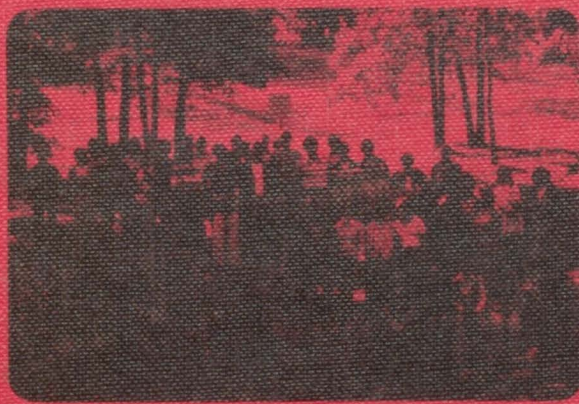


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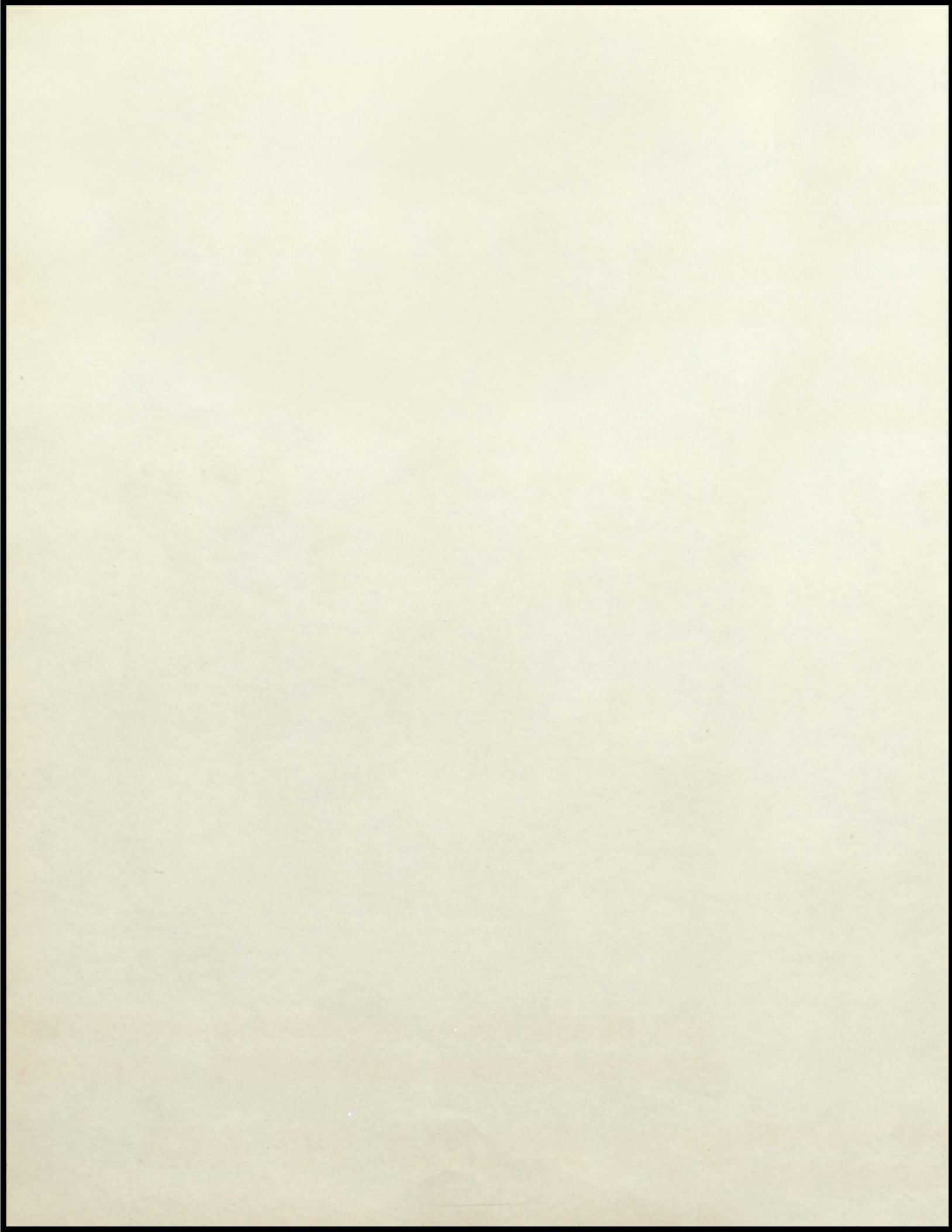














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# OUR FAVORITE FACES







# EXIT





# POLL 1: FASHION

When the yearbook staff took a poll of the approximately 250 students at M.H.S., they found the unanimous fashion choice was jeans. Jeans have been popular with teenagers for several years now, but in 1978 they underwent a style change. Flared leg jeans went out, and in came the peg, or tapered look. This new type of jean is worn rolled up at the bottom for a more casual look, or teamed with spike heels for a dressier look.

Girls add a variety of tops to vary their jean wardrobe, including batwing blouses, cowlneck sweaters, tunics, and satin shirts. The most popular choice with boys is plaid flannel shirts, although shirts with band collars, instead of the fold down type, are beginning to be seen.

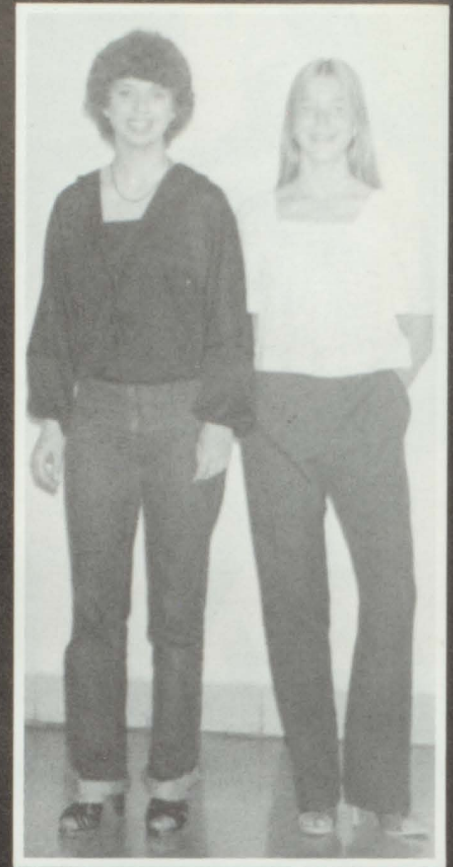
When it comes to more formal occasions, girls turn to mid-calf skirts, sweaters, vests, and blazers. Boots are very much in style this year. Suits with vests are the standard "dress-up" uniform for boys.

