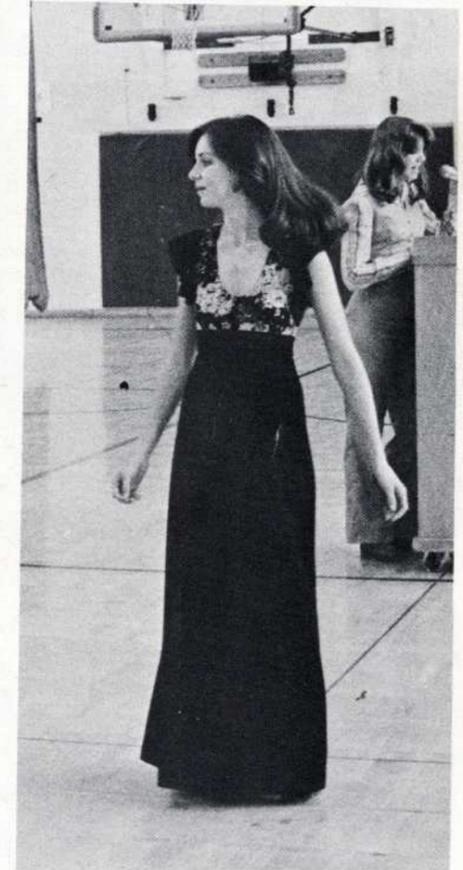
The Girls League was responsible for many activities this year. In the fall they held a Big - Little Sister party which was followed soon by the Father - Daughter banquet. Mr. Montgomery, father of Jill and Stacey Montgomery, was proclaimed Father of the Year at the banquet. In the spring, Tolo was named the "Enchantment of Oz" and featured the group Trace. Other activities included monthly meetings, group discussions, fashion shows and guest speakers.



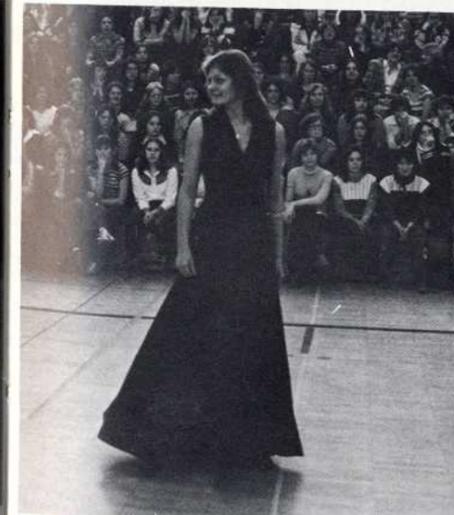
Left: Officers- Deb Stark, Meagan McDougall, Cindy Kramer, April McGandy, Patty Finnegan, Brenda Davis, Lynda Williams, Carol Moniz, Donna Eby, Becky Stark, and Ellen Scott.
Below: Advisors- Mrs. Mclaughlin and Miss Matlick.



Top left: Tami Black
Above: Deb Stark gives speech to the league.
Top right: Brenda Davis
Right: Lindy Kramer



Top left: Elaine Bolieu
Left: Shannon Hora
Above left: Sue Wilfong
Above Right: Kathy Kendall



Editorial

In the course of putting together a yearbook you invariably run across a certain amount of criticism. You can't please all of the people all of the time.

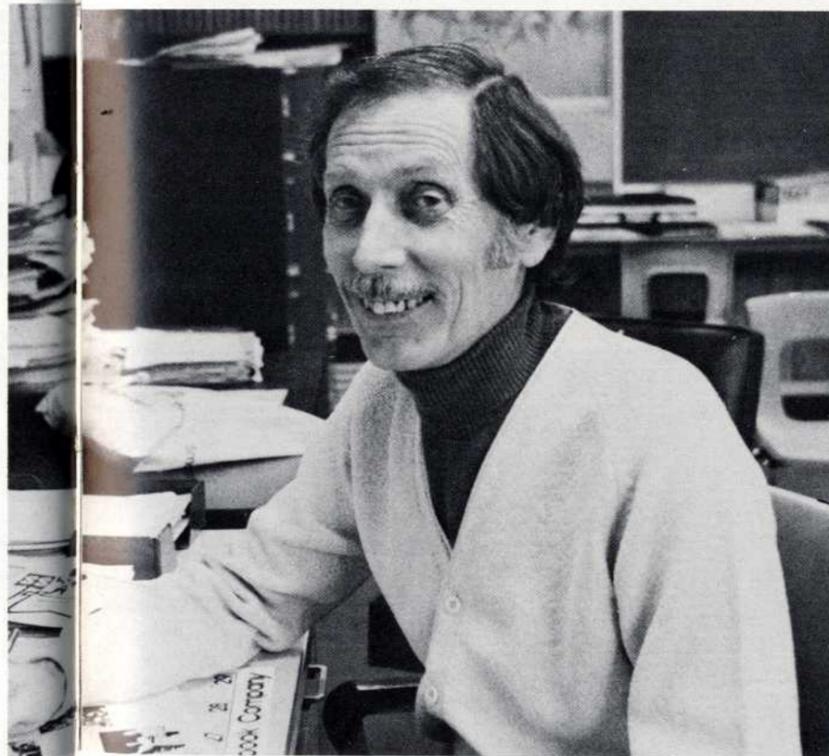
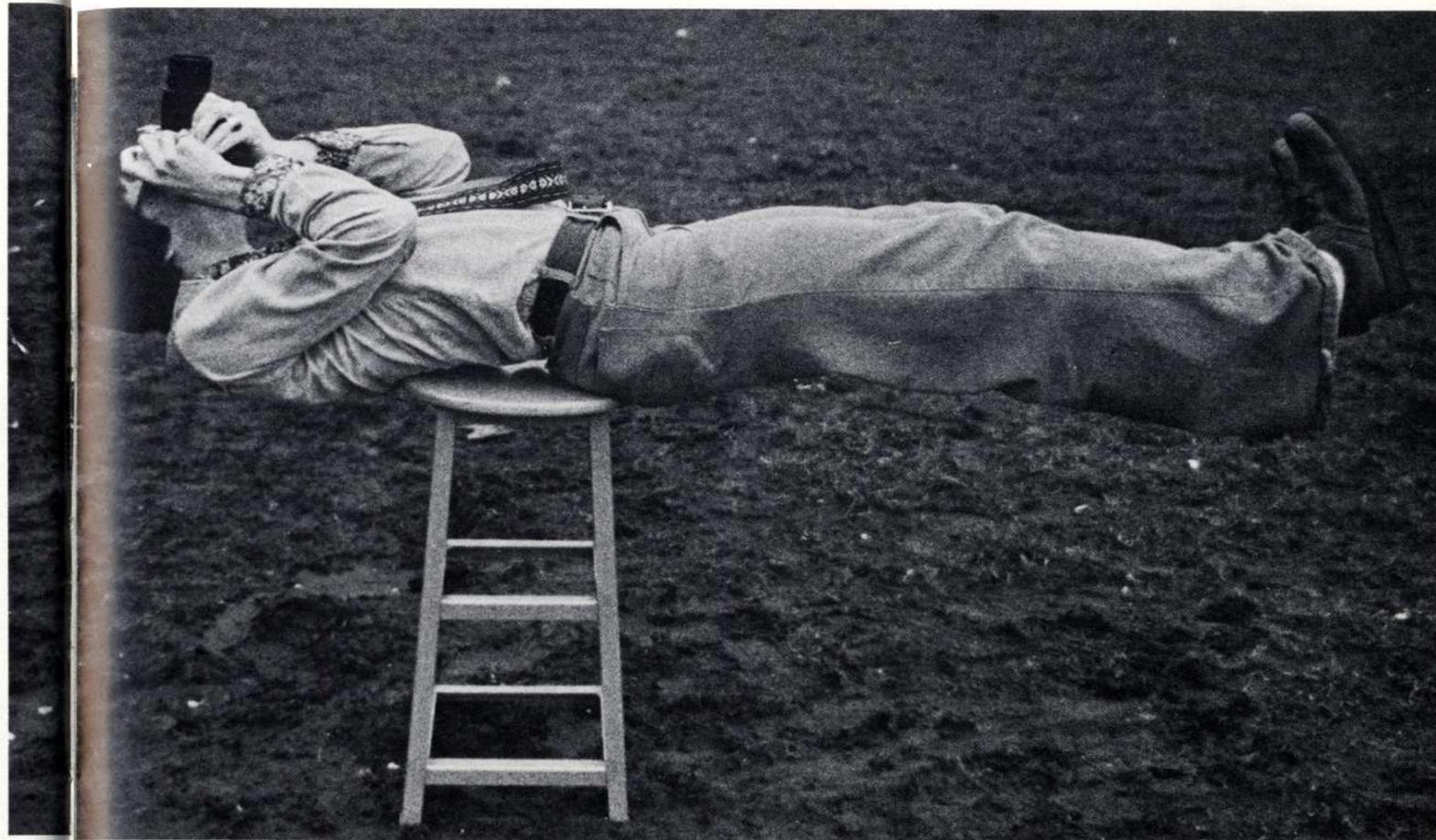
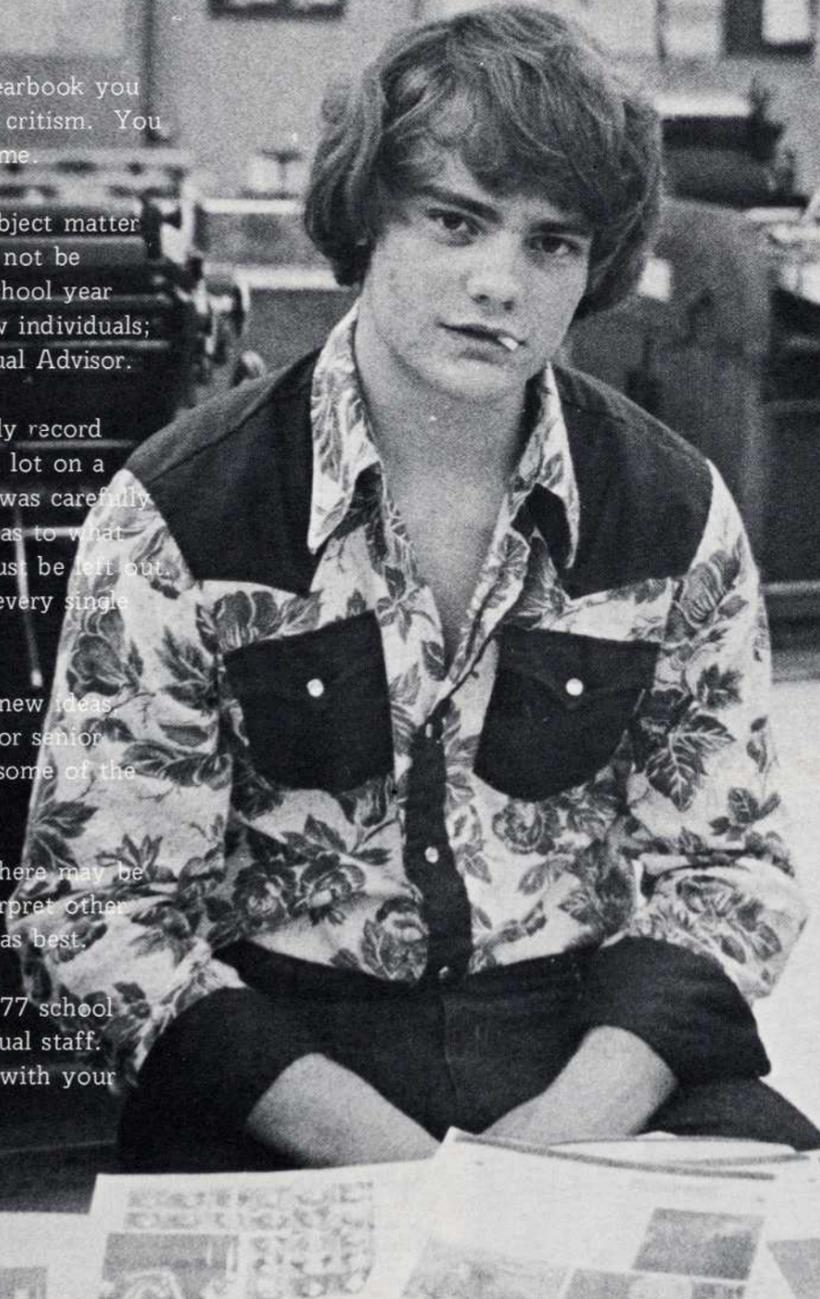
Complaints from people about the subject matter or the way an annual is put together can not be avoided. But the decisions of how the school year will be preserved must be left up to a few individuals; the Editor, Head Photographer, and Annual Advisor.

It is a great responsibility to accurately record the events of a school year. It depends a lot on a person's viewpoint. This year's Rambler was carefully thought out. Decisions have to be made as to what activities should be included and what must be left out. It would be unrealistic to try to include every single aspect of a school year.

This year's annual incorporates some new ideas (this is the first year there has been a color senior section) in an attempt to get away from some of the stereotypes of past annuals.

Sure, some of the material presented here may be biased, but every effort was made to interpret other peoples ideas, and do what we thought was best.

This book is a souvenir of the 1976-1977 school year, as seen through the eyes of the annual staff. We hope you accept our version coupled with your own remembrance of this year.



