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## GRADUATES



## SHARON BISHOP

Girls' Athletic Association 1, Future Nurses' Club 2-3-4 (Treas. 3, Student Council Rep. 4), Future Homemakers of America 4, Band 1-2-3

JANICE BRADY
Future Homemakers of America 4, Chorus 1


SHARON BURLESON
Girls' Athletic Association 4, Future Nurses' Club 2-3, Future Homemakers of America 1


RONALD BUTLER


MARJORIE CHASE
Girls' Athletic Association 2

## DUDLEY COOPMAN

Addison High 1, Future Farmers of America (Addison) 1, (Tecumseh) 2

DAVID CHAMPANOIS
Vice President 4, Student Council 1-2-4 (Vice Pres. 4), Junior Play 3, Boys' State 3, Varsity Club 3-4 (Vice Pres. 4), Football R2, V3, V4, (Capt. 4), Golf 4

## DANIEL CISCO

Hudson High 1-2-3, Vice President (Hudson) 1, Chorus 4, Football (Hudson) R1, V2, V3, (Tecumseh) V4, Basketball (Hudson) V1, V2, V3, (Tecumseh)

V4, Track (Hudson) V3

WARREN COTTRILL
Onsted High 1-2, Future Farmers of America (Onsted) 1-2, (Tecumseh) 3-4 (Sec'y 4)

## CAROLYN COWEN

Future Homemakers of America 4



JERRY CRUNK
Varsity Club 3-4, Track 2-4


JAMES DAHLKE Chorus 3

## NANCY DAY

Salutatorian, Student Council 1-2, Annual Staff, Girls' Athletic Association 1, Future Homemakers of America 4, Future Teachers' Club 3-4, Band 1-2-3-4 (Libr. 2, Pres. 3)

LESLIE DEJONGHE
Varsity Club 3-4, Band 1 Football V3, V4


## GRACE DENNIS

Student Council 3, Debate 2, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4 (Pres. 4), Future Teachers' Club 3-4 (Student Council Rep. 4)

## CAROLYN DENZ

Future Teachers' Club 3-4, Chorus 2-3


## JOHN DEWEY

President 2-3, Boys' State 3, Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4 (Pres. 3, Vice Pres. 4)


## GARY ELLIOTT

Honor Student, Vice President 2, Annual Staff, Boys' State 3, Varsity Club 4, Football R2, Basketball R2, R3, Track V2, V3, V4

WILLIAM FIELDER
Annual Staff, Junior Play 3, Band 1-2-3-4 (Student Council Rep. 4)

LYNN FROST
Football Mgr. 2, Baseball R2, V3, V4



SHARON GALLANT
Annual Staff, Girls' Athletic Association 2, Future Homemakers of America 4


HARVEY GATT
Adrian High 1-2-3

## SHARON GOVE

Future Homemakers of
America 4, Chorus 1-2-3

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Junior Play 3, Varsity Club
4, Golf V3, V4
SHIRLEY GURTZWEILER


BARBARA GEBAROWSKI Future Nurses' Club 2, Future Homemakers of America 1-2-3-4 (Student Council Rep. 3, Pres. 4), Chorus 1


KAREN GOLAT
Adrian Catholic Central 1 Junior Play 3, Future Hom makers of America 3-4 (Stı dent Council Rep. 4)

RICHARD GREGORY


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Honor Student, Student Council 1, Annual Staff, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3, Future Nurses' Club 3-4 (Assoc. Sec'y. 4)

MARGARET HARRIS Future Nurses' Club 3Chorus 2


CHARLES HARTSELL
Honor Student, Student Council 4, Annual Staff, Boy's State 3, Football Mgr. 2-4, Basketball Mgr. 1-2-3-4

## RICHARD HARVEY

Varsity Club 3-4, Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4, Football V3

## TAYLOR HARVEY

Boys' State 3, Band 1-2-3-4, Football R2, R3


## ANN MARIE HAUGHN

D.A.R. Good Citizenship Award, Annual Staff, Declamation 3, Junior Play 3, Future Teachers' Club 3-4 (Treas. 3, Pres. 4), Band 1 -2-3-4 (Majorette 2-3-4)

## MARILYN HELZERMAN

Student Council 4, Annual Staff, Declamation 3, Girls' State 3, Girls' Athletic Association 1, Chorus 3-4 (Vice Pres. 3, Pres. 4)


## RENATE HOFFMAN

Jackson High 1-2-3, Honor Student, Chorus (Jackson) 1-2-3, (Tecumseh) 4

MARJORIE HAVILAND Future Homemakers America 4

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Honor Student, President 1, Student Council 4 (Treas. 4), Junior Play 3, Varsity Club 4, Chorus 4, Football R2, V4, Basketball R3, V4

## DAVID HOLDEN

Honor Student, Junior Play 3, Boys' State 3, Chorus 4, Football R1


RODNA JEPSON
Honor Student, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3


RONALD JOHNSON
Honor Student, Annual Staff, Junior Play 3, Varsity Club 3-4, Spanish Club 2, Band 1-2-3-4, Football R2, V3, V4, Track V2, V3, V4, Wrestling V2, V3


THEODORE KEMPF

Student Council 1, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4, Future Nurses' Club 2-3-4 (Pres. 4)

LEROY KING Chorus 3-4

RONALD KORTE
Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4


GERALD KRUSE
Varsity Club 3-4, Band 1-23, Track V2, V3, V4


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Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4 (Vice Pres. 3)

PATRICIA LINN Britton-Macon High 1



FAY McCLURE
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Catalina High, Tucson, Arizona 2, Girls' Athletic Association 3-4


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Girls' Athletic Association 1

JAMES MANGRUM
Varsity Club 4, Football Mgr.
3, Track V3, V4

KAREN MARINE
Girls' Athletic Association
1-2-3

## ALICE MARTINEZ

Spanish Club 3, Future Homemakers of America 3


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Future Homemakers of America 1


GERALD MUNGER
Varsity Club 4, Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4 (Treas. 3-4), Football V4

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Junior Play 3, Varsity Club
2-3-4 (Sec'y 4, Student Council Rep. 4) Football
R1, V2, V3, V4, Basketball R1, V2, V3, V4 (Co-Capt.
4), Baseball V3, V4

LEO OSWALD

DONNA PARRETT All-School Play 4, Girls' Athletic Association 2-3, Future Teachers' Club 3-4

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Honor Student, Annual Staff, School Newspaper Staff 4, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3, Future Teachers' Club 3-4


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Honor Student, Vice President 1, Student Council 3-4, Junior Play 3, Girls' Athletic Association 3, Band 1-2-3-4 (Libr. 3, Pres. 4, Majorette 1-2-3-4)

SUZANNE ROHWEDER
Honor Student, Annual Staff, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3, Cheerleader 2-3-4


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Future Nurses' Club 2-3, Future Homemakers of America 4, Chorus 1-2-3-4

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Junior Play 3, Band 1-2-3-4


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Onsted High 1-2-3, Choru (Onsted) 1-2


KATHLEEN SHIRLEY
Girls' Athletic Association 2-3-4, Future Teachers' Club 4, Chorus 1-2-3


FRANCES SHORT
Future Homemakers of America 3-4 (Sec'y. 4)


## CAROL SPANGLER

Secretary 2, Student Council 4 (Sec'y 4), Junior Play 3, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4 (Student Council Rep. 4), Future Nurses' Club 2-3-4, Cheerleader 3-4

## SHERRY TUCKER

Honor Student, Editor-inChief of Annual, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4, Future Teachers' Club 3-4

## PATRICIA UPELL

Future Teachers' Club 3,
Chorus 3

MARILYN VAN CAMP
Girls' Athletic Association 2-3-4, Future Nurses' Club 2


## GLORIA SWEET

Girls' Athletic Association 3-4



NANETTE WALPER Annual Staff

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Girls' State 3, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4 (Sec'y. 3)

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Student Council 2, Varsity Club 2-3-4, Football V1, V2, V3, V4, Basketball R1, V2, V3, V4, (Co-Capt. 4) Baseball V1, V2, V3, V4

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## SARAH WRIGHT

Secretary 3-4, School Newspaper Staff 4, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3 (Student Council Rep. 3), Future Nurses' Club 2


## LLOYD WATSON

Football R2, R3
MICHAEL WALTERS
Honor Student, Student


KATHERINE WEST
Hillsdale High 1, Pittsford High 2, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-4, Spanish Club 1-2, Future Nurses' Club 1-2-3, Future Homemakers of America 3 Council 1-2-3 (Treas. 3),
Annual Staff, Boys' State 3,
Varsity Club 1-2-3-4 (Pres.
4), Football V1, R2, V3, V4, Basketball R2, R3, V4,
Track V1, V2, V3, V4


LINDA WHELAN
Girls' Athletic Association 1-4

## JERRY WOODWARD

Junior Play 3, Band 1-2-3-4
(Pres. 3, Mgr. 4), Football
Mgr. 1-4, Basketball Mgr .


## Seniors



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS
Sarah Wright, Secretary; Greg Mason, President; David Champanois, Vice President; Mary Lou McConnell, Treasurer


There must be an answer.


Do I have to eat it?


SENIOR STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES
Marilyn Helzerman, Charles Hartsell, David Hohenstein, Sandra Ross, David Champanois, Donna Roe, Michael Walters


Jerry


Aren't we cute?


But I prefer PLAYBOY.

## Seniors



I'm all ready to start another day.


Back off, Spider Harv.


Marilyn


A toast to Sharon


Nobody loves me anymore.


You must keep quiet.


Don't take your charms outa my arms.
There's a worker!


Just a chip off the old block

## We Acknowledge



MRS. LOIS D. SERVICE
The annual staff would like to express their appreciation to Mrs. Service for her help and excellent guidance as the 1959 Annual Adviser.

The class of 1959 would like to express their appreciation to Mr . Howard for his outstanding leadership and assistance as adviser of the graduating class.


## Valedictorian



MARY LOU McCONNELL

## VALEDICTORY

Tonight, we, the Class of 1959, have reached the end of an important phase of our lives. For the past thirteen years we have lived in a protected world created by our parents, teachers, and friends. We have built our own society with our own customs and rules. Now we must leave this sheltered world and endeavor to become a useful part of a large, more complicated world. Whether we get jobs or continue our formal education, we must realize that we have a great responsibility to our community, our state, and our nation. Instead of standing by and watching others run our government, our factories, our farms, and our business, it will be our class, and thousands of other graduating classes throughout the country, that must soon take over these tasks. How well we perform these duties is determined only by our abilities and desires. If they are to be well-done, we must undertake them willingly and enthusiastically. For the past thirteen years we have been preparing for this undertaking. Our teachers and parents have given us the knowledge
and ability to at least make a beginning. We have not always learned willingly, but none of us has escaped without learning something beneficial. Our training has not only included such things as languages, mathematics, sciences, history, and skills, but it has given us an even greater experience in learning how to get along with other people. The experience of living in a society of our own making will prove invaluable to us in the future, for it will be a foundation on which to build knowledge of ourselves and of those around us. We have all set a goal, as many different ones as there are members of this class. Let us hope that in the methods which we use to reach these goals, we shall reflect honor on our past and set an example for the future. The success of our past is due, in great part, to our parents, our teachers, and our friends, but the success of our future lies within ourselves. Let us all strive to live our lives to the utmost for ourselves, for others, for our country, and for our God. Thank you and good-night.


