We're from Tecumseh, couldn't be prouder.
Those of us who will call Tecumseh High our Alma Mater are justifiably proud of our school and its contributions to our development of mature citizenship. We are proud of our clean school building and our tidy lawn. But more than that we are proud of the school spirit which binds us together.

In the following pages we will try to tell you why, "We're from Tecumseh, couldn't be prouder."

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As we watch this school year come to an end we look back on many happy memories and achievements. The hours spent in class rooms have not been in vain. Through the grateful aid of the administration and faculty, we have gained knowledge and understanding that will benefit us in later pursuits. These people deserve a great deal of recognition in the field of education, and for giving us the opportunity to look with pride upon a high standard of scholastic achievement.
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Mrs. Lois Service, a distinguished and amiable woman, will always be remembered by our faculty and students. She retired last year after teaching at Tecumseh High School for approximately thirty years. Some of the classes she has taught are English, English Literature, and Latin. The Tecumseh Chapter of the Future Teachers' Association was named after Mrs. Service because she was one of the most able and well-liked teachers. The annual staff would especially like to acknowledge her for serving as annual advisor for fifteen years. While she was advisor, the annual expanded approximately from thirty pages to the present one hundred and sixty-eight pages. We are proud to be able to say that Mrs. Service was a faculty member of our school.
MR. JOHN BABCOCK
Those of us who have worked closely on the annual staff with Mr. John Babcock would like to extend our appreciation for his advisory abilities on the Senior Echoes.

MR. JACK TRUDEAU
The graduating class would like to express their appreciation to Mr. Jack Trudeau for his three years of fine leadership.

MR. JAMES HOWARD
To Mr. James Howard goes our gratitude for his guidance through our best but most difficult year.
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Algebra  
General Math  
Baseball Coach  
Junior Varsity Football Coach
We the students of Tecumseh High School would like to express our sincere appreciation to the members of the faculty for their past year of service.

Memories of your teachings will be carried with us and will be drawn upon in later years. We are grateful for your many hours of counseling and encouragement.

Again we sincerely thank you.
We Recognize

Mr. Ray Sommers is on leave this year to do graduate work at the University of Michigan. Mr. Sommers who has taught at Tecumseh High School several years received a scholarship to continue study in Mathematics.

T.H.S. will long remember Coach Lectka for his achievements during his four years here. Students of his classes and members of the football team will carry with them his teaching of fine sportsmanship and belief in a job well done.
Mr. Howard helping the Council to keep the students posted

No, I wouldn't say your composition is bad.

Our advisor is the third one from the right.

And now we will discuss---Michigan State
Our clean classrooms and cheerful cafeteria are only a part of the responsibilities of our special services. Their work is never completely finished. These people can often be observed working late into the night preparing for the following day. These departments strive to give our school the qualities which will make us proud to call it our own.
Cafeteria: Mrs. O'Neill, Mrs. Rozelle, Mrs. Glascock, Mrs. Eggleston

Cafeteria Provides Fine Meals

Mrs. O'Neill
Maintenance Keeps School Clean

Mr. Rosenbaum, Mr. Lent, Mr. Glascock

Bus Drivers -- Jobs of Responsibility

William Tilton, Hugh Lavender
Mary Lou Fairbanks, Harold Kempf
Esther Walker, Agnes Woods
Cal Dixon

Doug Aylesworth, Jack Hallenbeck
Ray Jackson, Mike Anderson
Fay Kempf, Virginia Kish
Mitch Mobley
Our hearts and minds are pervaded with a feeling of pride and satisfaction when we are honored by our fellow classmates. It is a wonderful feeling to realize that our accomplishments have been recognized. However, there is more than the pride we feel for ourselves at these moments, there is also the pride of our parents, our friends, and our school. There is also the knowledge that we have helped give our own school the distinction which it so greatly deserves.
Mike Rohrer and Tom Hicks represent the top two students scholastically for 1962. Mike, the valedictorian, and Tom, salutatorian, have been active in school affairs. The Senior class is proud to give them this recognition.

Standing from left to right: Joe Anderson, Bob Holmes, Kent Naugle, Allen Hizer, Chuck Osburn, Ronald O'Neill, John Britton, Tom Simmons, Tim Whitney, and Roger Wittrup.


Nineteen of our Senior boys were among the 1,080 potential leaders who attended Boy's State last summer. In order to learn more about government activities, these boys elected their own local, county, and state officials to preside during the week.

Each boy who attended was selected by the principal and sponsored by an organization of the city. Through this experience these boys were able to learn more about our governing processes by participating in them.

The twenty-first session of Wolverine Girls' State was held on the University of Michigan campus in Ann Arbor, June 20 to 29. Girls' State was established to stimulate girls to a deep interest in home and community life and to give them a better knowledge of the American Government. These objects were carried out by giving the girls a chance to run their own state by democratic procedure.

Our representative to Wolverine Girls' State this year was Mary Lectka. She was selected by the American Legion Auxiliary on the basis of scholarship, leadership, and character.
Last spring a three hour National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test was given to all Juniors who were planning to go to college. These scores were then used by colleges in the admittance of students. Mike Rohrer received the highest rating in Tecumseh.

Two out of the ten students who participated in the District Forensics Contest from this school last year, Arthur Collingsworth and Mike Rohrer, merited special honors. Arthur and Mike placed first in the areas of extemporaneous speaking and interpretive reading respectively, at the District Contest. At the Regional Forensics Contest at Eastern Michigan University, Arthur received the first place award in extemporaneous speaking and Mike placed third in interpretative reading.

In the fall of 1961 more than 25,000 entries were submitted to the Detroit News Scholastic Writing Contest. Each entry represents the student's best example of writing. Those who won commendations and honorable mentions this year were left to right standing: Karen Robison, Larry Ehinger, Connie Schneider, Linda Knudson, Mary Boynton, Nancy Nixon.
Brenda Sprague and Letha Kimerer received the highest test-score averages from a series of twelve tests during 1961-62. Both received a certificate of proficiency in Bookkeeping and had their names inscribed on the Bookkeeping Roll of Honor.

Betty D. Barth is the 1962 winner of the Betty Crocker American Homemaker of Tomorrow. She achieved the highest score in the examination on homemaking knowledge and attitudes. She will represent the Tecumseh Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America when her examination is entered for state competition. Betty’s sister Ginger was the winner in 1958.

Dean VanNeste was named the outstanding ag student for 1961-1962. The school is proud to give him this recognition.
Captain Tom Simmons and John Britton were voted by their team mates as the most valuable lineman and backfield man of the 1961 season. Tom, a regular for the past three years, and John, a punter and a halfback for two years, were deserving of this honor.

Each year the Daughters of the American Revolution select a Senior girl who demonstrates outstanding citizenship qualities. Tecumseh's D.A.R. winner was Mary Lectka, whose mother was also a D.A.R. winner.

Senior Mike Rohrer completes his second year as Student Council President. Mike Cook, Junior, (shown on the left) is completing his year as Vice-President. Both officers are selected by a ballot vote of the student body, seniors excluded. Their positions demand great responsibility.
For the last four years, Tecumseh has been represented in the Michigan Chorale. An organization of the Youth for Understanding Program, of the Ann Arbor—Washtenaw Council of Churches, the Michigan Chorale is composed of seventy-one singers from all parts of southern Michigan. This year Bob Bonner will be touring Europe with the 1962 Chorale.

Carl Bower represented the local F.F.A. Chapter at the District F.F.A. Oratory Contest. He placed first in the District Contest. His topic was “Pig Cholera”. He will represent Tecumseh at the Regional Contest later in the year.