Debate

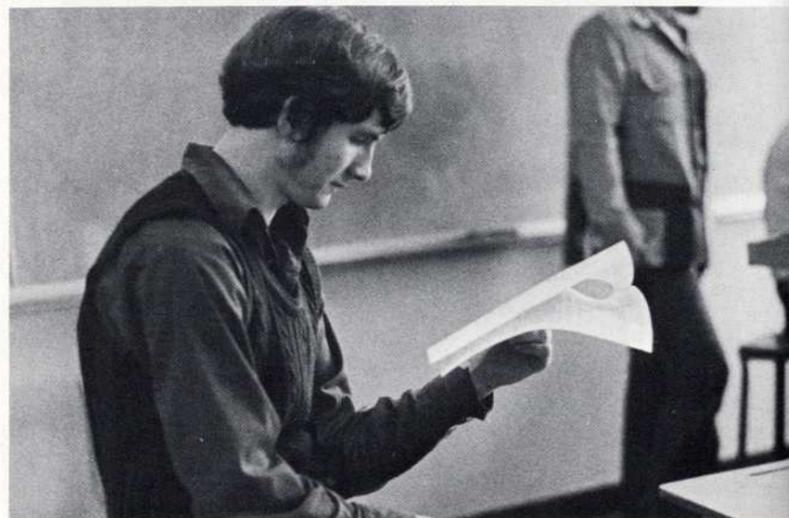
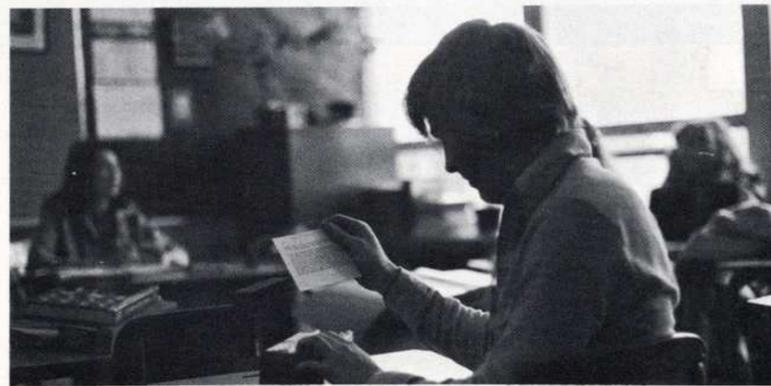


Above (l to r): Eva Whobrey, Meren Chapman, Brian Oberquell, John Hutson, Keith Koplitz. (lower row): Angela Domico, Irene Hinkle. Not shown: Jerrt Eyestone, Pat O'Donnell.

The forensics class, under the alias of the North Thurston High School Debate team, explored many forms of public speaking, including debating, oration, expository, impromptu, extemporaneous, and interpretive speaking.

They participated in forensic tournaments around western Washington, competing against many other schools. Their extensive practice in class showed with the numerous trophies the team acquired.

Seniors on the team are Jerry Eyestone, John Hutson, Keith Koplitz, Brian Oberquell, and Pat O'Donnell. Mrs. Dittrich is the advisor of the team.



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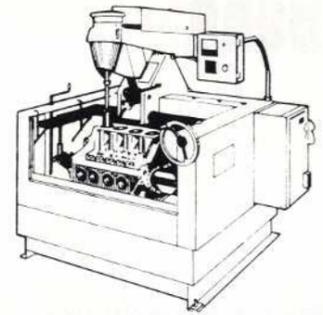
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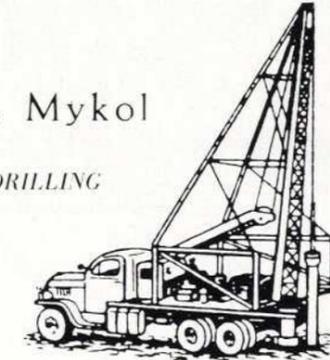
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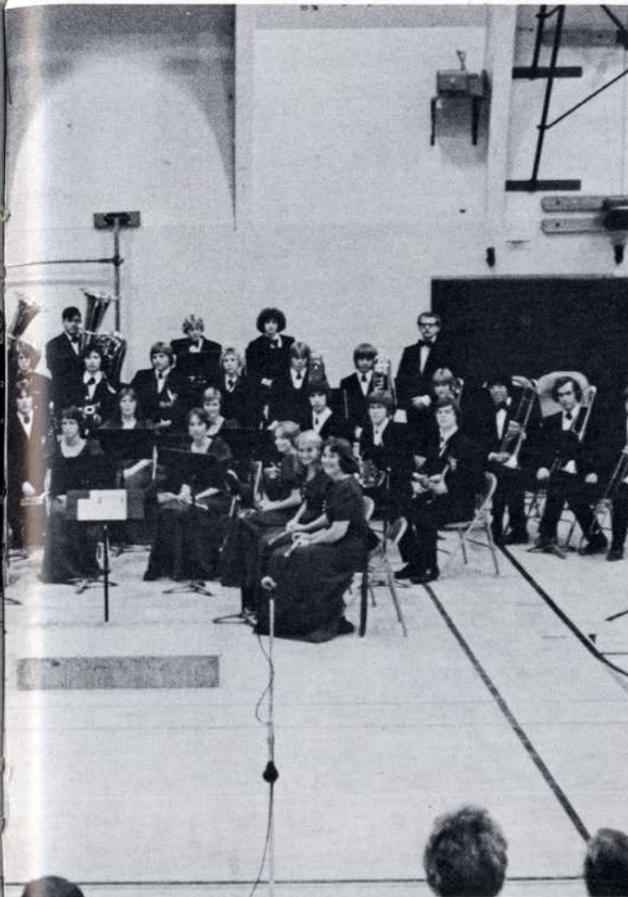
Starting the year off right the marching band, consisting of the Concert and Symphonic band players, helped build and promote enthusiasm and spirit at the football and basketball games.

As the year progressed the groups turned to the more serious side of music, performing superbly at the fall and winter concerts.

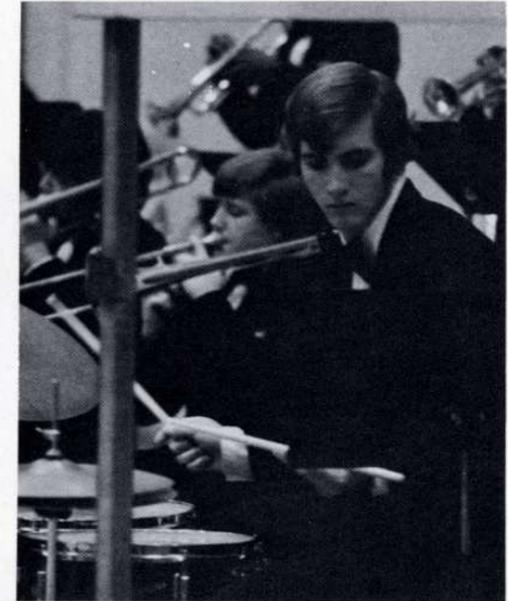
The Stage bands performed publicly both on campus and around town, promoting North Thurston and showering the community with their learned talents. The program grew so large this year that they divided into two separate groups--beginning and advanced.



Above: Mr. Turner organizes music for the band festival. Right: Jim Black and his mass of trumpeteers get down at an assembly.



Left: Symphonic Band.
Below: Keith Koplitz and the Jazz Ensemble "rock on".
Far below: Concert Band.



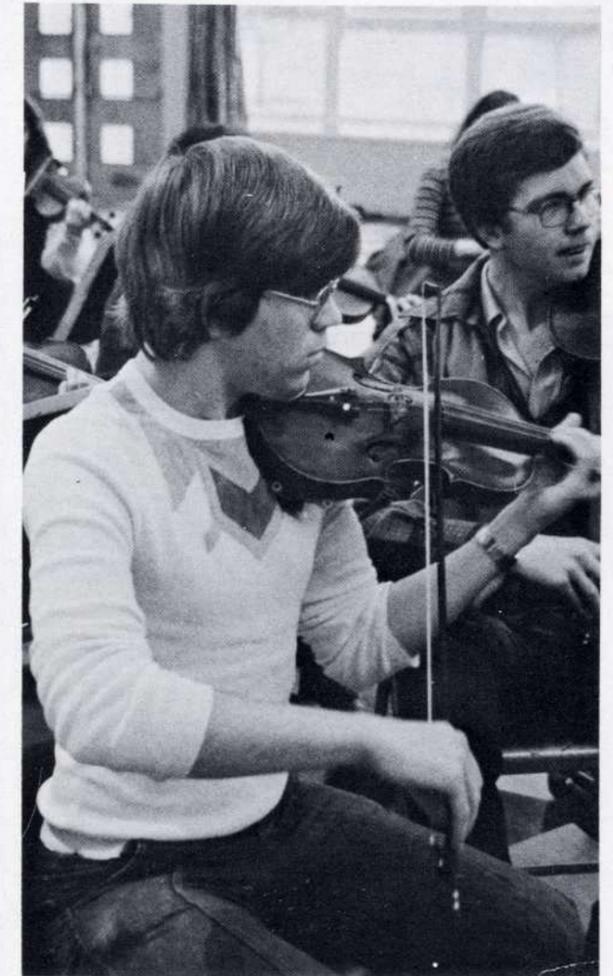
Orchestra



The North Thurston orchestra performed admirably as usual under the expert guidance of Mr. Ian Edlund. Along with making and selling pizzas on weekends, the group traveled around the area promoting North Thurston as well as showing off their learned talents.



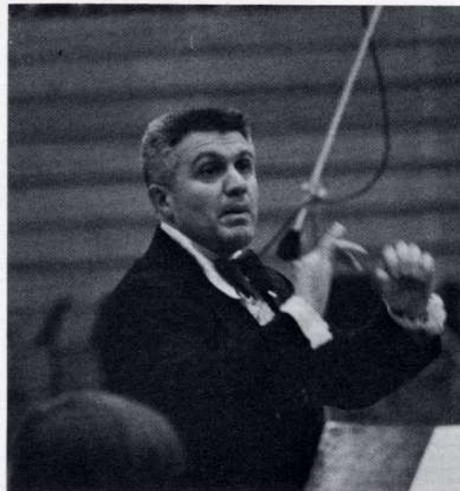
Top: The 1976-77 NTHS Orchestra.
 Far Left: Practicing for the concert.
 Left: Ian Edlund conducting the orchestra.
 Right: Chris doing her thing.
 Far Right: Scott Moline fiddles on.



Chorus & Choir



Above: Concert Chorale.
 Right: Mr. Larry Price, conductor.
 Far right: The Concert Chorale in action at the fall concert.



Refinement was the name of the game for the Choirs this year. Mr. Price donated evenings and weekends to the three groups as they picked and polished their performances, upholding North Thurston's reputation for grade 'A' groups.



Left: Chorus members sing their hearts out for an appreciative audience.
 Below: NTHS Chorus.



