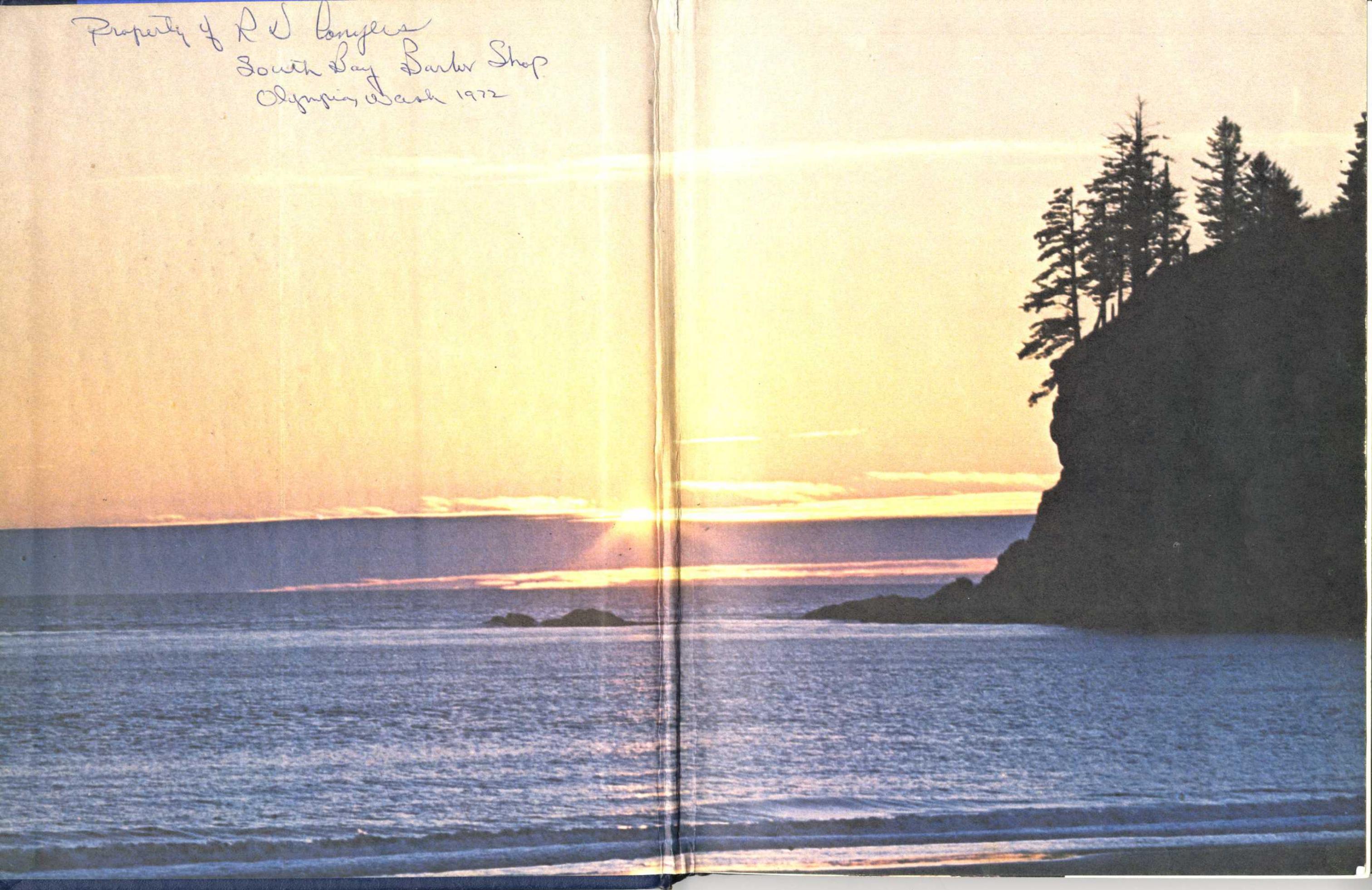
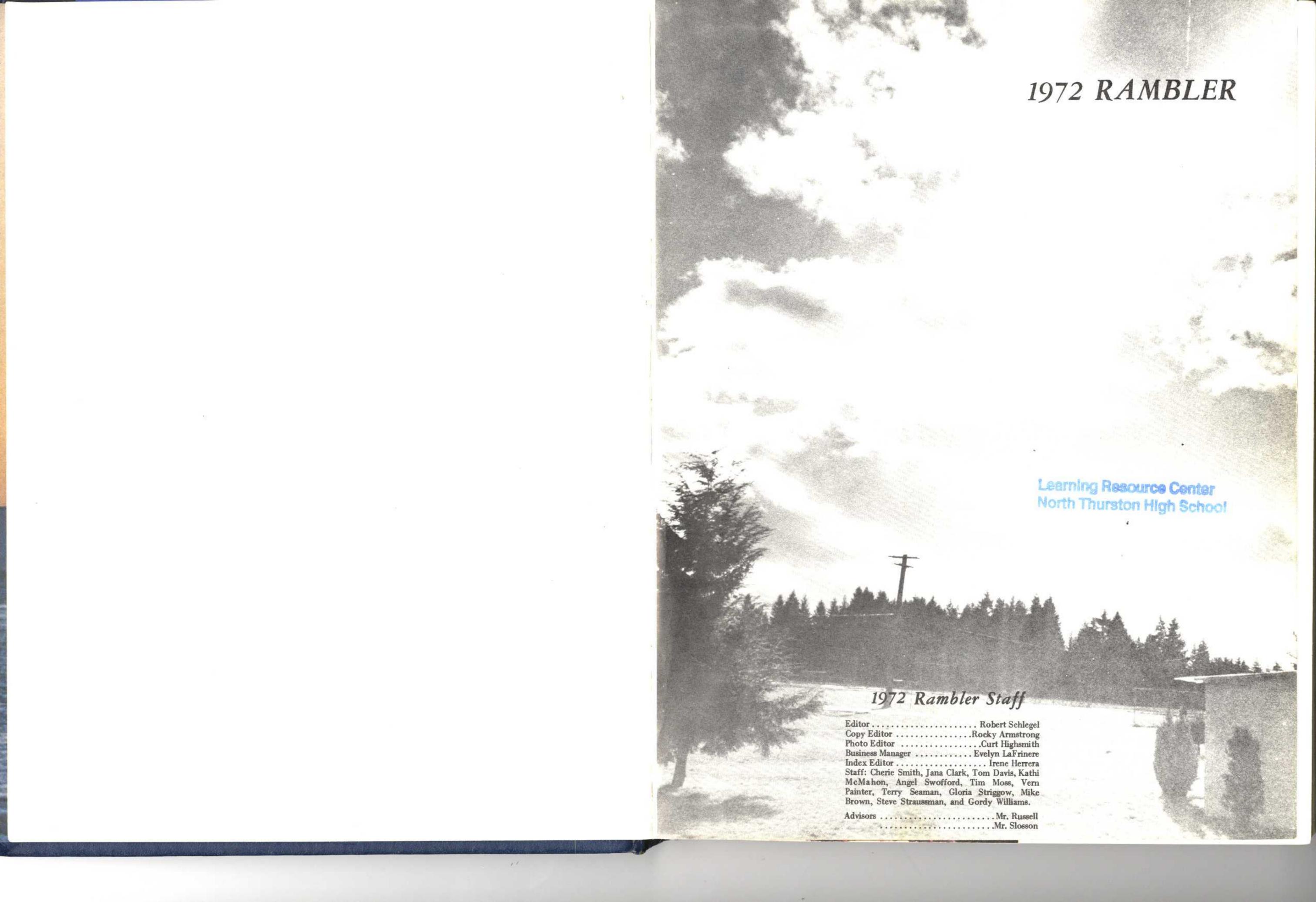




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## Dedicattee Mr. K. Thomas

Right: Determination drives a man one way.  
Below: Our friendly green list man.



This year's book of memories is dedicated to an individual that has faithfully served North Thurston since the school was built and as vice principal for the past three years — Mr. Kay Thomas.

Kay Thomas is a man of determination, courage, dedication and maybe most important of all, honesty.

His ability to counsel students in trouble or those seeking advice is surpassed by none.

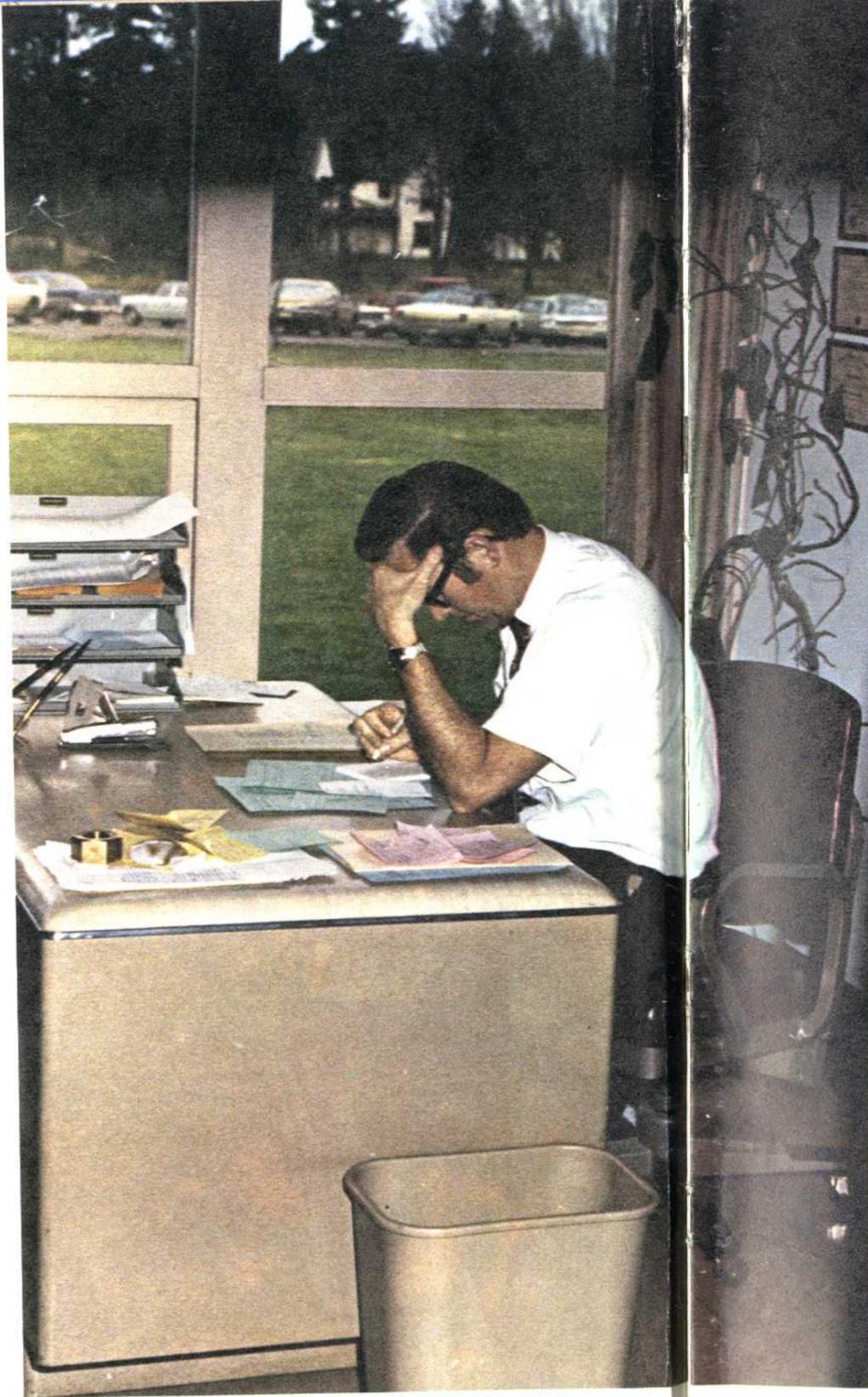
His willingness to return to school late to supervise games and activities is a record any administrator would be proud of.

Certainly a man of lesser patience would not have taken time from his duties as vice principal to look after a job someone had neglected, deal kindly with an irate parent, and then go on to offer a guiding hand to the scores of students he comes into contact with each day.

As vice principal, Kay Thomas often had the unpleasant task of disciplinarian. Most students gave him credit for being fair and always more willing to find solutions to problems than hand out punishment. He was known to give second and third chances — more if he thought it would help.

He will be remembered by us — not for the job he does — but as a warm friendly person, always offering encouragement.

It is with pride and honor that we count Kay Thomas as part of our school. It is our privilege that we, the 1972 Rambler staff, dedicate this book to Kay Thomas.



## Farewell Mr. Bower-Mr. Russell

Below: Caring for others beyond himself.  
Bottom: A pleasant thought for the past.



Mr. Bower came to North Thurston in the first year of its existence. He brought with him a code of ethics which the school was proud to follow.

Mr. Bower took pride not only in the educational aspect of the school, but was also deeply interested in the physical structure. He was often seen doing important, but menial, jobs that wouldn't get done otherwise, such as sanding a doorcasing during the summer or giving the maintenance crew a hand.

Upon returning to North Thurston this year, Mr. Bower announced his retirement. To many it was a shock and disappointment. Those who have come into contact with him will miss a man of such experience.

"No one that ever fell under Bud's influence ever came out the worst for it." Maureen Green

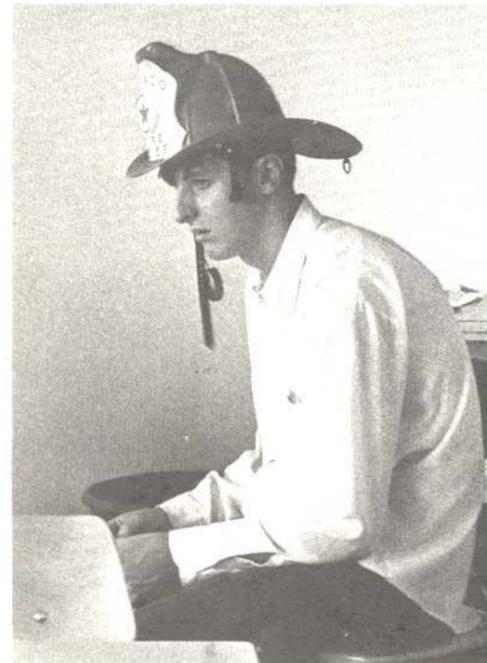
The above quote, stated by Maureen Green, holds true to every person who knows Mr. Russell.

Mr. Russell, who left March 10, will be missed and remembered as a man with a lot of dedication to his school and students, and also a guy with a great sense of humor.

Every year complaints are heard about the annual. Not everyone can be completely satisfied but each year there is the same attempt. It is through this attempt that everything becomes misleading. It shows a biased opinion of how great our school is. Is it really?



Above: Accidents can and do happen.  
 Right: A worthy annual buyer opened his piggy bank.  
 Far Right: Time out for a picture.



The major trend overlooking the school was that apathy had overcome the student body. Because of the lack of turn-out, several sports were almost cancelled. One reason that stood out was the controversy over hair length. Spirit became less evident at assemblies, clubs had little or no turn-out, and this annual was almost cancelled due to the few books sold.



Left: Battle of the ball.  
 Below: Jumpin Jehosafa!  
 Bottom: Couldn't there be a real one just once?



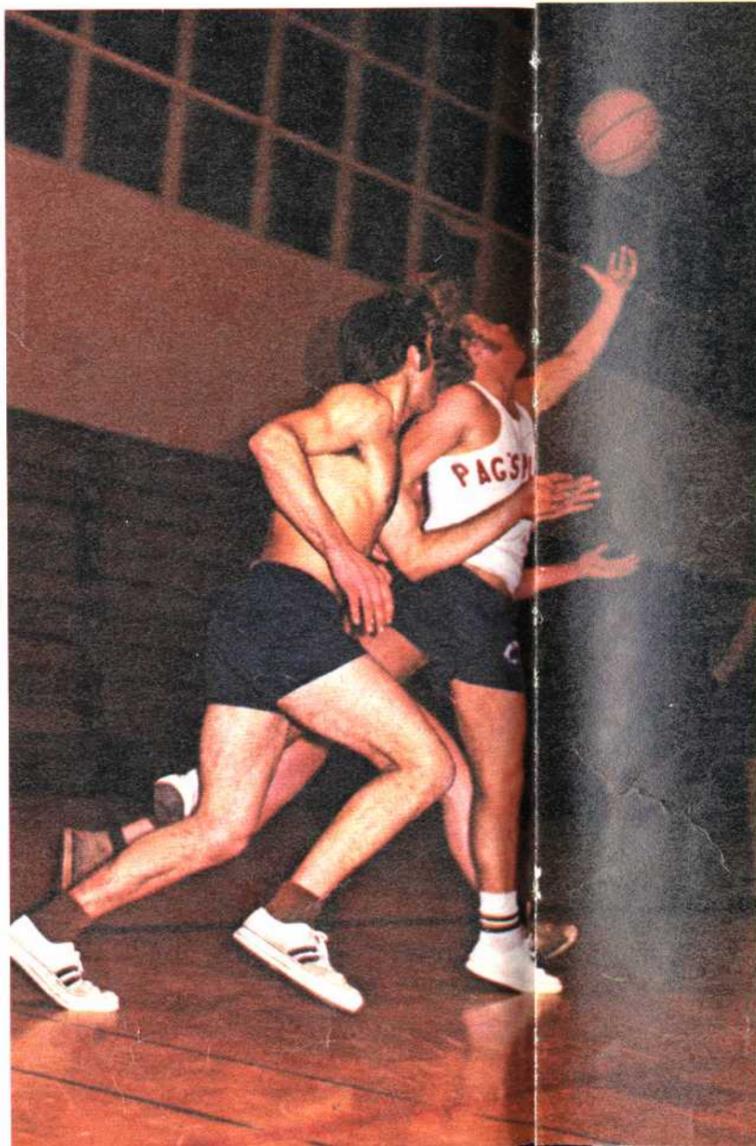
Gordy Carpenter ↓



Top far right: Just as long as we are fair to one-another.  
Right: "Sometime I wonder what they get out of it."  
Bottom far right: "Is this where it's at?"  
Middle Bottom: Somethings besides books.  
Below: "I hate it; but yet I love it!"



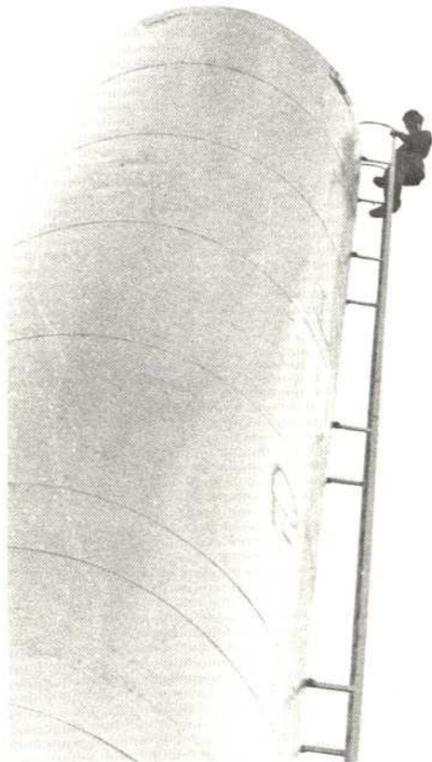
Quite a few students were suspended due to drinking, smoking, or drug related problems. It seemed that certain times were good for a quick smoke in the bathroom or the woods and the interest was held for some by the thought of the weekly kegger, which would probably account for the apathy.





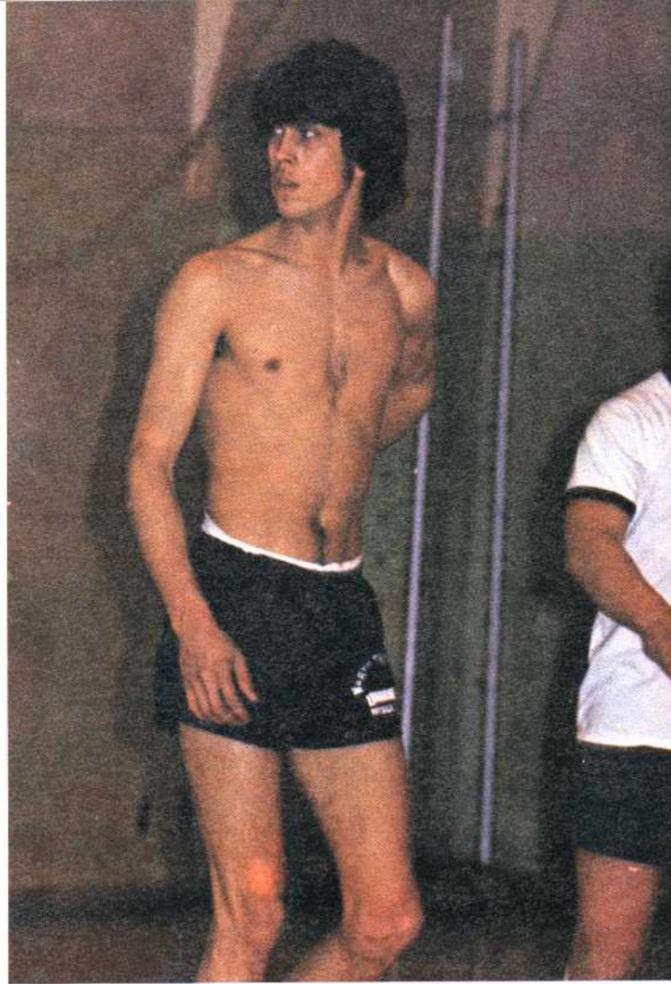
Above: Wrist wrestling; can the coach do it?  
Right: Now where? Only one way down.

Students complained that North Thurston was made of social "cliques." Yet nothing seemed to be done on the part of the student body.

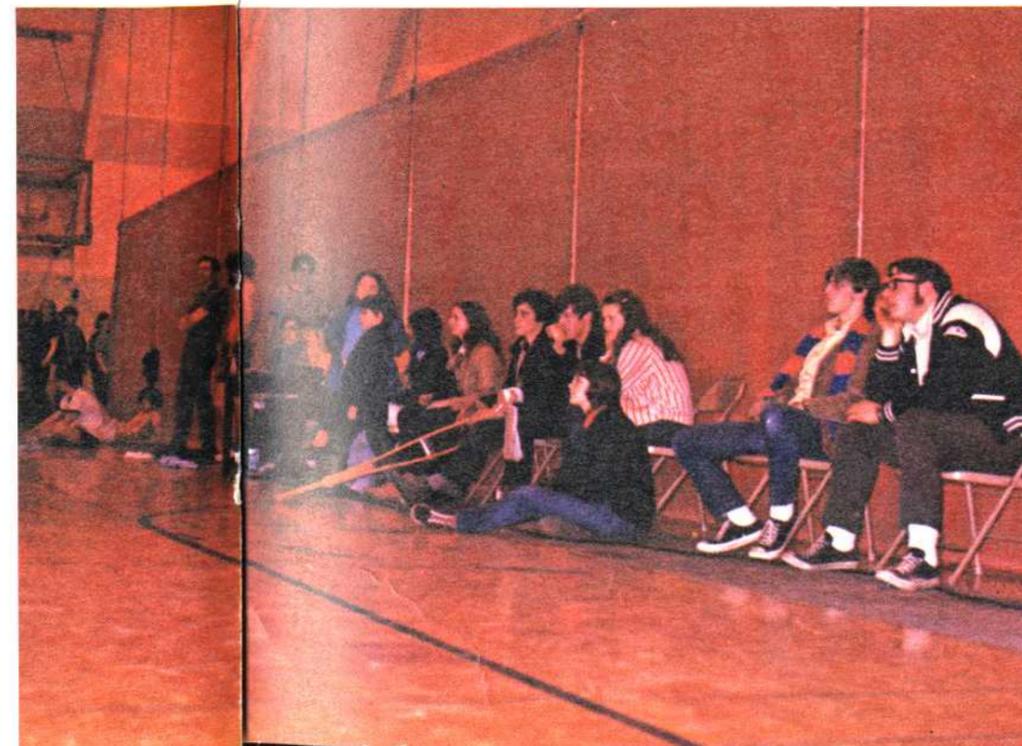


Left: What a way to make a basket!  
Below: A tingling effect.  
Bottom: Thrills!





Top far right: I guess this is why we need a student lounge.  
 Lower far right: Wondering?  
 Right: Long, lean, and mean man.  
 Below: Snow Ducks



There were upsets in traditions at North Thurston. The Letterman's Club snack bar was closed down, the May Dance was held at a neighboring high school, the thought of changing graduation colors was brought up, and student government was revamped. Several new ideas were evoked. The thought of a student lounge was worked upon, preparations were made for a new library, a wrist wrestling match was held, and a bowling team was sent to state competition, for the first time. Traditions seemed no longer revelant.



School had changed radically. To some it is a place of learning and gaining insight into their future, while others know it as a place to socialize and plan the week-end parties.

This book is presented with the hope that when you look back at the years spent at North Thurston, you will remember "how it really was."



Top: Self explanatory  
 Above: A few people still join the alma mater and enjoy it.  
 Right: To some a week-end thought.



Above: A daily ritual; feeding the face.  
 Left: How did I get into this predicament?



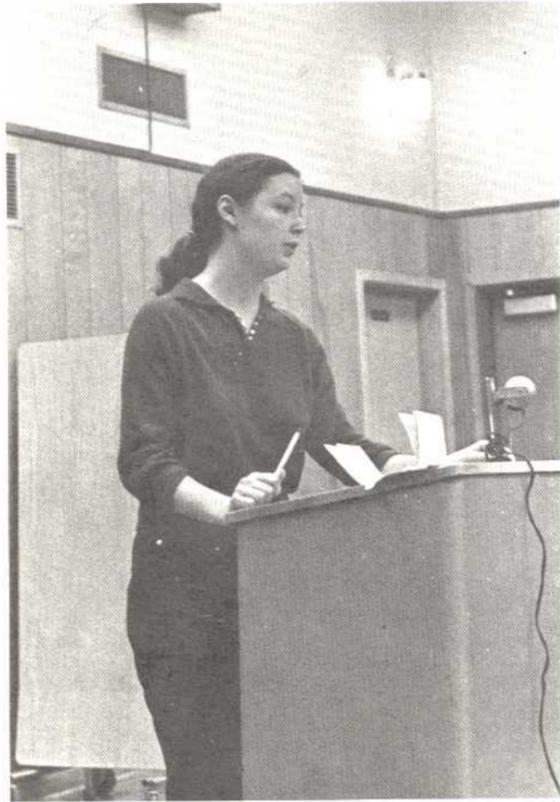


This being the last year at North Thurston for Seniors they became completely engrossed at the thought. They began the first of the year energetically but by mid-term many felt it up to them to prove themselves. Some by showing more responsibility and others went to an opposite extreme.

## *Class of '72*

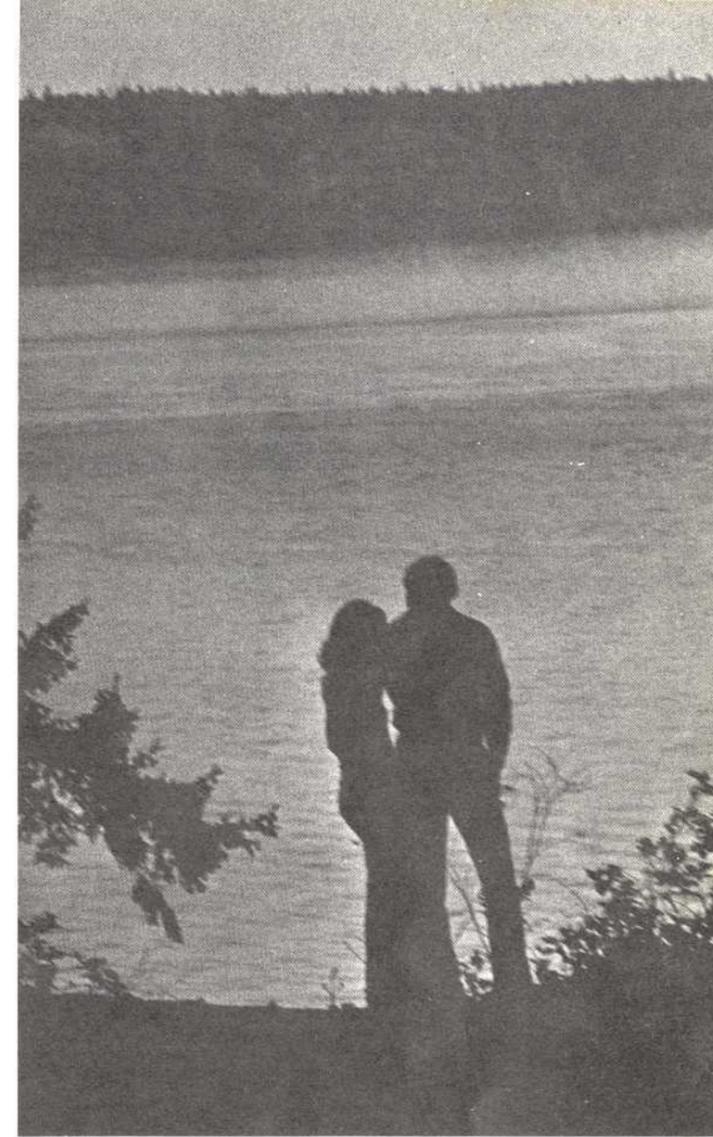
Top: Aftermath of a senior class meeting  
Above: Everybody, lets dance!  
Above right: Seniors look on intently at class meeting.

Below: President Robin Hojem adresses class.  
 Right: Craig Brown shoots the bull with Jeff Haegar.  
 Below Right: Kelsa Smith and Kris Berry; May Dance  
 Chairman, bring up May Dance idea.



## Senior Highlights

Right: A tender moment in the solitude of beauty.  
 Below right: Do you think he knows?  
 Below: A familiar face.



Many changes were proposed by the Seniors. The idea of changing graduation colors was brought out but turned down by vote. Several novel ideas for Senior trips were discussed and changed once or twice before being decided upon. Several attempts were made to raise money throughout the year, to save for various projects.

*To the graduating class may you continue on future endeavors with the best of luck.*

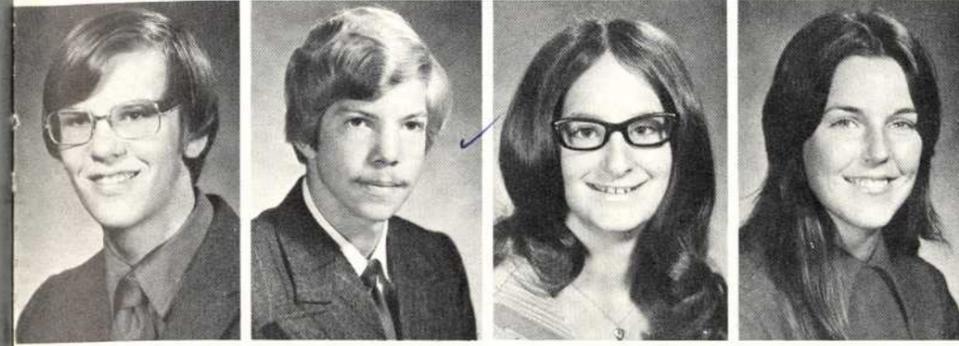
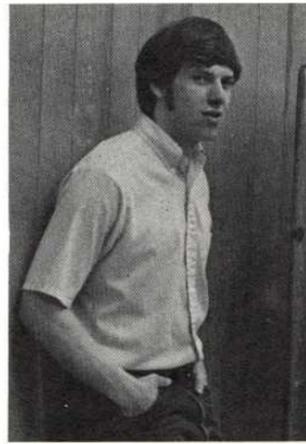
### Senior Class Officers



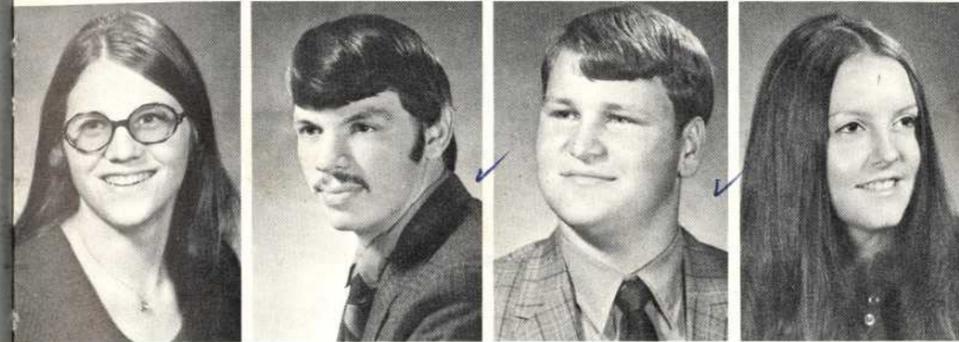
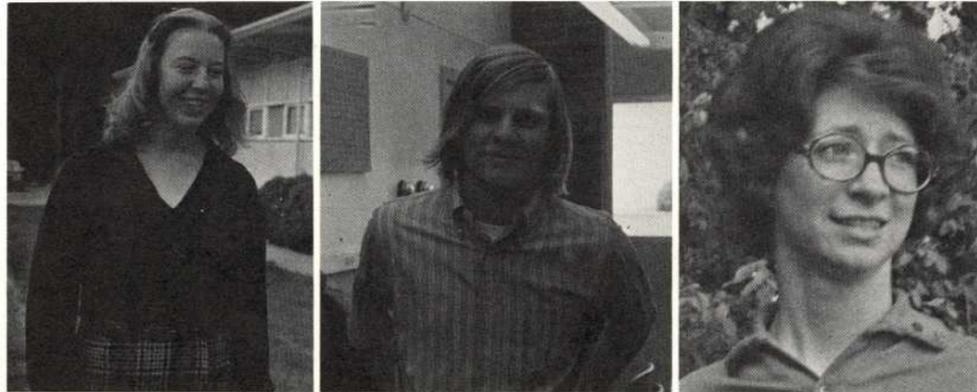
Above: Jim Hamman, Robin Hojem, and Advisor Mrs. Ditritch discuss class business.



# Top Ten, Plus One



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Rampage Editor, Voter Reg. Co-Chair.  
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Student Council, F.F.A.  
**PATTY ANDERSON**  
Girls League, Pep Club  
**LOY ARMSTRONG**  
Girls League



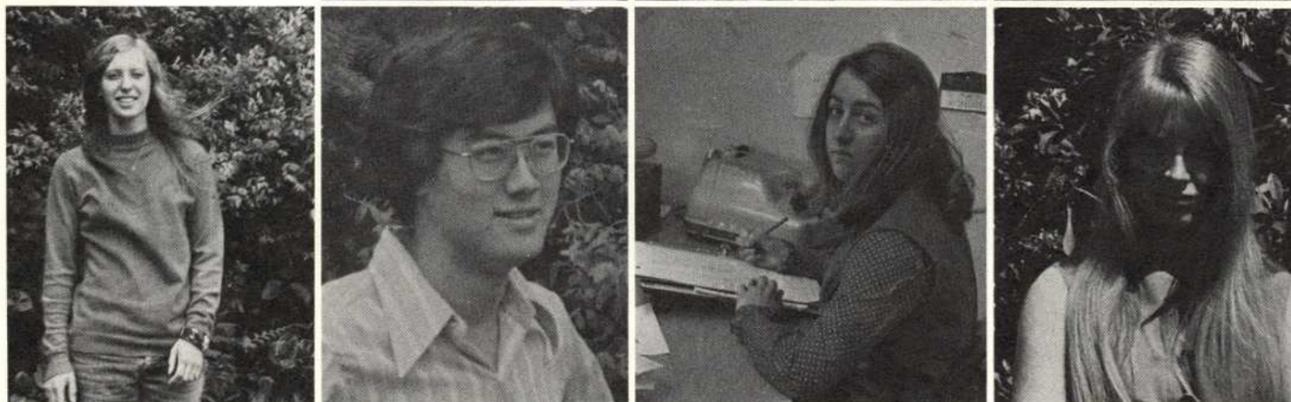
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Annual Copy Editor, F.T.A.  
**STACEY ARNOLD**  
Boys Club  
**BRENT BAKER**  
Christian Youth Club, F.F.A.  
**JANA BARMORE**  
Girls League

## TOP ELEVEN

- Craig Brown
- Candy Cole
- Kenan Conte
- Joan Dorian
- Marcia Jensen
- Ollie Jones
- Shelley Kirk
- Leslie Long
- Andy Moniz
- Carla Scott
- Kelsa Smith



**DAVE BEDFORD**  
Track  
**JANET BENTLY**  
Student Council

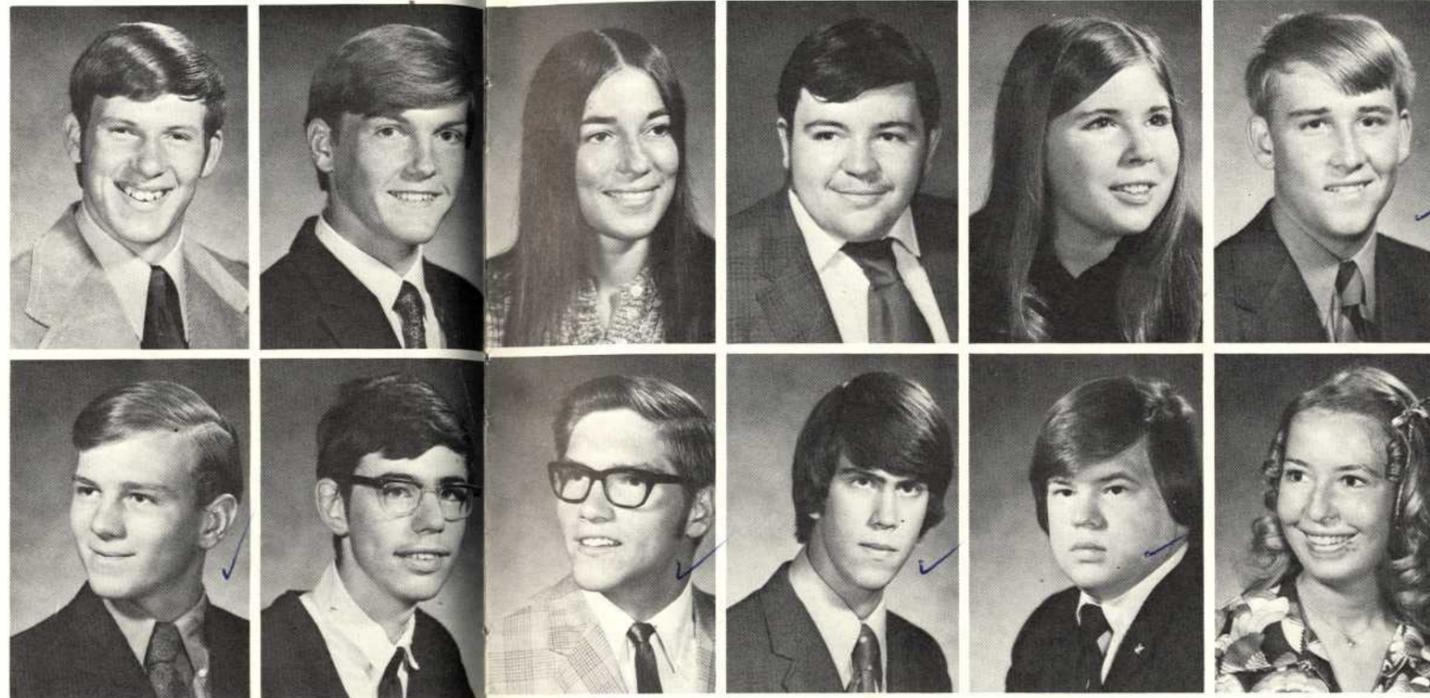


**DOROTHY BERLIN**  
Girls League  
**KRIS BERRY**  
Honor Society, Tennis

Left: Mini-course rocketeers.

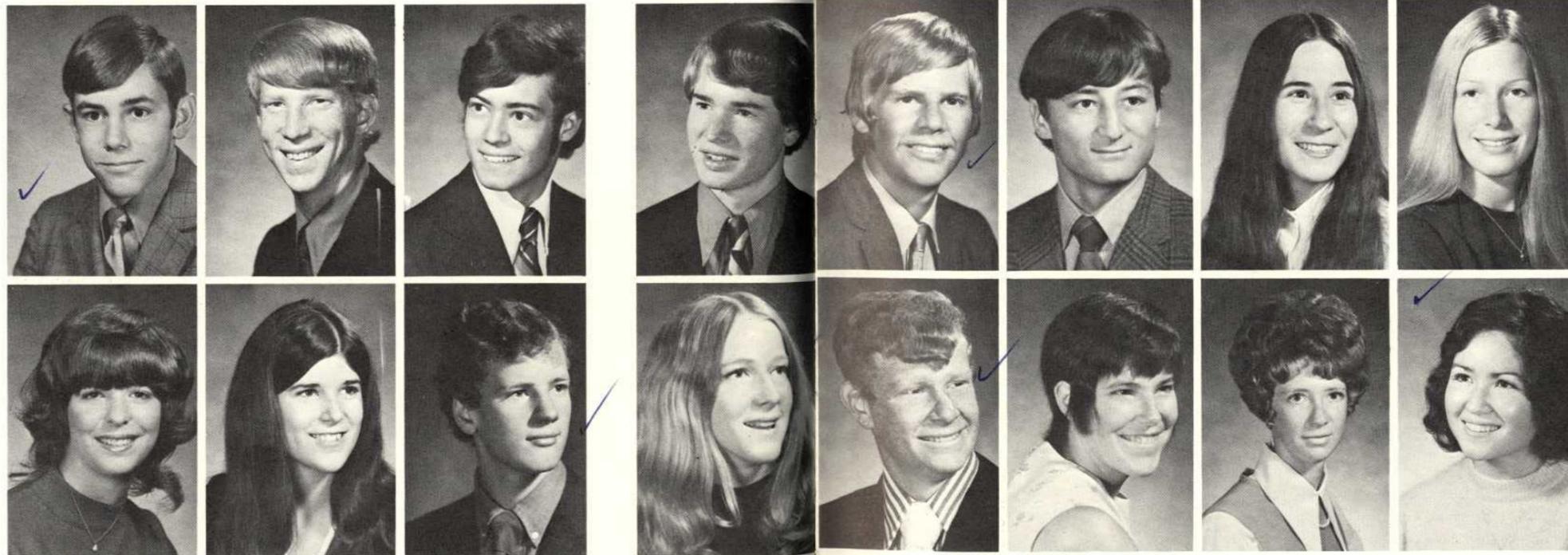


Left: Mmmmm, that's good!



**CRAIG BROWN**  
Sgt. at Arms, Varsity Football  
**MICHEAL BROWN**  
Soccer  
**CAREY BURDICK**  
Student Council  
**TONY BUTLER**  
Boys Club  
**MARY CAHILL**  
Sr. Class Sec., Jr. Class Program Chair.  
**WILLIAM CANFIELD**  
Honor Society Pres., Service Club  
**GORDON CARPENTER**  
Boys Club  
**TIMOTHY CARROLL**  
Rifle Club Pres.  
**MICHEAL CHITWOOD**  
Varsity Football, Letterman's Club  
**TIMOTHY CLARK**  
F.F.A., Boys Club Basketball  
**DANNY CLARKE**  
Boys Club  
**CANDICE COLE**  
Girls League V.P., Honor Society

**ROGER BIRD**  
Stage Band, Select Choir  
**ROBERT BLACK**  
Concert Band, Pep Band  
**WAYNE BOMBARD**  
Boys Club



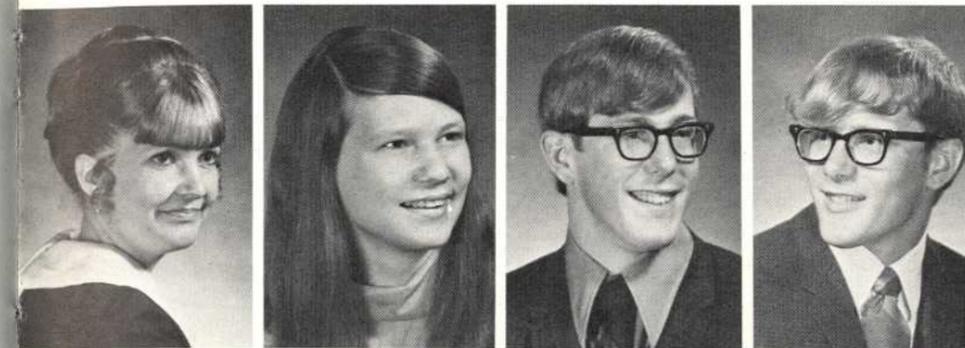
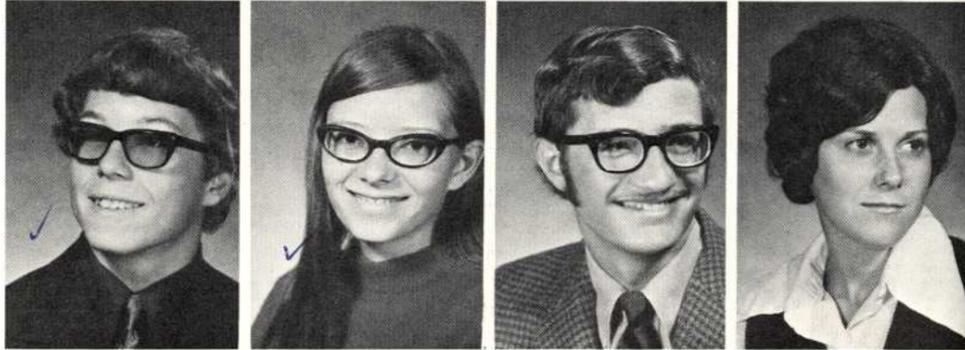
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Tennis  
**MICHEAL BROADLAND**  
Boys Club

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Student Council, Wrestling  
**KENAN CONTE**  
Chief Justice, Sr. Class Choice Speaker  
**RICHARD COOLEY**  
Boys Club Basketball, Wrestling  
**ANNE CROOK**  
F.F.A.  
**BARBARA DAHL**  
Madrigals, Concert Choir  
**DEBORAH DEVOL**  
Girls League  
**MARK DONGES**  
Ski Club, Varsity Baseball  
**MARY ANN DONNELLY**  
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Tennis Team, F.L.C.  
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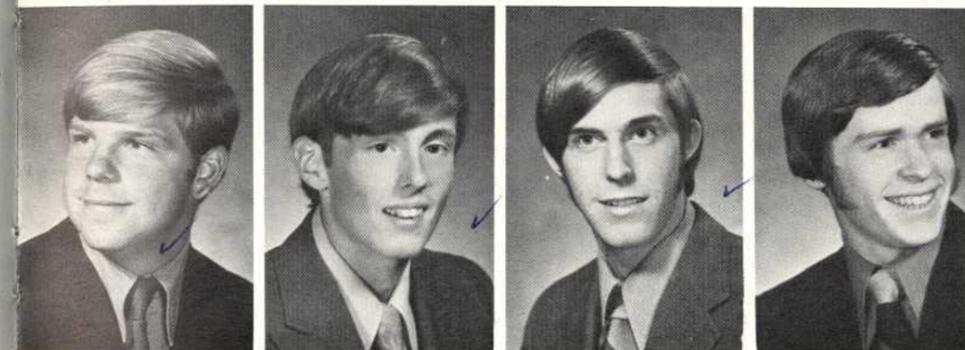
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Hiking Club  
JANICE ENGLE  
Ecology Club, Bldg. & Grounds Comm.  
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Hiking Club, Thespians



BRIAN FAWCETT  
Student Council  
EILEEN FELTHAUSER  
F.L.C., Orchestra  
RUSS FORD  
Service Club V.P., A.S.B. Parliamentarian  
MARSHA FUTRELLE  
Select Choir, Spanish Club Sec.

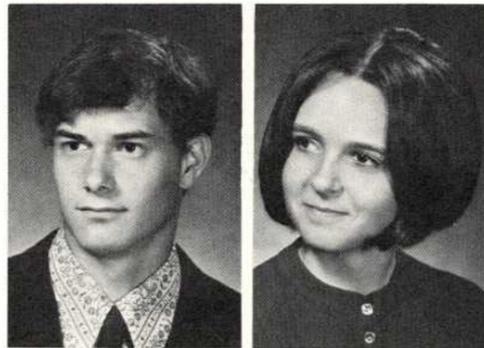


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KATHY GUSTAFSON  
Service Club, Hiking Club  
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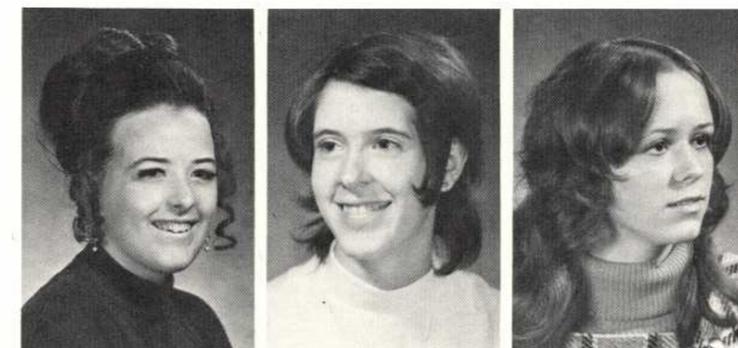


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Varsity Baseball, Fire & Safety  
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Boys Club  
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Voice of Democracy, National Winner,  
A.S.B. Corresponding Secretary

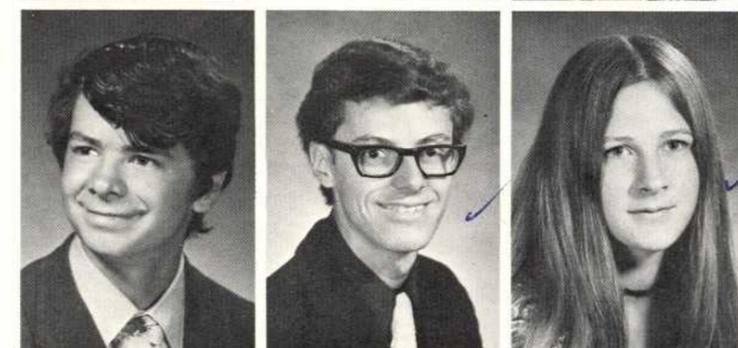
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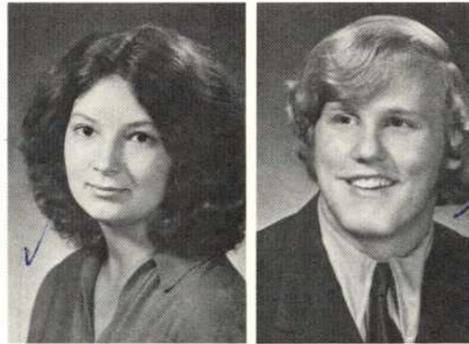
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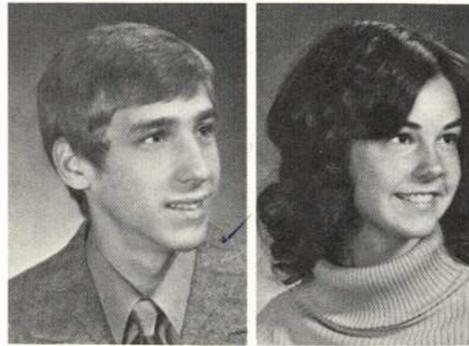
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Boys Club  
CURTIS HIGHSMITH  
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Rampage Photographer  
LAURA HINKLE  
G.A.A., Student Council

Left: Pile them up, shoot them out.

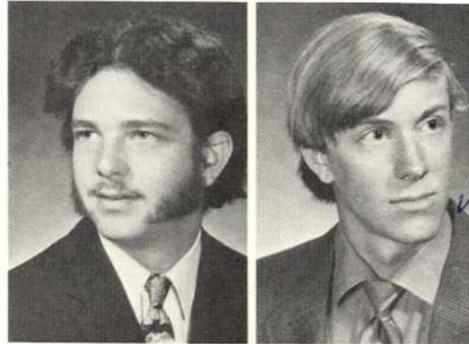
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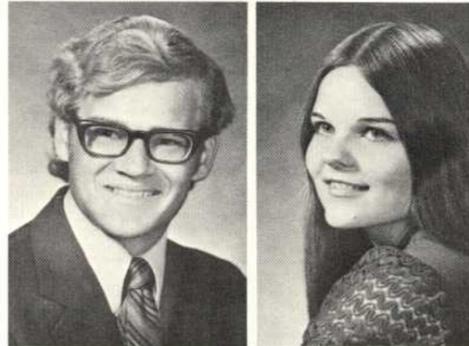
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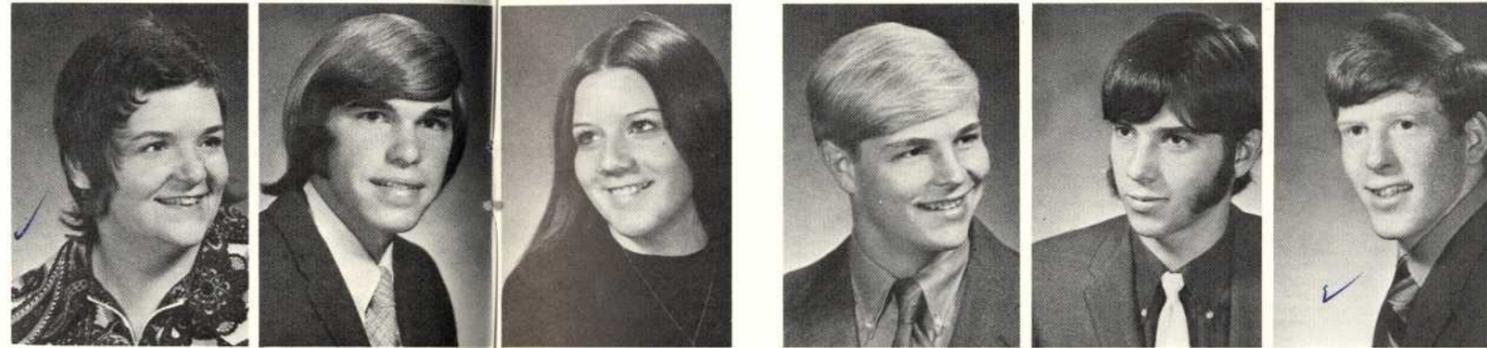
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JOSEPH HULL  
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Right: Seniors leap for the future.

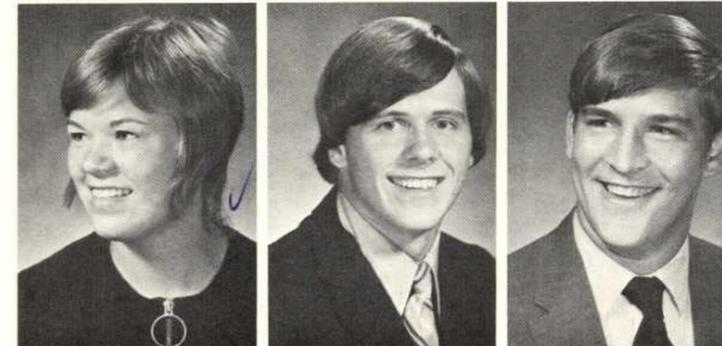


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Sr. Class Homecoming Princess, Drill Team  
RICHARD JOHNSON  
Boys Club  
STEVEN JOHNSON  
Boys Club

OLLIE JONES  
Girls League Pres., Home Ec. Award  
RICHARD JONES  
Cross Country, Thespians  
DIANE JORDAN  
Girls League  
MICHAEL JUTTE  
DECA Club V.P., Rifle Club  
GORDON KAY  
B.R.A.  
MICHAEL KELLY  
Lettermens Club, Varsity Baseball



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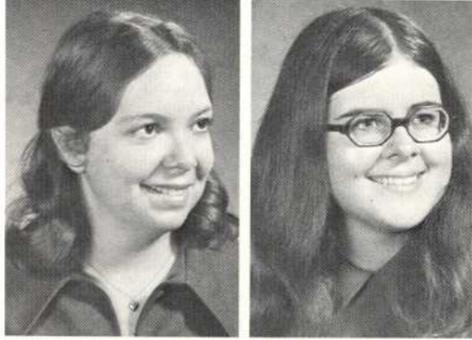


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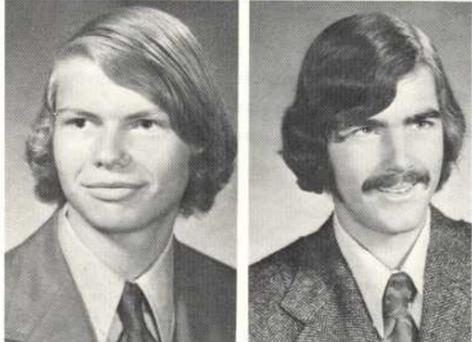
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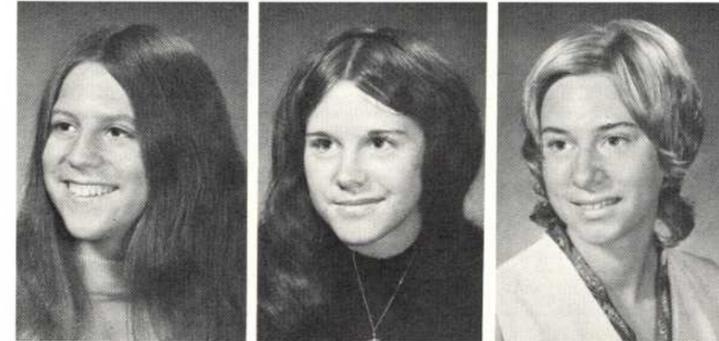
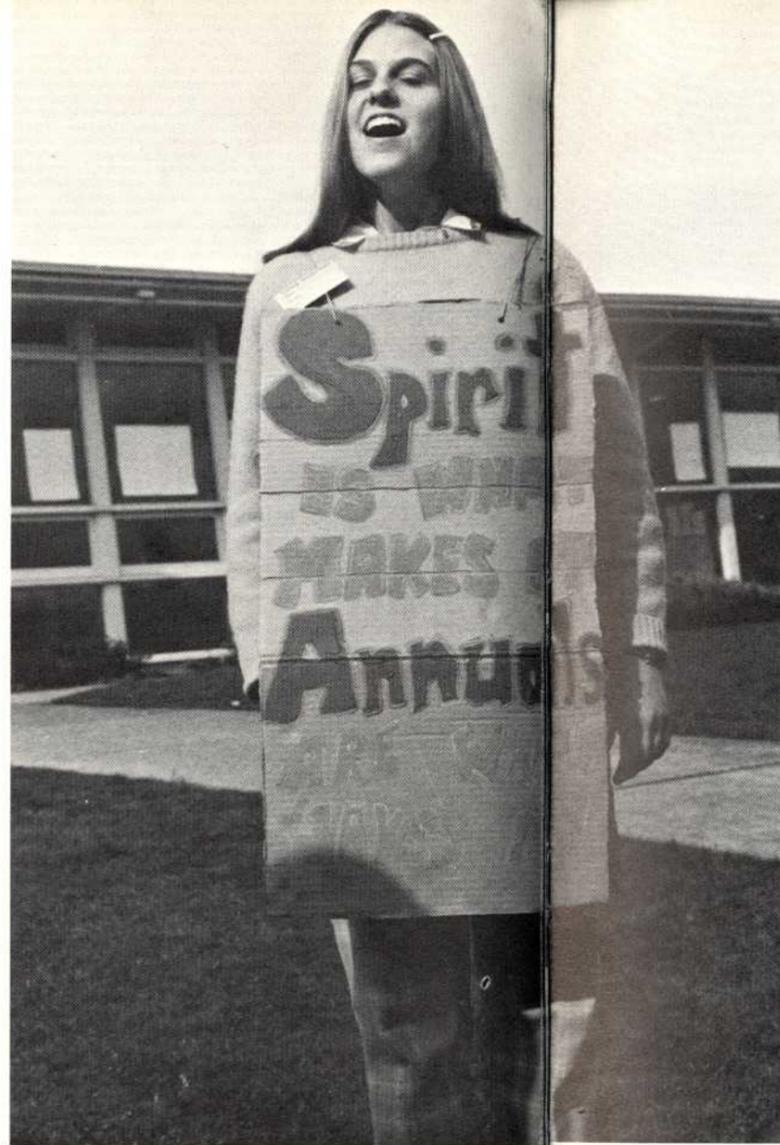
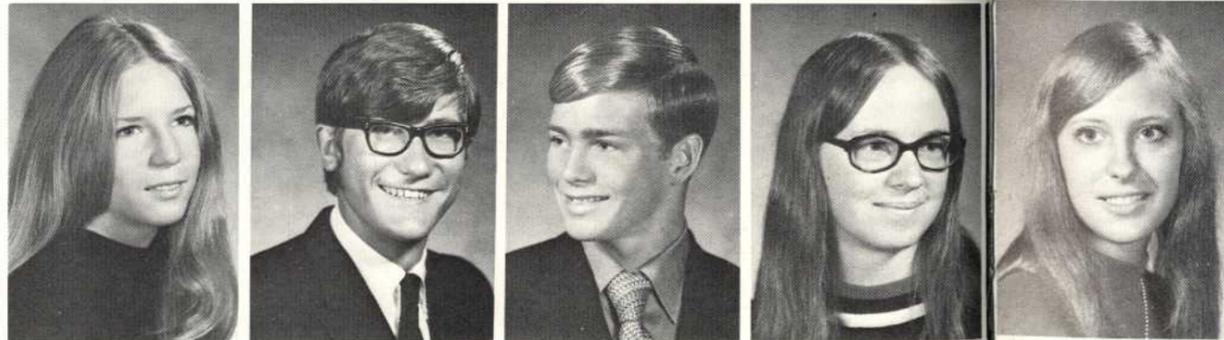
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Boys Club



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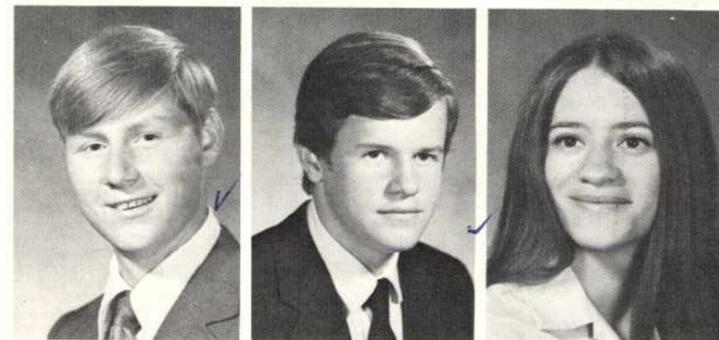
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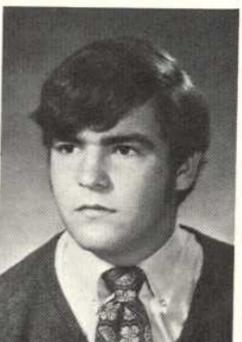
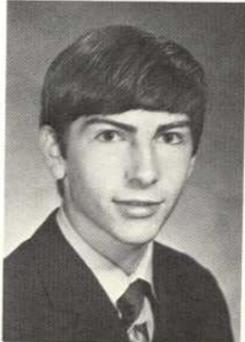
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**LAWRENCE MONIZ**  
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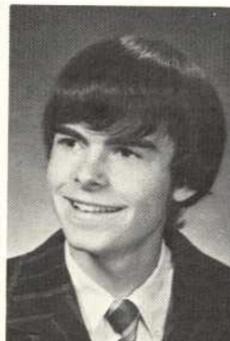
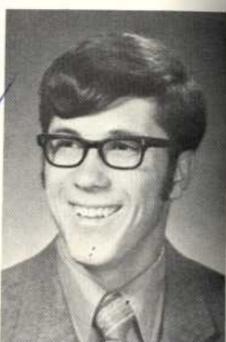
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Boys Club Basketball, DECA Club  
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F.F.A., Boys Club Basketball



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Select Choir  
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Girls Tennis, Girls Glee  
**MICHAEL PEPPER**  
Stage Band, Swing Choir  
**JON PETERSON**  
Hiking Club, Ecology Club  
**RICK PETERSON**  
Boys Club



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Madrigals, Swim Team  
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**WILLIAM PROFITT**  
Football Mgr., Student Council  
**BARBARA QUESNEL**  
Ecology Club, Pep Club  
**GREG REGESTER**  
Band Pres., Varsity Football



Right: Senior Social Hour.