As for hair, feathered bangs have been around for a while but are still very popular. But many students, boys and girls alike, are going for the curly, crimped, or frizzy look.

One nice thing about fashions this year - there is a huge amount of clothes and hairstyles that are considered "in." As one person put it, "Everyone can do their own thing and still not be out of style."



Tee-shirts are shown by Lisa Moore, Jane Coday, Romy Naughtin, Kim Moody, Debbie Ream, and Debbie Cook.



Charmaine Lizotte and Lisa Helvey like the new look of tapered pants and high heels.



Below-the-knees skirts, along with sweaters, vests, and blazers, are an important part of many girls wardrobes. Boots, either short or tall, complete the look. From left, Becky Blankenship, Jennifer Johnson, Cindy Lynch, Elaine Neal, Sara Liles, Sandy Graham, and Kaylene Branstetter.



David Hoover, DeWayne Brimm, Phillip Rhoades, and Randy Holmes show that tee-shirts are an expressive article of clothing for boys.





Daytime and evening shoe styles are modeled by Robin Hall, Joy Edwards, Karen Calhoun, and Michelle Mitchell.



Skin-tight jeans with rolled cuffs are favored by Linda Irvin and Diane Pearson.



"Curly and frizzy" hairstyles are popular with Scott Newton, Charmaine Lizotte, Danny Jones, Terri Cantrell, and Kima Dennis.



Feathered bangs are a versatile part of the hair scene because they blend in with many lengths and styles. This versatility is demonstrated by Debra Herbst, Sandy Richardson, Penny Lottmann, Jill Worthington, and Sally Williams.

Tunic tops in a variety of lengths are popular. Kathy Wingo and Cindy McConnell model the longer belted style.



# POLL 2: MOVIES & TV

Na-noo Na-Noo!

Or, as we Americans say; hello! That's just one of the many words of Ork that Mork has introduced to us in the popular TV series "Mork and Mindy". Mork also drinks through his fingers and skips through time warps. Lately, he has come up with a new trick — appearing on thousands of T-shirts, notebooks, and posters all at once. That's not too fantastic, though, since most of the popular TV and movie stars have developed the same trick.

Mansfield students spend many hours a week watching television and movies. Expressions, gestures, and clothing styles of the stars become part of their lives. Some of the more popular stars are pictured in the two photos directly below.



Robert Redford and friends: Jane Coday, Kima Dennis, Michelle Lansdown, Sandy Hylton, Linda Sowers, Jennifer Holt, and Patty Calhoun.

M.H.S. students compiled the following "nominations" in their poll.

The movie you would go see again: Grease, Every Which Way But Loose, Animal House, Superman, Saturday Night Fever, Ice Castles, Hooper.

The movie you wish you hadn't seen: Secrets, Magic, Close Encounters, Up In Smoke, Cheap Detective.

The television show you can't bear to miss: Mork and Mindy, Different Strokes, Dukes of Hazzard, B. J. and the Bear, M\*A\*S\*H, Chips, Three's Company, Eight is Enough.

The television show you can't bear to watch: Soap, Lawrence Welk, All In The Family, Incredible Hulk, Barnaby Jones.

The soap operas you hate to miss: Days of Our Lives, Doctors, Another World, Young and Restless, All My Children.



# POLL 4:





# POLL 3: MUSIC



The singers pictured at left own just a few of the voices listened to by M.H.S. students. Radios, stereos, and tape players are important items - in fact, students would probably choose one of those three to be marooned on a desert island with. So . . .

Have you ever wondered what music you'll be listening to twenty years from now? What groups will be "in" and which will bomb out? Most of us have.

Have you also wondered who your parents listened to in their teeny-bopper days? Your kids will.

So, when they ask you about the olden golden days of music, pull out your yearbook and show them.

**Favorite Groups:** Bee Gees, Boston, Eagles, Kiss, Styx, Foreigner, Bay City Rollers, Beach Boys, Earth Wind and Fire, Village People.

**Best Singers:** Barry Manilow, Rod Stewart, Andy Gibb, Billy Joel, Barry Gibb.

**Favorite Albums:** Saturday Night Fever, Grease, Spirits Having Flown, Bat Out of Hell, Rumors, Grand Illusion.

**Best Songs:** "Tragedy", Do You Think I'm Sexy, Fire, Le Freak, Lady, Too Much Heaven, YMCA, I Will Survive, Don't Throw It All Away, Everyone's a Winner.

# THE TOWN

Mansfield, Missouri (population 1,046) is similar to many small towns. But our claim to fame is Laura Ingalls Wilder - somehow she makes us seem more important, especially since the television show "Little House on the Prairie" hit the screen.

Things to be proud of? Knowing most of the people you meet on the street, a clean environment, relatively little crime, beautiful countryside.

Things not so great? Not much to do on a Friday night, not much to do on a Saturday night, not much to do on a . . .

In fact, a lot of kids just can't wait to get away and head for the big city. But you know something, sometimes after they've lived the big city life for a while, they come wandering back to Mansfield - a special place.





# POLL 5: JOBS

We discovered from this poll that many Mansfield students have part-time jobs. Of course most kids help out around the house or farm, but many of them have jobs in addition to these duties. Besides the businesses pictured on these pages, M.H.S. students work at Tobin-Hamilton Shoe Factory, Y'All Come Inn, Mimosa Restaurant, Mansteel, Ava Ambulance, The Grocery Store, Mansfield Auto Supply, and the Designer Fabric Shop, (Apologies to those we missed!).

What do they get paid? Not enough, according to the poll. (Sound like any adults you know?) Why do they work? To buy clothes, to support a car "habit", to be able to afford a date, to buy a few luxuries, to buy necessities.

Keep up the good work! (No pun intended!)



Top left: Karen Dedmon and Penny Lottman have jobs at the Susie-Q.  
Top right: Cindy Lynch, Regina Vinson, and Michelle Mitchell work at Chamber's. Lower right: Kenny Lansdown works at Tom's Skelly.







Top: Milford Cook and Danny Jones are employed by Richard Brothers Supermarket. Lower left: Tim Ritter, Vonna Farris, and Dean Climer work at school. Lower right: Kathy Wingo and Phillip Matney have jobs at Town and Country Supermarket.



# MONEY POLL 6:

Where does the money go? The big answers for our students were clothes, cars, food, dates, and music.

Wherever the money goes, it goes fast. Inflation is becoming the number one complaint in the entire country. Gasoline is the big issue, with prices in Mansfield rising to over 80¢ a gallon before the school year was out.