The annual junior magazine sale is one of the ways in which students are able to earn money for their senior trip. The students received thirty to fifty percent profit from the sale which lasted about three weeks. The first thirty students with the highest sales received a stuffed animal as a prize. Connie Dinius sold the record amount of $236 of subscriptions for which she received a handsome piece of luggage as her prize. A transistor radio was chosen by the runner-up Carol Bilby.
Commencement night has finally arrived, the time when the seniors must give their last farewells to high school life. Around them lies the school that they have proudly called their own for the past four years. Now they must leave behind this school, their teachers and their friends. As the final strains of "Pomp and Circumstance" fade into the night the class of 1962 gives a silent and solemn good-bye.
Seniors Complete High School Careers

Through four busy years the Seniors have worked toward the goal of graduation. They have presented the Junior Prom, have entertained the preceding graduating class at the Junior-Senior picnic, and have built a prize-winning float. Now they have taken their Senior trip and are ready to graduate.

The officers of the Senior class inspecting the graduating robe are: Carol Bilby, Vice-president; Ron O'Neill, President; Nancy Beland, Treasurer; and Bonnie Buchheimer, Secretary.

The Senior student representatives were instrumental in the Council's act of sponsoring one of our foreign exchange students, Adolf Petros. Our representatives are: Susan Frost, Carl Wilt, Adolf Petros (honorary), Chuck Osburn, and Mary Alice Stutesman.
JEANNETTE ALLEN
Annual Staff, National Honor Society 3-4 (Treas.), Future Teacher's 2-3-4, Chorus 1-2-3-4 (Vice-Pres. 4), Madrigal Singers 4

JOAN ALLSHOUSE
Annual Staff, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4 (Sec'y 3), Pep Club 4

JOE ANDERSON
Boys' State 3

PATRICIA ANDERSON
Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4

JOHN BAKER
Future Farmers 1-2-3-4 (Sec'y 4, Demonstration Team 3)

JUDY BALL
Hudson High School 1, Morenci High School 2, Girls' Athletic Association 3-4, Band 2

BETTY BARTH
Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4

JOY BAYS
Annual Staff 4, Scout Staff 4, Future Nurses' 3, Future Teachers' 2, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4 (Vice-President 3)

NANCY BELAND
Treasurer 2-3-4, Student Council 1, Associate Editor of Annual, National Honor Society 3-4 (Sec'y 4), Declamation 2, Interpretive Readings 3, Science Club 3-4 (Sec'y 3, Pres. 4), Band 1-2-3 (Sec'y 1, Vice Pres. 3)
CAROL BILBY
Vice President 4, Scout Staff 3-4 (Co-Editor 4)
Oration 3, Future Teachers' 2-3-4 (Pres. 4) Girls' Athletic Association 1-2
Chorus 3-4 (Treas. 4)

DAVE BLOUCH
Blissfield High School 1-2-3-4, Varsity Club 2-3, Football R1-V2-V3, Basketball R1

LINDA BLUMERICK
Band 1-2-3

ROBERT BONNER
Annual Staff 4, Boys' State 3, Chorus 2-3-4, Madrigal 3-4, Band 1

CAROL BRIGHTON
Girl's Athletic Association 1-2

JOHN BRITTON
Boys' State 3, Varsity Club 3-4 (Vice-Pres. 4), Football R1-R2-V3-V4, Basketball R1-R2-V3-V4 (Capt. 4), Track V2-V4

EDSEL BROOKS
Future Farmers 1-2-3-4 (Sec'y 2, Pres. 3, Treas. 4, Regional Sec'y 4)

JANICE BRYAN
Chorus 1-2-3-4

BONNIE BUCHHEIMER
Secretary 3-4, Annual Staff 4, Scout Staff 4, Future Teachers' Club 3-4, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2, Chorus 3-4
SHARON BUKU
SHARON BUTLER
Girl's Athletic Association 1
MARY CARSON
Girls' Athletic Association 3-4

ARTHUR COLLINGSWORTH
Annual Staff 4, Scout Staff 3-4, (Editor-in-Chief 4), Extempore Speech 3, (District and Regional), Debate 3, French Club 4, (Historian 4) Future Teachers' 3-4 (Sec. 4) Chorus 1

ALICE COVELL
Future Nurses' Club 3

DARLENE CRAIG
Girls' Athletic Association 2

DAVID CROSBY

DONNA CUBBERLY
Teens for Christ 3-4

RICHARD CURTISS
Teens for Christ 4, Future Farmers of America 1-2
KIM DABE  
Annual Staff 4, Scout Staff 2-3, (Editor 3), Chorus 2, Track R2-R3

WAYNE DAVIS  
Basketball JV 1-2-3-V4  
Baseball JV 2-V3

CATHY DELISLE  
Girl's Athletic Association 1-2

LINDA DICKS  
Secretary 1, Student Council 2, Annual Staff 4, Scout Staff 3, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2, (Treas. 2)

CONNIE DINIUS  
Annual Staff 4, Future Homemakers of America 3-4 (Vice-Pres. 4), Girls' Athletic Association 2-3-4

ENID DUNSCOMB

GAIL ELLIOTT  
Student Council 1, Spanish Club 2-3-4, French Club (Pres. 4), Future Teacher's 2-3 (Secretary 4)

LARRY FLOWERS  
French Club 4, Band 1-2-3-4

ROGER FOX  
Student Council 3, Football R1, Basketball R1, Golf V2
ROBERT FRENCH
Student Council 1, Scout Staff 4, Varsity Club 2-3, Football R1, Basketball R1-R2, Track V1-V2

SUSAN FROST
Secretary 3, Student Council 4 (Sec'y), Annual Staff 4, Honors Society 3-4 (Treas. 3, Vice-Pres. 4), Spanish Club 2 (Sec'y), Future Teachers' Club 2-3 (Vice-Pres. 3), Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-4, Cheerleader R2-V3-V4

PETER GEBAROWSKI

NANCY GEORGE
Spanish Club 2-3-4, Annual Staff 4, Future Teachers' 2-3-4, (Student Council Rep. 3), Band 1, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2

PAT GIBSON

JANICE GRAFF

LARRY GRAY
Football R1, R2, R3, Baseball R1, R2, R3

VIRGINIA GREIMAN
Future Nurse's 3-4, Girl's Athletic Association 1-2

MAX HANDY
Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4
BRENDA HANNAH
Annual Staff 4, Future Nurses' 3-4, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2, Spanish Club 3-4

FRED HARTWIG
Saline High School 2, Football Mgr. 4, Track Mgr. 3

ANN HARVEY
Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3

FRED HARTWIG
Saline High School 2, Football Mgr. 4, Track Mgr. 3

ANN HARVEY
Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3

ROGER HEBERT
Chess Club 3, Pep Club 4

BETTY HENSON
Scout Staff 4, Future Homemakers of America 4, Girls' Athletic Association 1

TOM HICKS
President 1-2, Vice President 3, Honor Society 3-4, Spanish Club 2-3 (Vice Pres. 2)

ALLEN HIZER
Annual Staff 4, Scout Staff 3, Boys' State 3, Honor Society 3-4, Oration 3, Science Club 4, Chorus 1-2, Madrigal 2

ANN HODGES
Student Council 2, Annual Staff 4, Future Nurses' Club 2, Girls' Athletic Association 1

EDELTRAUT HOFFMAN
Treasurer 1, Future Nurses' Club 3-4, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2, Chorus 4
JERRY HOLDRIDGE  
ROBERT HOLMES  
Boy's State 3, Future Teacher's 2, Teens For Christ 3, Band 1-2-3  
GARY HONEYCUTT  

DAVID IRELAN  
Scout Staff 3, Boys' State 3, Chorus 1-2, Historian 3  
RICHARD KAISER  
Boys' State 3, Spanish Club 3, Band 1-2-3-4  
JERRY KAPNICK  
Refreshment Stand Manager 4, Football R1-R2, Basketball R1  

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ROBERT LAPRAD  
Scout Staff 4, Track 4, Chorus 2-3-4, (Madrigal Singers 4)  
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AUDREY LEFEVRE
Future Homemakers' 1-2-3, (Secretary 3), Student Council Rep. 2, Chorus 2-3