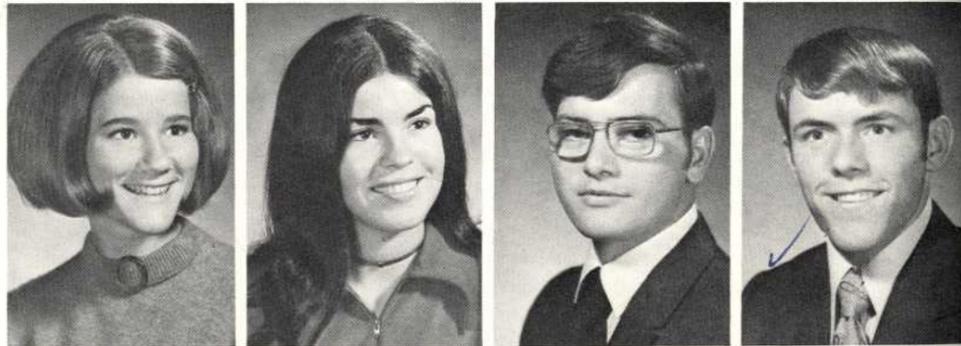
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Ecology Club, Bldgs. & Grounds Comm.  
**MARY SCHIERBERG**  
Girls League  
**ROBERT SCHLEGEL**  
Rambler Editor, Rampage  
**GERALD SCHMIDT**  
Football, Orchestra Pres.



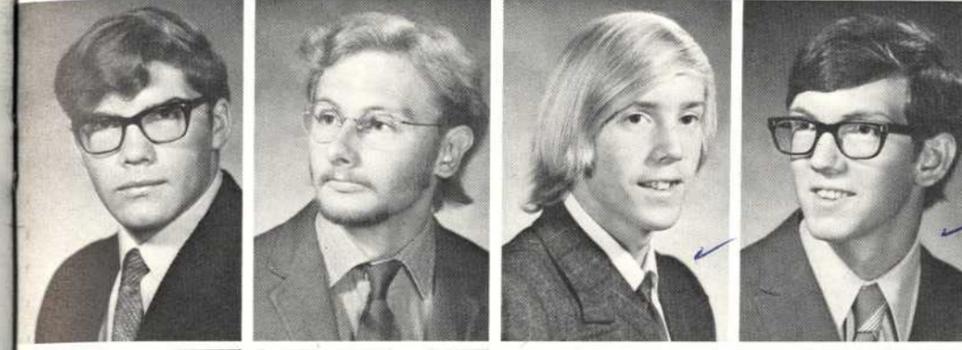
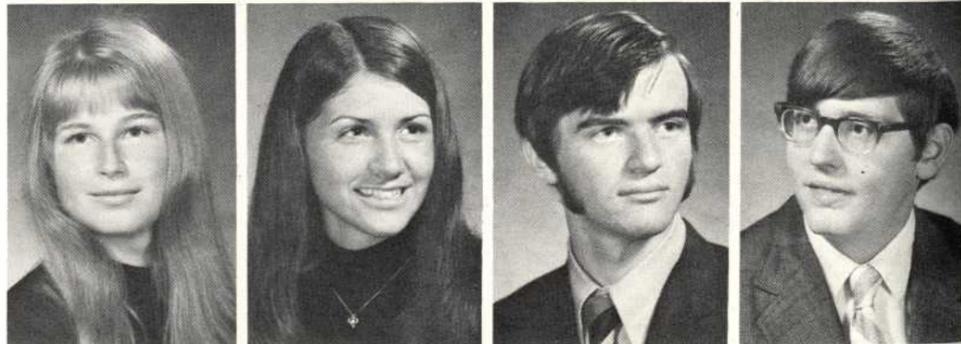
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Girls Glee  
**CARLA SCOTT**  
A.S.B. Treas., Madrigals  
**EDWARD SEAMAN**  
Select Choir, Thespians Pres.  
**ELIZABETH SEIBOLD**  
Cheerleader, Ski School



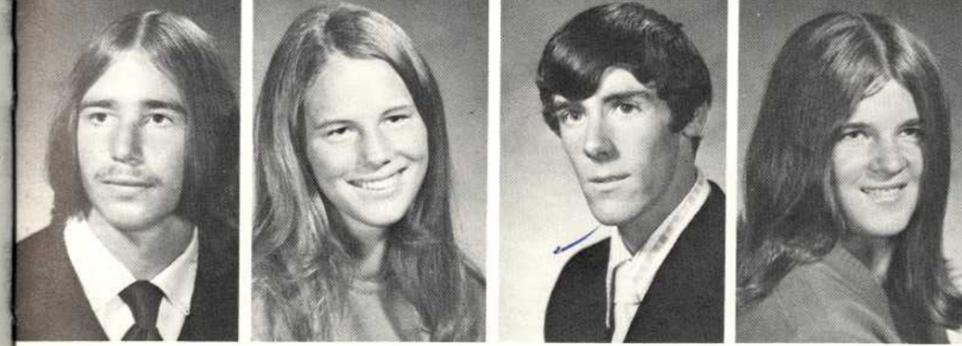
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A.S.B. Sec., Honor Society  
**CHRISTINE SHAVER**  
Fire & Safety Queen, Madrigals  
**EDDIE SHIPMAN**  
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**STEPHEN SHUMWAY**  
Boys Club Basketball  
**JUDITH SLADE**  
Girls League  
**BRITT SMITH**  
Ski Team, Honor Society



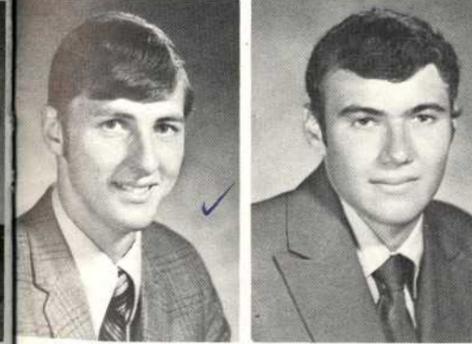
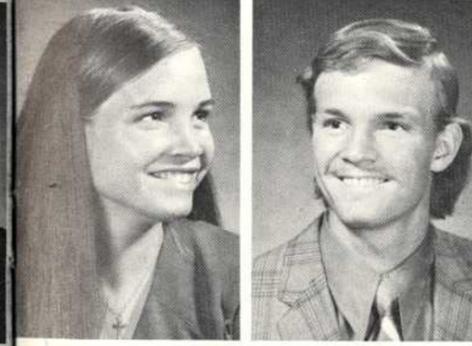
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Senior Class Treas., May Dance  
**TERRY SMITH**  
Cheerleader, Madrigals  
**PETER SOWL**  
Boys Club  
**JEFFREY SPRENGEL**  
F.F.A.  
**NEAL SPRINGER**  
Varsity Basketball, Fire & Safety  
**WILLIAM STORMS**  
Stage Band, Brass Quintet



**WAYNE STRONG**  
Varsity Track, Gun Club  
**MICHAEL SWAFFORD**  
Voter Reg. Co-Chair., Rampage  
**CHARLES THAYER**  
J.P.J.'s, Track  
**TIM THIELEN**  
Concert Choir, Madrigals

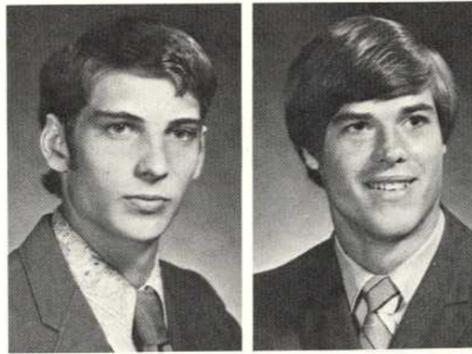


**MIKE THIES**  
DECA Club, Anti-Drug Comm.  
**JANET THOMAS**  
Cheerleader, Drill Team  
**DANIEL THOMPSON**  
Baseball, Boys Club Basketball  
**PAMELA TRIVETT**  
Girls League



Above: Anti-litterbugs comm. first and last meeting.

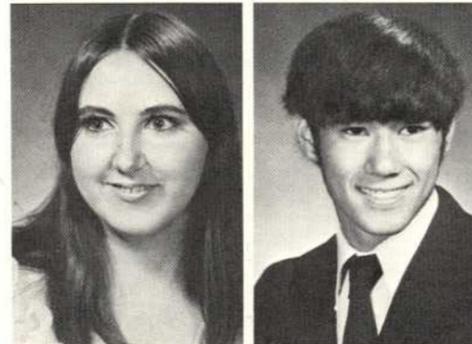
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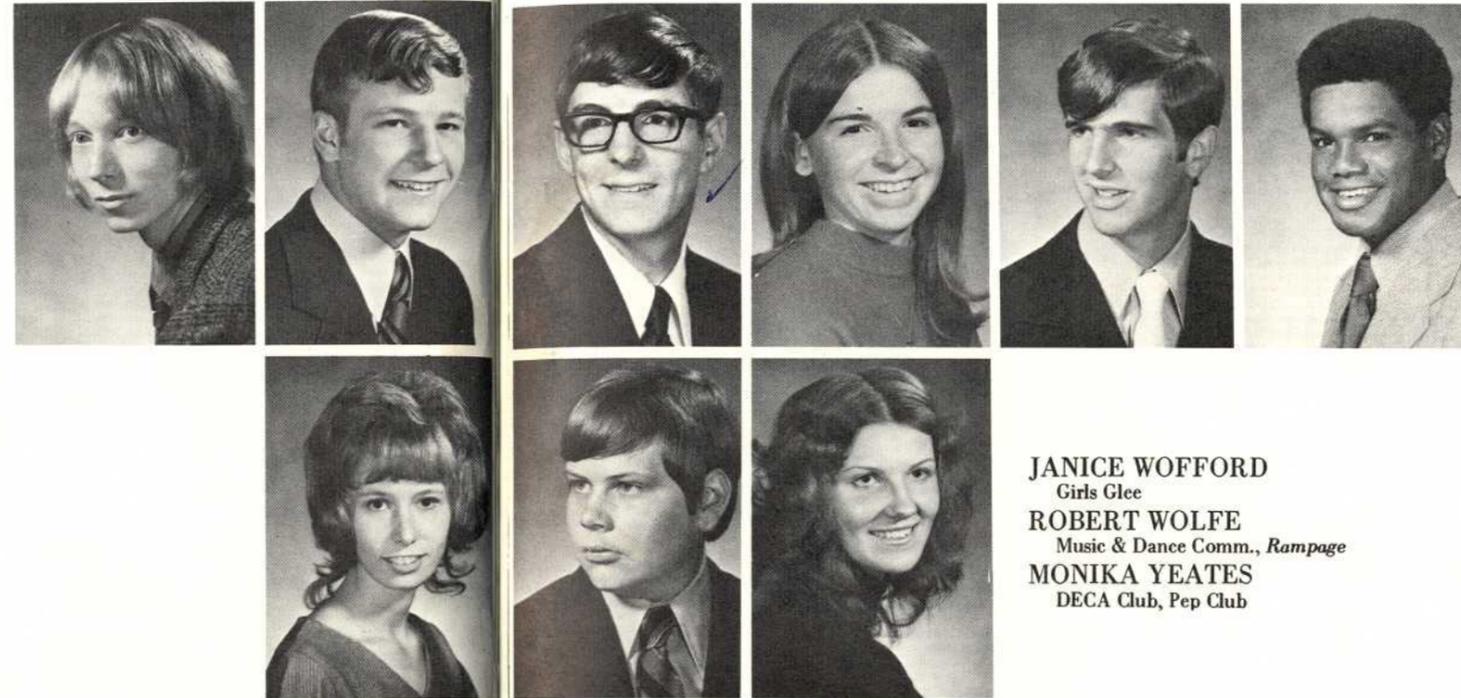
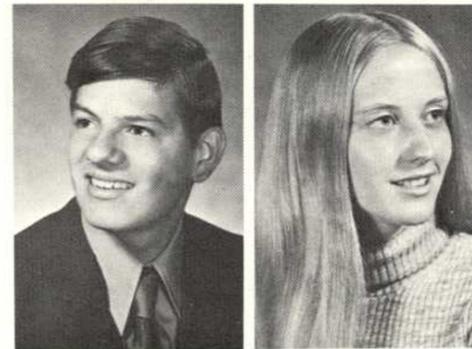
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DANNA VIXO  
F.L.C., G.A.A.



PATRICIA WALKER  
Girls Glee  
STEPHEN WARD  
Football, Bike Club

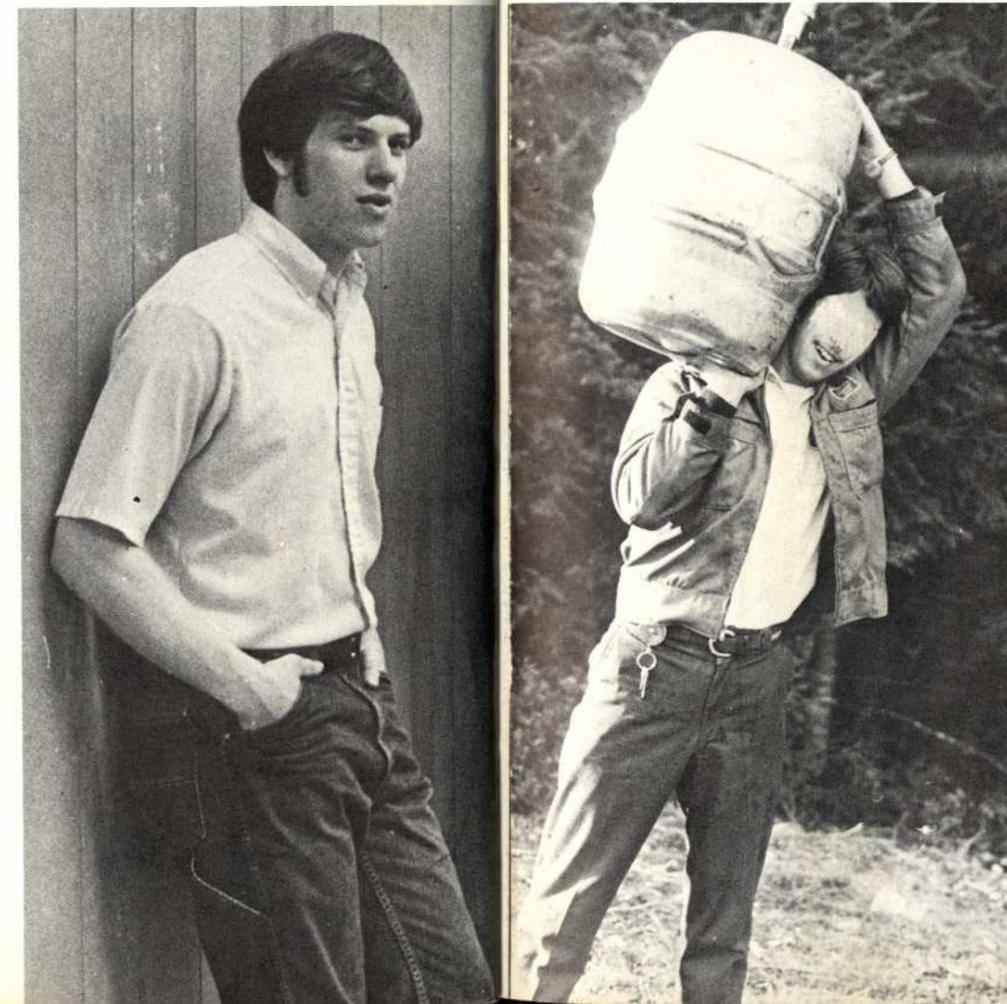


WILLIAM WARD  
Student Council, Stage Band  
ANN WARNER  
F.F.A.



CARL WARREN  
Thespians, Citizens Advisory Council  
EDWIN WEAVER  
J.P.J.'s  
RICHARD WEEKS  
Student Council, Soccer  
SUSAN WILLS  
Varsity Tennis, Girls League Sec.  
CHRISTIAN WILSON  
Football, Lettermens Club  
JAMES WILSON  
Football, Music & Dance Chairman

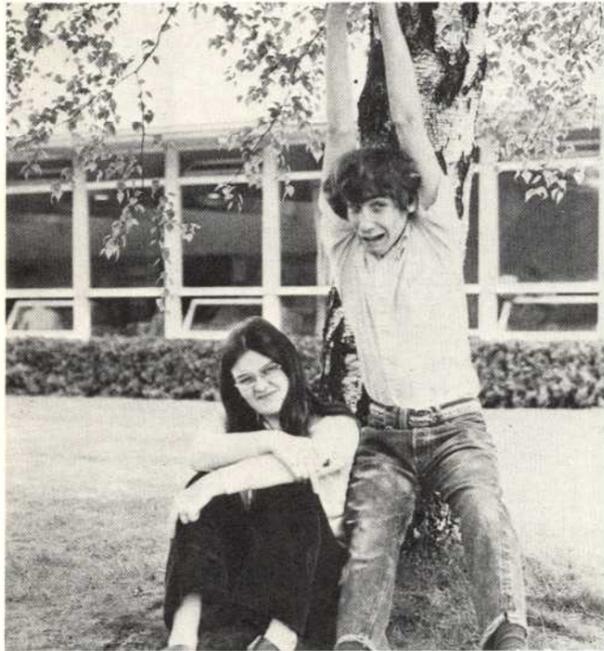
JANICE WOFFORD  
Girls Glee  
ROBERT WOLFE  
Music & Dance Comm., *Rampage*  
MONIKA YEATES  
DECA Club, Pep Club





## Hall of Fame

1. Brainiest: Mike Swofford, Candy Cole.
2. Most Attractive: Chris Shaver, Kenan Conte.
3. Friendliest: Dan O'Neil, Evie Lupfer.
4. Most Likely to Succeed: Mark Harmon, Shelly Kirk.

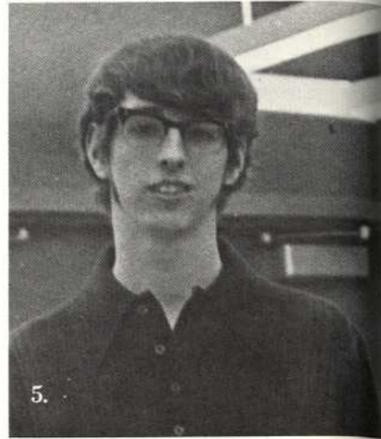
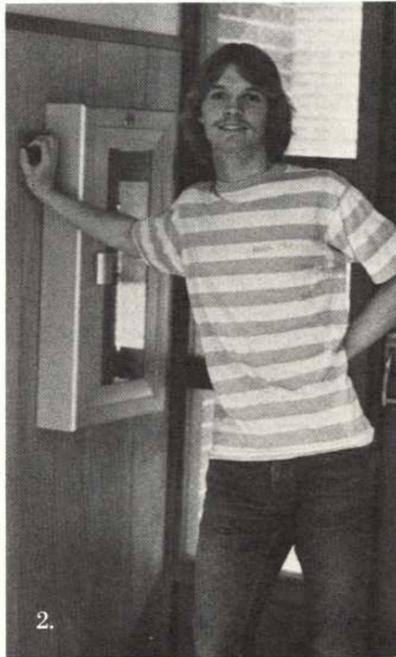


5. Class Cut-ups: Pat Meadors, Tom Horne.
6. Most Athletic: Mary Donnelly, Neal Springer.
7. Most Peppy: Craig Brown, Terry Smith.
8. Biggest Flirts: Paul Manix, Chere' Reynaud.

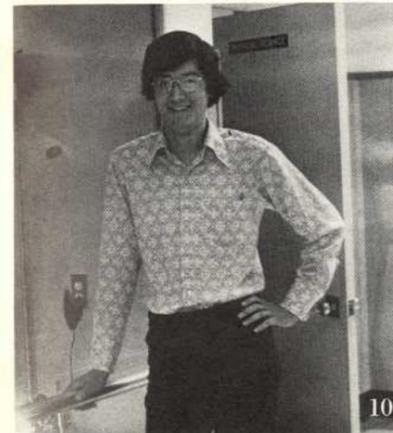


# Senior Plaques

- 1. Cathy Duffy
- 2. Britt Smith
- 3. Teresa Senior
- 4. Candy Cole



- 5. Rob Schlegel
- 6. Kevin Ryan
- 7. Sue Wills



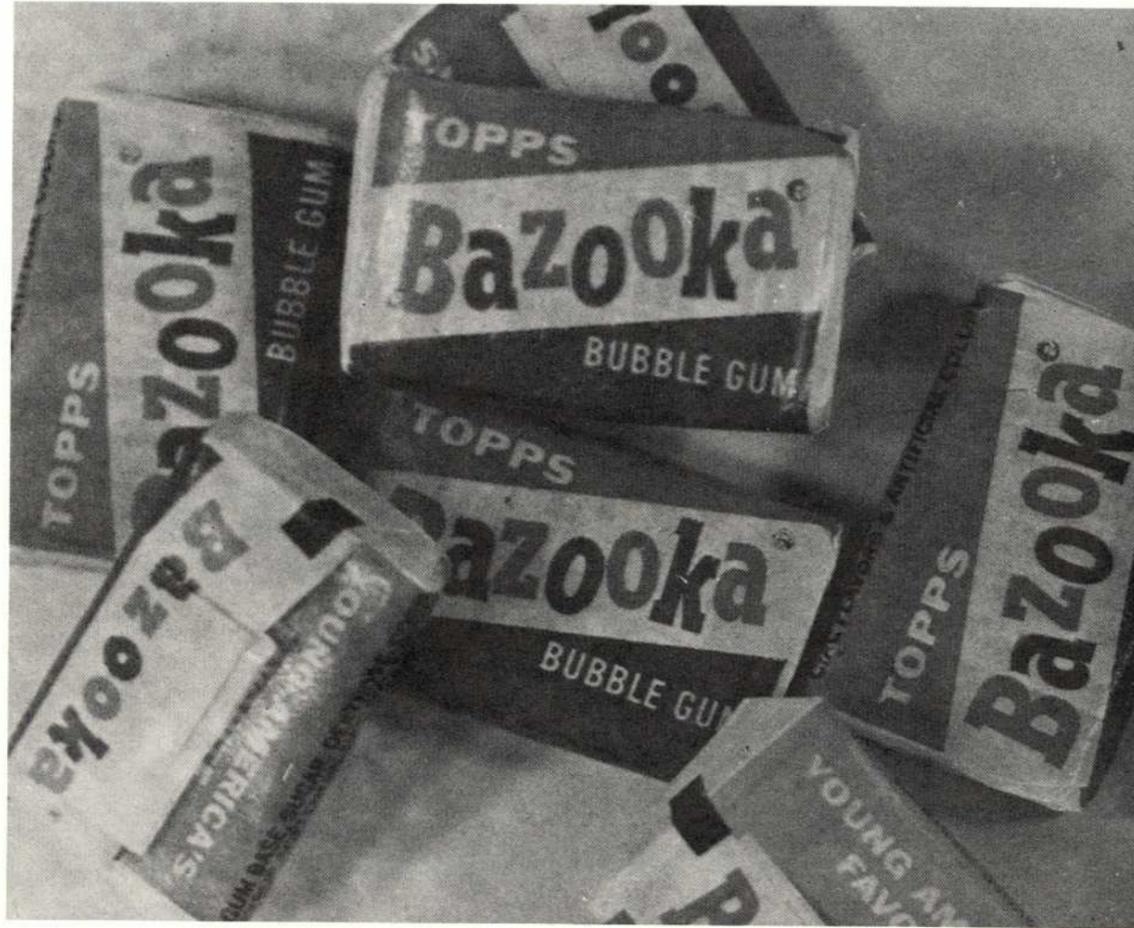
- 8. Robin Hojem
- 9. Bill Ward
- 10. Andy Moniz



- 11. Craig Reinhart
- 12. Marcia Jensen
- 13. Rod Aries
- 14. Shelly Kirk
- 15. Chris Shaver



# Vandalism



This page is devoted to pranks and vandalism in all its varied forms. Its usually a tradition at most schools for the graduating class to leave something behind to be remembered by. This once took the form of painting the classes' year on a bridge or other landmark.

Senior 'pranks' are a carryover from that and here at North Thurston, several quite unusual ones have been performed. Some of the more ingenious ones have been: placing tires over the flag pole, standing a Yard Birds crow on the roof, dumping food coloring in the water tower and of course, the old standby, filling the faculty room with old newspapers.

Its when an act gets past the prank stage that its classified as vandalism. This year alone, thousands of dollars of damage has been done. The school library was entered by breaking out the sky lights and several thousand books were scattered on the floor. On numerous occasions 'lawn jobs' were performed on NT's campus. The grass was dug up with car tires and several trees were run down.

Seniors, by far, were not the only ones to inflict damage upon the school. What of the ever increasing vandalism in the school parking lot? There are some students who refuse to drive to school for fear of what might happen to their cars. Nearly \$100 per month of personal belongings and money is stolen from the P.E. lockers. Over 30 windows have been maliciously broken out over the year.

We leave you with the question of what, if anything is to be done about this. Do we form an elite police agency out of Service Club as had been suggested and turned down earlier this year? Should we cut down on the already limited freedom students are allowed here at school? Maybe a fence around the parking lots would be the answer—or would that only lock in the thieves and vandals, giving them a heyday?

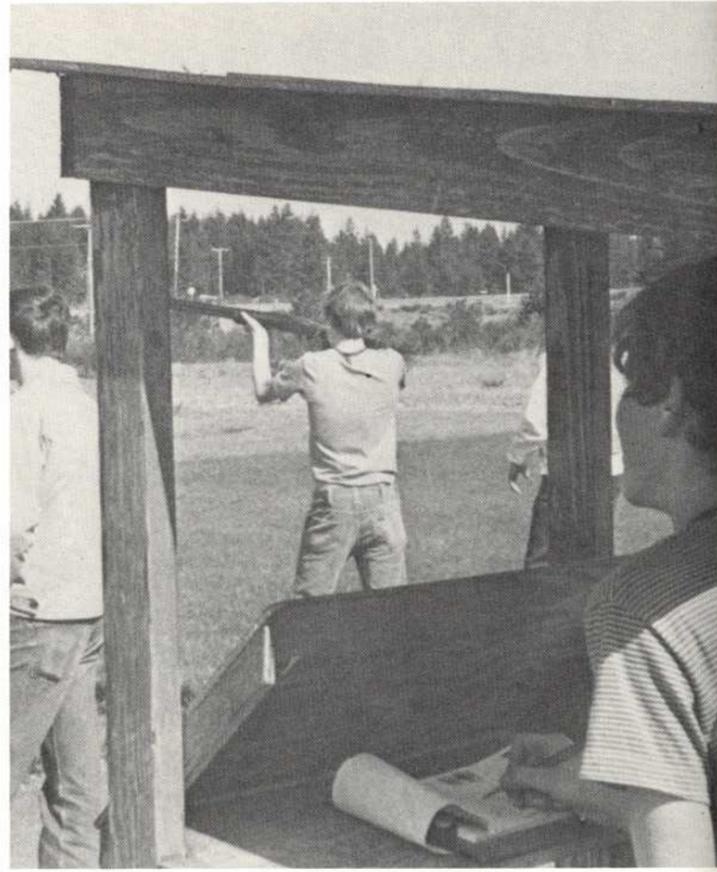
The question has been posed. How you answer it, if you choose to do so, is left up to you.

# Mini Courses

Right: Rocketing proved to be a blast.  
Below: With homemade kites the lesson proved not only fun, but somewhat knowledgable.



Above: Motorcycle riding was a change from the everyday grind, except for the sitting down bit like Dan Thompson.  
Left: Keeping a watchful eye on other shooters (except photographer).

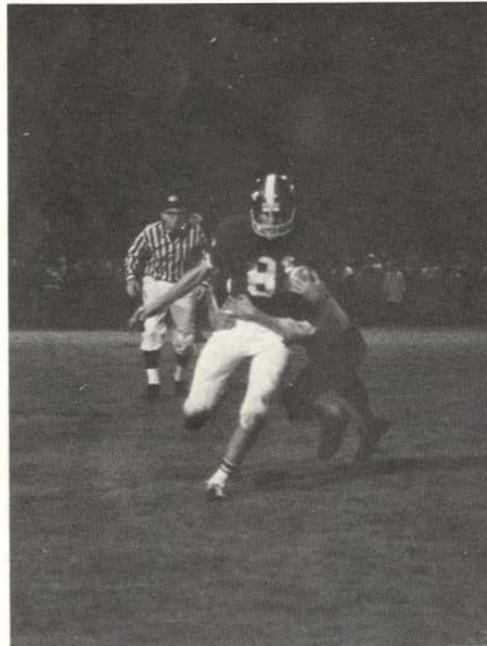


Top right: Shooter takes aim.  
Above: Learning lighting techniques  
for drama.  
Right: Stage band held practice dur-  
ing mini-course week.

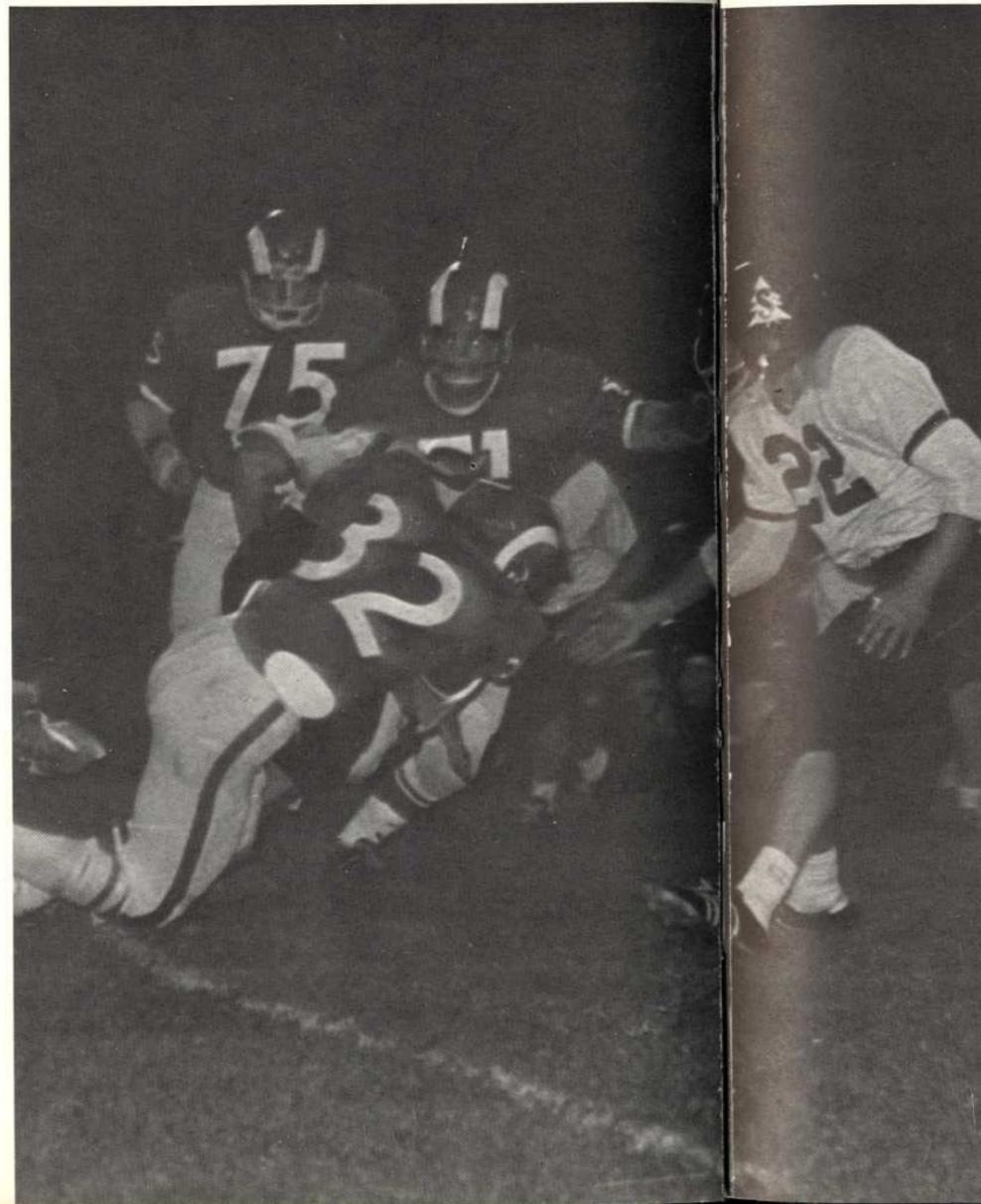


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# Football



Top: Get that ball from him Ram!  
 Above: Going for a touchdown.  
 Right: We're ready for anything!

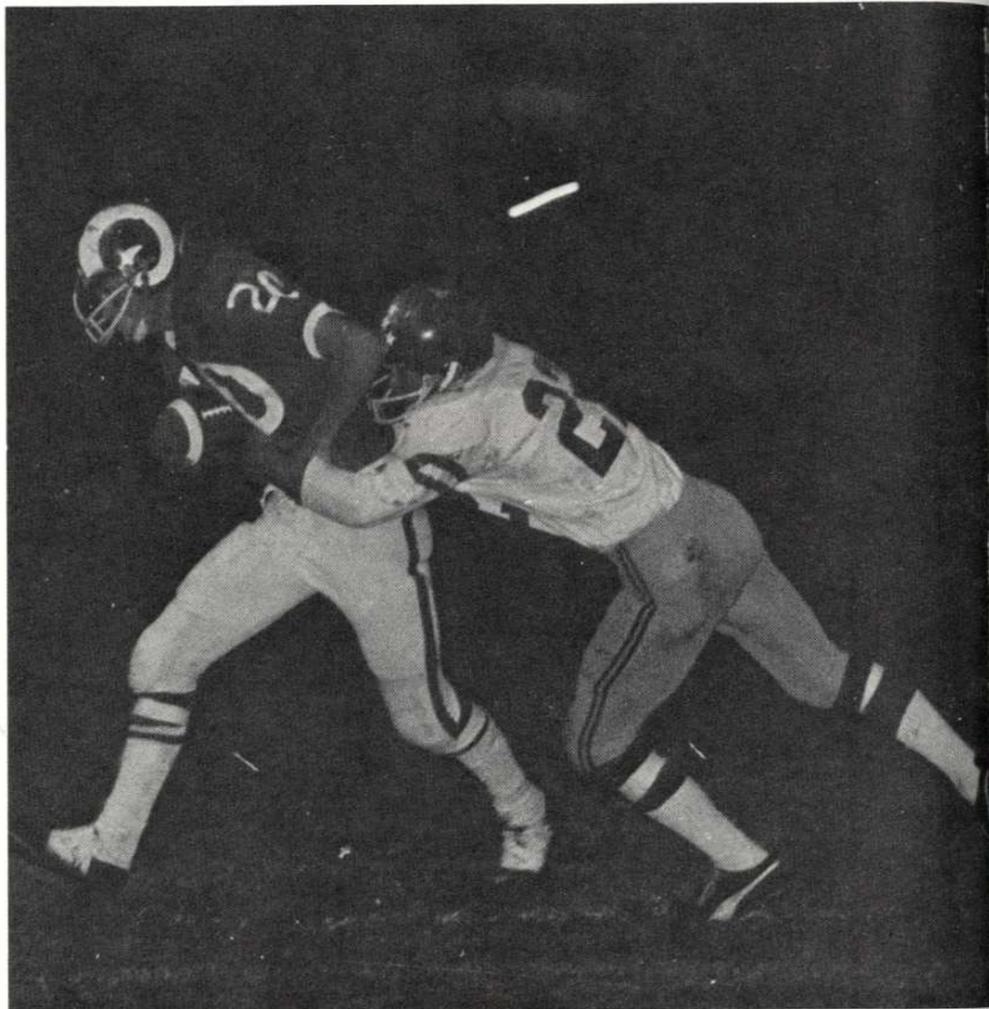


Top Left: Who can get the ball first?  
 Top Right: Mr. Olson assistant coach, Mr. Van Horn assistant coach, Mr. Fouts Coach, Mr. B. Anderson assistant coach, Mr. MacDonald assistant coach.  
 Above: Come on! You can do it Rams!

### Varsity Football Standings

North Thurston	13	Timberline	6
North Thurston	7	Shelton	21
North Thurston	12	Washington	14
North Thurston	6	Shelton	26
North Thurston	18	Tumwater	6
North Thurston	6	Centralia	20
North Thurston	6	Elma	6
North Thurston	21	Timberline	6

Below: Rich McCallum tries to get loose from opponents grasp.



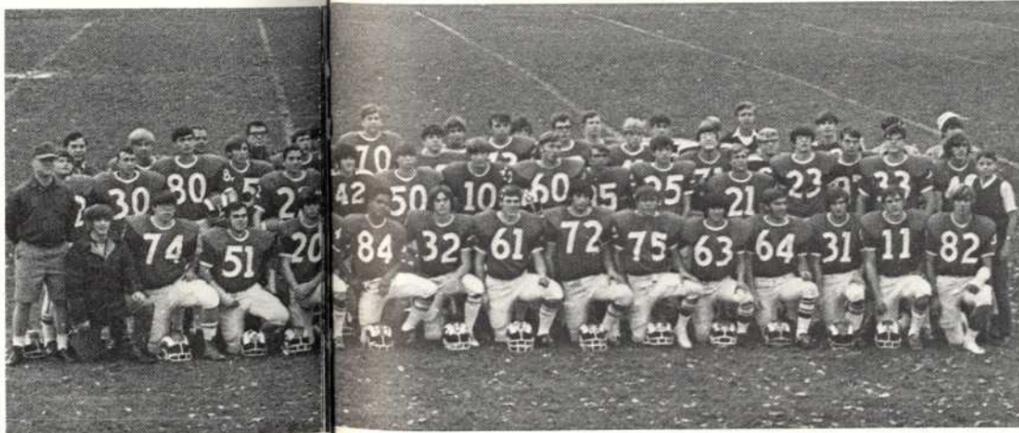
Left: Don't fall now!  
Below: Varsity Football Award winners, Rich McCallum Co-Captain, Chip Wilson Courage, Craig Brown Inspirational, Co-Captain, and Defense, Rod Aries Hustle and Offense, Mike Chitwood Coaches Award.



Left: Charging Rams!  
Below Left: Football Team takes time out to pose for RAMBLER photographer.

Junior Varsity Standings

North Thurston	28	Tumwater	26
North Thurston	0	Shelton	41
North Thurston	6	Aberdeen	39
North Thurston	18	Elma	60
North Thurston	0	Centralia	8
North Thurston	14	Olympia	27
North Thurston	6	Chehalis	14
North Thurston	16	Timberline	8



Far Right: A friendly game of attack.  
 Right: Mr. Keller, Mr. Bolton, Frosh Coaches; Skip Scoggin, Frosh Inspirational; Dave Kirk, J.V. Inspirational.  
 Below: All Fall Down!



Above: A mad scramble.  
 Right: Tom Davis begins a pass.



Below: Coaches Brian Anderson, Dennis McDonald



Above: All the way for a touchdown.

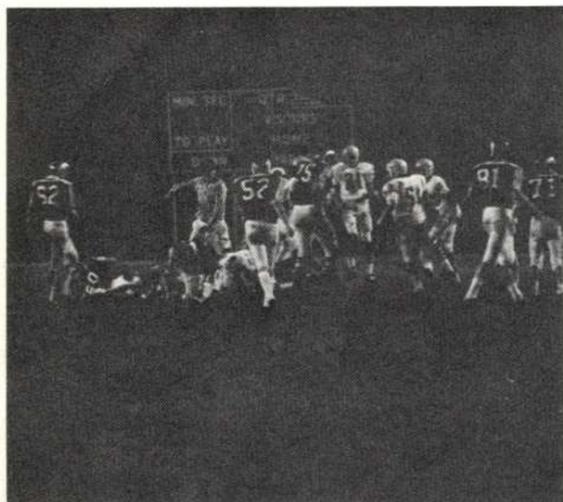


Above: A mad charge for the ball.

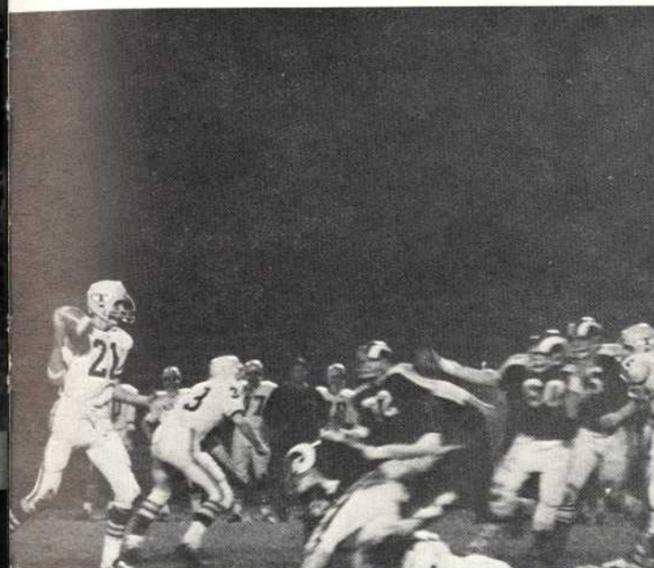
FROSH FOOTBALL STANDINGS

North Thurston	6	Centralia	0
North Thurston	12	Jefferson	6
North Thurston	8	Tumwater	12
North Thurston	6	Chehalis	28
North Thurston	0	Washington	30
North Thurston	6	Timberline	41

Top Right: You ok down there?  
 Top Left: Anxious to hear ref's decision.  
 Bottom: I'll get him from the front and you  
 sneak up from behind!



Left: Senior Class committee; hall decoration  
 winners.  
 Below: Kathy McMahon showed spirit by  
 riding a bike and buying spirit ribbons  
 during Pep Week.



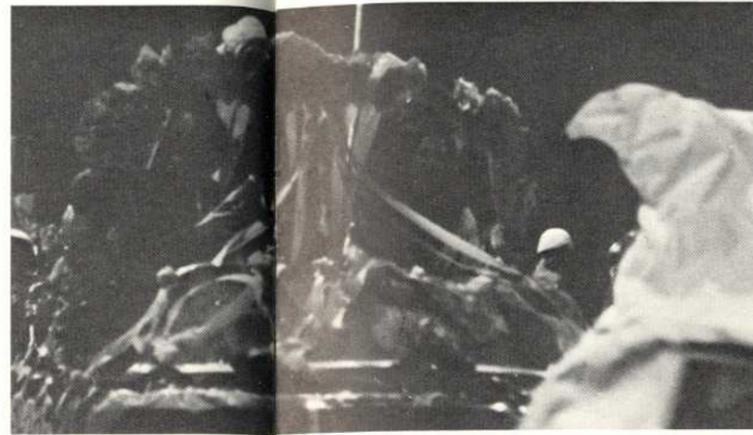
Above Left: A frenzied Homecoming game.  
 Left: Homecoming Queen Frances Ayers and Escort Kenan Conte.



Pep Week is the week devoted to the students, in which they show their pep and spirit for their big Homecoming Game. At the beginning of the week, the students showed a lack of participation, but by the end of the week the excitement for the game was shown by the hall decorations with the Seniors winning the hall competition.

# Pep Week & Homecoming

Below: Sophomore princess, Kathy Ryan and escort, Tom Davis.



Left: Crazy lady trying to color herself.



Right: A hard tackle.



Above: 1971-72 Homecoming Court; Freshman Princess LuVena Helton, Escort Jim Winders, Junior Princess Shelley Greene, Escort Dennis McKinley; Queen Frances Ayers, King Kenan Conte; Senior Princess Marlisa Johnson, Escort Dick Hollinger; Sophomore princess Kathy Ryan, Escort Tom Davis.

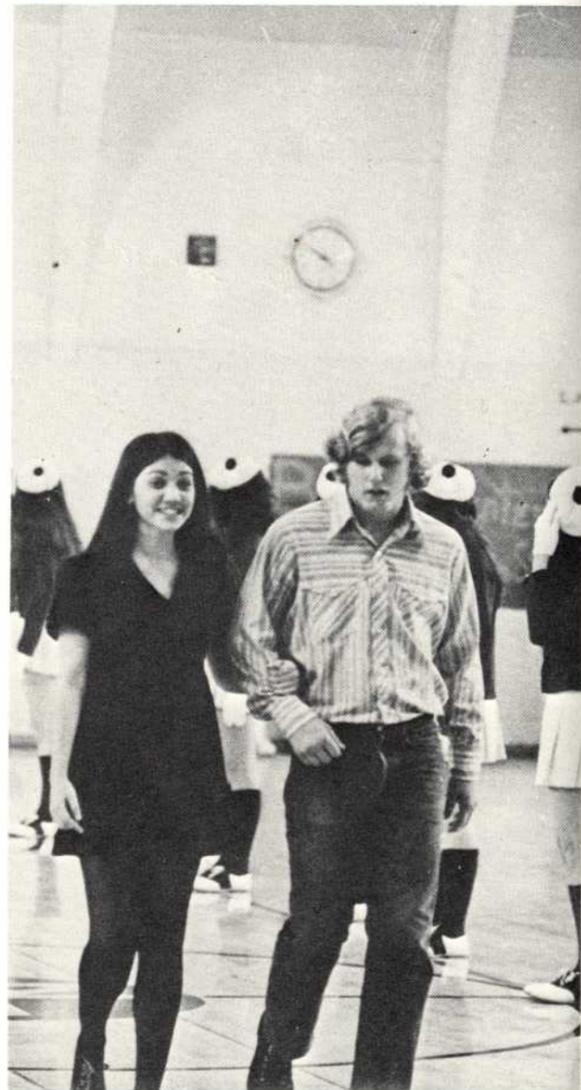
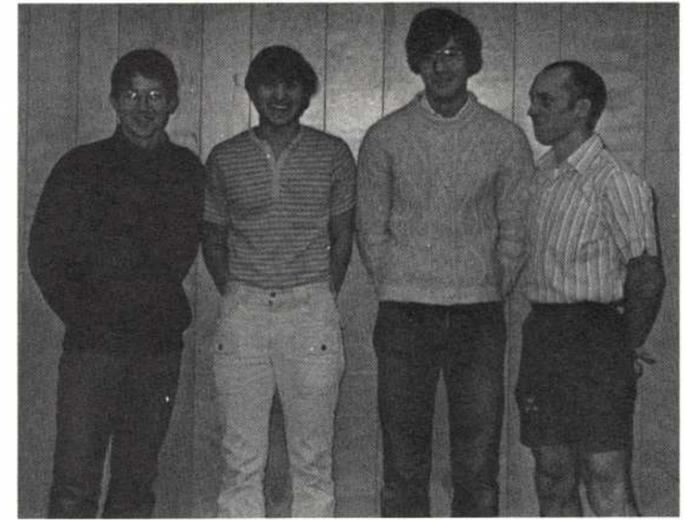
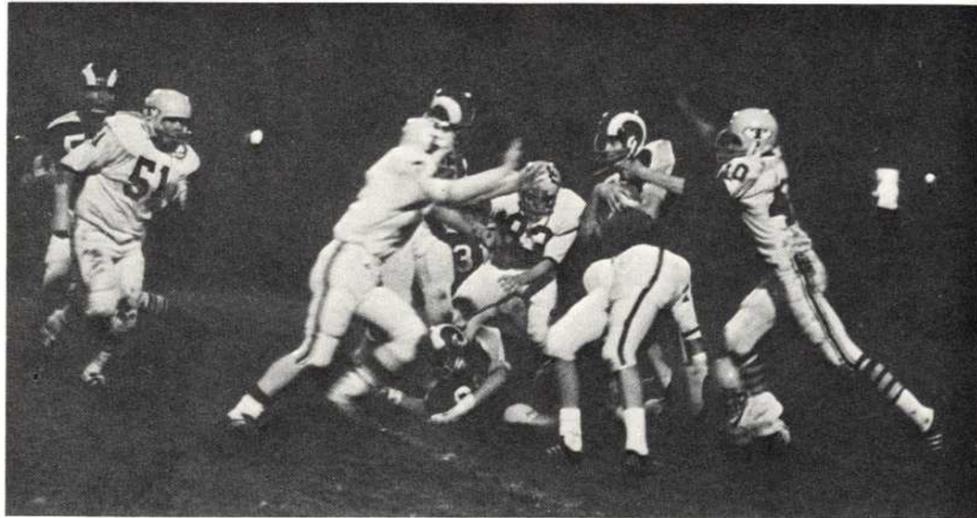
Left: Second place hall decoration winners; sophomores.

Right: A flurried moment in the Homecoming game to try to stop the Rams.

Middle: A crucial moment: Timberline has the football.

Bottom Left: Royalty takes to the dance floor.

Bottom Right: Excitement aroused at the news of senior escort.



Top Left: Gordy Williams and Del De Tray practicing for their team.  
 Top Right: Paul Ebben, Coaches Award; Eddie Hernandez, Inspirational Award; and Andy Moniz, Most Valuable Player; Mr. Albee, Coach.  
 Middle Left: Russ Ford trying for a goal.  
 Middle Right: Mr. Albee, Coach.  
 Left: Gordy Williams after the ball, with Jim Dugan and Mike Brown on defense.

# Soccer

Below: Randy Allsup going after the ball.



Above: Jim Dugan and opponent practicing ballet.  
Right: A bit of head stragety.



Above Left. Gordy Williams trying for a victory.  
Above: Soccer Team with Coach Albee.  
Left: Andy Moniz blocking a goal.

## Soccer Standings

North Thurston	3	Overlake	0
North Thurston	0	Lakeside	5
North Thurston	4	Charles Wright Academy	2
North Thurston	1	Olympia	2
North Thurston	2	Timberline	4
North Thurston	5	Overlake	1
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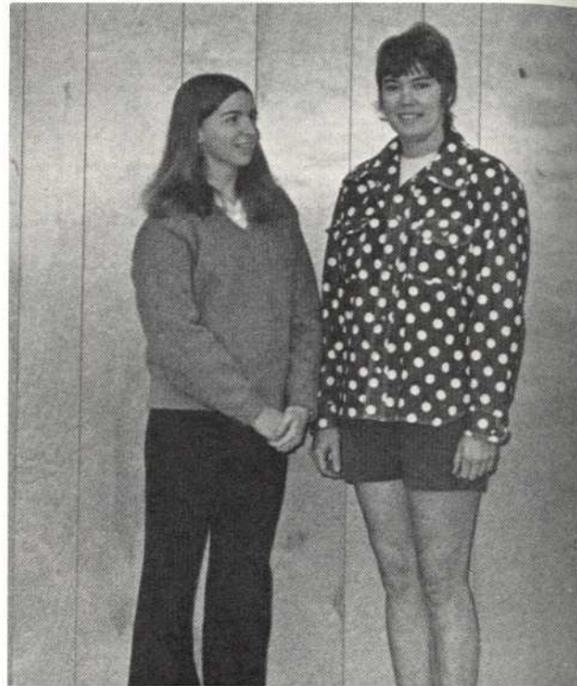
# Girls Tennis

## GIRLS TENNIS STANDINGS

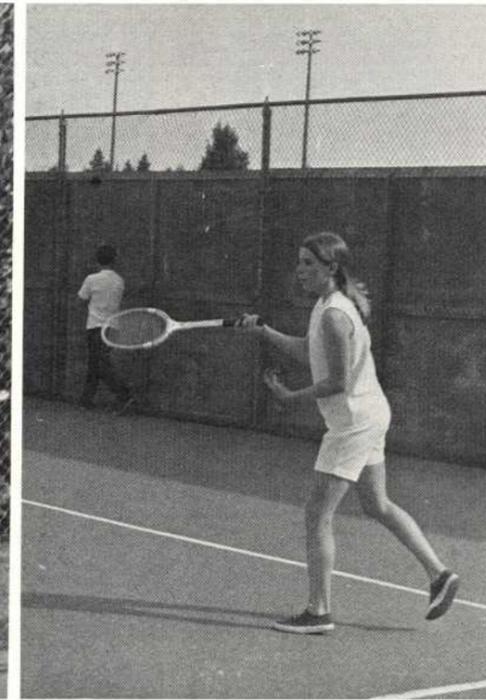
North Thurston	4	Tumwater	1
North Thurston	2	Shelton	3
North Thurston	3	Aberdeen	2
North Thurston	3	Elma	2
North Thurston	2	Centralia	3
North Thurston	2	Olympia	3
North Thurston	5	Chehalis	0
North Thurston	3	Hoquiam	1-1
North Thurston	5	Timberline	0



Above: Girls Tennis Team and coach, Miss O'Kelly.

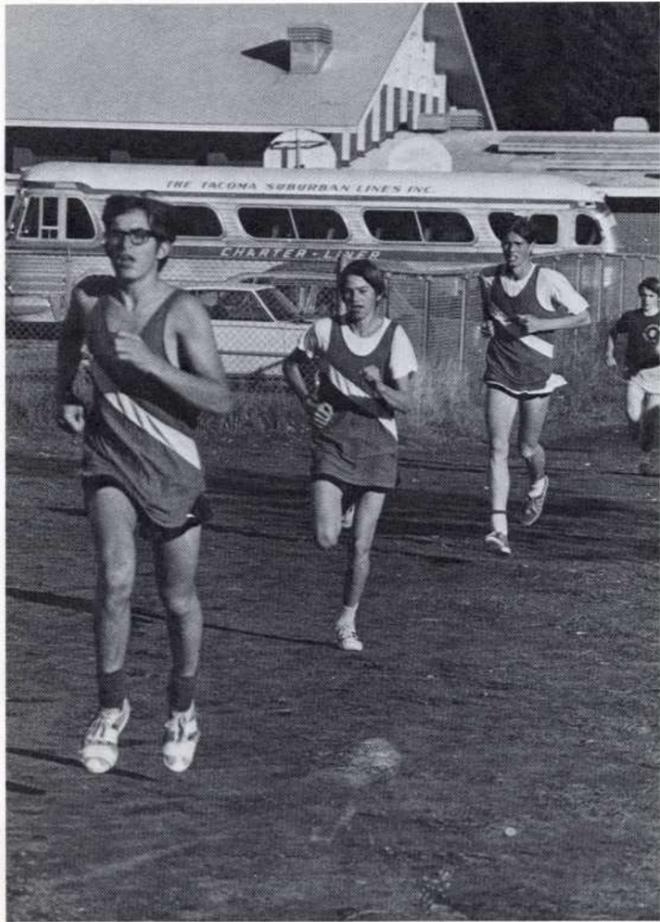


Top: Sue Wills Inspirational Player and Miss O'Kelly coach.  
Above: *RAMBLER* photographer captures Evie Lupher on film.



Top Left: Joan Dorian  
Top Center: Sue Wills  
Top Right: Evie Lupher  
Left: Sue Wills slings a hard one!



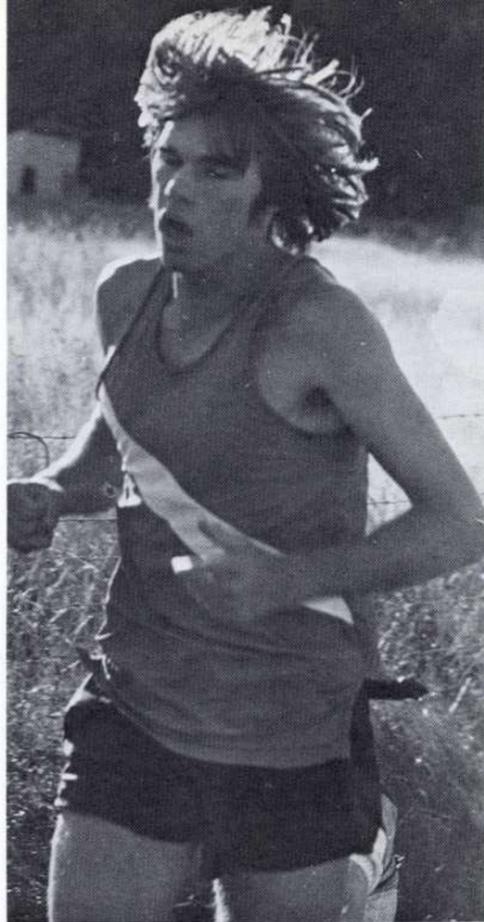


Above: Cross Country Team hard at work.

Cross Country Standings

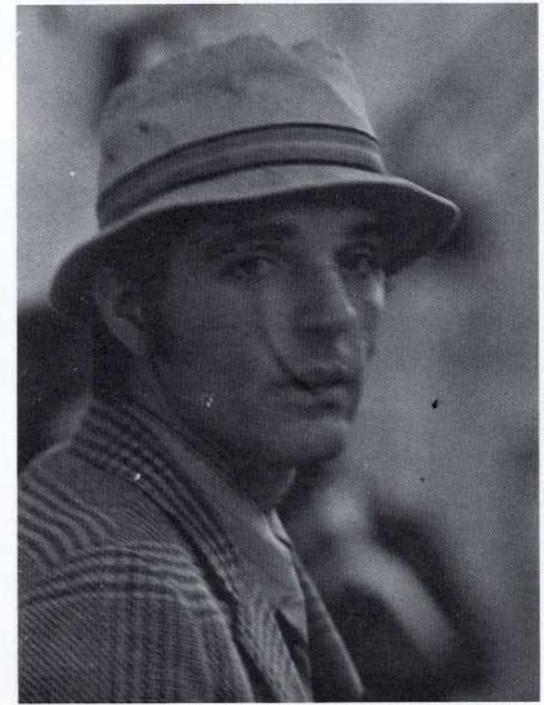
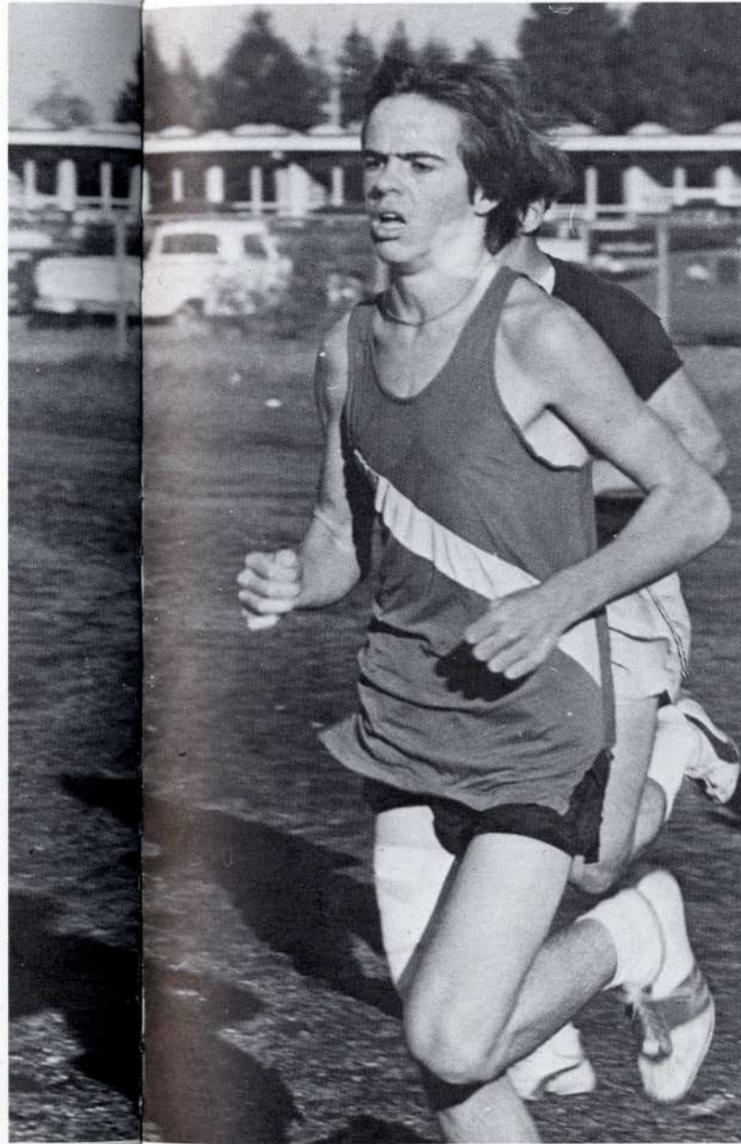
North Thurston	37	Tumwater	18
North Thurston	43	Shelton	17
North Thurston	50	Aberdeen	15
North Thurston	31	Elma	26
North Thurston	47	Centralia	15
North Thurston	50	Olympia	15
North Thurston	50	Chehalis	15
North Thurston	30	Hoquiam	25
North Thurston	42	Timberline	19

Right: Spectators watch Chuck Swartz lead the pack at the District Meet.



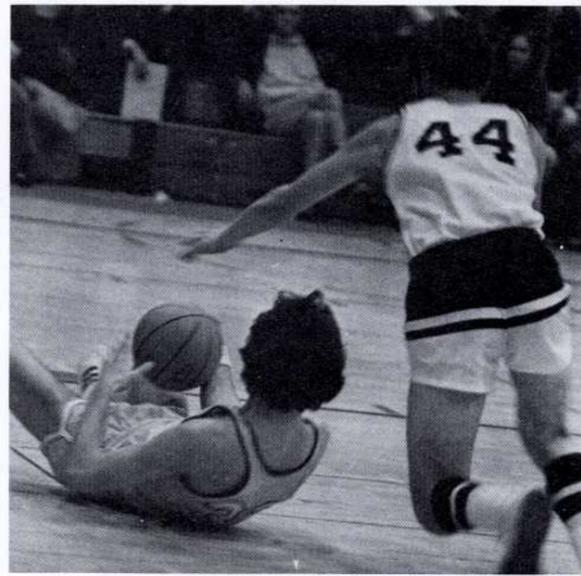
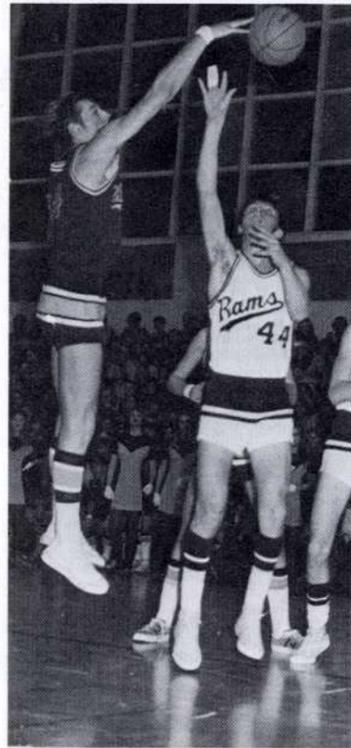
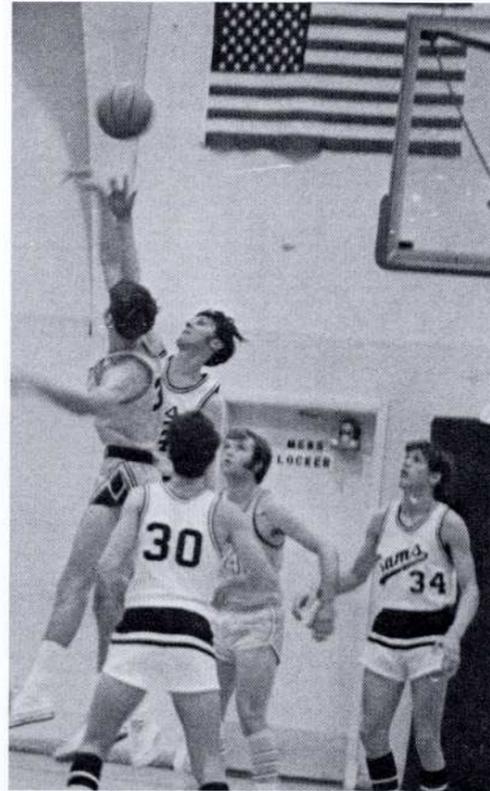
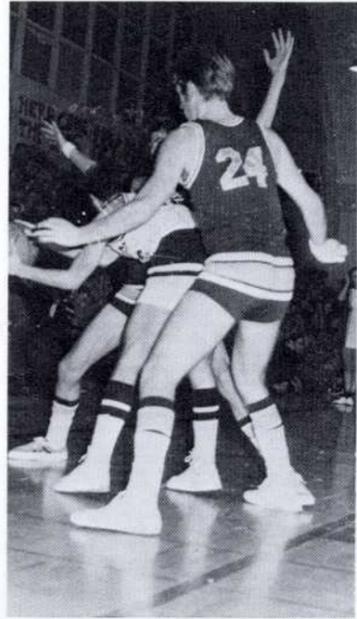
## Cross Country

Left: Rick Jones trying hard to make a win.  
Below: Allen Odell; Most Inspirational.