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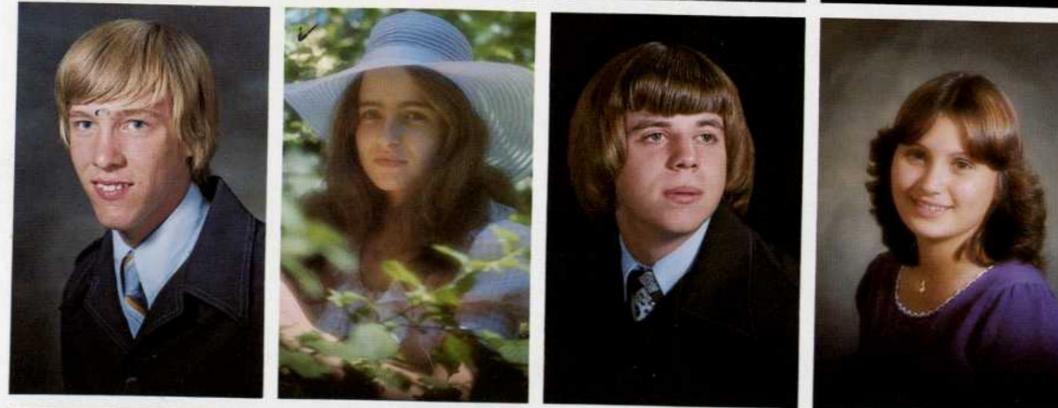
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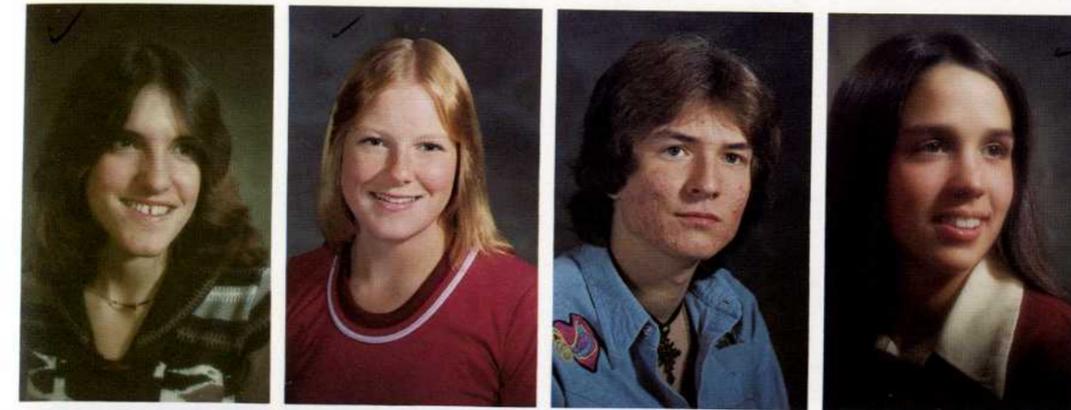
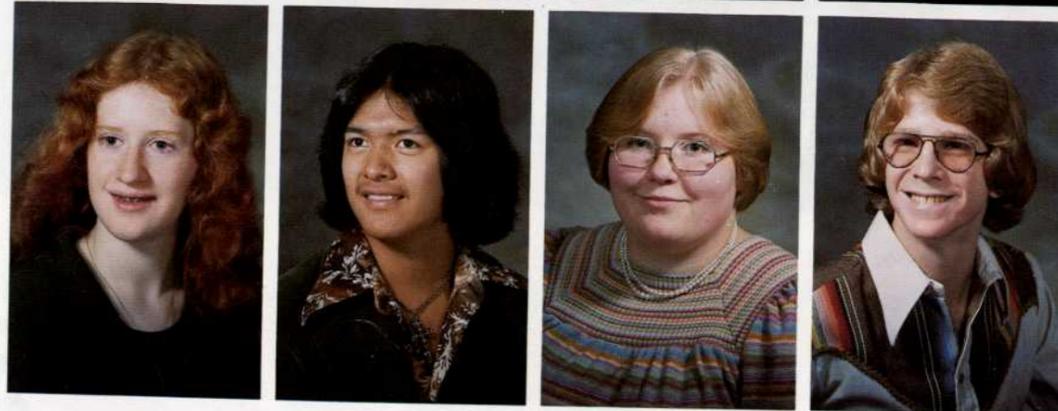
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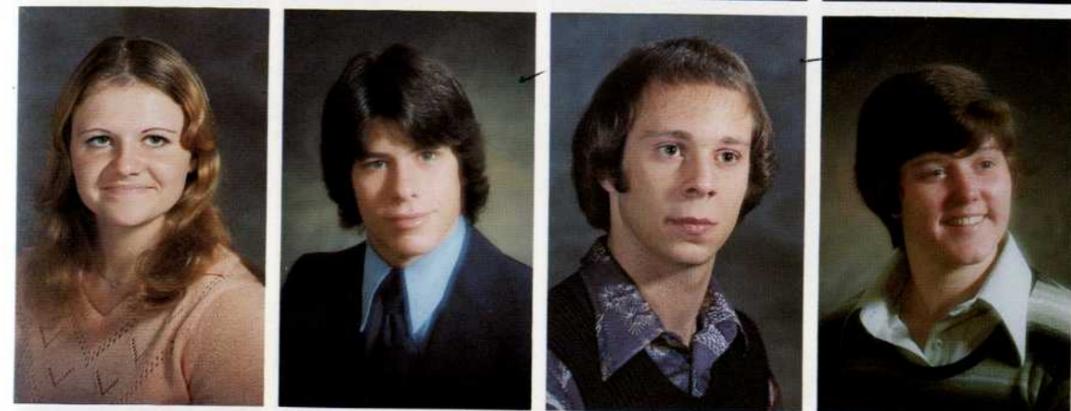
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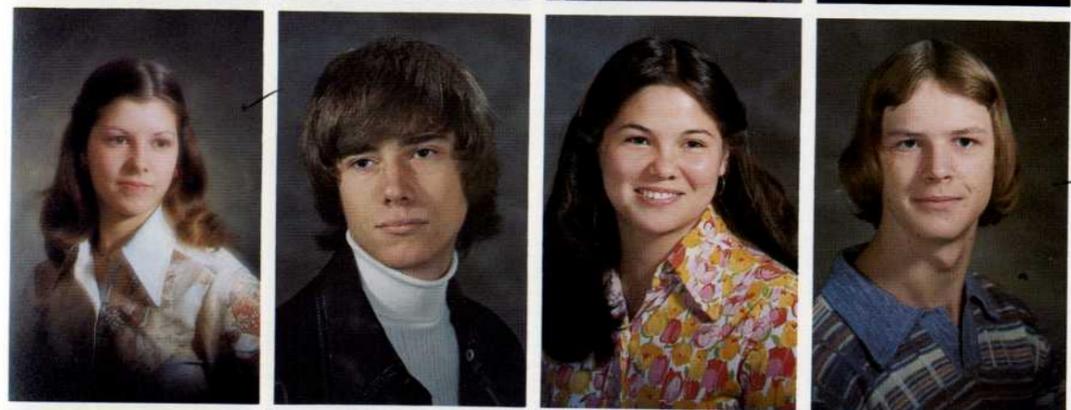
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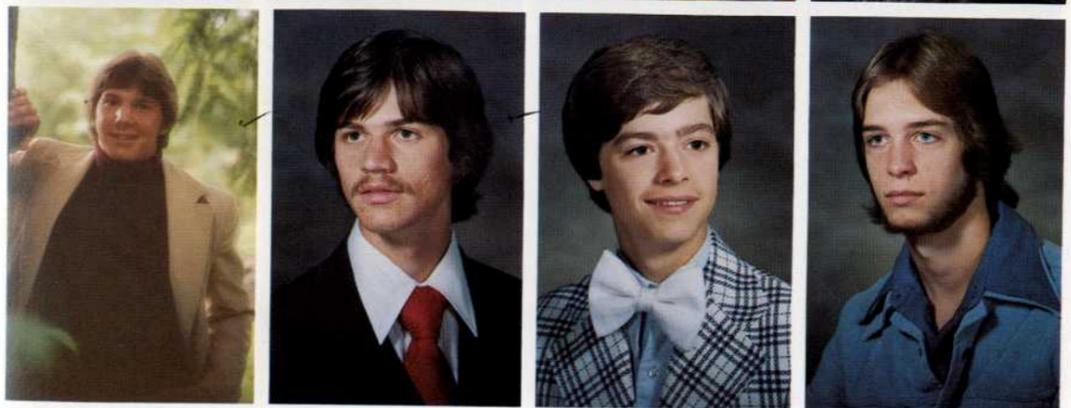
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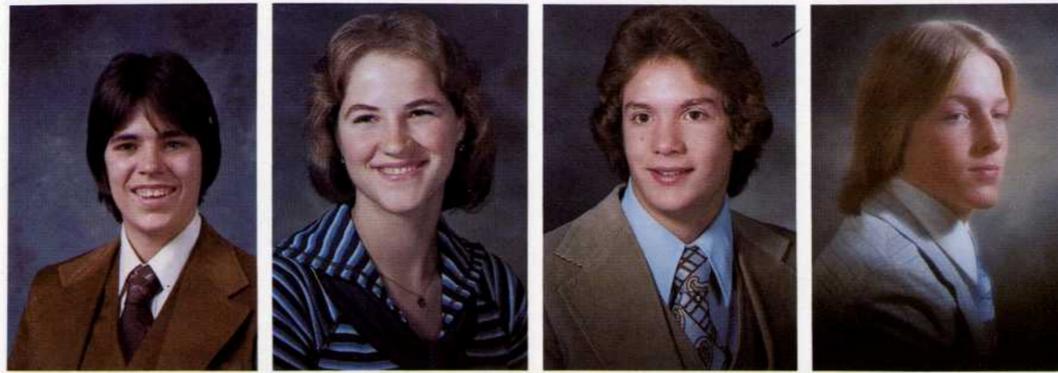


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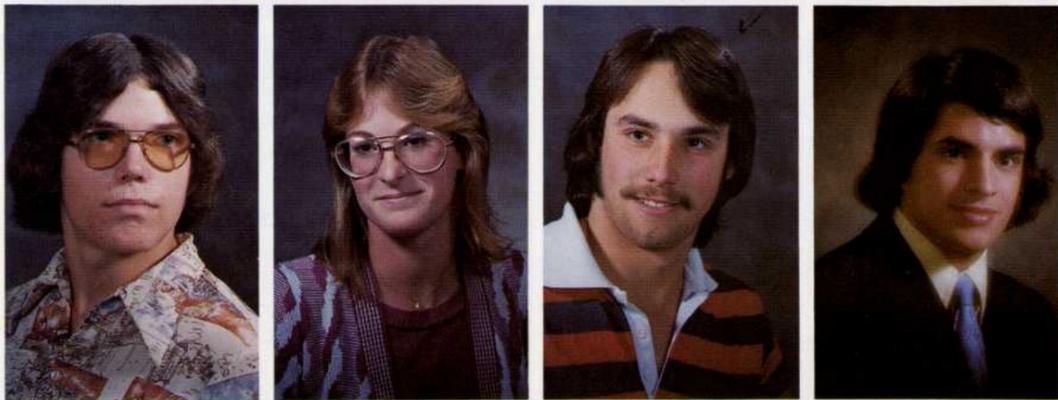
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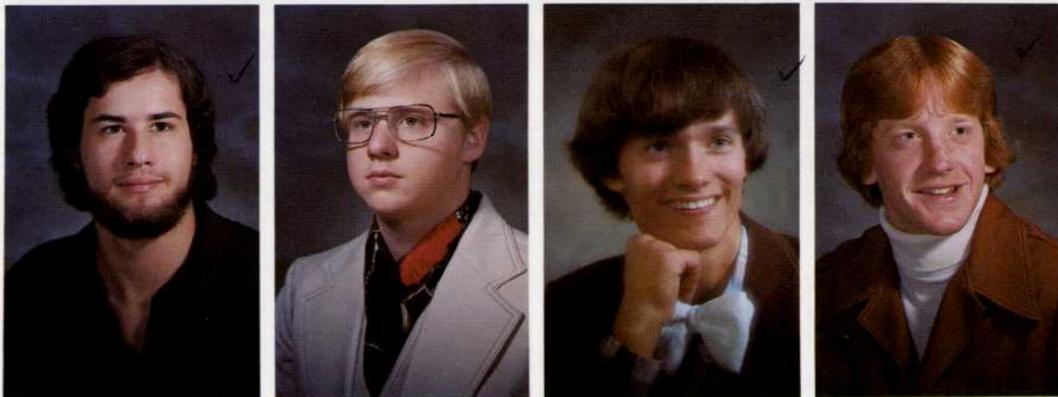
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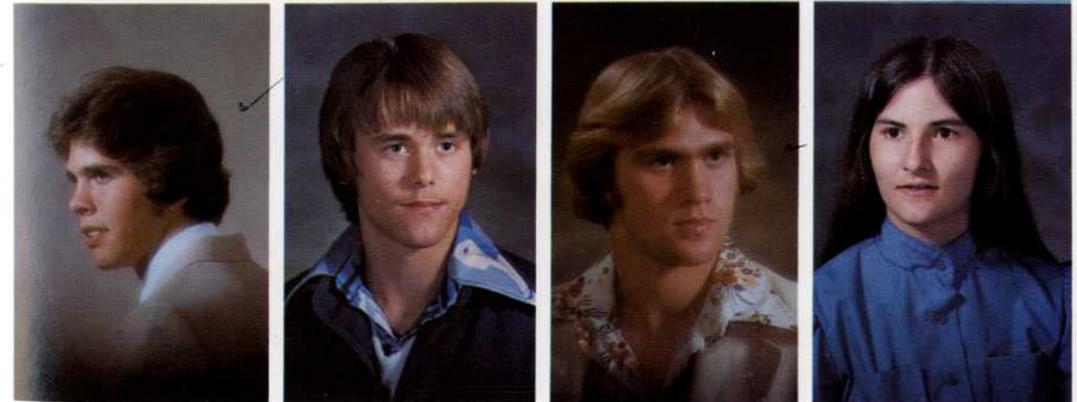
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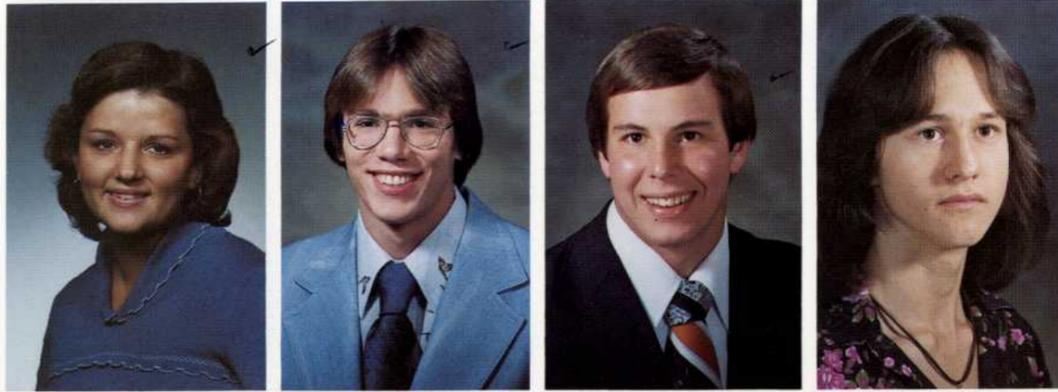