However, inflation is felt in other areas as well. A simple pair of jeans can cost in excess of \$20.00, movies set you back \$3.50, and food prices seemingly increase daily. The 25¢ hamburger of ten years ago has more than quadrupled today.

Still, wages are higher than before, and a great deal of money goes for such "luxuries" as pizza and records and tapes. So . . . it could be worse. Couldn't it?



Jon Miller, Mike Day, and Shawn Snider spend their money on lunch at The Grocery Store.



Lisa Helvey, buys her lunch at the Susie-Q.



Pizza Hut hit the pocketbooks of Aaron Stanifer, David Gray, Stan Dennis, and Phillip Matney.





Cheri Dennis contemplates buying a new dress at the Fashion Corner.



Jennifer Johnson displays records and tapes you might find in someone's collection.



Brad Smith, like many other car owners, finds keeping the car running costs more and more each day.



Cindy McConnell and Elaine Herbst spent some of their money on lunch at the Susie-Q.





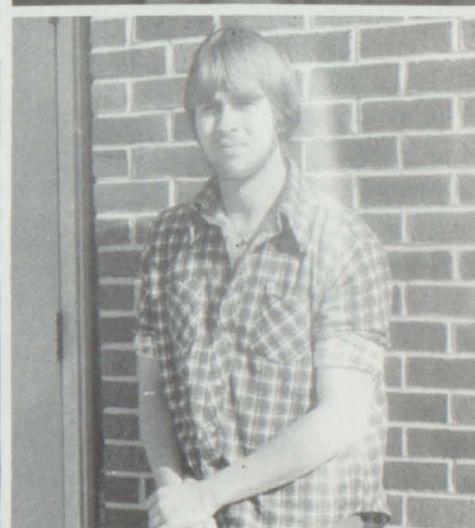
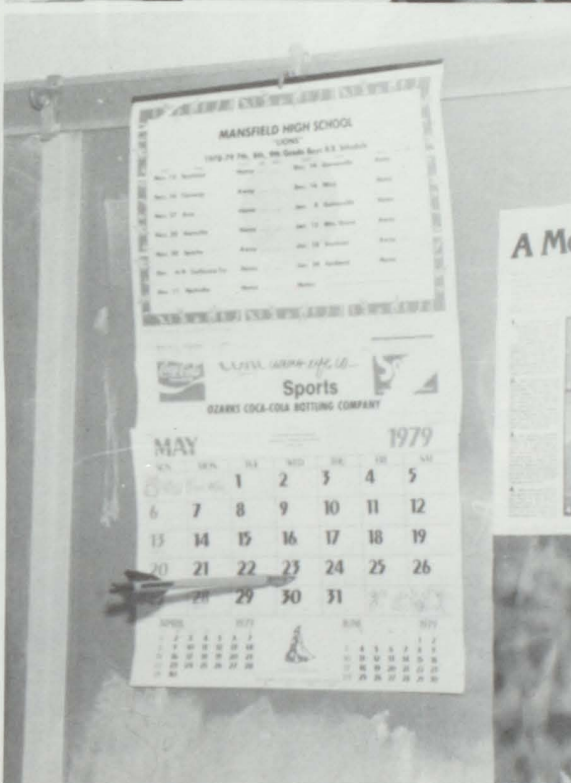
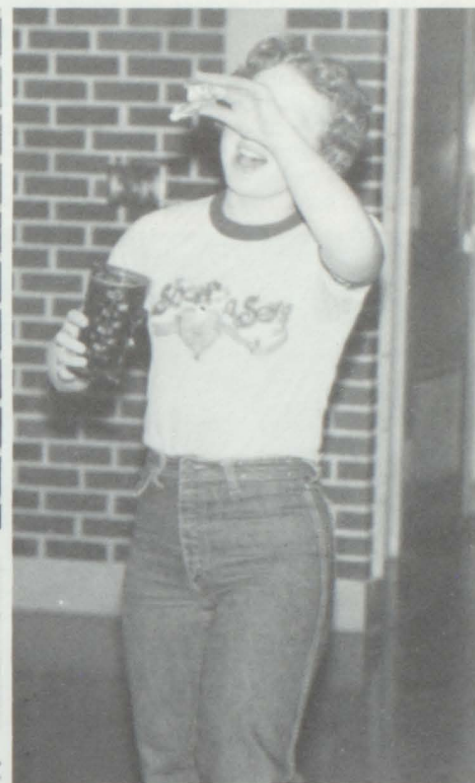
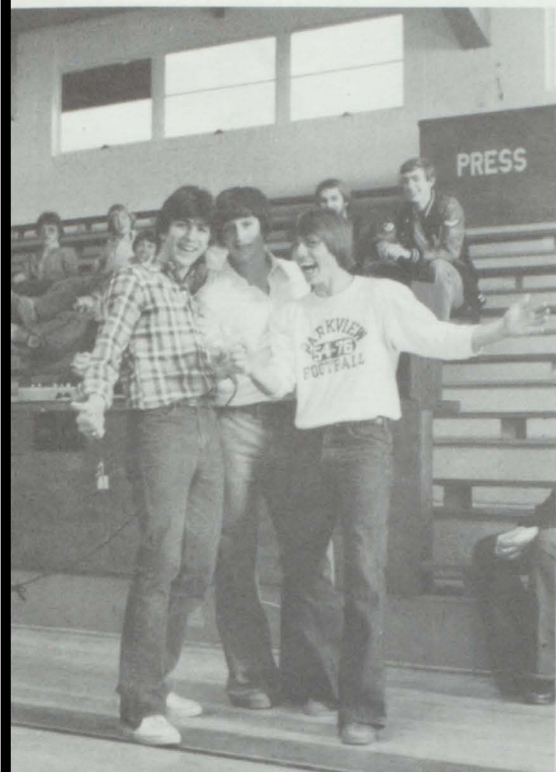
#### FHA Banquet Highlights.

Left row from top: 1) Angela Murch, Jim Von Behren, and R.L. Bennett entertained with a skit. 2) Elaine Neal (next year's president) receives the gavel from outgoing president Debbie Ream. 3) Cindy Lynch and Cheri Van Hook explained the FHA symbol. 4) Michelle Von Behren lights a candle during the "purpose" ceremony. Right row, from top: 1) Cindy Lynch, new Regional 1st Vice-President, gives a short talk. 2) Sherie Snider tells an FHA purpose. 3) Kathy Wingo, retiring regional officer, spoke on her duties of the year.





# EVERYTHING YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT SENIORS \*



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Commencement exercises for the 47 Mansfield "1979" Seniors were held Monday, May 21 at 8:00 p.m. Baccalaureate ceremonies were held Sunday, May 20 in the gymnasium.