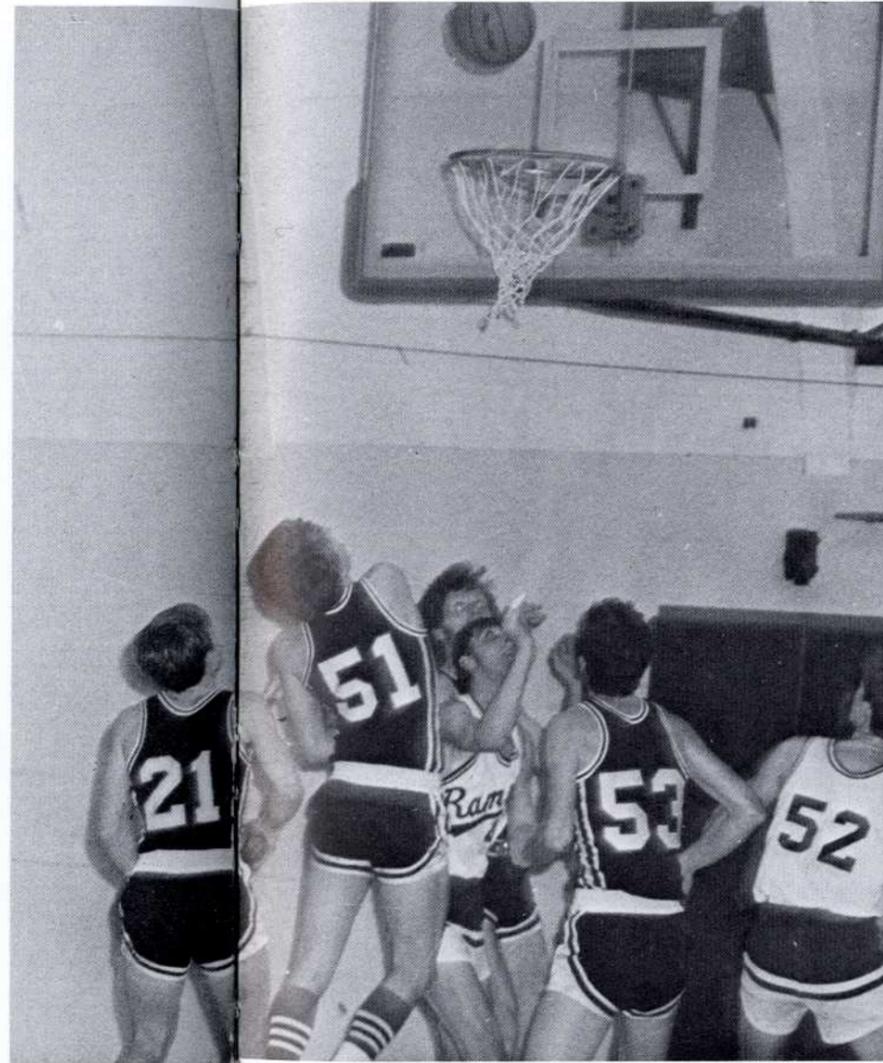
Top: Don Saylor; practice makes perfect.  
Above: Cross Country coach, Mr. DoBosz  
Left: J.V. and Varsity Cross Country Team.

Below: Surrounded by the enemy.  
Right: Rams with the jump ball.

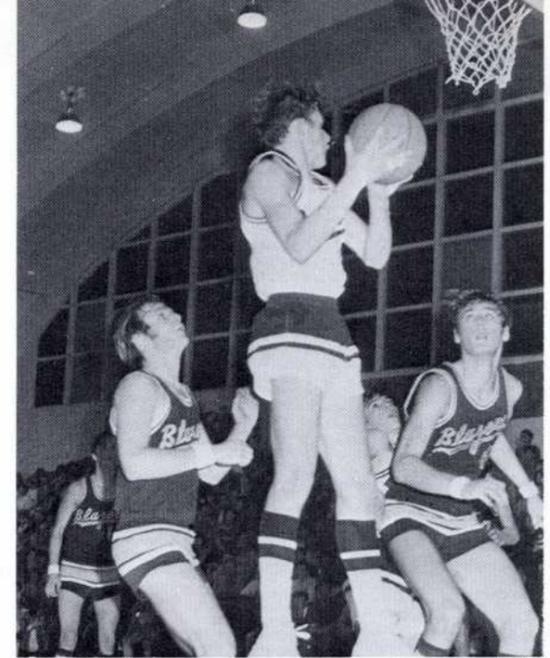


Left: Neil Springer attempts to block a shot.  
Above: Springer goes for loose ball.

## VARSITY BASKETBALL



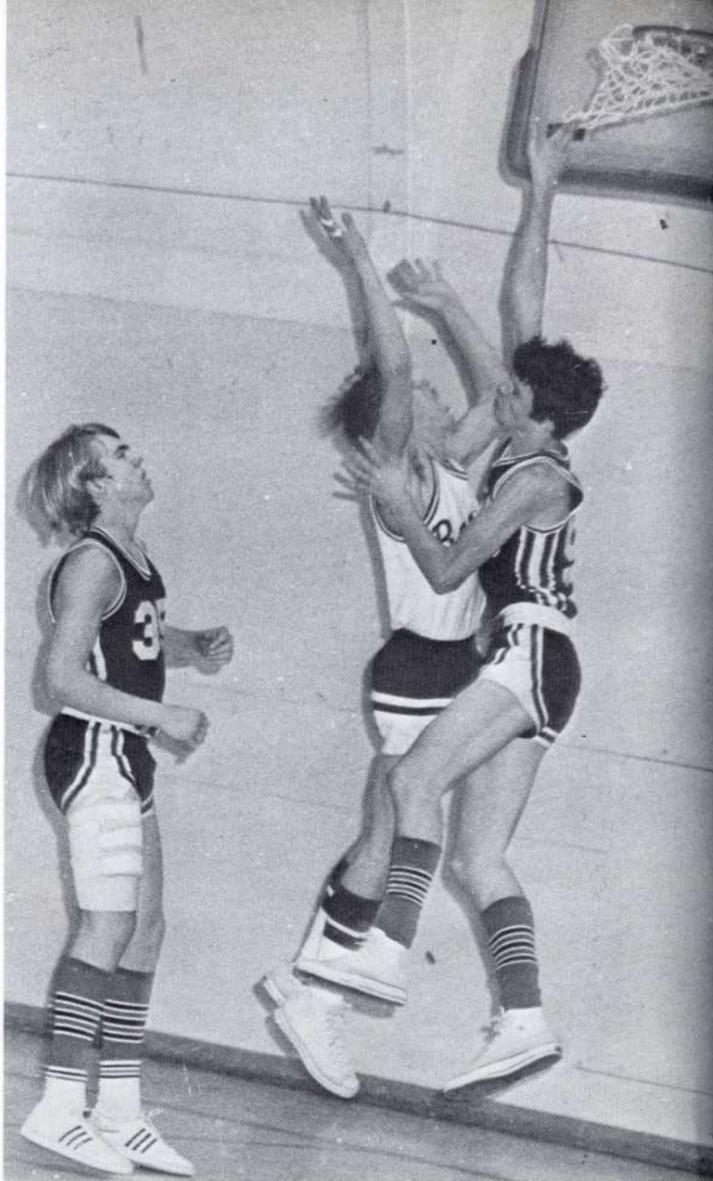
Above: Rams position for rebound  
Top right: Brad Flaherty with the rebound  
Above right: Cheerleaders generate spirit



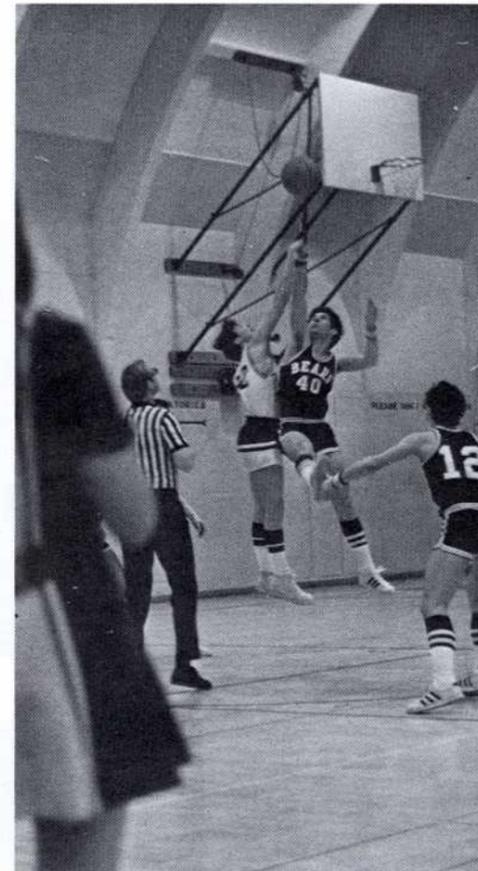
The Rams began the '71-'72 season with a completely new and inexperienced squad, with the exception of one lone letterman. A tough schedule found the Rams facing such formidable foes as Lincoln of Tacoma and Aberdeen, for the first two games. Lacking the height and depth we have had in the past, the Rams did the best they could against overpowering odds. However, as the season progressed, the odds seemed to change and the Rams were a match for even the best teams in the league.

### VARSITY BASKETBALL STANDINGS

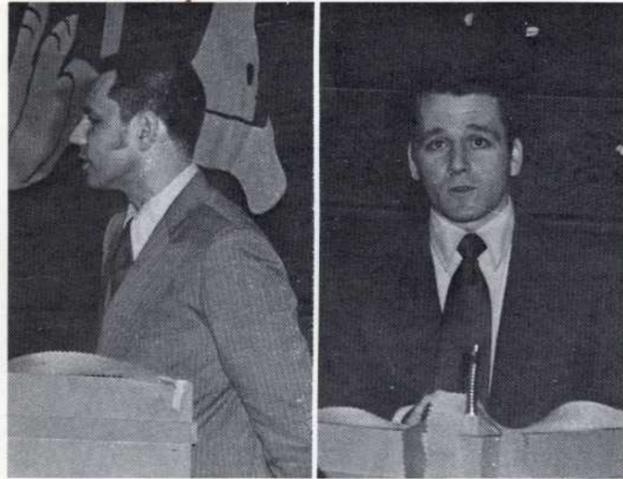
North Thurston	54	Lincoln	100
North Thurston	57	Aberdeen	84
North Thurston	75	Chehalis	77
North Thurston	71	Tumwater	81
North Thurston	57	Hoquiam	70
North Thurston	58	Olympia	83
North Thurston	65	Central Kitsap	71
North Thurston	58	Shelton	62
North Thurston	73	Centralia	85
North Thurston	64	Timberline	78
North Thurston	64	Chehalis	58
North Thurston	51	Tumwater	46
North Thurston	62	Aberdeen	70
North Thurston	52	Hoquiam	65
North Thurston	62	Olympia	64
North Thurston	49	Elma	81
North Thurston	56	Shelton	63
North Thurston	60	Centralia	78
North Thurston	59	Timberline	63
North Thurston	40	Elma	56



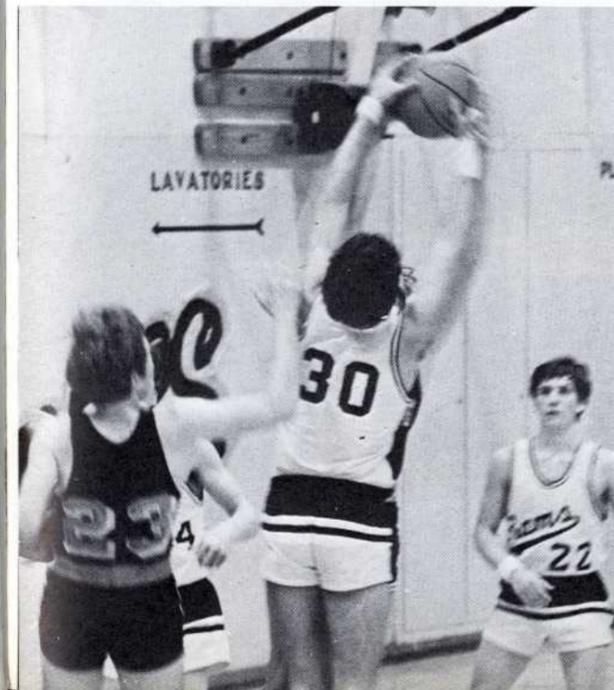
Left: Flaherty fouled while shooting.  
Below: Doug Ponzoha fighting for rebound.



Throughout the season the Rams were plagued by injuries. After the first game Ram forward, Neil Springer, fractured his finger and was out for the first half of the season. Just as Springer recovered, another player, Gordy Williams was injured in an accident involving a printing press. Following Williams, Brad Flaherty hurt his knee during the away Elma game and Dan Ferris broke his arm in the Timberline game leaving the Rams at half strength throughout most of the season.



Above: Varsity Coach Mr. Anderson, J.V. Coach Mr. Koval.  
Right: Varsity basketball team members.

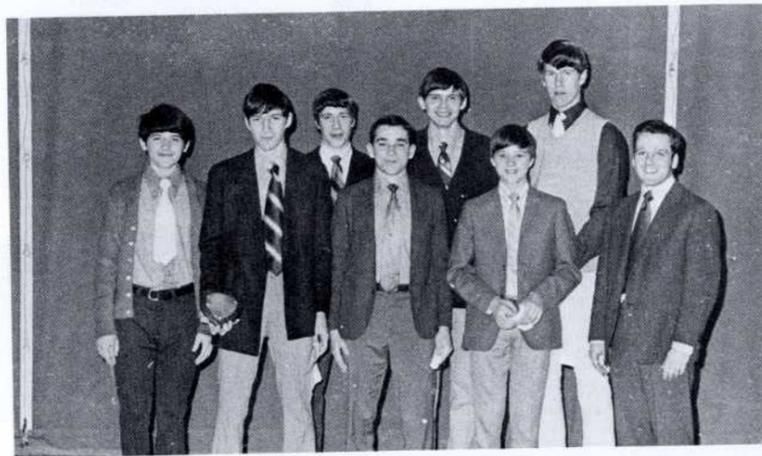


Top Right: Fans give Rams their support.  
Above: Varsity award winners.  
Left: Gordy Williams battles Centralia man for rebound.

# J.V. Basketball

## J. V. BASKETBALL STANDINGS

North Thurston	31	Lincoln	93
North Thurston	30	Aberdeen	78
North Thurston	27	Chehalis	35
North Thurston	25	Tumwater	52
North Thurston	40	Hoquiam	56
North Thurston	14	Olympia	65
North Thurston	27	Central Kitsap	49
North Thurston	38	Shelton	72
North Thurston	25	Centralia	74
North Thurston	54	Timberline	51
North Thurston	43	Chehalis	36
North Thurston	40	Tumwater	58
North Thurston	33	Aberdeen	87
North Thurston	35	Hoquiam	56
North Thurston	13	Olympia	66
North Thurston	53	Elma	83
North Thurston	30	Shelton	84
North Thurston	39	Centralia	65
North Thurston	29	Timberline	57
North Thurston	42	Elma	77



Above: J.V. basketball team.  
Right: J.V. award winner, Joe Pitt.  
Far right: Rams battle for rebound.



# Freshman Basketball

Left: Dave Wall, 30, goes up for a shot.  
Below: Frosh award winner, Kevin Boyer.



## FRESHMEN BASKETBALL STANDINGS

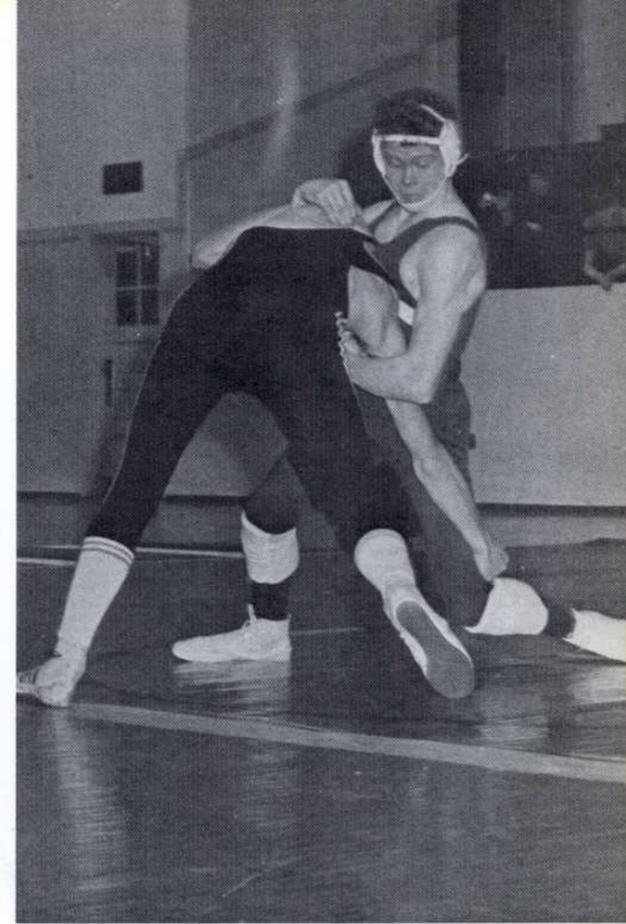
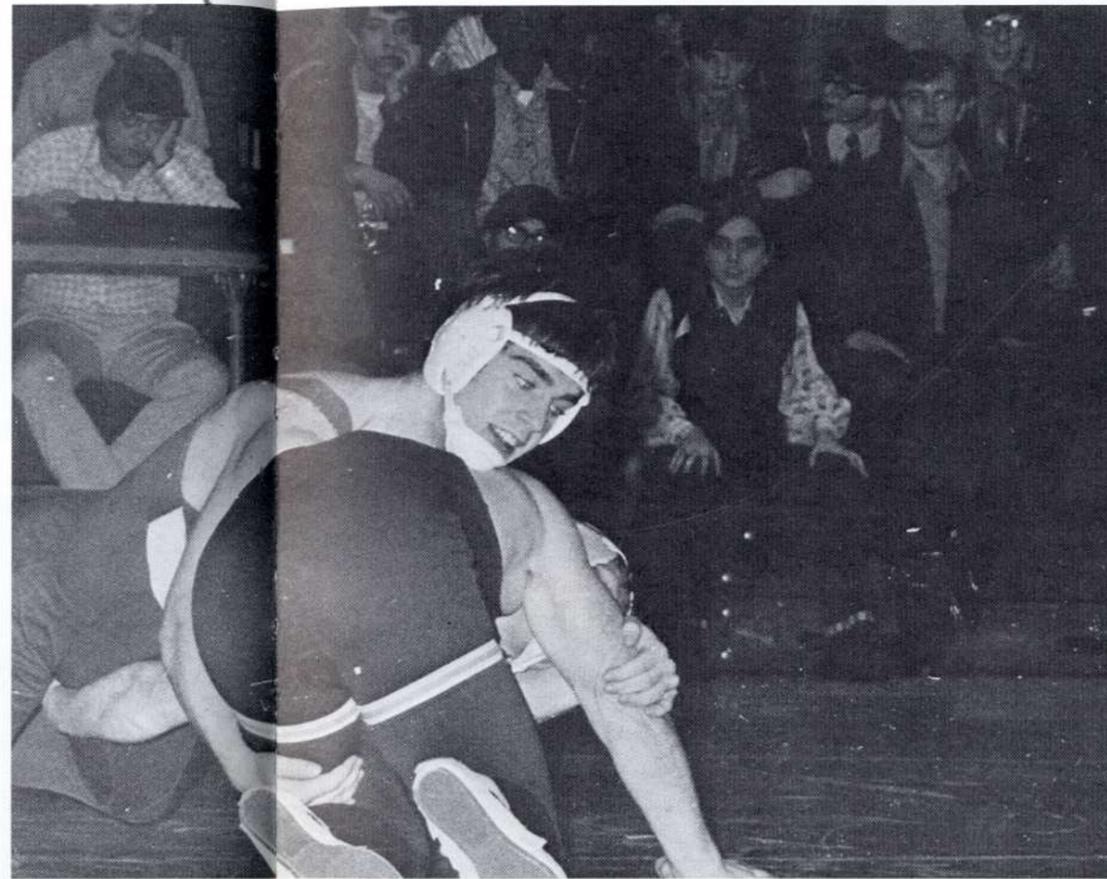
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North Thurston	52	Reeves	60
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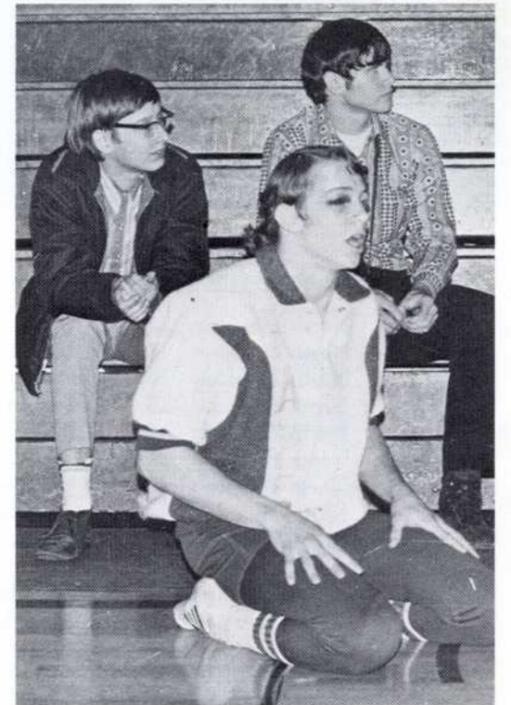
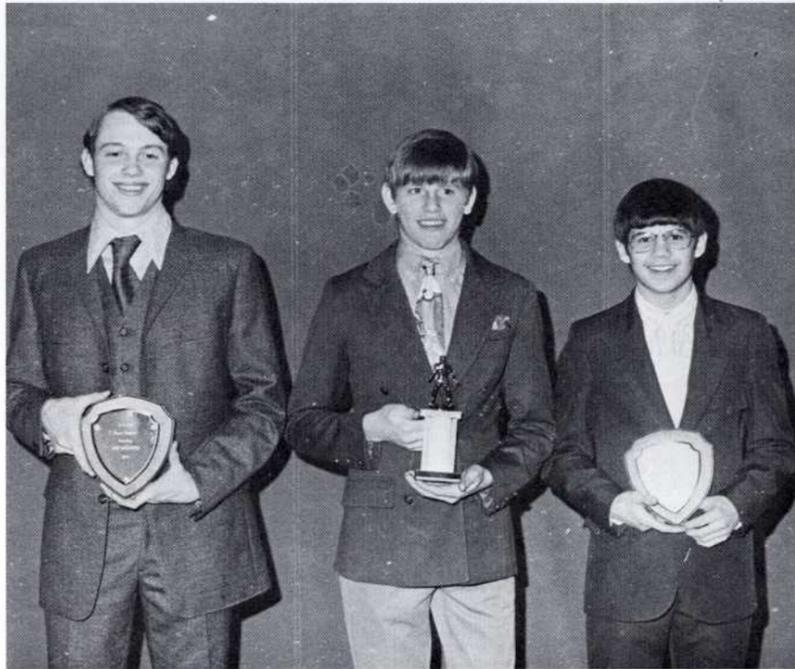
Above: Freshmen team members.  
Left: Frosh coach, Mr. Keller.



# Wrestling



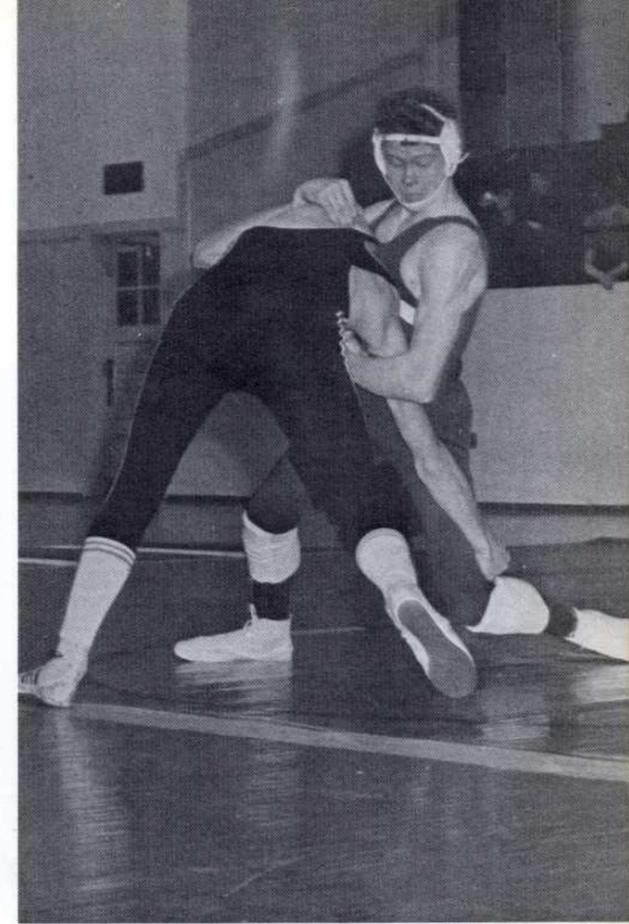
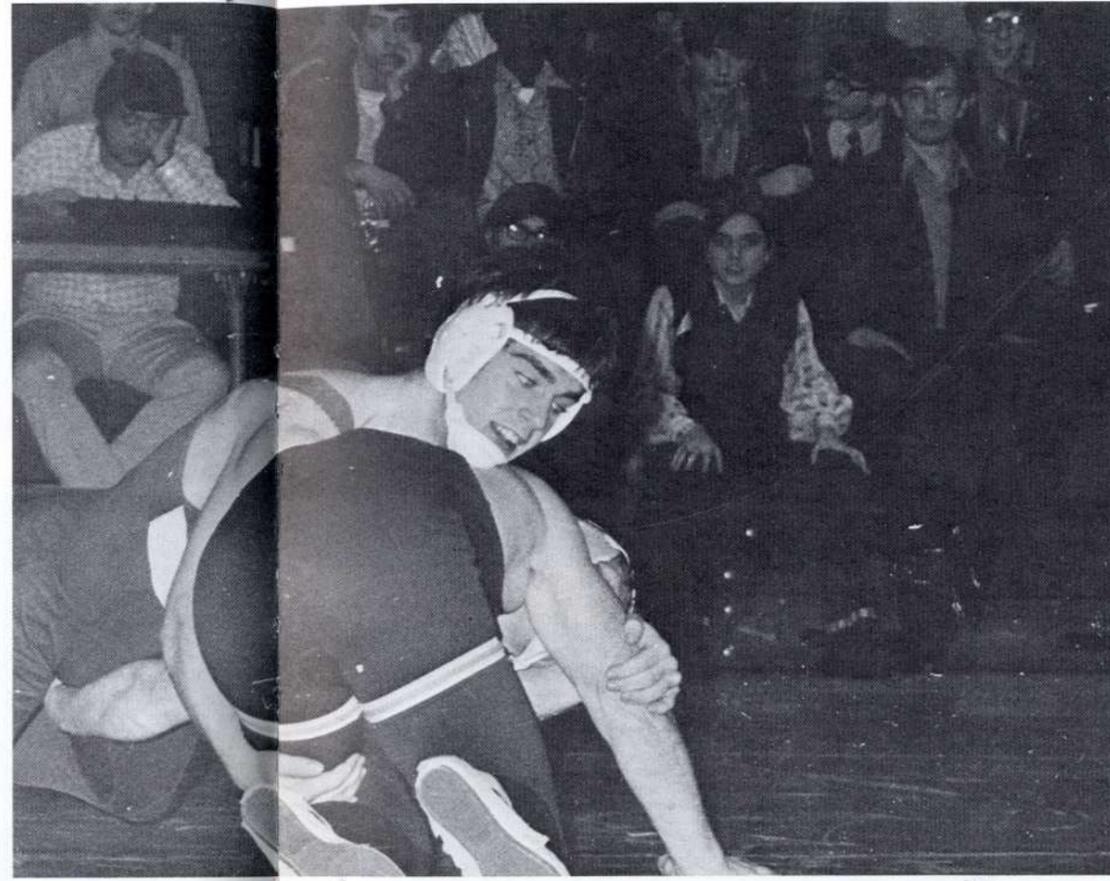
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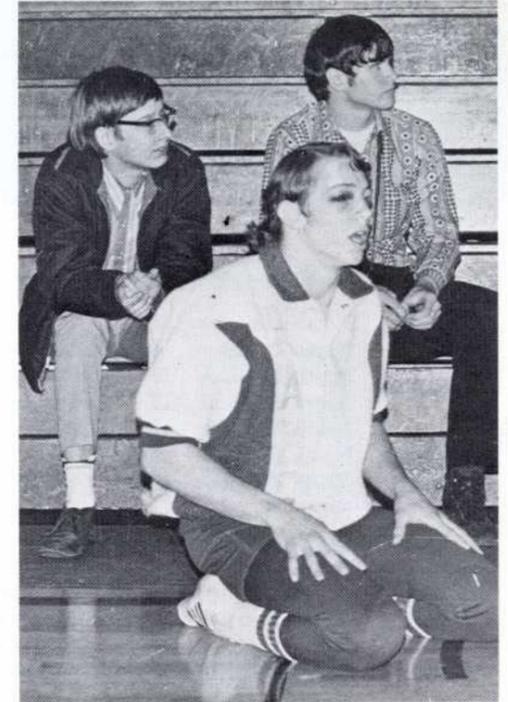
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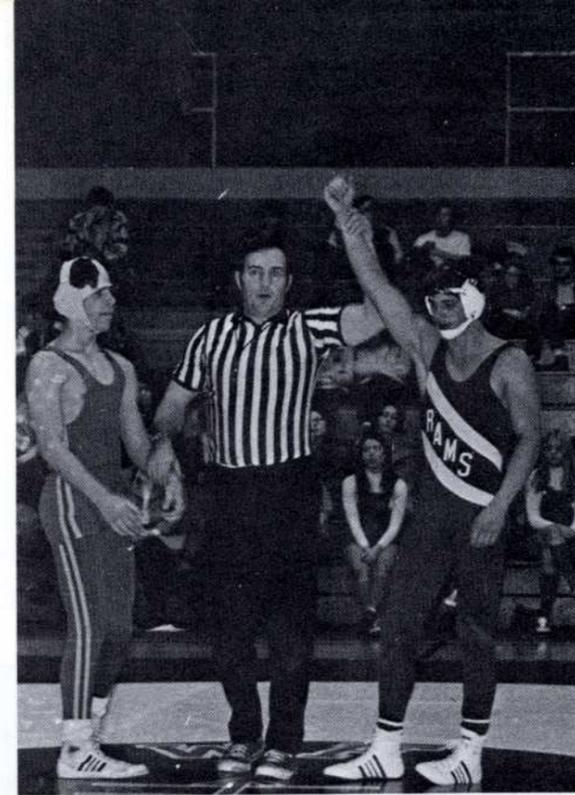
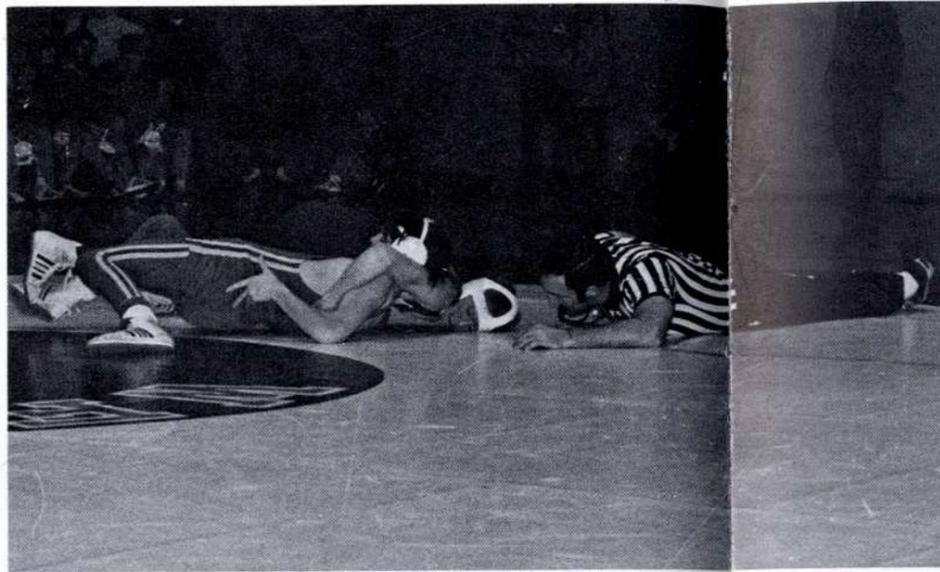
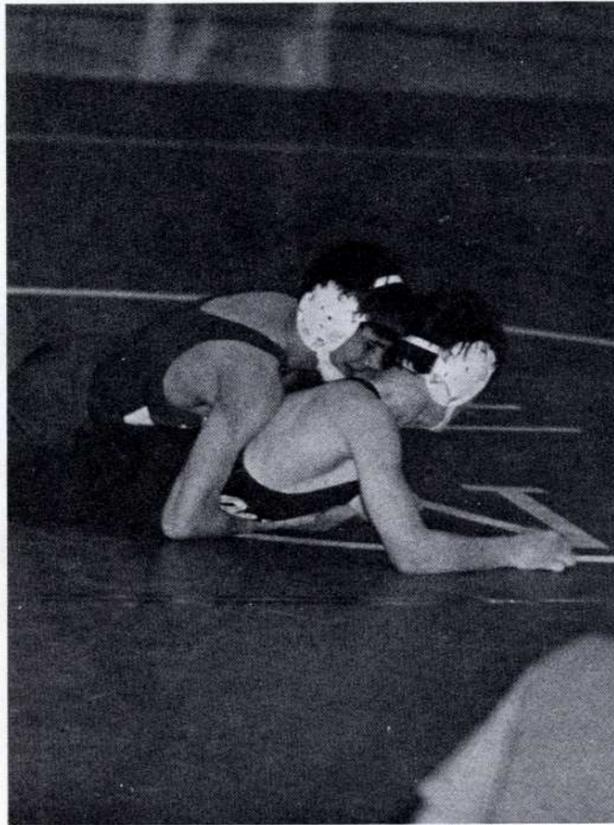
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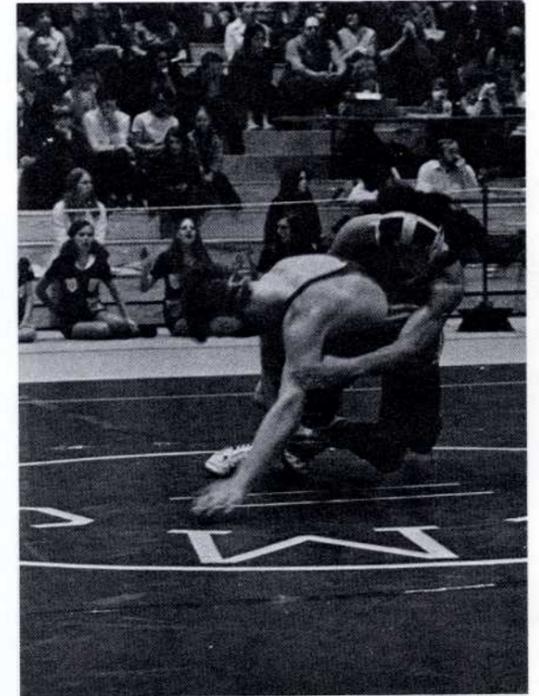
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Right: Paul Minnitti has his Bearcat down for the count.  
Below: Mike McLaughlin rides his Eagle.

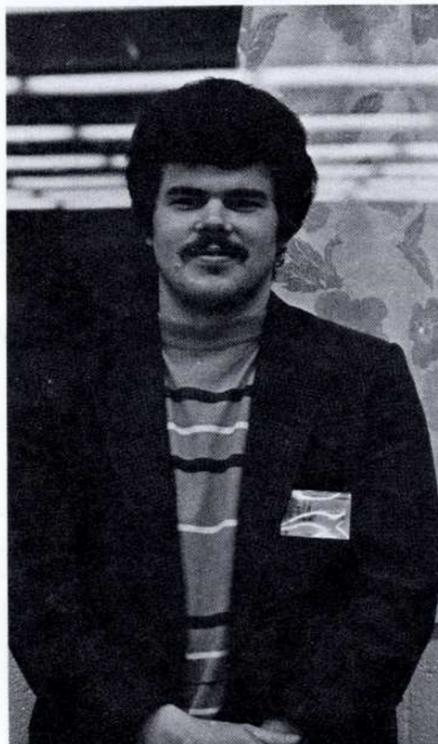


Left: Victorious Oral Ostrander.  
Below: Art Doughty drives Eagle in mat.

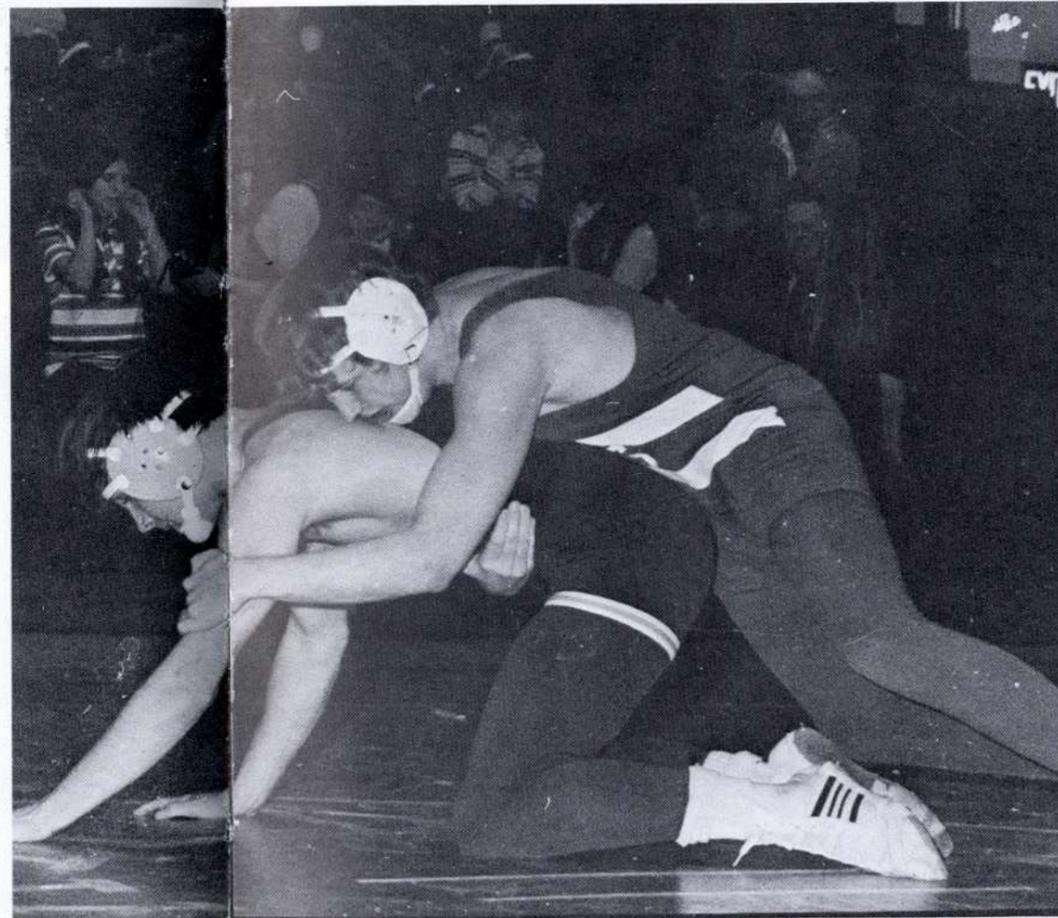


VARSIITY WRESTLING STANDINGS

North Thurston	22	Bethel	42
North Thurston	18	Franklin Pierce	48
North Thurston	14	Tumwater	47
North Thurston	18	Renton	43
North Thurston	14	Shelton	48
North Thurston	29	North Kitsap	26
North Thurston	19	Aberdeen	33
North Thurston	17	Centralia	44
North Thurston	23	Washington	33
North Thurston	13	Elma	37
North Thurston	12	Peninsula	52
North Thurston	0	Olympia	57
North Thurston	18	Timberline	36
North Thurston	12	Chehalis	37
North Thurston	28	Hoquiam	27



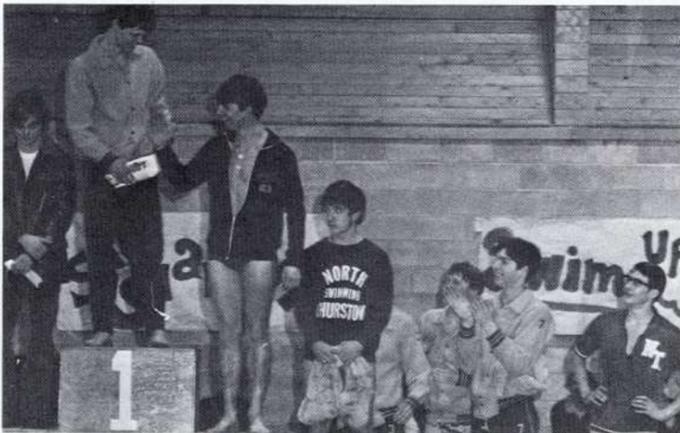
Above: Coach Fellstrom  
Right: Merle Frosie (Frosty) on top in Blazer bout.



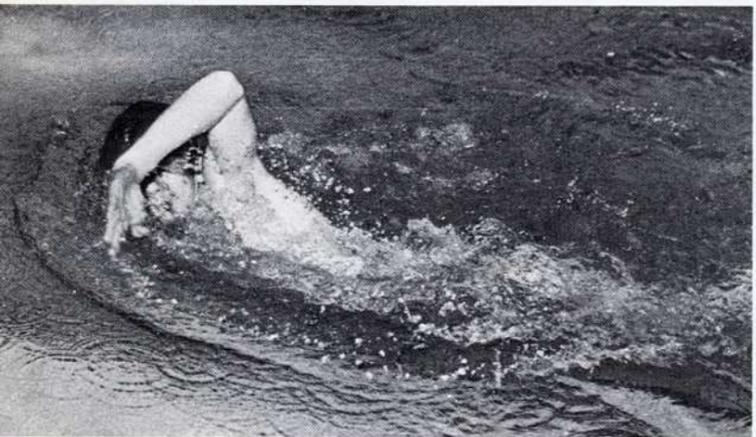


## Swimming

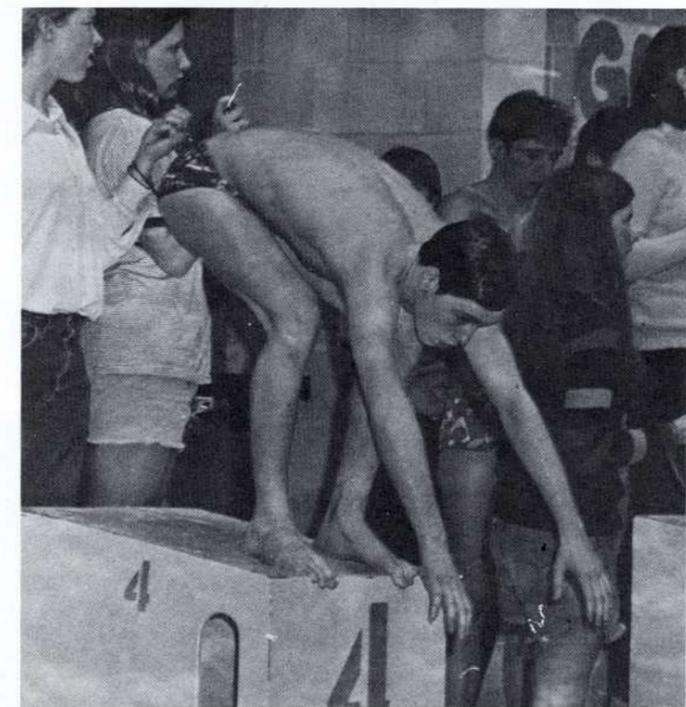
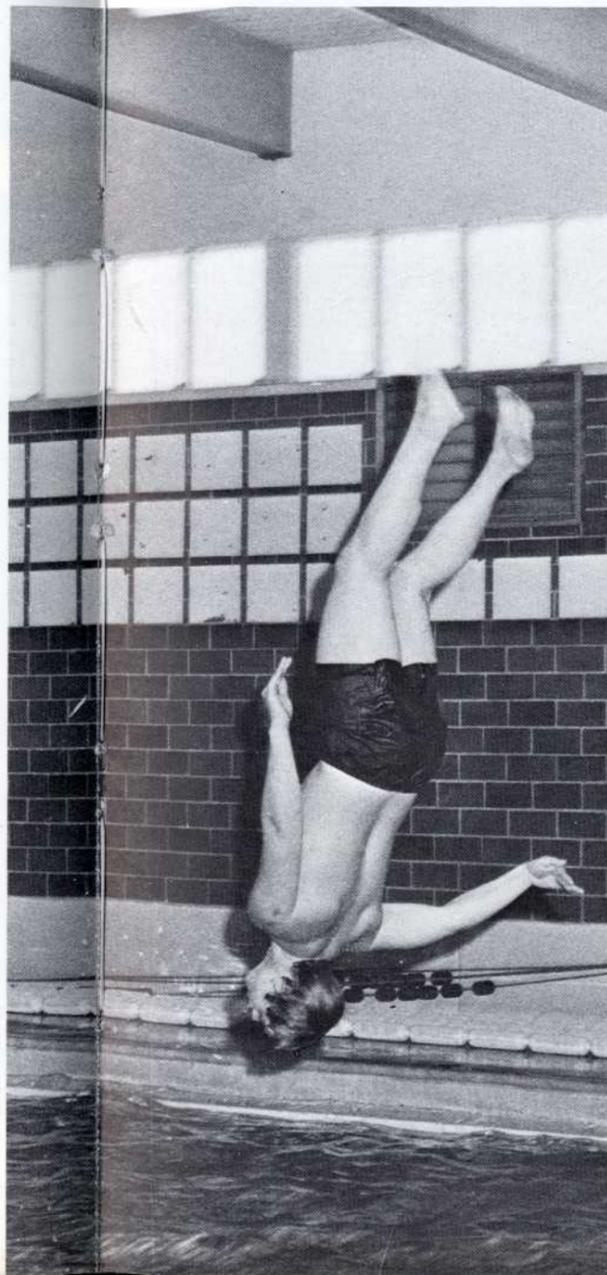
Left: Swimmers come up for air and pose for a picture.  
 Below Left: Taking a sudden plunge.  
 Below: Mark Linn gets a little shove from behind.



Right: Steve does it again!  
 Above Right: Mark Linn shows his style.



Above: Ram Swimmer gets it on in the home stretch.  
 Right: Swimmers performed well under the critical eye of Advisor Mr. Ayers.



### VARSITY SWIM TEAM STANDINGS

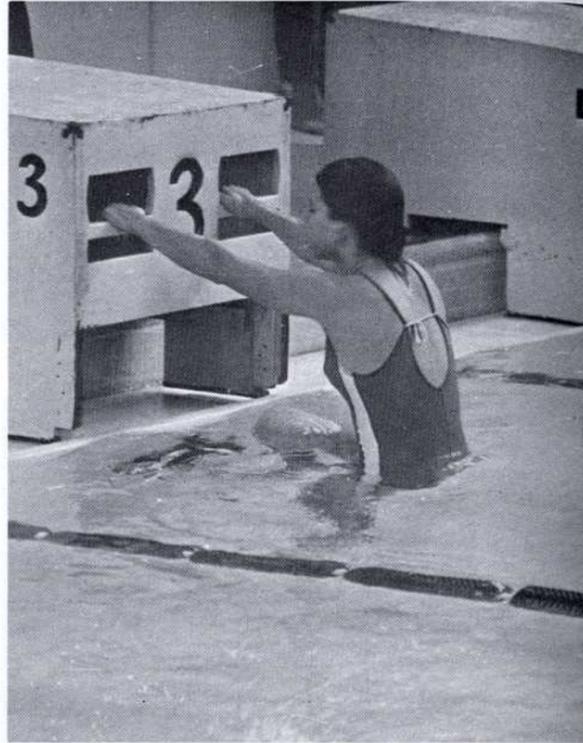
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North Thurston	72	R. A. Long	41
North Thurston	54	Mark Morris	59
North Thurston	71	Hoquiam	41
North Thurston	27	Puyallup	68
North Thurston	41	Rogers	53
North Thurston	43	Sumner	52
North Thurston	58	Hoquiam	37
North Thurston	25	Olympia	70
North Thurston	28	Stadium	67
North Thurston	44	Aberdeen	69
North Thurston	48	Mt. Tahoma	47
North Thurston	57	Timberline	38
North Thurston	72	Shelton	41
North Thurston	72	Timberline	38

GIRLS SWIMMING STANDINGS

North Thurston 52	Olympia 69
North Thurston 54	Columbia River 70
North Thurston 78½	Aberdeen 63½
North Thurston 33	Timberline 91
North Thurston 38	Peninsula 85
North Thurston 46	R.A. Long 74
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North Thurston 45	Mark Morris 75
North Thurston 50	Stevenson 59
North Thurston 70	Aberdeen 30

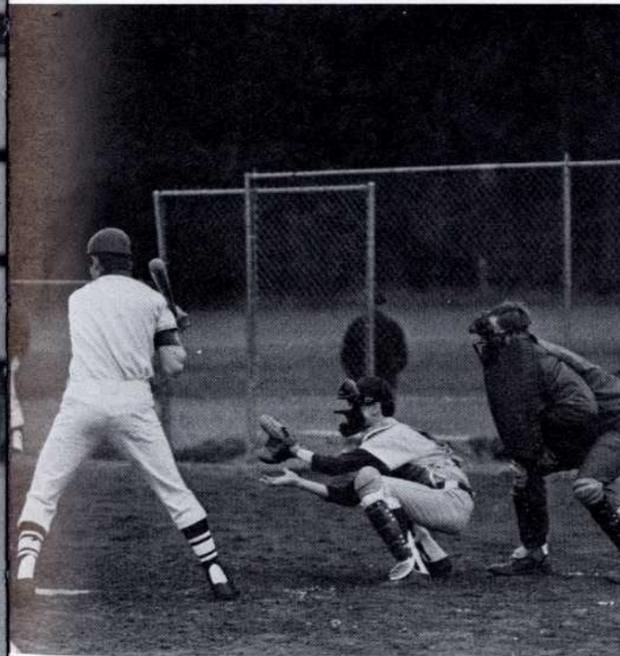
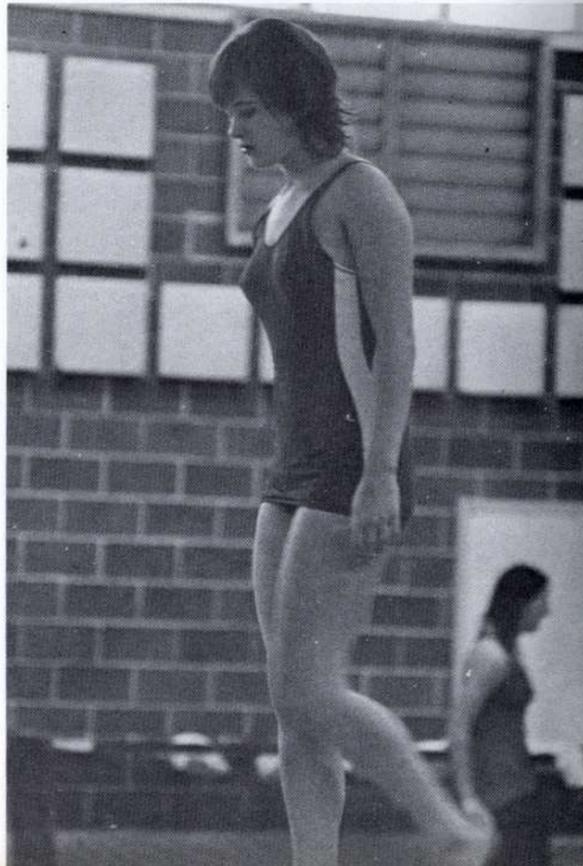
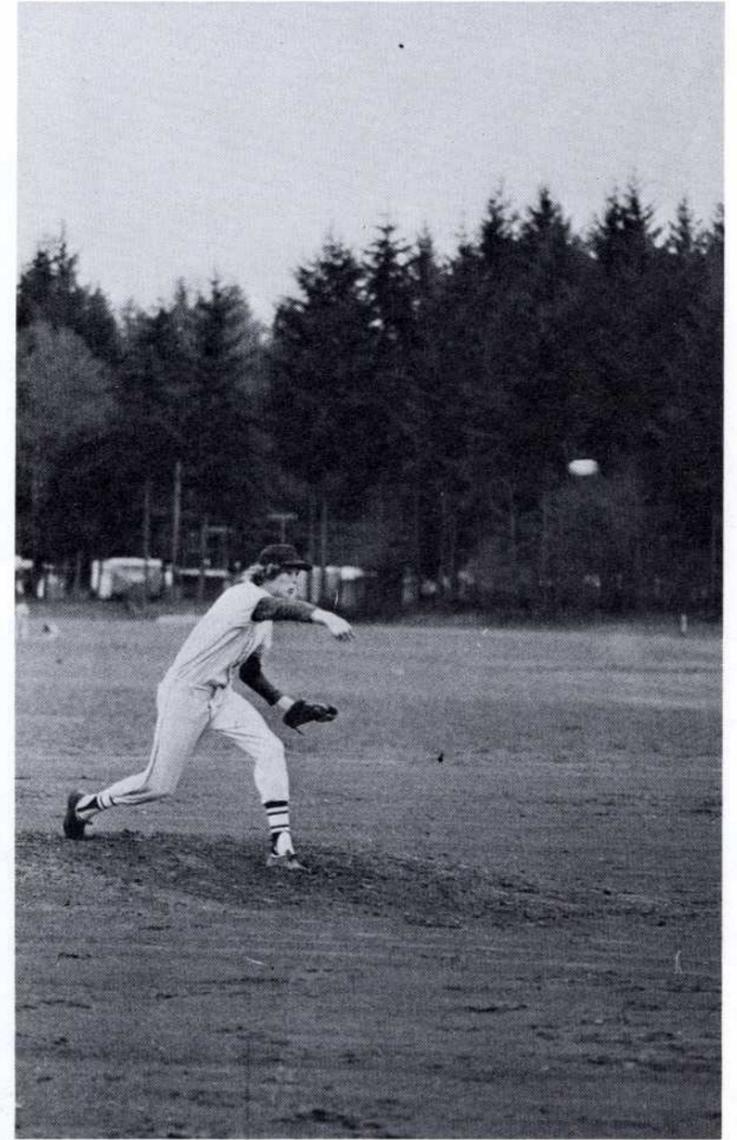
# Girls Swimming

Bottom Left: If you got it, flaunt it!  
 Bottom Right: The anguish of a lone swimmer.  
 Top Left: Am I almost to the finish?  
 Top Right: Concentration of a dedicated swimmer.

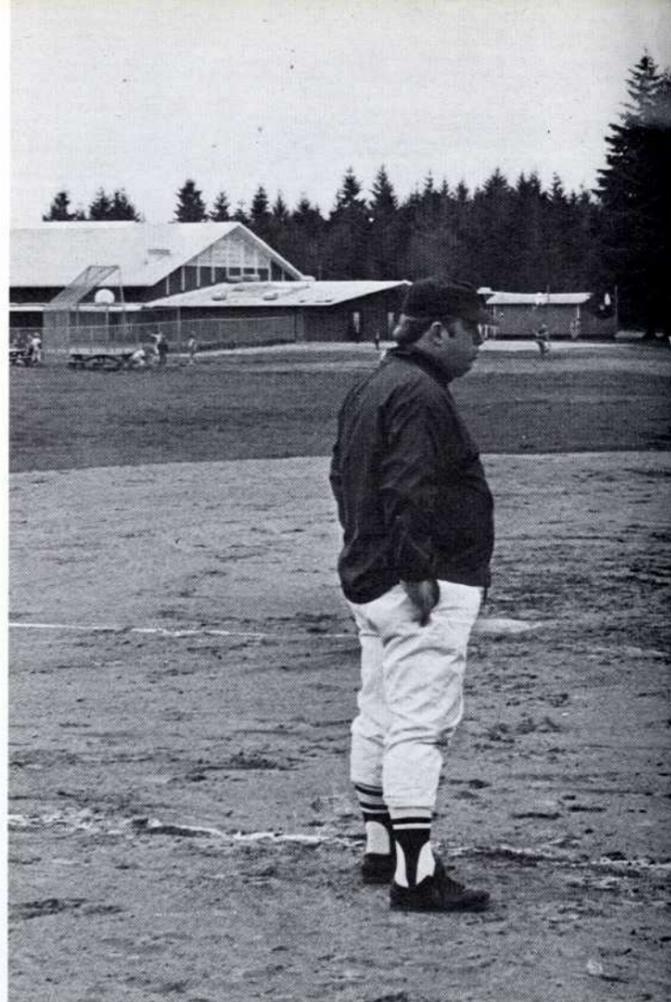
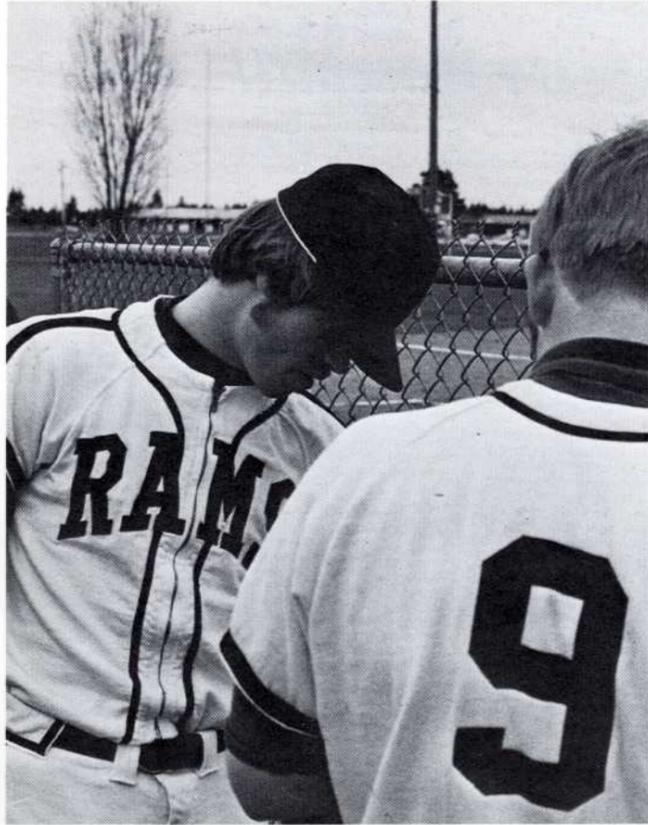


# Varsity Baseball

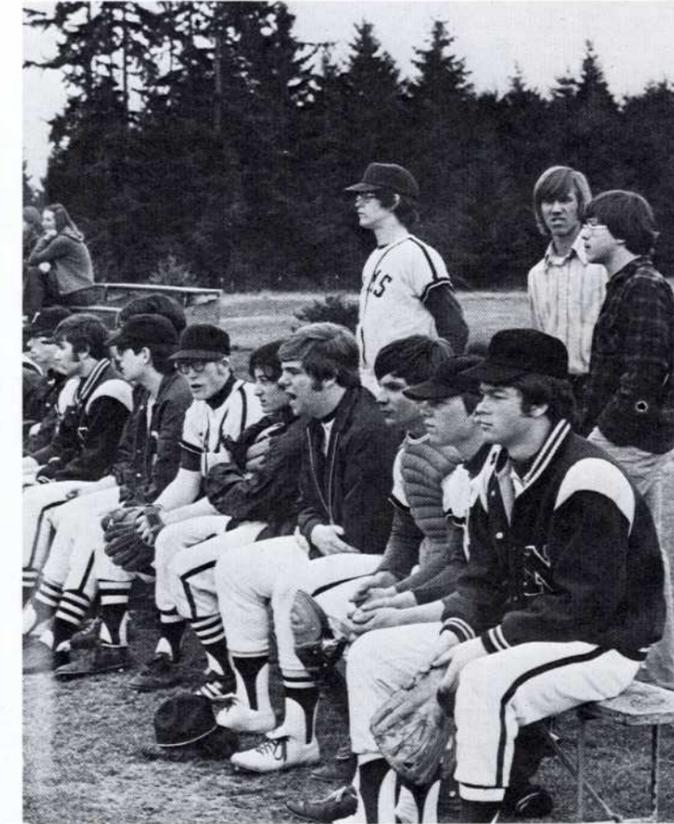
Left: Here it comes, ready or not.  
 Below: Look at that form!  
 Below left: Right in the old mitt.



Below: George VanHorn getting ready to bat.  
 Right: Mr. Kiolet eyeing the game.  
 Below right: Norris Hallom, pitcher.