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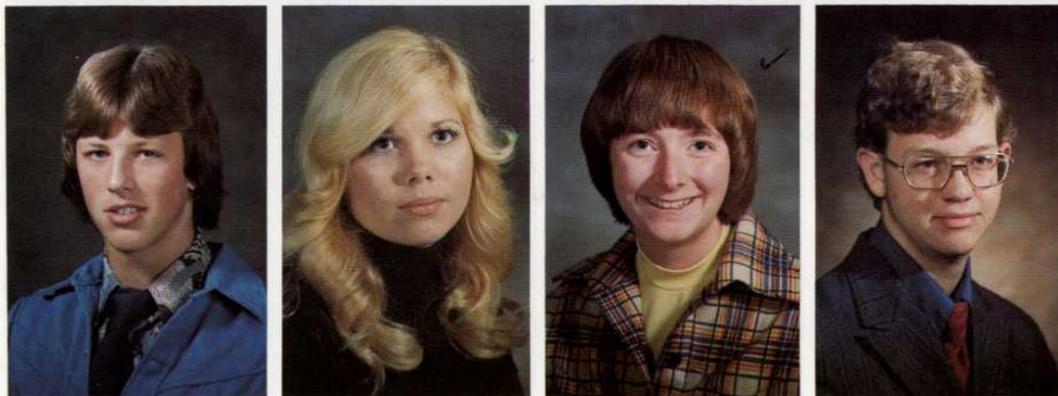
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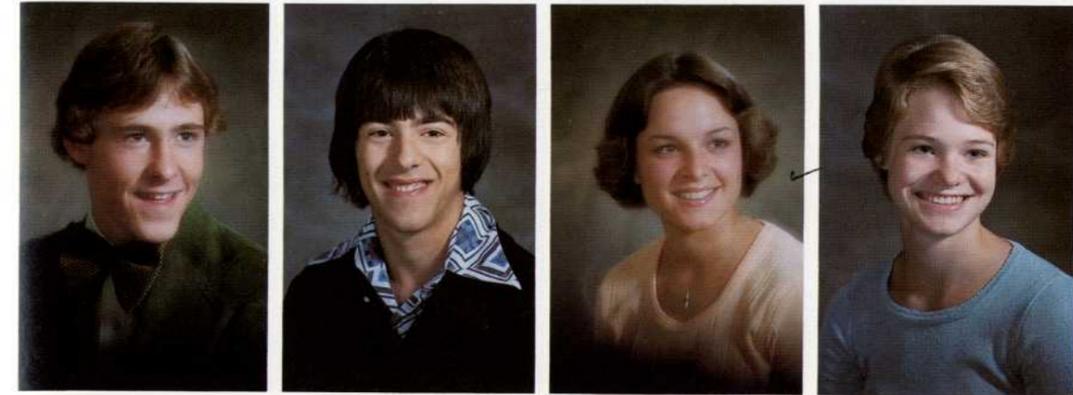
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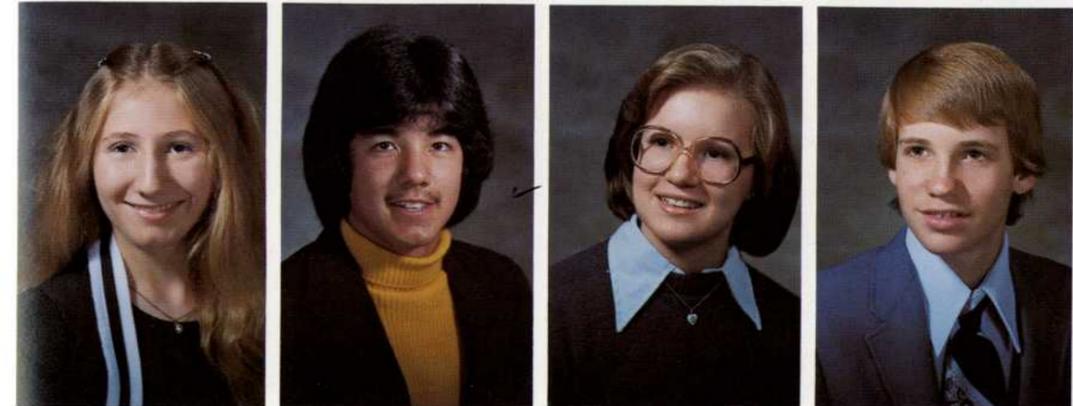
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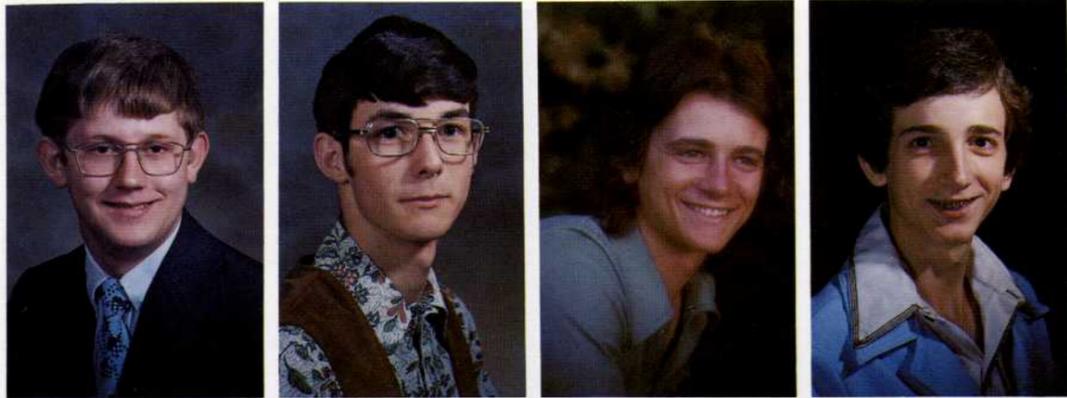
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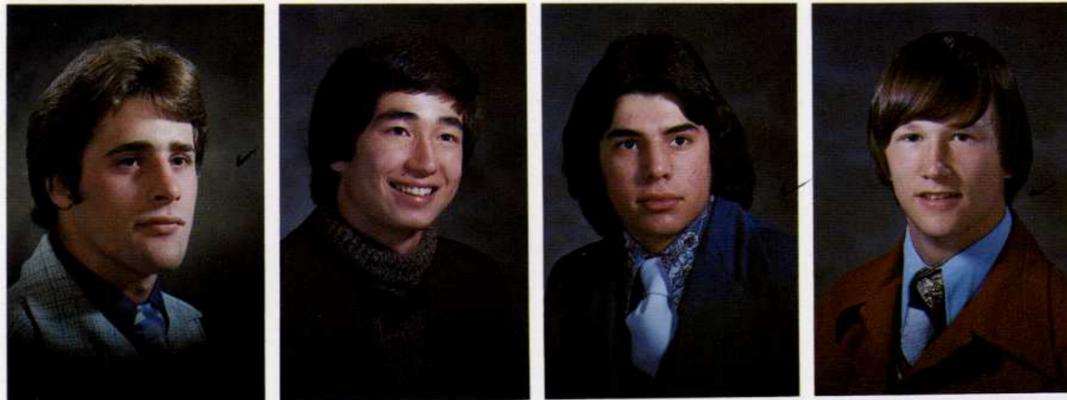
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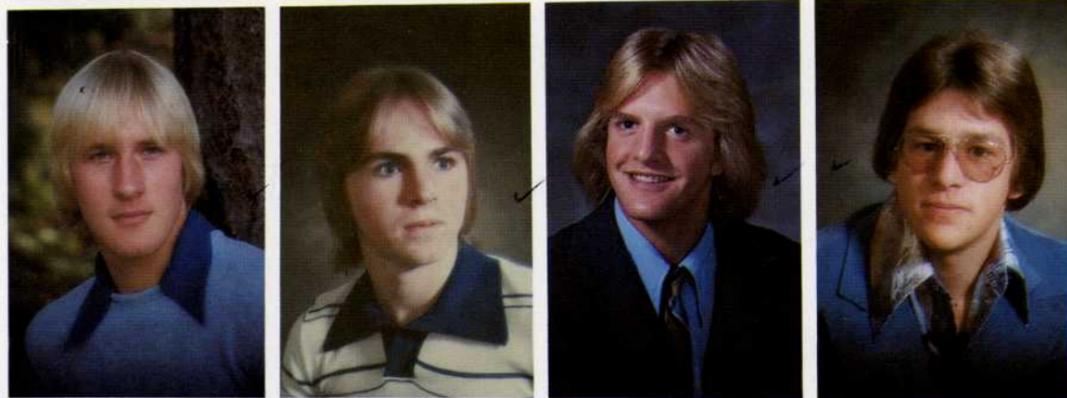
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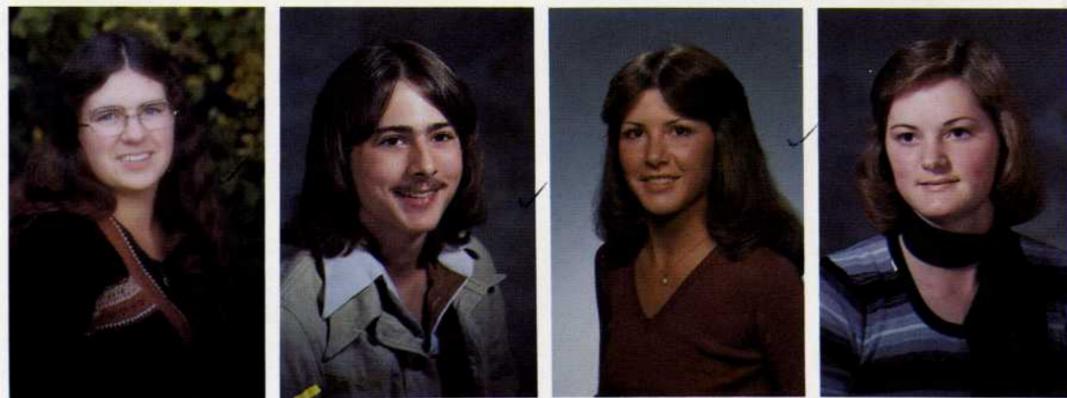
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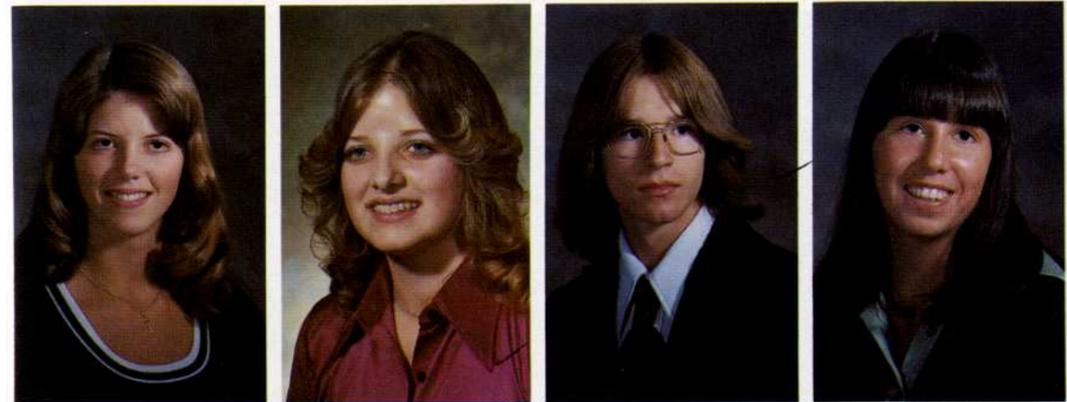
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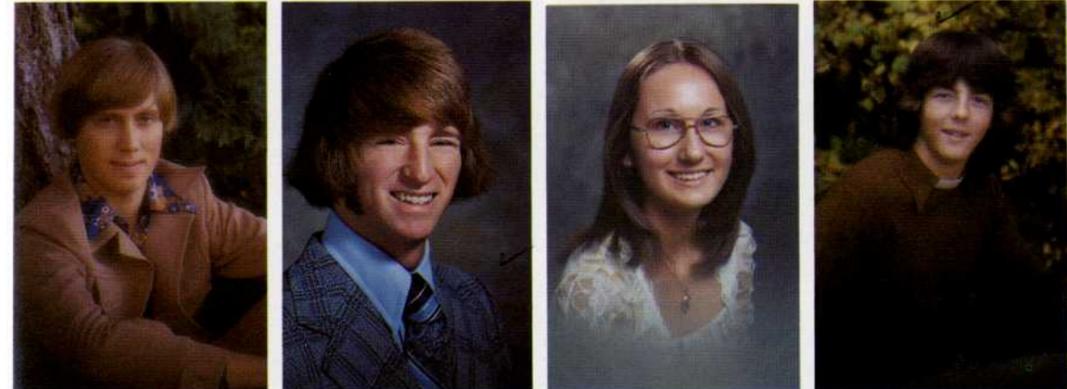
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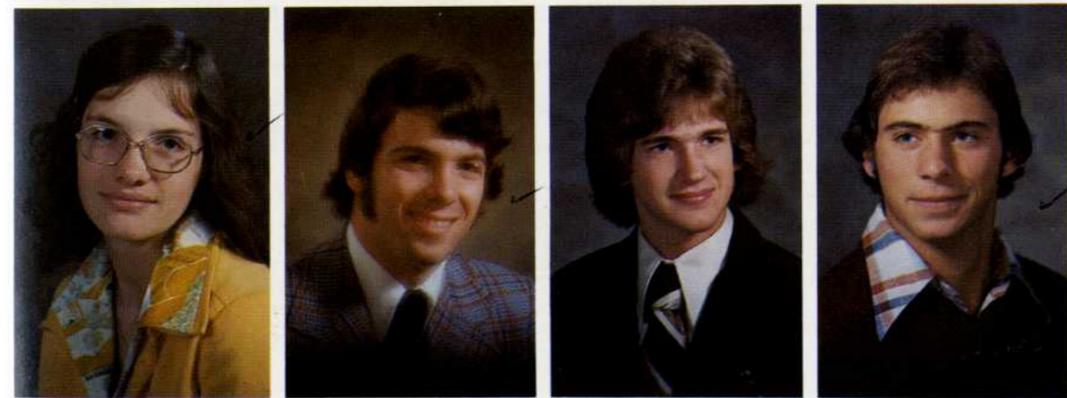
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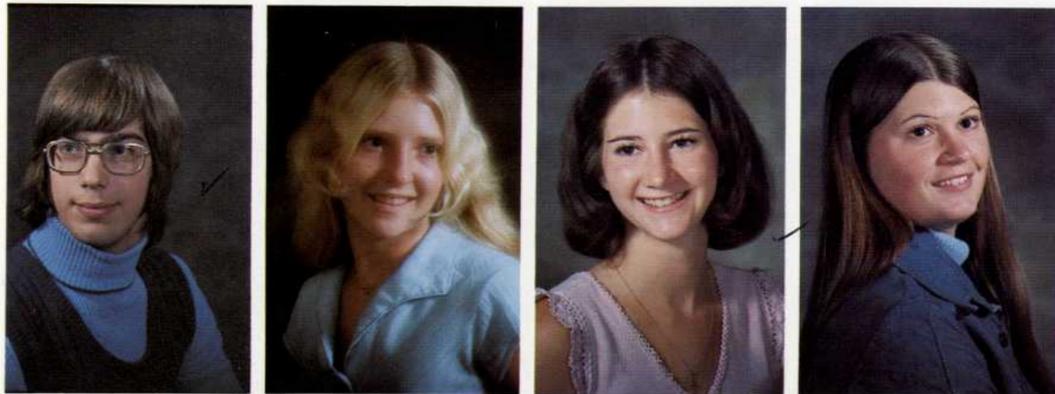
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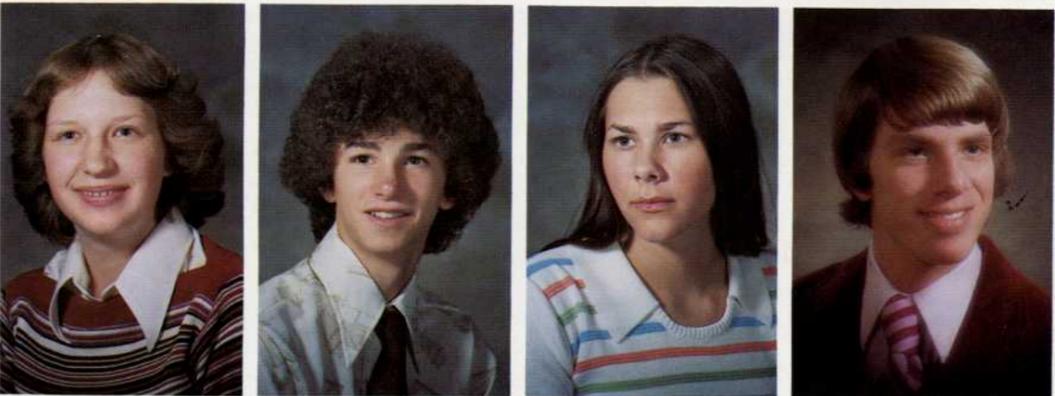