NANCY DAY

## SALUTATORY

We, the class of 1959, salute you!
Tonight our first real ambition, graduation, is realized. This achievement has been brought about principally through the guidance of our parents, who instilled in us the fundamentals of American living; our teachers, who patiently supplemented these basic facts and ideas; and our friends, who freely offered their kind encouragement and advice.

What we have accomplished thus far is much like the foundation structure of our lives and forms the cornerstone of our characters. We look on into the future with new hopes, new ideals. Whether or not these also will materialize, depends upon us. No longer can we rely so much on our parents and teachers. We must now be independent and make our own decisions.

Being young, an optimistic view of the future comes naturally to us. We are eager to take advantage of the many opportunities of-
fered in free America. Because we are citizens of this great country, we may proceed with confidence and pride.

We have learned the value of knowledge, and whether we enter college or go directly to the activities of life itself for our next teacher, we shall always strive to learn. We have found also that such things as brotherhood, understanding, sympathy, friendship, and faith in God are equally essential in our lives, for without these, bare knowledge is nothing.

Let this be our thanks to you: the promise to accept the responsibilities and preserve the rights bestowed only in a democracy, and to appreciate the privilege of being able to take part in the governing of our country. As we leave tonight, we are fully aware of your hopes that accompany us in thought, and with God's protection and guidance, we shall try to transform these hopes into reality.

# Class Night Program 

CLASS NIGHT
(Wednesday, June 3, 1959)
MOTTO
"In ourselves the future lies"
COLORS
Red and White

FLOWER
Red Rose and White Rose

PROGRAM

| Presentation of Key | Greg Mason <br> Acceptance of Key <br> Class History <br> Prophecy |
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| Class Will | Bettie Kiser, David Holden |

# President's Address 

GREG MASON

Classmates and Friends:
We are assembled here tonight at the last meeting before graduation of the Class of 1959 . Undoubtedly most of us are recalling many things that have happened during our school days. Each of these incidents make us realize that throughout these past four years we have been trained to become the leaders of tomorrow. Take our Senior year, for example: three of us held offices on the Student Council, while others held offices and chairmanships in many clubs and organizations in the school; Seniors were captains of various athletic teams; Seniors also won such honors as the D.A.R. Good Citizenship Award and the Homemaker of Tomorrow Award. Each of these, together with similar responsibilities and honors in previous years, have combined to shape us into future leaders. Since this could not have been accomplished
without the help of our parents, teachers, and friends, therefore on behalf of the Seniors, I would like to thank all of our parents for the wonderful job they have done in helping to make us the men and women that we will be tomorrow. And to Mr. Hart, Mr. Howard, Mr. Babcock, Mrs. Service, and the rest of the faculty, may I say thank you for the excellent guidance and help that you have given us these last four years.

To you, the Class of 1959, I would like to say thank you for electing me your President this year, and for the fine co-operation that you have given to the class and to its officers. As for tomorrow, whether you go on to college, give your services to your country, or are engaged in jobseeking, I would like to say good luck, and may God bless each and every one of you.

# Class History 

BETTIE KISER and DAVID HOLDEN

When Tecumseh High School opened its doors to welcome its returning students in the fall of 1955, there was a new addition to the group. One hundred and forty-one of the bright-est-eyed, most eager Freshmen in the history of the school were there waiting to be let in. We were those Freshmen.

After the routine matters of enrollment were over, we settled down to make the most of our stay here. Under the guidance of our able adviser, Mr. Howard, we elected David Hohenstein as our president, Sandra Ross as our vice president, Donna Nixon as our secretary, and Mary Lou McConnell as our treasurer. These capable officers, along with our Student Council representatives, David Champanois, Linda Hanna, Ann Kempf, and Mike Walters, were chosen to lead our class on to great things. We were encouraged by the fact that the school elected our lovely candidate, Johanna Young, as the Homecoming Queen, and that our float, with the slogan "The Tigers are All Washed Up," won second place. In the spring, we were extremely proud when our candidates, Bonnie Isler and Mike Walters, were chosen as King and Queen of the Junior Prom. After a year of hard work to better the standings of our class and ourselves, we were glad of the chance to recuperate during the summer vacation.

When school resumed in the fall, we were back with only one hundred and twenty-five faithful "servants" to bring honor to our class. Mr. Howard again took up the duties of adviser, as we elected our class officers, John Dewey, president; Gary Elliott, vice president; Carol Spangler, secretary; and Mary Lou McConnell, treasurer. To voice our opinions in the Student Council, we chose Nancy Day, Donna Spangler, Larry Yoakum, and David Champanois. We were excited and pleased when the time arrived to order our class rings, and we awaited their arrival with great anticipation. Dressed as cowboys and cowgirls, we served our distinguished upperclassmen with pride at the Junior-Senior Reception. Then again we took a three months' rest from our studies.

As our Junior year began, once more assisted by Mr. Howard, the handling of facts and figures was turned over to our able officers: John Dewey, president; Ronald Roe, vice president; Sarah Wright, secretary; and again Mary Lou McConnell took charge of the treasury.

We also had assistance from our Student Council representatives, Greg Mason, Grace Dennis, Mike Walters, and Sandra Ross.

At Homecoming time, we were happy to take second place once more with our float "No Kick in the Bier." Most of us worked diligently during our magazine sale to earn money for the Senior trip. Our dramatics presentation, under the direction of Mr . Babcock, consisted of two very entertaining one-act plays, "He Ain't Done Right By Nell" and "Five in Judgement." These plays were enthusiastically received by the public.

This year it was the duty of our class to sponsor the Junior Prom, which was entitled "Atom's Eve." Later in the spring, we played host to the Seniors at a new type of JuniorSenior Reception-the Junior-Senior Picnic, which was held at the Tecumseh Country Club. The period for rest and vacation came and went swiftly after that.

When the school doors opened to our class of one hundred and twenty-one for the last time, we were happy to have Mr . Howard continue to guide us, as we faced the year ahead with mixed feelings of relief and reluctance. To lead us down this last path, we chose as president, Greg Mason; as vice president, David Champanois; as secretary, Sarah Wright; and for the fourth time, Mary Lou McConnell as treasurer. Our Student Council representatives were Sandra Ross, Marilyn Helzerman, Carol Spangler, Donna Roe, Charles Hartsell, David Hohenstein, and David Champanois. We were delighted when Sharon McMichael was selected as the Queen of the Homecoming festivities. Next was the Christmas dance, which we sponsored and called "Silver Bells." We were sorry to lose about ten of our Seniors, our class at this time being made up of one hundred and eleven members. To climax Sponge Week, our candidate Bill Fielder was chosen as "King of the Mardi Gras" at the Sponge Dance.

As the time drew near for departure on our Senior trip to Washington, every Senior became more noticeably eager. At last we were off! What fun we had, as we spent a very educational and interesting week visiting historic spots in our nation's capital.

The past four years have been spent in obtaining an education, taking part in many extracurricular activities, and earning honors for our class. Baccalaureate is now over, and we are nearing the end of our stay. Tomorrow night, as we receive our diplomas, our high school career will come to an end, and the future will indeed lie within ourselves.

## Annual Staff



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## Annual Staff



Need some help, Linda?


I don't care if your name is


We've got to meet that deadline!


Stop fooling around!


Chummy


Don't bother me; I'm busy.


All right, you kids, get busy! !


Ann Marie and Fay


Please come out, Miss Cramer.

## Seniors



What are we going to do?


This is the way to do it.


Did you know . . . . ?


Hey, fellas, what are we waiting for?


Is that all you do back-stage?


Are you ready?


Nothing to do.


There's a worker.

## Seniors



It's a bird, it's a plane, it's . . . . . . . . . . . . . . !


I "pincha da fruit."


Shall I listen in?

They're fighting over me again.


The evil three


## NDERGRADUATES



Anderson, Louise Antrobus, Bruce Baird, Charles Baldwin, Linda Barber, Addie

Bidle, Marjorie Blanden, Harriett Britton, Lee Brosamer, Richard Buehrer, Janette

Bugbee, Brenda Buku, Rosemary Cameron, Ann Carson, Harold Chavez, Mary Colgrove, Mary

Cook, Jon
Crawford, Jane
Creger, James Curth, James Dabe, Pete

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Dragich, Marianna Fero, Michael Frost, Kendra Garland, Shirlene George, Janice

## Juniors

Gibson, Barbara Gillen, Leroy Godfrey, Linda Goodin, Barbara Graham, Janet Gray, Robert

Green, Larry
Gurtzweiler, Patricia Hall, Brenda Hall, Gary Hall, Karen Halley, Marlyn

Harris, Janet Harsh, Jane Harsham, Karen Hartley, June Hartsell, Larry Harvey, Judy

Hassenzahl, Judy Helzerman, Ralph Hendershot, Philip Hendricks, Terry Holdridge, Richard Honeycutt, Phyllis

Hoot, James Horvath, Richard Howard, Sandra Howell, Raymond Hunt, Roberta Hunt, Sally

Irelan, Jerry Kachur, Jan Kelly, Linda Kilbourn, Carole Kish, Joan
Klught, Sylvia

Korte, Roger Kruger, Steve
Lawhead, Sharron Lawson, Calvin Layton, Marilou Lewis, Lanny

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McVay, Larry Marine, Betty Mead, Roger Merritt, Mary Michajlenko, Vera Milosh, George

Mitzner, Sharon Moynihan, Judy Mumaw, Janice Mumaw, Joan Neitling, James Nichols, Loah

Nichols, Sheldon Nighswander, James Oliphant, Doris Oyer, Sonja Palmer, Judy Pennington, Louise

Pepper, Judy
Perry, John
Poe, Phyllis Poley, James Randall, James Rickard, Kay

Ries, Mary
Ringman, Kendra Roberts, Mary Robinette, Peggy Roe, Douglas Rucker, Gerald

Saenz, Rosie Schafer, Paul Schmitz, Gary Schultz, Kay Schultz, Sharon Seager, Mary

Shutes, Larry Simpson, George Sisson, Jack Skinner, Donna Smith, Sylvia Snyder, Barbara

Spreeman, Susan Surratt, Paul Titley, Alice Truesdale, Judy
Tucker, Wayne Van Valkenburg, David

Vincze, Sally Wagner, Jean Walker, Karin Wallace, Kenneth
Walter, Tom
Weakly, David

Whelan, Donald Wilbar, Janice Wilkins, Iva Wilkins, Robert Williams, Richard


PICTURES NOT SHOWN:
Burleson, LeRoy
Haggard, Buddy
Kirk, Shelia
Morden, Graham
Packard, Mary Lee
Schnieder, Robert

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS
Jon Cook, Treasurer; Harriett Blanden, Secretary; Michael Fero, Vice President; David Van Valkenburg, President

JUNIOR STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES
Steve Kruger, Doris Oliphant, Paul Surratt, Alice Titley, James Curth, Mary Colgrove, Jack Sisson


Juniors


But I have to get to class.