Speakers for Baccalaureate were Reverend Dewey Hale, Reverend Cecil Bush, Reverend Ronnie Baker, and Reverend LeRoy Dedmon. Sherie Snider sang a solo entitled "Prayer of Saint Francis." The processional and recessional were played by Mrs. Debbie Arnall.

The commencement exercises began with Diane Pearson giving the invocation and Jeff Dennis the welcome. The girls ensemble (Sandy Richardson, Charmaine Lizotte, Robin Hall, Joyce Dalton, Sherie Snider, Regina Vinson, and Ann Rummens) sang a song entitled "Halls of Ivy."

Mr. Randy Short, senior sponsor, recognized the Honor Graduates with honor cords and the top 15% of the class with certificates. Valedictorian, Cheri Van Hook, and Salutatorian, Kathy Wingo, each gave speeches. Mr. Glen Boyer, senior sponsor, introduced the speaker for the exercises. Mr. Victor Van Hook, assistant director of education for Oklahoma, gave the address.

Mr. Robert Perry, principal, recognized the scholarship winners. Superintendent, Mr. James Trammell, conducted the "presentation of class."

The processional and recessional were played by the M.H.S. band.

The class motto was "Today's Dreams are Tomorrow's Realities." The colors were maroon and gold. The flowers were white carnations with maroon trim.



Above left: Cheri Van Hook was the class valedictorian. Above middle: Kathy Wingo was salutatorian. Above right: Mr. Victor Van Hook delivered the commencement speech. Right: The girls ensemble sang "The Halls of Ivy." From left: Joyce Dalton, Regina Vinson, Ann Rummens, Robin Hall, Charmaine Lizotte, Sherie Snider, Sandy Richardson.





# GRADUATION



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# SENIOR TRIP

"I had a good time if I ever catch up on my sleep."

That was Carl Campbell's way of saying what all the seniors who went to Kalfran Lodge felt. From 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 1 to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, May 3, the seniors enjoyed 54 hours of bus rides, big meals, dances, swimming, tennis, pin-ball machines, go-karts, and rain.

There was plenty to do on Tuesday, with a lake for swimming, paddle boating, speed boat riding, and water-skiing. The pool was available for throwing Robin Hall in with all her clothes on. There were also tennis courts, go-karts, bumper cars, put-put golf, and pinball machines.

Tuesday night was a chicken dinner at Chet's, after that was the Ozark Opry for those who wanted to go. Then, for the energetic, there was a dance.

Wednesday proved to be a drippy day weatherwise. But that didn't stop the seniors from having fun. Although there was limited facilities for a rainy day, the MHS crew was innovative. Some rode the bumper cars and the go-karts, and some played cards all day. "I had a blast causing trouble" was Phillip Rhoades' answer to boredom. That night another feast was served at the Brass Door consisting of steak and other equally fine foods. There was another dance until all hours that night (and morning).

After a hectic morning of stuffing suit cases and loading buses, the seniors returned to MHS causing confusion in the halls where everyone was trying to welcome them back at once. "I had more fun on the trip than I've had all year!" was Diane Pearson's comment, but you could tell that Earl Dixon was glad to be home when he said, "I had a lot of fun, but I was lost without Rhondal".



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# SENIOR OFFICERS AND FAVORITES



Cheri Van Hook and Wally Sowers were chosen as class favorites.

The senior class officers pause beside the doors they passed through so many times over the years. The officers are Chuck White (Treasurer), Cheri Van Hook (Reporter), Jeff Dennis (President), Diane Pearson (Secretary), and Jim Von Behren (Vice-President).

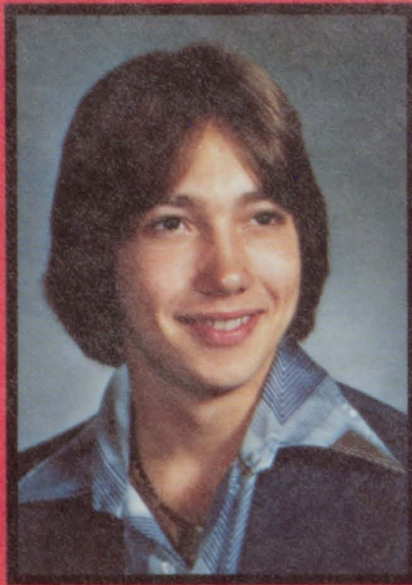


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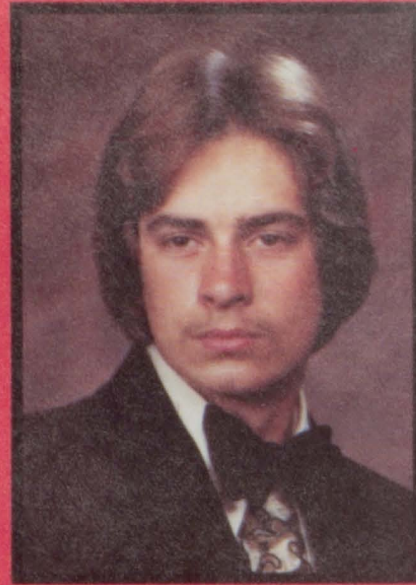