CLYDE LOCKER
Basketball R1-R2, Baseball R1

PATRICIA LONG
Annual Staff 4, Girl's Athletic Association 1-2, Teens For Christ 3, Band 1-2-3-4

NORMA LUCE
Annual Staff 4, Cheerleader R1-R2-V3, Future Nurses' 2, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2

GARY McKENZIE
Catilina Junior High School 1

SHERIDAN MANGRUM
Girls' Athletic Association 1-2

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Boys' State 4, Band 1-2-3

SANDRA MILLER
Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3

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Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4, (Vice-President 2)

KENT NAUGLE
Boys' State 3, Band 1, Varsity Club 3-4, Football R1-R2-V3-V4, Baseball R1-R2-V3-V4

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Vice-President 2, President 3-4, Boys' State 3, Football R1-R2, Chorus 2-3-4, (President 4)

CHARLES OSBURN
Student Council 3-4, Honor Society 3-4, (Vice-President 3, President 4), Boys' State 3, Varsity Club 3-4, Football R1-R2-V3-V4, Baseball R1-R2-V3

SUSIE OWEN
Student Council 1, Cheerleader R1-V2-V3, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2

JEAN PACKARD
Cheerleader R1-2 V-4, Spanish Club 3-4, Girl's Athletic Association 1-2-3-4, (Secretary 4) Pep Club 4

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BRUCE PARRETT
Chorus 1, Chess Club 3

DAVE QUICK
Lakewood High School 1-2, Breckenridge High School 2

BETTY RANGLER
Girls' Athletic Association 1

ROBERT REEVES
Cody High School 1, Lutheran High School 2, Chorus 3

ROBERT RICHARDS
Basketball R1-R2, Baseball R1

RUDY ROBERTS
Future Teachers' 3-4, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2

ERIC ROBISON
Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4, Track 3-4

ROY RODRIGUZ
Boys' State 3, Basketball R3

DIANE ROE
Girls' Athletic Association 1-2-3-4, Chorus 1-2-3-4
DONALD ROE  
Chorus 2, Future Farmers' of America 1-2-3-4

DOTTIE ROE  
Future Nurse's 2, Girl's Athletic Association 1, Band 1-2-3 (Majorette 2-3)

MICHAEL ROHRER  
Student Council 2-3-4, (President 3-4), National Honor Society 3-4, Scout Staff 4, Declamation 2, Varsity Club 3-4, Chorus 1-2-3, Madrigal 2-3, Award Sec. 2, Football R1-R2-V3-V4

GERALD RUTTKOFSKY  
Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4

JANICE SCHUCH  
Spanish Club 2-3-4, Future Teacher's 2-3-4, Girl's Athletic Association 1

BARBARA SHERMAN  
Girls' Athletic Association 1-2

ALICE SHIRLEY  
Teens for Christ Club 3-4, Girls' Athletic Association 1, Chorus 2-3-4, (Lib. 4)

HILDA SHORT  

TOM SIMMONS  
Student Council 1-2, Boys' State 3, Football R1-V2-V3-V4, Co-Captain 4, Track V2-V3-V4, Varsity Club 2-3-4

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THOMAS SIMONDS
Senior Band 1-2, Spanish Club 2, Football R3

DOLORES SOLARSKI
Chorus 1

ELLEN SPREEMAN
Girls’ Athletic Association 1-2-3-4 (Treasurer 3-4)

LINDA STARKEY
Future Homemakers of America 4

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Student Council 3, Editor of Annual 4, Teens for Christ Club 3-4, Social Chairman 3, President 4, Honor Society 3-4, Future Nurses’ 2-3, All School Play 1

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Future Teachers’ 2-3, Chorus 1-2-3-4, Madrigal 3-4, Michigan State Honors Choir 3, Secretary 4

BILL TRUESDALE

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Shrine High 1-2, Kimball High 3, Scout Staff 4, Future Nurses’ 3-4
DEAN VAN NESTE
Future Farmers of America 1-2-3-4 (Vice-Pres. 3) (Pres. 4)

SUE VELANDRA
Scout Staff 4, Future Teachers' 2-3-4, G.A.A.
1-2

EUGENE VERRIER
Student Council 1-2, Boy's State 3, Band 1

WINFIELD WALKER
Boys' State 3

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Annual Staff, Scout Staff 3-4, Advertising Manager 3-4, Science Club 3-4, Treasurer 4, Chorus 1-2-3-4, Madrigal Singers 2-3, Track R2

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Holt High 1, Future Home-Makers' 2-4, Girls' Athletic Association 1-2

BRENDA WHELAN
Girls' Athletic Association 1

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Annual Staff, Boys' State 3, Varsity Club 2-3-4, Treasurer 4, Football R1-R2-V3, Basketball R1-R2, Baseball V1-V2-V3
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Adolf, who is living with the James Barton family, came to Tecumseh from Jugenheim a.d.B., Germany. Among Adolf’s varied interests are gymnastics, languages, and water skiing. A photograph book of his life in Germany is one of his prize possessions. In July, Adolf will return to Germany where he will have three more years of schooling in Schuldorf. After this time Adolf will enter the army for a period of one or two years. He plans to go to college and study for the teaching profession. If at all possible, Adolf would like to return to the United States after college.

Marielle Lugard came to Tecumseh from Deventer, Netherlands, where she attended Middeldare School coor Meisess. She is very fond of history, art, and foreign languages, especially French and English. Cooking, reading, and sports are also among her interests. Marielle has two sisters and a brother who will be glad to see her when she returns to Deventer in July. Marielle would like to enter the field of journalism or possibly work in a museum. She hopes that she will be able to return to America in future years.

Niels came to Tecumseh as a foreign exchange student from Braunschweig, Germany. He attended the Wilhelm Gymnasium High School in Braunschweig and is a senior this year at Tecumseh High. Niels has many varied interests, some of which are music, literature, tennis, travel, and political science. Upon returning to his native Germany in July of 1962, Niels intends to enter the University of Munich where he will study law.
Now this is how, Seniors

And my team used Pepsodent for 2 years

We got away from our keepers.

Stop! I'll talk. I did counterfeit that monopoly money.
As another year comes to a close the underclassmen look back on their many experiences in high school; they remember that last minute studying, the exams, the pep meetings, the games, the dances, and all the other activities of which they have been a proud part. But most of all the underclassmen eagerly await those experiences which are yet to come as they remain to lead their school proudly onward.
The Juniors' year was one of continual activity. The magazine sales, class party, and the planning of the Junior Prom were well-planned and enjoyed by all those who took part.

Surrounded by the prizes to be awarded for successful magazine sales are the Junior Class Officers: Jack Dick, Treasurer; Betty Kish, Secretary; Nancy Nixon, President; Tom Dickinson, Vice President. The Junior Student Council Representatives played an important role in the chartering of the school clubs. Holding one of the charters are Louise Stutesman, Mike Carney, Mary Ann Mead and Tim Sisson.
Frost, Lee
Furgason, Ruth
Gallant, Brenda
Glascock, Priscilla
Golat, Richard
Gomez, Yolanda
Goodin, Nancy
Gorzkiewicz, Herbert
Graham, James
Gray, Barbara
Greene, Dan
Hall, Barry
Hall, Janice
Handy, Lois
Harper, Larry
Hartley, John
Heberlein, Marsha
Holden, Deborah
Holland, Nora
Hoot, Mary Lou
Hunt, Howard
Johnston, James
Johnson, Marilyn
Johnson, Terry
King, Bruce
Kish, Betty
Kittle, Janice
Klught, Barbara

Kohlman, Joyce
Korte, Gary
Langham, David
Lawson, Pat
LeBaron, James
Lenheiser, Barbara
Limes, Paul
Linger, Annette
Lopez, Angela
Lucas, Kent
McCarley, Dean
McClain, Larry
McCombs, Bradley
MacDonald, David
McEnroe, Terrie
MacKenzie, Gary
McKinney, Jessie
McVay, Vickie
Marks, Ann
Marsh, Delbert
Martin, Eugene
Martin, Sharon
Martinus, Dennis
Matzinger, Dale
Mead, Mary Ann
Merritt, Cathy
Metcalf, Ann
Mikesell, Roger
Whelan, Michael  
White, Eugene  
Woods, Carolyn  
Zick, Richard

Cheerleaders make sure routines are polished.