Mr. Pobuda, I need some advice.


I'm on hall duty.


A common clique


Those big round eyes


Who's sorry now?

Sophomores

Adams, Kay
Aho, Jon
Anderson, Claudia
Anderson, Phyllis Andrew, Linda

Bachtal, Janet Backus, Alex Bailey, Sandra Barber, Lucille Bartels, Carolyn

Bartenslager, Joe Barth, Jackie Barton, Tom Bashore, James Baughey, Vickie

Beardsley, Barbara Bedore, Myron Beekel, Janet Beevers, Kenneth Beevers, Shirley

Beland, Evelyn Bennington, Joy Betzoldt, Fred Bishop, Betty Boltz, Inez

Bourns, Gary Bracey, Annette Brantingham, Ben Breitenwischer, Jerry Brion, Eugene

Brooks, David Brooks, Ernestine Brooks, Ruth Brosamer, Karen Bruce, Bradley



Butler, Karen Champanois, Clarence Close, Barbara Collier, Jerry Csokasy, Frank Cutler, Sally

Damon, Barbara Damon, Diane Davis, Linda Day, Susan Dean, Linda Decker, Jerry


DeLeon, Rose DeLisle, Patricia Dennis, Carolyn Dinius, Gary Dixon, Ronald Dunn, Jackie

Eddy, Dean Fairbanks, Roger Fielder, Sharon Fischer, Raymond Fisher, Robert Fogelsong, Robert

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Green, Michael Greenwald, Jean Greiman, Carol Griffin, Linda Grigg, Camilla Grigg, David

## Sophomores

Halberstadt, Ivan Hand, Larry Harris, Susan Harrison, Dennis Harvey, Alan Harvey, Dan

Hathaway, Ronald Haviland, Gary Heeman, George Helwig, Karen Henson, Margaret Hicks, Helen

Hoag, Jean Hodges, Jane Hoffmeister, Sharlene Hohenstein, Jean Holdridge, Charles Holdridge, Patrick

Holland, Norma Horvath, Margaret Hunter, Mary Ann Hyatt, Richard Irelan, Dennis Keith, Willard

Kelly, Karen Kemp, Jerome Kimerer, Gale Klingensmith, Glen Krebs, John Krout, Ruth

Lambes, James Landin, Terry Lane, Sharon LaPrad, William LeFevre, Bruce Lembrick, Patricia

Lemerand, Ronald Lewis, Mary Linden, Donald Linn, Virginia Lowe, Carol McCann, Anna


## Sophomores



McCombs, Isabel Mackey, Dorothy Maddux, Barbara Mangrum, Judy Mata, John Meiers, Larry

Miller, Helen Mobley, Frank Munger, Meredith Murphy, Janet Musch, Pamela Naugle, Harry

Neuman, Arnold Nichols, Susan Nighswander, Nancy Ottgen, Bonnie Penrod, Leonard Peterson, Vickie

Pinter, Donald Poley, Cynthia Poskarbiewicz, Del Rebottaro, Charles Refner, Linda Ripley, James

Robinson, Margaret Robison, Michael
Roe, Dottie
Roe, Patricia
Ross, William Rucker, Elma

Ruttkofsky, Sandra Saling, Janice Schafer, Clifford Scheffler, Beverly Shelhart, Wilma Sisson, William

Smith, Melody Smith, Nancy Snyder, Roger Solarski, Richard Sowers, Charlene Spivey, Imogene

## Sophomores

Sprague, Brenda Spreeman, Harvey Squires, Patricia Starkey, Carol Sussex, John Teegarden, Patricia

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Van Valkenburg, Marjorie
Vaughn, Richard Velandra, Barbara Wagoner, Shirley Warren, Troy Weaver, Larry

White, Marjorie Wiemer, Dan Williams, Lauranne Wilson, Linda Withrow, David Withrow, James

Wraight, Jack Wright, Lana Wright, Richard Zarnoch, Goldie



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REPRESENTATIVES
Dennis Irelan, Inez Boltz, Charles Rebottaro, Jon Aho, Jean Hohenstein, Bill Ross

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS
Bill Sisson, Treasurer; Judy Mangrum, Secretary; Michael Tucker, Vice President; Larry Titley, President


## Sophomores



My, but you've grown!

"Champ"


Eureka!


Modern girls


Look, girls, here I am-!


Talkative Suzie

Monday morning blues


Big test coming up


Who said we weren't great?

## Sophomores




My name is Dave


Mumps?


Hi there!


Who studies during library period?


I tell you I'm not hiding it.

She was a perfect dream!


Busy hands make "fright" work.


Don't be afraid-just hit it.


Was THAT the assignment?

Freshmen


Allen, Jeanette
Allshouse, Joan Anderson, Joe Anderson, Patricia Andrews, Betty

Baker, John Barth, Betty Bassett, Robert Bays, Joy Beekel, Fred

Beland, Nancy
Bilby, Carol
Bird, Mary
Bird, Rosella
Blumerick, Linda

Bonner, Robert Brighton, Carol Britton, John Brock, David Brooks, Edsel

Brown, Barbara Bryan, Janice Bryant, Edna Buchheimer, Bonnie Buku, Sharon

Butler, Sharon
Carson, Mary
Cleveland, Mary Jean Collingsworth, Arthur Covell, Alice

Craig, Darlene
Crosby, David
Cubberly, Donna
Curtiss, Richard
Dabe, Kim

Freshmen

Davis, Wayne DeLisle, Kathleen Dicks, Linda Dinius, Connie Doyle, Cathryn Dunscomb, Enid

Durham, Joyce Elliott, Gail Flowers, Larry Forgacs, Steve Fox, Roger French, Robert

Frost, Susan Gebarowski, Peter George, Larry George, Nancy Gibson, Patricia Godfrey, Lisa

Graff, Janice
Graham, James
Gray, Larry
Greiman, Virginia
Hand, Carol
Handy, Max

Hannah, Brenda Harris, Carolyn Hartwig, Fred Harvey, Ann Hebert, Roger Hedges, Charles

Henson, Betty Hicks, Tom Hizer, Allen Hodges, Virginia Hoffman, Edeltraut Holdridge, Della

Holdridge, Jerry Holmes, Robert Honeycutt, Gary Host, Peter Irelan, David Kaiser, Richard

## Freshmen



Kapnick, Jerry Kohl, Noel LaPrad, Robert LeBaron, James Lectka, Mary LeFevra, Audrey

Lickfelt, Shelia Lickfelt, Vaughn Linden, David Locker, Clyde Long, Patricia Luce, Norma

McKenzie, Gary McMichael, Linda Mangrum, Sheridan Marsh, Delbert Meads, Richard Miller, Gale

Miller, Jane Miller, Sandra Milosh, Ruth Morden, Carolyn Morden, Meredith
Morgan, Judith

Mukenstrum, Ronald
Myers, Sharon
Nash, Doris
Naugle, Kent
Naugle, Steve
O'Neill, Ronald

Osburn, Raymond Owen, Susan Packard, Jean Parrett, Bruce Penrod, Nickie Rangler, Betty

Richards, Robert Richardson, Robert Richardson, Thelma Rickard, Gary Roberts, Rudite Robinson, Jerry

Freshmen

Robison, Eric Rodriguez, Roy Roe, Diane
Roe, Donald
Roe, Richard Rohrer, Michael

Ruttkofsky, Gerald Schuch, Janice Shaw, Norma Sherman, Barbara Shirley, Alice Short, Hilda

Simmons, Tom Simonds, Tom Solarski, Dolores Spivey, Linda Spreeman, Ellen Starkey, Linda

Stutesman, Mary Sweet, Raymond Thielan, Susanne Thomas, Jean Truesdale, William VanNeste, Dean

Velandra, Suzette Verrier, Eugene Walker, Winfield Wallace, Barbara Wallace, William Waynick, Sue

Whelan, Brenda Whitney, Tim Wilbar, Barbara Williams, Gordon Wilt, Carl Wing, Mary

Yenor, Raymond


## Freshmen



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS
Tom Hicks, President; Linda Dicks, Secretary; Mary Jean Cleveland, Vice President; Edie Hoffman, Treasurer.


But I've explained it five times!


FRESHMAN STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES
Nancy Beland, Gail Elliott, Suzie Owen, Eugene Verrier, Bob French, Carl Wilt


I can relax even in school.


Cramming


Carl

Freshmen


A new mathematician?


Man, dig that crazy bug!


Busy little worker


I've got Clarence on my mind.


We're looking for Fresh-men!


Where did she go?


Let's get busy.



## ORGANIZATIONS

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## Student Council



TOP ROW:
Bill Fielder, Larry Yoakum, Marilyn Helzerman, Charles Hartsell, Bob O'Neill, Don Linden, Jon Aho, Paul Surratt, Jack Sisson, Jim Curth
SECOND ROW: Karen Golat, Sharon Bishop, Donna Roe, Sandy Ross, Alice Titley, Mike Walters, Charles Rebottaro, Bill Ross, Charles Baird, Steve Kruger
THIRD ROW: Joann Robinson, Dennis Irelan, Carl Wilt, Eugene Verrier, Jon Cook, Gail Elliott, Nancy Beland, Mary Colgrove, Inez Boltz
SITTING: Bob French, Grace Dennis, Carol Spangler, Doris Oliphant, Mr. Tatar, Dave Champanois, Dave Hohenstein, Susie Owen

The Student Council, which is composed of representatives from the various classes and organizations of the school, is the governing group of our student body. Its purpose is to regulate the activities of the students by procuring entertainment and educational programs, helping to draw up routine regulations, and providing for safety in the school.

One of the accomplishments of the Student Council this year was the sponsorship of the school newspaper. Also, setting up a Senior Lounge was a major project for the year.

The Council sponsored the Homecoming Activities, the Sponge Dance, and a Student Talent Variety Show, along with other activities during the year.

The officers and a few representatives attended a regional and a state Student Council Convention last fall. From these Conventions many profitable ideas were brought back, as a result of the discussions of various school problems.

We can be quite grateful to the Student Council for having helped make our school one of which we can be proud.

OFFICERS

| President | Doris Oliphant |
| :--- | ---: |
| Vice President | David Champanois |
| Secretary | Carol Spangler |
| Treasurer | David Hohenstein |
| Adviser | Mr. Tatar |



Doris Oliphant, David Champanois, Carol Spangler, David Hohenstein, Mr. Tatar

## Debate



TOP ROW: BOTTOM ROW:

Mary Tilton, Jerome Kemp, Dianna Green
Greg Mason, Marilou Layton, Mr. Babcock, Astride Roberts, Roger Mead

The debate question for 1958-59 was: "Resolved: That the United States should adopt the essential features of the British System of Education." The affirmative always upholds the resolution as it stands, protecting their plan and stressing the need of it. The negative attacks the standing resolution and shows that it is unnecessary and possibly harmful.

Tecumseh met debate teams from Adrian on November 24, (both wins), and Coldwater on December 17, (both losses). The scheduled debates with Marshall and Ann Arbor were not held, due to circumstances beyond anyone's control. These debates were considered byes, since there was not enough time to reschedule them.