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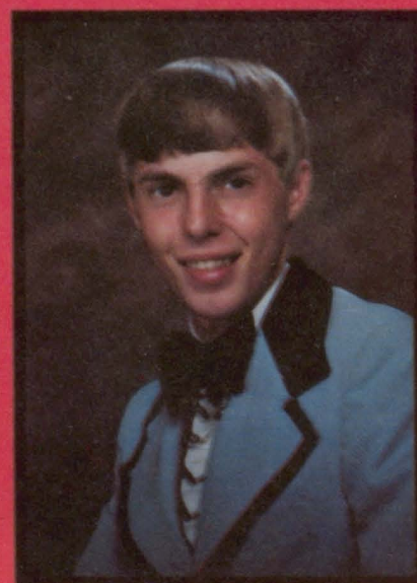
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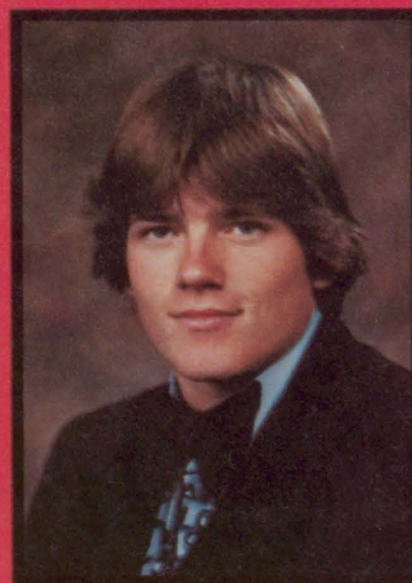
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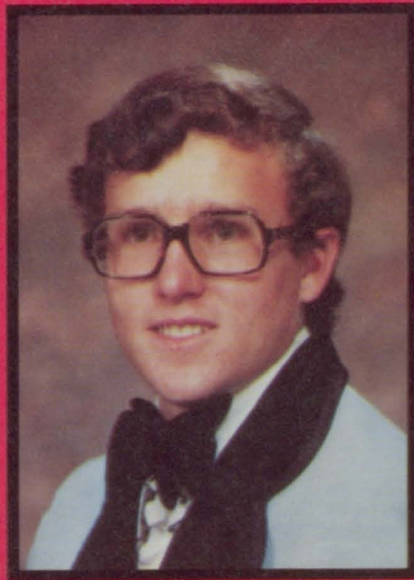
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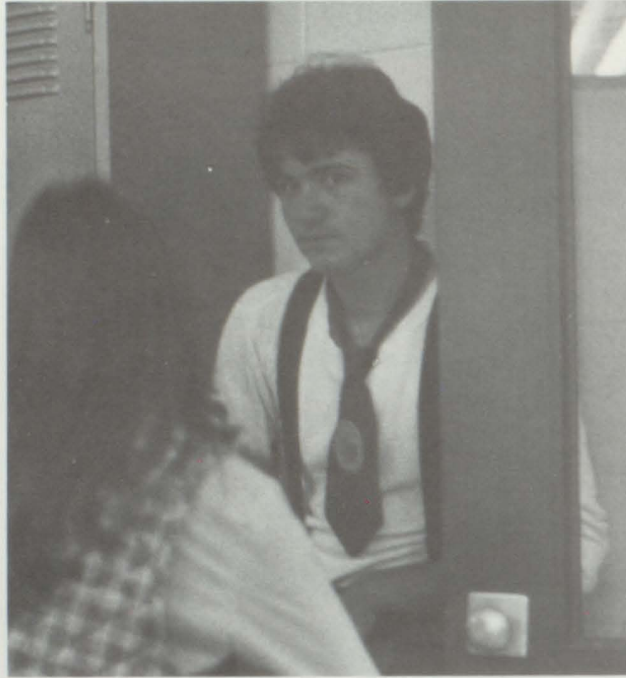


LINDA S. IRVIN



# SPIRIT WEEK AT MHS

During the week preceding the opening basketball game, M.H.S. students and faculty celebrated Spirit Week. Each day of the week had a different theme. Everybody's big worry was that they would get the days mixed up and come in the wrong costume! Who would want to be a "50's greaser" on mismatch day! The week-long exhibition of gaudy, shabby, and ancient clothes culminated in a pep rally on Friday. R. L. Bennett and Terri Cantrell were recognized for having the best costumes all week.



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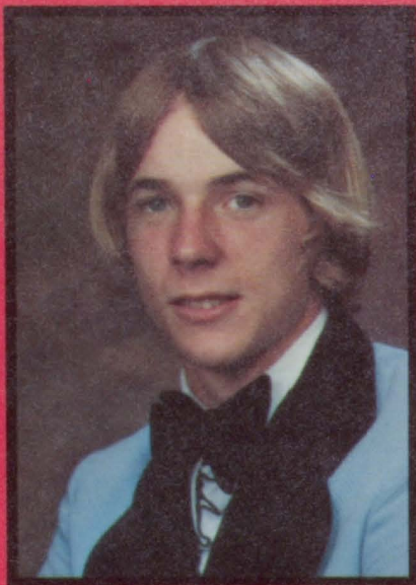


On "Bum Day", old clothes were the height of fashion. The halls were full of hobos. "Mismatch Day" required careful selection of clothes to come up with an appalling mixture of stripes, plaids, flowers, and clashing colors. Long skirts, bobby sox, saddle oxfords, tee-shirts, rolled-up jeans, and greasy hair was a must for "Fifties Day".

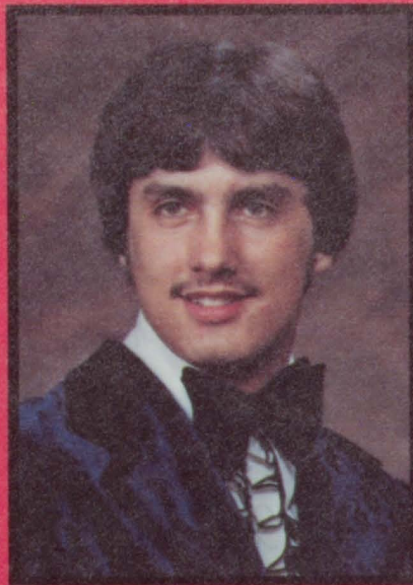


Finally, Friday was near normal because it was simply "Color Day". Maroon and white clothes were worn to show support of the basketball team. It was quite a week.