Go team, go!

Betty Kish
This year the Sophomore Class picked a standard school ring which will be worn by all future classes. Looking over the rings are the class officers; from left to right are: Secretary, Karen Robinson; President, Dave Lemerand; Vice-President, Janice Whelan; and Treasurer, Fawn Choske.

The Sophomore Class also displayed great enthusiasm at all basketball games, having the highest attendance percentage of all classes, and thus the spirit trophy was awarded to them. Putting the trophy in the show case are the Student Council Representatives; from left to right are: Barbara Colgrove, David Dustin, Lettie Ringman, and Mary Smith.
Luce, Douglas
McCann, Theresa
McCarley, Virginia
McClure, Carol
McEnroe, Candace
Mackey, Janet
Maddux, Harry
Manwaring, Gene
Marsh, Darrell
Martin, Judy
Martinez, Josephine
Martinez, Rose
Martinus, Nancy
Mason, Susan
Matteson, Tom
Maynard, Cheryl
Mensing, John
Miller, Beverly
Miller, Eldon
Mobley, Michael
Morden, Patricia
Moricz, George
Morris, Peg
Mukensturm, Suzanne
Mumaw, Marilyn
Naugle, Gary
Nettleman, Dorothy
Neuman, Richard

Newell, James
Nichols, Clark
Norris, Leona
Oberlin, John
Ohlman, Judy
Osburn, James
Osburn, Jay
Patterson, Patricia
Peterson, Gary
Petrovish, Sandra
Poley, Janet
Pollitz, Alvena
Preston, Jean
Purkey, Judith
Quinn, Max
Ramos, Gladys
Randolph, Joyce
Randolph, Patricia
Rangler, Ernest
Raschal, Neva
Raymond, LaMarr
Reeves, Christine
Richards, Joyce
Richardson, Hugh
Rickard, Bernard
Ringman, Lettie
Roberts, Inara
Robinson, Karen
Vaughn, Carolyn
Velandra, Tom
Wagner, Donna
Wallace, James
Warner, Patricia
Warnick, Cheryl
Whelan, Janice
Whitney, Susan
Wilbar, Robert
Williams, Mary
Wilson, Michael
Wilson, Tom
Wilt, Ruth
Withrow, Fred
Wright, Donna
Yungling, Pearl
Rudd, Donna
Roe, Patricia
Rutherford, Patricia
Saling, Charles
Schmidt, Glenn
Schneider, Lynette
Seidel, Barry
Sherman, Douglas
Simmons, James
Simmons, Sheri
Simmons, Susan
Slick, Glenn
Smith, Mary
Smock, Sally
Snyder, Sharon
Solarski, Christine
Sparks, Connie
Squires, Charles
Stanley, Molly
Staulter, Linda
Staup, Brenda
Stone, James
Surratt, Ann
Sweet, Diane
Sweet, Nelson
Thielan, Jane
Tietema, Gary
Tilton, James
VanVleet, Robert
The freshman class was the largest that Tecumseh High has ever had. They displayed their desire to become a recognized part of Tecumseh High by their attendance at school activities and their enthusiasm at pep rallies and games.

Discussing the rules of Tecumseh High School from the "Indian Lore" are the freshmen class officers: Don Baird, President; Greg Allen, Vice-president; Nancy Swaney, Secretary; and Jerry Hale, Treasurer.

The Student Council bought flags for each room in the high school this year. Below, the freshman student representatives examine the new flags. From left to right are: Tom Eliot, Russ Blanden, Sharon Green, and Doug Goldsberry.
Allen, Gregg
Anderson, Carol
Anderson, Ronald
Baird, Don
Ballard, Joe
Bartenslager, William
Beal, Roger
Beasley, Douglas
Becker, Kay
Belcher, Allen
Bird, Janet
Bird, Nancy
Blanden, Russell
Boss, Guy
Bourns, Janet
Boyce, Albert
Boyce, John
Brooks, Duane
Brooks, Ruth Ann
Brooks, Wayne
Brown, Catherine
Brown, Richard
Bryan, Pamela
Bryant, Carolyn
Buehrer, Gary
Butler, Harold
Campbell, Melody
Chase, Larry

Choske, Frank
Chrisman, Larry
Clark, Ronald
Cobb, Thomas
Collins, Tim
Cook, Joann
Cooper, Frances
Cousino, Linda
Covell, Richard
Cowen, Russell
Cox, Lonnie
Craft, Stephen
Crawford, Deborah
Crawford, Michael
Creger, Karen
Csokasy, David
Cubberly, Sharon
Dabe, Pam
Davis, Donald
Davis, Karole
Day, David
DeMoss, Leonard
Derby, Steve
Dieterle, Bonnie
Drake, Anne
Duffin, Richard
Duff, Sharon
Dusseau, Mary Ann
Eastman, Jennie
Easton, Linda
Elliott, Charlotte
Elliott, Tom
Engle, Rebecca
Fairbanks, Connie
Fielder, Shirley
Finch, Terry
Finnegan, Barrie
Fisher, Vera
Forrester, Joan
Fox, Marvin
Freshcorn, Ray
Fretwell, Eileen
Garza, George
Gillen, Michael
Girbach, Dora
Glenn, Robert
Golat, Brenda
Goldsberry, Douglas
Gonzalez, Irma
Goodacre, Ted
Goodin, Earl
Graff, Dennis
Green, Sharon
Greene, Linda
Griewahn, Mildred
Griffin, James

Hadsell, Richard
Hale, Jerry
Hammack, Sue
Handy, Diane
Hannibal, Doyal
Harris, Frank
Hatch, Bradley
Hayden, John
Heavener, Cheryl
Herrick, Toni
Hicks, Linda
Hoch, Diann
Hohenstein, Susan
Holcomb, Dianna
Holmes, Edith
House, Carson
Huber, Douglas
Hughes, Donald
Hyde, Betty
Johnson, Richard
Johnson, Sheryll
Johnston, Marianne
Johnston, Tim
Johnston, Tom
June, Coleen
Kayner, Douglas
Keith, Terry
Kemp, Shirley
Randolph, Barbara
Randolph, David
Reifner, Cynthia
Rentschler, Carolyn
Richardson, Harold
Richardson, Tom
Ries, Diane
Roe, Barry
Roe, Edward
Rosacrans, Ned
Rowley, Ronald
Ruff, Tom
Ruhl, Wayne
Rutherford, Joel
Rutherford, Sue
Ruttkofsky, Clara
Sanchez, Arnaldo
Sanchez, Ernesto
Schmitz, Patricia
Schultz, Gregg
Schultz, William
Seager, Laura
Sebring, Carolyn
Seitz, Robert
Serrano, Evelyn
Sharpe, Michael
Short, Rose
Sinkey, Linda
Sloan, Ron
Solarski, Agnes
Solarski, Marilyn
Southwell, Kay
Spicer, Pamela
Spooner, Linda
Stites, James
Stites, Lavern
Strahle, Bonnie
Stretch, Gary
Swaney, Nancy
Theeke, Marjorie
Thomas, William
Thompson, Kathy
Tiede, Theodore
Tilton, David
Tindall, Evelyn
Tressler, Mary
Trickey, Charles
Valdez, Felipe
VanSickle, Richard
Villanueva, Delfina
Vollmar, Dan
Walker, James
Warner, Jeanne
Watson, William
Wegner, Sharlette
Wheeler, Sue
This year the Freshman class suffered the loss of one of its outstanding members, David H. Day. David fell to his death from the top of a silo at the Cone Elevator near Britton.