Astride Roberts and Greg Mason, Seniors, completed their third year of debate. Greg has debated actively for the past three years. Astride was time keeper the first year and has debated actively the last two years. Marilou Layton and Roger Mead, Juniors, completed their second year. Marilou has debated actively for two years, and Roger was time-keeper his first year and debated this year. Marilou and

Greg defended the affirmative, while Astride and Roger proposed the negative plan.

Mary Tilton and Diane Greem were timers. Other new members this year were: Helen Miller, Dale Tuckey, and Jerome Kemp. The debate team has been under the direction of Mr. John Babcock for the past three years.

Any student in grades nine through twelve, who can think, read critically, and evaluate quickly, is eligible for our debate teams. One learns poise, correct speaking techniques, and the construction of speeches. Thus debate is a valuable activity.


Just a few more words.

## Band



TOP ROW: Jim Beach, Gary Abner, Pete Dabe, Kent Naugle, Ron Lemerand, Judy Moynihan, Gal Gordon Williams, Dan Wiemer, Elmo Rucker, Brenda Sprague, Bruce Le Fevre, Terry Landin, Ji SECOND ROW: Paul Surratt, Mr. Johnson, Barbara Beardsley, Carl Wilt, Dennis Irelan, Ben Branti Ross, Tim Tietsema, Charles Baird, Kenneth Beevers, Ronald Dixon, Cathryn Doyle, Helen Hicks, B SITTING: Nancy Nighswander, Loah Nichols, Kay Schultz, Virginia Linn, Mary Lectka, Larry Flo Mary Ries, Sally Vincze, Jim Curth, Judy Palmer, Mary Wing, Karen Kelly, Alice Titley, Judy True KNEELING: Barbara Gibson, Ann Marie Haughn, Lana Wright, Dottie Roe, Cynthia Poley, Sharon I

Under the direction of Mr. Don Johnson, and Drum Major John Perry, the Tecumseh High School Band presented a series of fine shows during halftime at the football games. The Band also traveled to Temperance to play for the Bedford game. Along with 190 other bands, they had the honor of taking part in the University of Michigan Band Day. Also during Band Day the Majorettes were members of the largest twirling exhibition in the world. At the Annual Lenawee County Band Festival, our band, presenting "America the Beautiful," portrayed the high-light of the evening, with the Statue of Liberty.

The Pep Band provided a musical background for all pep meetings and basketball games.

This year the Band, together with the Junior High Band, presented a Christmas Program. Also, for the first time, our Band entered a District Festival (Contest) last winter.

Some of the main activities in the spring were the Annual Spring Concert, the All-County Band Concert, and the Memorial Day Parade.

Band

nerer, Eugene Verrier, Pat Gibson, Pat Long, Linda Blumerick, John Perry, Tom Simonds, Richard Meads, ighswander, Jon Aho, Roger Mead, Jim Neitling, Ron Johnson, Nancy Day
m , Larry Titley, Marjorie Van Valkenburg, Bill Fielder, Jim Bashore, Bettie Kiser, Beverly Basinger, Sandra
Damon, Ted Harvey, Lee Britton, Karen Helwig, Linda Kelly, Nancy Beland, Jerome Kemp
Richard Kaiser, Richard Vaughn, Robert Bonner, Bob Holmes, Joan Mumaw, David Rutherford, Sonja Oyer,
Jerry Woodward
r, Sharron Muhn


DRUM MAJORS
STANDING: John Perry, Ann Marie Haughn, Jean Wagner, Dottie Roe, Sharon Mitzner, Sandra Ross KNEELING: Lana Wright, Cynthia Poley


Working hard.


Blow those horns.


TOP ROW: Jean Greenwald, Leroy King, David Hohenstein, Tom Walters, Larry Yoakum, Jack Sisson, David Schmidt, Sheldon Nichols, Robert Richardson, Arthur Collingsworth, James Creger, David Holden, Brenda Hall, Susan Day, Jean Thomas, Susan Nichols, Carole Kilburn, Janet Graham.
THIRD ROW: Lana Bays, Linda Refner, Phyllis Mason, Judy Harvey, June Hartley, Janet Harris, Norma Shaw, Judy Pepper, Helen Miller, Mary Colgrove, Vickie Peterson, Joyce Bryan, Marilyn Helzerman, Barbara Maddux, Phyllis Anderson, Laura Upell, Jane Hodges, Barbara Close, Linda Dean, Inez Boltz, Janice Saling.

The Tecumseh High School Chorus, under the capable direction of Mr. Bennett, has progressed rapidly this year.

Starting the year by singing for the United Fund Drive workers, the Chorus has given many musical programs. Among the several programs presented was the participation at a Victory Banquet which was held on the Adrian College campus. They also put on two enjoyable assemblies before our high school student body.

For the first time, the Chorus proudly presented "Christmas Fanfare" at the Strand Theatre. The Fanfare was one of the highlights of this school year. It provided a very enjoyable evening for those who attended.

The group went on a field trip to Ann Arbor to hear "The Messiah," which is very educational and inspiring.

This spring the Chorus went to Jackson for a District Vocal Festival. Also among the spring activities was the Spring Concert.

Since Baccalaureate and Commencement Exercises are such important events in the lives of the graduates, we are deeply grateful to the Chorus for making these occasions more memorable by their singing.

## OFFICERS

President
Vice President
Marilyn Helzerman
Secretary Jane Hodges Janet Harris
Treasurer $\qquad$ Marilou Layton Librarians Mary Colgrove, Helen Miller Award Secretaries Carole Ross, Linda Refner Historians ... Kendra Ringman, Tom Walters Director Mr. Bennett

## Chorus



SECOND ROW: Marlynn Halley, Melody Smith, Mary Ann Hunter, Shirley Wagoner, Meredith Morden, Jean Hohenstein, Sharon Gove, Diane Roe, Betty Bishop, Mary Tilton, Barbara Velandra, Janice George, Mary Jean Cleveland, Sharon Layne, Mary Lewis, Anna McCann, Susan Harris, Ruth Krout, Carol Lowe, Margaret Harris, Delores Solarski, Norma Holland, Janet Bachtal.
FIRST ROW: Mr. Bennett, Janice Bryan, Sharon Lawhead, Linda Andrews, Sue Waynich, Renate Hoffman, Sandra Ruttkofsky, Mary Merritt, Roberta Hunt, Carolyn Harris, Addie Barber, Jane Harsh, Carolyn Dennis, Doris Nash, Kendra Ringman, Ruth Milosh, Della Holdridge, Kay Adams, Jeanette Allen, Margaret Horvath, Peggy Hedges, Doris Oliphant, Marilou Layton.


## Varsity Club



TOP ROW:

SECOND ROW:

THIRD ROW:

SITTING:

Jim Mangrum, Gerald Kruse, Roger Mead, Gary Elliott, Dave Weakly, Jack Sisson, Jim Neitling, Tom Walters, Jon Aho.
Clarence Champanois, Richard Solarski, Jerry Munger, Bob Dick, Lee Britton, Jim Curth, Charles Baird, Dick Horvath, Ronald Hathaway
Leslie De Jonghe, Gordon Greiman, Dave Hohenstein, Steve Kruger, Ron Johnson, Larry Yoakum, Jerry Fox, Greg Mason, Dennis Irelan Coach Lawson, Bob O'Neill, Mike Walters, Dave Champanois, Coach Lectka

The Varsity Club began this year's activities by revising the constitution. The present total membership is thirty-three, since nineteen new members were initiated into the Club last fall. The pre-requisite for membership is to have been awarded a Tecumseh High School Varsity letter, and to be eligible to engage in sports.

The purpose of the Varsity Club is to promote sportsmanship, and to build up the prestige of sports and respect for the Varsity letter.

Each year the fellows choose from among their number the most valuable Senior athlete. The name of the one who has made the greatest contribution to Tecumseh's sports for that year is inscribed on a plaque, which is presented at the Honors Assembly on the last day of school.

The Club planned many activities this year to improve their own organization and to better our school.

The boys are to be congratulated on their fine efforts to encourage good sportsmanship.

OF FICERS
President . . . . . . . . Mike Walters Vice President . . . . . Dave Champanois Secretary . . . . . . . . . Bob O'Neill Treasurer . . . . . . . . Steve Kruger Student Council Rep. . . . Larry Yoakum and
Bob O'Neill
Advisers
Mr. Lawson
and
Mr. Lectka


## Girl's Athletic Association



TOP ROW: BOTTOM ROW:

Mary Lou McConnell, Mary Colgrove, Carol Spangler Grace Dennis, Miss Sheffer, Sandra Howard

With the help of Miss Sheffer, the Girl's Athletic Association started their yearly program by initiating sixty new members into the Club, bringing the total membership to one hundred and fifteen.

All of the members participated in the Club's variety of activities, some of which were as follows: field hockey, soccer, girls' touch football, softball, volleyball, basketball, deck tennis, track, bowling, and games.

The girls tried out their sportsmanship and athletic skills when they competed with other schools in scheduled basketball games.

The G.A.A. held its second annual Mother and Daughter Award Banquet, during which the girls receive the awards that they have earned throughout the year. This year the Club is presenting a $\$ 50$ scholarship to the most deserving Senior girl.

In the spring of 1958, the Tecumseh G.A.A. girls won, for the fourth time in four consecutive years, the Southeastern League Play Day plaque, of which we can be very proud.

OFFICERS

| President |  | Grace Dennis |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Vice President |  | Sandra Howard |


G.A.A. Basketball team

## Future Farmers of America



TOP ROW:
SECOND ROW: Charles Holdridge, Ray Sweet, Vaughn Lickfelt, Fred Beekel, Roger Korte, Lee Wright, John Baker, Rick Holdridge, John Krebs
THIRD ROW: Gary Dinius, Donald Pinter, Gary Bourns, Steven Naugle, Douglas Roe, Ron Korte, Paul Schafer, Max Handy, Eric Robison
FOURTH ROW: Ron Roe, Raymond Fischer, Don Roe, Dean Van Neste, Arnold Neuman, Wayne Lembrick, Jr., Gerald Krout, Ron Mukenstrum, Charles Rebottaro, Ron Hathaway, LeRoy Burleson
SITTING: Gerald Ruttkofsky, Harvey Spreeman, Richard Williams, Jack Allen, Mr. Burns, Jerry Munger, Warren Cottrill, Dan Wiemer, Edsel Brooks

The Tecumseh Chapter of the F.F.A. began the school year by initiating twelve new "Green Hands," making a total membership of fortysix. Fifteen members of the "Green Hands" were initiated into "Chapter Farmer." The Tecumseh F.F.A. boys placed first in poultry judging at the Lenawee County Fair, where nineteen of our members showed thirty-four projects.

On the tenth of November the annual Parent-and-Son Banquet was given with great success, being enjoyed by all who attended. Father Collins from St. Elizabeth's Church was guest speaker of the evening.

This year the boys again farmed eighteen acres, which consisted of corn and wheat. They also had three broiler projects.

To enable our local F.F.A. to start a sheep chain, in order to help boys get started in the sheep business, the Kiwanis Club donated $\$ 35.00$ to the Club.

On their semi-annual trip, the Junior and Senior boys attended the International Livestock Show in Chicago.

Our F.F.A. is to be congratulated on its fine efforts and achievements in the field of farming.