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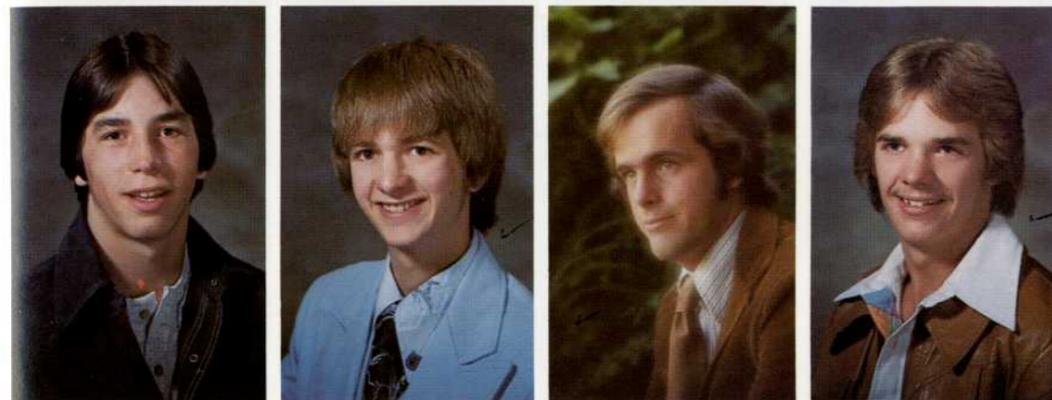
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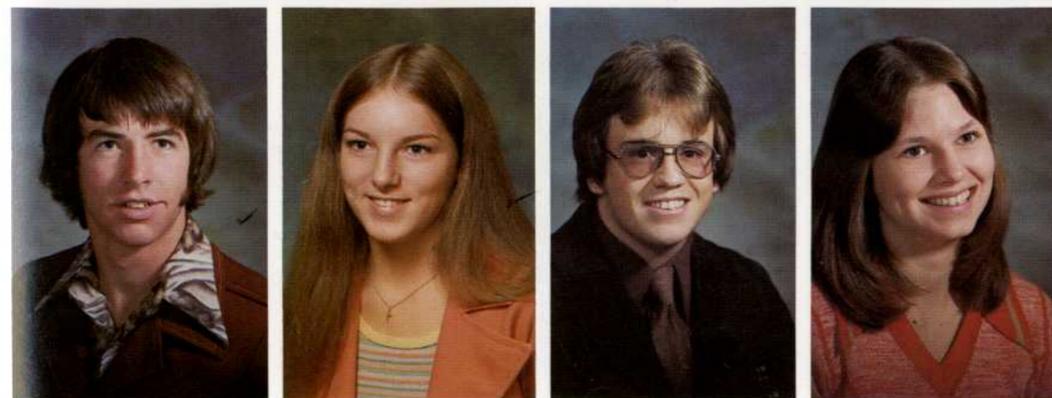
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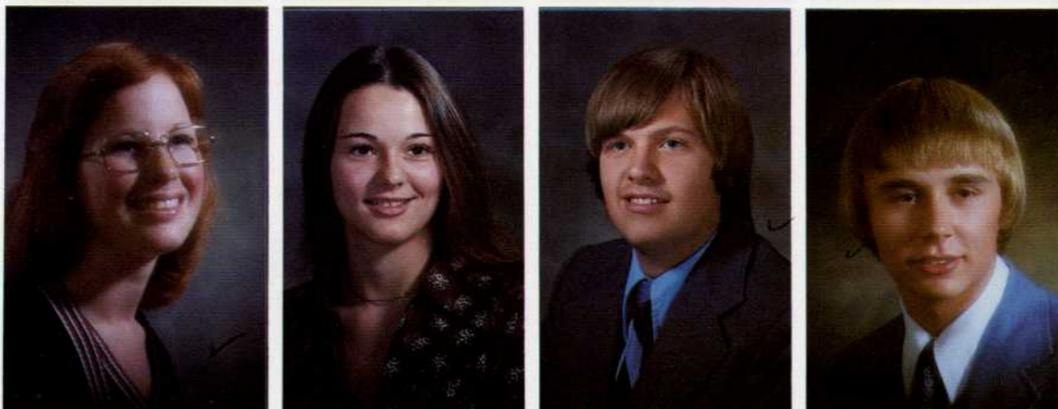
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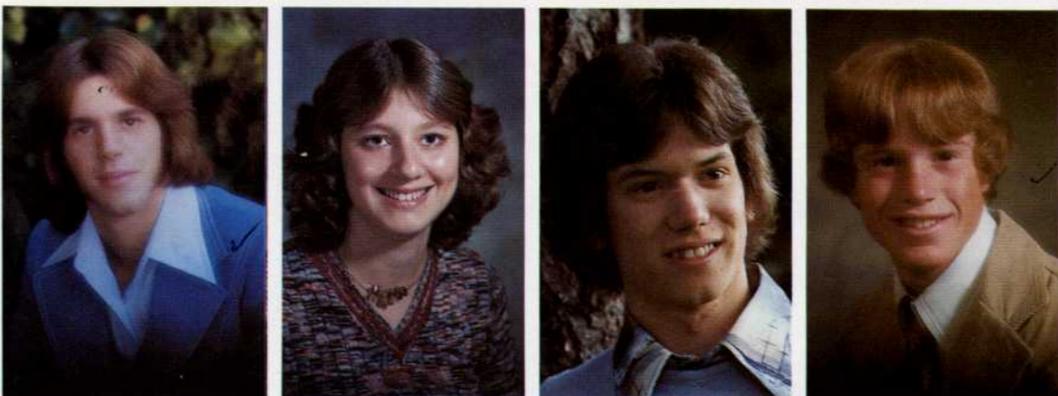
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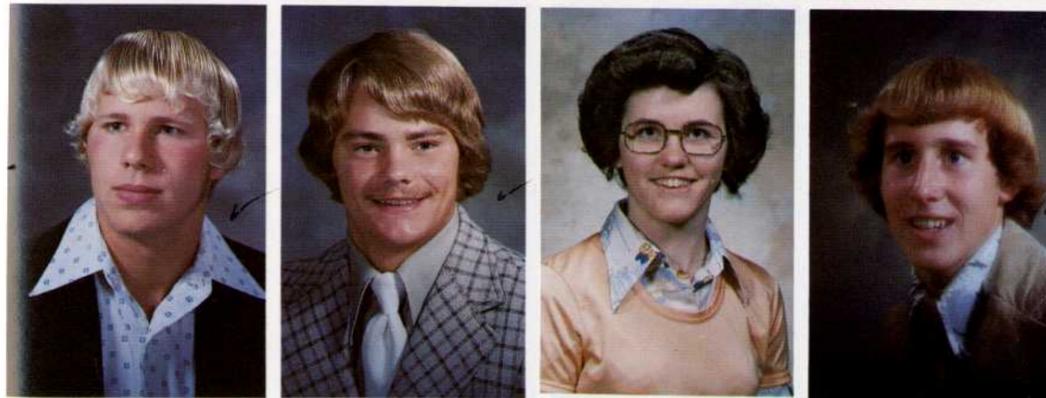
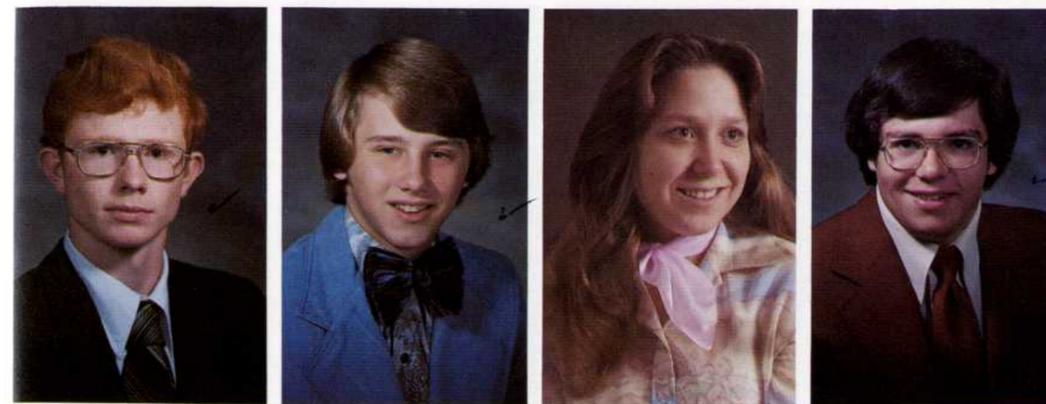
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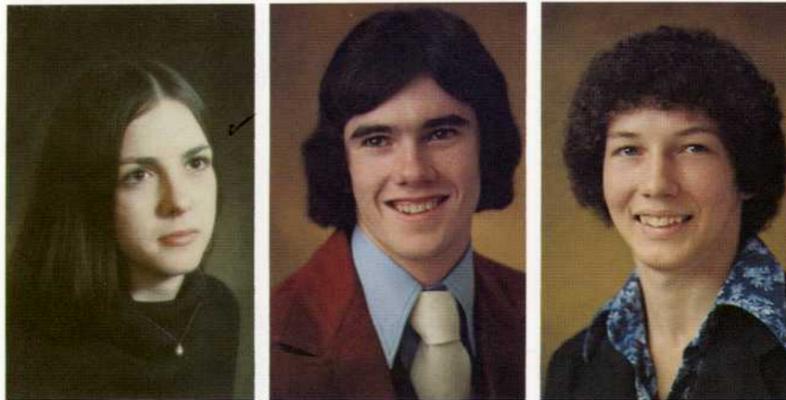
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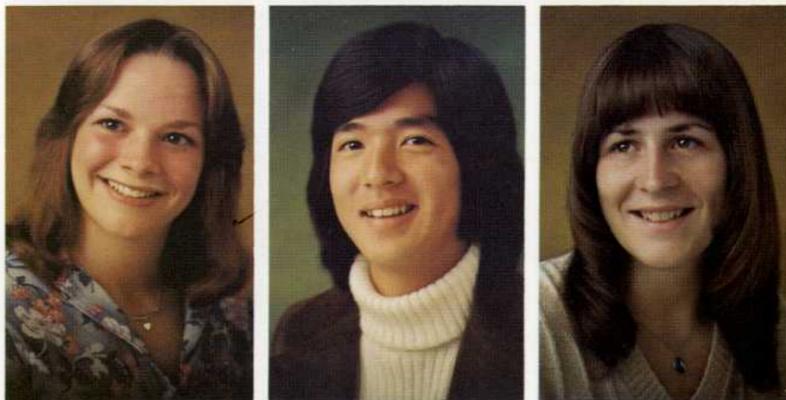
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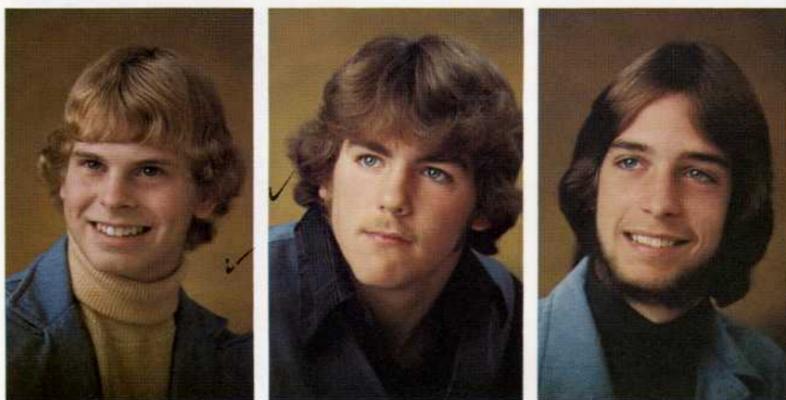
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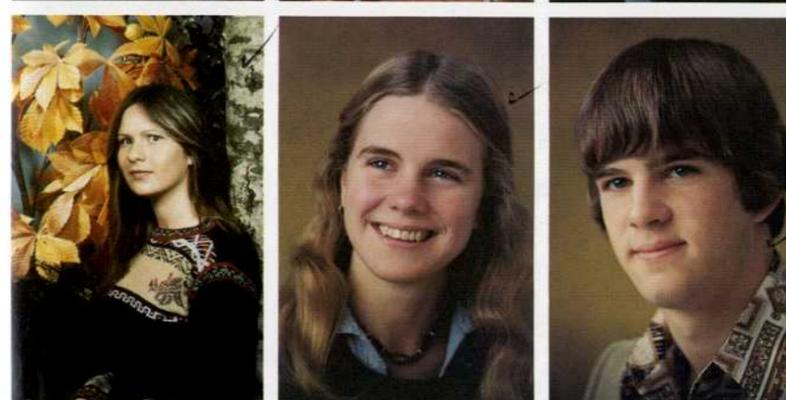
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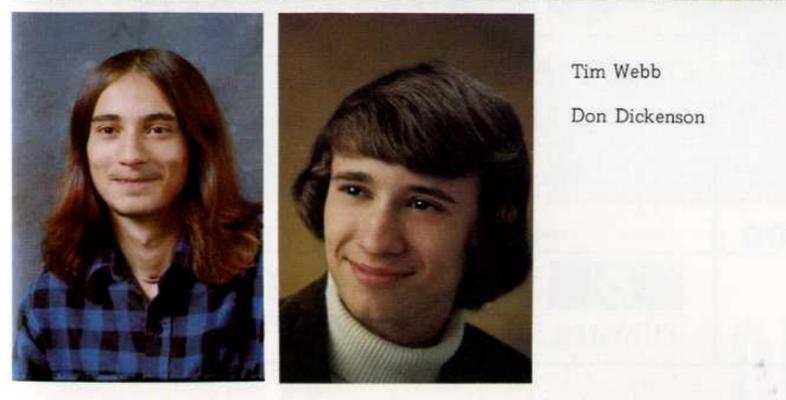
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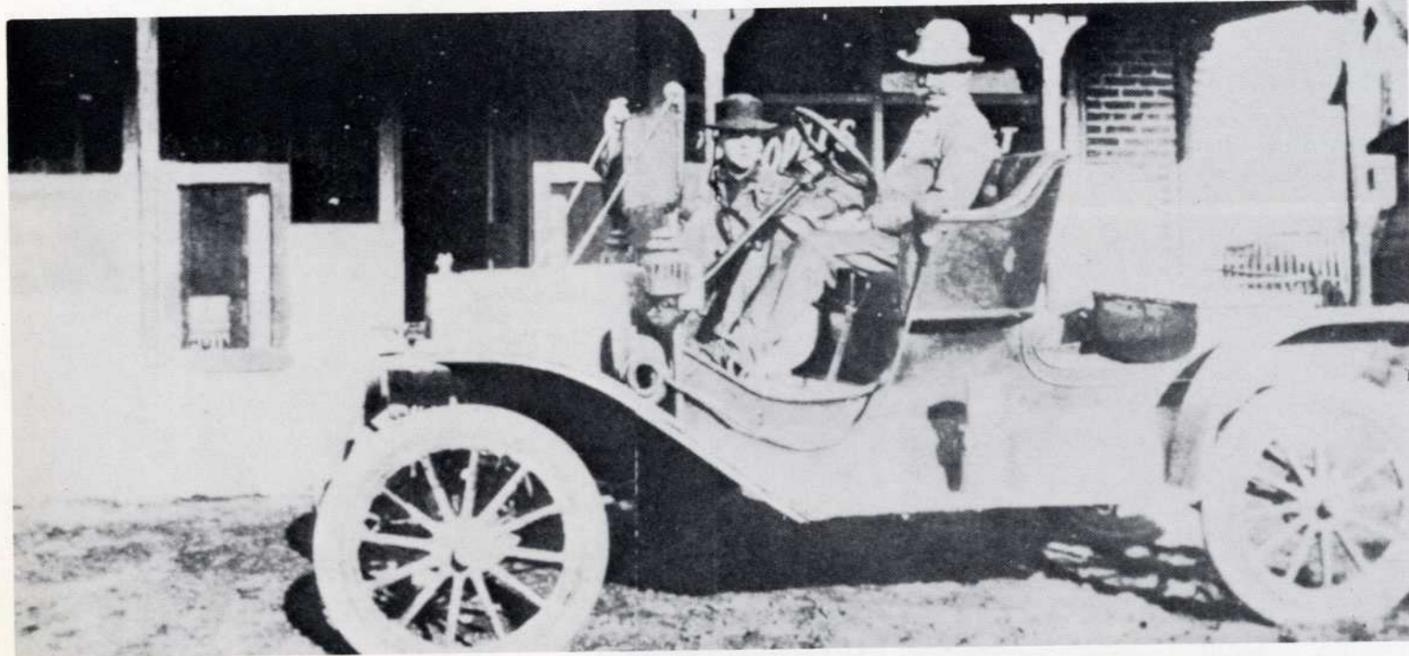