David exhibited his superior ability as a band student by his versatility as a musician—he played the baritone in the marching band and a cornet in the concert band. He was highly praised for his musicianship and he undoubtedly would have been one of the best in the band. Scholastically, he was an Honor Student.

His passing is and was deeply felt by his fellow students, faculty and friends.
As the sound of the gavel calls the meeting to order, another high school club can be witnessed in action. After busy days at school, the members return again at night to attend these meetings. Members devote their time in order to develop sportsmanship, to learn about their chosen vocations, or perhaps to give aid to the less-fortunate. These organizations give us reason to proudly consider them an outstanding part of our school curriculum.
Under Mr. Pobuda's leadership, the Honors Society helped to promote scholarship in the school.

The Honors Society is one of the newer organizations, being formed only last year. The society was organized to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, and to promote worthy leadership and character. The society is a service organization in the school. One of its projects has been to establish a student valet service to help the office.

Meetings have been held with various speakers, and initiation will be held second semester for the induction of new members.

President ................. Charles Osburn
Vice President ............... Susan Frost
Secretary .................. Nancy Beland
Treasurer ................... Jeanette Allen
Third Row: Nancy Nixon, Connie Schneider, Pat Lawson, Jolene Dragich, Debi Crawford, Janet Bilby, Barbara Lennheiser, Ann Metcalf, Betty Henson, Mike Carney, Joel Bailey, Niels Hansen, Deborah Holden
Second Row: Bob French, Dorothy Boynton, Marielle Lugard, Carol McClure, Sue Velandra, Donna Wagner, Nancy Swaney, Pam Dabe, Joy Bays, Janice Whelan, Fawn Choske, Diana Duffin
Seated: Roberta Vaillancourt, Kathy Tressler, Bill Wallace, Carol Bilby, Arthur Collingsworth, Mary Ann Mead, Mike Rohrer, Carl Wilt

Scout Staff Has Best Year

In the 1961-1962 school year the Scout expanded its activities considerably. The paper is printed by the Tecumseh Herald and is under the supervision of Mr. Wayne Reganall. The Scout promoted reading among students by introducing a pocket book store located in the study hall. The 2500 books stocked range from literature and history to leisure reading material.

The Scout also sponsored the surprise farewell banquet honoring Coach Lectka.

Three of the regular staff members are our foreign exchange students, Niels Hansen, Adolf Petrus, and Marielle Lugard.

Advisor ...................... Mr. Reganall
Editor-in-Chief .............. Arthur Collingsworth
Assistant Editor ............... Carol Bilby
Advertising Manager ......... Bill Wallace
Business Manager ............. Diana Duffin
Circulation Manager .......... Niels Hansen
Photographer ................. Richard Duffin
Typist ....................... Kathy Tressler
Spanish Club Makes Pinata

Construction of the pinata was only one of the interesting activities participated in by the members of the Spanish Club. Under the guidance of Mrs. Louise Patterson, the club holds its business meetings and plans various skits and plays entirely in Spanish. By being an active member of the club, students hope to learn more of the background, culture, and traditions of the Spanish people.

President ..................... Mary Lectka
Vice President .............. Dave Lemerand
Secretary .................... Debbie Holden
Treasurer ..................... Doug Luce
A lively group of twenty-three French students became Charter Members of the Tecumseh High School French Club this year. Under the direction of Mrs. Hawthorne, a formal initiation was held for the installation of these new members.

The monthly meeting of the club included such activities as the performing of skits, listening to French musical composition, and listening to special guest speakers such as Professor Allen Seager. The reason for such activities is to increase the appreciation of the language and culture of France.

Vive T. H. S. French Club

Advisor .................... Mrs. Hawthorne
President ...................... Gail Elliot
Vice President ............... Mike Carney
Treasurer ..................... Candy McEnroe
Secretary .................... Barbara Colgrove

Madrigal singers
The Chorus, under the direction of Mr. Cowdrey, has worked hard to achieve its present status. The first program of the year was presented for the parents and faculty at the Open House. Later a Christmas concert, "Christmas Around the World" was given with the band. Also the Chorus and band presented a Christmas assembly for the student body. In the spring a concert consisting of American folk songs and folk dances was held before a capacity crowd. As was customary, they presented several appropriate numbers at the Baccalaureate and Commencement exercises in June.

Advisor ...................... Mr. Cowdrey
President ...................... Ron O'Neill
Vice President ............... Jeannette Allen
Secretary ..................... Jean Thomas
Treasurer ..................... Carol Bilby

The Chorus has taken great strides during Mr. Cowdrey's first year as director.
FIRST ROW: Janice Hall, Mary Wing, Ann Surratt, Sue Klappich, Pat Rutherford
SECOND ROW: Carol McClure, Pat Long, Nancy Hooten, Fran Cooper, Sheila O'Neil, Marilyn Mumaw, Judy Purkey, Cheryl Warnick, Marilyn Johnson, Peggy Johnson, Lana Callihan, Shirley Fielder, Dorothy Nettleman, Sharon Gillen, Linda Knudson, Sharly Wegner, Mary Lectka, Karen Goller, Jane Van Valkenburg, Shirley Hunt
THIRD ROW: Mr. Johnson, Connie Harrison, Louise Stutesman, Mike Cook, Gary Stretch, Barry Bradish, Doug Kaynor, Terry Beland, Larry Harper, Brenda Gallant, Sharon Conway, Kent Lucas, Tom Dickinson, Mike Hannah, Mike Wilson, Ron Jones, Frank Choske, Leland Green, Fawn Choske, Donna Grigg, Bernard Rickard, Mr. Cowdrey
The Tecumseh High School band again this year provided a great deal of entertainment under the direction of Mr. Johnson and Mr. Cowdrey. The 75-piece band marched at all of the home football games, participated in the University of Michigan Band Day in Ann Arbor, and took part in the annual Lenawee County Band Festival held on our football field, and the All County Band Festival held in Adrian. Also, at Christmas the band joined with the Chorus to present their concert, "Christmas Around the World."

Director ...................... Mr. Johnson
Assistant Director .......... Mr. Cowdrey
President ..................... Larry Harper
Vice President ............. Louise Stutesman
Secretary ..................... Mary Lectka
Treasurer .................... David Dustin
The Girls' Athletic Association is regarded as the largest club at T.H.S. Under the guidance of Miss Pickens, the club has increased its membership to a total of nearly eighty girls. One of the major contributions of the club is that it was originally responsible for the organization of the Pep Club, which is now a functioning organization of its own.

Through the club, girls learn the good fundamentals and sportsmanship involved in the major sports.

Advisor .................. Miss Pickens
President .................. Sherry Packard
Vice President ............. Mary Smith
Secretary ................. Jean Packard
Treasurer ................. Ellen Spreeman
Student Council Representative

Nancy Martinus
The Varsity Club is an organization which attempts to promote sportsmanship, and to build the prestige of sports and respect for the Varsity letter. To be a member, a boy must have earned a Varsity letter and be eligible to engage in sports. This year the club was under the direction of Mr. Victor Lawson.

Each year at the honors assembly the club presents the annual trophy to the most valuable Senior athlete, the one who contributed the most to Tecumseh High Athletics.

Advisor ....................... Mr. Lawson
President .................... Tom Simmons
Vice President .................. John Britton
Secretary ...................... Mike Rohrer
Treasurer ...................... Tom Whitney

Varsity Club Inspires Sportsmanship

The Future Farmers, under the direction of Mr. Paul Burns, has again experienced a very successful year. To begin with, the club purchased thirty ewes and two pure-bred rams, which they used to start a commercial sheep line. Also the boys entered the Funk's 304 Bushel Challenge, in which they produced 125 bushels of corn per acre.