OFFICERS

| President | Jack Allen |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Vice President | John Dewey |
| Secretary | Warren Cottrill |

Student Council Rep
Don Linden and John Krebs
Adviser
Mr. Burns

F.F.A. JUDGING TEAM

## Future Homemakers of America



TOP ROW:
SECOND ROW:

THIRD ROW:

SITTING:

Lauranne Williams, Sharon McMichael, Janice Wilbar, Sylvia Smith, Judy Palmer, Janice Brady, Donna Skinner
Nancy Day, Fay McClure, Sharon Bishop, Carole Ross, Linda Dean, Audrey Le Fevre, Lucille Barber, Linda Griffin, Janice Mumaw, Joan Robinson
Janice Bryan, Doris Nash, Judy Bausman, Pat Gurtzweiler, Barbara Goodin, Marjorie Haviland, Sharon Gallant, Sharon Gove, Sharon White, Carolyn Cowen, Karen Golat
Carolyn Dennis, Pat De Lisle, Donna Roe, Frances Short, Mrs. Brown, Barbara Gebarowski, Kay Schultz, Louise Pennington, Shelia Kirk

The Future Homemakers' main goal is to learn to live better today in order that the homemaking pupils' lives and those of their families may be improved tomorrow. The Club also was established with the following goals: to promote a growing appreciation of the joys and satisfaction of homemaking; to emphasize the importance of worthy home membership; to work for good home and family life for all; to promote international good will; to foster the development of creative leadership in home and community life; to provide wholesome individual and group recreation; and to further interest in home economics.

With the help and guidance of their adviser, Mrs. Brown, the girls carried out many interesting programs and activities this year. Among the former were: a demonstration on ceramics, a cake-decorating demonstration, and a talk by Mrs. Saling, as guest speaker, on the topic "Our Hair." This year the girls held a banquet featuring food from different countries, and also spon-
sored the annual Mother and Daughter Banquet.

Ending this school year quite properly with a "Fashion Show," the girls proudly showed some of their achievements as Future Homemakers.

## OFFICERS

| President <br> Vice President | Barbara Gerbarowski |
| :--- | ---: |
| Secretary |  |
| Treasurer |  |
| Kay Schultz |  |

## Future Nurses



TOP ROW:

BOTTOM ROW:

SECOND ROW: Loah Nichols, Sandra Howard, Jane Hodges, Jackie Dunn, Barbara Close, Pat Squires, Jean Hohenstein, Barbara Velandra
THIRD ROW: Marianna Dragich, Peggy Robinette, Sylvia Klught, Mary Lou McConnell, Donna Nixon, Helen Miller, Dianne Fuller, Anna Kay McCann, Margaret Horvath, Susan Harris, Vera Michajlenko
Linda Refner, Margaret Harris, Carol Spangler, Phyllis Mason, Norma Holland, Shirley Wagoner, Sharon Fielder, Inez Boltz

Isabel McCombs, Linda Hanna, Sharon Bishop, Kendra Ringman, Miss Cramer, Ann Kempf, Karen Hall, Joan Mumaw, Doris Oliphant

The activities of the Future Nurses' Club began last fall with the initiation of all new members. Also, along with the new members, Miss Nancy Cramer took her place in the Club as the new adviser, and Mrs. Dorothy Dabe as the club's new Hospital Auxiliary representative.

Among the many hospitals visited by the Future Nurses were Sparrow, Toledo Mercy Hospital, and St. Joseph in Ann Arbor.

Mr. Ogland Lay, Mr. Ray Shelton, and the county public health nurse were among several speakers who gave interesting talks, which were enjoyed by the club members.

The Club carried out various projects this year, one of which was the making of tray favors for the hospital and the Parrett Nursing Home for New Years. They also collected articles for the Ft. Custer Hospital in Battle Creek.

The point system established during last year, whereby the members could earn pins, was carried on throughout this year.

The purpose of the Future Nurses' Club is to encourage all students interested in nursing by giving them a knowledge of the requirements of the profession and of the rewards obtained through nursing.

OFFICERS

| President | Ann Kempf |
| :--- | ---: |
| Vice President | Kendra Ringman |
| Secretary | Karen Hall |
| Treasurer | Joan Mumaw |
| Student Council Rep | Sharon Bishop |
| Corresponding Secretary | Linda Hanna |
| Adviser | Miss Cramer |



Future Nurses.

## Future Teachers Club



TOP ROW:
SECOND ROW

Jean Hoag, Sharron Muhn, Kay Rickard, Linda Andrews, Gary Schmitz, Mike Fero, Wayne Tucker, Linda Baldwin, Barbara Gibson, Betty Bishop Brenda Bugbee, Alice Titley, Mary Ries, Linda Godfrey, Mary Ann Hunter, Carolyn Denz, Jane Dillon
THIRD ROW: Roberta Hunt, Brenda Hall, Kathy Shirley, Janet Harris, Mary Roberts, Anne Preston, Donna Parrett, Camilla Grigg, Sharon Mitzner
SITTING: Sherry Tucker, Sally Vincze, Grace Dennis, Ann Marie Haughn, Mr. Murdoch, David Van Valkenburg, Kendra Frost, Sondra Hathaway

The Lois D. Service Future Teachers' Club was properly started this year by initiating their members and new adviser, Mr. Douglas Murdoch. One of the high-lights of the club was the attending, participating in, and sending of a discussion leader to Eastern Michigan's F.T.C. Workshop.

Through the Cadet Teaching Program, the members assisted the Junior High elementary teachers, and got an insight into what teaching might be like.

Through several projects, the Club provided funds for a scholarship for the most deserving Senior member.

The main purpose of the Club is to help students measure their own abilities and interests in relation to the opportunities and responsibilities in the field of teaching. It attempts to guide high quality students into the profession, aid them in the development of ideals, acquaint them with the importance of good schools, assist them in finding their own fields of interest, and follow them with interest
through the college of their choice into a career of teaching.

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer
Student Council Rep Historian Song Leader Adviser

## OFFICERS

OFFICERS Ann Marie Haughn
David Van Valkenburg
Kendra Frost


## Scout Staff



TOP ROW:
BOTTOM ROW:

Marianna Dragich, Alice Titley, Anne Preston, Mike Fero, Jerome Kemp, Sally Vincze, Judy Pepper, Carole Kilburn
Kemp, Sally Vincze, Judy Pepper, Carole Kirsurn Bugbee, Paul Surratt, Mary Seager, Mr. Babcock, Jon Cook, Marilou Layton, Kendra Frost

This year, for the first time in two years, a regular school newspaper was organized at T.H.S. and published. THE SCOUT, which is printed on Saturday at the TECUMSEH HERALD office, has proven to be a success. Congratulations on a job well done. We wish next year's staff the best of luck, and we hope that the student body will continue to take an interest in and support a school newspaper.

## THE SCOUT'S STAFF

Co-Editors
Marilou Layton, Jon Cook, Mary Seager
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Club News $\qquad$ .. Alice Titley
Council Capers $\qquad$ Sally Vincze Mr. Babcock


CO-EDITORS OF "THE SCOUT" STAFF Jon Cook, Mary Seager, Marilou Layton, Mr. Babcock

## Club Snaps



Happy Homemakers


Musicians at work.


Put it on straight, Ann.


The band.


Mmmmm, boy!


## ACTIVITIES



STANDING: Bill Fielder, Ken Wallace, Greg Mason, Bob O'Neill, Dave Hohenstein SITTING: Mary Lou McConnell, Dave Rutherford, Dave Champanois, Dave Holden

The class of '59 received great approval in their Junior year for the staging of two one-act plays. Under the direction of Mr . Babcock, the plays were given on March 28 and 29, 1958.

The first play, "Five in Judgment," is a stirring and thrilling drama by Douglas Taylor. The plot centers around a scene in a roadside diner in the midwest farm belt, during a sandstorm. Sally, a pretty young girl, and Bill, a sturdy farm hand, are waiting on table. Paul and his son Roy are also in the Paradise diner when a salesman comes in; and later two young men, Danny and Mack, come in from the storm. When a report about the murder of a young girl (known by all except the salesman and the two young men) comes over the radio, the description of the men last seen with the girl fits the appearance of Danny and Mack. There is a fight in the diner, and Mack and Danny are tied up, because it is believed that they murdered the girl. Bill and Roy are roughing up Mack and Danny as Jack Haines, a young farm hand, enters.

Sally, who has found the sheriff, brings word that the murderer has been caught, but Bill and Roy refuse to believe this. When Paul tries to convince the headstrong boys, there is a struggle between Roy and his father, and Roy kills Paul. Eventually, Bill and Roy listen to Sally and let Danny and Mack go. As the play ends, Danny and Mack have left, and the salesman is on his way out the door. Everything else in and around the Paradise Diner is still, including the storm.

## CAST OF CHARACTERS




Jerry Woodward, Karen Golat, Ann Marie Haughn, Ron Johnson, Sharron Muhn, Sandra Ross, Gordon Greiman.

The second one-act play, written by Wilbur Braun, was "He Ain't Done Right By Nell." The play is an old-fashioned melodrama that was filled with genuine comedy. Little Nell Perkins lives in the hills with her grandmother, Granny Perkins. Hilton Hayes, the villain of the play, overhears Granny Perkins telling Lolly Wilkins, an old maid busybody, that Nell was found outside the Perkins barn over twenty years before, and that she has no real claim to the Perkins name. When Nell refuses Hayes advances and tells him she knows he is paying attention to Vera Carleton, Hilton threatens to shout the true secret of Nell's birth to the world. Nell is much too honest to wed Jack Logan, the manly hero, under false pretenses. Just as she is about to roam out into the "cold, cruel world," Burkett Carleton, who owns the mill, calls at the Perkins' in search of Hilton Hayes. It seems Hayes has stolen money from the mill and is short in his accounts. By the locket worn about Nell's neck, Mr. Carleton discovers that she is his very own granddaughter, who was kidnapped when a baby. So Nell marries Jack Logan after all, and of course everything ends happily.

## CAST OF CHARACTERS

Granny Perkins Sandra Ross Laura (Lolly) Wilkins... Ann Marie Haughn Hilton Hayes $\qquad$ Ron Johnson Vera Carleton, a city girl Sharron Muhn Nell Perkins $\qquad$ Karen Golat Jack Logan Burkett Carleton Jerry Woodward Gordon Greiman


## Junior Play Snaps



## JUNIOR PLAY WORKERS

STANDING: Donna Parrett, Nan Walper, Carolyn Denz, Fay McClure, Carole Ross, Sharon Bishop, Gary Abner, Nancy Day, Anne Preston, Astride Freimanis, Ted Harvey, Linda Hanna, Suzie Rohweder
SITTING: Barbara Gebarowski, Lois Posey, Donna Roe, Bettie Kiser, Carol Spangler, Sondra Hathaway, Donna Nixon, Ann Kempf, Marjorie Haviland, Kathy West, Sharon Gove


No, no, it's mine!


Is anybody looking?


Who's the victim this time, Nan?


Ah-ha! Another rendezvous!


Meredith Munger, Mike Tucker, Donna Roe, Greg Mason, Doris Oliphant, Terry Hendricks; Joyce Partridge, David Elliott.