# Baseball



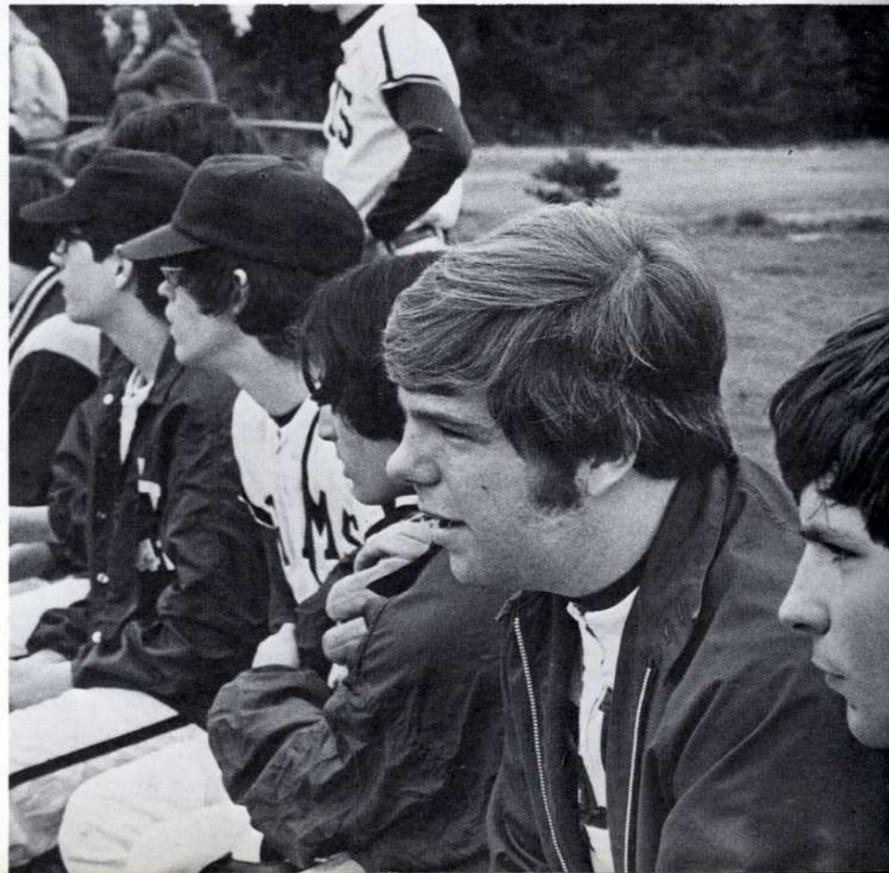
## VARSITY BASEBALL

### League

North Thurston	6	Tumwater	4
North Thurston	5	Shelton	1
North Thurston	4	Aberdeen	2
North Thurston	4	Centralia	5
North Thurston	2	Olympia	7
North Thurston	8	Chehalis	0
North Thurston	2	Hoquiam	3
North Thurston	3	Timberline	0
North Thurston	6	Tumwater	4
North Thurston	7	Shelton	3
North Thurston	9	Aberdeen	7
North Thurston	1	Centralia	1
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North Thurston	11	Chehalis	2
North Thurston	2	Hoquiam	3
North Thurston	6	Timberline	2

### Non-League

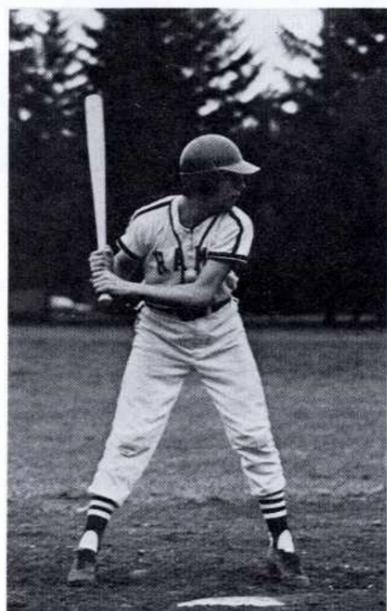
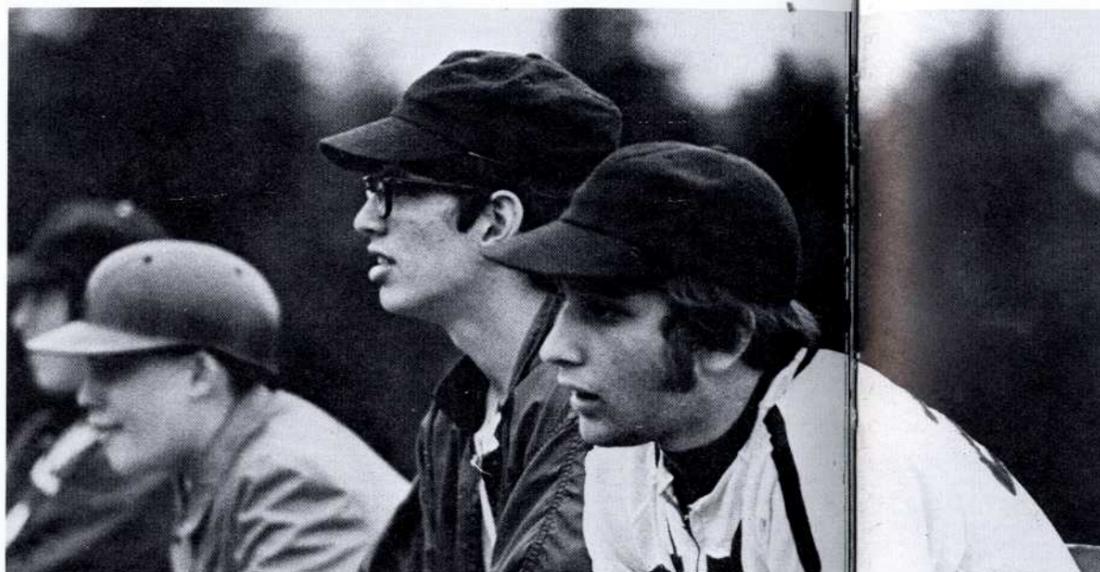
North Thurston	2	Timberline	1
North Thurston	3	Hoquiam	0
North Thurston	3	Sumner	2
North Thurston	3	Tumwater	2
North Thurston	0	South Kitsap	6
North Thurston	8	Yelm	6



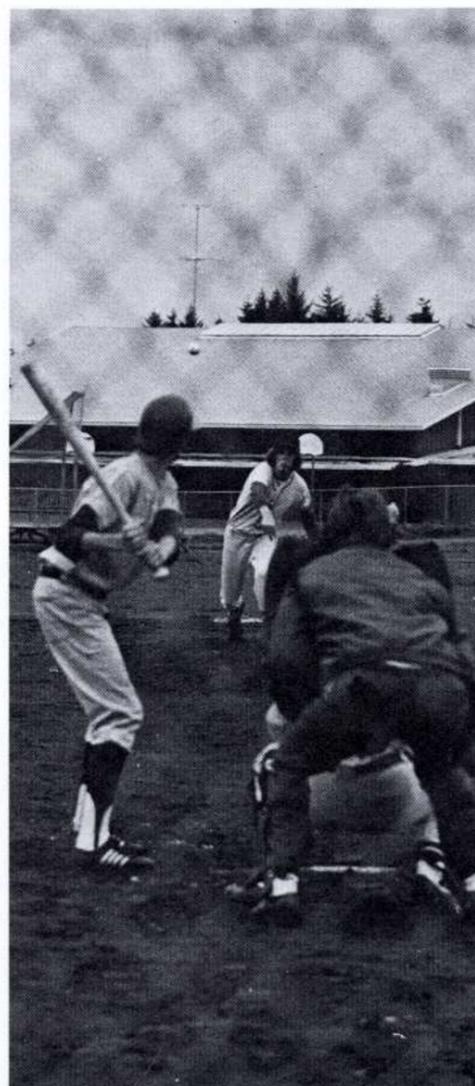
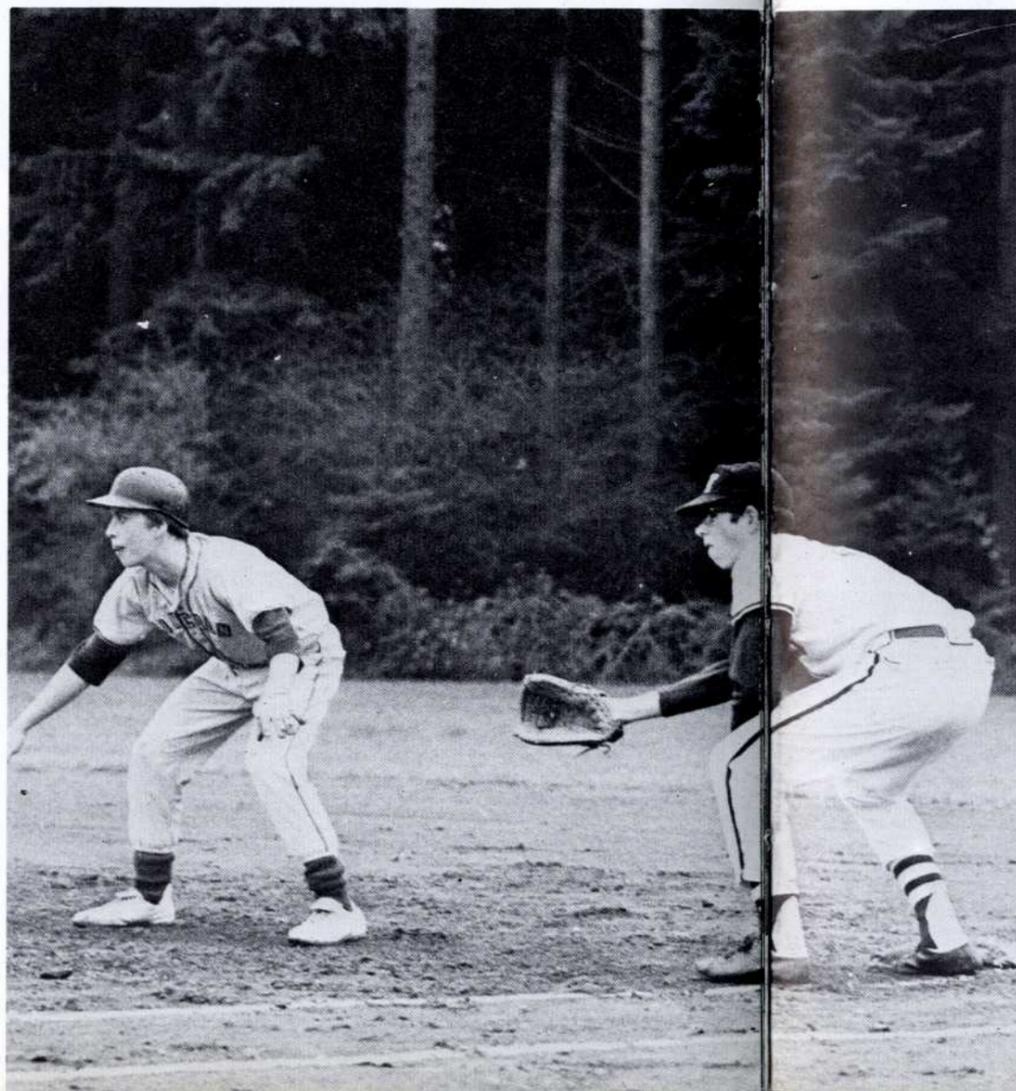
Top: Team sitting on bench watching the game.  
 Above: Dan Ferris in action.

## JV Baseball

With the baseball fields fit for swimming, the players managed to pull through the season with a good record. The team worked hard each night, and the improvement was shown by a unified group of ball players working together, making one of NT's best teams.



Top: Hernandez full of spirit.  
Above: Ready or not, here it comes.  
Right: Got it!



### JV BASEBALL

North Thurston	5	Lincoln	8
North Thurston	12	Chehalis	5
North Thurston	8	Hoquiam	6
North Thurston	10	Tumwater	12
North Thurston	8	Tumwater	6
North Thurston	2	Olympia	7
North Thurston	10	Aberdeen	12
North Thurston	3	Olympia	7
North Thurston	2	Timberline	4
North Thurston	3	Chehalis	9
North Thurston	15	Hoquiam	5
North Thurston	4	South Kitsap	3

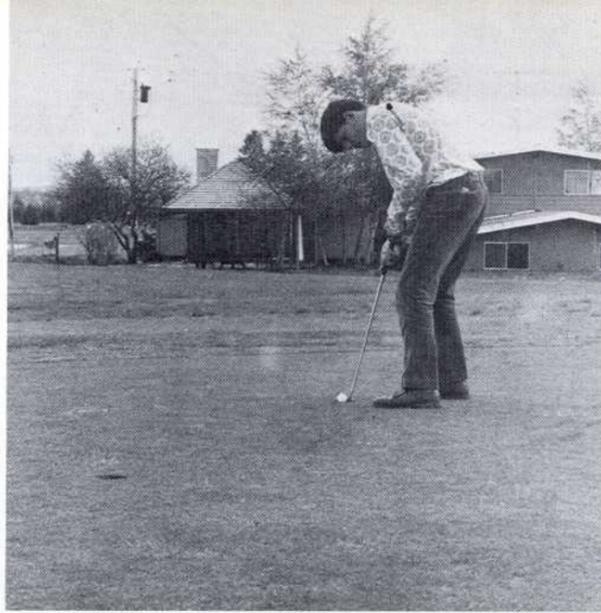
Left: Through the screen view.  
Below: Missed!



# Divot Diggers

## GOLF STANDINGS

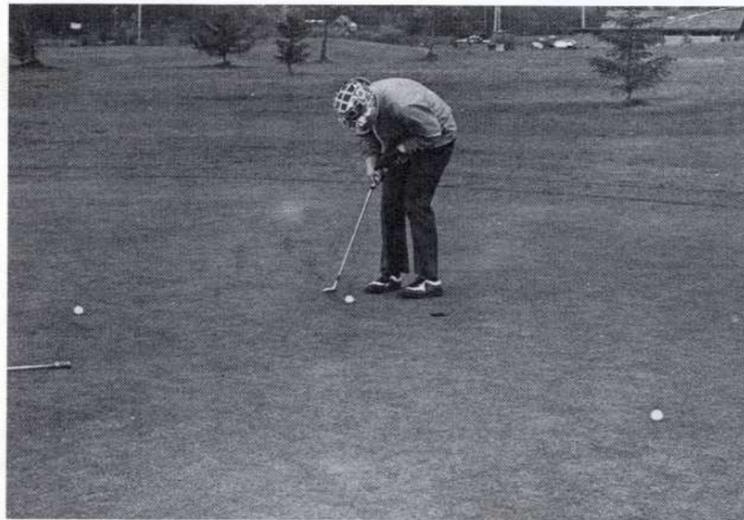
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North Thurston	27	Elma	41
North Thurston	36	Shelton	41
North Thurston	51	Olympia	70
North Thurston	48	Timberline	51
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North Thurston	48	Chehalis	73
North Thurston	47	Tumwater	68
North Thurston	44	Centralia	48



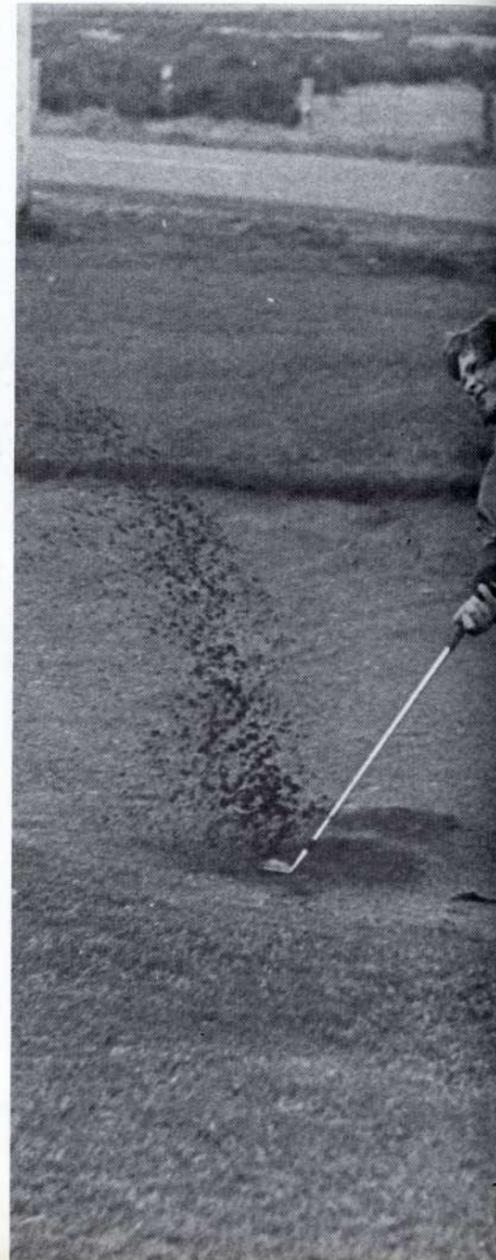
Though this year's golf team did not have the greatest record in school history, the spirit was high, and the team had a successful season.

With a record of 0-9 it is hard to redeem yourselves in one day, but the team did it, as they beat 15 teams out of 20 in the sub-district match, and continued for a thirteenth place in the district match, making them the thirteenth best team in Southwest Washington.

This year's team was made up of 3 seniors, Neal Springer, Duane Wolfe, and Bill Ward; a junior, Dan Bateman; and Mark Feeney, a freshman. Under the direction of Coach Raben the team was backed up by a JV team whose record was like the Varsity.



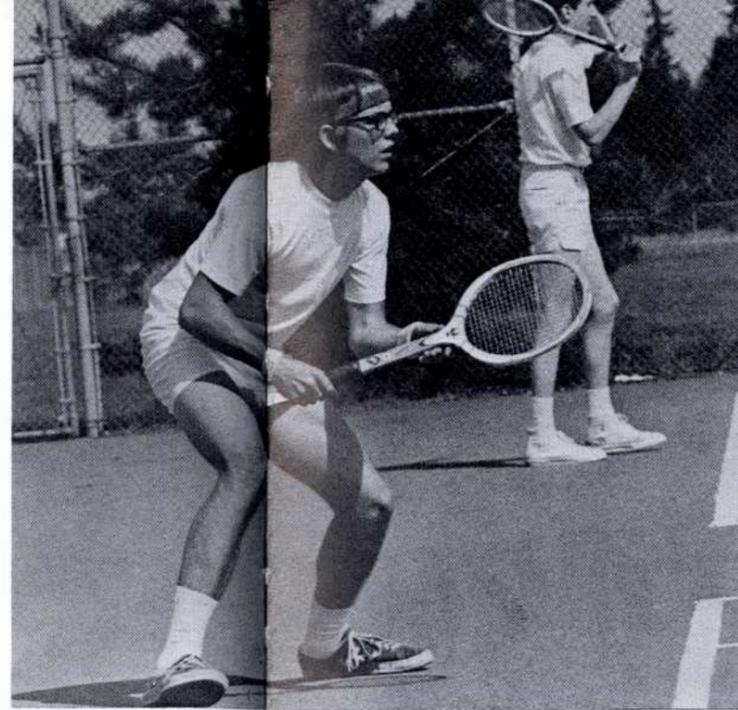
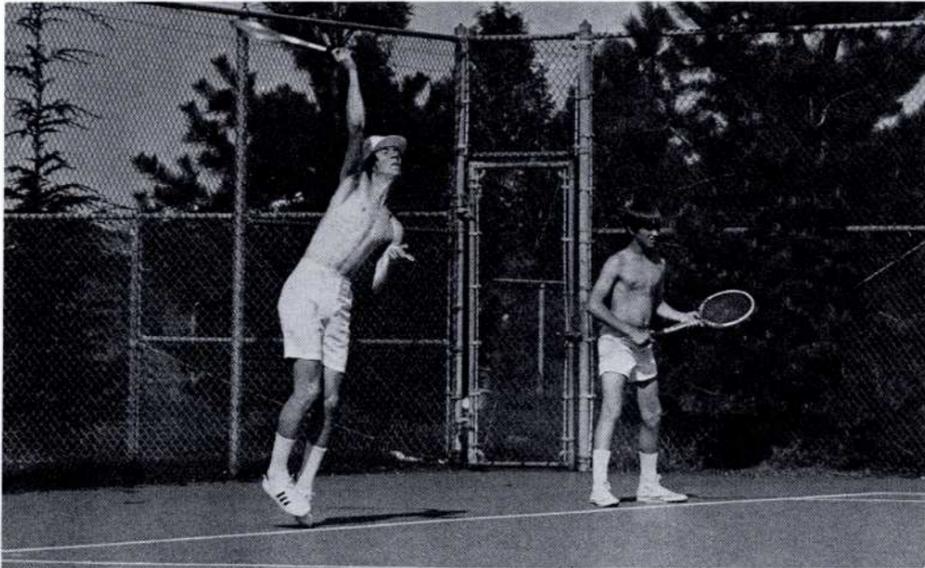
Above: It's the close ones that count.  
Top: Bill Ward concentrates on putt.  
Right: Duane Wolfe chips to green.



Top: 1971-72 Varsity Golf Team  
Above: Award winner, Neal Springer.

# Varsity Tennis

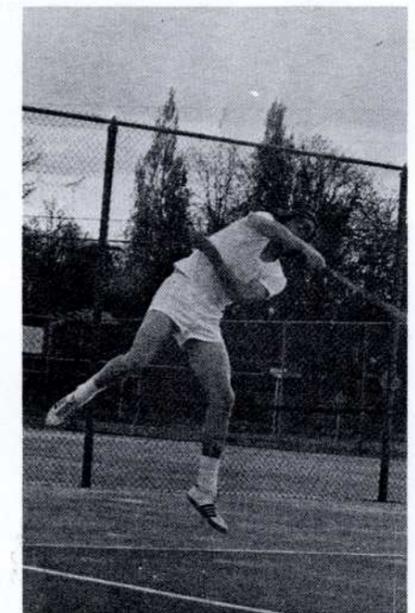
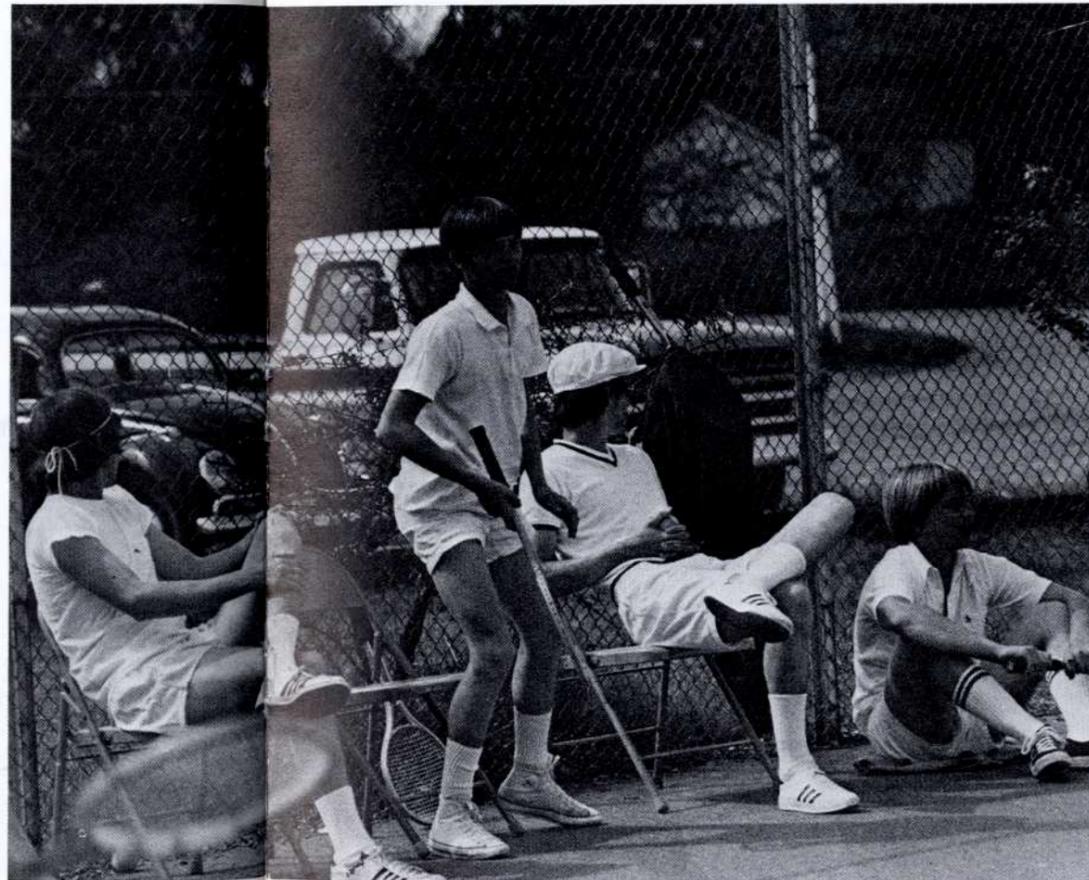
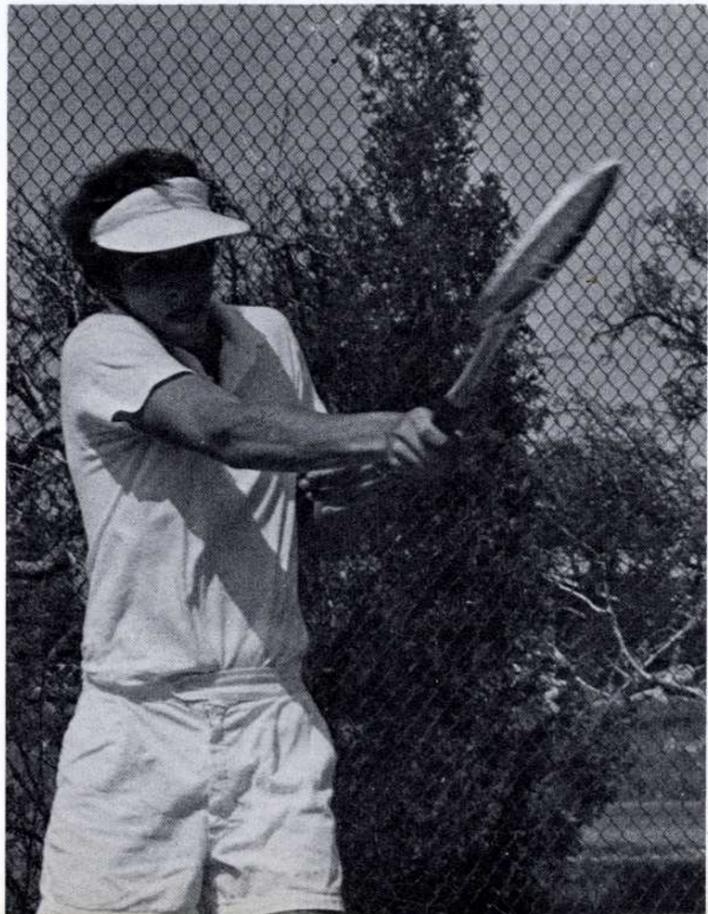
Below: Joe Pitt and Mike Harvey-  
all the way to the district matches.  
Bottom: First singles, Gordy Williams,  
concentrating on follow through.



Tennis practice is different from any other sport. When it rains the players find themselves inside the gym, batting balls monotonously against the wall. Because of the smooth hardwood surface, the players acquired many skills which earned them names like Harvey Wallbanger, Scoop Shot Pitt, (alias Mike Harvey and Joe Pitt), along with Ace Mace (Steve Mace). Outside practices were even better, and though drills and matches were held, it proved worthwhile when the manager, Candy Cole, brought out Coke and other good stuff to drink. When the practice was over the team gathered the balls off the court, not to mention off the roof and across the road. Miss O'Kelly felt that the team was mature enough to take showers and pick up towels without her supervision.

With a nucleus of five returning lettermen, the Rams were well on their way to a successful season. Though they started off poorly, losing their first three matches, the team soon proved themselves with impressive victories over cross-town rivals Timberline and Tumwater.

With a season record of 4 wins and 5 loses, the NT Netters entered the Sub-District matches without looking any stronger than last year. While 7th seed, Gordy Williams and Steve Mace were defeated in the tough singles competition, Joe Pitt and Mike Harvey managed to pull through in the doubles. They were later defeated at the district matches.



Top: John Dziezic awaits return of serve.  
Left: Players relax before match.  
Above: Jim Hamann shows classic form on serve.



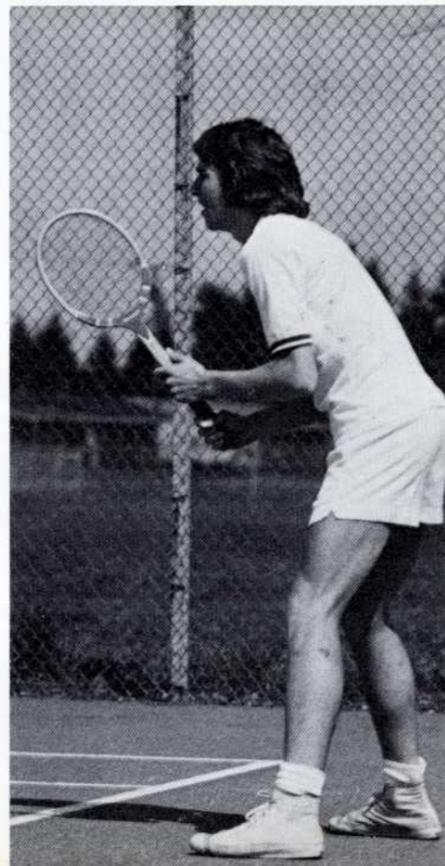
TENNIS STANDINGS

NT 2	Elma	3
NT 2	Aberdeen	3
NT 0	Shelton	5
NT 3	Tumwater	2
NT 1	Olympia	4
NT 3	Chehalis	2
NT 3	Hoquiam	2
NT 5	Timberline	0
NT 2	Centralia	3



Track

Far left: Trent tries his hardest.  
 Left: Donna Donnelly represents the girls track team.  
 Below left: No one knows, will Paul make it?  
 Below: Paul's almost over.  
 Bottom: Six of them are on the go.



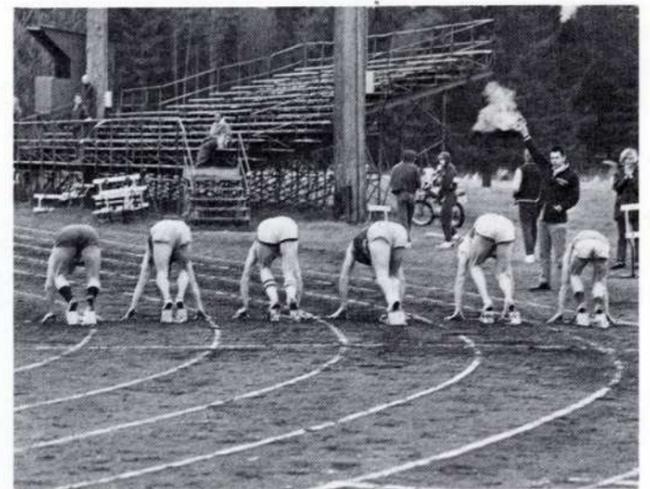
Top: JV players condition during practice.  
 Above right: Killer instinct flares in Dzedzic as he prepares for smash.  
 Above: Team departs bus after it broke down on freeway.  
 Right: Steve Mace prepares for serve.

GIRLS TRACK STANDINGS

North Thurston	58	Centralia	78
North Thurston	58	Elma	19
North Thurston	50	Centralia	63
North Thurston	63	Tumwater	57
North Thurston	45	Timberline	78

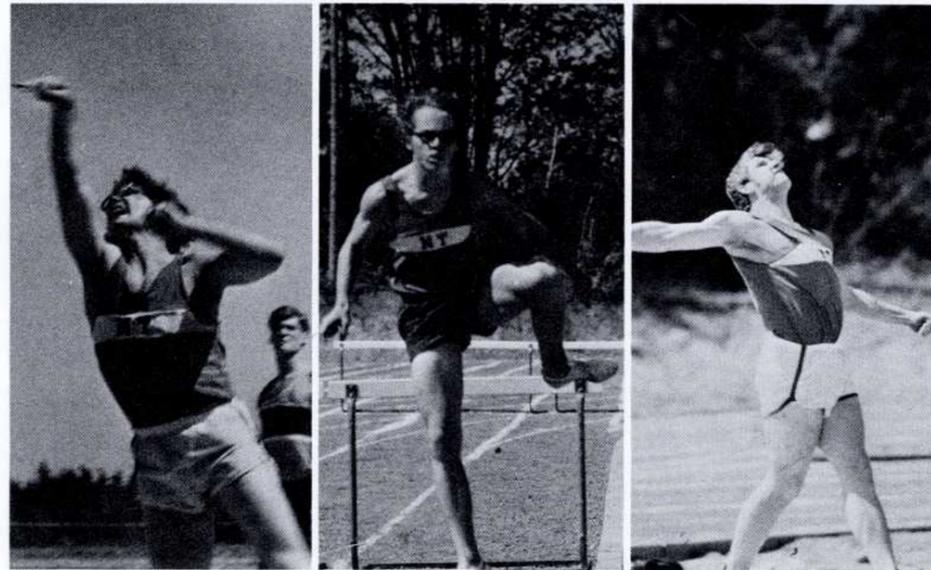
DISTRICT

Centralia	45
Olympia	34
North Thurston	32½





Right: NT making a victory.  
 Center: Alien on our pages.  
 Below left: Wayne pushing strong.  
 Below middle: Easy does it.  
 Below right: Aaaahhhh!  
 Bottom center: Foam, here I come!



VARSIY TRACK

North Thurston	88	Tumwater	56
North Thurston	89	Shelton	56
North Thurston	62	Aberdeen	83
North Thurston	91½	Elma	53½
North Thurston	68	Centralia	68
North Thurston	80	Olympia	65
North Thurston	89	Chehalis	56
North Thurston	83	Hoquiam	62
North Thurston	57	Timberline	88



# Varsity Track

Below: Flying along  
 Far below: Hot pants

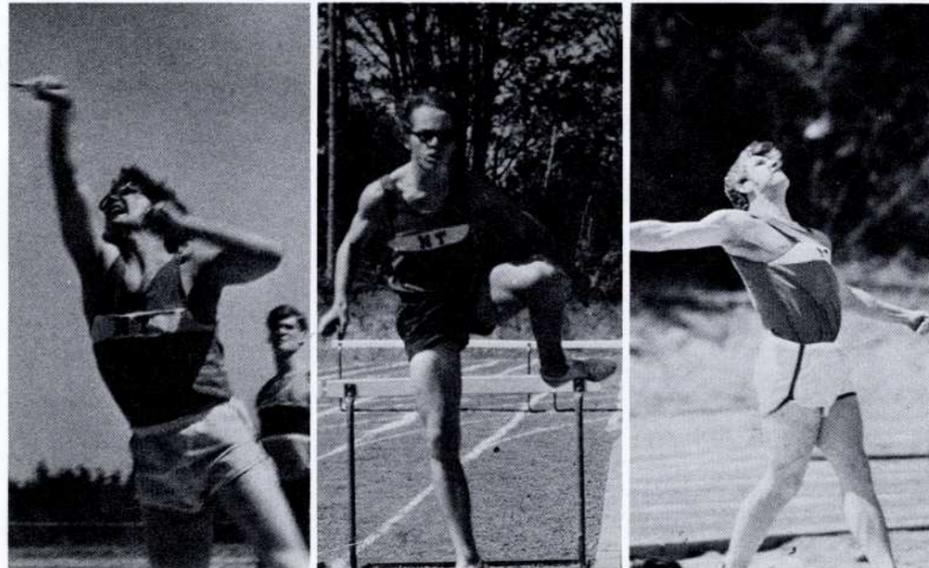


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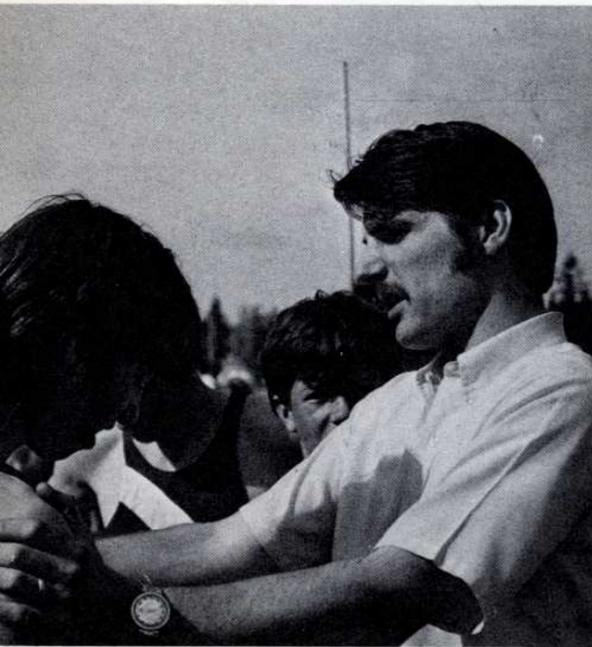
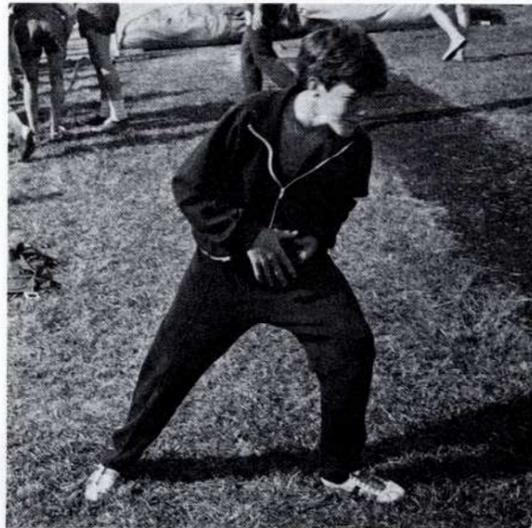


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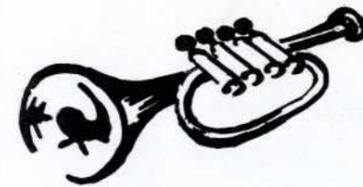
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# Freshmen Track

Below: Wade Duffy keeping in motion.  
Right: Nick Rohleder came in first.



Left: Mr Dobosz gives a little pep talk to Nick  
Above: This year's freshmen track team



## Organizations

# Girls League

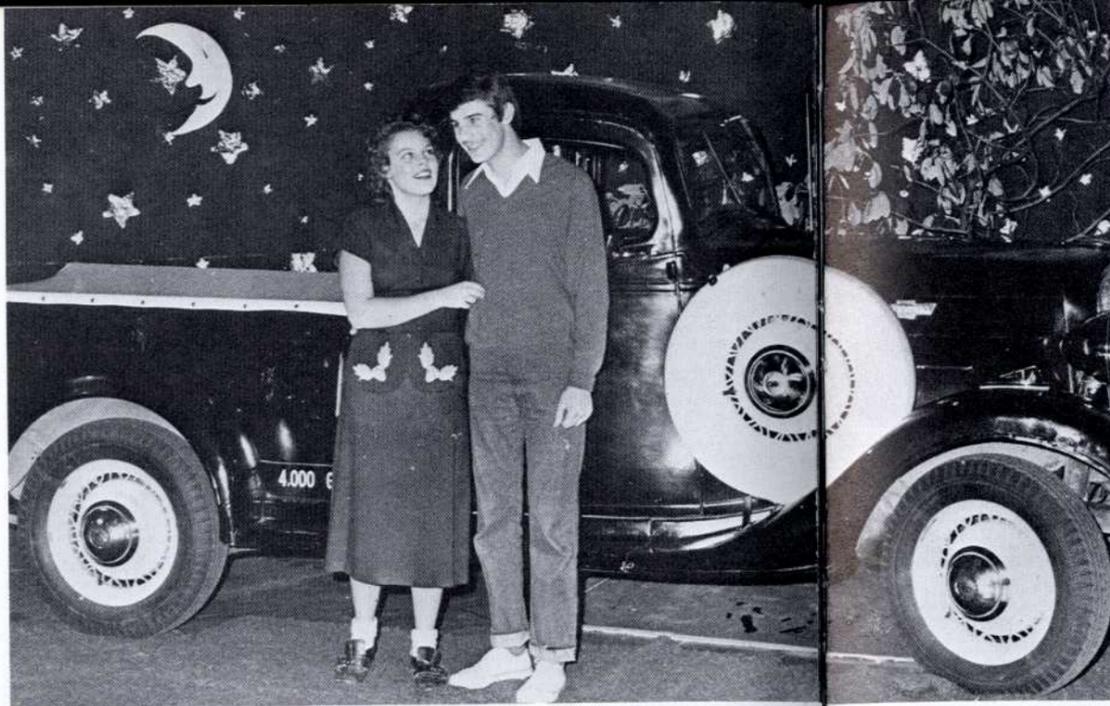
Girls League could be termed a success for last year. Although the meetings were usually interesting and stimulating, not all the girls participated. The officers tried to build enthusiasm for the organization by having guest speakers and demonstrations. The long established traditions of Father Daughter Banquet, the Big-Little Sister Party, Mother Daughter Tea and Tolo (which had the theme of the 50's, Soda Shoppe Sock Hop) seemed to have fairly good turn-outs.

The extra hours spent by those planning and working on the monthly meetings should be recognized and greatly appreciated by those who did attend.

Right: Isn't he the dreamiest?

Below: The adoption of little sisters by big sisters.

Middle Below: Don't they make a peachy keen couple.

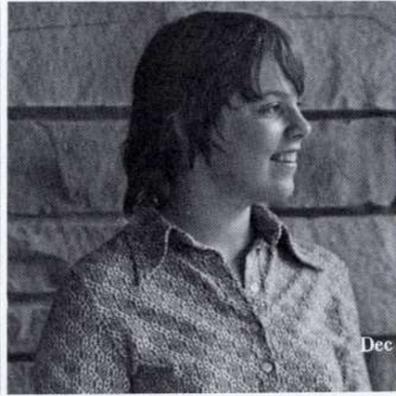


Above Girls League Officers, '71-72'  
Right: The jitterbugging bobby soxers at the Soda Shoppe Sock Hop. (whew!)

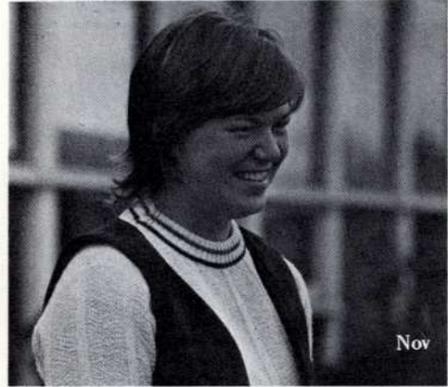
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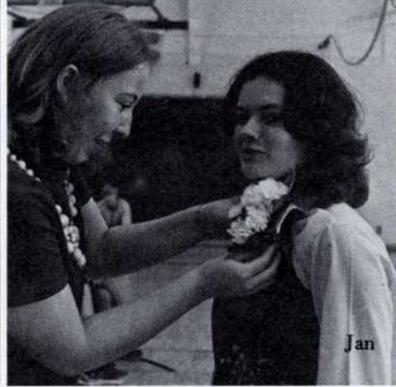
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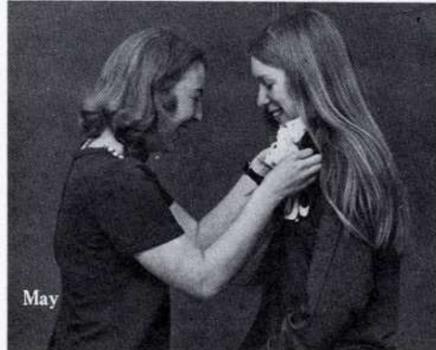
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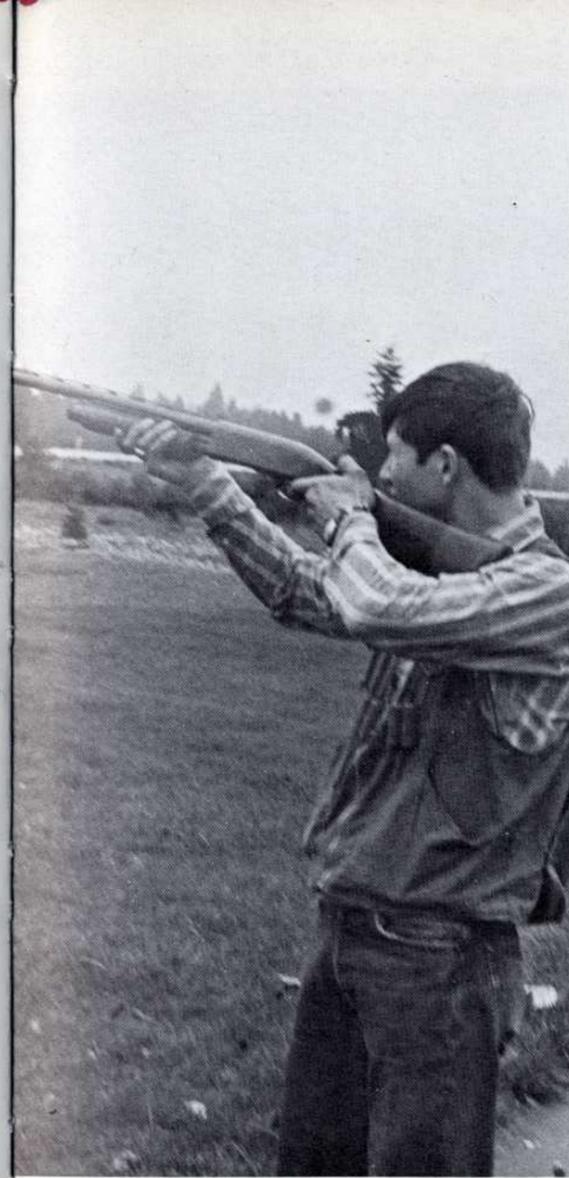


June



Oct

Miss Sep, Joyous, Liz Seibold  
 Miss Nov, Truthful, Shelley Kirk  
 Miss Dec, Considerate, Carolyn Fountain  
 Miss Jan, Just, Marisa Johnson  
 Miss Feb, Loyal and Sincere in Friendship,  
 Zinda Kenny  
 Miss March, Too noble to Speak Ill of Others,  
 Kris Berry  
 Miss April, Willing to Forgive and Forget,  
 Cindy Swan  
 Miss May, Prompt and Gracious in Obedience,  
 Barb Dahl  
 Miss June, Shelly Greene  
 Miss Oct, Courageous, Girl of the Year,  
 Mary Donnelly

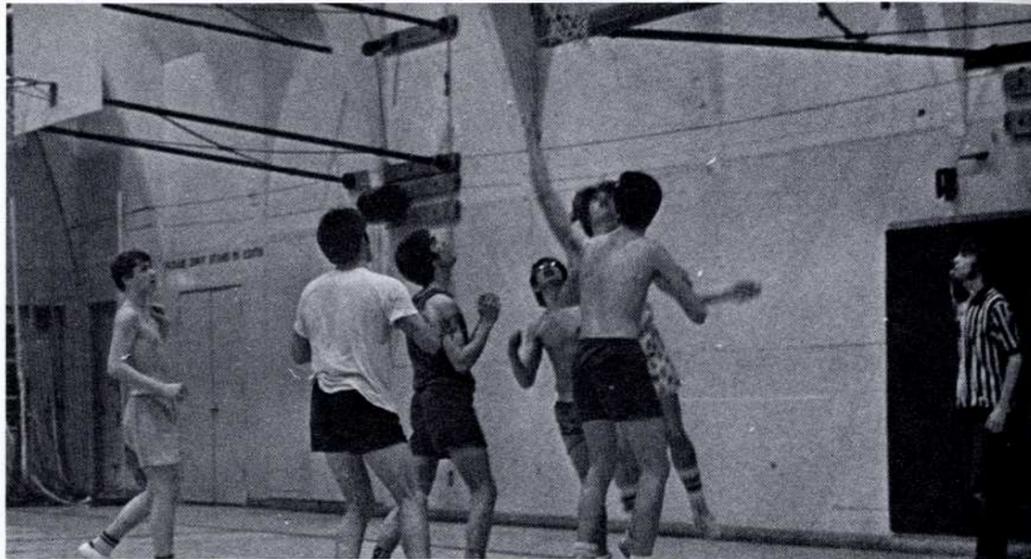


Above left: Curt Whittacker takes aim.  
 Top: Was that dead or lost?  
 Above: Tim Canfield ties down his pack.  
 Left: Jim Evans and Dan Ferris prepare for hike.

Several overnight hikes were held during the year by Hiking Club. Hiking and survival techniques were taught in lecture sessions and then put to practical use through experience.

Trap shooting every Thursday afternoon is the main function of Rifle Club. Doughnut were sold each day in the woodshop to cover expenses. The advisor is Mr. Bettinee.

## Hiking Club and Rifle Club



Above: Van Horn scores two points in game against the J.P.J.'s.  
 Right: Boys Club advisors Mr. Carson, Mr. Kiolet, and Mr. Kinkella.  
 Below: Championship team, American Pie.



1st Division

	W	L
American Pie	11	0
B.F. Ducks	10	1
Maddoggers	6	5
Ze Bras	2	9
5 Easy Pieces	4	7
Wasted Union	0	11

*Boys Club*



Above: Mr. Albee wrist wrestling Kim Richey. Melanie Rockwell looking on.  
 Left: Shumway with the rebound.



2nd Division

	W	L
JPJ's	9	2
Sweat Hogs	8	3
Lug Nuts	7	4
Basketballers	4	7
Funkey Chickens	3	8
Runts	2	9

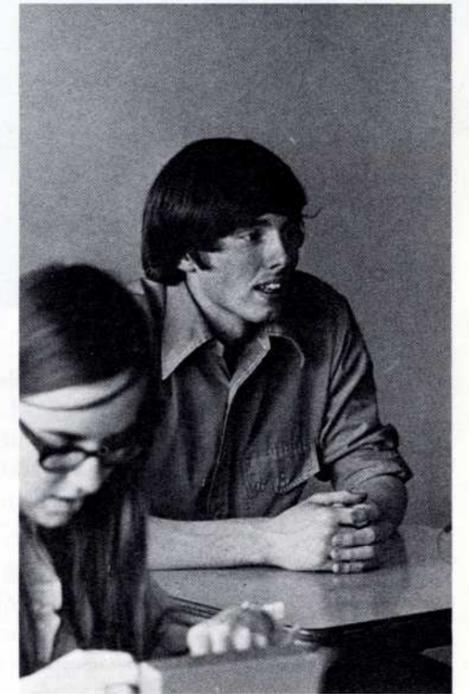
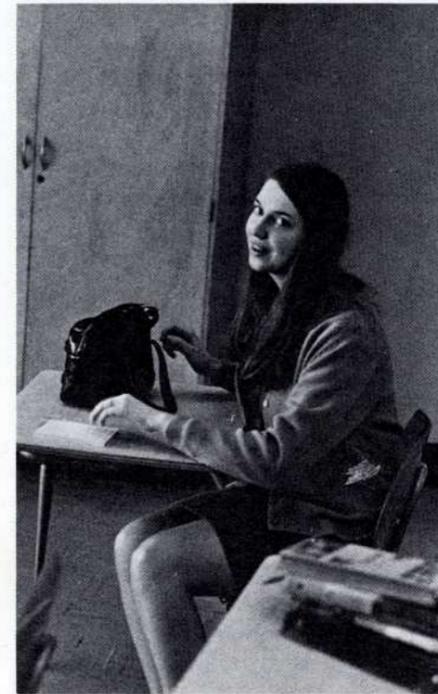
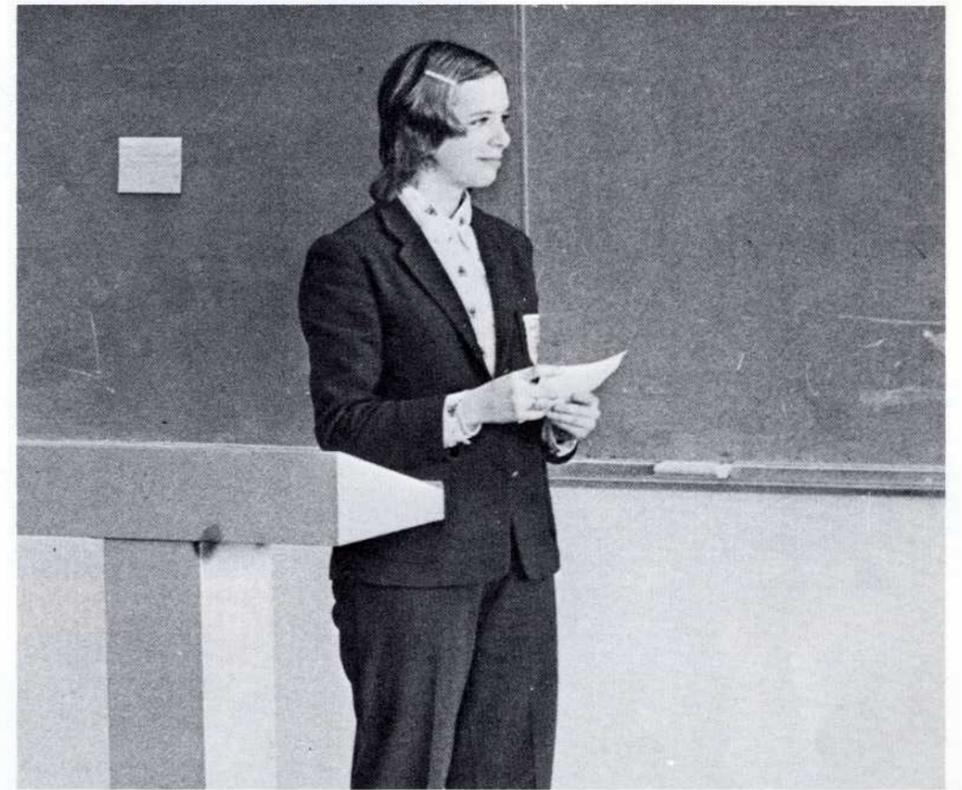
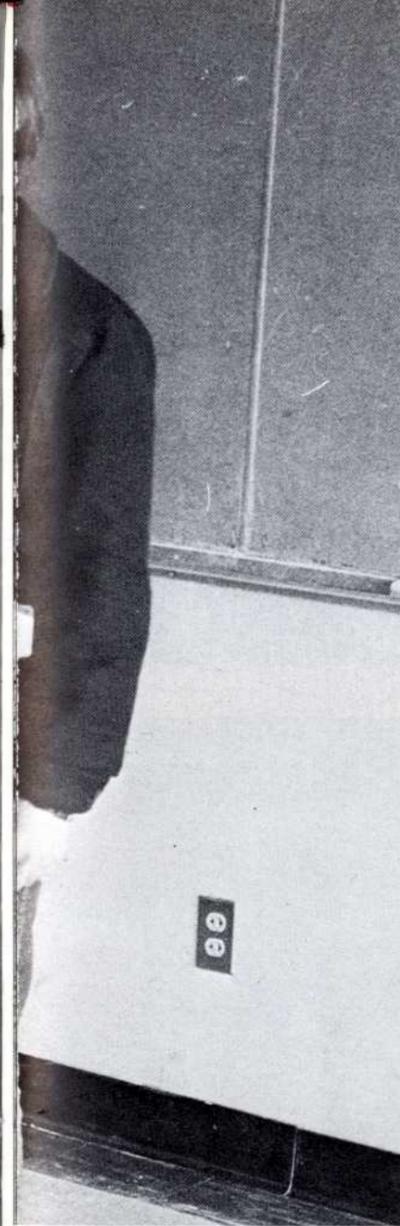
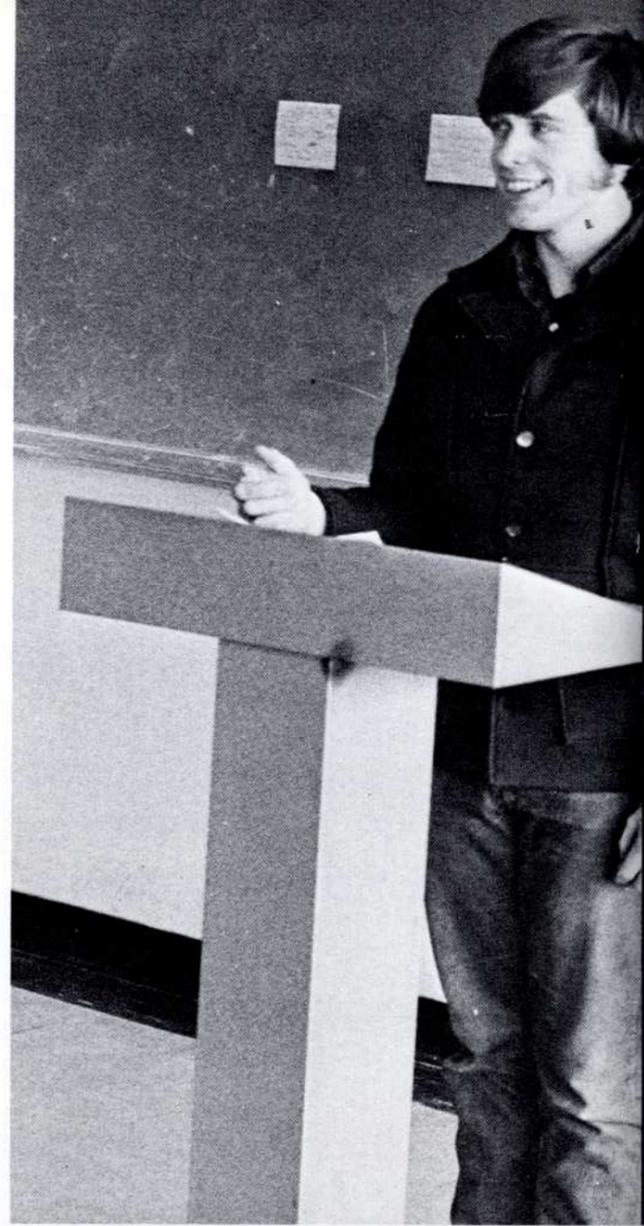
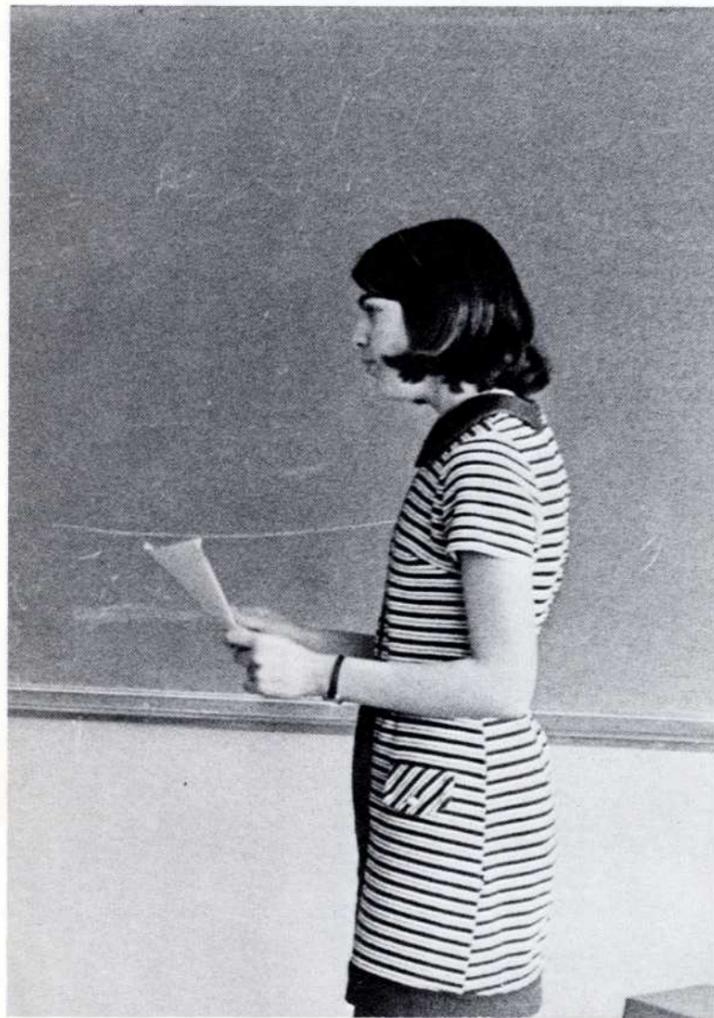
Championship Game

JPJ's	42
American Pie	58

## Debate Team

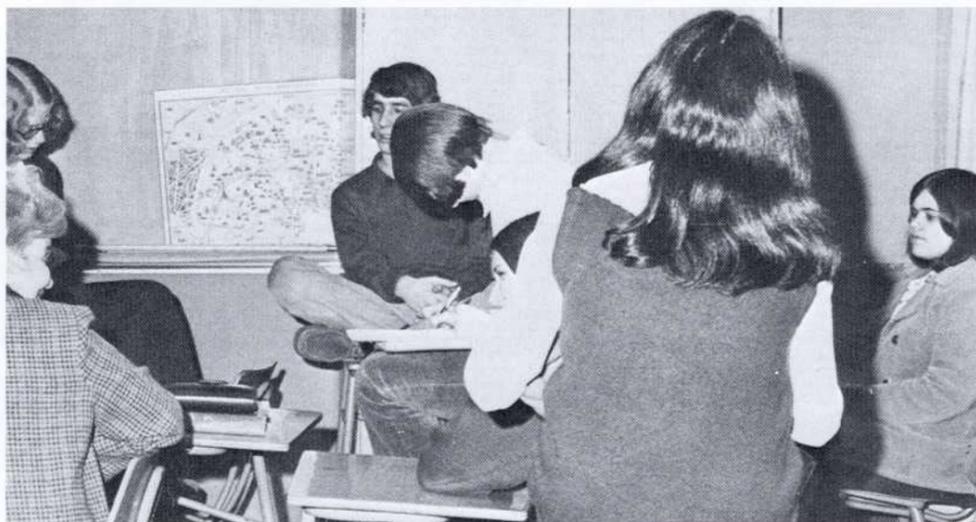
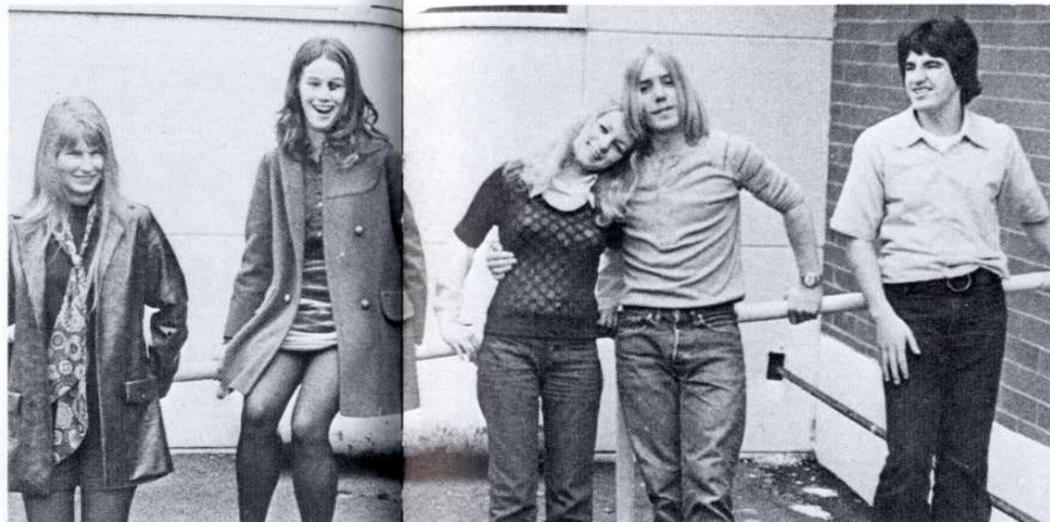
With the unofficial motto, "Debate is for 'de fish," this year's Debate Club went about their usual serious business of traveling to various colleges to deliver their carefully prepared speeches and/or debates. A few students brought trophies and honors back this year, which was undoubtedly due, in part, to the expert guidance of thier coach, Mrs. Dittrich. All in all, the debators had a good time, learned a lot, and some said they wouldn't mind taking the class next year.

Right: Mark Harmon, a National Voice of Democracy winner.



Far Left: Trying to give a good speech.  
 Left: The line up!  
 Top: Did I last long enough and was it ok?  
 Above: Advisor Mrs. Dittrich  
 Above Right: Jim Hamann; diligent looking debator.

Right: Foreign Language Club Advisor, Mrs. Pearl, poses for *Rambler* photographer. Far right: A posed picture for Bike Club. Only two members were available, so the middle three were drafted. Below: Foreign Language Club holds an informal meeting.



Being host to the Amity Aids (foreign students that assist in teaching Spanish, French, and German) was the major project of the Foreign Language Club. The club held several banquets and took several trips.

The members that came to the monthly meetings found it a pleasant time to relax (as the picture shows) and at the same time learn something.

Bike Club grew out of students interested in bicycling for fun, exercise, and ecological reasons. Members went on several bike trips on weekends and vacations. A bike rack was constructed next to the metal shop, but members seldom used it for fear of vandalism.

### *Foreign Language Club and Bike Club*

### *Honor Society and Science Club*



Science Club took few field trips during the year, but they have made several plans for activities next year. Cooperation from some members was rather lax. President Russ Ford was credited with organization of many activities.

Students with a 3.0 GPA during their high school years and a desire to join, form NT's Honor Society. Activities of the club included making Christmas cards for resthomes and earning money for several scholarship funds.

Above left: Juniors being inducted into Honor Society. Left: Officers and Advisor, Mrs Farringher of Honor Society. Above: Science Club takes time out for a picture.



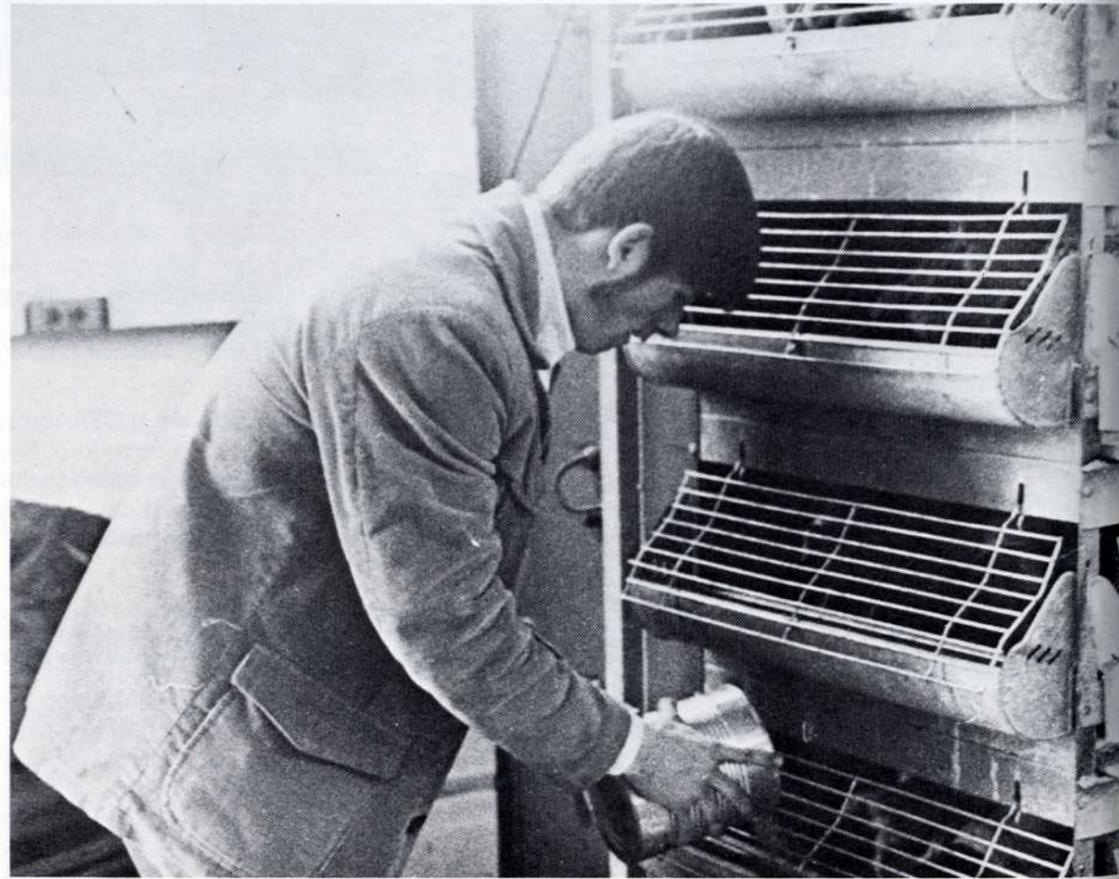
Below: FMC Officers: Eddie Hernandez, Sgt. at arms; Chris Smith, Vice President; Helen Jaccard, President; Bev Carpenter, Secretary.  
 Right: FFA Advisor; Farmer Van Horn.



## *Future Medical Careers and Future Farmers of America*

Future Medical Careers is an organization for students interested in exploring the career opportunities available in the field of medicine. Members took tours of several different hospitals throughout the state. They also had the opportunity of hearing visiting lecturers.

Learning methods used in modern agriculture through actual experience was the purpose of the Future Farmers of America. Animal husbandry was learned by raising and butchering several species of animals.



Far Left: Time out to feed the chickens.  
 Left: First you gotta get the feed.  
 Above: FMC Advisor; Nurse Ostrander.