Through participation in the club, members are striving toward the development of rural leadership, citizenship, and cooperation.

Advisor ........................... Mr. Burns
President .......................... Dean VanNeste
Vice President ..................... Gary Korte
Secretary ........................... John Baker
Treasurer ........................... Edsel Brooks

Mr. Burns explains new engines to his Future Farmers
Even throughout an event-filled year, Mrs. Brown as advisor of the Tecumseh Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America, still found time to stress their ideal of furthering skills in homemaking. A few of the many occurrences during the year were: installation of new officers; Christmas projects made for the needy; an ice-skating party; and a style show.

Girls participating in the club have furthered their interest and knowledge in the field of homemaking.

Advisor ....................... Mrs. Brown
President .................... Rhea Fischer
Vice President ............ Connie Dinius
Secretary .................... Chris Reeves
Treasurer .................... Janet Forrester

Mrs. Brown illustrates the handling of materials for her Future Homemakers

**J. N. C. Doubles In Size**

The Future Nurses’ Club is again under the guidance of Mrs. Boltz, who has successfully led the club in previous years. Last year the club started to support a Burmese orphan by sending five dollars a month for food and clothing of the child. This year it was decided that this support should be continued by the club, as it is a very rewarding project.

The purpose of the club is to introduce nursing to the girls in the fields of profession, scholarships, and different hospitals which the girls may be interested in attending after graduation. One interesting fact is that during the year 1961-1962 the club has almost doubled its membership.

Advisor ......................... Mrs. Boltz
President ....................... Mary Wing
Vice President ............... Kathy Wagner
Secretary ...................... Marilyn Johnson
Corresponding Secretary ..... Adel De Puy
Treasurer ..................... Connie Schneider
Future Teachers Have Busy Year


The Lois D. Service Future Teachers' Club continued this year under the guidance of Mr. James Hoffman. The club followed many of the procedures of the previous year, such as the monthly business meetings and the idea of sending representatives to the Michigan Future Teachers' Association Conference at Battle Creek. This year's representatives were Carol Bilby and Bonnie Buchheimer.

The club enables its members to learn and cultivate the qualities of a good teacher, and each year a student is aided by a donation of a $100 scholarship.

Advisor ...................... Mr. Hoffman
President ..................... Carol Bilby
Vice President .............. Louise Stutesman
Secretary ..................... Arthur Collingsworth
Treasurer ..................... Mary Ann Mead
The Teens for Christ Club members have enjoyed a year of successful meetings under the supervision of their advisor, Mr. Sommers. Although Mr. Sommers was taking a leave of absence in order to attend the University of Michigan, he graciously consented to remain the advisor of the club. Local pastors spoke and filmstrips were shown on the advantage of a life of service to God, our country, and our fellow man.

Advisor ........................................... Mr. Sommers
President ............................... Mary Alice Stutesman
Vice President ...................... Dan Van Valkenburg
Secretary ................................. Marilyn Johnson
Treasurer ................................. Louise Stutesman
Science Club Has Fair

One of the highlights of this year's Science Club has been its participation in the Science Fair, where students and projects were in competition with those of various other schools.

Under the supervision of Mr. Kalom, Mr. Nelson, and Mr. Gates, the club's purpose has been to promote interest in science and mathematics and to give students the opportunity of experimenting with various scientific apparatus.

Regular business meetings with speakers and film strips were held throughout the year.

President ................. Nancy Beland
Vice President .............. Don Rudd
Secretary .................... Ann Metcalf
Treasurer .................... Bill Wallace

Mr. Nelson, Mr. Gates, and Mr. Kalom show the Science Club that the thigh bone is connected to the knee bone.
Another of the newly organized clubs at Tecumseh High is the Pep Club. The club has been organized under the leadership of Miss Pickens to help raise the school spirit in our school. A special section is marked off at all home games so the club can sit together and cheer. Members have made shakers for use at home games and have also made posters to use in the halls and classrooms. Also, members wear orange and black vests to represent school colors and to encourage other students to wear the school colors.

Advisor ............................ Miss Pickens
President ............................ Ann Lectka
Vice President ....................... Carol Winfield
Business Manager ................... Mary Lectka
Student Council Representative  Mary Jo Mensing

Club

Varsity Club float—first prize

French Club enters Eiffel Tower

G.A.A. is "On the Ball"

Projects
We look back on a year filled with pep rallies, assemblies, and dances. We note these achievements with pride and satisfaction for they added much excitement and spirit to the school routine. Long after the school year is over these events will live in our memories.
Calendar of Events

September 1960
1-Pre School.
5-Opening day of school.
13-Junior magazine sales begin.
15-Start of another football season at Willow Run (25-12) Tecumseh's favor.
22-We win again at Dundee (14-6)
29-Tecumseh over Lincoln (6-0)

October
6-We lose to Milan (19-0)
10-Individual pictures are taken.
13-We were defeated by Flat Rock (6-0)
20-A rousing victory over Airport (24-6)
27-Our homecoming game. We lose to Blissfield (13-0)

November
5-11-American Education week.
6-8-Mid-Term exams.
9-Open house.
10-Adrian game here, (43-73)
15-Report cards are given out.
19-Our community center dedication.
23-24-Thanksgiving vacation.
27-School resumes.

December
1-We play Dundee at home, (38-28)
8-Game at Flat Rock, (48-65)
14-Michigan Math Test
15-Home game, we play Airport (60-76)
19-Christmas Program
20-Football honors assembly.
22-Enjoyable Christmas assembly.
      We play again, this time at Blissfield, (65-62) Christmas vacation begins.
23-Senior Christmas Dance.
27-Adrian game, (43-73)

January
2-School resumes.
5-We play Milan here, (49-63)
12-Home game with Lincoln, (61-53)

17-Seniors visit Constitutional Convention.
19-Away game with Gross Ile.
22-Semester Exams.
25-Second semester begins.
26-Game at Dundee (63-55)

February
2-County Teachers Institute.
      Home game with Flat Rock.
9-We play Blissfield at home, (64-65)
13-At Airport (76-89)
16-Game at Milan (48-59)
22-Assembly 3rd hour.
23-Away game with Lincoln, (52-35)

March
2-Gross Ile at home (69-50)
6-National Merit Test.
17-Science fair
18-What a variety! Sponge Week.
19-Government Day
30-Spring Band Concert.

April
3-4-Mid-term exams.
7-11-Senior Trip finally arrives.
13-Easter Recess.
23-School resumes.

May
1-Student Council League Meeting.
15-Chorus presents spring concert.
22-Teachers Meeting.

June
5-Teachers Meeting.
10-Baccalaureate
12-13-Semester exams.
13-Class Night.
14-Commencement.
15-Honors Assembly.
For the Birds and Bees

STANDING: Don Becker, Cynthia Poley, Janet Cutler, Jim Baker, Candy McEnroe, Mike Rohrer, Jerry Breitenwischer, Terrie McEnroe, Ann Surratt, Mike Osburn, Lettie Ringman, Jim Simmons

SEATED: Roy Rodriguez

As a climax to three days of hectic fun, the Sponge Dance was held on March 25, 1961, with Roy Rodriguez, a junior candidate, being crowned king of Sponge Week.

Yellow, green, and white streamers led to a huge replica of a bee's nest in the center of the dance floor, which was covered with little felt bees. Bright yellow sunflowers and dark green leaves hung from the streamers to produce a spring-like effect. The tables were ornamented with yellow and green bows on white paper.

The Student Council selected Dean Foster's Band of Jackson to provide the music.

Candidates for king were: Freshmen — Jim Simmons and Jim Baker; Sophomores — Don Becker and Mike Osborne; Juniors — Roy Rodriguez and Tom Simmons; and Seniors—Jerry Breitenwischer and Dennis Irelan.
Naw, you take it.