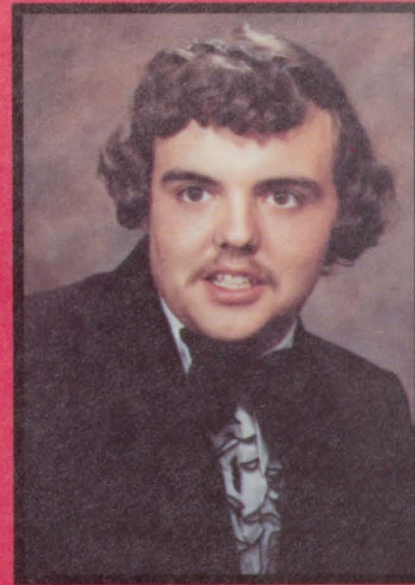




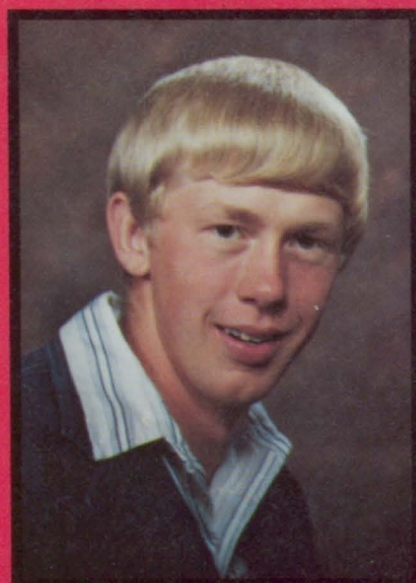
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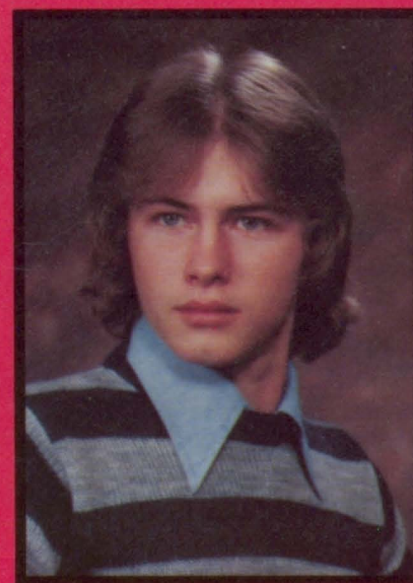
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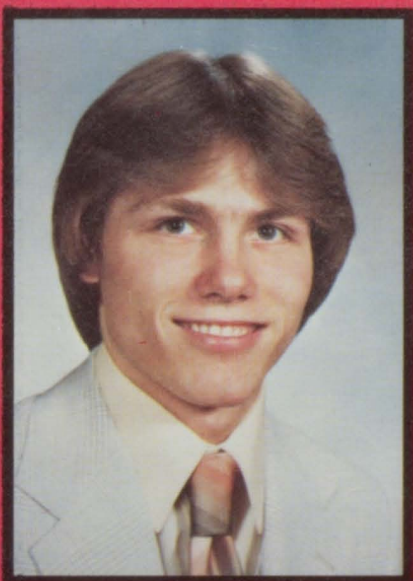
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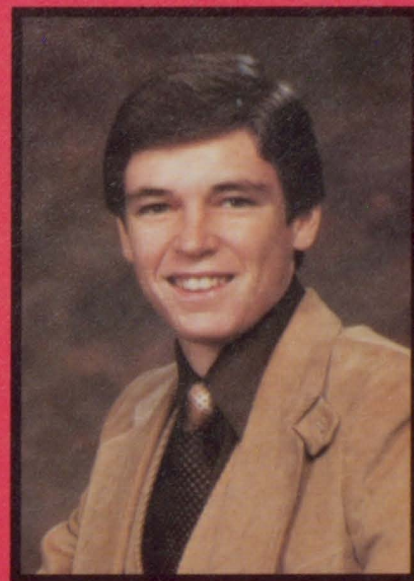
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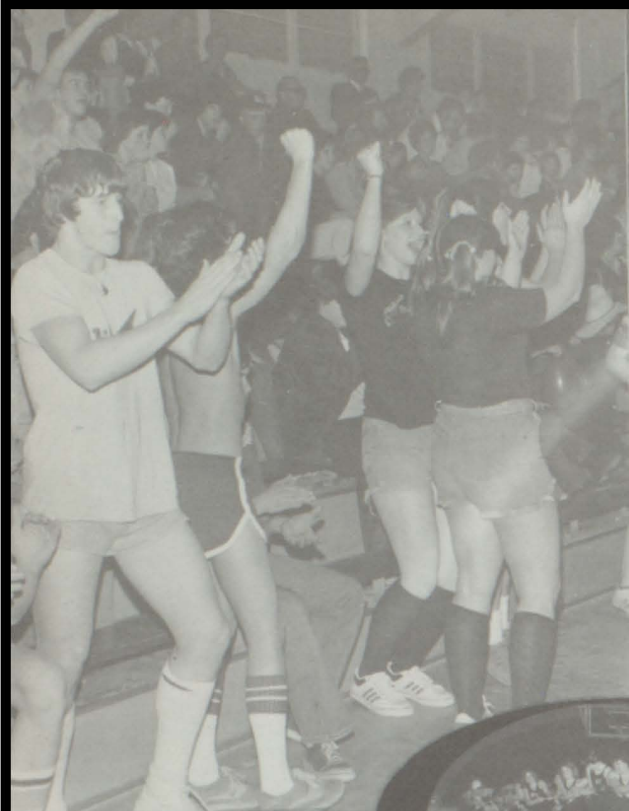
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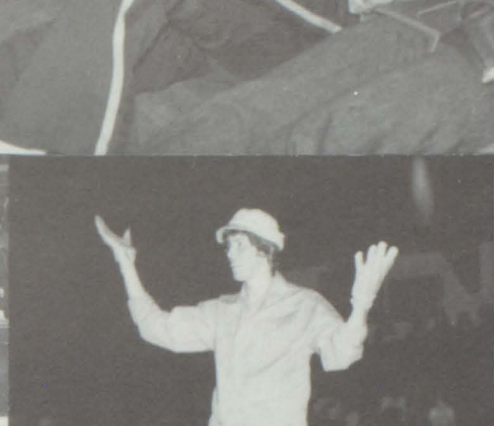




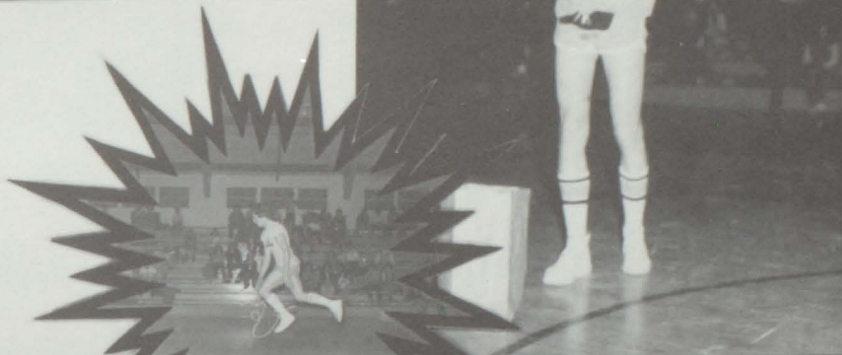
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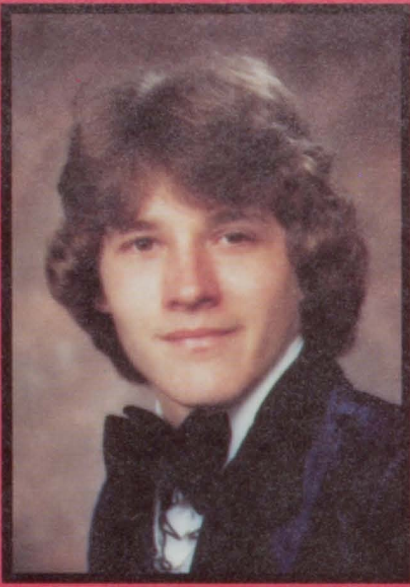