On April 18, 1958, the third annual Junior Prom was held, with Drexel Lamb's Orchestra providing good dance music from 9:00 to 1:00.

The theme of the dance, "Atom's Eve," was carried out with blue and white streamers enclosing the dance floor. Around the outside of the dance floor, tables were decorated with blue rockets, and in the center of the floor, a gigantic grey and red rocket, which was just about to take off, provided the highlight of the theme. At the west end of the gym, the white throne for the king and queen had a blue background and silver stars. Two openings in the streamers permitted one to enter or leave the dance floor, and suspended in each opening was an "atom," with a larger one above the throne. The refreshment table at the east side of the gym had a big lighted "atom" that blinked on and off. Shining down on the band, which was located in the middle of the north side, was a large man-in-the-moon. He was bright yellow. with a red stocking-cap, and was peacefully asleep.

At ten-thirty, Terry Hendricks and Doris Oliphant, Sophomores, led the grand march, after which they were crowned as king and queen of the Prom. The royal court consisted of Joyce Partridge and Dave Elliott, Seniors;

Donna Roe and Greg Mason, Juniors; and Meredith Munger and Mike Tucker, Freshmen.

A wonderful and memorable time was certainly had by all who attended the Junior Prom of 1958.



The annual Junior-Senior Reception was held on Wednesday, May 21, 1958. This year the reception did not take the form of a banquet, as it has in past years, but was a picnic instead. All Juniors and Seniors were excused from school for the afternoon so that they could attend.

The beautiful and natural setting for the reception was the Tecumseh Country Club, with its grass, shade trees, and a blue sky which helped to make the day perfect.

John Dewey, the Junior class president, gave the welcome, after which games, such as volleyball, badminton, and sack races, were enjoyed by all. Then everyone, having worked up an appetite, enjoyed hot dogs and other foods that make up a delicious pienic lunch.

Soon after lunch had been served, the party came to an end, and everyone left with pleasant memories of a wonderful afternoon spent at the first picnic which was planned to take the place of the annual Junior-Senior Reception.


Who will win?


Tug-O-War

## Senior Picnic



The Line-Up


Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow there's school!


Team Work


Up and Over!

Homecoming


STANDING: Linda Dicks, Peggy Hedges, Karin Walker
SITTING: Grace Dennis, Sharon McMichael, Linda Hanna

A pep meeting held on Thursday evening started Homecoming festivities off and certainly helped to bring about the school spirit that prevailed on Friday, November 7, 1958.
Friday afternoon, a parade led by the highstepping high school band, was followed by three convertibles with the three lovely Senior candidates for Queen-Grace Dennis, Linda Hanna, and Sharon McMichael-and the other members of the Queen's court, each representing one of the three lower grades-Karin Walker, Peggy Hedges, and Linda Dicks. Behind the lovely ladies each class and club had a float, and the students followed behind their respective floats, cheering the team on to victory. As the floats paraded through town, three judges who were watching them selected the best class and the best club float. The Juniors won the class prize of ten dollars for their float, which featured a box of "Defeaties," their slogan being, "Breakfast of losers." The Girls' Athletic Association took the prize for the best club float and won ten dollars by using the name of Hillsdale's team (Hornets), with a big sprayer squirting three hornets, to illustrate their slogan, "We'll spray our way to victory."

At half time, the floats were presented to the fans in the stands, and the winners were announced at this time. The candidates for Queen
and the members of her court were also presented, and then the name of the Queen-Sharon McMichael-was announced. Dave Weakly, an injured Indian player, presented the queen with roses.

After the game, which we won, the Homecoming dance, with the theme "Harvest Moon," was held in the gym. On each of the small tables around the sides of the gym, there was a floral decoration arranged within a pumpkin shell, and the punch table at one end of the dance floor had a larger bouquet of flowers, which was similar to the ones on the individual tables. The dance floor, enclosed with streamers of orange and brown crepe paper, had a big corn shock surrounded by pumpkins in the center of the floor. On one side of the gym the band members were grouped, with the Queen's throne placed in front of them; looking down upon the dance floor, back of the band, was a harvest moon. At eleven o'clock, Queen Sharon was crowned by Dave Champanois, Vice-President of the Student Council, who presented her with a gift. After she was crowned, the Queen and her court led off the next dance. Finally, at one o'clock, the last dance had ended, and the Homecoming festivities were over, leaving everyone with wonderful memories.

## Homecoming Snaps



Class Winners-the Juniors


Club Winners-the G.A.A.

The Senior Float



The Sophomore Float


Queen Sharon

## Christmas Dance


"Silver Bells"

The Christmas dance, "Silver Bells," was held in the gym Friday night, December 19, 1958, from nine until one.

In the center of the dance floor there was a huge Christmas tree that was beautifully decorated with blue lights. Blue and grey crepe paper outlined the edge of the dance floor and made up the false ceiling from which hung silver bells. At the east end of the gym was the refreshment table, while at the opposite end were great silver bells, set off by two large gold snowflakes.

Guy Nixon's orchestra provided the music for the evening. Behind the bandstand a large silver bell was highlighted, while letters indicating the title of the dance hung in front of the stand.

While refreshments were being served, Varsity Club initates were accepted into the Club by being presented with their medals. It was also during refreshment time that a special guest-none other than Santa Claus-made his entrance, much to everyone's enjoyment.

When the last dance faded away, the only thing left was happy memories of a wonderful time had by all who attended "Silver Bells."

What a wonderful evening!


That's what I call punch!


## Sponge Week



Mardi Gras

Sponge Week, held February 23-28, was a special time for T.H.S. It is during this time that girls perform special courtesies for the boys, such as opening doors and carrying books.

This year, for the entire week, soft music was played in the library. During the noon lunch hour, girls were not allowed to dance together, but they were expected to ask the boys to dance.
Monday was designated as "Kick-off Day" to help build up everyone's interest. Casualness was more in evidence than usual on Tuesday, "Old Clothes Day," when comfortable, old clothing was worn. "Color Day" or 'Middle Name Day" was held on Wednesday. Students wore either a variety of colors, such as orange, pink, and blue together, or school colors, orange and black. Some brought 'an apple for the teacher," and almost everyone wore a tag revealing his middle name, so that others could address him by it. The student body made quite an impression on Thursday, as everyone participated in "Dress-Up Day." Friday was "Gum and Candy Day," with a number of tired jaws by the end of the day.

The climax of Sponge week came on Saturday night with a dance in the gym to which the girls took their favorite guys. Each girl made a corsage for her date out of sponge, candy, and other useful items. The theme of the dance. "Mardi Gras," was carried out by a multi-colored false ceiling of crepe paper, many different crepe paper designs on the walls, and the tables done in a wide variety of colors. The music, from 9 until 12, was provided for everyone's enjoyment by Dick Tilkin's Band. This year, for the first time, a King was chosen for the evening, the candidates selected from each class being Bill Fielder, Jim Poley, Charles Rebottaro and Ron O'Neill. After the Grand March, Bill Fielder was crowned King by Doris Oliphant, who is our Student Council President. Surrounded by the other candidates, who made up his court, Bill stood within a blue and gold crown which had been constructed in the center of the dance floor. Refreshments were then served. Too soon the strains of the last dance filled the gym, but those who attended the dance left with wonderful memories of another glorious evening.

Highlights


You're in the picture, Bill.


What a fancy car, Mr. Gross!


Higher, Astride.

King Terry, Queen Doris and John.



Rocket to the stars.


Dave and Linda are doing quite well.


Look at the Christmas tree.

Highlight



Shall we dance?

Dave Hohenstein, Larry Yoakum, Jerry Crunk, Gordon Greiman


Atom's Eve


I crown you King Bill



Dancing.


## ATHLETICS



## Varsity Football



TOP ROW: Roger Mead, Dave Schmidt, Jim Curth, Ron Hathaway, Ted Harvey, Dave Weakly, Larry Yoakum, Jim Neitling, Mike Walters<br>SECOND ROW: Coach Rotunno, George Milosh, Leslie DeJonghe, Jerry Munger, Bob Wilkins, Dan Cisco, Tom Walters, Bob O'Neill, Ron Johnson, Coach Lectka<br>BOTTOM ROW: Greg Mason, Don Sweet, Terry Hendricks, Jim Mangrum, Dave Champanois, Lee Britton, Jack Sisson, Steve Kruger, Clarence Champanois

The 1958 Tecumseh Varsity football squad had the most successful season witnessed in many years. Under the guidance of a new coaching staff, headed by Coach Duncan Lectka, former North Muskegon coach, and his assistant Mike Rotunno, former U. of M. football star, the T.H.S. Indians completed the season with a six win, one loss, and two tie record. Our boys were co-champs of the Southeastern League, tying with Bedford.

The first game of the season, on September 19, gave promise of what was to come, as we outplayed a powerful Hudson crew. The Indians fought Hudson to a scoreless tie to interrupt their long winning record.

The next week we traveled to Monroe C.C. and again outplaying our opponents, we finally won, 7-0. Entertaining Airport, we really hit the scoring column, to win, 39-0. At home again, our defense refused to yield points, as we dominated the game to win, 27-0, over Mason. Then we traveled to Bedford for a crucial league game. Badly outweighed, the Indians faltered and managed only a 6-6 tie.

On the road once more, the combination of the Indians and rainy weather spoiled Willow Run's Homecoming festivities with a victory for us, 40-0. A Saturday afternoon game at Howe

Military Academy proved worth the long trip, as we won, 46-6.

Our Homecoming and a chance at the league title fired the Indians up to win the exciting contest, 19-0, over Hillsdale. In the last game, however, disappointment struck the hearts of the Indians and their many loyal fans, as our boys lost their only game of the season, $25-13$, to our rival Adrian.

The highlight of the team this season was the defense, yielding only 37 points in nine games, while offensively we scored 197 points. We believe that this season's showing has pulled Tecumseh out of its long slump.

The Senior lettermen who sparked the success of the team were: David Champanois (Captain), Dan Cisco, Les De Jonghe, Dave Hohenstein, Ron Johnson, Greg Mason, Jerry Munger, Bob O'Neill, Carl Schmidt, Don Sweet, Mike Walters, Larry Yoakum. The returning lettermen are: Juniors-Lee Britton, Jim Curth, Bob Dick, Terry Hendricks, Roger Korte, Steve Kruger, Jim Neitling, Jack Sisson, Tom Walters, Dave Weakly, and Bob Wilkins, and Sopho-mores-Jon Aho, Clarence Champanois, and Ron Hathaway.

Our Co-Champs




## Football Snaps



Hey, buddy, you missed a block!


Whew! I'm not used to working this hard.


The coach and his boys


Don't just stand there, Coach, get to work.


Are these guys on the team?