Are you SURE it's hamburger?
On June 1, 1961, the Juniors entertained the Seniors with a fun-filled afternoon of food and games. The picnic lunch, prepared by Mrs. O'Neill, her staff, and a few Junior girls, consisted of sloppy joes, baked beans, potato salad, ice cream, cake, and punch. Determination and enthusiasm were the basic factors for the defeat of the Seniors in the annual tug-of-war. Students left the picnic exhausted after playing baseball, volleyball and participating in sack races. We were chaperoned by our class advisors, Mr. Gross and Mr. Trudeau, assisted by other faculty members.
When couples entered the gym on May 26, 1961, they were stunned by the appearance of the dance floor. The Juniors had accomplished their goal by sponsoring the successful Junior Prom, "Oriental Overture". To give the effect of stone walls, the bleachers were covered with specially printed paper. Japanese lanterns of many hues and wind chimes hung from the false ceiling of brown paper. In the center of the dance floor there was a pagoda in which the empress and emperor, Susan Frost and Tom Simmons, were crowned. Their court consisted of Lauranne Williams and Dennis Bryan from the Senior Class, Betty Kish and Tim Sisson from the Sophomore Class, and Marilyn Mumaw and George Moraciz from the Freshmen Class. Tables on both sides of the gym were covered with white paper and colorfully decorated with Japanese figurines and oriental writings. The music was provided by the Ed Charles Band.
Oriental Overature

Mmm-Heavenly Rice

What will your fortune be?
A roaring bonfire and enthusiastic pep rally held on Thursday night began our Homecoming events for 1961. On Friday afternoon the parade was held and the class of '62 won first place with their float "The Royal Flush". Placing first in the club division was the Varsity Club with their float "Spread the Royals".

"Melodies d'Amore", the annual Homecoming Dance, was held after the game with Andy Anderson's Combo providing the music. Blue and white streamers created a false ceiling while sparkling blue and silver music notes graced the walls and tables. One o'clock ended the Homecoming festivities for another year.

Our Queen, Susan Frost

STANDING: Linda Easton, Karen Robison, Sherry Packard.
SITTING: Bonnie Buchheimer, Susan Frost, Norma Luce.
Class Division—First Prize

Club Division—First Prize

Melodies d’amor

Climax of Homecoming festivities
Dancing around the beautiful Christmas Tree.

Rendezvous of the Stars

Welcome to "Rendezvous of the Stars"
"Rendezvous of the Stars", the annual Christmas Dance, was held on Dec. 23, 1961. Sponsored by the Senior Class, it proved to be an exciting finale of school activities for another calendar year.

The wonderful dance music by the Cal Damon Combo put the couples into a starry mood. The dance floor was simply decorated with brightly colored stars and beautiful, white snowflakes. On each table there was a centerpiece of a red candle and evergreen boughs. A traditional Christmas tree was placed in the center of the dance floor and was magnificently ornamented with brightly colored lights.

Refreshments, consisting of party sandwiches, cookies, and punch, were served from a table featuring a red and white centerpiece.
The actual contests with other high schools are only the climax of a long week of practice. We are proud of the boys who are willing to sacrifice their time for the improvement of teamwork and skill. The roar of the proud crowd as a good play is made or a fine attitude is displayed rewards the athlete, gratifies the coach, and makes the students proud of their sports team.
Cheerleaders Build School Spirit

From left to right are:

J. V.

Mary Smith
Nancy Martinus
Ann Lectka
Sharon Green
Judy McMichael
Diana Holcomb

Varsity

Suzy Morden
Susan Frost
Bonny Staup
Jean Packard

Betty Kish
Sherry Packard
The golf team posted a creditable four won and five lost record, plus a fourth place at the Regional Tournament. Coach Murdoch's squad lost several matches by very narrow margins. This was a relatively young team, with three Sophomores, Jack Dick, Dave Blanden, and Mike Rice, and one Freshman, Jim Newell, receiving varsity letters. At the Regional Tournament we achieved 345, the lowest team score of the year, missing third place by one stroke and second by two strokes. The future is very bright for these young golfers.

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First Row: Jerome Kemp, Tom Smith, Bill Fisher, Dick Fielder, Ron Hathaway, Mike Wilson, Steve Freckleton, Dave Lemerand, Larry Harper, Fred Hartwig

Second Row: Coach Brazee, Mike Osburn, Jim Simmons, Phil Radant, Bob Wilbar, Dale Tuckey, Dennis Bryan, Jay Osburn, Dean Eddy, Dan Green, Bill Sisson, Tom Wilson

Third Row: Kim Dabe, Eric Robison, Tom Simmons, Troy Warren, Roger Wittrup, Jim Johnson, Bob Koffron, Mike Deaner, Ron Lawson

The track team had another very successful year under Coach Brazee. The squad compiled an eight won and two lost record in dual meets.

At the Tecumseh Jaycee Relays the thinclads were dethroned as Class B champions by Grosse Ile. However, they gave Grosse Ile a battle all the way, falling to defeat by the narrow margin of 57 to 56 2/3. The Indians placed fourth in the Albion Relays, third in the Huron League meet, and finished second in the league standings.

The first Lenawee County Individual meet was held at Adrian, where our squad fared well. Bob Koffron took four first places in the shot put, high and low hurdles, plus being a member of our winning relay team. Dan Greene won the pole vault and Eric Robinson tied for first in the high jump. Dennis Bryan took first place in the 440 yard run and Ron Lawson won the mile. A very fine showing for our school against all the others in the county.

The letter winners were: Seniors: Jon Aho, Boz Koffron, Ron Lawson, Dennis Bryan, Dale Tuckey, Bill Sisson, Ron Hathaway, and Dean Eddy: Juniors: Tom Simmons and Eric Robison; Sophomores: Dan Greene, Jim Johnson, Tom Smith, Mike Deaner; Freshman: Bob Wilbar. The managers were Jerome Kemp and Fred Hartwig.
Standing:  Tim Whitney, Robert Barth, Kent Naugle, Jerry Hebb, Coach Leckta, Chuck Osburn, John Boyes, Ray Saenz, Harley Cherry
Sitting:  Joe Hanna, Ron Majtyka, Tim Sisson, Norman Tucker, Wayne Davis, Larry Gray, Ken Bryan

Baseball - Bats and Boys

Tecumseh 5    Milan 7
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Tecumseh 9    Ypsi Lincoln 4
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Tecumseh 4    Blissfield 21
Tecumseh 9    Airport 4
Tecumseh 0    Airport 2
Tecumseh 7    Ypsi Lincoln 6

The future is brighter than the past as there were no graduating lettermen. The problems, however, will still be present, especially weak pitching.

Coach Leckta awarded letters to the following: Juniors, Charles Osburn, Wayne Davis, and Tim Whitney; Sophomores, Tim Sisson and Norman Tucker; and Freshman, Bob Barth.

The baseball team had a record of four wins and ten losses. This record doesn't completely show the season. This team experienced five losses by the margin of two runs or less. This can be accounted for by the lack of experience and weak pitching.
Coached by Mr. Duncan Lectka the Indians had a mediocre season. The gridders began by defeating their first three opponents, but when they traveled to Milan, the Big Reds, the eventual Huron League Champion, proved too strong for them. A Homecoming defeat by Blissfield plus an upset by lowly Flat Rock proved the turning point of the campaign. A lone victory, against Airport, in the final six games was the only bright spot for the rest of the year.

Regardless of this year, Coach Lectka had an exceptional 26 wins, 7 losses, and 3 ties during his four year tenure as the football coach. He revived the football program and Tecumseh is very grateful.