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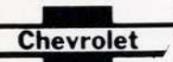


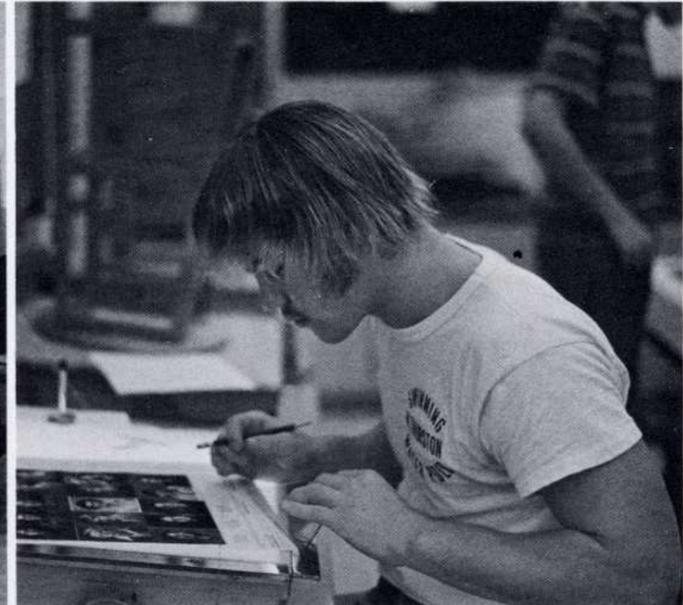
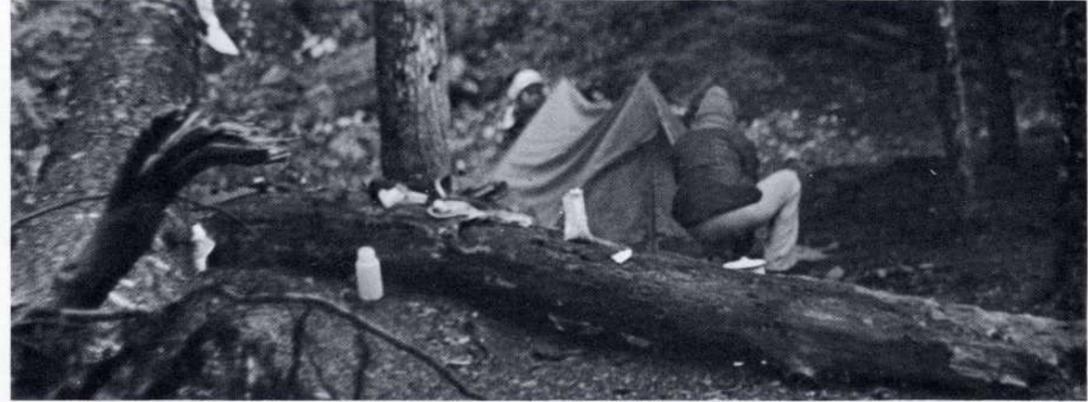
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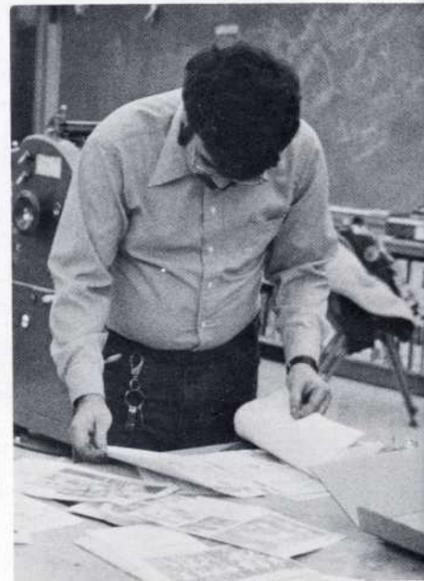
Production Printing



Above: The production printing class. Back row- (l to r) Rob Pratt, Rick Randall, Lee Sinco, Jeff Conyers, Ron Atwood, Rolf Slye, Dave Hojem, Barb Nervik. Front row- (l to r) Pat Huntley, Mike Donnelly, Debbie Berg, Randy Worrell, Steve Hawthorne. Not Pictured- Rusty Mize. Right: Instructor Jim Slosson.

The production printing class this year, although relatively unknown to most students, produced more high quality projects than ever before. No one really knew or cared, but they printed such things as the weekly bulletins, the GUIDEWIRE, programs for various activities and other jobs for outsiders. The addition of three new presses upped production almost 200%, but boy was clean-up a bear!

The class was offered first and second period each day which due to the new schedule was between 7:15 and 9:00 in the morning. While casualties were few ("remember hojem!"), tea and coffee were in great demand. The donuts weren't too bad, either.



Hiking Club



The Hiking club once again challenged the great outdoors this year with a twenty plus membership.

They started things off with hikes at Lake Saint Helens and Docey Forks. They then turned to spelunking in the Great Ape Cave near Mt. Saint Helens.

Among other hikes planned for the year, the club snowshoed and innertubed at Mount Rainier, went on a winter survival hike spending the night in a snowcave, and explored the seashore on a four day hike during spring vacation.

Sean Crothers was the president this year, Kirk Sinclair the vice president. Mr. Rod Taylor is the advisor.

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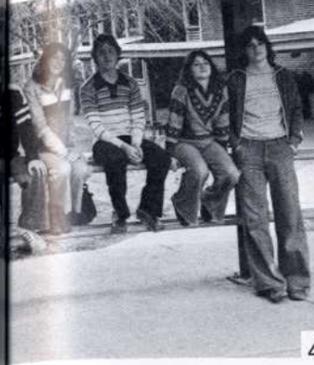
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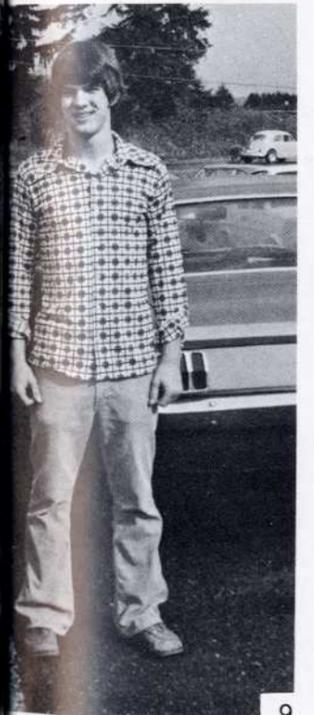
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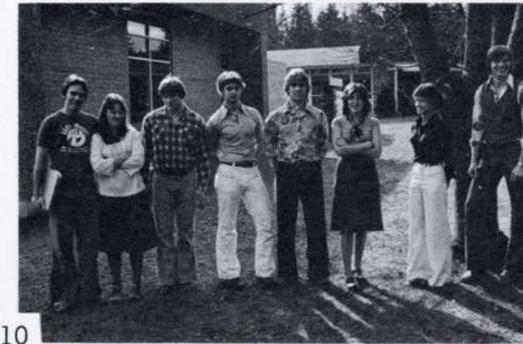
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Foreign Language Club



Above: Standing (l to r) Mary Adringa, Tommy Berry, Charity Bailey, Vicki Lamereaux, Carolyn Hardy, Greig Presnell, Hiyoung, Ray Hershey, Steve Springer, Dave Meekin. Kneeling (l to r) Lucinda Pospisil, Mark Kramer, Ted Skaarup, Paula Jacobson.