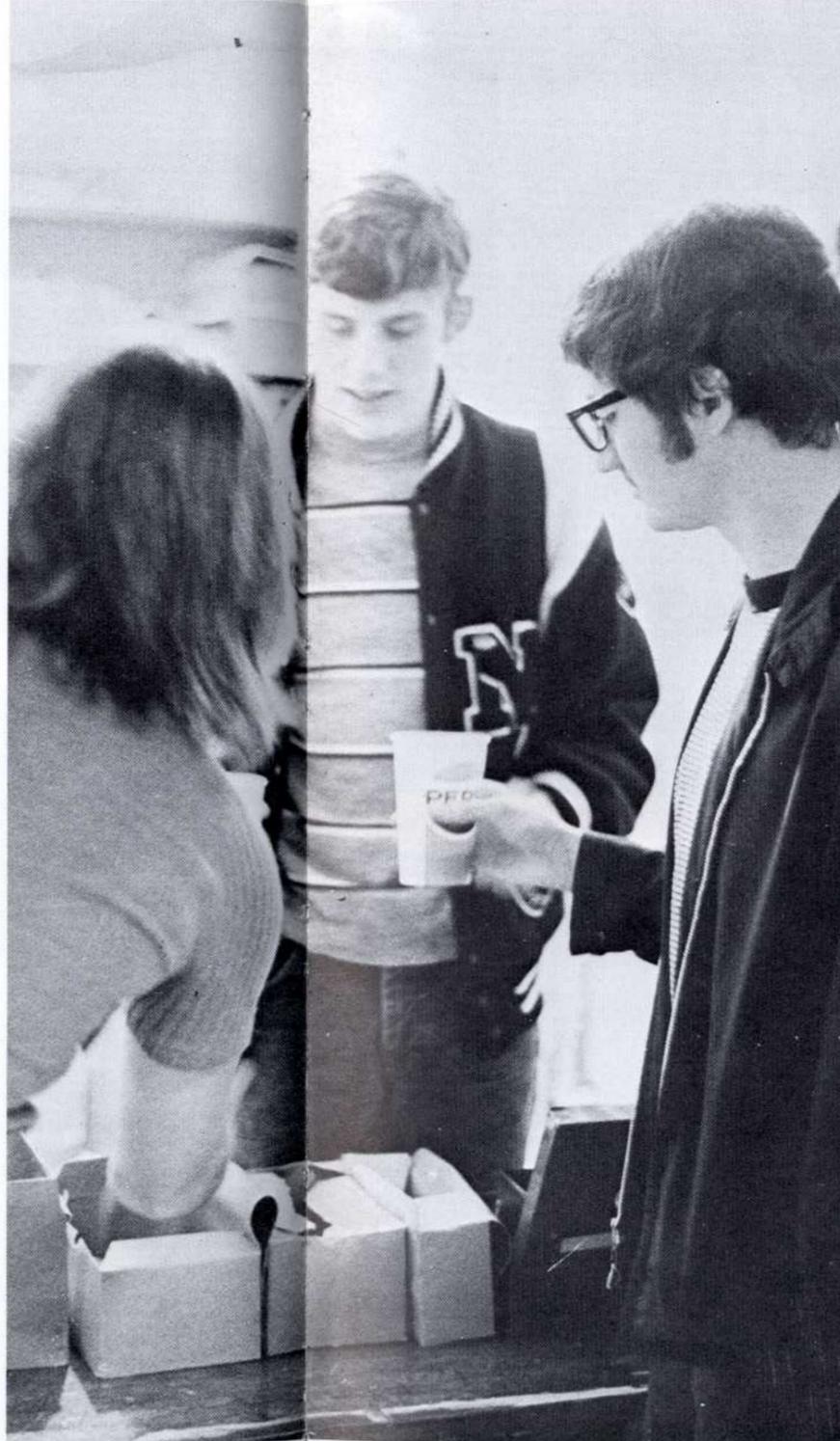
## Lettermen's Club and Ecology Club

This year's Lettermen's Club got off to a bad start with the closing of the snack bar due to the school board's interpretation of a federal ruling concerning hot lunches. After the efforts of several individual students and some administrators, the snack bar was reinstated in a different location. The group also sold snow cones and milk shakes at the basketball games to subsidize the athletic fund.

The Ecology Club began its second year at North Thurston with election of officers for the first time and wrote a constitution to become a formal part of the ASB. Through action of the Student Council, Earth Day celebration was up to this club. They also took over the responsibilities of the buildings and grounds through several organized parking lot clean-up days. Their major activity was recycling aluminium cans. Containers were located in the parking lot as collection centers and were widely used.



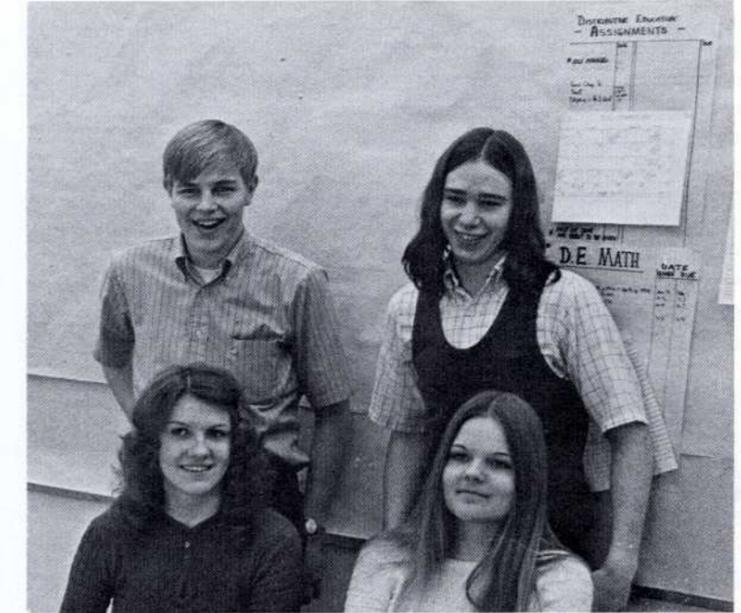
Top: Ecology Club members empty the overflowing barrels of cans.  
Above: The entire club gets into the act, along with Mr. Sinclair's truck.



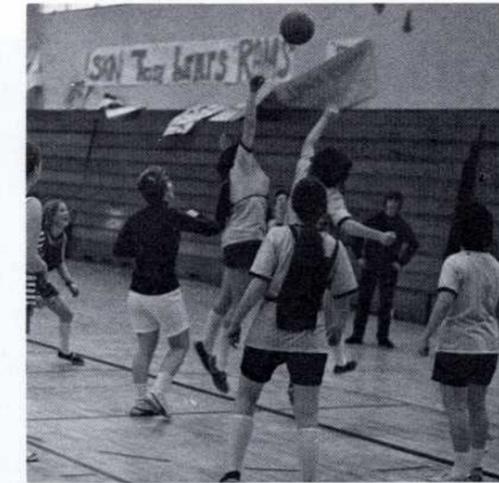
Above: Lettermen's Club selling milkshakes and other things.  
Right: GAA in action.

## Distributive Education

NT's Distributive Education Club (DECA, a combination class/club, teaches students sales and marketing skills. Learning is applied directly 'on the job' and in the school store. They participate in contests held in Yakima for three days during the year.



Above: DECA officers.



Girls Athletic Association is an athletic program in miniature. A variety of sports are available for competition between the girls. They sell hot dogs at the school's varsity games to finance their program.

## Girls Athletic Association

1972 marked the third year for North Thurston's ski school. Approximately 40 students turned out for the eight weeks of instruction. Like the legendary Pony Express, "Neither rain, nor sleet, nor gloom of night..." shall keep these skiers from the slopes. Sick instructors were another thing entirely.

Remarkably, North Thurston skiers suffered no serious injuries.

Several students were reported to have celebrated the last week with a little of the "forbidden beverage."

This year, being their second, the Ski Team didn't fare too badly, considering the problems they faced with skiers being disqualified in several races. NT was classed along with the "Big Four", that is, North Thurston, Olympia, Shelton and Charles Wright. Due to the distance and time involved in traveling to the slopes, annual photographers were unable to be at the races.



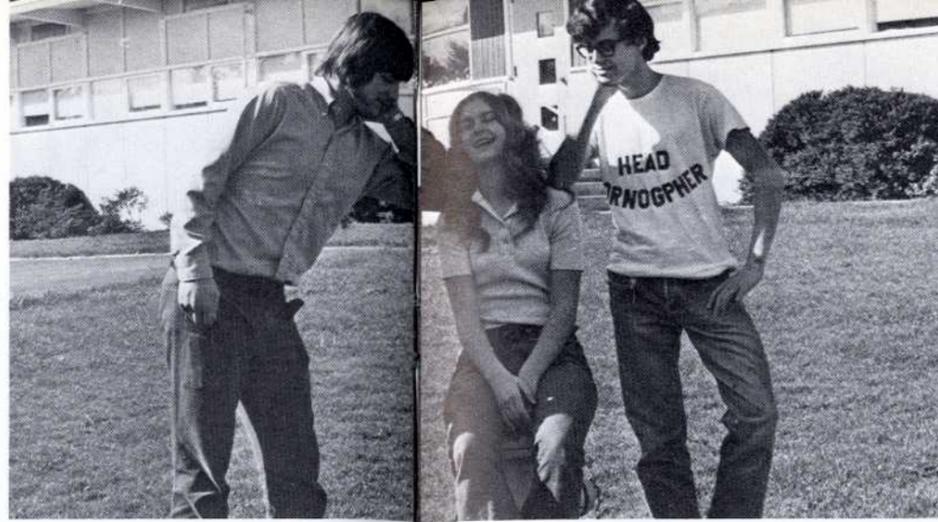
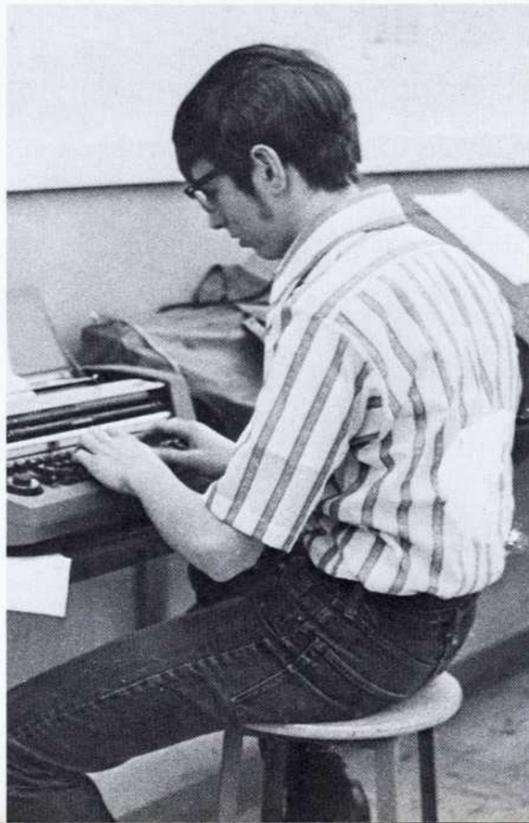
## *Ski Team and Ski School*



# 1971-72 RAMBLER



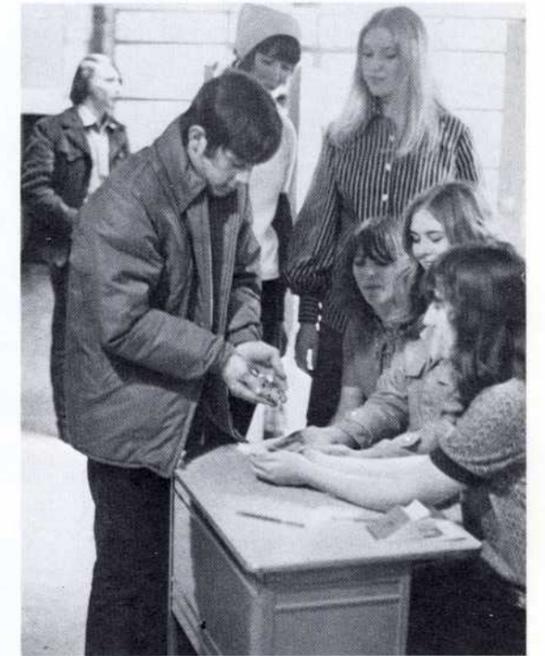
Above: Terry Seaman pastes up some pictures.  
Right: Rob Schlegel, '71-'72 Rambler editor.



The annual staff this year was all new with the exception of the editor, copy editor, and the head photographer. The staff spent a lot of extra time after school, on weekends and vacations in addition to energy and money to put this book together. The confusion among the fifteen new people ran high and at times tension was something else.

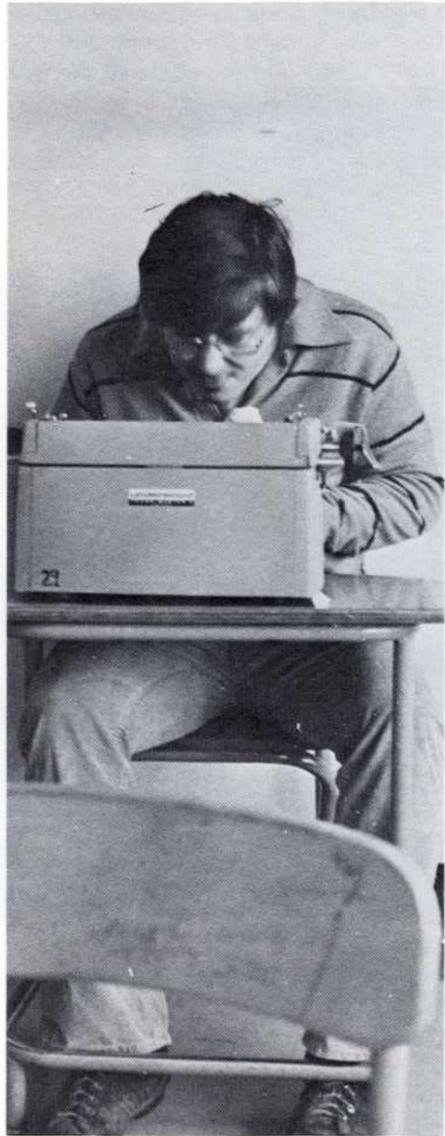
When 18 people try to put together a book to commemorate a year in a school's life, some of those who bought a yearbook will be disappointed. But then, you can't please all the people all the time.

To emphasize how much effort is put into the book, by the end of the school year, Mr. Russell, fearless leader, left for a job at Bellevue Community College, and Mr. Slosson, a former N.T. student returned as an instructor and our advisor.

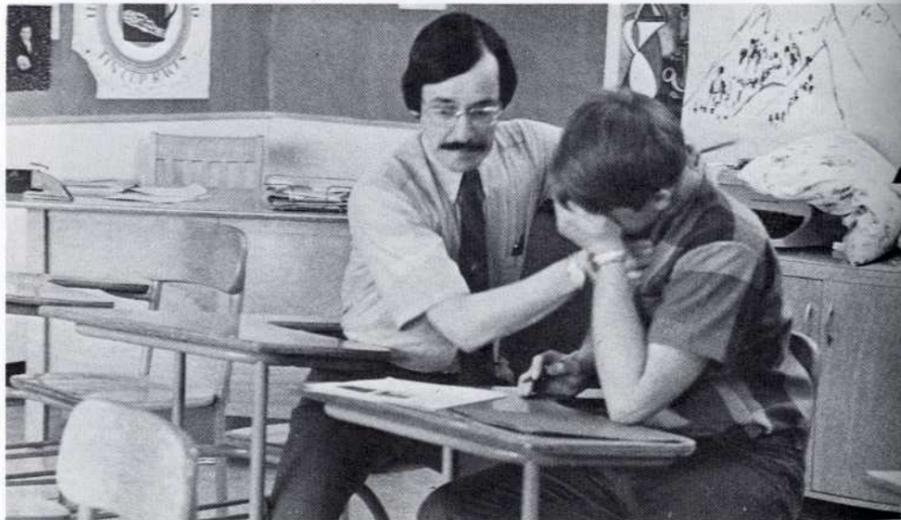


Above: Roger Bird opened his piggy bank for an annual.  
Top Left: Photography section  
Left: Annual staff

# 1971-72 RAMPAGE



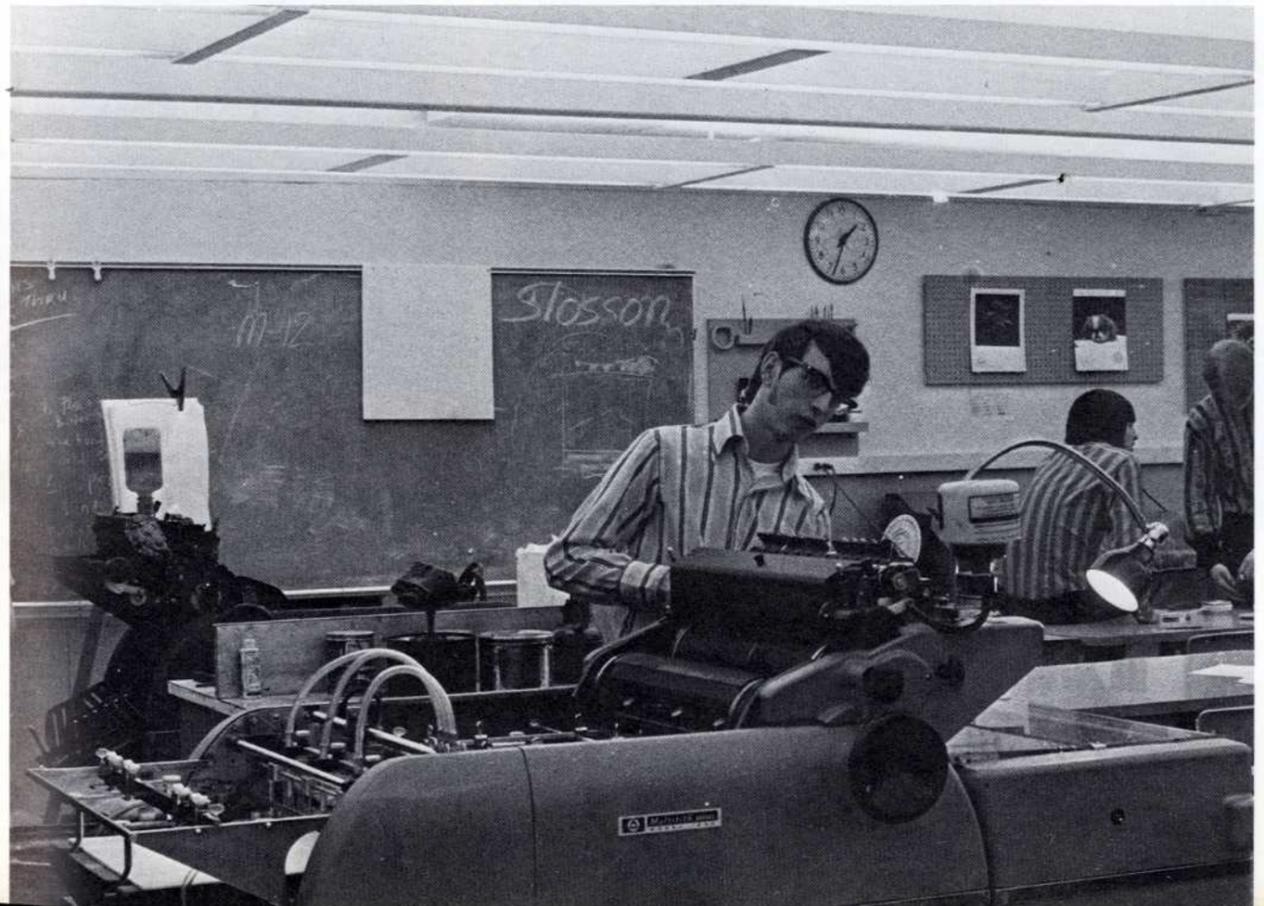
Above: The diligence of a newspaper man.  
 Top: Newspaper staff hard at work?  
 Right: You can't write that!



Each year the newspaper staff assumes the responsibility of getting the news of the school to the student body. This small group did what they could in spite of such obstacles as the editor quitting over a censorship dispute with the advisor and administration.

When they got the paper out it was fairly decent and they delivered it to all the classes for those who wanted one.

Left: Let's see now, what's my opinion?  
 Below: Stop Thief!  
 Bottom: I'm working on it, we'll have it out by Friday. (1982?)

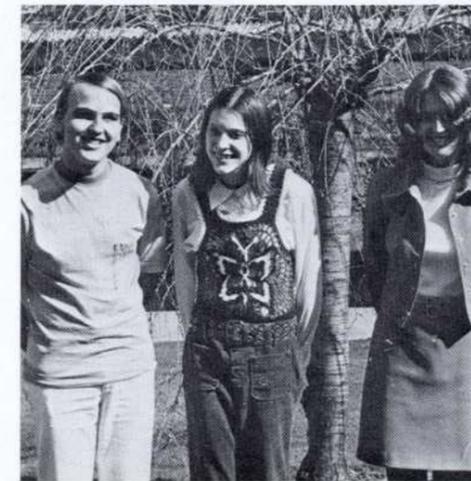
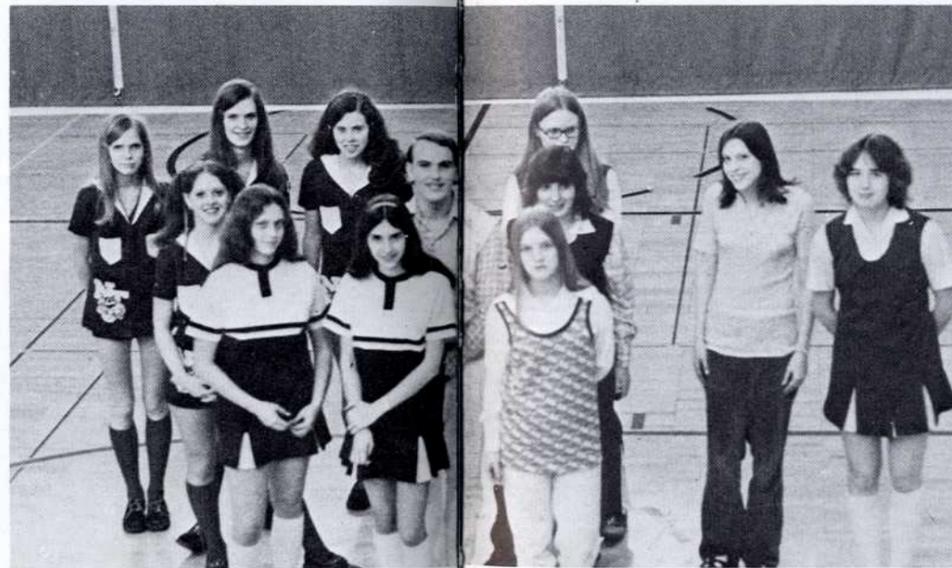


Under the direction of Drill Master, and Assistant Drill Master; the Drill Team performed at many home football and basketball games. This year the Drill Team turned away from the traditional drills and put on several dance routines which everyone seemed to like.

Bottom: Terry Paine, Tres.; Nancy Makula, Asst. Drill Master; Miss Melick, Advisor; Carolyn Fountain, Drill Master.  
Below: One of the dance routines seems to please Drill Team members.



*Drill Team and R.A.M. Club*

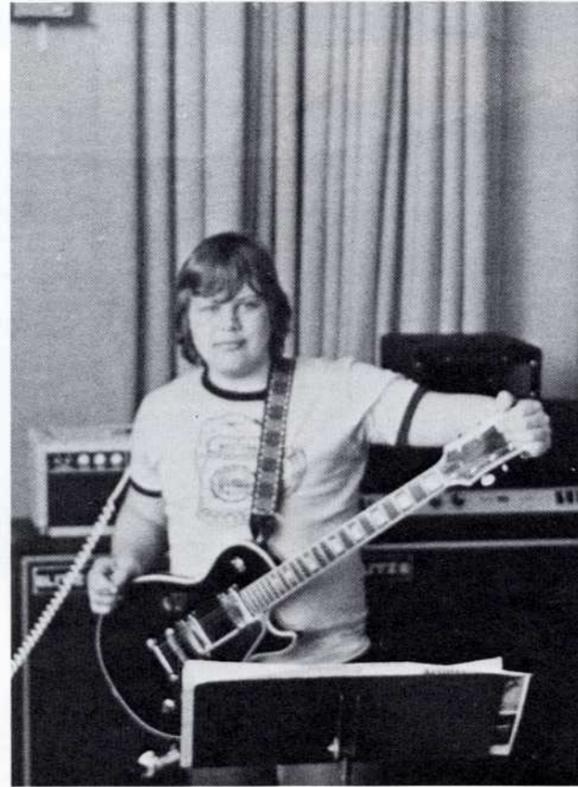
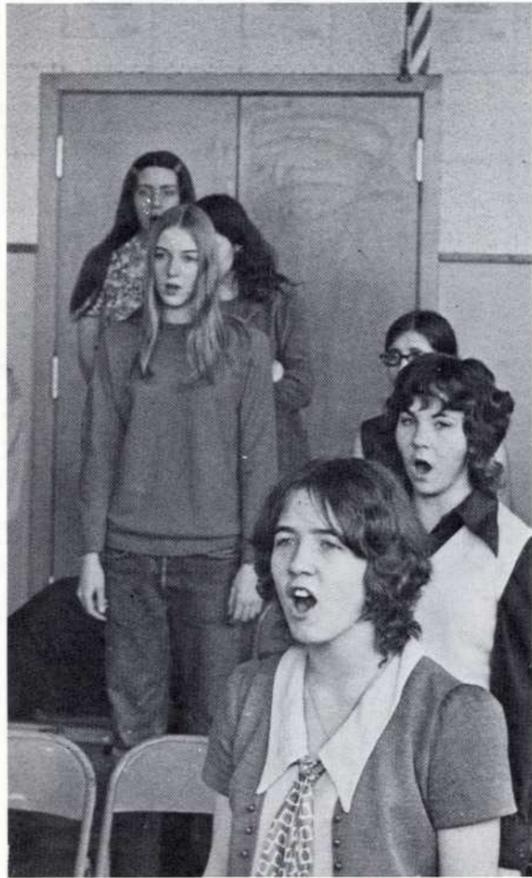
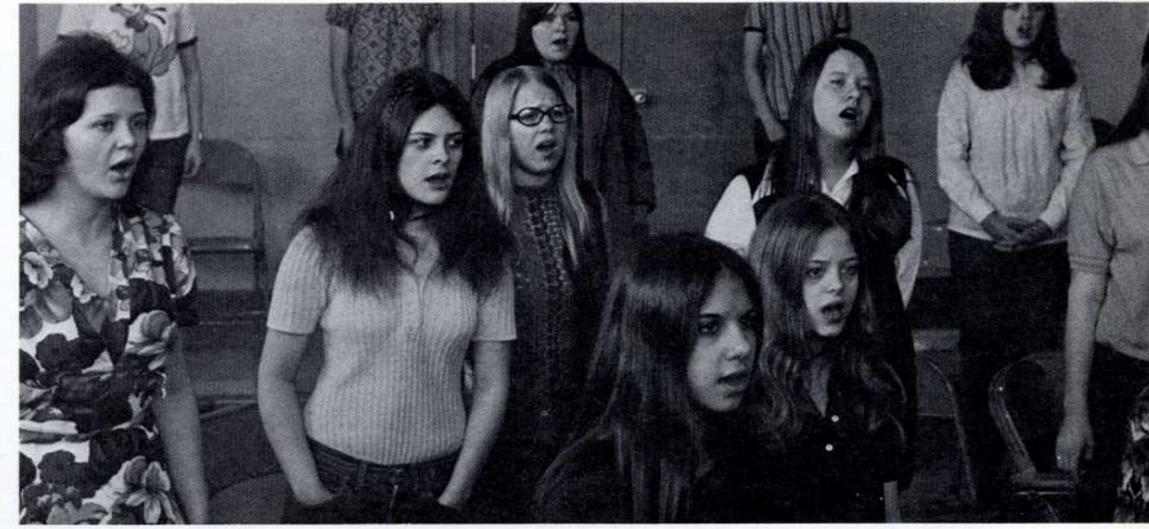


Above: Caught in the middle of an act.  
Far Left: RAM workers and pepsters  
Left: RAM Pres. Jim Colombo; Jean Dennisen, Vice-Pres.; Mrs. Foley, Advisor.

Rams Are Mighty (R.A.M.) is a school service club which includes Ram Workers and Pepsters. This club is responsible for overseeing Homecoming and hosting the sports award banquets.

## Music

Those who were involved in this year's musical activities were far from disappointed at turn outs for concerts. Everyone involved tried to put on a good show and seemingly, for once, their efforts weren't in vain. On March 25, 1972, the entire music department (with the exception of Men's Glee) went to Aberdeen to compete against other schools in contest. Some disappointment was felt over the ratings received, but members to enjoy the trip.



Above: Duane Wolfe, one of the star guitarists.  
Left: Seemingly endless hours of rehearsals.

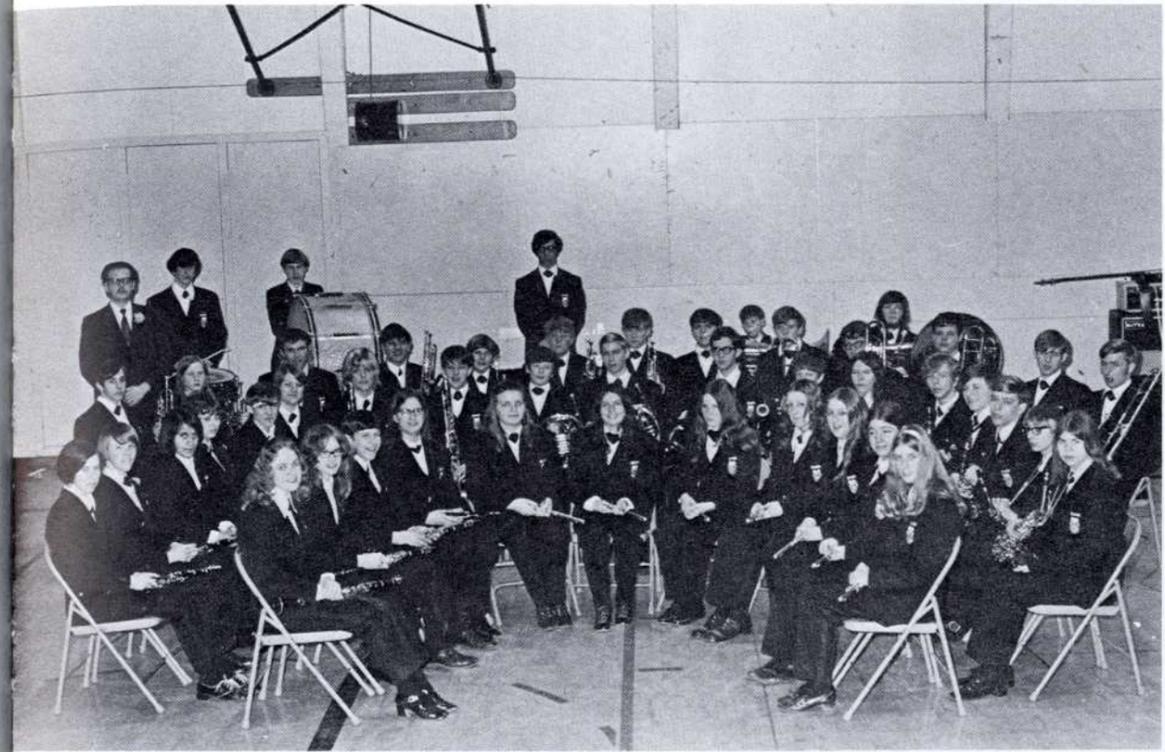


Above left: Stage Band at rehearsal for contest.  
Above: Girls; always with their mouths going  
Left: Trumpeters Roger Bird and Bill Storms take it away.

Right: Orchestra director; Mr. Edland  
Below: Do I come in this measure or  
the next one?

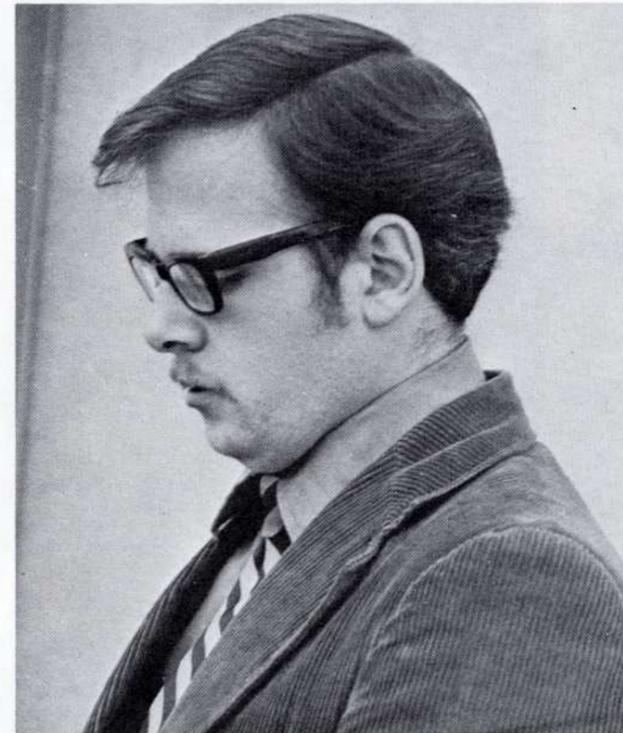
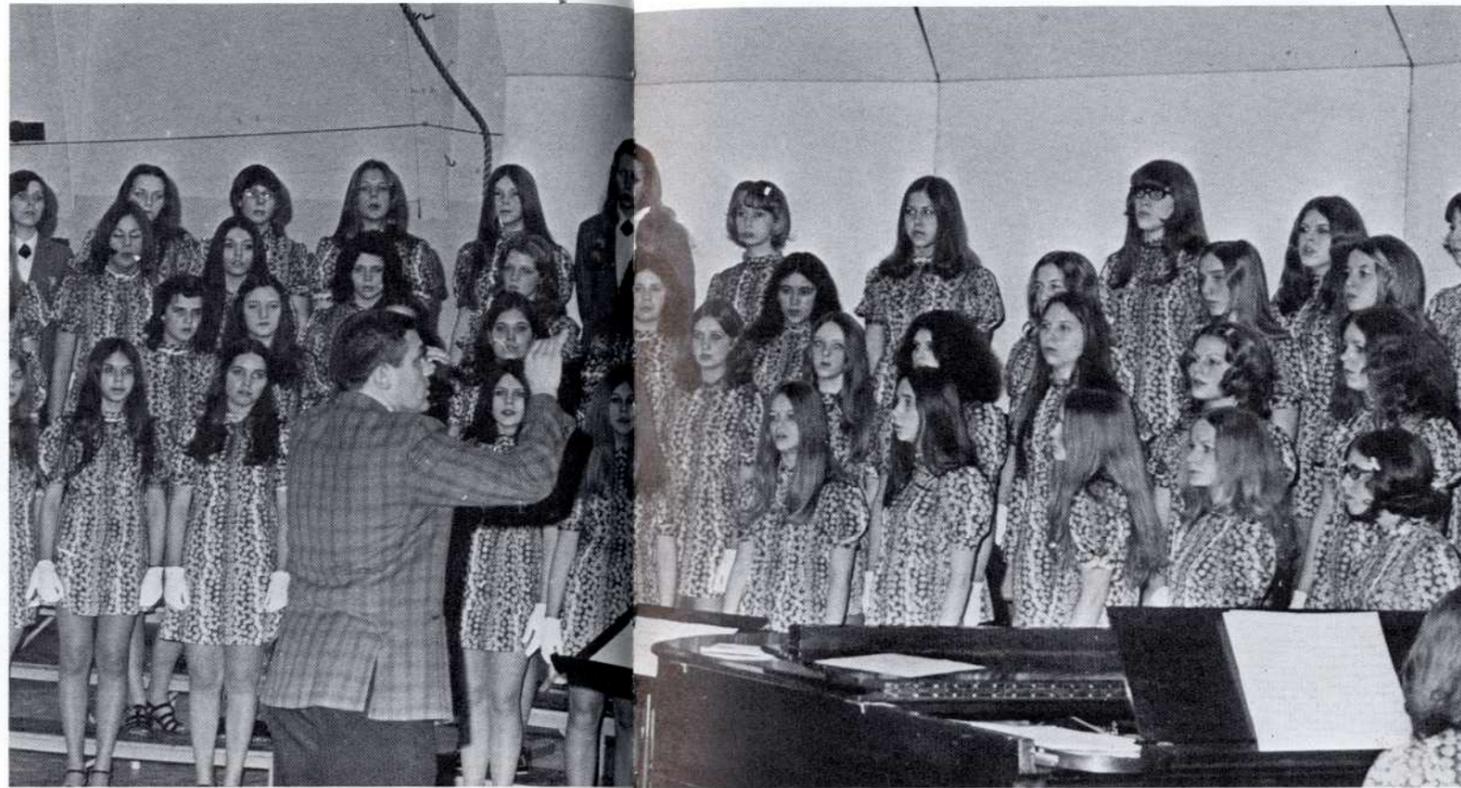
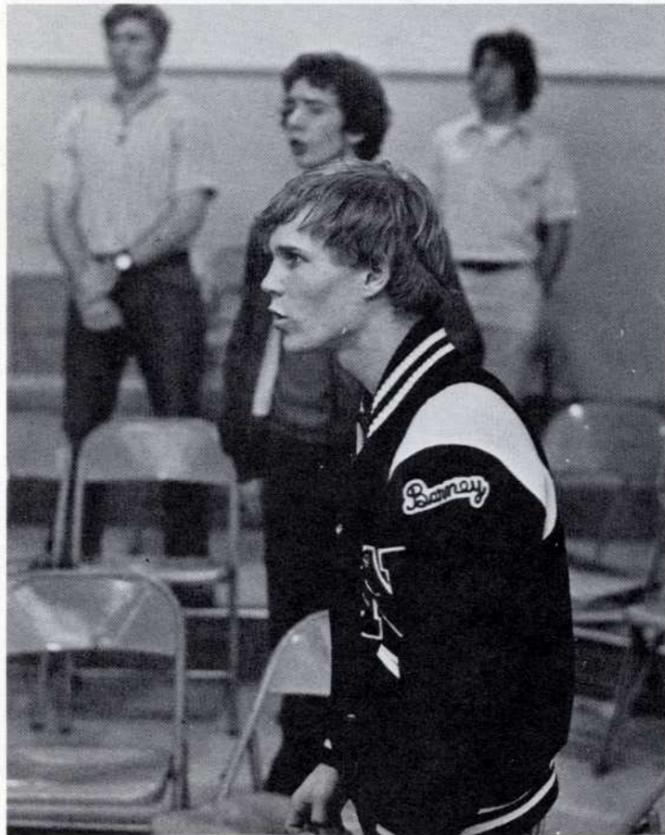


Right: The watchful eye of parents and other  
musical debutants.



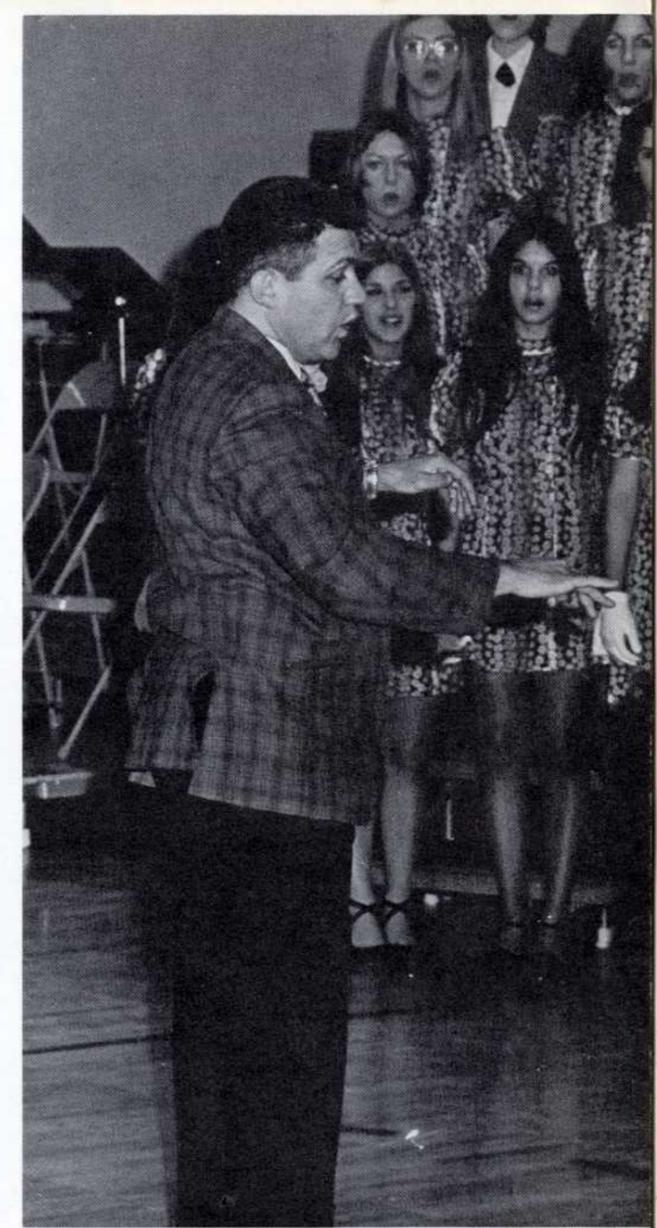
Top: Concert stage band.  
Above: Orchestra dress rehearsal.

Right: Girls Glee singing at concert.  
Below: Barney shows how to listen to the instructor.

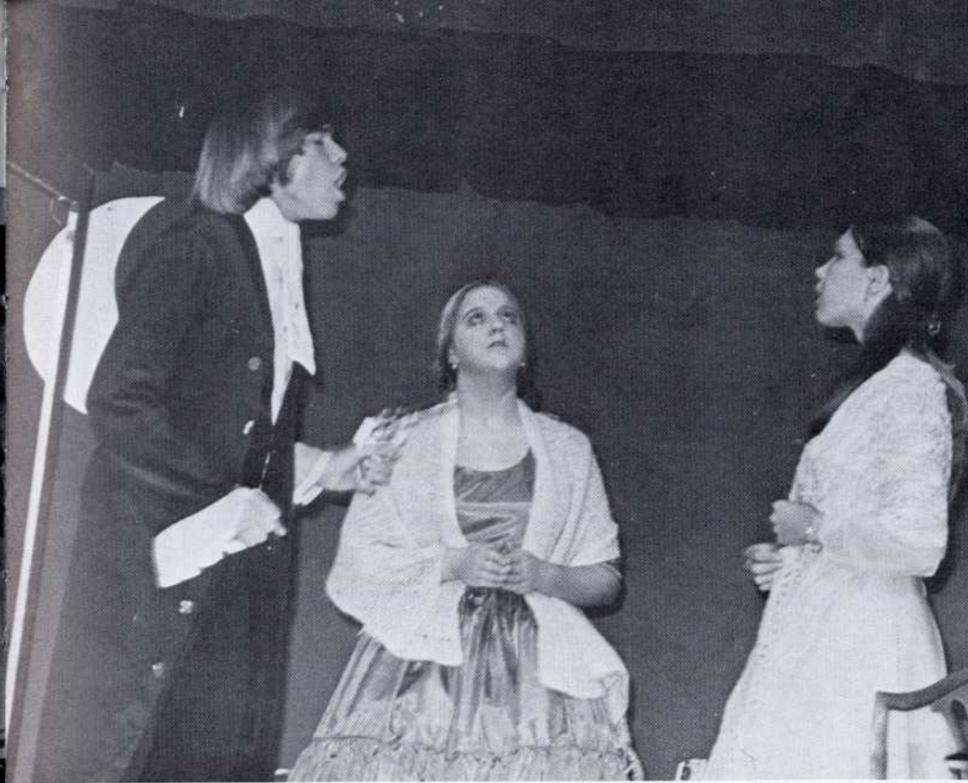
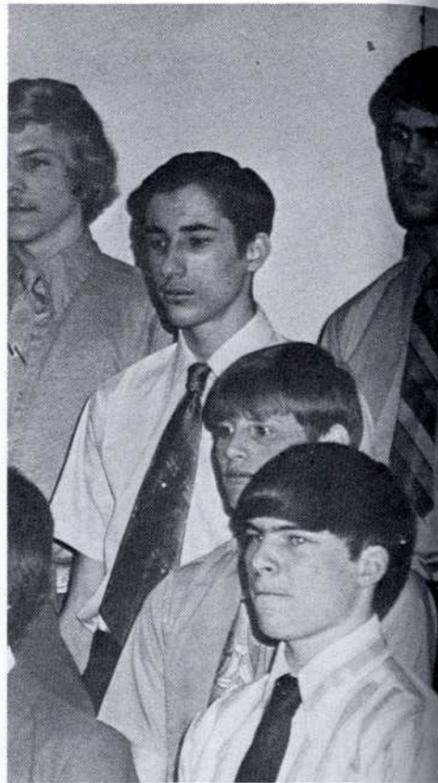


Above: Mr. Price directing Girls Glee.

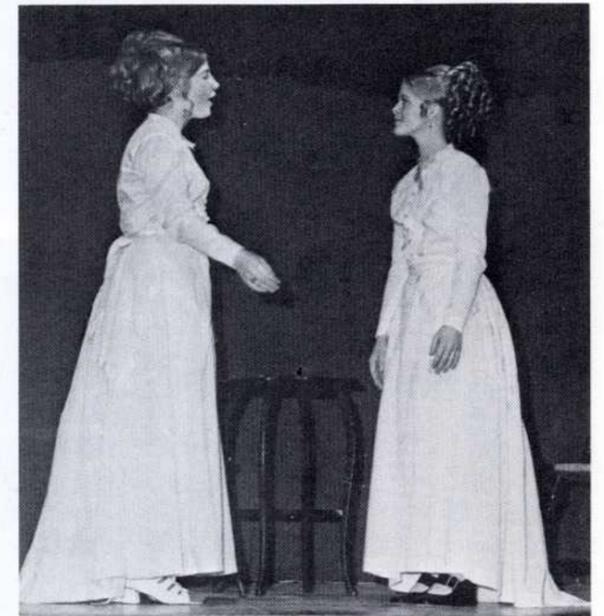
Left: Mr. Turner studying his music before concert.



Right: Mens Glee at concert.  
 Below: Madrigals leaving after singing.  
 Bottom: Madrigals singing at a NT concert.



Left: Thespian's first play; *Tom Jones*.



Above: Cecily and Gwendolyn in *The Importance of Being Earnest*.  
 Left: Elizabeth refuses Mr. Collins proposal of marriage.

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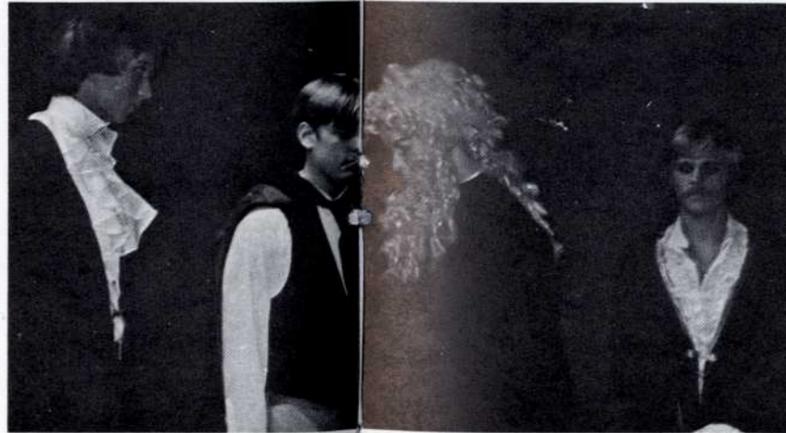
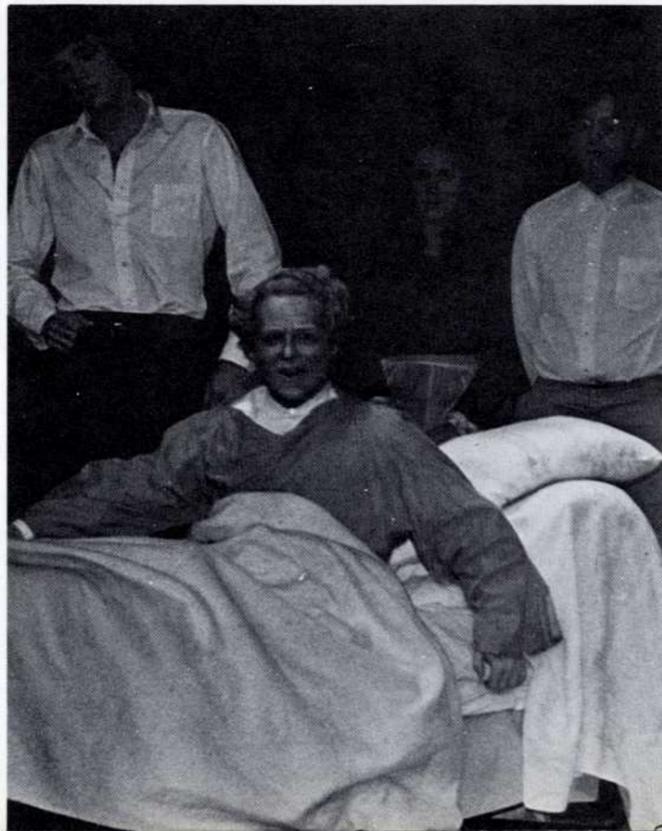
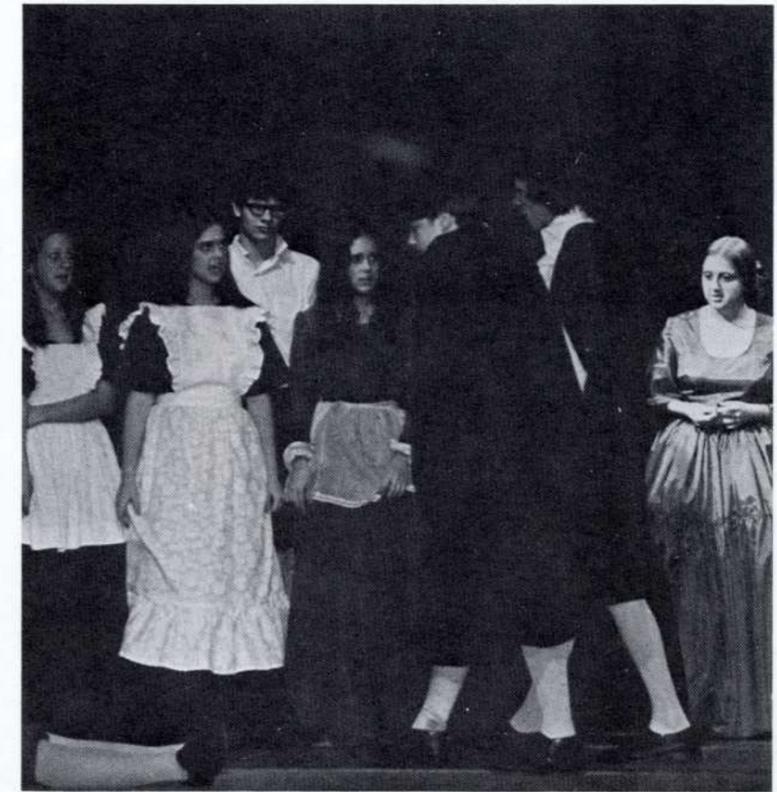
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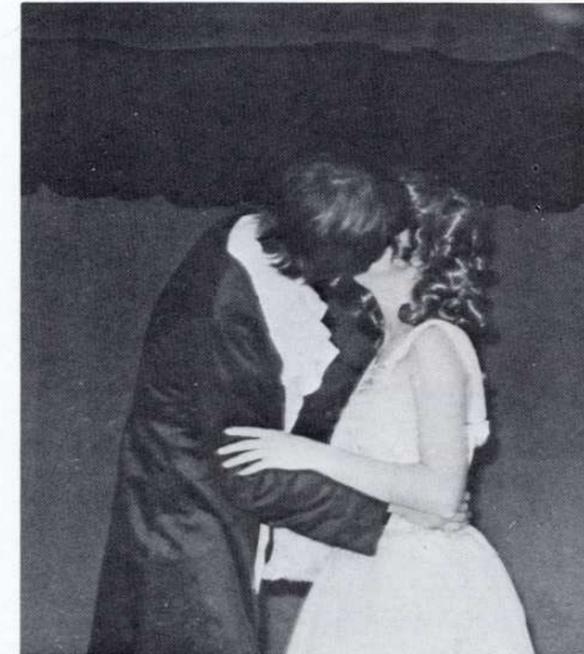
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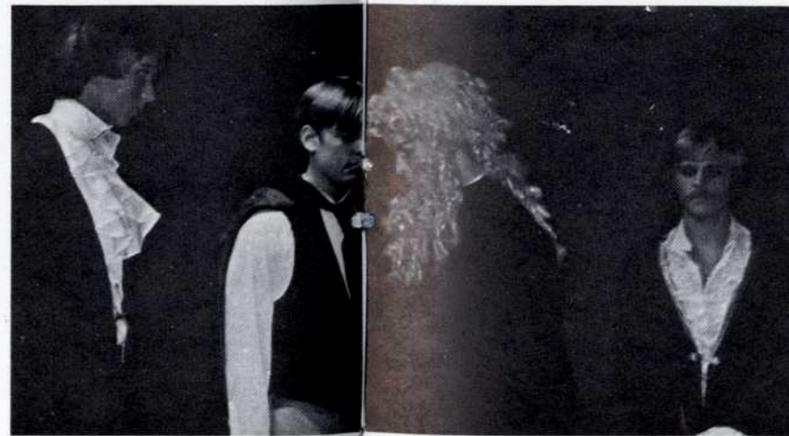
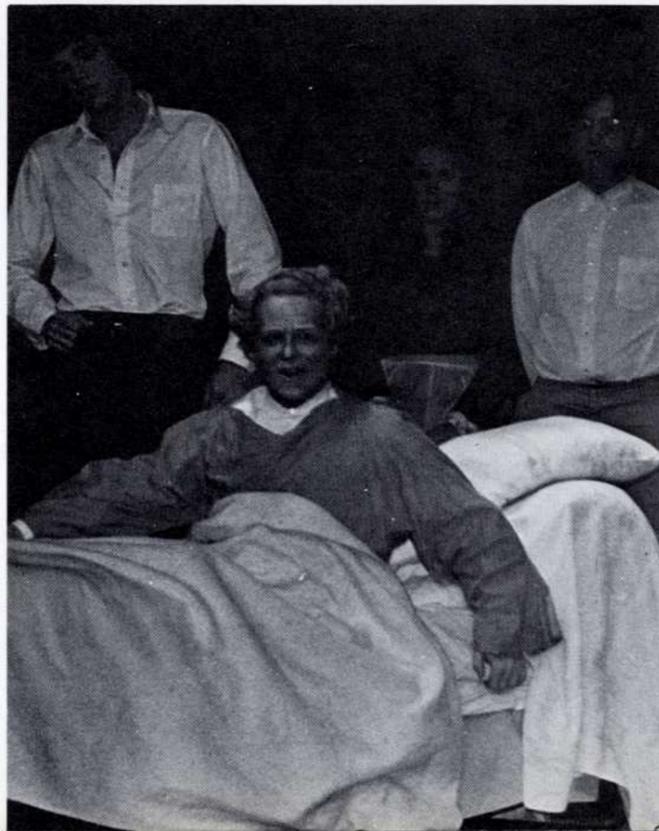
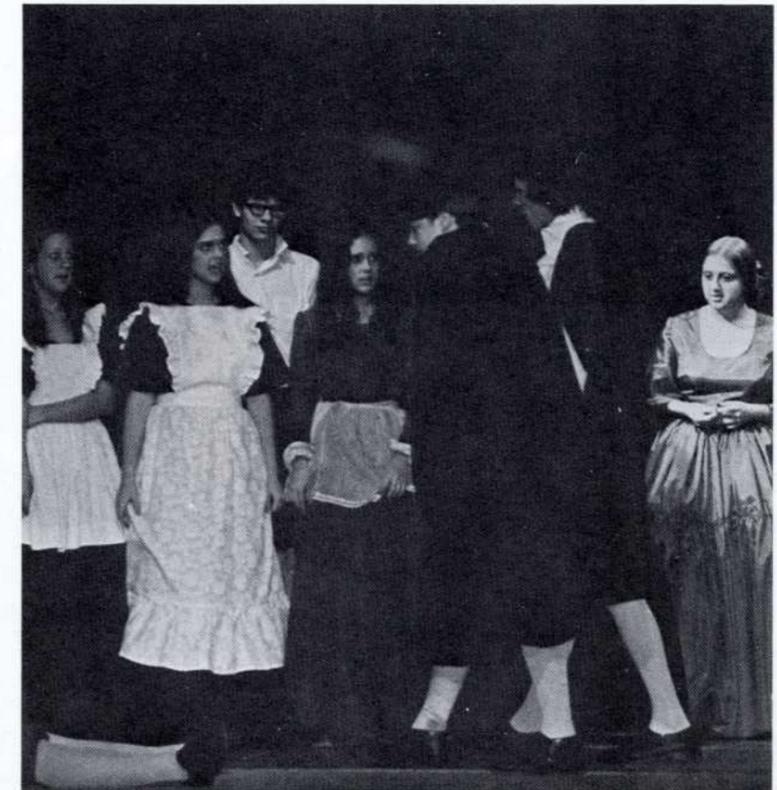
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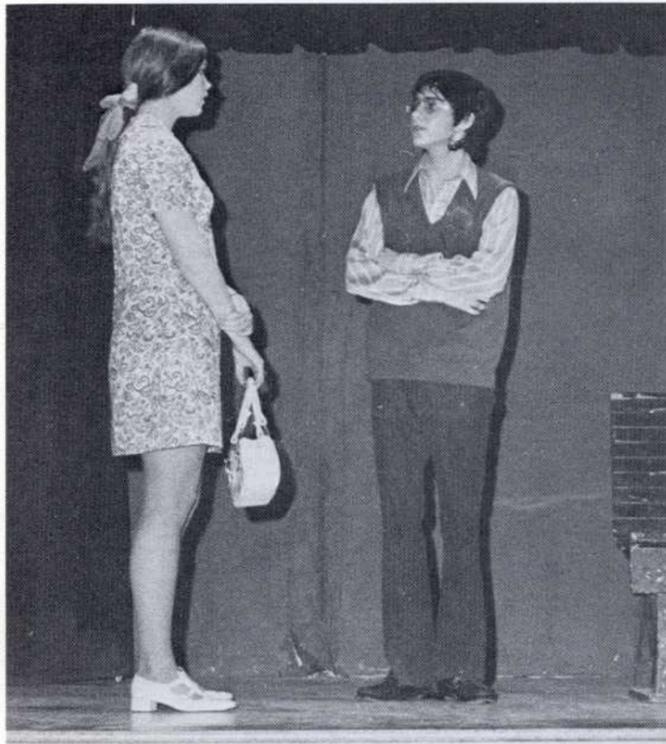


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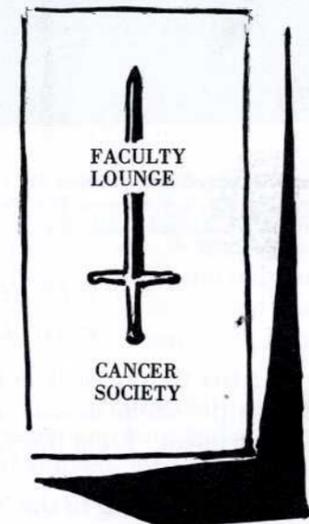
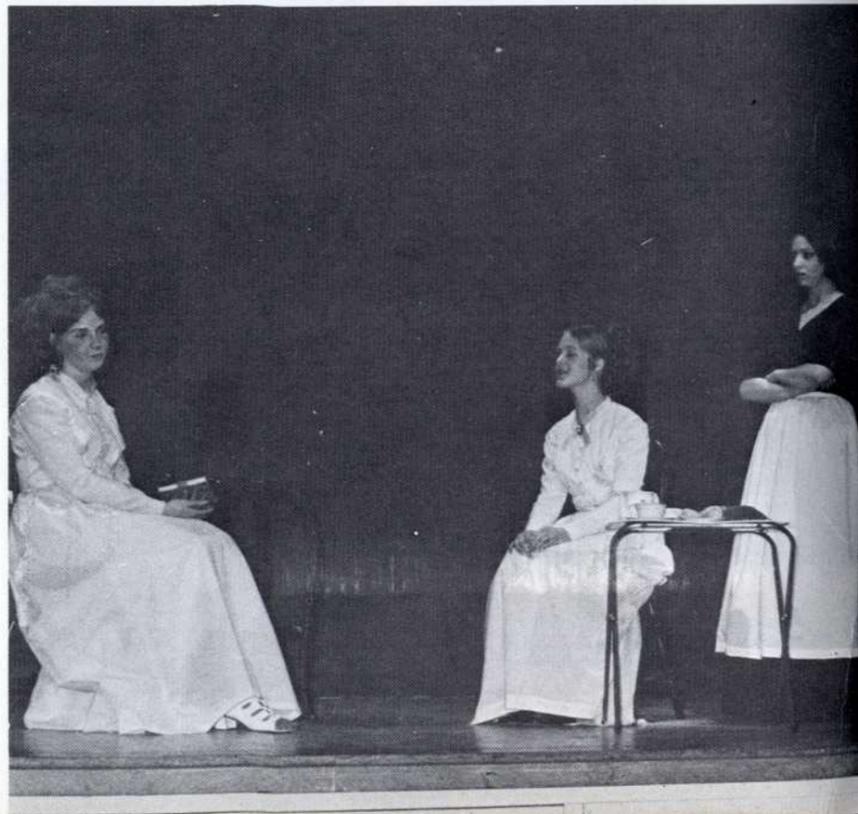


Above: Tom Jones and Sophia Western in a warm embrace.

Right: Well...Here We Are.  
Below: Girl meets Boy in Red Carnation.



Right: You're getting two lumps of sugar whether you like it or not!



*Administration*



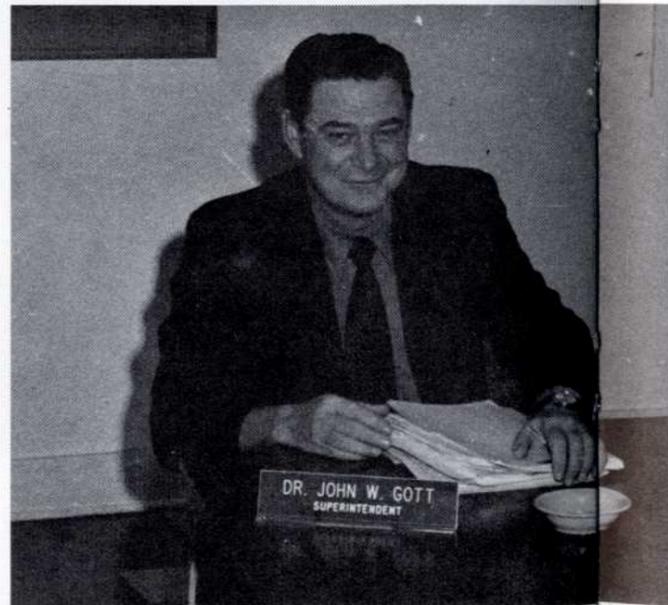
Above: Deputy Superintendent, Mr. Robert Herness; Board of Directors: Mr. Ray Alverson, Mrs. Marlyta Deck, Mr. John Howard, Dr. Richard Faylor, Mrs. Carol Duffy; Superintendent, Dr. John Gott.

*'... to serve the state and the people ...'*

After the untimely death of Dr. Peterson last year the school board set out to find a new superintendent. From this task Dr. John Gott was selected.

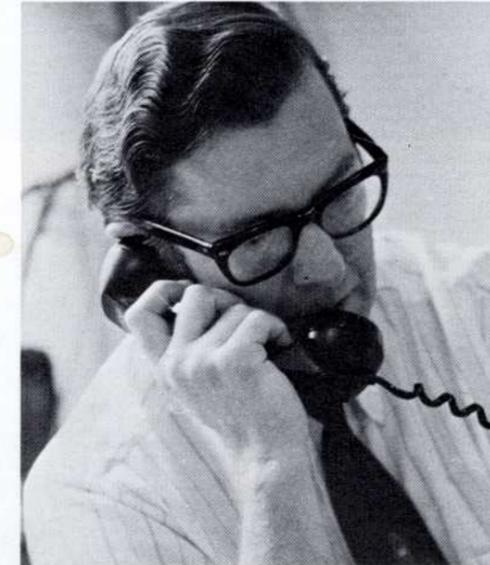
Before coming to the North Thurston School District he served as associate superintendent of Albuquerque Public Schools in New Mexico and director of the State Department of Finance and Administration for New Mexico.

Dr. Gott feels 'Schools have to serve the state and the people to justify their existence.



## Administration

Below: Mr. Thomas, a busy man.



Disciplinary action?