## Reserve Football



TOP ROW: Mike Green, Troy Warren, John Baker, Kent Naugle, Dale Tuckey, Larry Hand, Gary Rickard, Ron O'Neill, Leo Godfrey, John Harkness
SECOND ROW: Coach Gross, Bob Fisher, Eugene Brion, Wayne Davis, Tom Simmons, Larry Gray, Larry Meirs, Larry Titley, Coach Trudeau.
THIRD ROW: Mike Robison, Ray Sweet, Harvey Spreeman, Charles Osburn, Tim Whitney, John Aho, Ray Howell, Phil Hendershot, Jerry Robinson, Bob Fogelsong
BOTTOM ROW: Bob Richardson, Jerry Kapnick, Carl Wilt, Dennis Irelan, Mike Rohrer, Tom Barton, Bob French, John Britton, Bill Wallace

The Junior Varsity squad, under the guidance of Mr. Gross and Mr. Trudeau, had a record of three wins, three losses, and one tie.

## J. V. SCHEDULE AND SCORES

|  | We | They |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Manchester | 38 | 6 |
| Airport | 7 | 7 |
| Bedford | 6 | 13 |
| Monroe | 7 | 12 |
| Ypsi Lincoln | 7 | 13 |
| Hillsdale | 13 | 6 |
| Blissfield | 6 | 0 |

The J. V. letterwinners were: SophomoresTom Barton, Jim Bashore, Eugene Brion, Ray Fischer, Robert Fogelsong, Larry Hand, Phil Hendershot, Ray Howell, Dennis Irelan, Larry Meiers, Harry Naugle, Mike Robison, Larry Titley, Dale Tuckey, Troy Warren, and Fresh-men-Bob French, Kent Naugle, Ronald O'Neill, Raymond Osburn, Bob Richardson, Gary Rickard, Jerry Robinson, Mike Rohrer, Tom Simmons, Ray Sweet, Tim Whitney, and Carl Wilt.


What will we do now, Coach?


Aren't you supposed to run on this play, Coach?

## Varsity Basketball



TOP ROW: Steve Kruger, Bob Dick, Jack Sisson, Jim Poley, Tom Walters, Terry Hendricks, Jim Curth, Coach Lawson
SITTING: Jerry Woodward, Mike Walters, Dave Hohenstein, Dan Cisco, Bob O'Neill, Larry Yoakum, Charles Hartsell

Tecumseh's 1958-59 Varsity basketball team did not have as successful a season this year as usual; they finished fifth in their last year as a member of the Southeastern Michigan League. However, in our seven years in the league, we won the championship three times. Hillsdale won three championships and Monroe Catholic Central won one title.

The Indians, under the guidance of Coach Lawson, started their season by winning a non-league contest at Clinton, 61-31; their second non-league game, at Milan, also ended in victory, 55-43.

Tecumseh's first league game, played in our gymnasium, was a 45-43 loss to Hillsdale in the last seven seconds. In quick succession, we lost three more games to non-league competitors and two more to league teams. We were overpowered by Willow Run, 67-61, Dundee, 75-53, and Adrian, 52-41. The league games in which we were defeated were: Monroe Catholic Central, 70-63, and Airport, 62-53. A 60-49 league victory over Bedford finally broke our losing streak. Hillsdale again trounced our fighting five, 81-59, in a rough hardfought game.

In the next two away games we smothered Blissfield, 79-43; then lost a heart-breaker to Monroe Catholic Central, 68-61.

In our last two home games of the season, we defeated Milan, the Huron League leader, 64-48, and edged Airport, 59-54. Tecumseh's last game of the regular season was another loss, this time to the Bedford Mules, 66-58.

Varsity letter winners for the 1958-59 season were: Seniors: Dan Cisco, Co-Captains Bob O'Neill and Larry Yoakum; Juniors: Jim Curth, Bob Dick, Steve Kruger, Jim Poley, Jack Sisson, and Tom Walters.

Other Varsity squad members were: Seniors: Dave Hohenstein, Mike Walters; Juniors: Terry Hendricks, Leonard Penrod.

The Indians, determined to make amends for their poorest showing in their seven years in the Southeastern Michigan League, were assigned to the District Tournament at Blissfield.

Tournament play started on March 4th as Bedford defeated Blissfield, 78-47. On March 5th the Indians met the highly-favored Monroe Catholic Central Falcons and avenged the two regular season defeats by winning a hard-fought

Basketball
game, 70-66.
On Saturday, March 7th, the Indians met another Conference rival, Bedford, for the Championship and defeated the Kicking Mules, 50-32, for their third consecutive District Title.

The Indians will compete in the Regional at Willow Run against Willow Run.



Get that ball!

Go, Steve, go!


Courtesy of "Blissfield Advance"

## Junior Varsity Basketball



TOP ROW:
SECOND ROW:

Ken Beevers, Mgr., Clarence Champanois, Bill Sisson, Wayne Davis, Tom Barton, David Brooks, Roger Fox, James LeBaron
Coach Leckta, Clyde Locker, Brad Bruce, Bill Ross, Dale Tuckey, Lee Britton, Jerry Breitenwischer, Jerry Robinson, Coach Murdoch
SITTING: Dan Mitchell, Bob French, Tim Whitney, Gale Miller, Larry Titley, Ron Hathaway, Mike Tucker, John Britton, Ben Brantingham

The Tecumseh Junior Varsity basketball squad, under the direction of Coach Douglas Murdoch, had a long season, winning three and losing twelve.
J.V. Letters were awarded to: Junior: Lee Britton; Sophomores: Ben Brantingham, Ron Hathaway, Bill Sisson, Larry Titley, and Mike Tucker; Freshmen: John Britton, Bob French, and Tim Whitney. Certificates were awarded to Dean Eddy and Dan Mitchell.

Managers who received letters were: Ken Beevers, Charlie Hartsell, and Jerry Woodward. Charles Hartsell and Jerry Woodward, both Seniors, received major letter awards for their fine service to the squad.

## JUNIOR VARSITY SCHEDULE AND SCORES

|  | They | We |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Clinton | 22 | 26 |
| Milan | 31 | 19 |
| Hillsdale | 62 | 38 |
| Willow Run | 56 | 48 |
| Dundee | 47 | 31 |
| Adrian | 43 | 41 |
| Monroe C.C. | 42 | 39 |

Tip-off


| Airport | 57 | 46 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Bedford | 39 | 38 |
| Hillsdale | 43 | 38 |
| Blissfield | 67 | 53 |
| Monroe C.C. | 43 | 31 |
| Milan | 44 | 36 |
| Airport | 49 | 50 |
| Bedford | 39 | 51 |

## Intramural Basketball



AMERICAN LEAGUE
TOP ROW: Clarence Champanois, Jerry Breitenwischer, Tom Barton, Dave Brooks FIRST ROW: George Heeman, Bill Ross, Dave Withrow, Richard Harvey, Allan Harvey

Intramural basketball provided extra-curricular competitive recreation for many boys this year. The program consisted of six teams, comprised of Freshmen and Sophomores, who formed the National League, and four teams of Juniors and Seniors, forming the American League.

The year was divided into two rounds. Team one was the first round champ of the American League and team four was the first round champ of the National League. The teams were then reorganized for the second round.

Breitenwischer, David Brooks, Bradley Bruce, Dean Eddy, Clarence Champanois, George Heeman, Richard Harvey, Alan Harvey, Larry Green, Bill Ross, Jim Withrow, and Tom Barton.

The National League champs were: Fred Betzoldt, Larry Flowers, Dan Harvey, Max Handy, Dennis Irelan, Clyde Locke, Jack Wraight, and Eric Robinson.

Referees were Mr. Lawson, Mr. Lectka, Mr. Douglas Murdoch, Mr. Pobuda, Mr. Tatar, and Mr. Brazee.

The American League champs were: Jerry


NATIONAL LEAGUE

## Work and Play



Studious students


Ring around a rosy


Cramming


Campers by the fireplace


Cheering


The bubble king


An' I'm goin' to squeeze ya to death!

## Cheerleaders



STANDING: Suzie Rohweder, Carol Spangler, Kendra Ringman, Jean Hohenstein KNEELING: Mary Colgrove, Donna Nixon

This year our cheerleaders have done an excellent job in keeping up the morale of the student body and have led the crowd in displaying courtesy and sportsmanship at the athletic contests. The girls, working hard to inspire the football and basketball teams to victory, held many pep rallies and entertained the students with their humorous skits. We wish to thank and to congratulate them for a job well done.


Yea, team, fight!

Cheerleaders and their amazing tree.

## Track



TOP ROW: Darrell Lowery, Richard Solarski, Tom Walters, Ron Johnson, Gary Elliott, Philip Hendershot, Bob Marsh, Jim Mangrum<br>SECOND ROW: Jack Sisson, Dave Weakly, Dick French, Ray Miller, Coach Brazee, Jerry Fox, Jerry Crunk, Bob Long<br>FIRST ROW: Dean Eddy, Jerry Kruse, Larry Robison, Terry Hendricks, Mike Walters, Greg Mason, Roger Mead, Charles Baird, Mgr.

The 1958 T. H. S. track team had a very successful season. The return of eight lettermen, aided by twenty-two other candidates, accounted for the success of the squad, which was coached very capably by Mr. Donald Brazee. Out of eight dual meets, we lost one. Some of the more talented members of the team participated in the Central Michigan Relays, Albion Invitational Carnival, the Regionals, and the Hudson Invitational Relays. We placed third in the Southeastern League Meet.

The season started out victoriously for us. The thinclads took ten first places to romp over Blissfield, 72-37.

Our first league encounter was a close one with the Bedford Mules, but a fast track, a nice day, and a winning 880 yard relay team decided the deadlocked contest in our favor.

A strong, superior Milan team and a bad day for our boys gave us our only defeat in dual competition; we suffered a 70-39 loss.

Back in tune again, we took nine firsts, to defeat Monroe C. C., 69-40, in our second league encounter.

Next, we won an exciting one point victory over powerful Adrian, 55-54. Winning in the half mile and the relay teams did the trick.

The 1957 Co-Champs, Hillsdale, gave us a good contest, as we downed our third league victim, 65-44.

Airport made Tecumseh earn another victory, as we defeated our last league opponent in dual competition, 63 1/6-45 5/6.

In the final dual contest of the season, we completely dominated the meet, taking twelve of the thirteen events, to win over Ypsilanti Lincoln, $88^{1 / 2}-20^{1 / 2}$.

Our boys failed to hold up our standing in the Annual Southeastern League Meet, as we placed third behind Bedford and Monroe C. C. Our only first and only instance of a record broken was the time of our Medley Relay team.

At the Central Michigan Relays, our Middle Distance relay team took a fifth place, to put us in twenty-ninth position among fifty schools. At Albion we placed twelfth by taking first and fourth in the High Jump and Broad Jump respectively. In the Regionals at Ann Arbor, we scored $14^{1 / 2}$ points for sixth position. We placed in High and Broad Jumps, High and Low Hurdles, the Mile, the 440, and the 880 Relay. We did not go to the State Meet. To end our season, we went to the Hudson Relays, where we placed second for 14 points behind Hillsdale, with 15 points in a field of four schools.

Mike Walters and Al Dick were our two top scorers for the season, with $751 / 3$ and 74 points respectively. Letterwinners were-Seniors: Al Dick, Darrell Lowery, Bob Marsh, and Larry Robison; Juniors: Gary Elliott, Ron Johnson, Gerald Kruse, Jim Mangrum and Mike Walters; Sophomores: Roger Mead, Richard Solarski, and Tom Walters. Other boys who showed possibilities in the spring of 1958 were Sophs Phil Hendershot and Terry Hendricks, and Frosh Dean Eddy.