Despite the fact that the Foreign Language Club had hardly any meetings this year, doesn't necessarily mean they didn't do anything.

With the courageous leadership of president Ted Skarrup, they organized a committee to revise the constitution set up a field trip, and laughed a lot. Including the languages of Spanish, French, German, and even Dutch, the foreign language club should be called the melting pot of North Thurston High School.



Lettermans Club



The Lettermans Club is open to all individuals who have obtained a varsity athletic letter at N. Thurston. The club has been very active during the past few years and this year was no exception. The members kept busy at organizing and finding many special activities. They included a Donkey basketball game, which had to have been seen to be believed and the annual Senior-Faculty basketball game. This year the club was hard at work on a new program, the Athletic Hall of Fame, which is to recognize outstanding athletes each year.

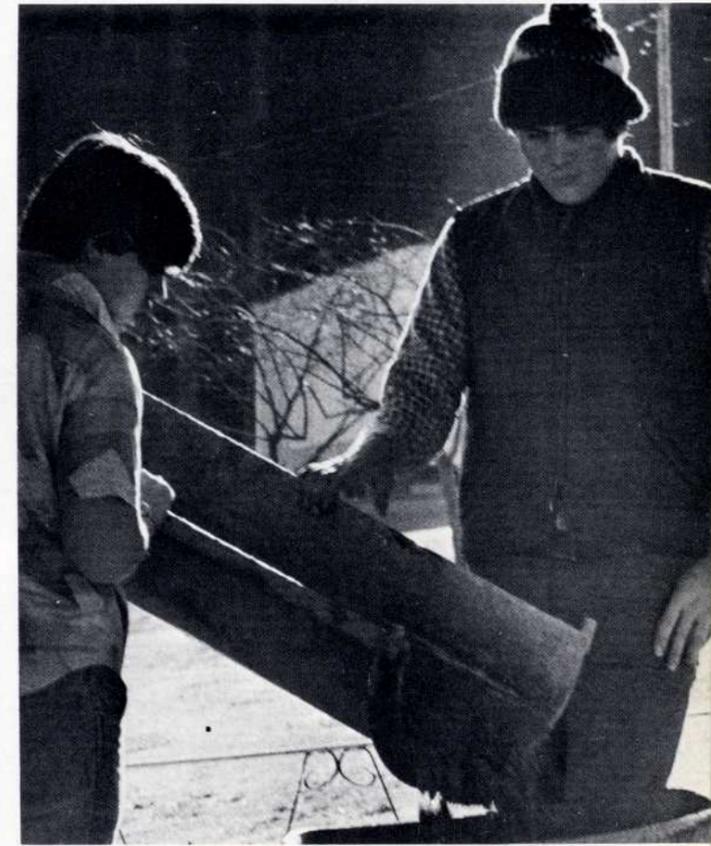
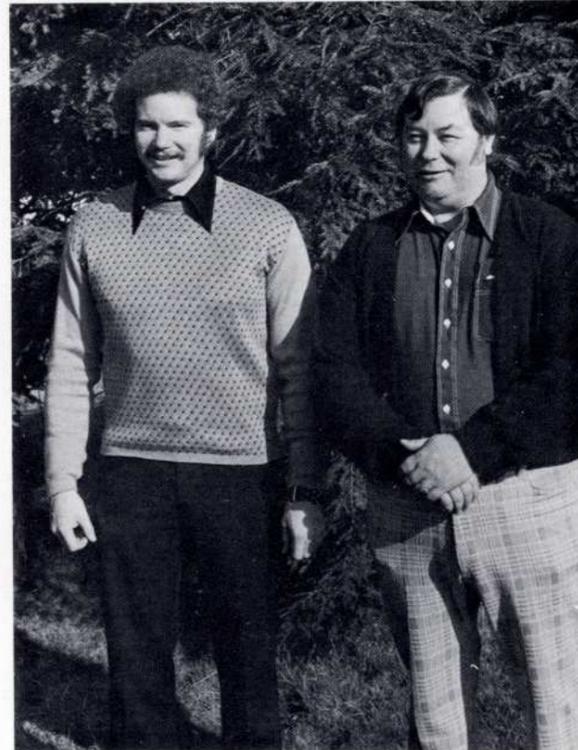
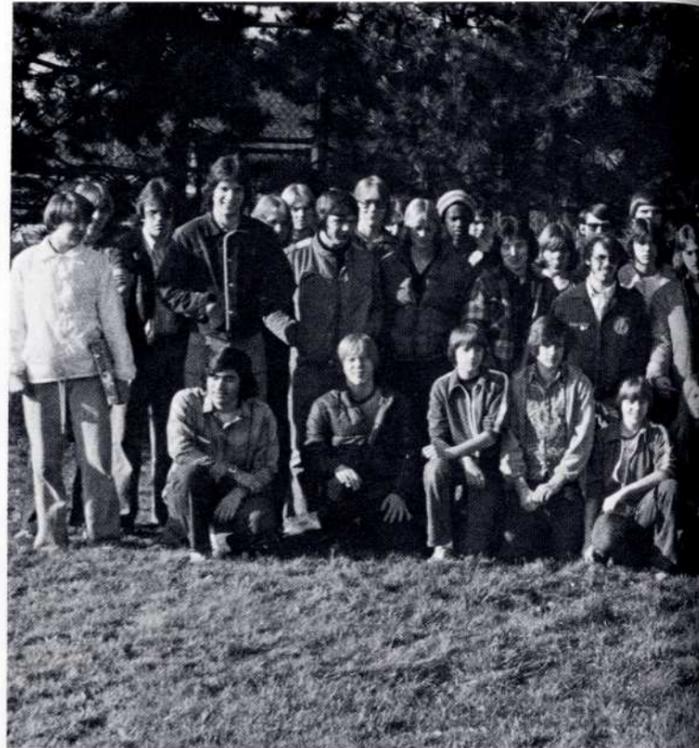


This year, FMC of North Thurston combined with Timberline's Chapter to form a District-wide club. They assisted St. Placid High School to start their own chapter of FMC. FMC, as some of you may know, stands for Future Medical Careers; a club devoted to those students wanting a career in medicine. They visited with and worked with the elderly and the handicapped.... a kind of on-the-job training.



Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) competes in Regional and State competition in events such as accounting, typing, stenography, and clerical procedure. There are leadership conferences and national conferences held out of state. State conference of state. The state conference was held in Seattle this spring and lasted two days, ending with an awards banquet, honoring the winners of the competition.

The officers were: Advisor, Susan Strong; President, Yvonne Miller; Vice-president, Chris Carson; Secretary, Laura Donges; and Treasurer Starla Kyllonen.



Top left: Ramrock
 Above center: FFA helps improve our school grounds
 Above right: Advisors Lopp and VanHorn
 Top right: Big bad Gary and his toy cement truck!

The FFA participated in many school activities throughout the school year. They held concession stands at the football and basketball games, curing spectators of that awful craving of munchies.

The Horticulture class worked on sprucing up the grounds by landscaping the walkway between the main building and the gym. They poured a cement path, planted lawn and shrubbery and finished the remaining area off with pea gravel.

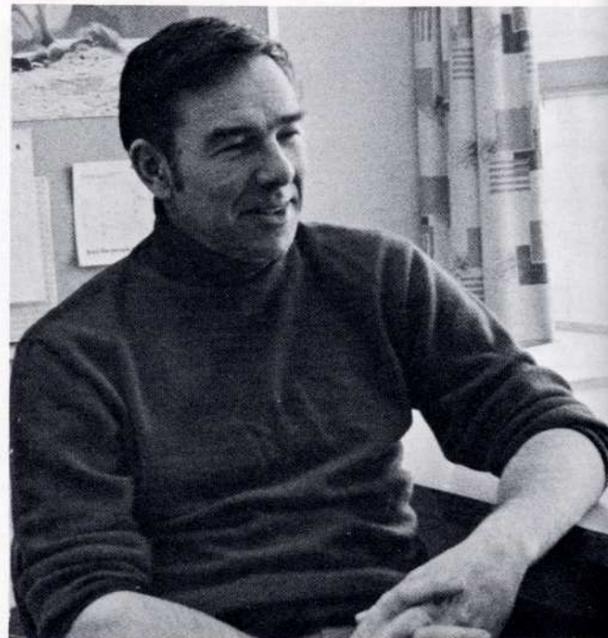
Environmental Club



Top: Left to right-- Ken Woehl, Ron Amarin, John Strassman, Scott Bennett, Don McLucas, Dean Taylor, Randy Thompson, Tim Webb, Dave Johnson, Tim Rodriguez, Lee McDonald, Duane Turner, Mark Chitwood, and Rick Reines. Right: Mr. Sinclair, advisor.

This year's Environmental Club has been very successful. Lead by Mr. Sinclair, advisor, and by working together they accomplished quite a few tasks. They planted 18 acres of trees (which is 8,000 seedlings), maintained 42 miles of hiking trails, and built 5 miles of new trails. They also built 2 bridges, planted two million oysters, and had the not-so-great honor of digging up poison oak.

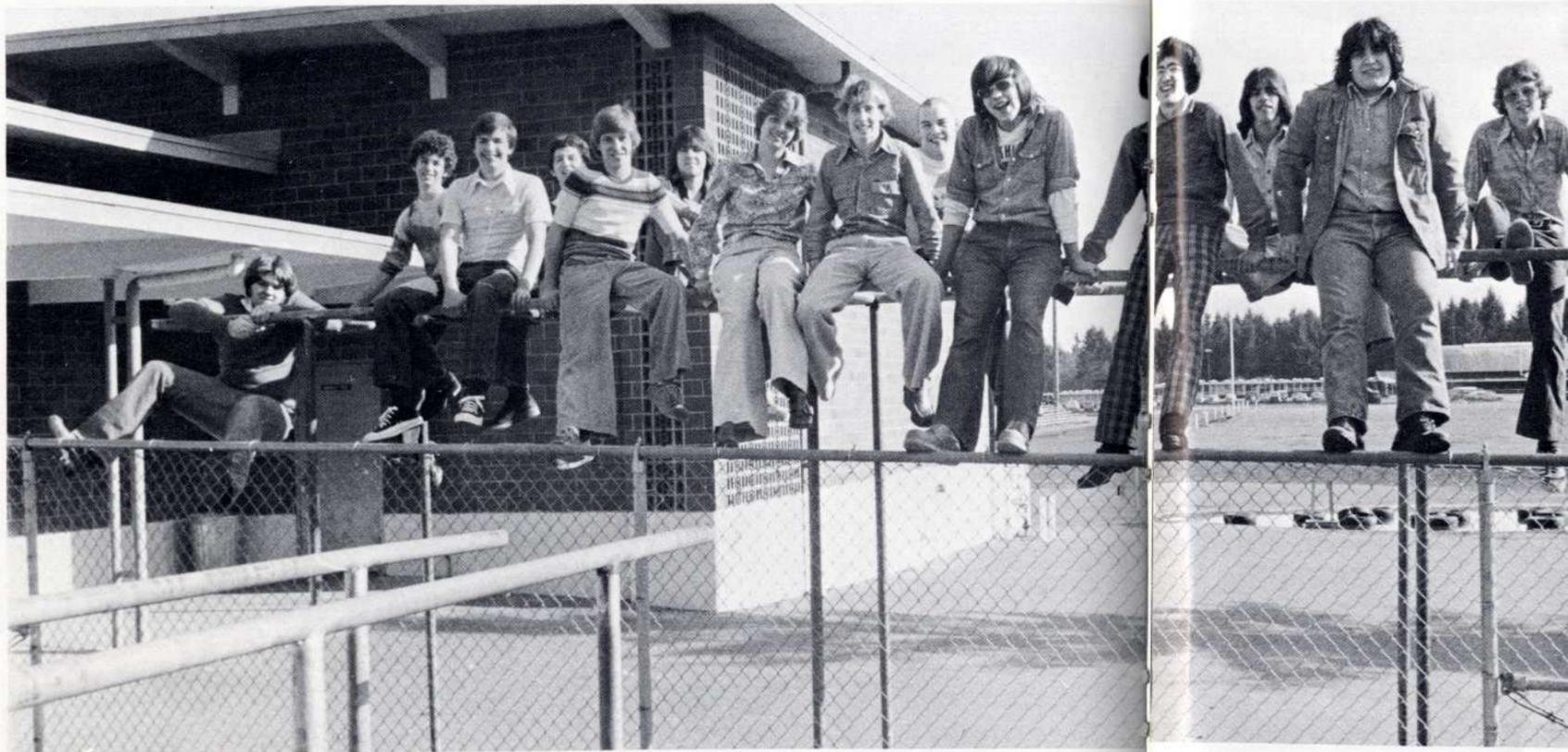
Many times by doing these various jobs some members of the club gain experience, helping them to get jobs at places like Weyerhaeuser and Simpson lumber companies. Not only do they gain experience, but they get personal satisfaction knowing that they have done a good job working together and with the environment.



Service Club demonstrated their usual efficiency this year in selling tickets, handing out programs and getting things organized before our home games.

It's a pretty thankless job that's got to be done, and the '77 Annual staff would like to recognize the untiring efforts of this little heard-of club. A special thanks to Mr. Albee, club advisor, for his important role in this growing club.