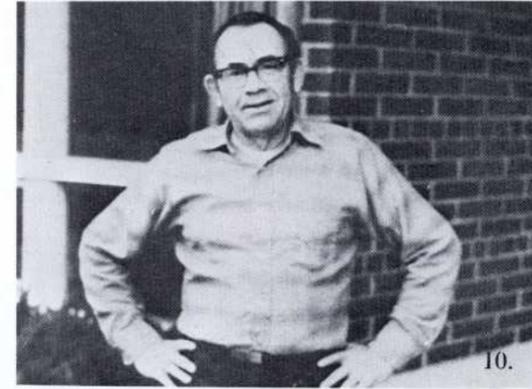
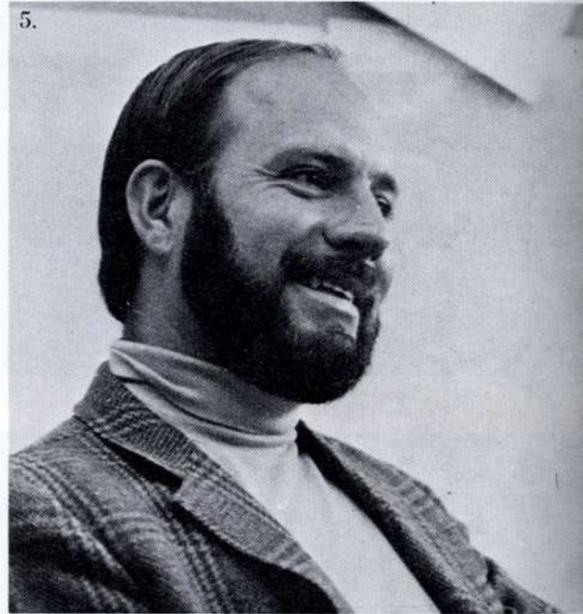
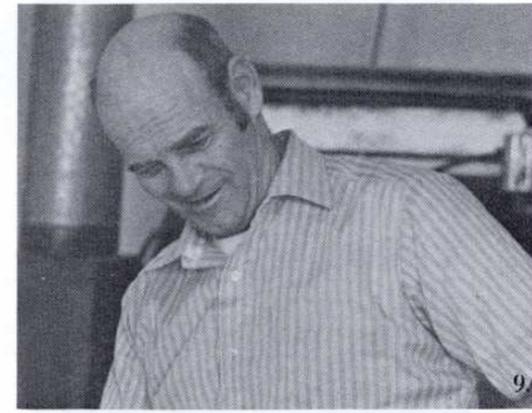


This year marks the end of Mr. Bower's long and faithful career as Principal. Mr. Bower has been North Thurston's first and only principal, but he has now decided that after a career of sixteen years, he should retire.

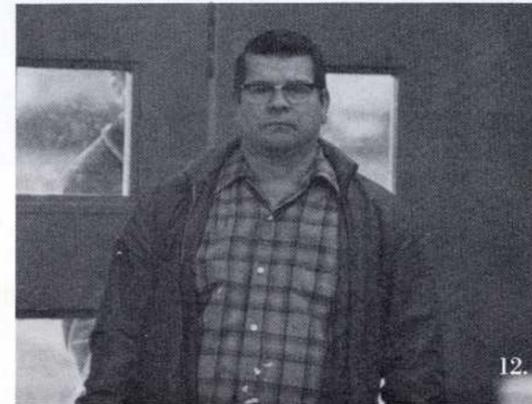
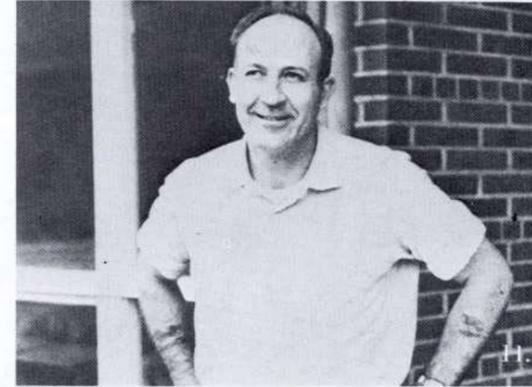
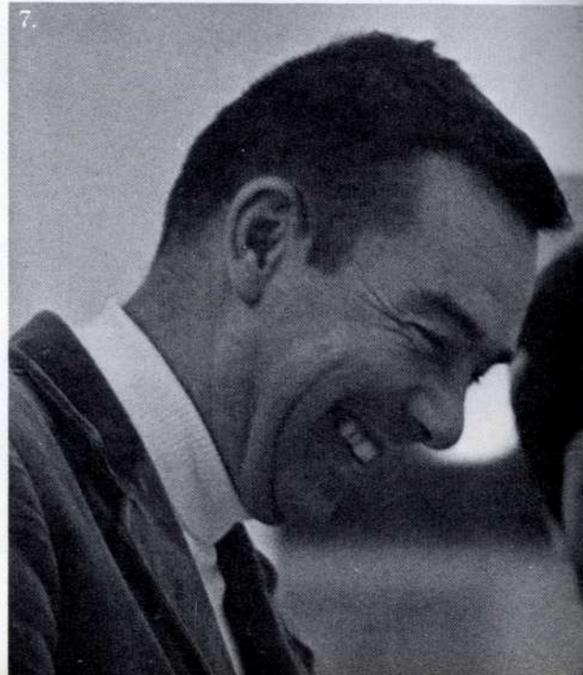
"Mr. Bower, to all those with whom you have had contact, we say, 'thankyou, for all you have done.'"

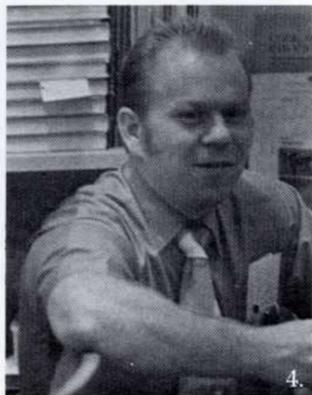
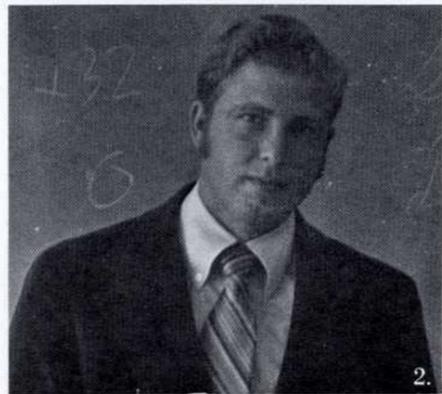
Left: The only principal Thurston has ever known, Mr. Bower.



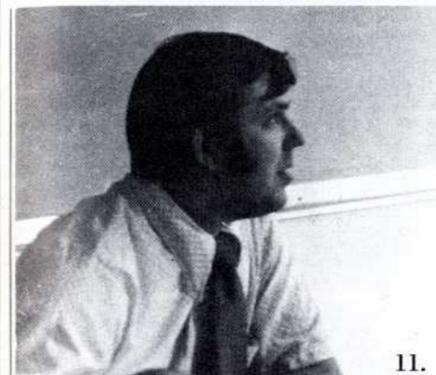
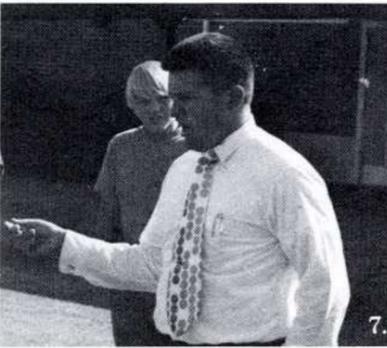
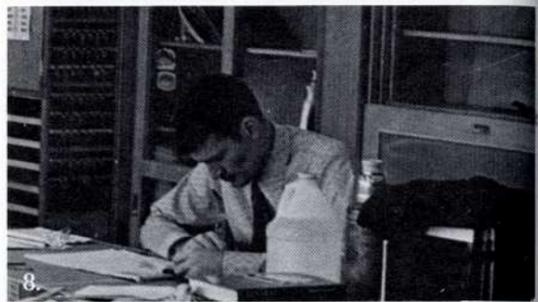


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2. Mrs. Thelma Nichols, Secretary  
Mrs. Arlene Unglaub, Secretary
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4. Mrs. Ovene Jackson, Cook  
Mrs. Shirely Fink, Cook  
Mrs. Mary Warren, Cook  
Mrs. Ester Walz, Cook
5. Mr. Jack Arbuckle, Counselor
6. Mrs. Beverly Vaughan, Counselor
7. Mr. Frank Sinclair, Counselor
8. Mrs. Nancy Ostrander, Nurse
9. Mr. Art Schlenker, Custodian
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12. Mr. Walt Bennington, Custodian

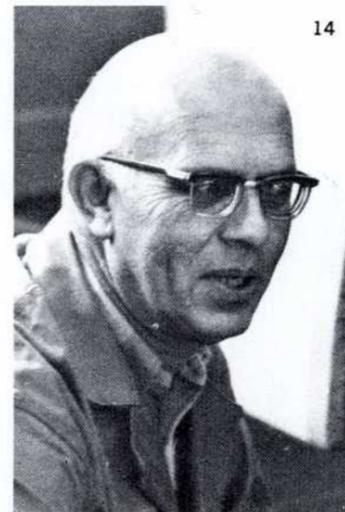


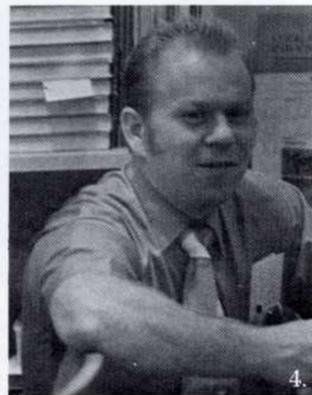
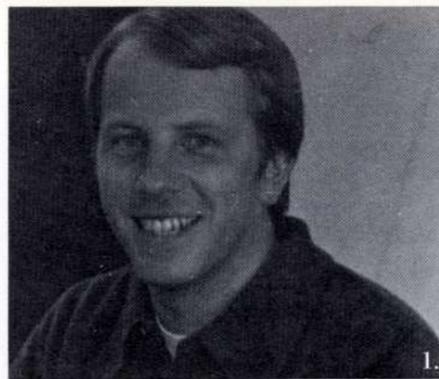


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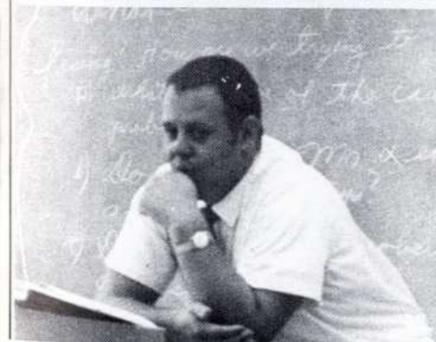
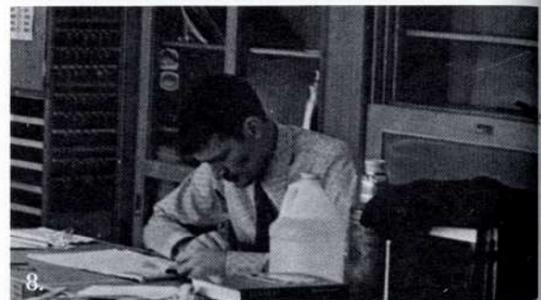
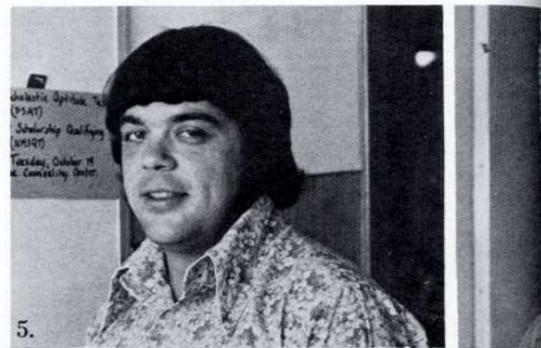


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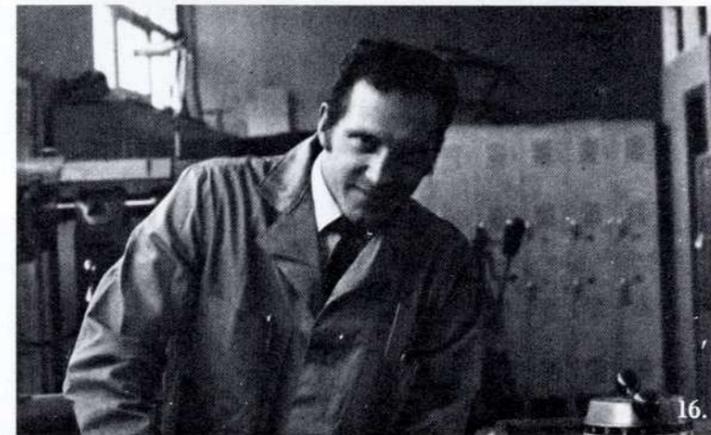




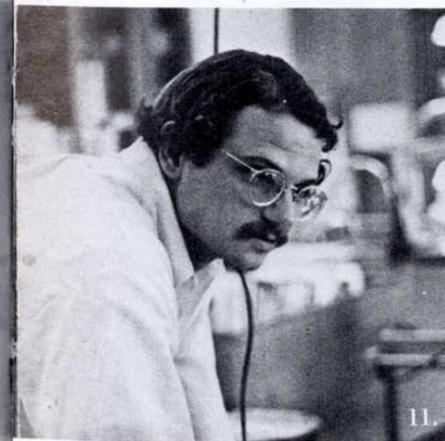
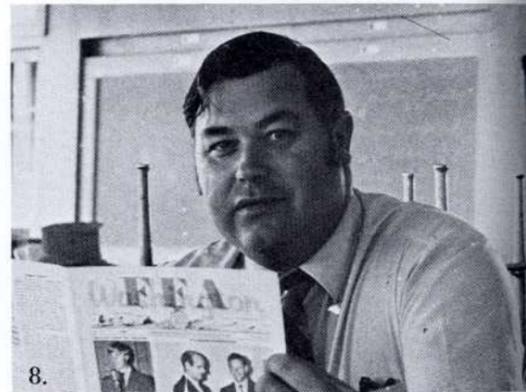
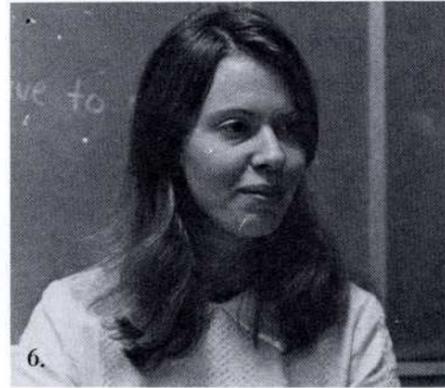
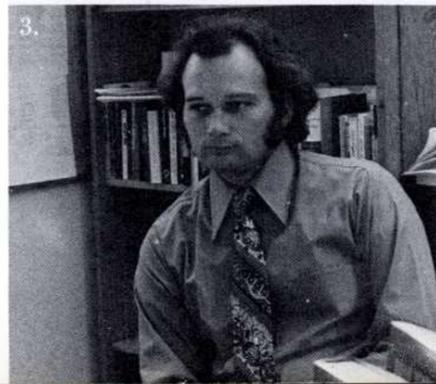
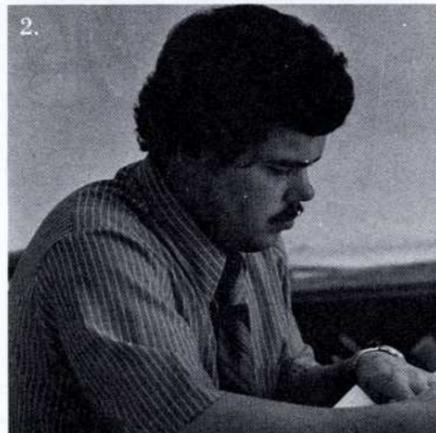
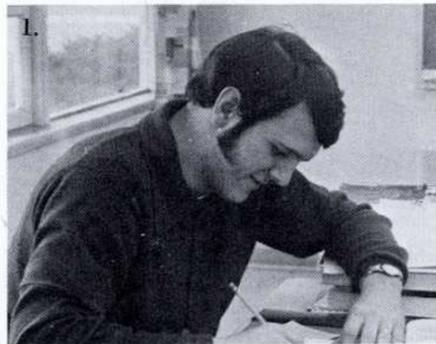
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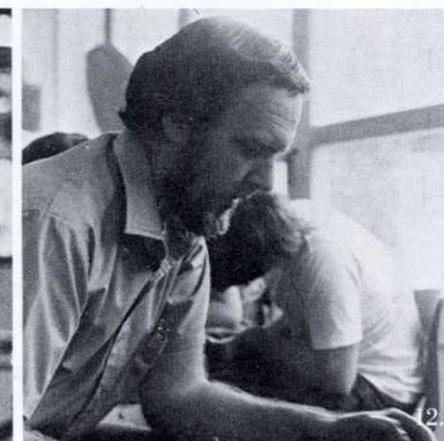
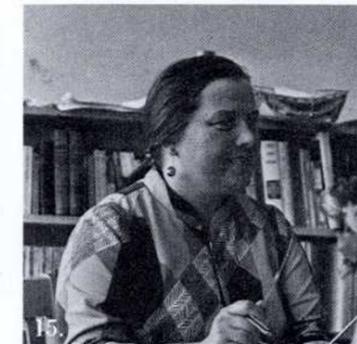
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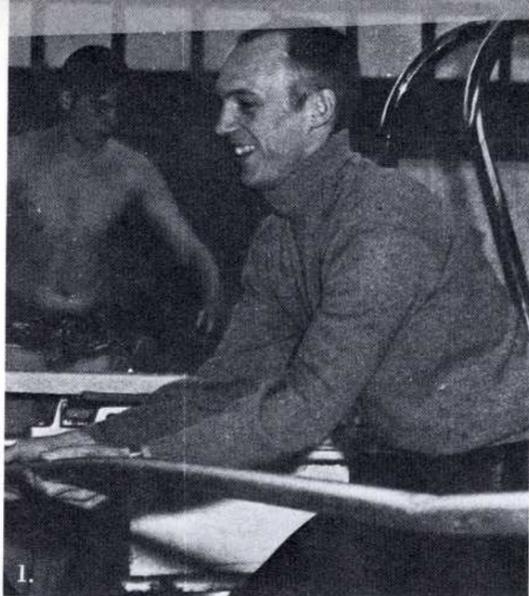
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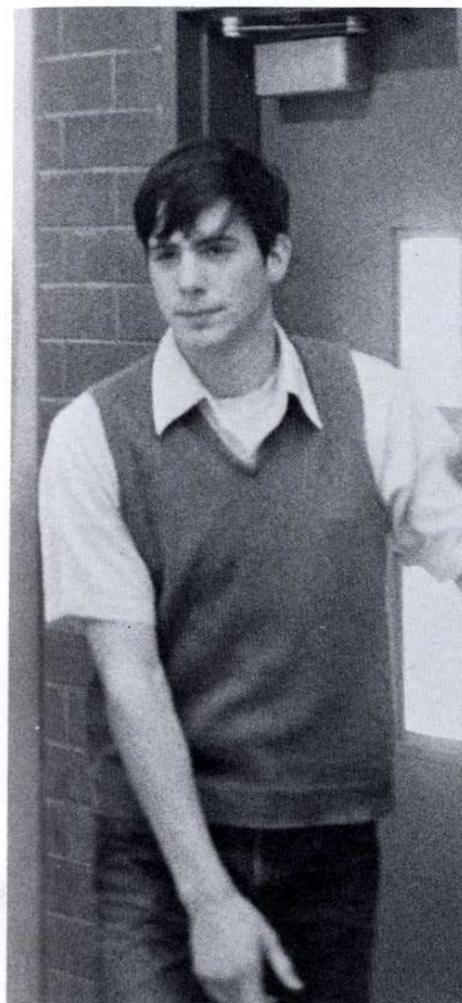
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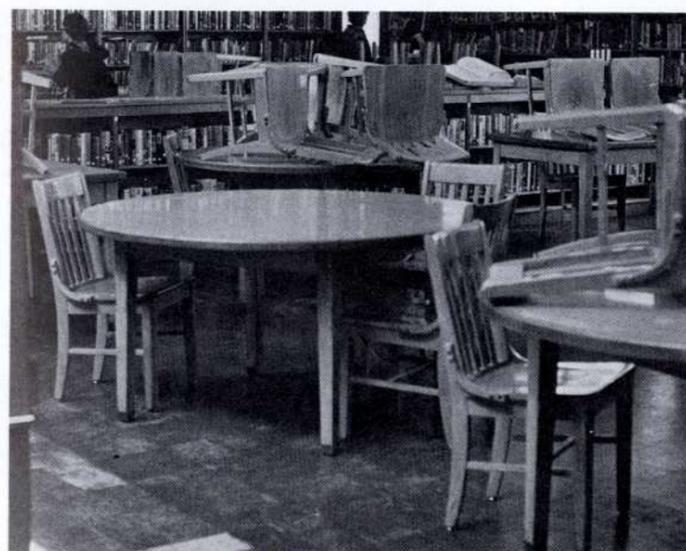


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- 4. Mrs. Foley



## *Apathy Group* *Government*

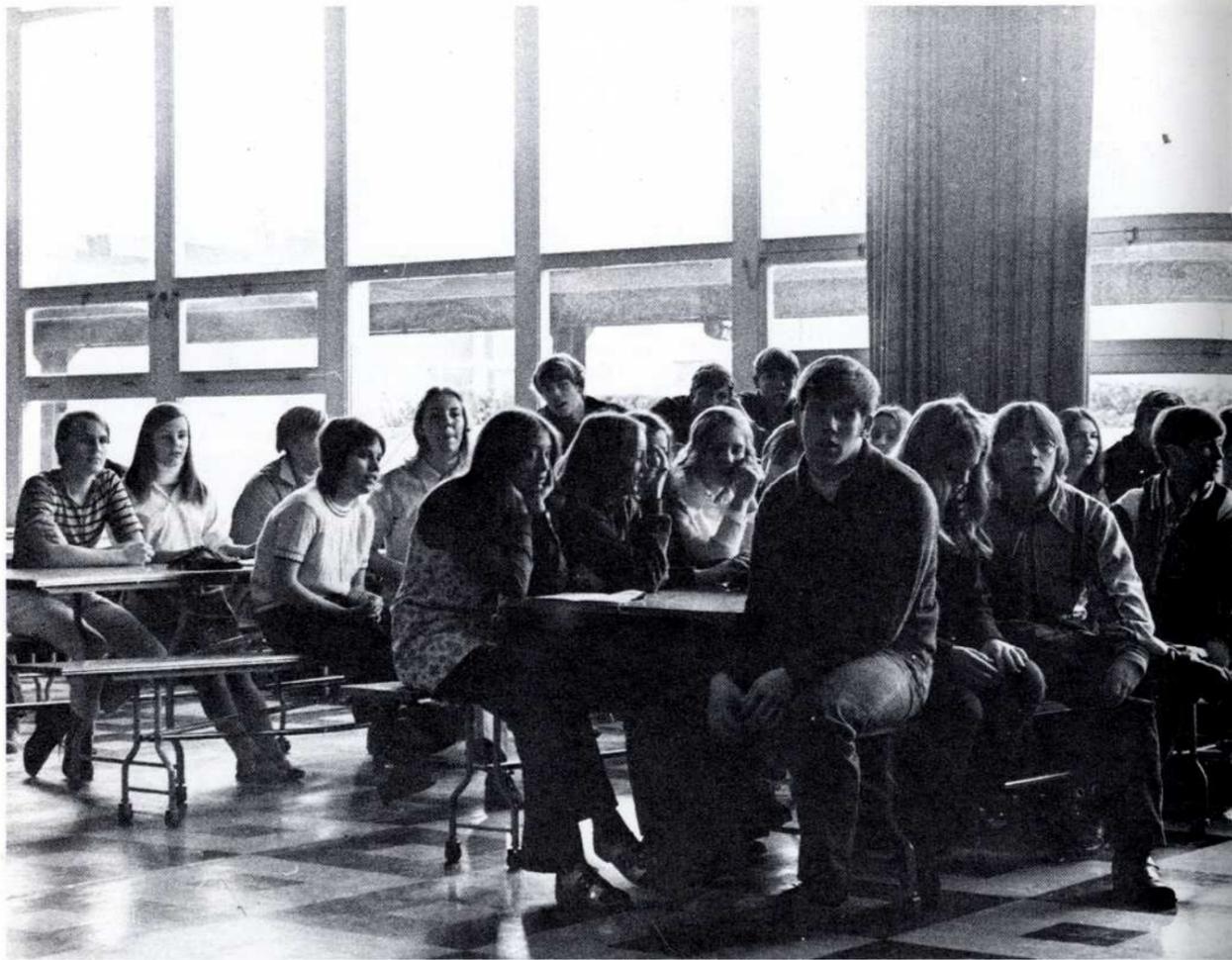
Left: Craig Reinhart, ASB President  
 Below: Presidential Advisory Board, formerly called Executive Board, its function is to advise the President and select the agenda for the Upper House meetings.  
 Bottom: Judicial Board, organized to try cases where the constitutionality of a decision is in question. They operated under a handicap second semester because, thanks to a certain faction of students, all available copies of the constitution were destroyed.



This year's ASB government was made up of two extremes. Those people that had the drive to undertake a job and finish it, and those that said they would do a job, and stopped at that.

Most pictures in this section are 'fake' (not all, however) in one way or another. Many committees pictured here held their first and last meeting for the sole purpose of picture. Some committee chairmen had forgotten they were even chairmen until we jogged their memory for them. Several advisors didn't even realize they were advisors. "What committee?" was a common answer when asked what time their next meeting would be held.

The abstract photography you will find on these pages has a simple explanation — our annual photographers had a rash of forgetfulness and seemed to have misplaced several negatives. —Sorry.



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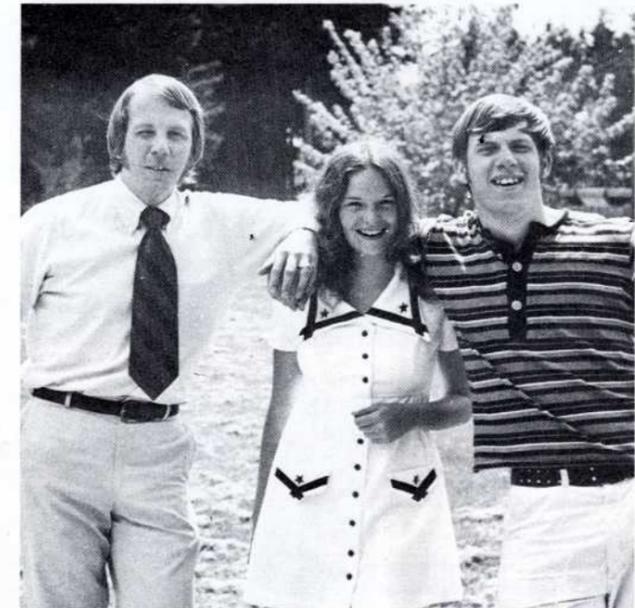
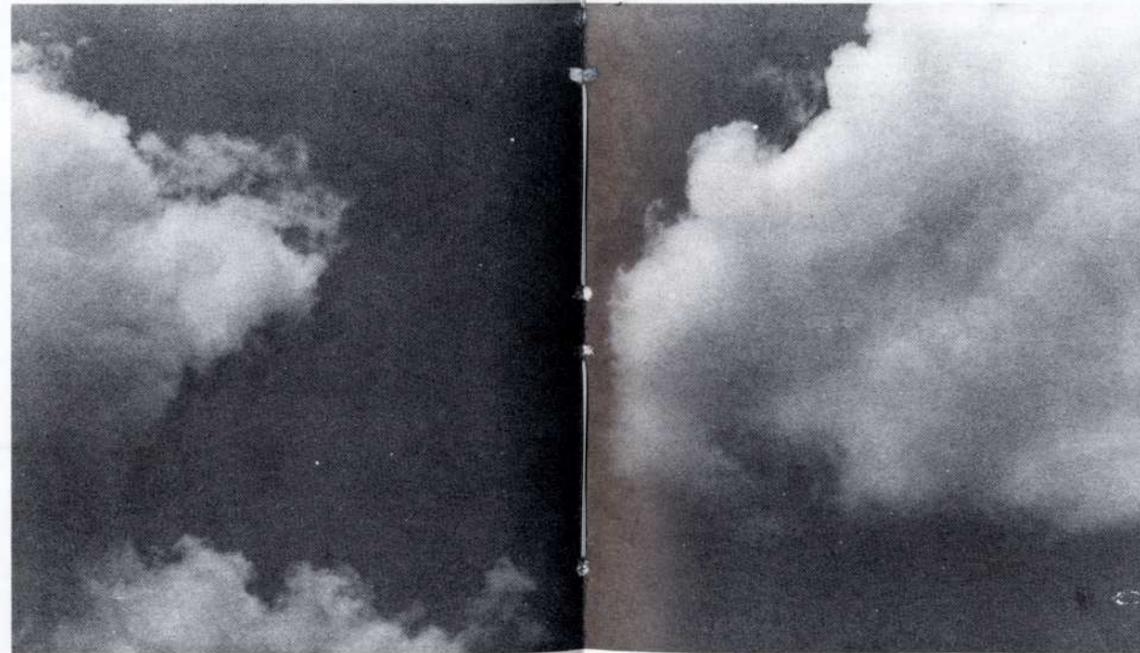
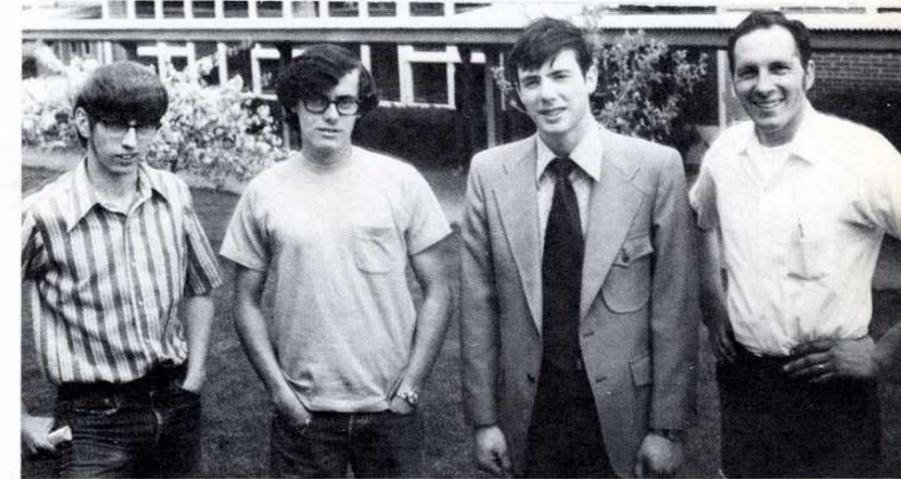
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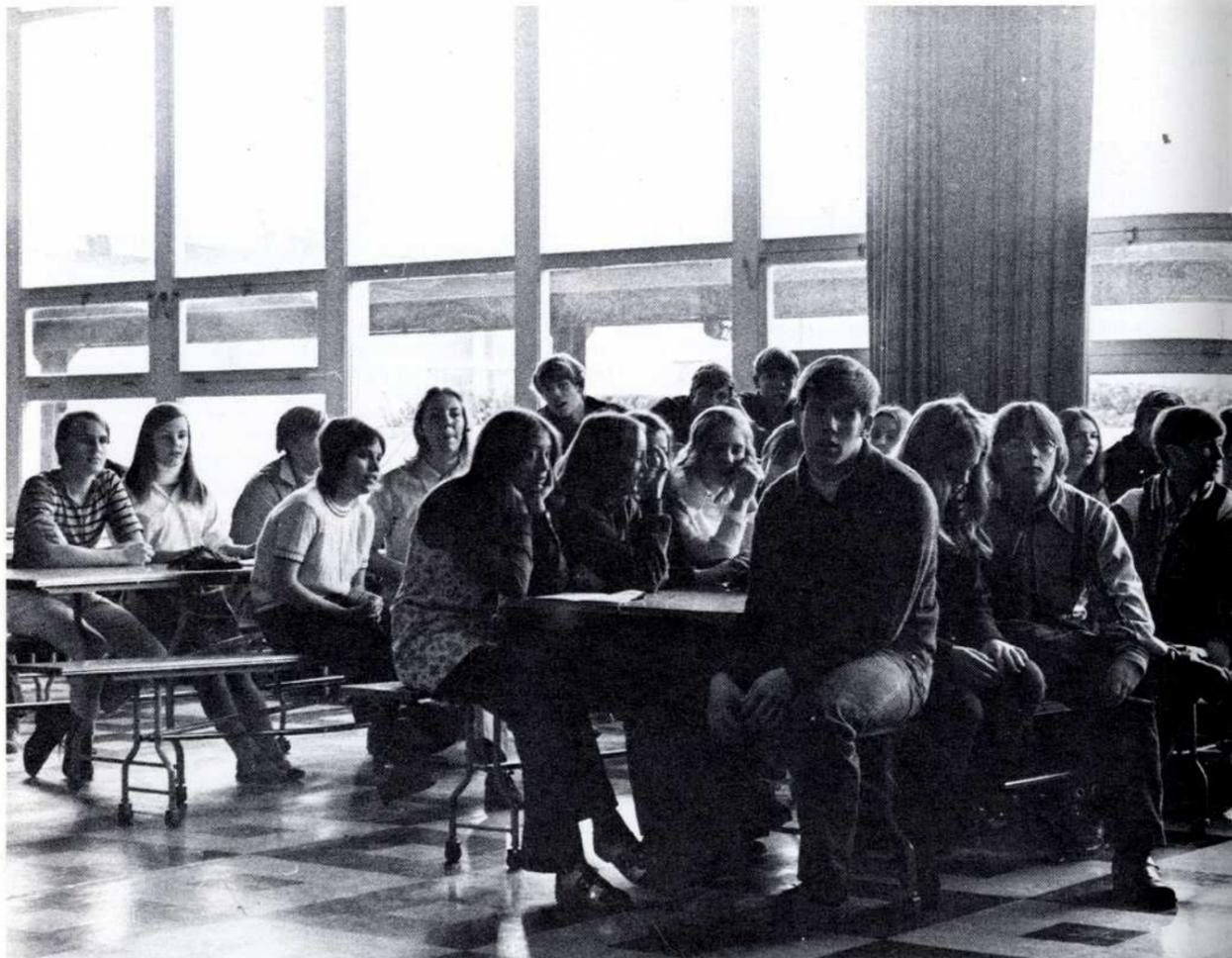
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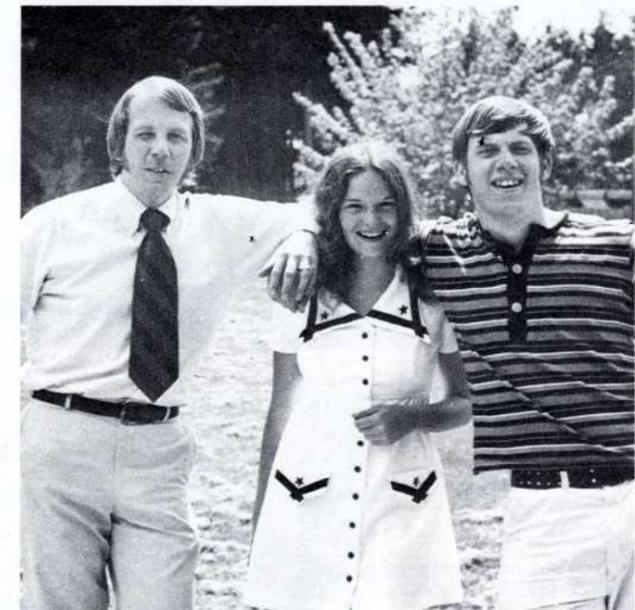
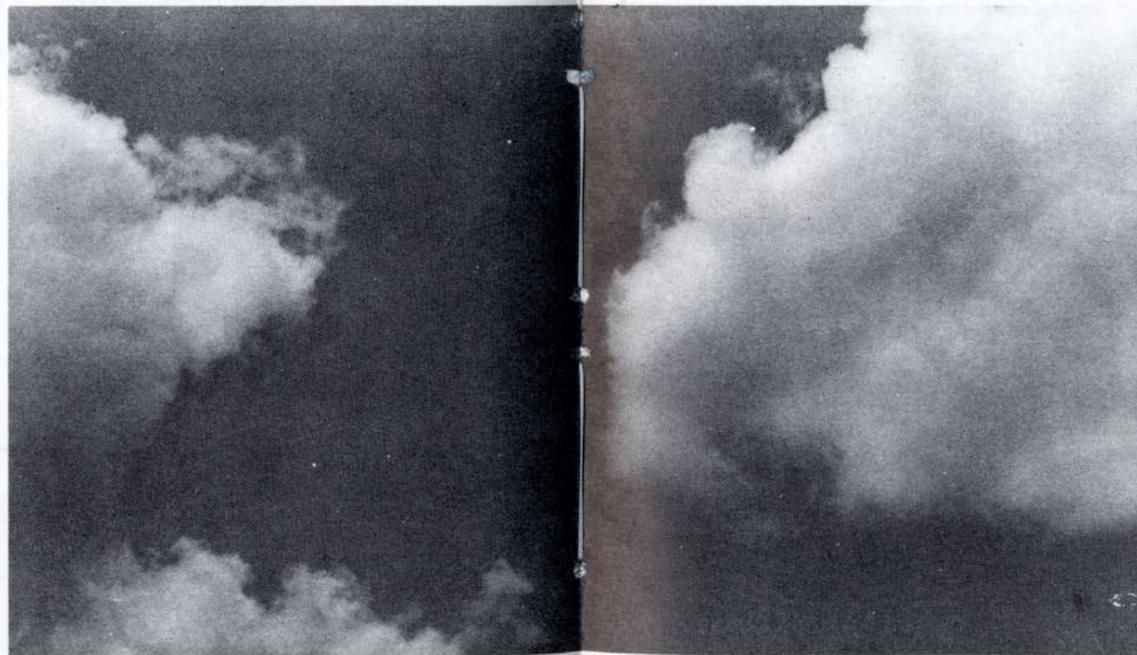
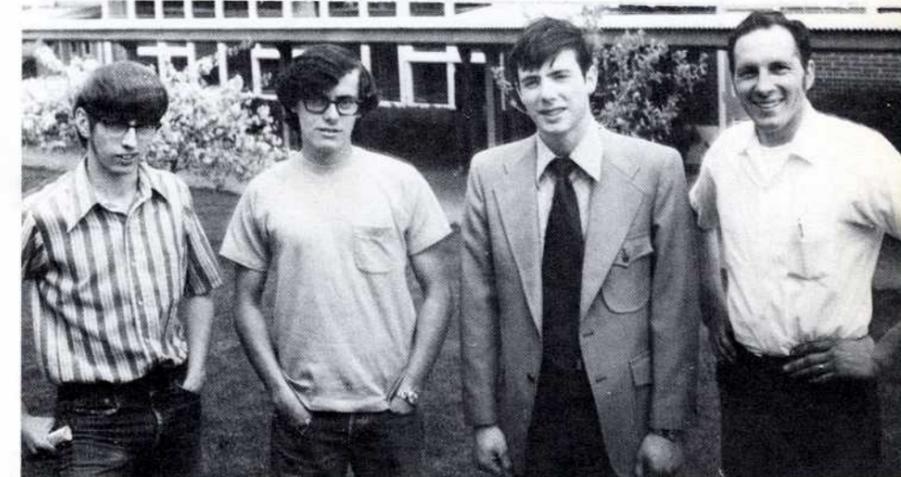
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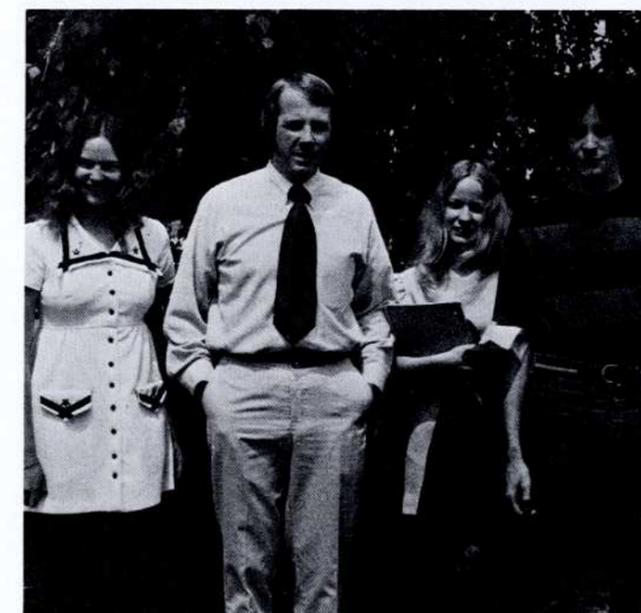
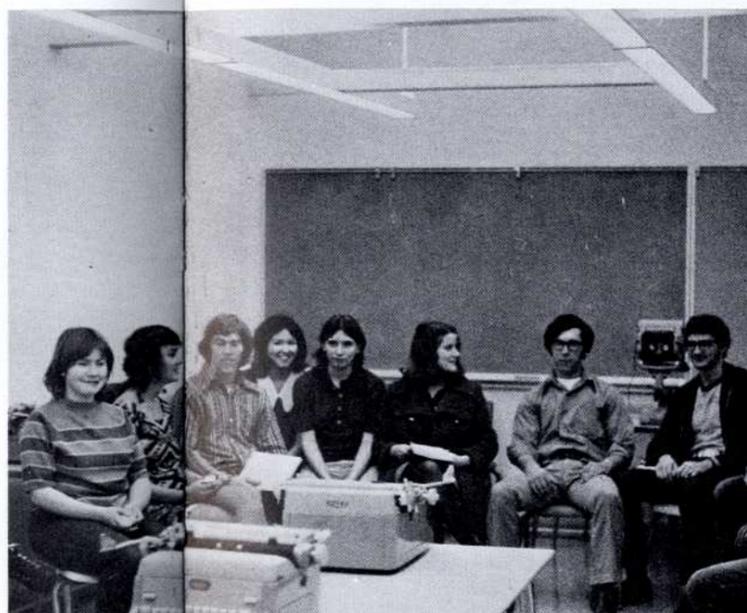
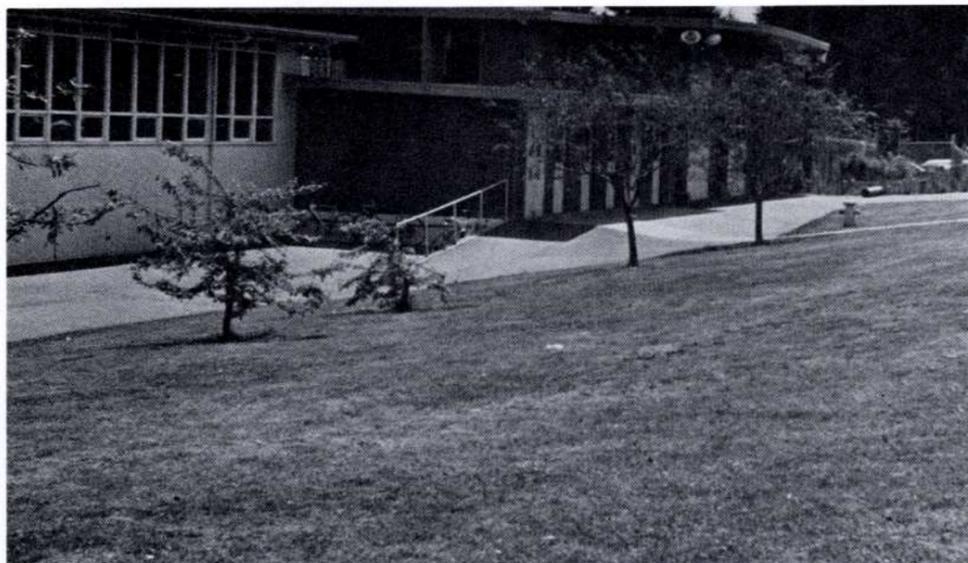
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Buildings and Grounds- This committee shall suggest improvements and projects to improve and beautify the buildings and grounds of North Thurston High School and help in carrying them out. It shall make available information on ecology and set up a program to commemorate Earth Day. *(They created a garden)*



Top: Mini Course-*(They're kinda camera shy)*

Center left: Reader board-This committee shall keep the reader board changes up to date, including all major activities. *(Good work fellas)*

Far bottom: Publications-This committee shall see that the handbook for North Thurston is published and shall help in the publishing of any other materials when required. *(We have a handbook?)*

Left center: New Students-Greet new students. Take to lunch first week. Help get acquainted. Hold orientation meetings periodically. *(The party was great fun)*

Left bottom: Service Club-The law enforcement body of Student Government did little other than sell tickets because the membership refused to become 'Narcs'.

Above: Activities-This committee shall suggest possible new activities, shall carry out such business concerning activities that the Student Council assigns to it. *(Good work group)*

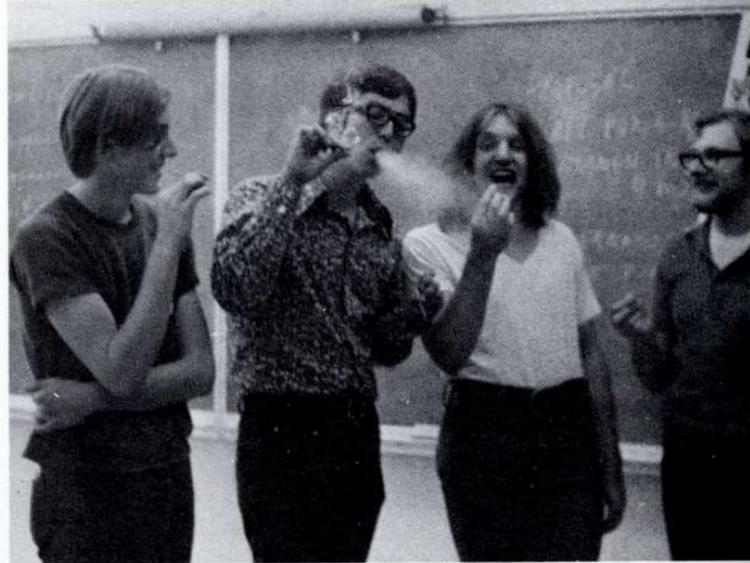


Right: Calendar-This committee shall draw up the annual school calendar. *(And they did)*

Below right: Drug Information-This committee shall educate the school on drugs, drug abuse, and drug use. *(Tell us all about it)*

Below: Assemblies-This committee shall plan all assemblies, except for national assemblies. *(“What committee?”)*

Far below: Budget and Finance-This committee shall assist the Treasurer in any way possible. The chairman shall be the Treasurer.



Above: Fire & Safety-This committee shall conduct a minimum of two fire drills per month, shall conduct a minimum of one evacuation drill per semester, and shall conduct periodically, inspections of the buildings and grounds to investigate unsafe, hazardous conditions. *(Evacuation drill?)*

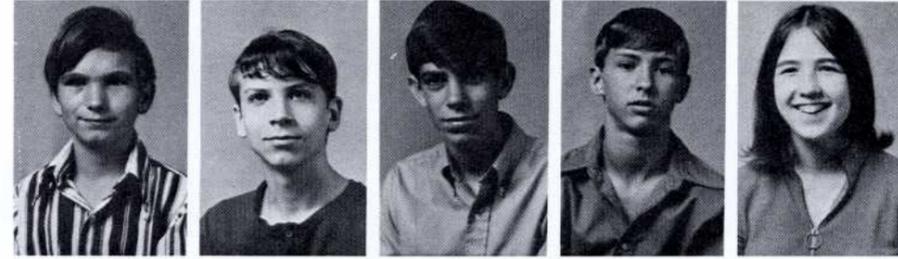
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# Freshmen Class

Right: Kelly Conway, Freshmen class president.  
 Middle: Kelly Conway and Mr. Koval, class advisor.  
 Below: Tim Kenmir and Debi Comstock, class cheerleaders; Sue Harris, Vice-president; and Dana DeTray, secretary-treasurer.  
 Bottom: Mrs. Strong and Mr. Koval, class advisors.



Barb Ahlf  
 Louanne Allen  
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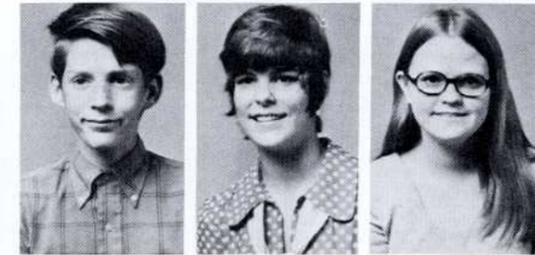
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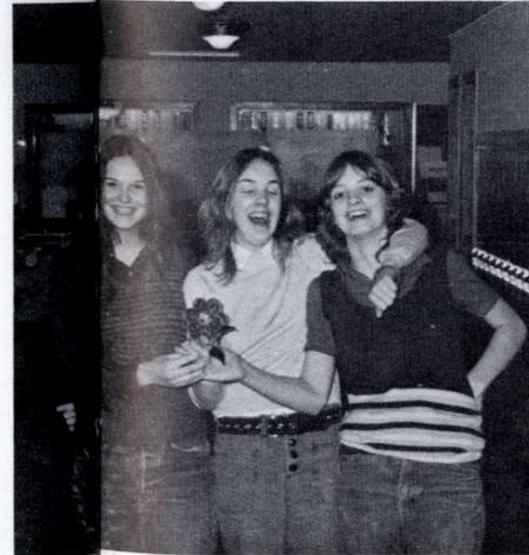
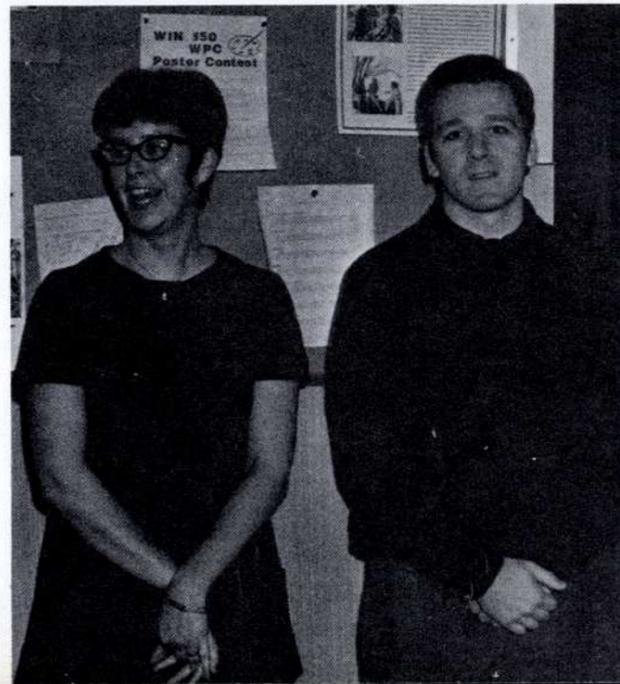
Dick Bedford  
 Sue Beggs  
 Ives Bernstein



Keith Berry  
 Patti Berry  
 Patti Billey

When the school year '70-71 began, so did the freshmen class. They entered Thurston to take the role of the youngest class and to suffer the inevitable, though outlawed, initiation ceremonies and then take all the jeering and jibbing that the upperclasses hand out.

This didn't seem to phase most freshmen and they soon learned to enjoy the new found freedoms that high school life offered them.

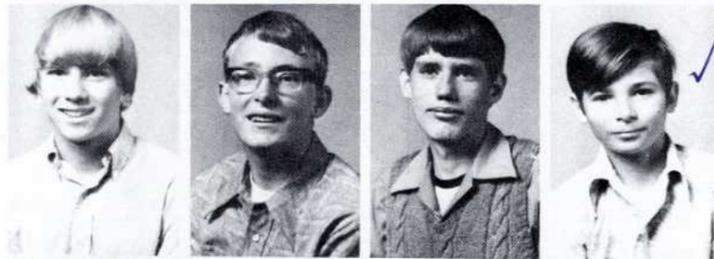


Left: School's not all study . . .

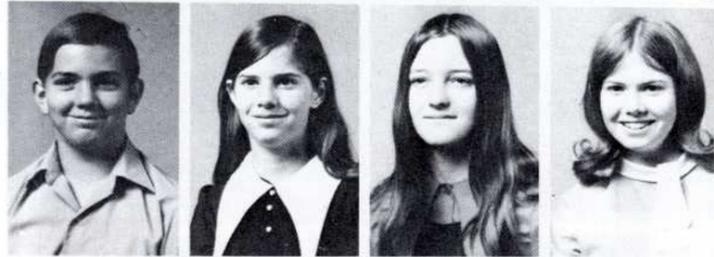
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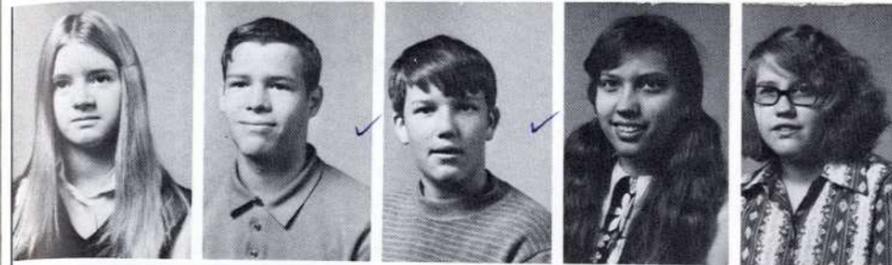
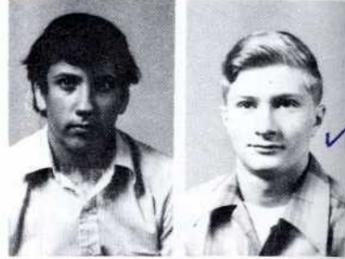
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Stephanie Brown  
Sue Browne



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Judy Burggraaf  
Neil Bush  
Gary Butler

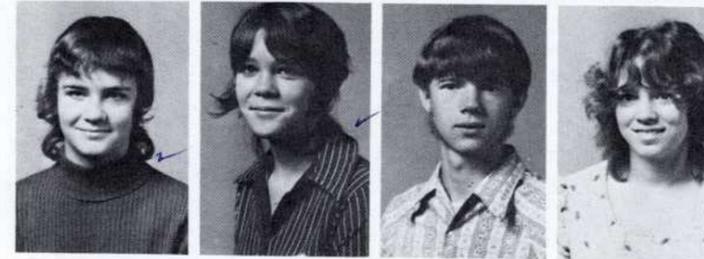


Right: A well practiced Drill Team performing at one of the many basketball games.



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Rick Callies  
Cathy Callison  
Robert Canfield  
Tim Canfield  
Cathy Cappuccio  
Edna Cappuccio

Joe Cappuccio  
Keith Cebell  
Frank Cerniwey  
Jody Christoffer  
Denton Clark  
Greg Clark  
Vicki Cline



Carolyn Collins  
Debi Comstock  
Kathy Conn  
Keily Conway

Debbie Cooper  
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Julie Crapo

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William Davenport  
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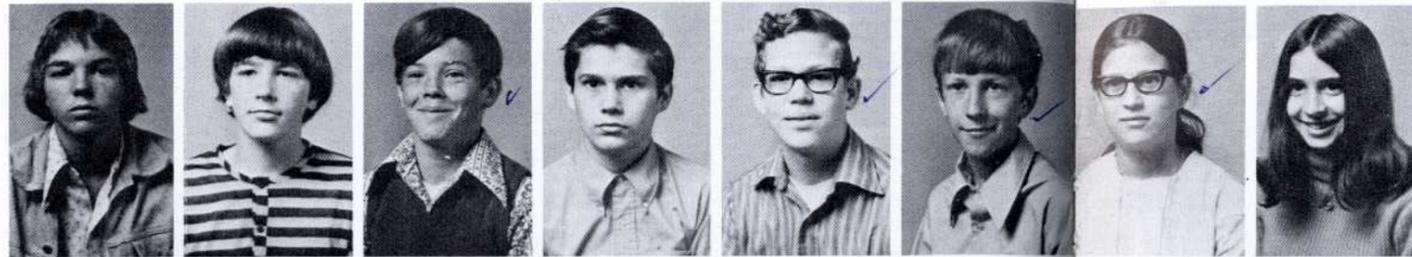
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Sue Deloney  
Tim Donges



Lonny Griffin  
 Doug Grimm  
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Sue Harris  
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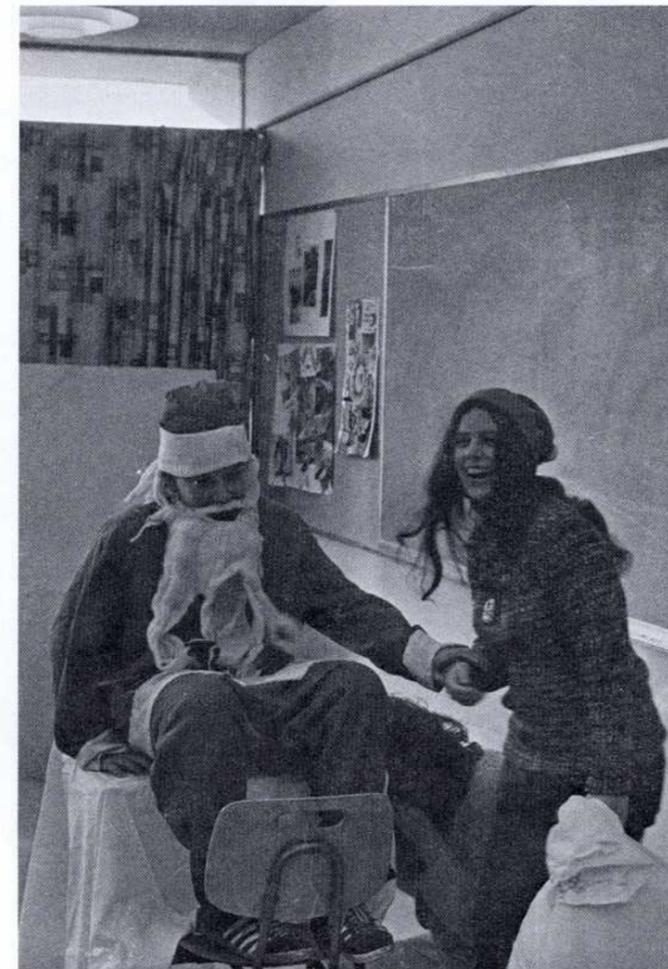
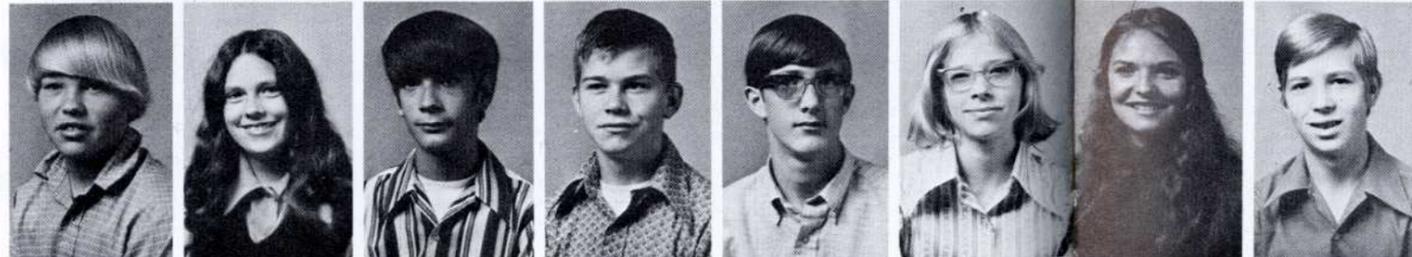
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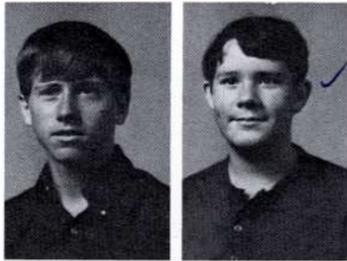


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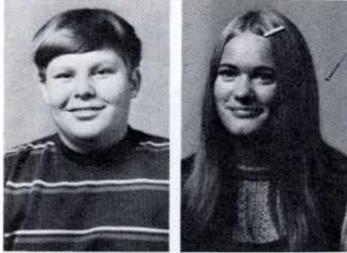


Above: Karen Fry; hesitant to sit on Santas lap?

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Scott Hinline



Lorance Hinken  
Sharyl Hitchcock



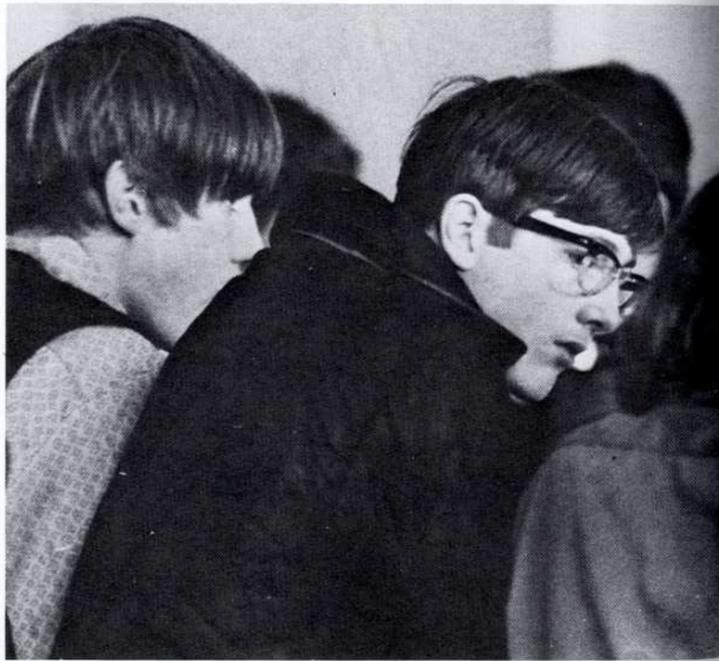
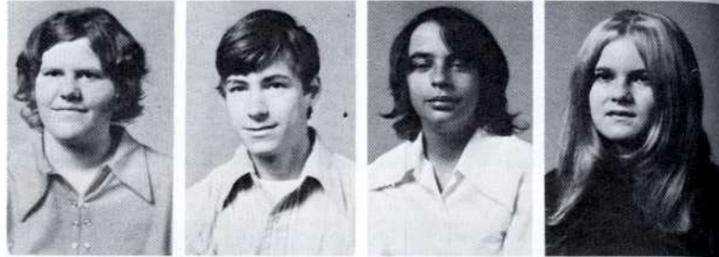
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Above: Psst! Guess what I heard about \_\_\_\_\_!

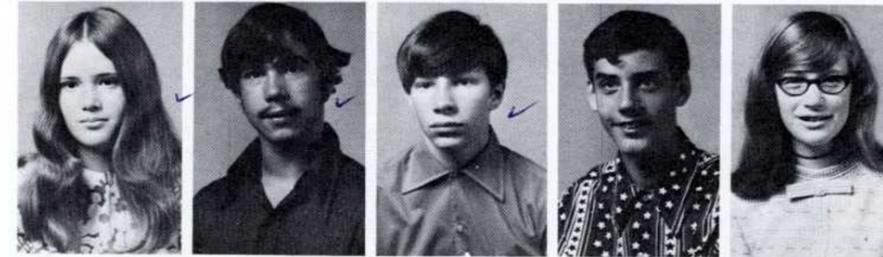


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Frances Keifert  
Tanya Kenny  
Velma Kernodle  
Anne Kirk  
Lonny Kirschbaum



David Kitsch  
Terry Koester  
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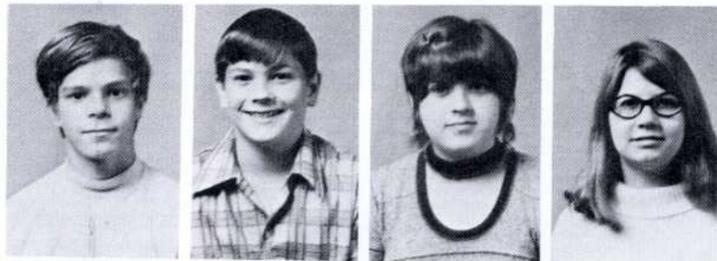


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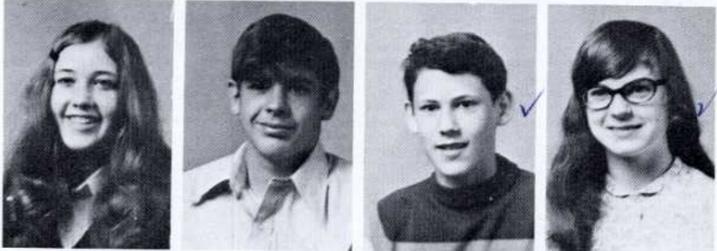
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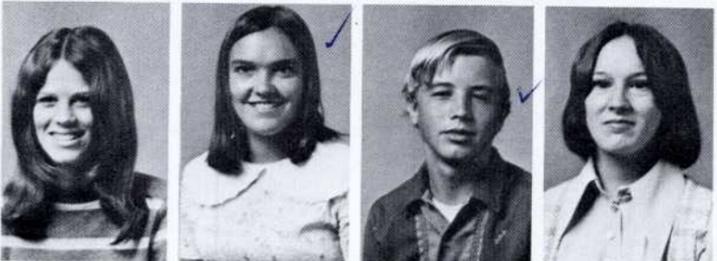
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Right: Freshman Joe Cappuccio shows Bill Petty how to operate the press.