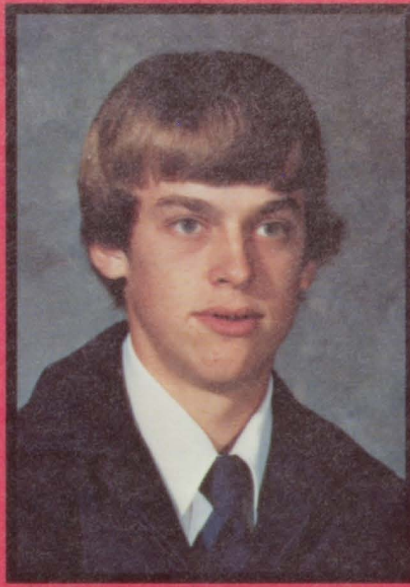
As usual, the junior class was searching for new and interesting ways to raise money for the prom. They settled on the idea of an "anything goes" type contest between the four high school classes and the faculty. The idea proved to be a good one — over 600 people watched the team members make complete fools of themselves. The faculty, considered the underdogs, managed to astound everyone by winning the overall championship. Second place went to the sponsoring juniors. The sophomores took third, the seniors fourth, and the freshmen placed last.







WALTER E. SOWERS



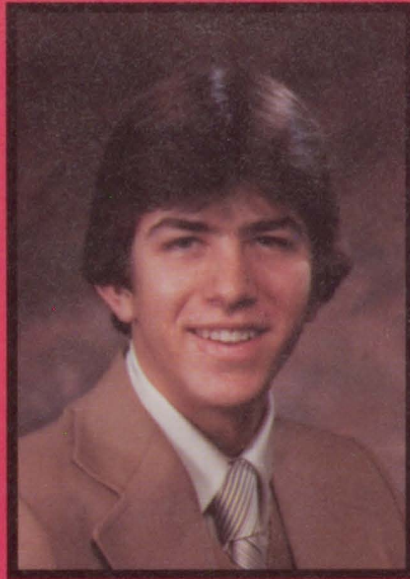
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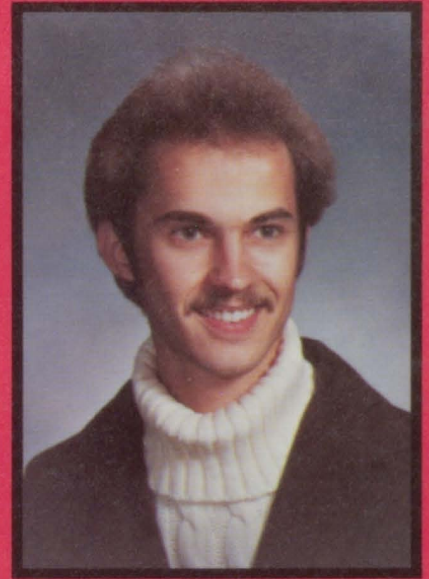
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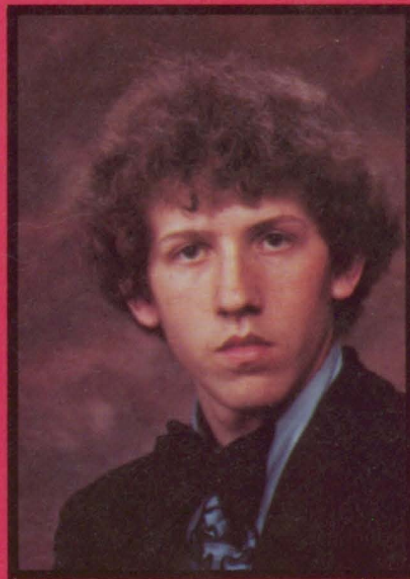
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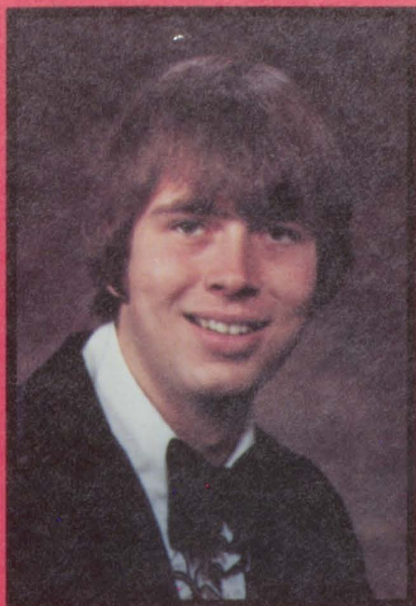


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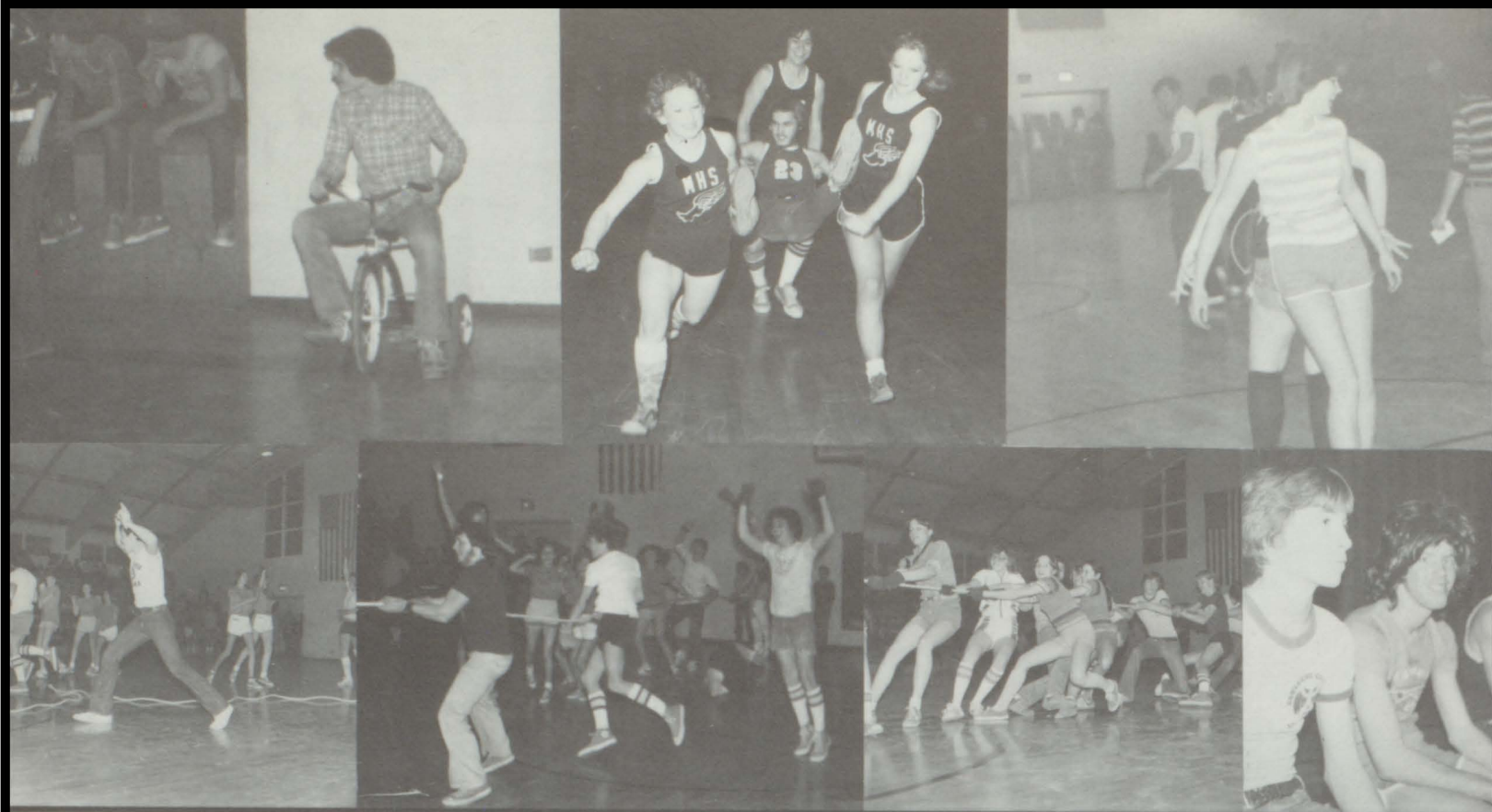
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RHONDA CANNON