Tecumseh 25 Willow Run 23
Tecumseh 14 Dundee 6
Tecumseh 6 Ypsi Lincoln 0
Tecumseh 0 Milan 19
Tecumseh 0 Blissfield 13
Tecumseh 0 Flat Rock 6
Tecumseh 24 Airport 6
Tecumseh 6 Grosse Ile 33
Tecumseh 6 Adrian 38
FIRST ROW: Mr. Hale, Greg Allen, John Lindstrom, Bob Glenn, Bob Baker, Mike Wilson, Joe Hanna, Jim Osburn, Kirk Lucas, Tom Elliot, Tim Collins, Steve Derby

SECOND ROW: Ron Clark, Glen Slick, Bob Barth, Jim Cubberly, Ron Anderson, Jerry Hebb, Don Baird, Jeff Osburn, Jay Osburn, Carson House, John Dixon, Jerry Hale

THIRD ROW: Bob Wilt, Dan Voilmar, Mike Hannah, Ned Rosencrans, John Mensing, Lamar Raymond, Gary Linger, Jim Cook, Tom Wilson, Glen Schmidt, Jim Oberlin, Dick Has sell, Gregg King

FOURTH ROW: Bill Bartenslager, Keith Harvey, Doug Beasley, Harold Butler, Tom Ruff, Clair Maynard, Gary Tietsma, Dave Tilton, Doyle Hannibal, Harold Richardson

FIFTH ROW: Greg McEnroe, Jim Lawson, Russ Blanden

Under the dual guidance of Mr. Lawson and Mr. Hale, The Junior Varsity experienced a very successful season. With only one loss in their eight games, this administered by Adrian, the squads' greatest asset was team-play. Thirty-two of the forty-two boys received J.V. letters, and half of the team were freshmen and the rest sophomores.

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Norman Tucker in jump and John Britton to left in game with Grosse Ile.

John Britton, Captain, top scorer for 1962.

Wayne Davis, senior.

Another basket.

Grosse Ile players tensely await basket's success.
Standing: Ginny McCarley, Mary Smith, Pat Lawson, Susan Frost, Miss Pickens, Nancy Goodin, Karen Robinette, Betty Barth. Kneeling: Sherry Packard, Ellen Spreeman, Judy Ball, Sheila O'Neil, Cheryl Moon, Jean Packard.

G.A.A. Varsity

Under Miss Pickens' coaching, the 1961-1962 Girls' Varsity Team ended a successful year, winning all their games. The teams competed with this year represented Napoleon, Clinton, Britton, and Dundee high schools.

Playing first at Napoleon, we won 45-11. In a return game, Napoleon was again defeated on our courts, 42-13.

Clinton came to our school next and was defeated 34-18.

Likewise was the Britton team beaten 30-18 when they traveled here. Then again on a return game, Britton was defeated.

Coming here Dundee was upset 39-7.

This completes another successful season for a victorious team.

Girls’ Junior Varsity

Encountering various schools this year, the Junior Varsity Girls’ team emerged victorious in all but one game. Coached by Mrs. Rayburn, the girls played Napoleon, Clinton, and Dundee.

Traveling to Napoleon, we defeated them 31-19. On a return game at our school, Napoleon was again defeated 19-8. Then Clinton came to our courts and beat us 16-14.

Playing next at Britton, we won 21-17. On a return game at our school, Britton was disappointed by another defeat 30-11. At a final game, Dundee was upset 52-4.

The girls had another good season and are looking forward to next year.

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Girls

Practice

Two more points for the girls of T.H.S.

Girls basketball team warms up?

Let's win another one.

Get that jump ball!
Our ju-jitsu advisor.

And I just knew he couldn't date three girls at the same time.

What, late again?

Gargle, gargle.

Our team used Crest for two years and I still have cavities.
Snapshots commemorate small incidents, but perhaps these seemingly insignificant moments are the most cherished. They exemplify happenings which will never be experienced again. They are proud remembrances of friends, activities, and school. Many years from now we will recall our memories of Tecumseh High School.
Included in the highlites for T.H.S. this year were the exchange students: Niels Hansen, Marielle Lugard, and Adolf Petrus. Short skirts made an appearance, but were banned in December. The Pep Club along with the new Teen Club encouraged enthusiasm among the students. The Scout Book Store caused interest among the students but not any more than the cracking of the school safe.
Senior class places first with the "Royal Flush"

"Beat the Royals" displayed by Juniors

Sophomores "Clean 'Em Up"

Freshmen's first entry.
Bill Wallace and Bob LaPrad look on as Bill Bishop (Mighty Moose Bishop) prepares to meet the villain.

Mary Wing and Janice Schuch talk before going on stage.

In April of 1961 the band and the chorus combined to present a musical program entitled “Showboat.” Some of the highlights were a melodrama, song solos, dance routines, band and chorus numbers. Staged on a facsimile of an old Mississippi showboat, the Robert E. Leek, provided an enjoyable time for students and parents alike.

Carol Owens, Sharon Fowle, Dan Harvey, Jeanetta Holland display Showboat costumes.

Mighty Moose Bishop awaits arrival of heroine.
T.H.S. Leaders

Indians say "How."


Sherry Packard and Betty Kish rest before tackling another cheer.

Left to right: Suzy Morden, Susan Frost, Betty Kish, Sherry Packard, Bonnie Staup, and Nancy Nixon.
It looks like Washington instead of New York.

Die fly.

What's so interesting fellows?

Here's how you do it.

Now if that plan doesn't work for getting the family car, here is a better one.
Oh joy, the leaning tower of Pizza.

Larry Ehinger waits for class to pass.

Be Boys

Take your time fellows, school started an hour ago.

Tim Sisson 4th Hour

Norman Tucker and Mark Vaillancourt take their time getting to class.
Girls Will Be Girls

Take your hands off me you masher.

My turn comes after Glenn.

Please fairy godmother, may I go to the ball?

Ethen, you can't leave me!

And I told him just what I thought.
Diana Duffin observes new showcase placed by Industrial Arts class.

I didn't think our locker would hold four years trash.

Modernized Execution

Kill it before it gets away.
Was that meant to be sarcastic?

You want to sign out WHAT?

Oh, dear!

They just never get those experiments.

Scheduling is a long process.

I didn't realize Mr. Hart had a paddle.
What more can I say after I say "I'm sorry"

From The Teachers'

They can't get out the back, it's locked.

Point Of View

Teddy Roosevelt signs new bill.

O.K. staff—back to work—
you have had your one minute rest.
Mr. Gates checks student experiment.

Mrs. Brown's class in Homemaking completing sewing projects.

Study hall ends for another day.

Typical Friday exam.
Typing class at work.

Point Of View

Pasting up another annual page.

The Mad singers

Members of Mr. Potter's shop class recheck directions.
Within These

"You heard what I said"

Sherry Packard

Get that aim right, fellows!
Grounds

Fourscore and seven years ago.

Into the air Jr. Birdmen

I'm waiting 'til the spirit moves me

Exhibition of practice.
Karen Robison (Sophomore) and Linda Easton (Freshman) were selected to represent their classes in the Queen's Court.
Ann Hodges left and Carl Wilt, right served as chairmen of the Junior-Senior Prom. Joan Allshouse and Wayne Davis served as chairmen of the Christmas Dance.

Lettie Ringman with Jim Simmons
Simon Sylvester squeezed the skinny skunks

There once was a girl with a crooked little curl . . and a crooked spine to go with it.

We Forgot

Who dat up dere?

Is Carl in there?
"My country tis of thee"

To Mention

Pep Band practices for numerous pep assemblies and games.

No more student parties in here.

Hee, hee, she'll never find me in here
The city itself is an integral part of our school community. The merchants provide their customers with unusual attractions such as the sidewalk sales and pancake throwing contests. The merchants also display an interest in the welfare of their city by promoting street cleanliness. During the various holidays the merchants take great pride in their store decorations. The annual staff deeply appreciates the cooperation which the merchants have given them in making this yearbook possible.
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