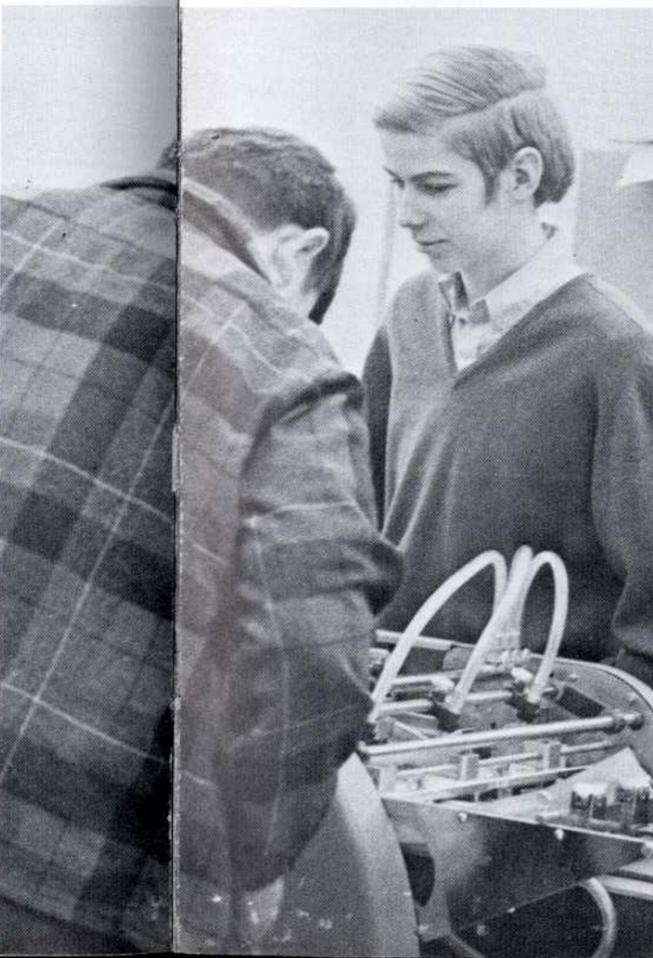
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Gary O'Brian



Diane O Neal  
Cheryl Osborne  
Patricia Osland  
Gary Palmerlee  
Denise Parks  
Steve Payne



Frank Peavy  
Wanda Perrott  
Bill Petty



Rodney Pierce  
Mike Pierson  
Mark Pitman



Donna Ponce  
Diane Ponzoha  
Bonnie Powers

Top: A few moments before the tardy bell.  
 Bottom: A few moments after the last bell.

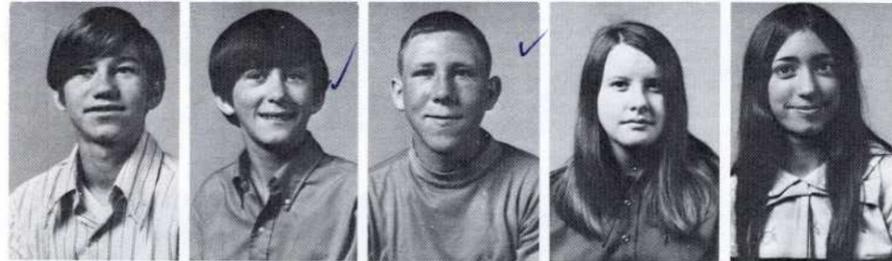
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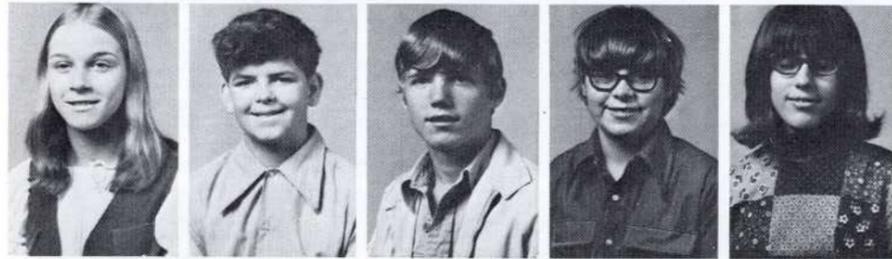
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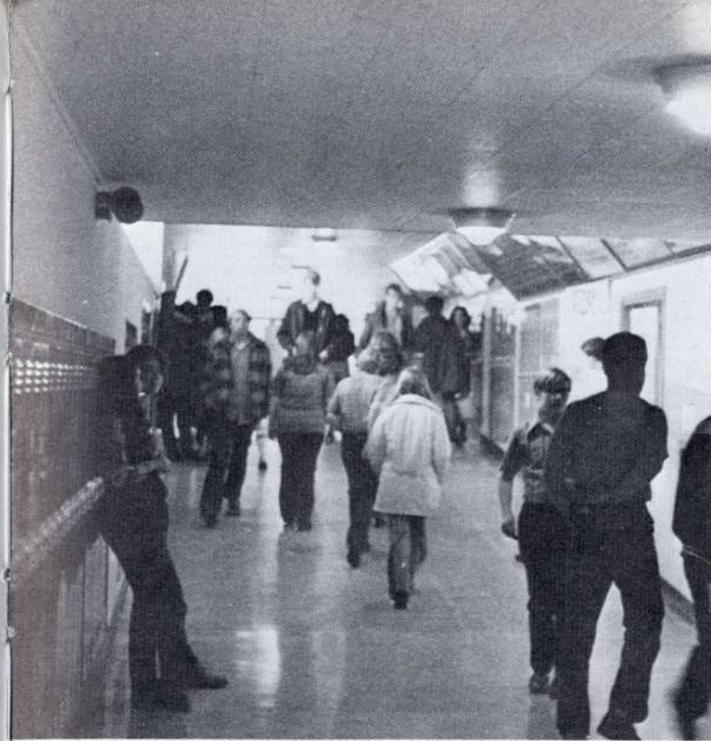
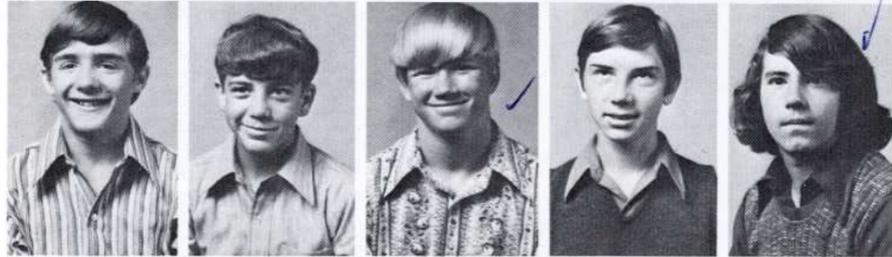
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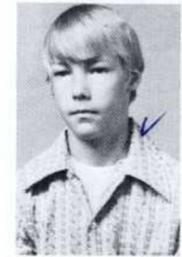
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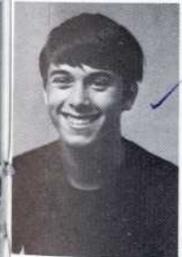
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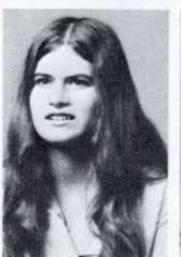
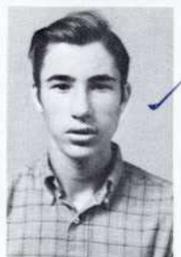
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Garry Thompson  
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 Mike Truglio  
 Doug Tucker  
 Denita VanHorn  
 Tim Vermillion

Bob Walch  
Sherry Wall  
Jesse Waller  
Robin Walz  
Jewel Warren  
Sue Whitehouse



Curtis Whittaker  
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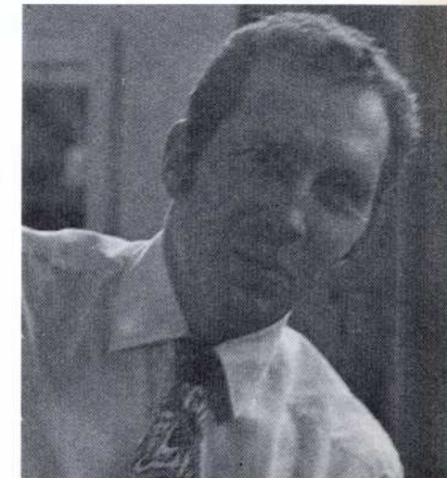
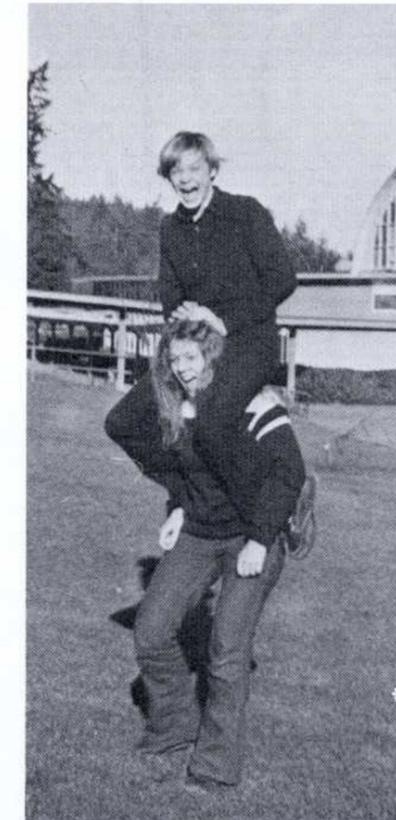


Missing Freshmen

Ashby, Judy Mae  
Avery, Stephen  
Belcher, Sam  
Boring, Crystal  
Brix, Dave  
Helenius, Debbie

## Sophomore Class

Starting their second year, not as enthusiastic as their first, the Sophomores did their best to improve spirit. Whether it was trying to raise money with their well-known light bulb selling project, or by participating at assemblies, the sophomores showed the entire school that they were willing to make their contribution to high school life.



Top: Dave Wightman, Sgt. at arms;  
Steve Fisher, Vice President; Mike  
"Mouse" McLaughlin, Treasurer;  
Tom Smith, Sgt. at arms.

Far left: Mr. Dobosz, advisor.

Left: Sophomore class cheerleaders  
trying to top themselves.

Above: Mr. Kinkella, advisor.

Bottom: Cheerleaders making a brew.





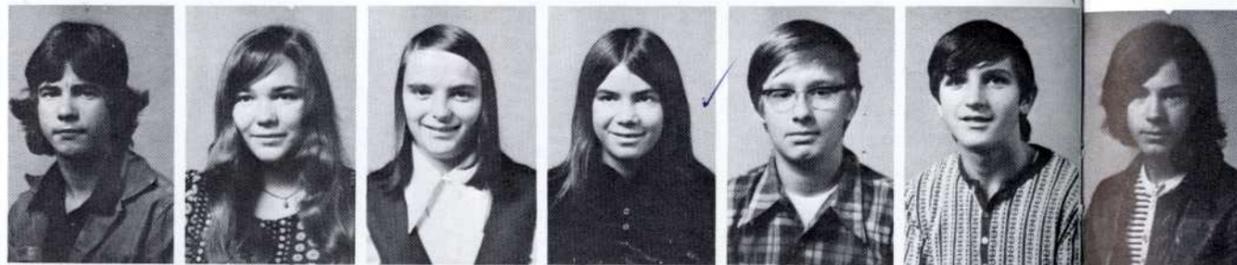
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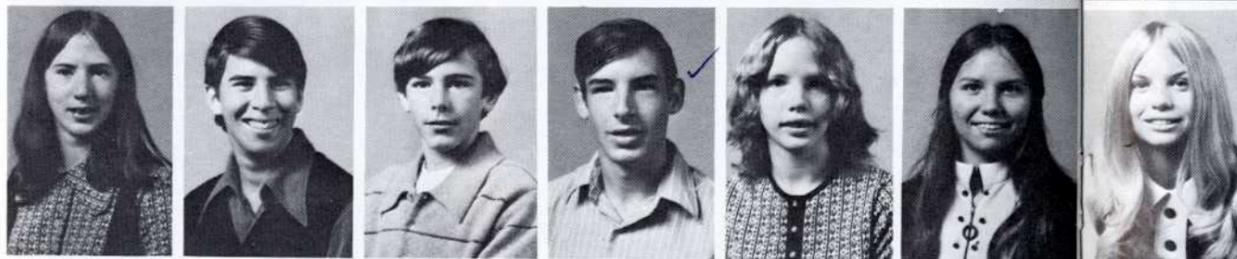
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Jim Colombo

Todd Albi  
Dea Anderson  
Lea Anderson  
Nancy Andrews  
Mike Antons  
Ray Arnold  
Gary Baesen



Barb Baker  
Phil Barckley  
Frank Beck  
Pat Bedford  
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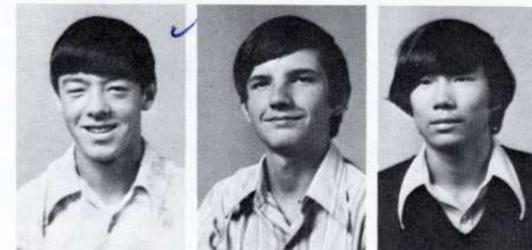
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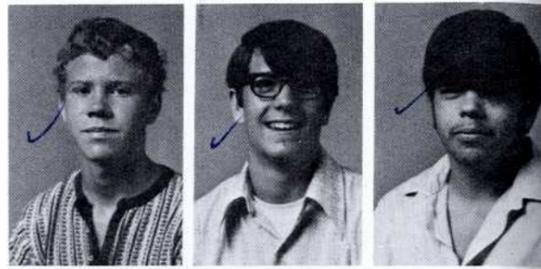


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Randy Drake  
John Duchesneau

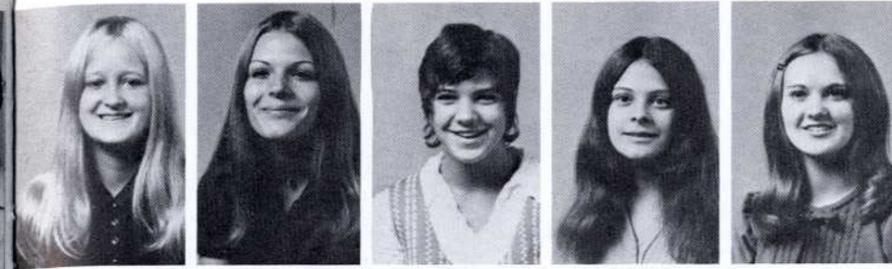
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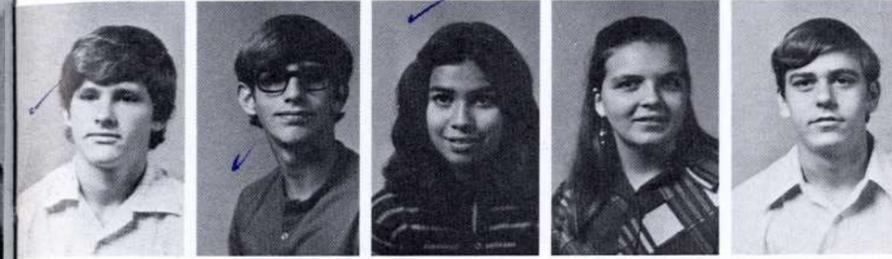
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Patty Elhardt



Rhonda Emery  
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Gail Farrell



Kim Harvey  
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Nova Helton  
Jill Hemphill



Ken Hendershot  
Greg Hendricks  
Irene Herrera  
Anna Hess  
Tom Highsmith

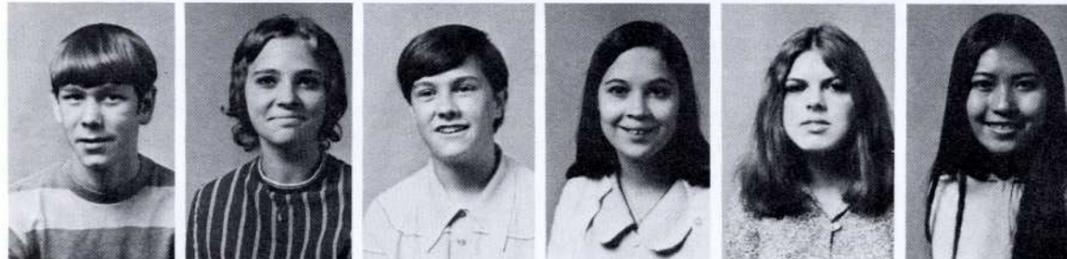


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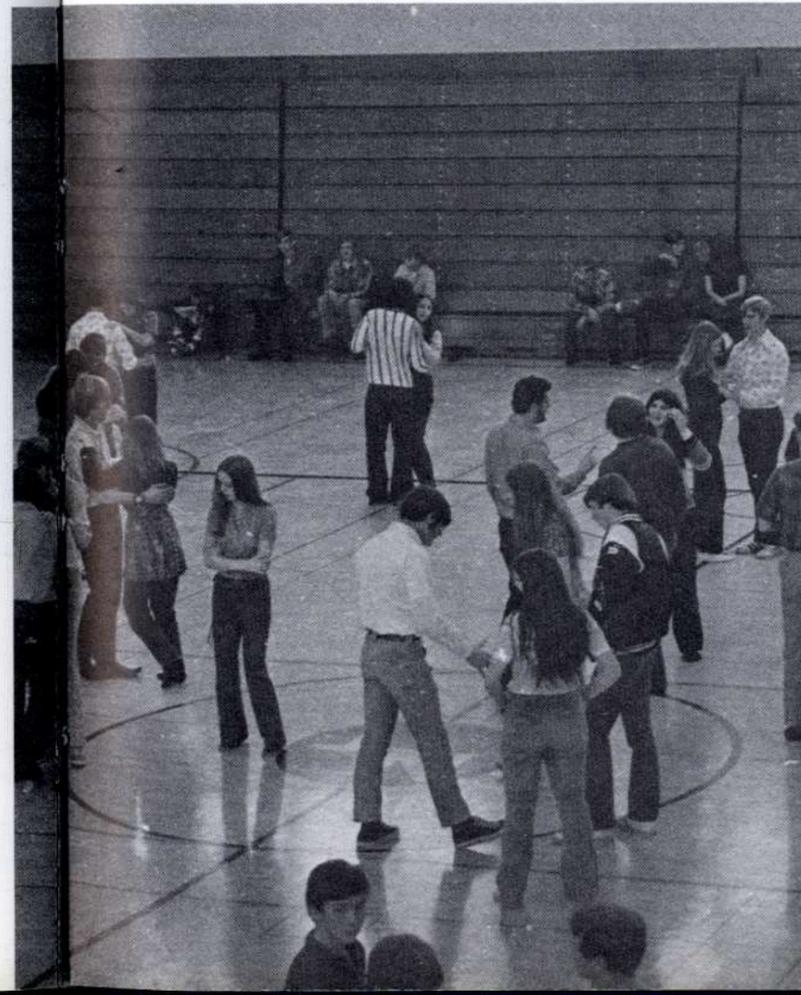
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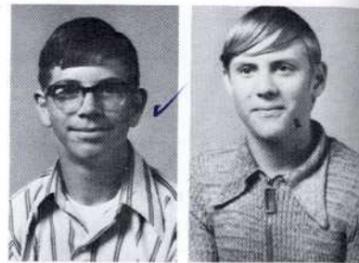
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Ginny Gosney  
Rocky Gossett  
Joan Grant  
Leona Green  
Gloria Griego



Mike Gurnee  
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Judy Hall  
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Cathy Harris  
Mike Harris



Left: Students having fun dancing in P.E.



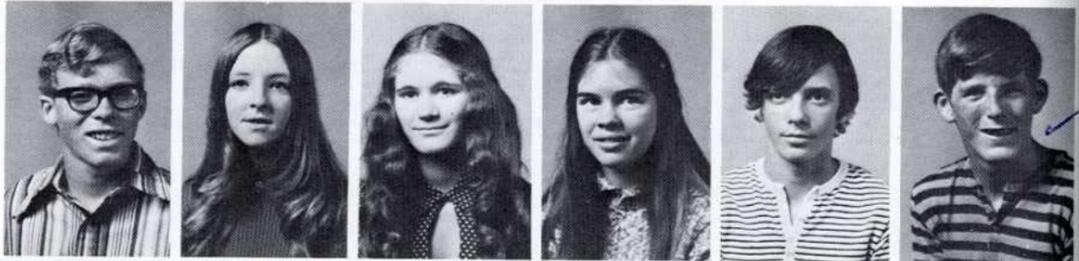
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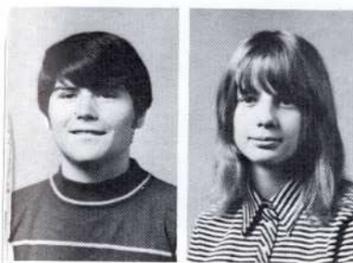
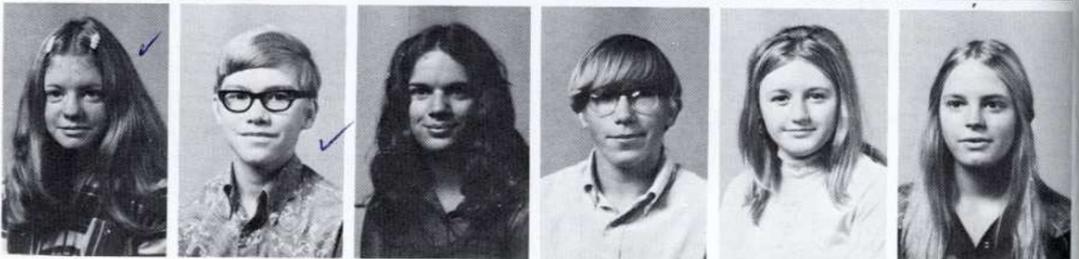
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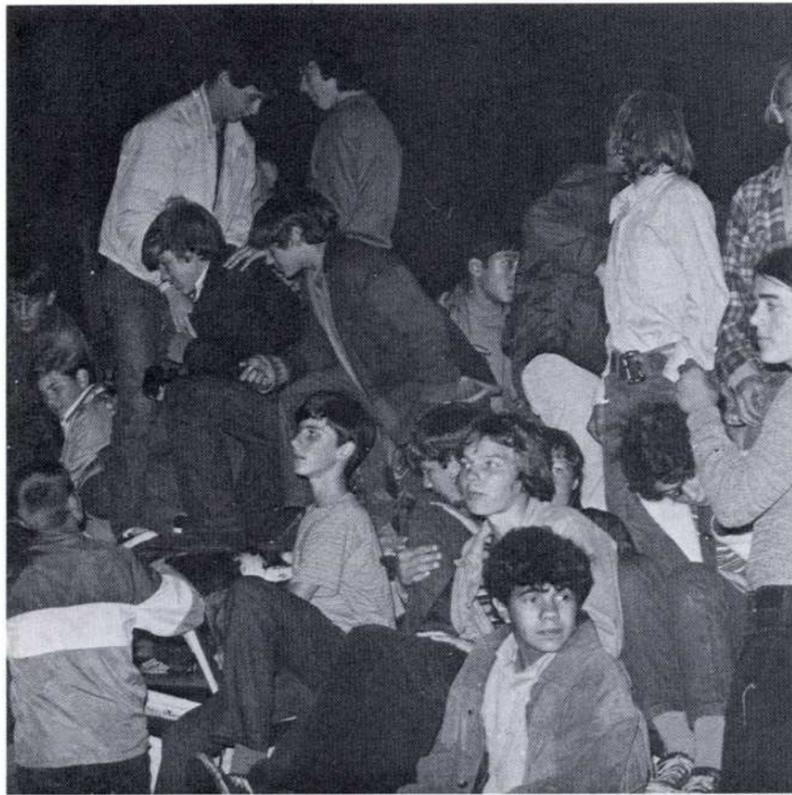
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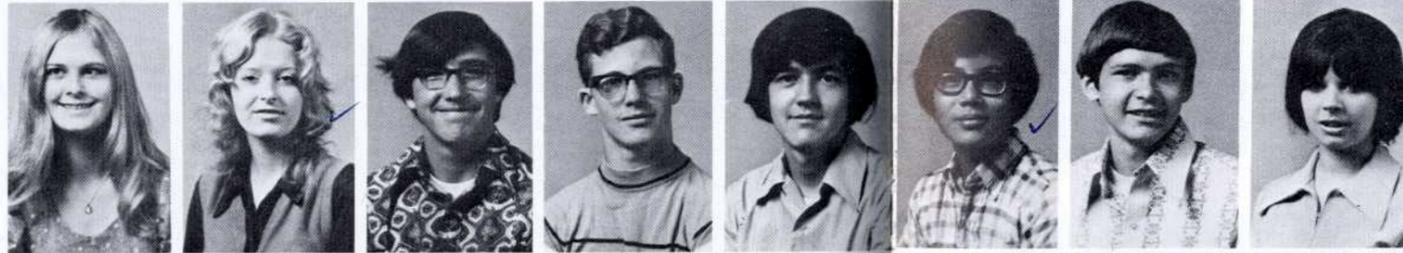
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Left: How many people can fit on one car?  
Below: Wow! It's Dick Balch's car!



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Tracee Meek  
Larry Mercer  
Lynn Miller  
Omar Miller  
Harold Moniz  
Rod Montgomery  
Monica Murray



Doug Mykol  
Carol Nelson  
Mike Ninen  
Deb Noel  
Kris Odell  
Judy O'Dell  
Steve Oderman  
Jeff Oletzke



Debbie Oppie  
Jeanette Osteen  
Oral Ostrander  
Gary Overacker  
Bonnie Owens  
Brian Owens  
Vern Painter  
Bruce Palm



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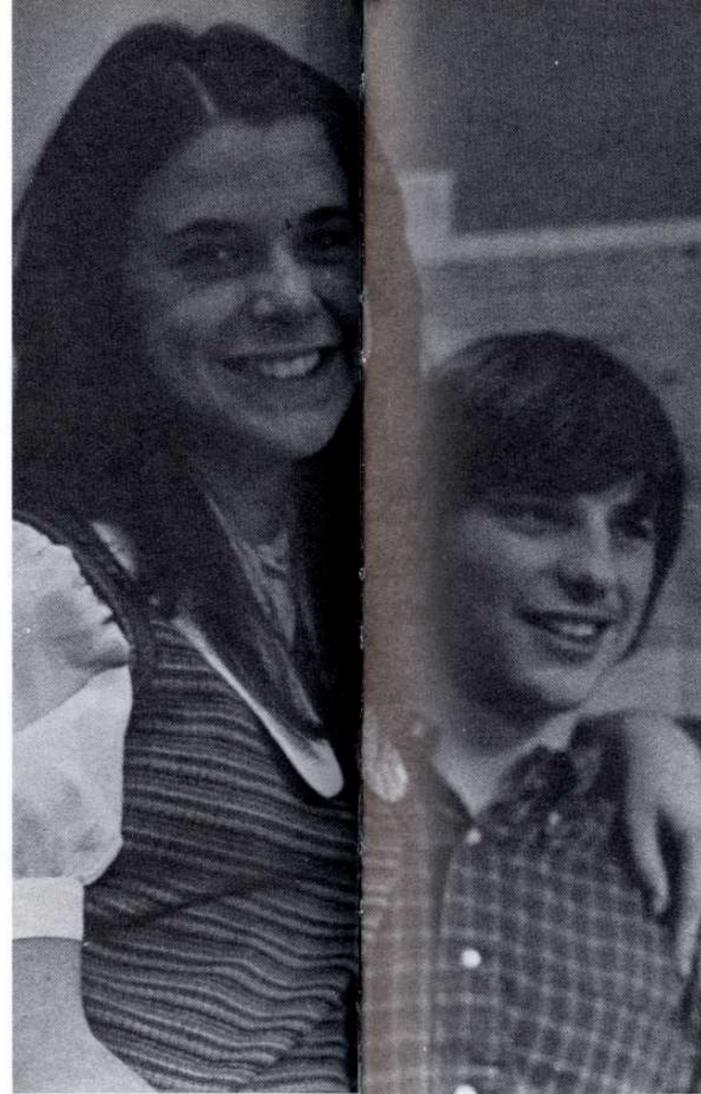


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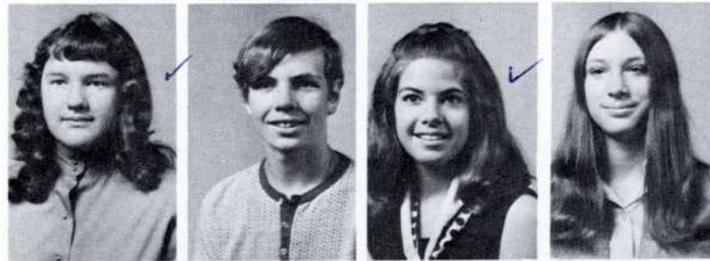


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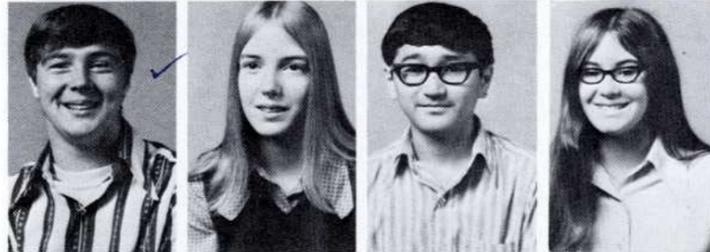
Right: Kathy and Tom pose for *RAMBLER* photographer.



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Rick Ray  
Suzanne Rees  
Dana Register



Greg Reines  
Dorothy Ren  
Sam Retherford  
Karen Richards



Linda Rohleder  
Sandy Powell  
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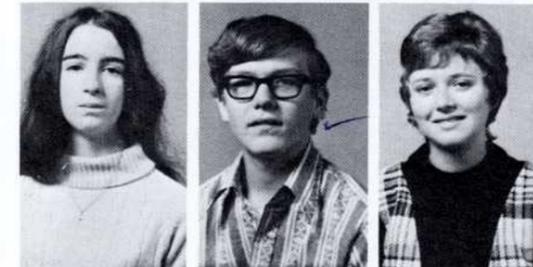
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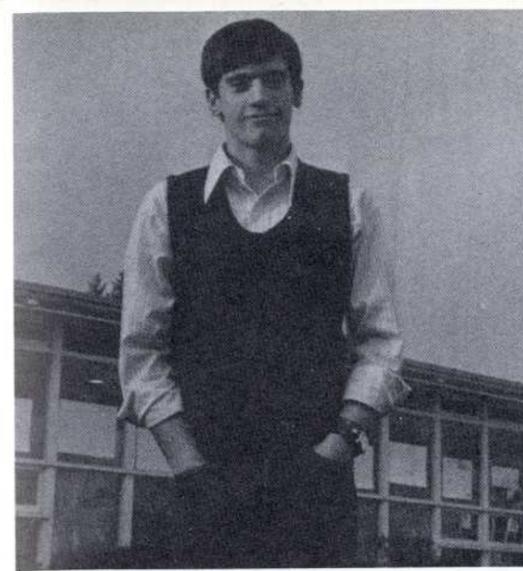
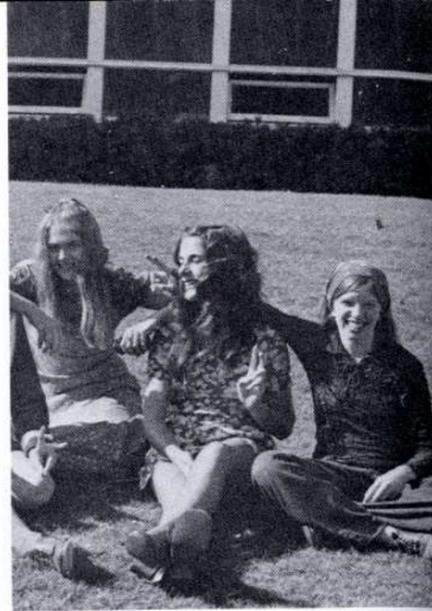


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Brian VanCamp  
Vaughn Varpness

Tim Ward  
Deb Warren  
Sheri Webber



Fiona Webster  
Tom West  
Wes Wheeler



## Junior Class

The class of '73 entered the halls of North Thurston for their second year, somewhat more organized and oriented than last year. This was evident in their class meetings and pep assemblies, where their spirit rose from last year.

This class has the distinction of being the last of the classes only being in Thurston for three years.

David Wightmen  
Bill Wilson  
Dave Wilson  
Kirk Wilson

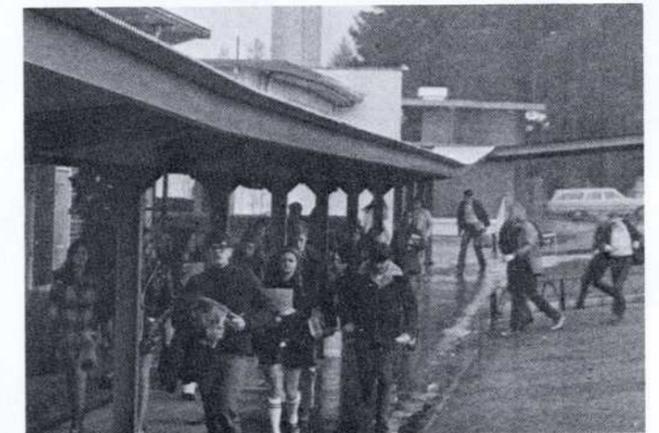
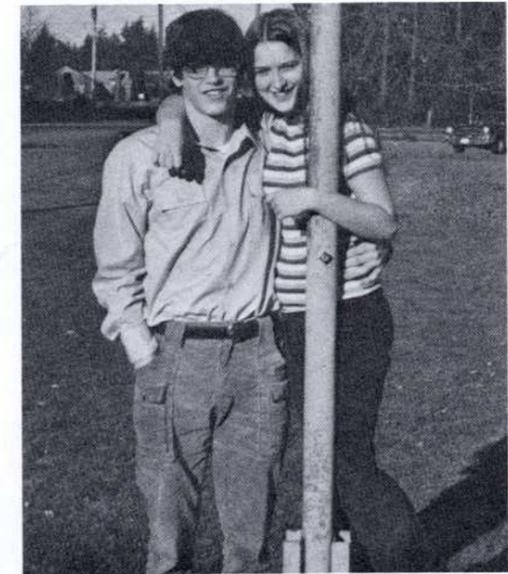
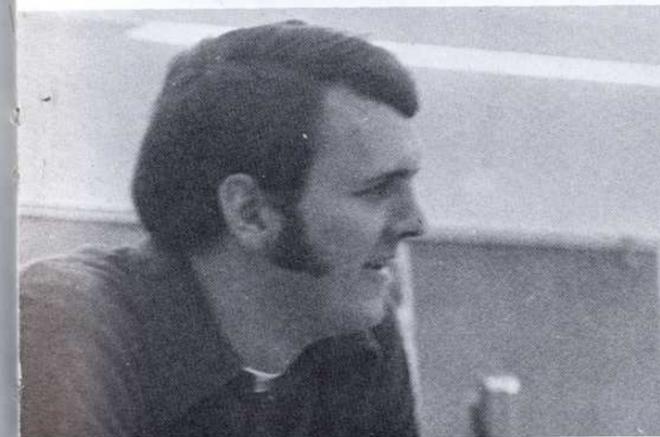


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Tod Wilson  
Daphne Wofford  
Sonny Young



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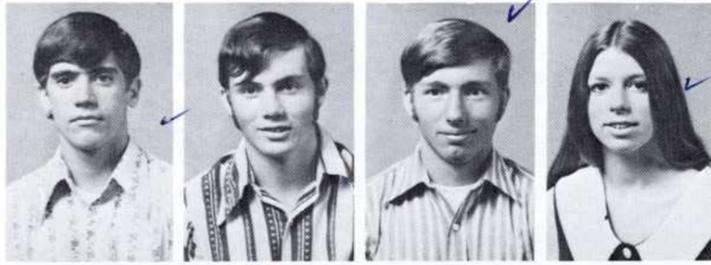
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- Matson, Jesse
- Nichals, Penny
- Powell, Scott ✓
- Randick, Tim
- Rieck, Robert
- Robbins, Renee
- Saunders, Ron



Above: At last, school's out!  
Top Above: Pat Walter and Kathy Ray, Cheerleaders  
Top Left: Rob Albert, Freshmen President  
Middle Left: Mrs. Powell and Mr. Emerson, Advisors.  
Left: Roger Canfield, Lisa Faylor, Steve Eby, Officers

Right: Girls doing their own thing at Big-Little sister party.

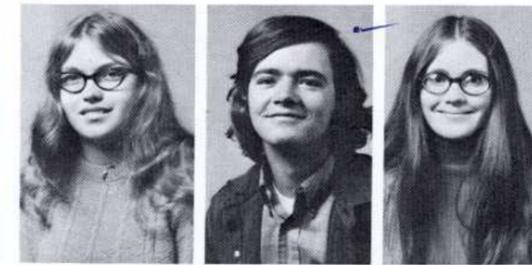
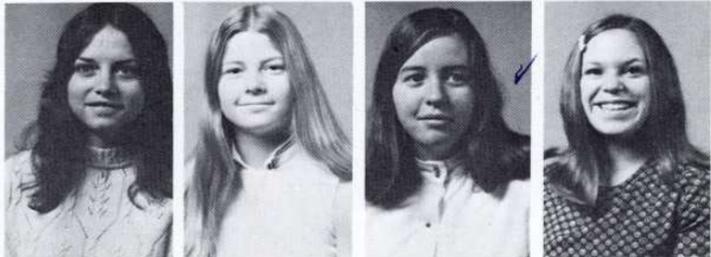
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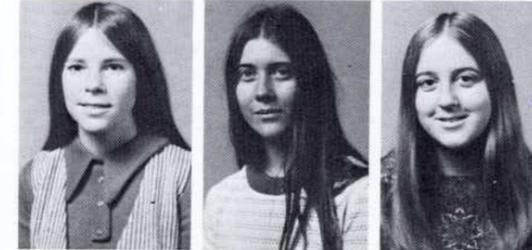
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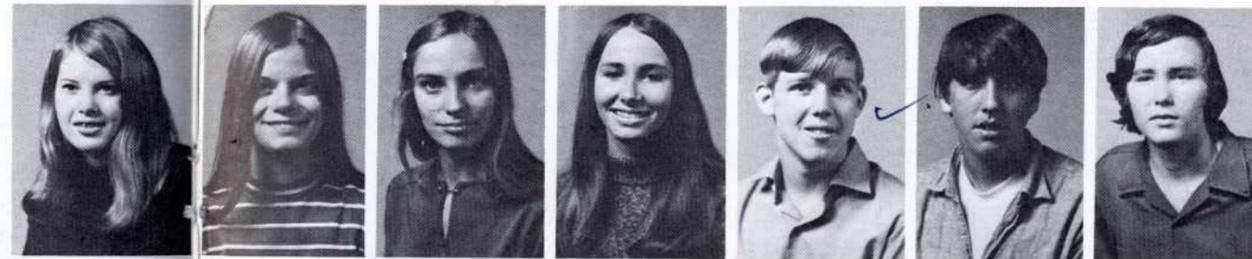
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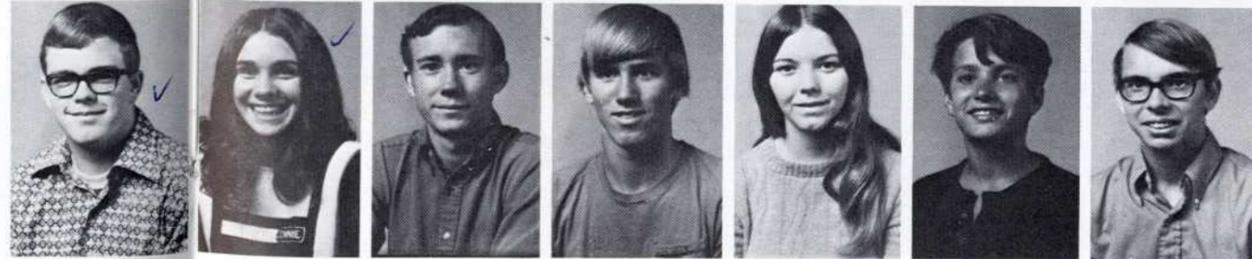
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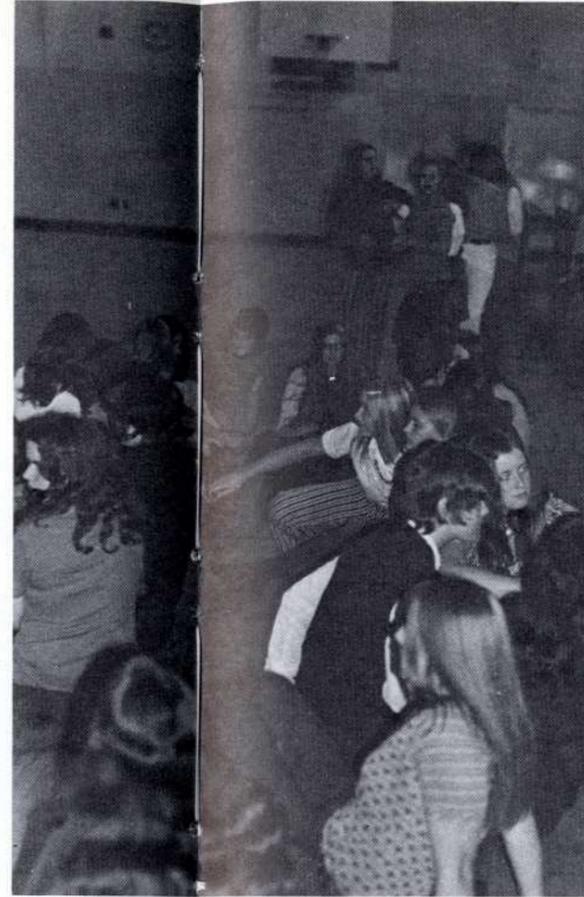
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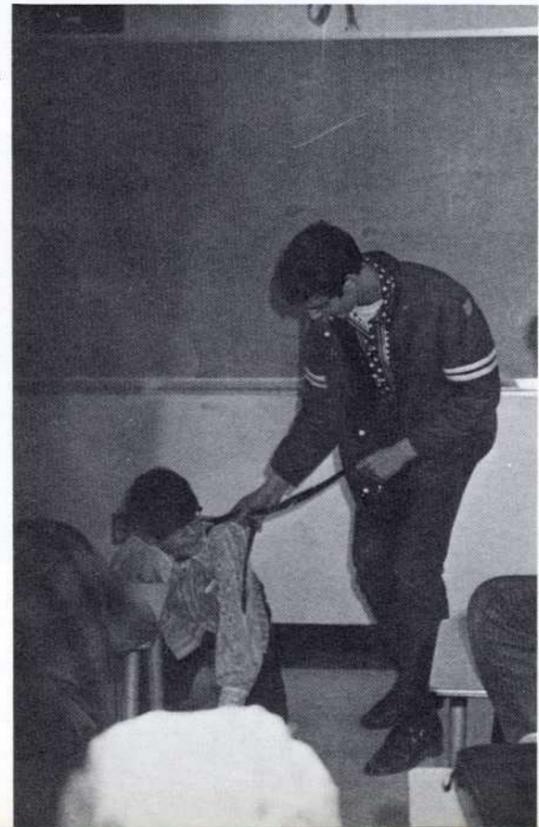
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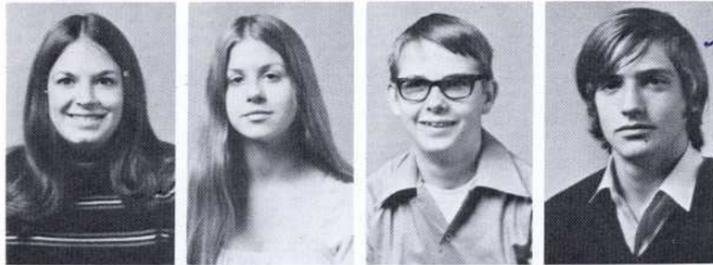
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Above: Boys Glee spreading their Christmas spirit.  
Right: Lets have a necktie party!



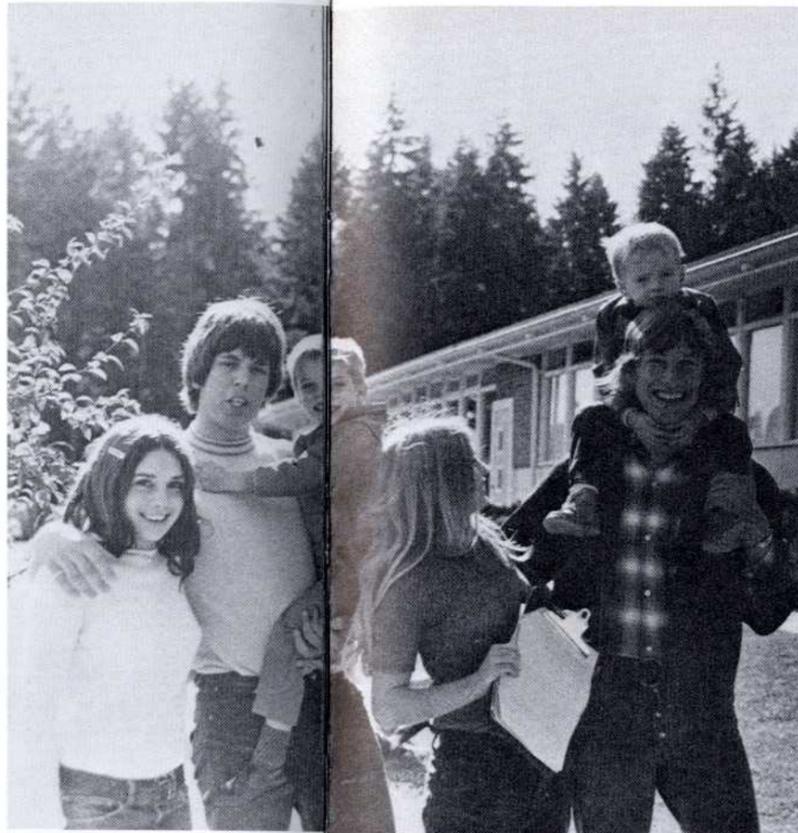
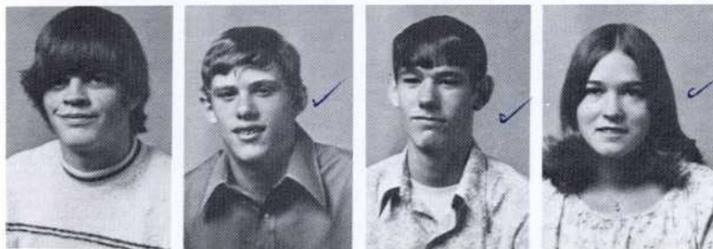
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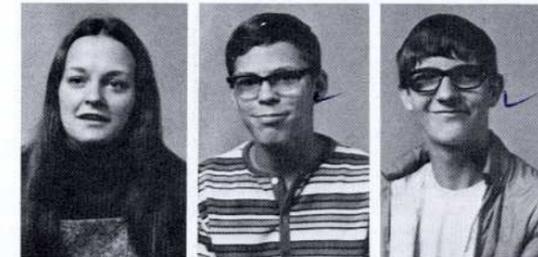
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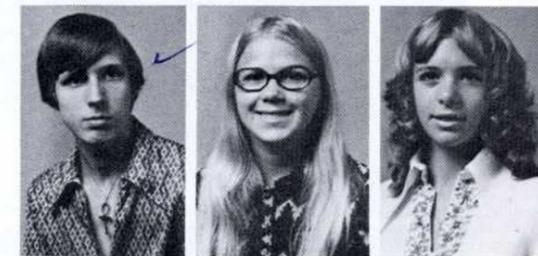
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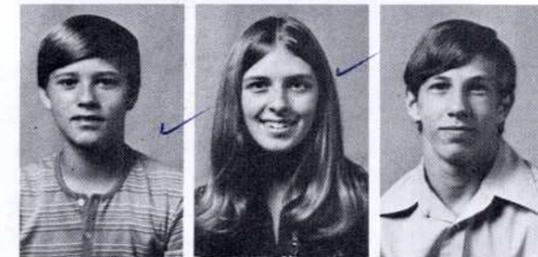
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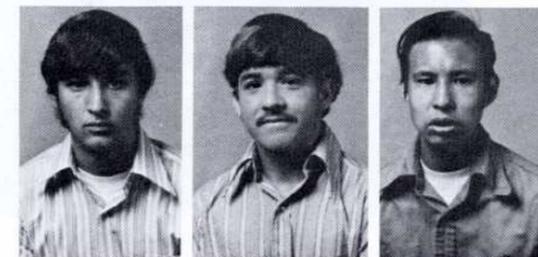
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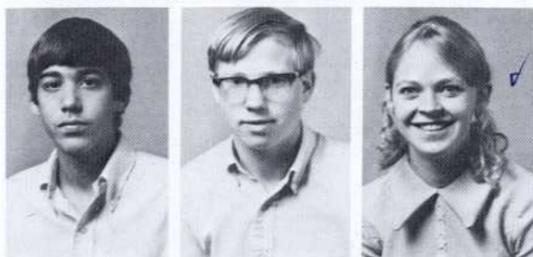


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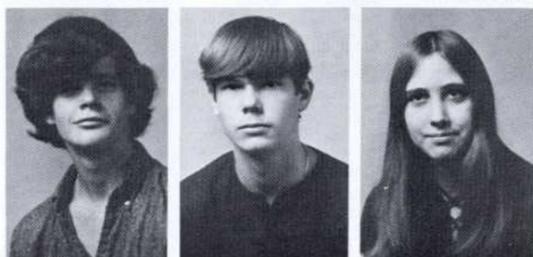
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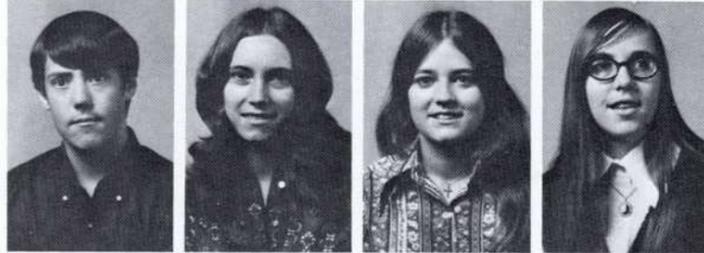


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 Bottom: Give me back my lunch!

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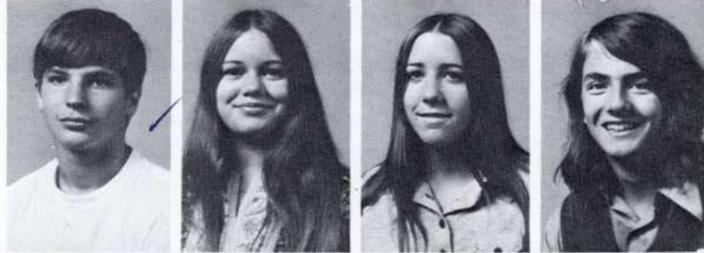
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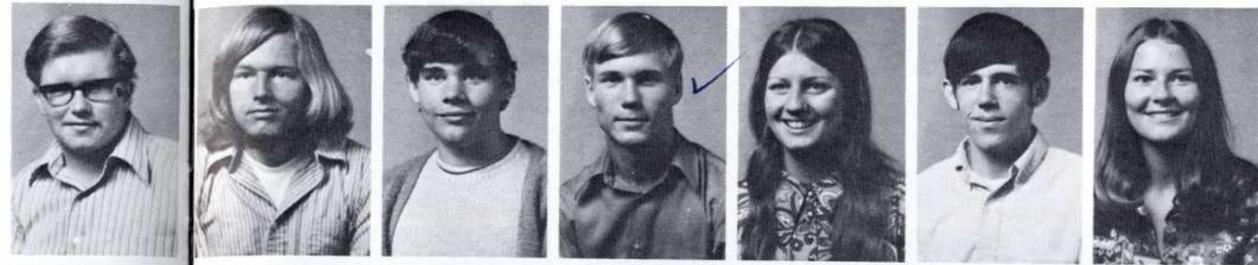
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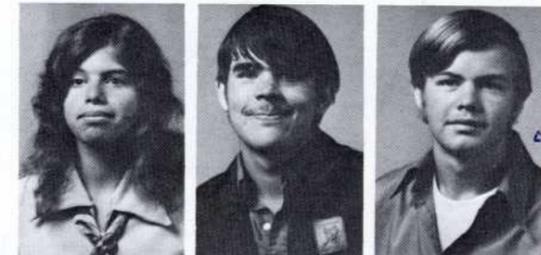
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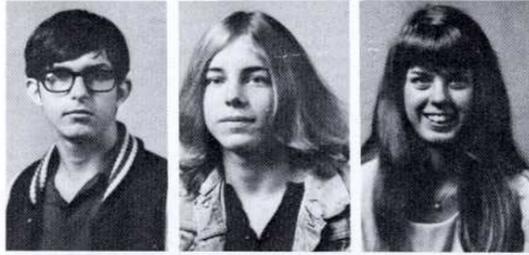
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Cheryl Myer  
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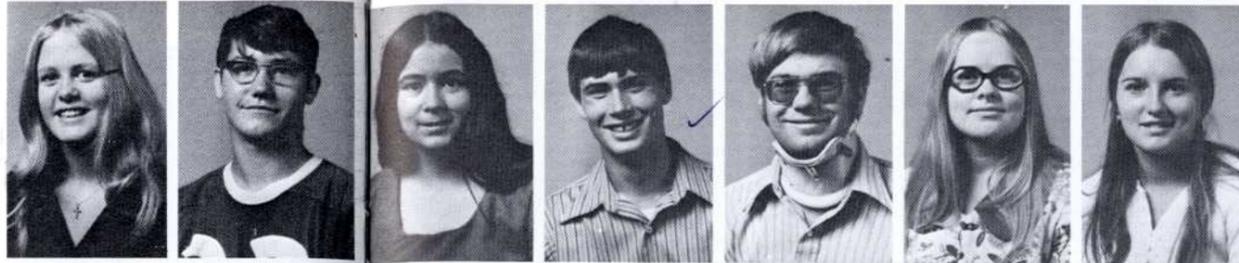
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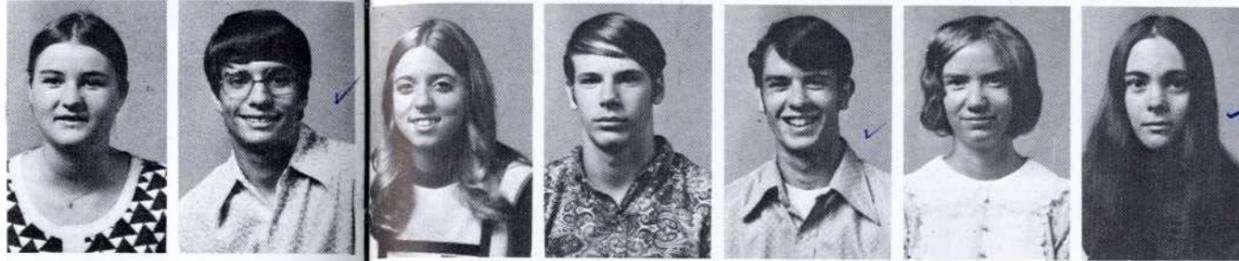
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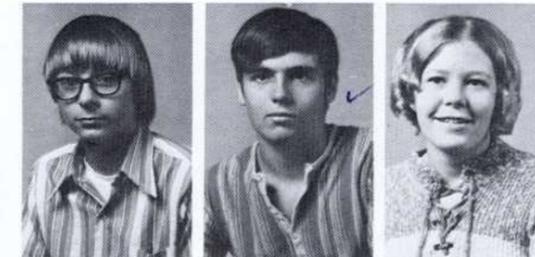
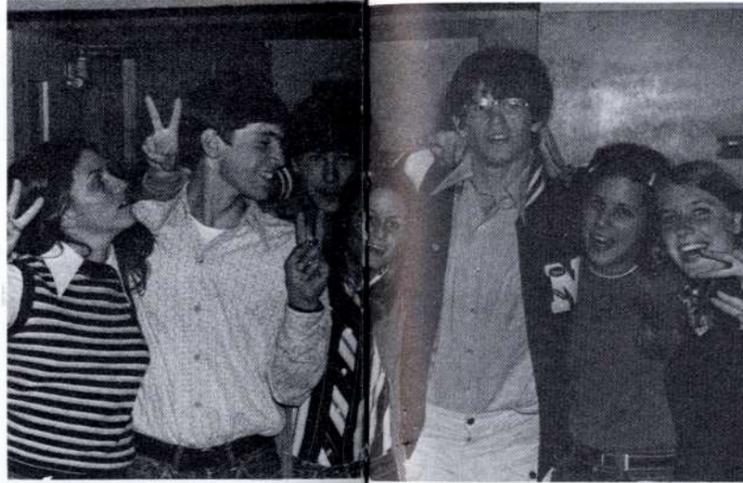
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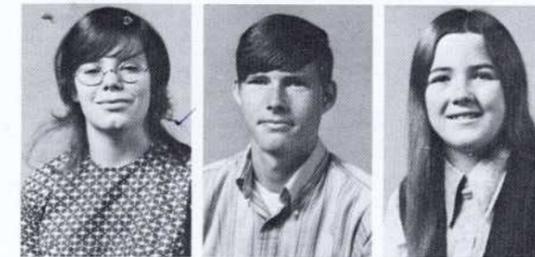
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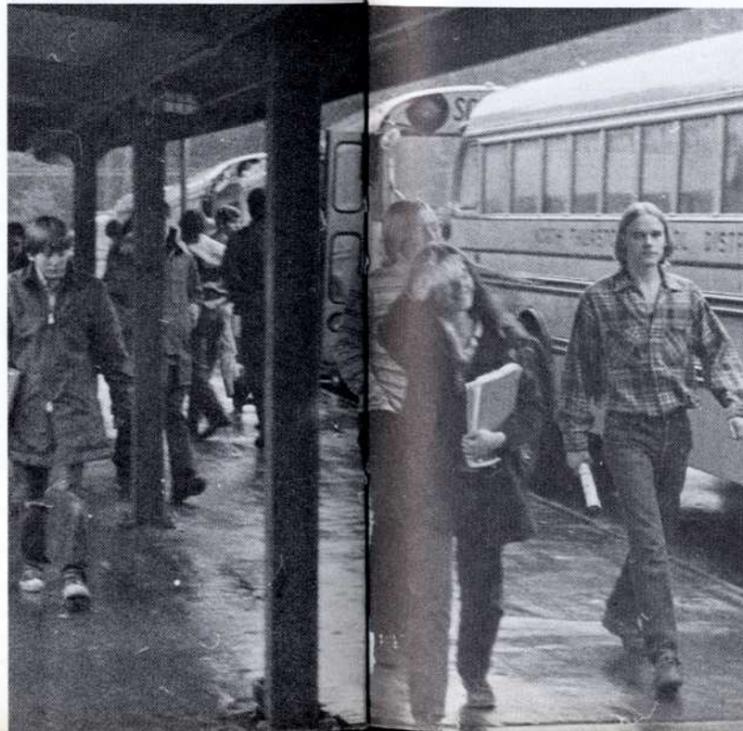
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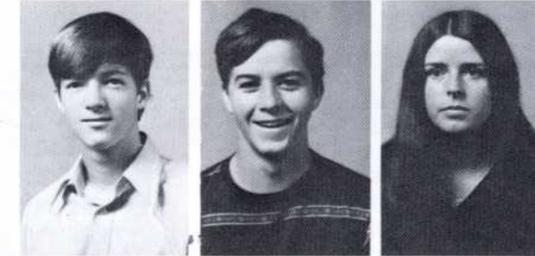
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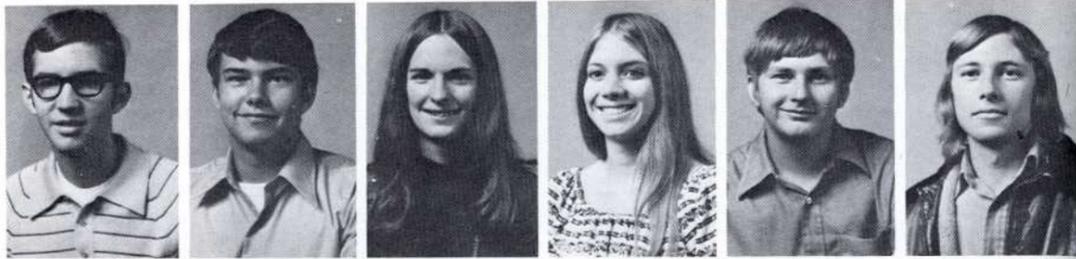
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Top: Another bunch for peace.  
Bottom: Students going home after a hard days work.

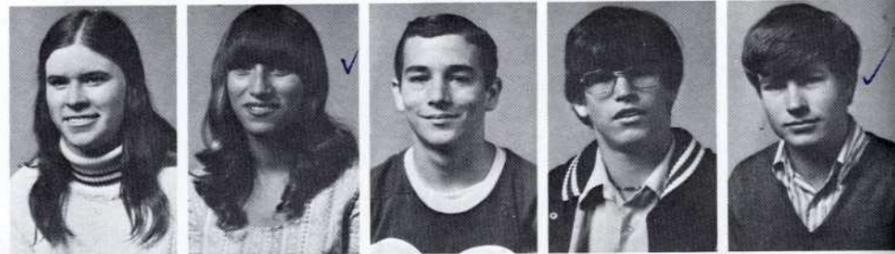
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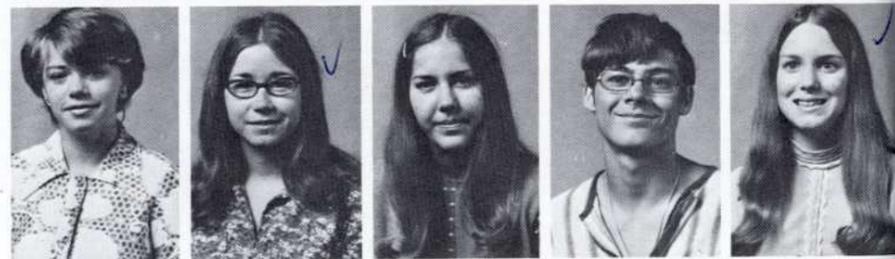
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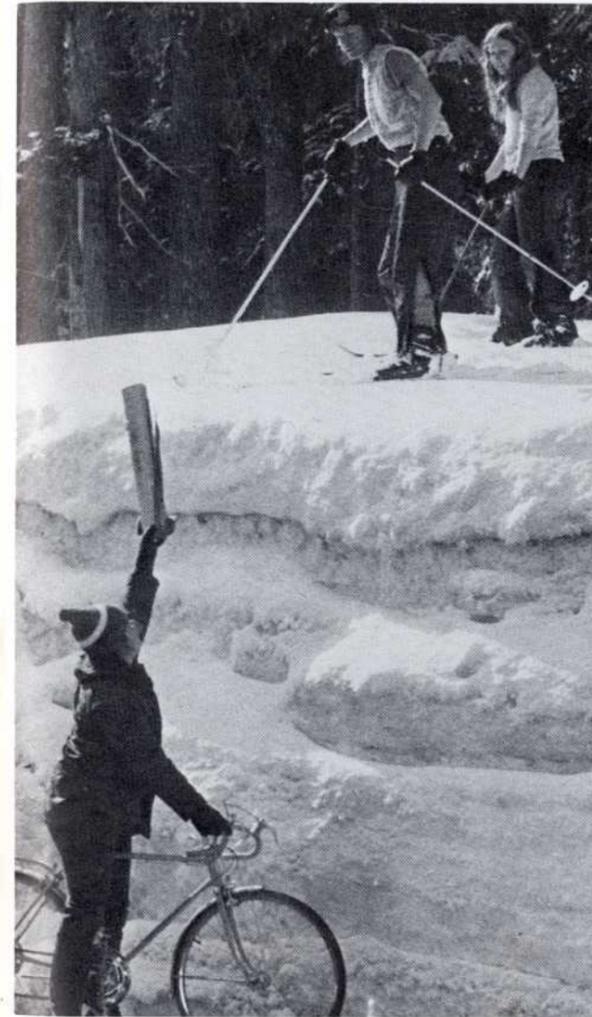
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# Marathon '72

Right: Patty Elhardt transports capsule on bike.  
 Far right: Horseback riders take over.  
 Below right: Ron Lazarra carries shrub down river.  
 Below: Bike riders hand off capsule to skiers.



Thirty enthusiastic students from North Thurston participated in the 1972 Marathon for Ecology. The Marathon was a trip from the top of Mt. St. Helens, down into Lacey, ending at North Thurston High School. A shrub was carried in a capsule bearing the motto "We have life, pass it on." The purpose was to climax Earth Week (April 16-22), by showing that man can travel using other modes of transportation besides the internal combustion engine. The shrub was planted during a brief assembly in a newly created 'ecology garden' near the auto shop.

Above: Marathon ends with final planting of shrub.