## Baseball



TOP ROW: John Dewey, Jim Curth, Ray Sluyter, Bob O'Neill, Richard Stevenson, Dave Van Valkenburg<br>SECOND ROW: Steve Kruger, Dennis Harrison, Dick Horvath, Richard Socha, Coach Poley, Tony Kasik, Bob Wilkins<br>FIRST ROW: Ken Beevers, Mgr., Ted Harvey, Karl Cranston, Jon Weakly, Larry Yoakum, Lynn Frost, Jon Cook

Although the T. H. S. baseball team did not do too well in 1958, it bettered its previous records of the last few years by winning five and losing six games.

The team started off by winning a five-inning scrimmage over Clinton, 6-2, then losing to Blissfield, $3-1$, in a cold and rainy four-inning ballgame. Tecumseh's third home game was another loss, this time to Monroe C. C., 11-3.

In our out-of-town games, we lost to Airport, $4-1$, then to Hillsdale, 3-2, both of which were league games. Then we finally came up with some runs to beat Milan, $8-3$, in a non-league contest With our spirits up, we went on to beat Bedford, 1-0, in another league game. The highlights of this game were Bob Wilkins' fifteen strike-outs and his base hit that brought in the winning run. In our last out-of-town game we were defeated again by Monroe C. C., 5-2.

In another home game, however, we defeated Airport, 3-2, getting all of our runs in a seventh inning rally. We lost another game to Hillsdale, $2-0$, in a pitchers' battle. Finally we "polished off" the season by beating Bedford, $15-0$, a game in which fourteen of our runs were collected in the first inning.

Our league record for the season was "three wins and four losses," and we finished in a third place tie with Airport.

Those who received letters for the 1958 season were Karl Cranston, Jim Curth, Lynn Frost, Dick Horvath, Tony Kasik, Steve Kruger, Bob O'Neill, Richard Stephenson, Jon Weakly, Bob Wilkins, and Larry Yoakum.

The manager was Ken Beevers, and Mr. Dermont Poley coached our 1958 baseball team.


Coach Poley


Dave Lamkin, Max Smith, Coach Murdoch, John Elliott, Dick Baker, Gordon Greiman.

The T. H. S. golf team of 1958, under the guidance of Coach Doug Murdoch and official tutor, Pro. Leo Bishop, became the first team in the history of Tecumseh High to take a state class title. Our boys were State Class B champs. The team also had a good regular season, winning four of the five dual matches and one of the two triangulars which they took part in. To qualify for the State match, we took the regional crown.

Our first match was at Adrian, where our linksmen tallied a total of 326 strokes to their opponents' 354 , to win the match. Dave Lamkin and Max Smith were the low medalists, with 75 and 81 strokes respectively for eighteen holes.

On our own course the team set a new Tecumseh High low score record of 314 strokes, to defeat Jackson St. John's with 332 strokes. Dick Baker, with 74, and Dave Lamkin, with 75, were low.

Then we entertained Hillsdale and Adrian in a triangular meet. Tecumseh won with 338; Hillsdale was second with 345 , and Adrian third with 356 . Max Smith had a low of 78 .

Monroe High barely gave us a contest, as we beat them 319 to 411. Dave Lamkin took low honors with a 75 .

In another triangular at Jackson, with St. John's and St. Mary's, we were defeated by both teams. The score ran St. Mary's, 332; St. John's, 346; and Tecumseh, 356. Dave Lamkin again
was low man.
At Monroe we traveled the links to another victory, beating them 332 to 365 . Max Smith took low medalist honors at this match, with a 78.

Tecumseh lost its first dual match at Hillsdale, as Hillsdale turned in their best score of the season, 316 to our 332 for that meet.

At the regionals at Brighton, our foursome placed first, with 324 strokes defeating ter other participating teams. The second place score was 333. Max Smith was second low medalist with a 77.

This qualified us for the State contest at Kalamazoo. Tecumseh shot a 326 , to tie with Hillsdale for the State Class B crown. Both Hillsdale and Tecumseh received trophies and the State Class B title. Considering the fact that there were fourteen teams which qualifid for the state match, and approximately seventy-five teams which started out in the regionals, our golf team truly deserves praise. Max Smith tied for fourth low medalist. Other Tecumseh players and scores were: Dick Baker, 80; Dave Lamkin, 82; and John Elliott, 86.

Five boys earned letters in 1958; they were: Dave Lamkin, Max Smith, Dick Baker, John Elliott, and Gordon Greiman. Dave Champanois and Dave Hohenstein worked out with the teams but did not earn letters. Max Smith and Dave Lamkin had average scores of 78 for the season, showing a well-balanced team.

## Champs



Leo Bishop

Dave Lamkin, Max Smith, John Elliott, Dick Baker.


Dave


Dick Baker

## Sports Snaps



The Champs!


Way to go, Rog.


Gentleman's agreement.


Strike!

## Sport Snaps



Ma, look at me!

Be sure you block out your man.


We're working hard.


Big Dan


I'm not playing; I'm posing.


What form!-such grace!


I'm ready!

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I'm boss here.


I'm so glad you've reconsidered!


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Don't run out of milk over the weekend.


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Mr. Lent.


What's he doing now?


These dishpan hands

Faculty


What a test, what a test! $95 \%$ flunked:


All set for a test


School's over and I'm leaving.


That wasn't explained in the teacher's manual.


People . . . be quiet!


No erasures or strike-overs!


Yes?-What is your problem?


Who put my comic book in here?


Why, that wasn't supposed to happen!

Mrs. Brown

Faculty


Dear Ann Landers, . . .


TREMENDOUS!


Mr. Sommers teaching-math?


Sure we always ride in style.


Mad? Who-me?


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September 1958
2 - School resumes. The kids are sorry to have vacation end, but glad to see their friends.
19 - First football game of the season. Tecumseh battles Hudson to a $0-0$ tie, thus breaking Hudson's winning streak.
26 - We travel to Monroe C.C. to defeat them by a score of 7-0.
27 - Band Day at the U. of M. Our band again takes part in this colorful display.
October
3 - Again our football team is victorious as we wallop Airport, 39-0.
7 - County Band Festival, held at Tecumseh, provides fine entertainment for capacity crowds.
9-10 - Teachers' Institute at Ann Arbor. No school for us! !
10 - Local fans are again thrilled as our Indians continue their winning streak by downing Mason, 27-0.
17 - Tecumseh battles a strong Bedford team to a 6-6 deadlock.
24 - Willow Run plays the perfect host as we again win; this time, 40-0.
27 - School Assembly-a speaker from the Michigan Temperance Foundation addresses our student body.

## November

1 - We start the month off with a bang by traveling to Howe Military Academy and whipping them 46-6.
3-5 - Mid-Semester exams. Almost as bad as Finals!
7 - Homecoming; Hillsdale helps to bring a terrific climax to our festivities as we win, 19-0.
13 - Music assembly-the student body is entertained by the chorus.
13 - Parents' Night-our parents have an opportunity to meet our teachers and see how we spend our school day.
14 - Tecumseh receives its only defeat of the football season-by Adrian, 25-13.
26 - First basketball game of the season is played at Clinton. We win, 61-31.
$27-30$ - School is closed for Thanksgiving vacation.

## December

2 - Our basketball team defeats Milan, 55-43.
5 - Hillsdale squeaks by us, 45-43. How disappointing!
11 - The chorus presents their annual Christmas musical program, which is enjoyed by all.
13 - We play perfect host to Willow Run, as they win, 67-61.
16 - Our Indians travel to Dundee, but return unhappily after a 75-53 loss.
17 - Debate teams travel to Coldwater, where both teams are defeated.
18 - The T.H.S. Band presents a lovely Christmas program for the students.
19 - Christmas vacation begins. Now to finish that Christmas shopping!

19 - The Senior class presents the Christmas Dance entitled "Silver Bells."
30 - Local basketball fans are again disappointed, as long-time rival, Adrian, wins, 52-41.

January 1959
2 - A league defeat by Monroe C.C., 70-63, begins the year.
5 - School resumes after a long and pleasant Christmas vacation.
9 - Airport hands us another defeat, 62-53.
16 - The jinx is broken at last, as we whip Bedford, $60-49$. Way to go, boys!
20-22 - Doomsday has come! Semester test time.
23 - Tecumseh receives another set-back, as Hillsdale is victorious, 81-59.
26 - Second semester opens.

## February

4-Our Future Teachers' Club goes to Adrian for an all-county meeting, a very interesting experience.
4 - Blissfield is soundly trounced, 79-43.
6 - We lose a heart-breaker to Monroe C.C., 68-61.
6 - Teachers' County Institute. Students get a brief vacation.
10 - Milan is subdued by the Indians, 64-48, as the basketball season nears an end.
13 - Victory! We squeeze by Airport, 59-54.
20 - Final game of the regular season is lost to Bedford, 66-58.
24 - Sponge week begins. Tuesday is "Old Clothes Day." Today we can really be comfortable.
25 - Today is "Middle Name" and "School Colors" Day. How about an apple for the teacher-first hour class?
26 - "Dress-Up day." Everyone looks real sharp.
26 - Assembly. Rev. Nixon addresses the students
27 - Gum and Candy Day. We can chew all day in school. How we love it!
28 - Mardi Gras time. Now is your chance to ask the boyfriend, girls, because tonight is the night of the big Sponge Dance.
28 - Tecumseh High School Band travels to Hillsdale to take part in a District Band Festival.

March
5 - In the District basketball tournament held at Blissfield, we play Monroe Catholic Central and win an exciting game, 70-66.
7 - Another victory, $50-32$, over Bedford, which gives us the Class B District Championship. Hooray! !
10-14 - Regional basketball tournament at Willow Run.
11 - Assembly addressed by Mr. Joseph E. Layton.
20-21 - Basketball finals are played in East Lansing.
21 - The chorus goes to Jackson for the Vocal Festival.
26 - Assembly. Dr. Richard Coak addresses the student body.
27-30 - Easter vacation. We really need it.
31 - A nice way to greet us when we return to school! Mid-semester exams! !

## Calendar

April
1-2 - Mid-Semesters continued.
7 - Assembly-Mr. James Beardsley speaks to the students of T.H.S.
10 - Mr. Johnson and the band present the Spring Band concert.
11-15 - Seniors travel to Washington, D.C., on their Senior trip and have a wonderful time.
21 - All-School Play, a hilarious comedy called Mrs. McThing, is presented at the Strand Theatre, both afternoon and evening, by the students of T.H.S.

30 - The Chorus presents an assembly.

## May

6 - High School Chorus presents a concert at the Strand Theater.
15 - The Juniors entertain the Seniors at a very enjoyable Junior-Senior picnic.
22 - The Juniors present the lovely Junior Prom.
31 - The Seniors attend Baccalaureate.
June
1-3 - Oh, no! Semester exams again. But it's the last time for the Seniors!
3 - Exams are over, and everyone enjoys Class Night.
4 - Commencement brings a mixture of sad and happy faces.
5 - Honors assembly-the last of school. Good-bye and good luck, Seniors!


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