Annual



Top right: (l to r) Rob Pratt, Rick Randall, Steve Springer, Dave Roberts, Brian Jackson, Ron Atwood, Barb Nervik, Ken Zink, Brad Brockman, Les Rhodes, Karl Kirk, Gary Barkley, Jeff Aguilar, Jon Powell. Missing- Steve Rockwell, Iris Padula, Tim Johnson, Debbie Berg.
 Right: Advisor Mr. Don Mahlum and Steve Springer examine a few finished lay-outs.
 Bottom right: Ron Atwood in his usual "gaiety".
 Center: No, we don't really lock staff members in without food...
 Below: Brian Jackson, hard at work??

This years' annual staff started out as one of the strangest collections of students in the schools' history. Nobody had been on the annual before, including our new advisor, Mr. Don Mahlum.

Assisting (?) Mr. Mahlum this year was a head photographer who was never seen, but produced great piles of pictures that got lost in the shuffle of last-minute deadlines; an overly-optimistic editor who had big ideas and little production; and a business manager who never showed up except to say that he was leaving.

However, amid the confusion... "Hey, who took my layout?!"... late deadlines... "Mr. Mahlum, the deadline is tomorrow and we've only got twenty-eight pages to go,"... and general laziness... "WHAT! you haven't finished it yet?!" an annual emerged, some how unscathed by the wheels of progress.

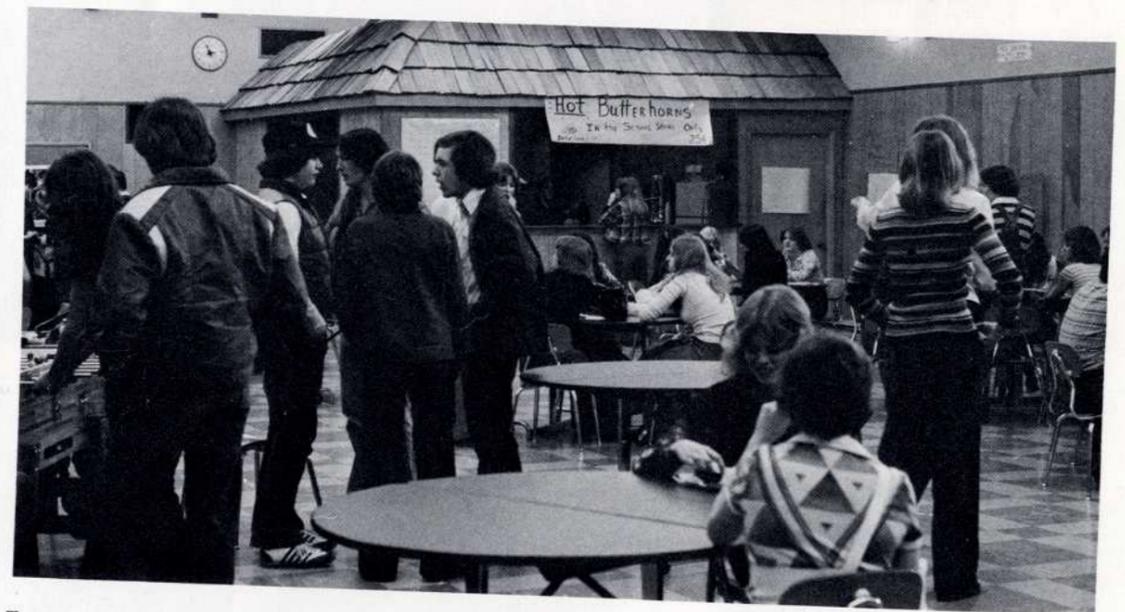
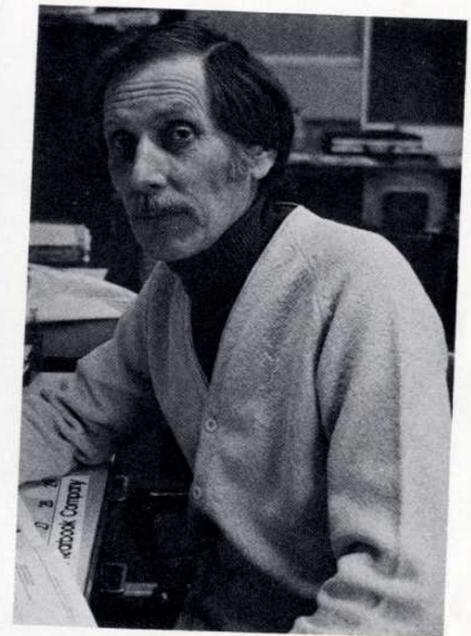
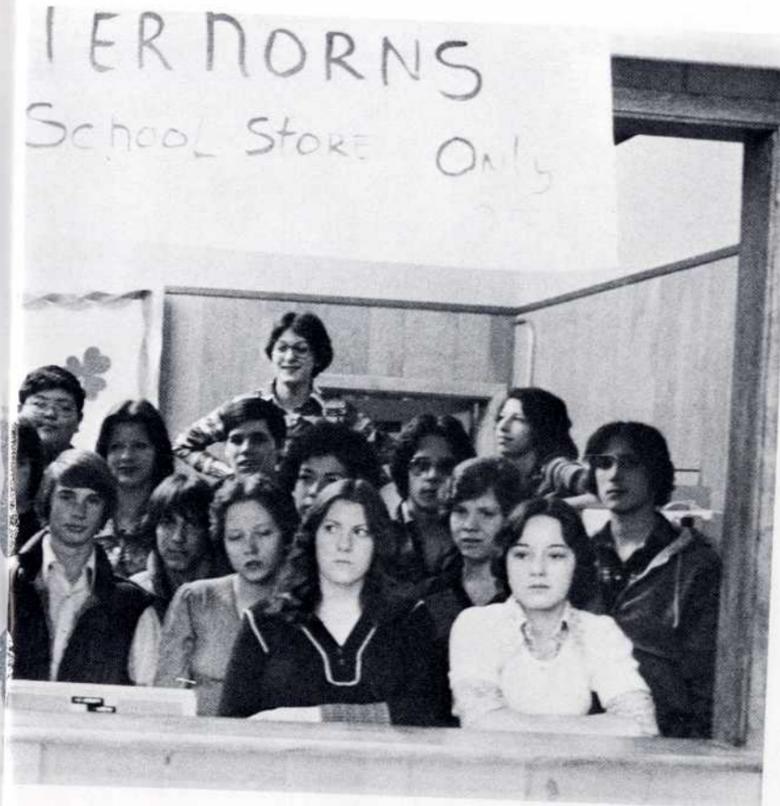
But the true driving force behind the 1976-1977 Rambler was Mr. Mahlum, his untiring patience and constant bookkeeping kept us going when the going was rough. Thank you again for a job well done. We even found you a nice quiet room to relax in; I hear it's quite nice; sunshine, flowers, padded walls...





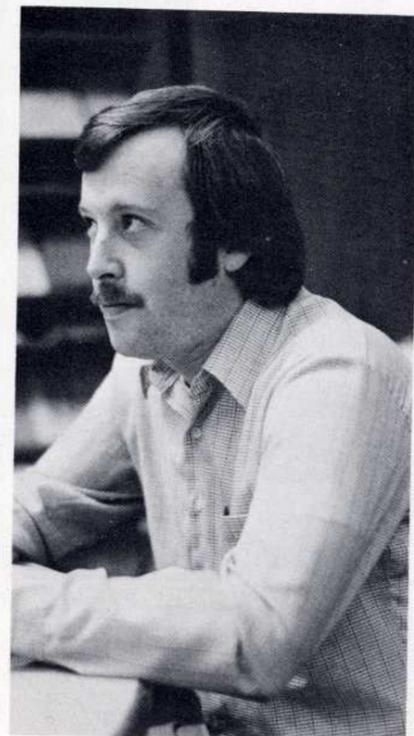
After some minor difficulties at the beginning of the year, the North Thurston chapters for DECA (Distributive Education Clubs of America) got off to a slow start. But things began to pick up second quarter; they managed to organize and build the new school store in the student lounge, with a little help from co-ordinators Don Mahlum and Dianna Becker.

They also held a contest for promoting South Sound Center; built a Christmas gift wrapping booth and held an area conference at the Tye Motor Inn in Tumwater.



Top center: 1976-77 DECA Club.
 Top right: Co-Advisor Don Mahlum.
 Top left: Co-Advisor Deanna Becker.
 Left: The school store in action.
 Above: The school store was located in the Student Lounge this year, a large convenience for the students.

Drama Club



Drama Club almost didn't exist in 1976-77. Mr. Compton had given up the advisorship at the end of the preceding school year, and a replacement was not actively sought. Finally, in October Mr. Bassett agreed to help out, so he and Mr. Compton became co-advisors to the club. Because of the confusion, there wasn't a Fall play, but Mr. Compton, with the expert help of Jerry Eyestone as director and a dedicated cast, produced a Christmas folk tale, "The Thieves Who Couldn't Stop Sneezing". It was presented in the Empty Space, story theater style, and shown to N.T. students in the library and at South Bay school.

The Drama Club again sponsored a trip to the Shakespearean Festival in Ashland, Oregon, in March. Twenty-two students, accompanied by Mr. Compton and Mrs. McLachlan, saw Sheridan's *The Rivals*, Shakespeare's *Measure For Measure*, and Hamilton's *Angel Street*.

In April Mr. Bassett made his directing debut with *Here and Now*, a new play dealing with conflicts between parents, teachers, and students, in an encounter group setting.

The cast included: Janet Grabill, Angela Dimico, Carla Cox, Dan Maurer, Mary Ann Clark, Jenine Gosney, Sean Garrett, Mariana Smith, Tim Krause, Mary Andringa, Shannon McDaniel, Tom Henry, Bonnie Denman, Mark Randall, Steve Petermann, and Vicki Lamoreaux.

Top: Drama Club for 1976-77.
 Above left: Co-Advisor Bill Compton.
 Above center left: Co-Advisor Bill Bassett.
 Above left: Marianna Smith striking a pose in rehearsal.
 Upper right: Janet Grabill seems to have lost something.
 Right: He can so be knocked over with a feather!
 Far right: Inhumane torture? Not really, just a little emotion that has gotten out of hand.



Top: Steve Hawthorne demonstrates his skills on the 1250 Multilith for Judge Don Minette.
Right: Graphic Arts competition finals (left to right) third place - Rich Holcomb, first place - Steve Hawthorne, and second place - Rick Randall.

VICA, Vocational Industrial Clubs of America, was one of the new clubs formed this year. The club is for vocational students interested in upgrading their industrial skills through contests and seminars.

The Graphics Contest was put on by Mr. Slosson, group advisor, and was judged by instructors from the Capitol area. It consisted of five parts; a written test, a negative evaluation, a layout and design problem, and a press set-up and operation skill test.

Steve Hawthorne, president, and Rick Randall, vice-president, qualified for the state competition by placing first and second in the Graphics contest. Steve won by a margin of two points with Rick right behind him. There was also a job interview contest, with Rick taking first place, and a leadership conference with Steve taking third place.

Other members of the club include Debbie Berg, secretary, Barbara Nervik, treasurer, and Rob Pratt, membership recruiter.



Top: Student leadership class. Left to right - Sean Kelly, April McGandy, Kevin Feldhausen, Carol Moniz, Patty Finnigan, Jeff Conyers, Janet Grabill, Deb Stark, Nancy Kever, Gene Gates, Marie White, Gracie Maribona, Grace Schumacher, Yvonne Miller.
Left: Athletic Director George Roswell, Assistant Principals Tom Anderson and Kay Thomas.
Lower Left: Principal Mike Perry.
Above: Student Leadership Advisor, Mr. Kiolet.

Faculty

Brian Anderson
Lauren Angle
Leslie Arth
Bill Bassett
Len Booth



English
Spanish



Foreign Language



English



English



Science



Math



Psychology



Science
Math



Art



Social Studies

Ellen Cholski
Bill Compton
Jim Cummins
Wally Debord
Steve Dobosz



Resource Room



English
Drama



Science



Business Education



Social Studies



Traffic Safety



Physical Education



Librarian



Social Studies



Resource Room

Gary Dunn
Jim Fouts
Beth Hansen
Brian Hoonan
Jamie Huizinga



Social Studies



Industrial Arts



Agriculture



Math



Distributive
Education

Lew Keller
Frank Kinkela
Tom Lopp
Dennis McDonald
Don Mahlum



English



English



Science



Math



English

Monte Matlick
Pat McLachlan
Lou Miller
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Lynn Morris



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Duane Olson
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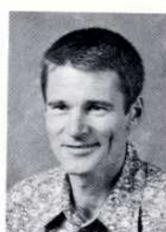
Math



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Music



Industrial
Education



Science

Ann Slawson
J. G. Slosson
Larry Smith
Sherry Smith
Ed Sprague



Resource Room



Industrial Arts



Health
Science



Social Studies



English

Susan Strong
Rod Taylor
George Van Horn
Beverly Vaughn
Don Vest



Business Education



Math



Agriculture



Counselor



Audio Visual

Teachers not pictured:

Mel Albee
Deanna Becker
Carolyn Benson
Jacqui Bergerson
Diane Binnie
Dennis Bolton
Paul Bradley
Jim Butts
Barbara Dittrich
Ian Edlund
Roger Emerson
Marianne Foley
Bill Fosdick
Gene Fry
Dixie Garwood
Dick Gribbin

Ralph Hauser
Rich Horger
Gary Iverson
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