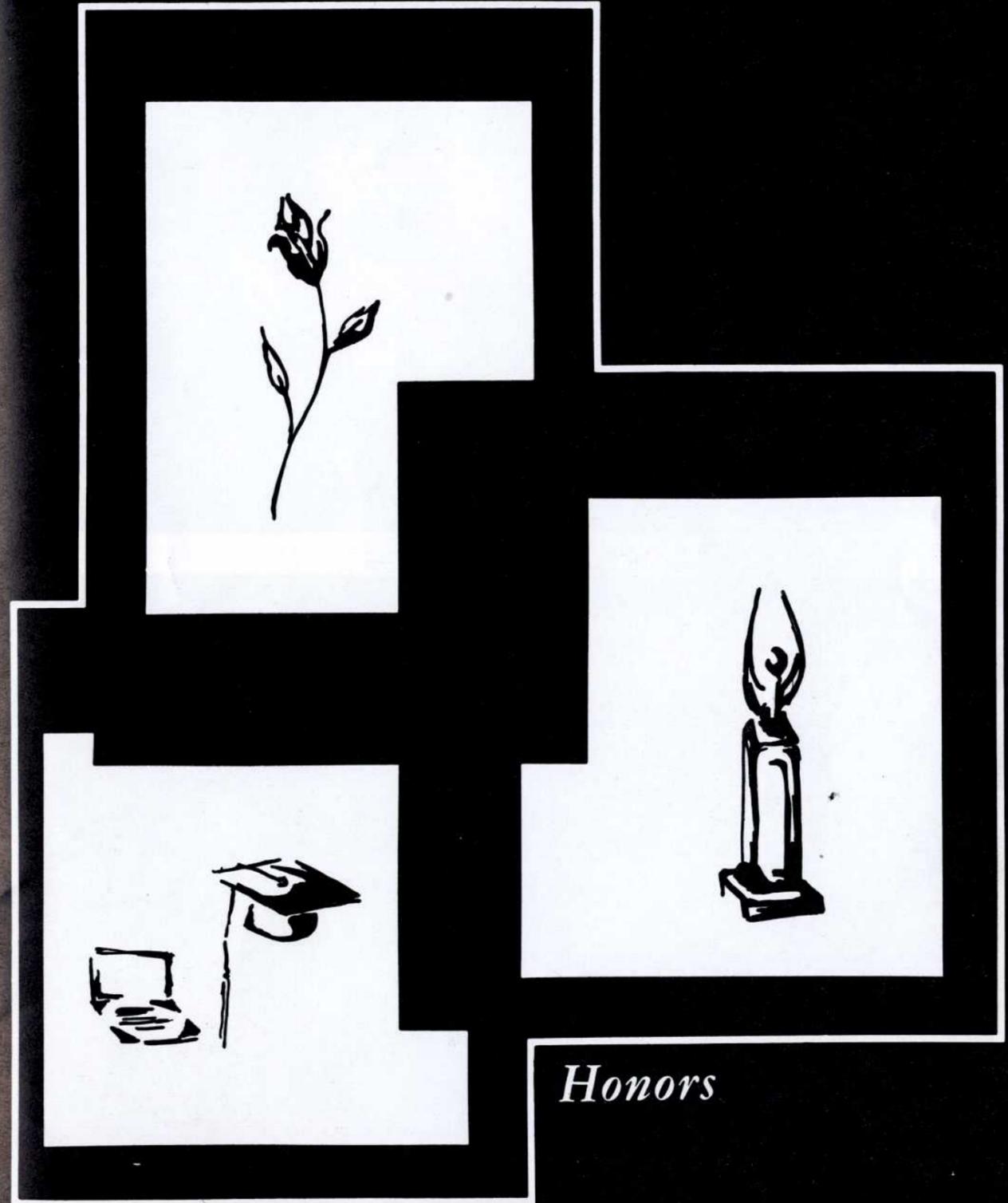
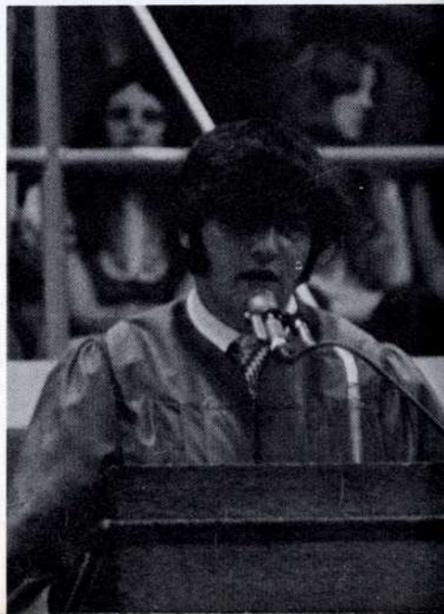
## *Memorial*

Mrs. Grace Cason, age 44, a teacher at North Thurston since 1963 died Wednesday morning, April 26, 1972.

Mrs. Cason was known by many students and faculty as a close friend and companion. She was involved in many activities, both in and out of school. Her life was founded upon, and devoted to her sincere religious beliefs.

She was a University of Puget Sound graduate and did her student teaching here at North Thurston during the school year 1961-62. She joined the teaching staff the following year.

During her career here at N.T., she was a Girls' League advisor and served several years on the curriculum committee. She taught English classes every year except one, during which she taught study hall. Her last two years, Mrs. Cason was English department head and taught Bible literature classes, which she seemed to greatly enjoy.

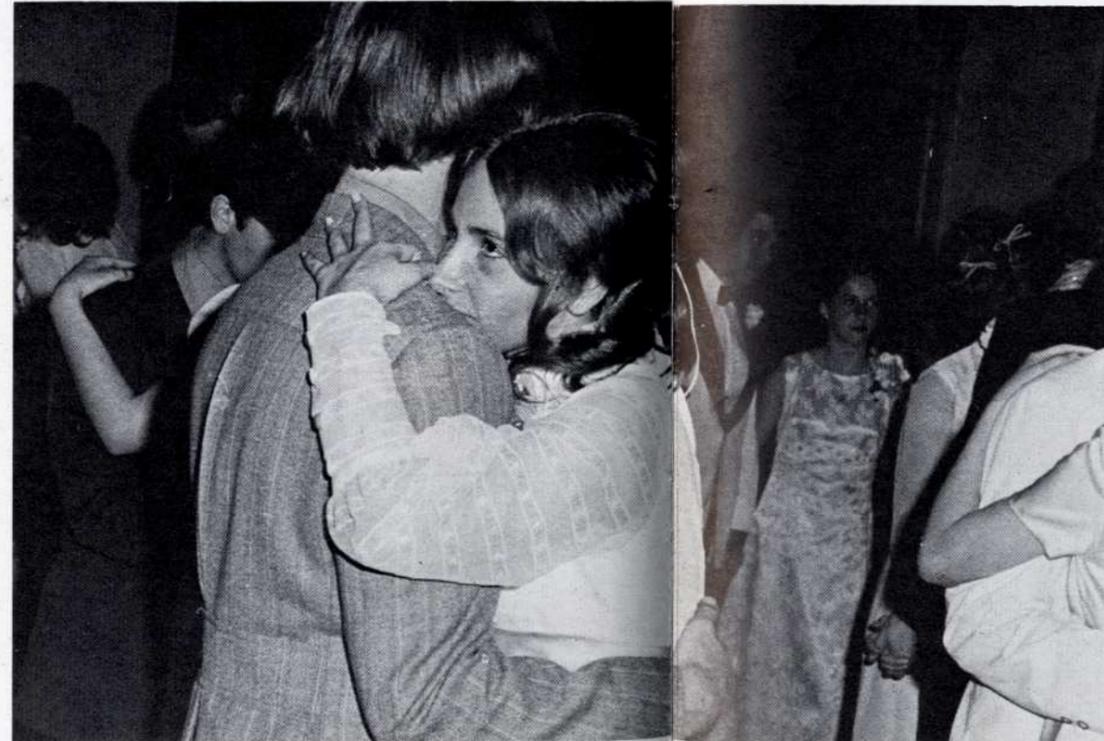


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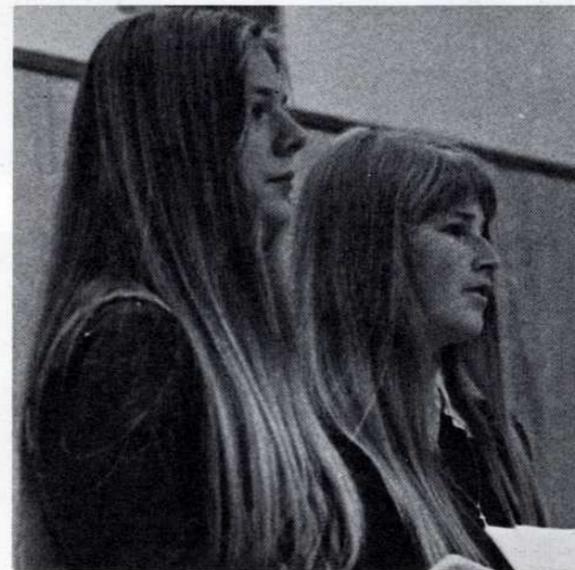
# May Dance '72

Right: MAY COURT 1972, Left to Right: Queen, Diana Johnson; King, Craig Brown. Back row: Paul Manix, Shelly Dugar, Evie Lupfer, Andy Moniz, Chris Shaver, Neal Springer. Front row: Rod Aries, Terry Smith, Kevin Ryan, Janet Thomas, Chere Reynaud and Russ Ford.

This year's May Dance was combined with Timberline and held at their school. The theme was "In the Garden" and the decorations included an outdoor garden complete with candlelit tables for refreshments. The main attraction of the evening seemed to be the picture taking session, although most couples stood in line for several hours.



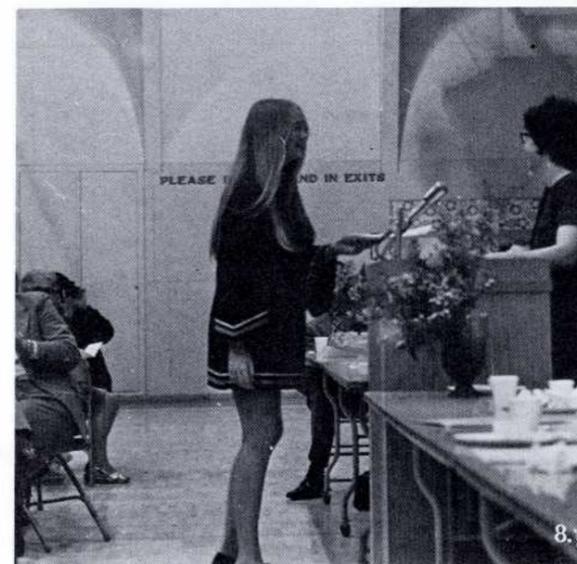
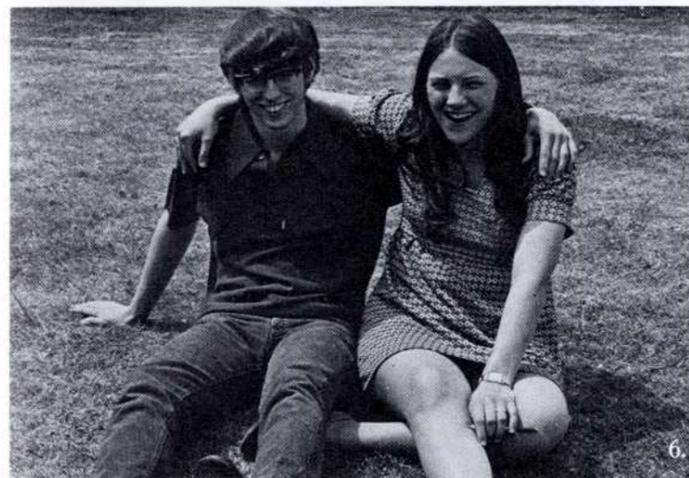
Above: Patty Campbell and George Van Horn enjoyed the dance. Left: Queen Diana Johnson and King Craig Brown, take time out to get their picture taken.

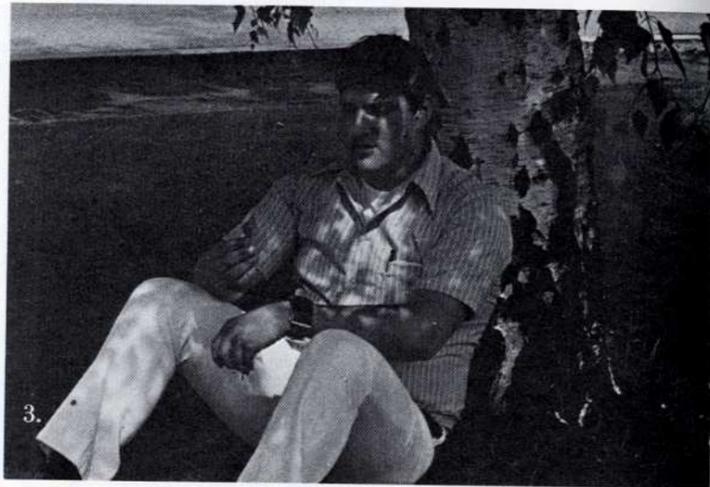
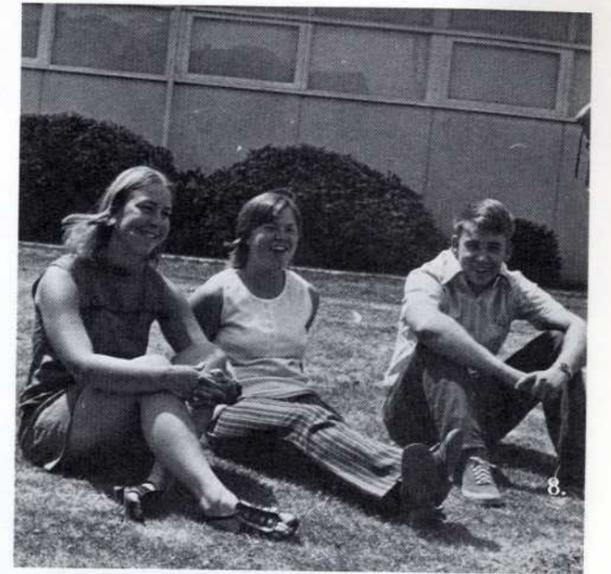
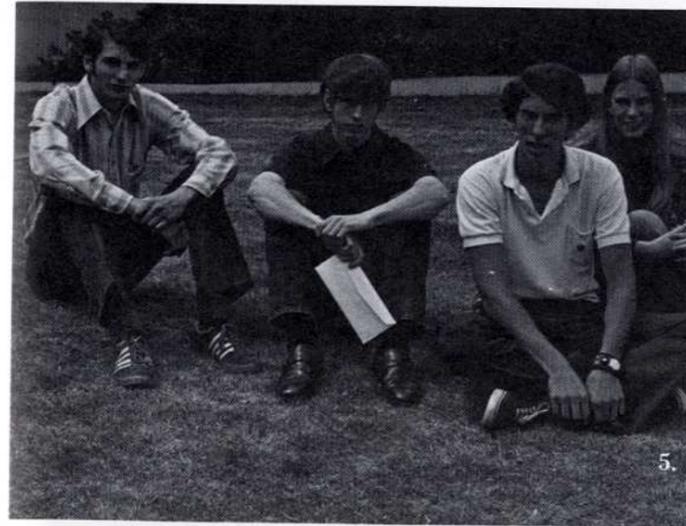
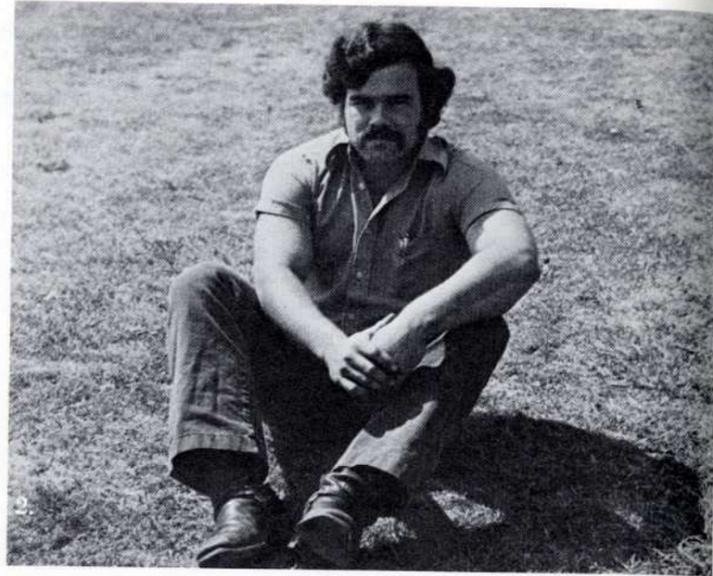


Top: Kenan Conte and unidentified preparationist get ready for the big night. Above: Co-Chairmen, Kelsa Smith and Kris Berry.

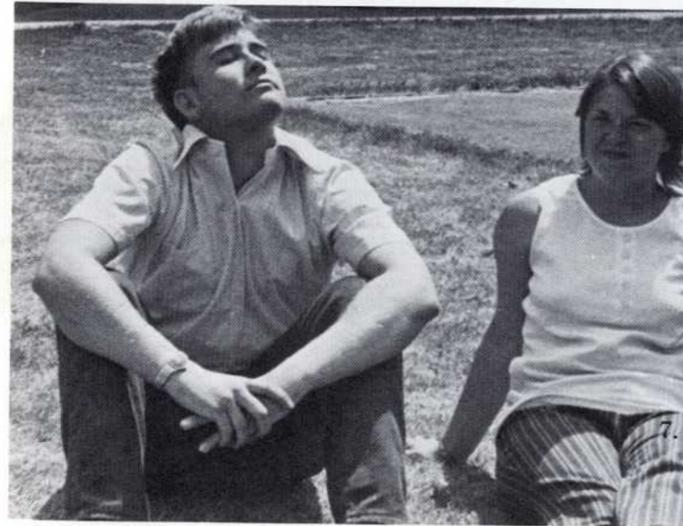
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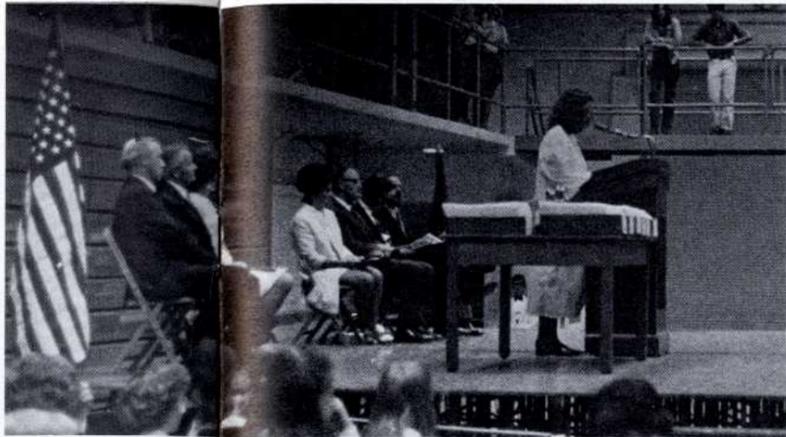
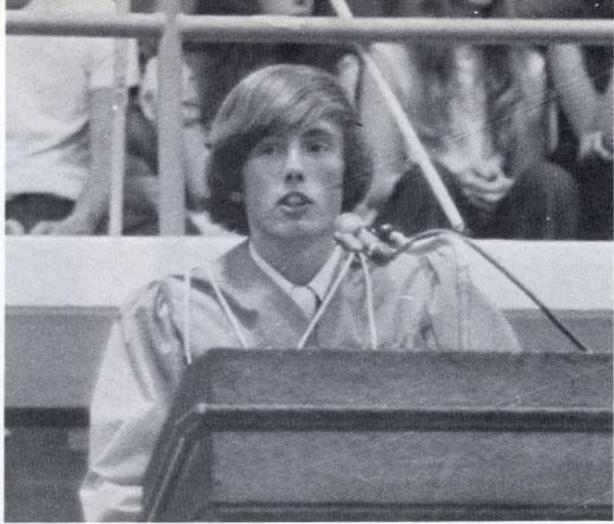
1. Chris Shaver: Lakefair Princess.
2. Duane Wolfe: Newspaper Award.
3. Ed Seaman: Thespian Award: Nancy Harris, Rick Jones. Actress and Actor of the Year.
4. Mr. Booth: Teacher of the Year.
5. Einar Kjesbu, Harold Moniz; NEDT.
6. Rob Schlegel, Roxyne Armstrong; Annual Awards.
7. Cispus Counselors.
8. Carol Chase: Best Advanced Typist.
9. Kean Conte: Bausch and Lomb Award.
10. Laura Hinkle: Best Beginning Typist.





1. Greg Regester: John Phillip Sousa Award.
  2. Gerry Schmidt: National School Orchestra Award.
  3. Karl Klewin: National School Orchestra Award.
  4. Jim Sthay, Kathy Hauser: Masonic Junior Achievement Award.
  5. Tim Troia, Rob Schlegel, Gordy Williams, Jana Clark, Graphic Arts Award.
  6. Mark Schlaffler, Steve Mace, Karen Isaccson: Math Awards.
  7. Bill Canfield, Shelley Kirk: National Merit Qualifying Test.
  8. Candy Cole, Shelley Kirk, Bill Canfield: Science Club Hall of Fame.
  9. Tom Lindsey, Paul Murphy: Debate Awards.
  10. Mark Harmon: Voice of Democracy Winner.
- Not pictured: Ken Collins and Jim Hamann, 4th place in the Washington State Plymouth Trouble Shooting Contest.

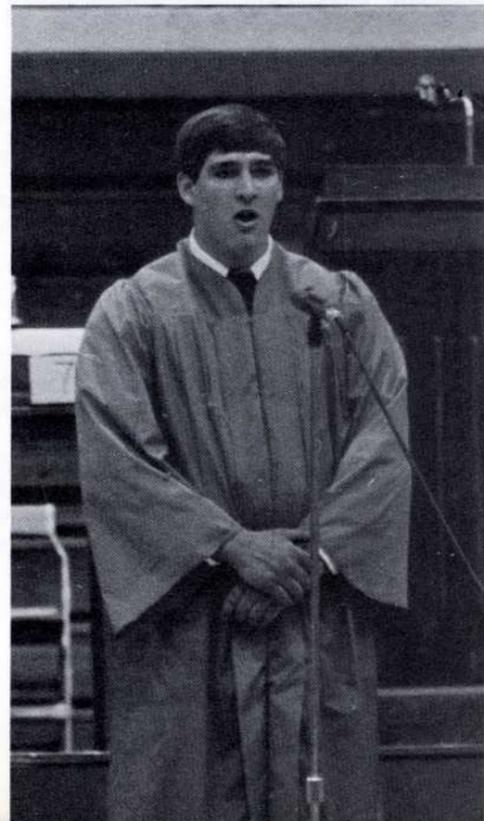
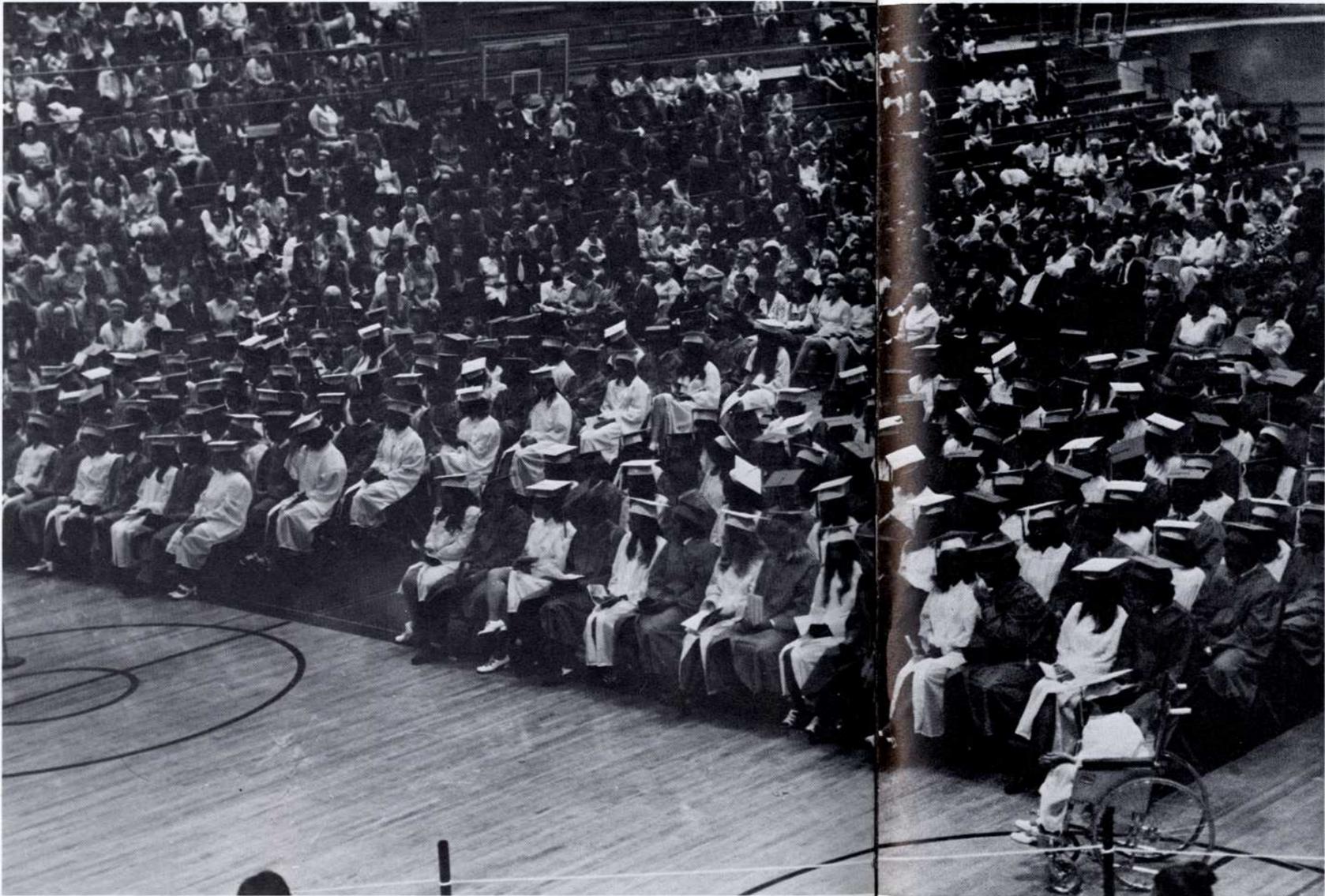


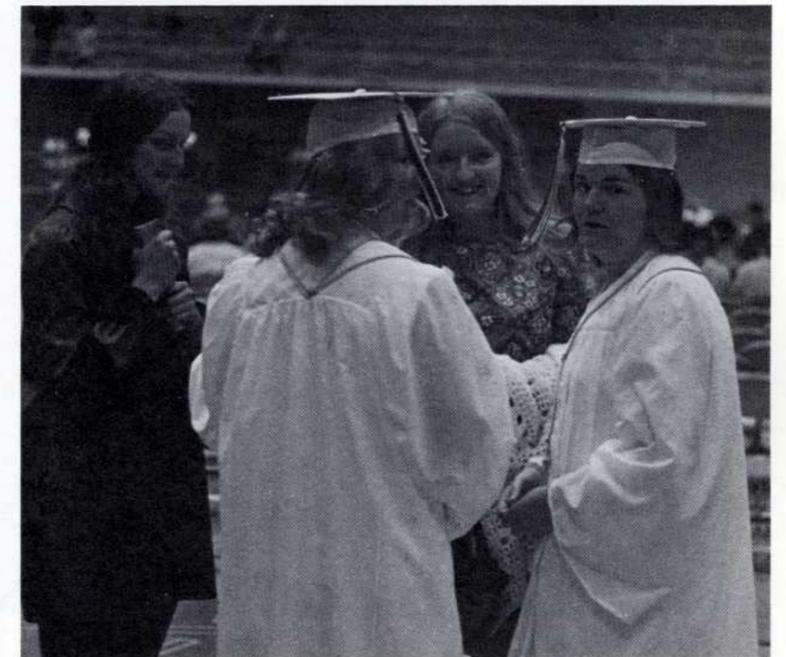
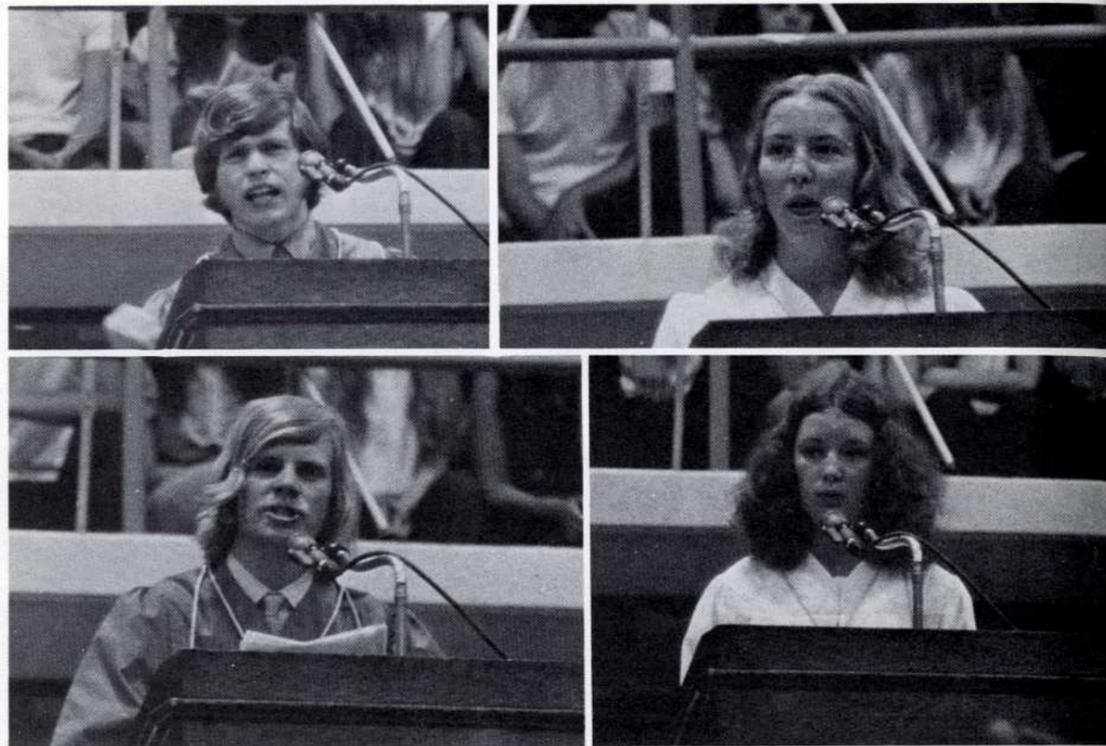


## Commencement '72

Left: Robin Hojem addresses everyone.  
Below: Proud parents.  
Bottom: Karl Klewin sang 'An Impossible Dream.'

Right: Jim Hamann presents class gift to school.  
Below: Class of '72.





#### SURPRISE SCHOLARSHIPS

- Mark Linn - 4 year United States Naval Academy
- Shelley Kirk - Phi Beta Kappa Award, Readers Digest Award
- Kenan Conte - Phi Beta Kappa Award
- Britt Smith - Danforth "I Dare You" Award, North Thurston Honor Society Scholarship
- Kelsa Smith - Danforth "I Dare You" Award, Centralia College Scholarship
- Teresa Senior - North Thurston Kiwanis Leadership Award
- Russ Ford - North Thurston Kiwanis Leadership Award
- Mary Donnelly - North Thurston Kiwanis Citizenship Award
- Ken Collins - North Thurston Kiwanis Citizenship Award, Centralia College Scholarship
- Bill Storms - Centralia College Scholarship
- Marcia Jensen - Centralia College Scholarship
- Mike Pepper - Centralia College Scholarship
- Georgia Ownes - Centralia College Scholarship
- Linda Long - Centralia College Scholarship
- Kelsa Smith - Centralia College Scholarship
- Jerry Lingle - Washington State University Scholarship
- Loren Petty - Washington State University Scholarship, Olympia Barber Shop Quartet Scholarship
- Karl Klewin - Washington State University Scholarship
- Steve Mace - University of Washington Scholarship
- Andy Moniz - University of Washington Scholarship
- Joan Dorian - North Thurston Faculty Wives Scholarship
- Jim Hamann - North Thurston District Grade Schools PTA Scholarship
- Jody Dye - Thurston-Mason County Medical Society Nursing Scholarship
- Carla Scott - Thurston-Mason County Medical Society Nursing Scholarship
- Mike Brown - Jim Case Memorial Soccer Scholarship
- Bill Canfield - Ray Kidwiler Memorial Scholarship
- Chris Shaver - University Triads Scholarship
- Candi Cole - Frank T. Schmidt Memorial Scholarship
- Ollie Jones - Georgia Pacific Scholarship

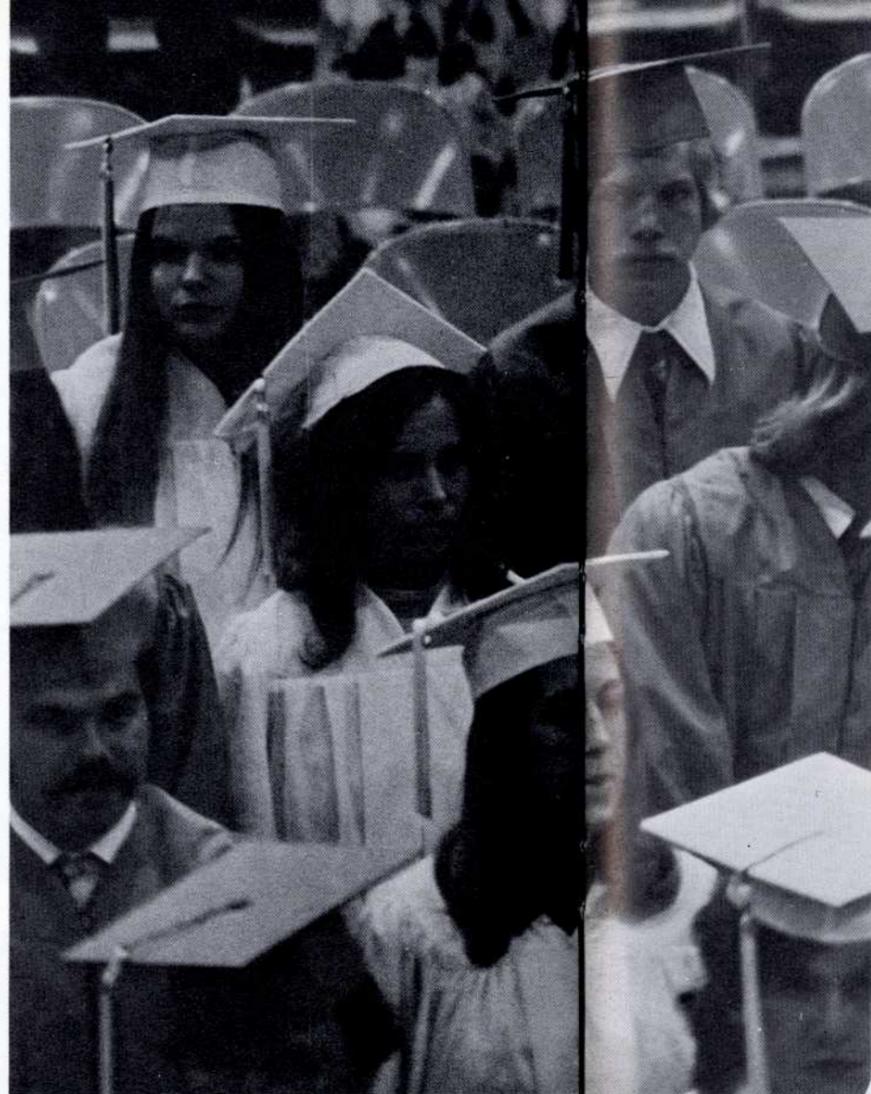


Top left: Commencement speakers: Mark Harmon, *Farewell Mickey Mouse*; Candy Cole, *Future Thoughts*; Kenan Conte *Advocates of Change*; and Robin Hojem, *Academic Freedom*.  
 Far left: Mr. Bower's final goodbye.  
 Top: Awaiting for graduating seniors.  
 Left: Mr. Thomas read the names.  
 Above: Ollie Jones won the Georgia Pacific Scholarship.

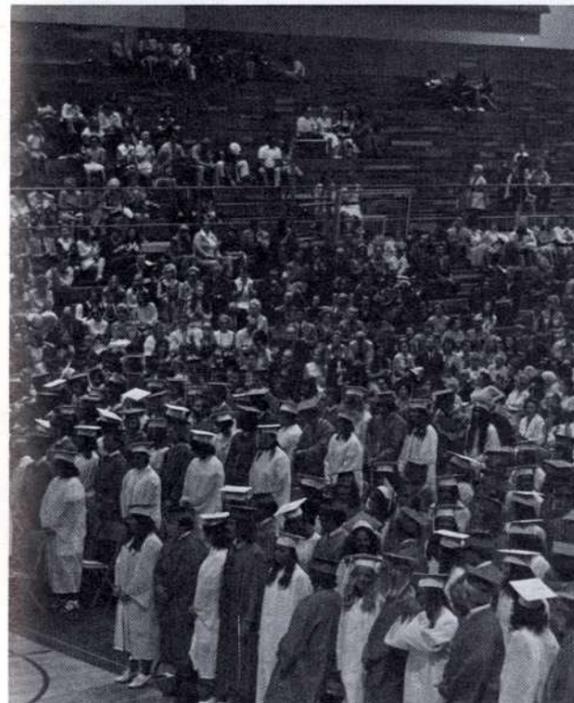
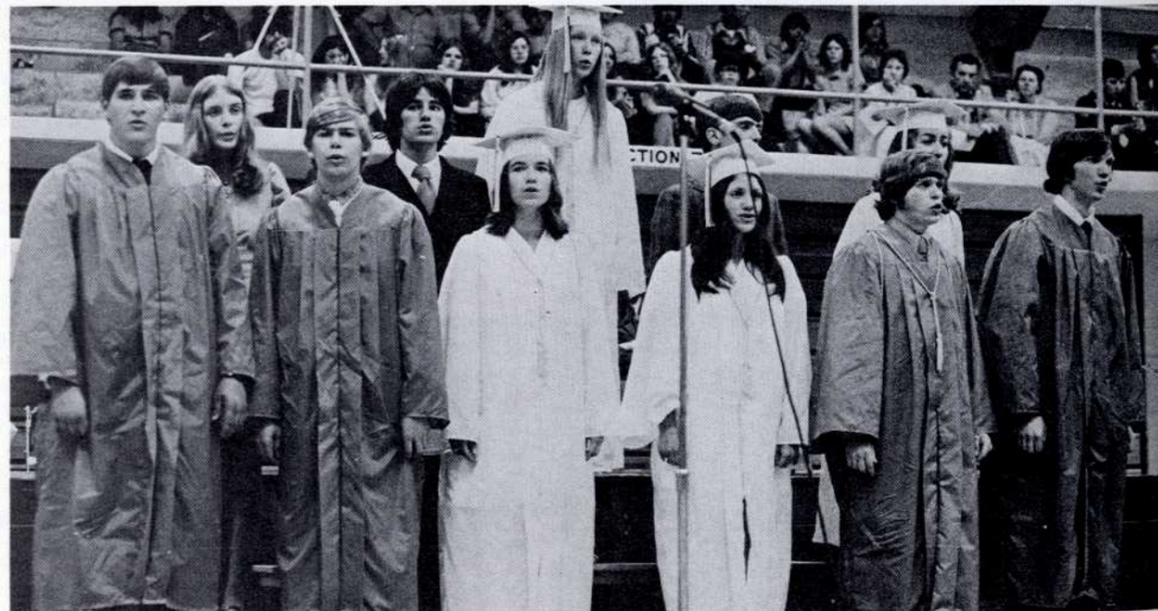
This year's graduation ceremony was different from previous years. The processional march was changed from the old standard *Pomp and Circumstance* to the new *Aida* and the recessional march was completely omitted by the seniors.

The class gift, a bike rack, was given to the school because of the sharp increase in bikes at school. A memorial for Mrs. Cason of a Bible and a plaque were given to the new library-media center and a special diploma was given to Mr. Bower commemorating his last year here at NT.

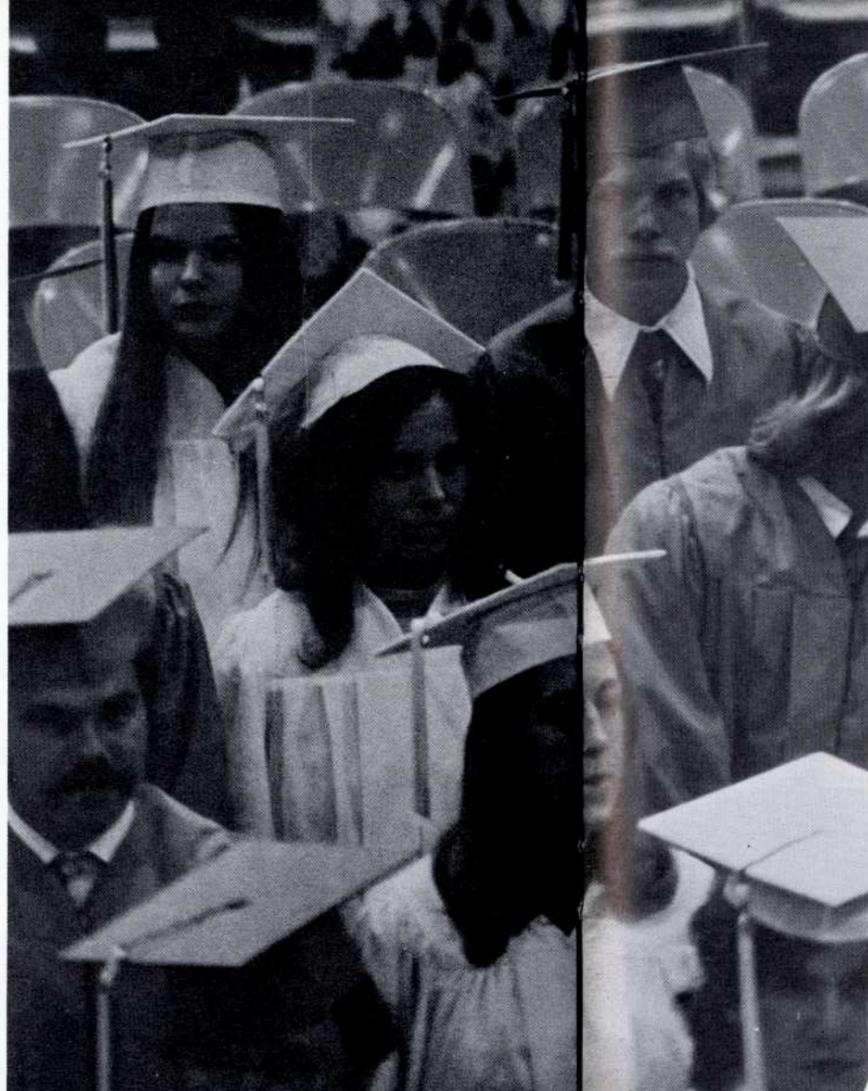
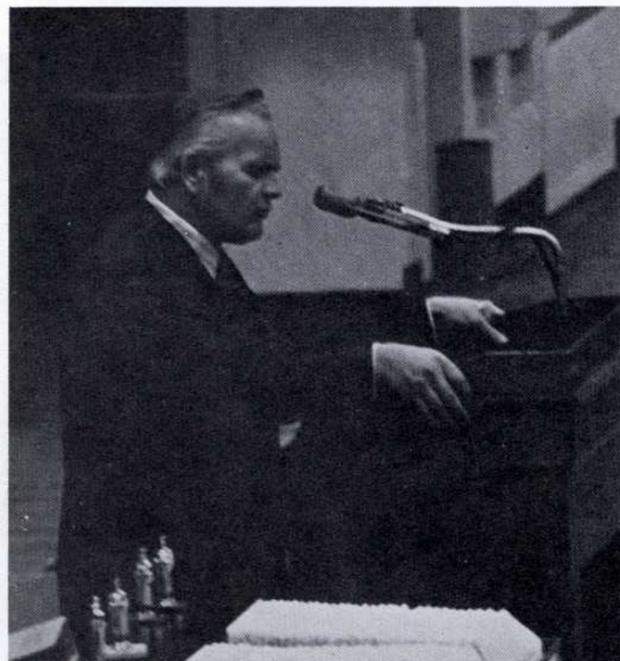
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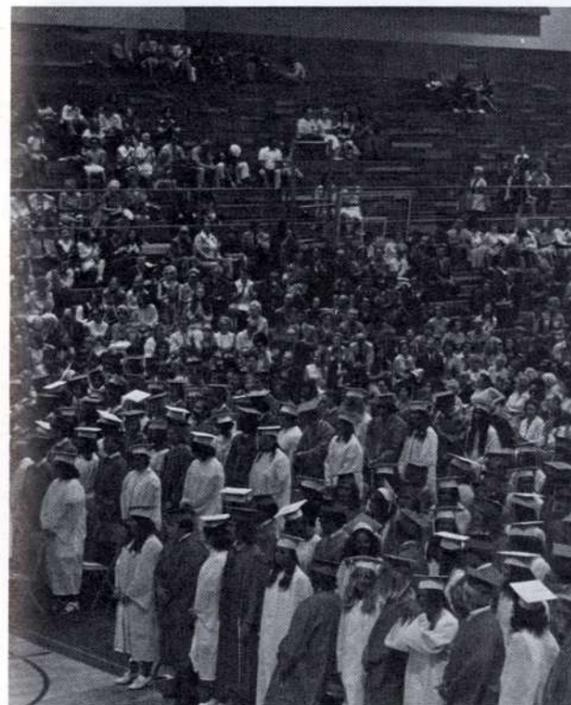
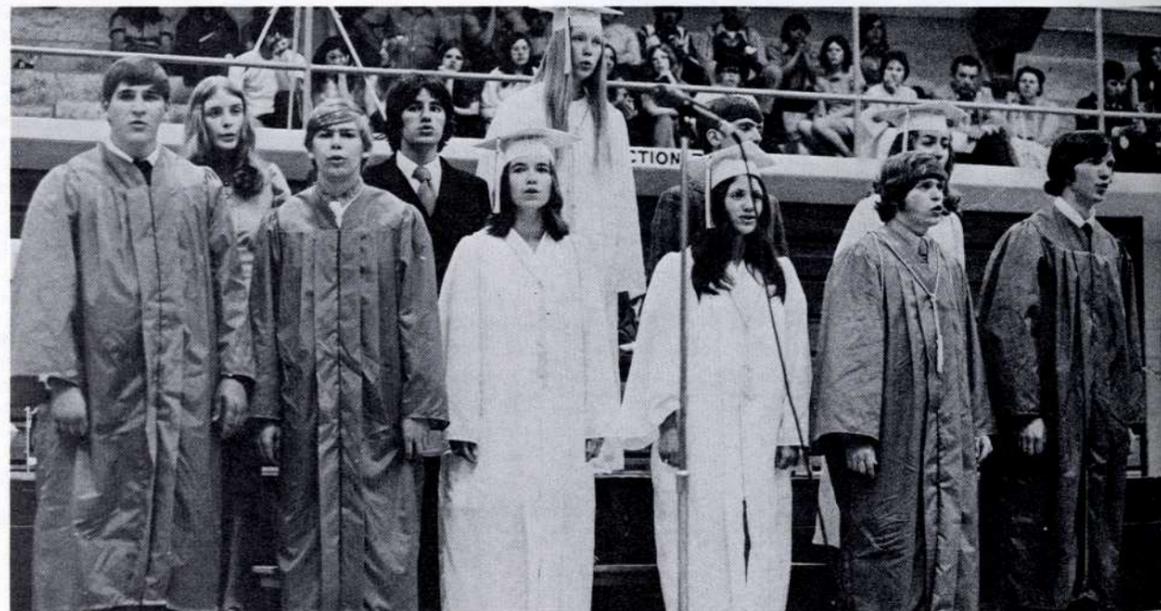
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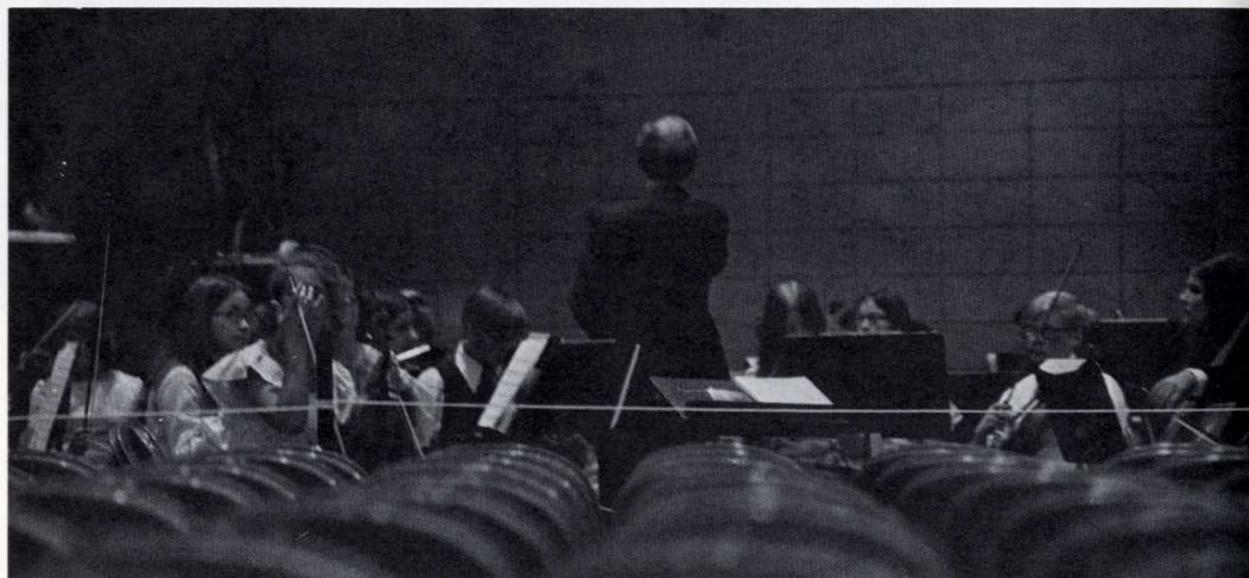
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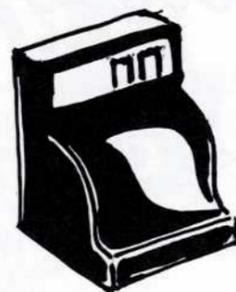


Right: Mr. Arbuckle presents Teresa Senior with the Kiwanis Leadership Award.  
Below: A last minute conference before time to start.



Above: A job well done by Mr. Edlund and his orchestra.  
Right: Is everybody ready?

When the last diploma was given and best wishes said, seniors headed out to congratulate friends or say goodbye to parents. Then each embarked on his own celebration—whether it was the almost cancelled ferry trip, a week at the ocean, or home. Each person had his own plans and carried them out in his own way.



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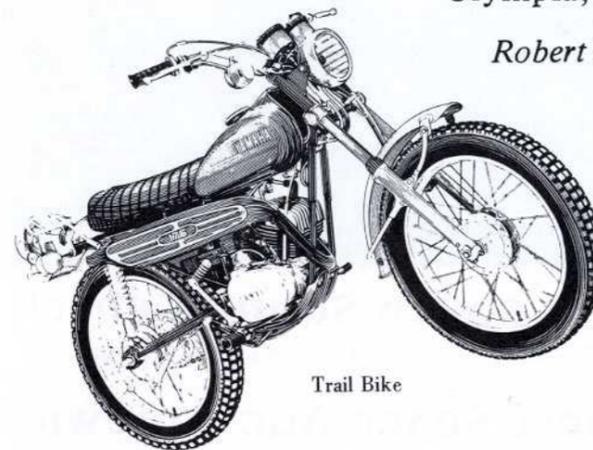
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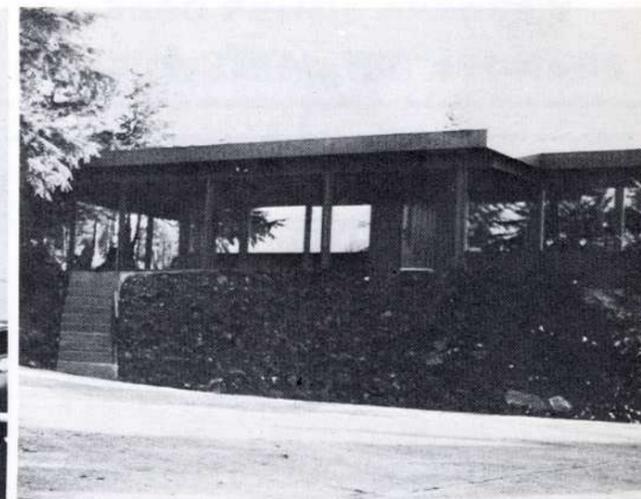


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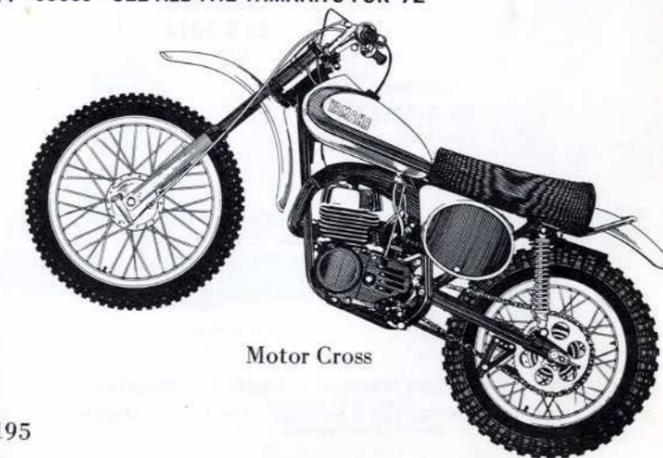
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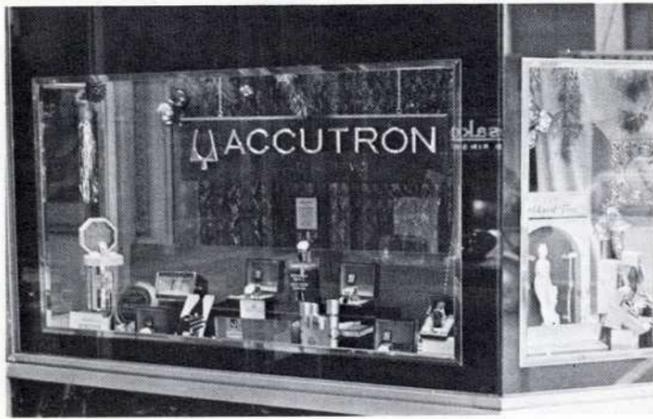
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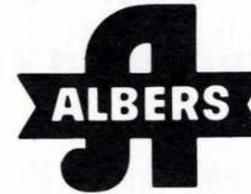
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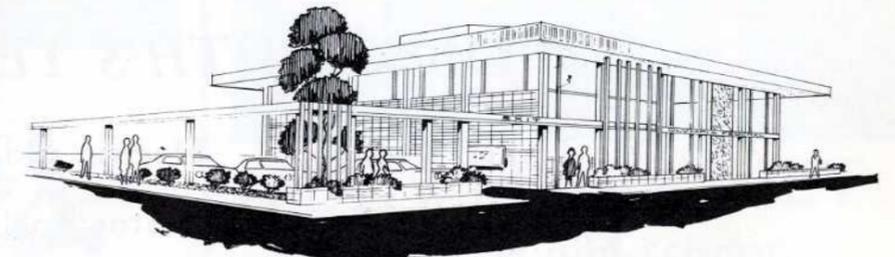
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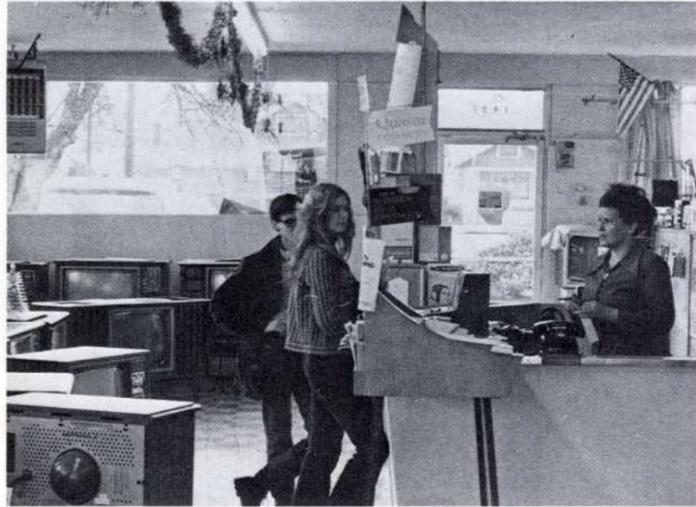
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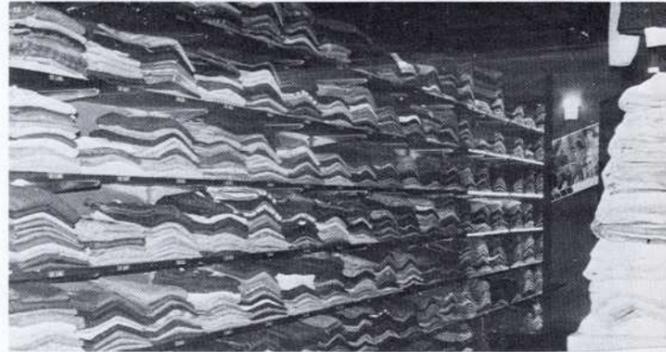
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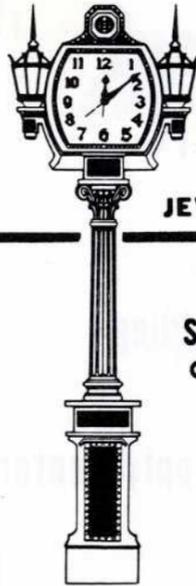
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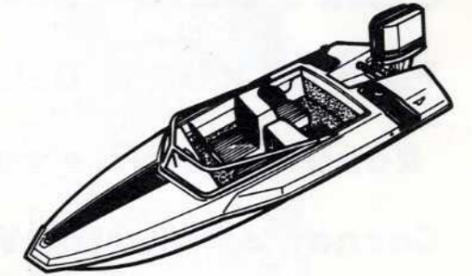
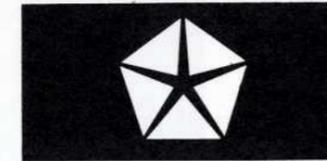
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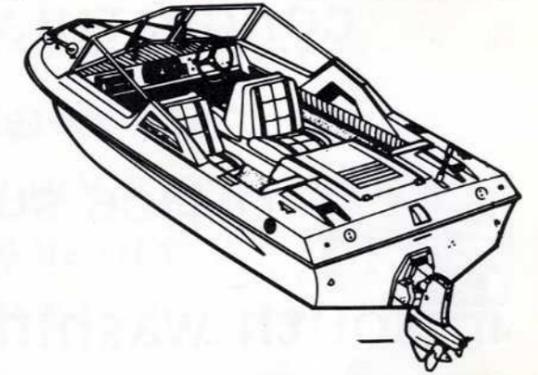
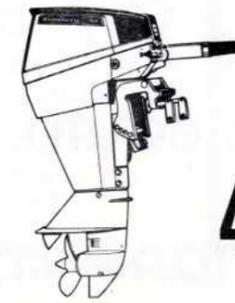
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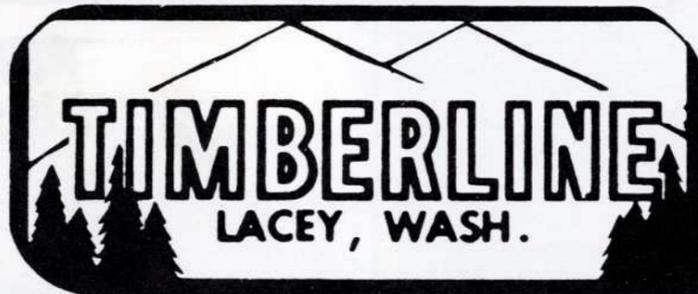
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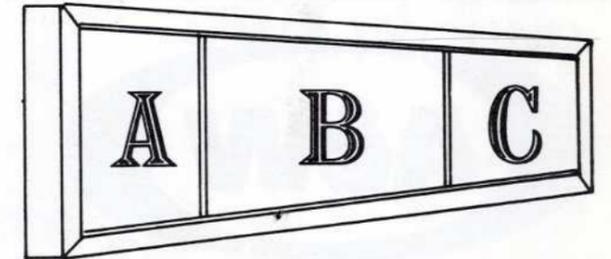


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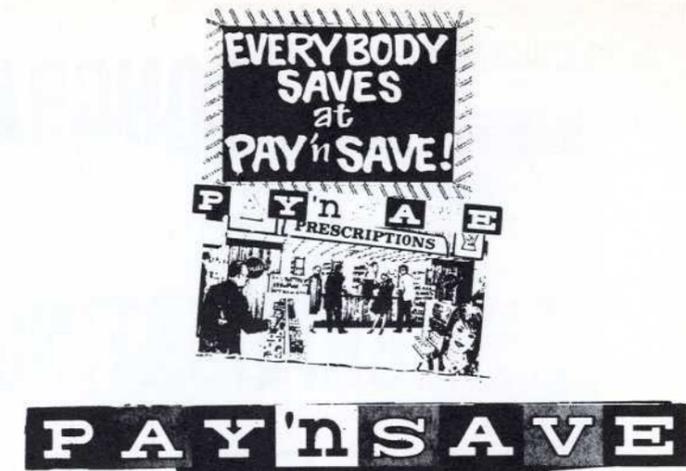
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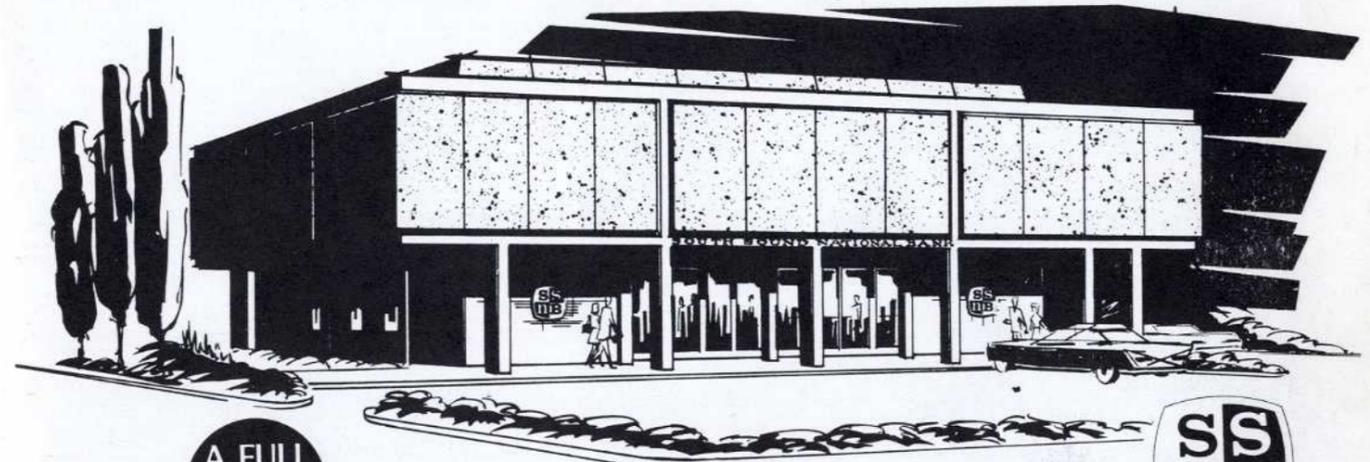
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## Getting In The Last Word . . .

This book was planned to show North Thurston's past year as it really happened. It has turned out to be a chronicle of school spirit and participation disintegration. It wasn't planned that way, but as the school goes, so goes the annual.

The story would be incomplete and dishonest without telling how this book was put together. It wasn't one easy smooth operation. It was a long hard year of conflicting ideas, personality clashes, unwillingness to work as a team and many long, exhausting nights of work just before deadlines.

After school was out and the seniors had graduated, annual staff still had work to do. To the few who remained for that extra week and fought it out to the 'bitter end,' this book is your reward. I extend to you my sincerest thanks—you'll go far in the years ahead.

To my past advisor and good friend, Bud Russell, I would like to say "thank you." I would never had been able to learn what I have about people, ideals and leadership without you.

I will always be grateful to Jim Slosson, my new advisor, for his fresh ideas and ever willingness to help out when needed, always being careful not to overexert his influence on me or the staff. If it had been any other way, this book could never really be called ours. He and his wife spent countless hours helping complete this annual, and without that help, we would never have gone to press on time. Most of all, thank you for the many times you encouraged and counseled me during the many depressing moments this past year.

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