# OUTSTANDING OLYMPICS

The Junior Olympics consisted of ten events. These events included a tricycle race, a body race, a back-to-back ballgame, a balloon walk, an obstacle course, a dressing contest, a stretcher race, a back-to-back cleanup, a getting to school on time relay, and a tug of war.

The freshmen team was headed by Ronnie Barnum. His team members were: Stan Dennis, Brad Hannaford, Bill Cook, Terry Allen, Guy Worthington, Michelle Hughes, Connie Dotson, Grace Jones, Cindy Bennett, Robin Hughes, and Debbie Pearson.

David Gray was captain of the sophomore team. His team members were: Bryan Dean, Joe Bennett, Terry Stofer, Randy Adamson, Phillip Matney, Debra Herbst, Laveta McAlister, Deann Olive, Terri Cantrell, Valerie Hire, and Michelle Von Behren.

The junior captain, Karen Dedmon, had as team members: Tina Campe, Tina Hannaford, Penny Lottemann, Vonna Farris, Kathy Holt, Greg Clark, Brian Dennis, Mark Paxton, John T. Miller, Brad Smith, and Mike Day.

Captain for the senior team was Ricky Jarrett. His team members were: Jeff Dennis, Phillip Rhoades, Carl Campbell, Wally Sowers, Chuck White, Debbie Ream, Cheri Van Hook, Teri Miller, Diane Pearson, Linda Irvin, and Rhonda Cannon.

The faculty team was led by Susie Wecker. Team members were: Kathy Wilson, Kathy Barnett, Kathy Domenev, Debbie Arnall, Debbie Letsinger, Glenn Boyer, Patrick Groom, Eric Spyres, Max Greene, Randy Short, and Bill Ghan.

Stan Coday, Russell Ivy, Randy Rains, Golda Crain, Brenda Slate, and Angela Murch served as judges for the events. Regina Vinson announced the events, and Shawn Snider was the "olympian" with the torch.

Here are some comments by team members and spectators:

"One wild and crazy game!"  
Dean Climer

"The craziest thing to happen since the FFA-FHA initiation."  
Buddy Cook

"It was really exciting. Everyone was yelling for the team they wanted to win."  
Sandy Richardson

"... challenging and worthwhile, and I had fun."  
Phillip Matney

"Even if we did come in third place we still had fun."  
Debra Herbst

"... best of all, seeing the faculty act crazy."  
Lisa McJunkins

"... one of the best things that's happened to this school."  
Earl Dixon

"Well, it wasn't too bad, matter of fact, it was pretty good."  
Jim Lansdown

"... a lot of fun. I hope we do it again."  
Terry Stofer

"Give us a second chance."  
Ronnie Barnum

"I had a great time!"  
Grace Jones

"... a good chance for teachers and students to forget about classrooms and have fun competing."  
Michelle Hughes



# EVERYTHING YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT ORGANIZATIONS\*



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# SCHOOL PUBLICATIONS



Front Row: Earl Dixon, Stan Coday, DeWayne Brimm, Mike Hill, Jon Miller, Bub Moody, Mike Day. Back Row: Vivian Stanton, Pam Butterfield, Regina Vinson, Cindy Lynch, Carl Campbell, Jennifer Johnson, Randy Holmes, Becky Blankenship, Kathy Wingo, Cheri Van Hook, Phillip Rhoades, Nancy Nold, Karen Dedmon, Janie Flynn, Sandy Richardson, Charmaine Lizotte, Robin Hall, Angela Murch, Randy Rains, Diane Pearson, Russell Ivy, Debbie Arnall.

What IS school publications class? According to Webster, a publication is "that which has been published". Therefore, a school publication would be that which a school publishes. Mike Hill explained the class to be "a class where students inform the school of what is happening through the LION'S GAZETTE and the EL LEON".

To be more specific, the class is "where I can learn how to write properly and get experience" to Cindy Lynch, who is planning a journalism career. It's fun, agree most of the students involved in the class, but there is also a lot of work. "A blast after you get your newspaper articles in, but a pain before you do", says Randy Rains. "Typing like mad" remembers Jennifer Johnson, and co-editor Becky Blankenship recalls "trying to fit a large article into a short column". Mrs. Arnall sums it up with "It's my favorite class because I can see the results of what I do. A lot of fun, but a lot of hard work."

School Publications isn't just writing. It's brainstorming for new article topics, it's researching, it's interviewing, it's trying to be creative when your subject matter is dreary. For the EL LEON staff, there are deadlines to meet, ENDLESS pages of copy to write, and many decisions to be made.

Through it all, each student has contributed much to the class. Every student writes at least one article for each edition of the paper, so that 8 or more articles are put out a year. Then all available typists use their skill in transforming illegible scrawls to neat paragraphs. The layout personnel arrange these articles along with the advertisements, which business managers provide, into what is the paper..

The yearbook works much the same, only the writing is done by mainly the copy editor. There are people who do picture captions and those who put the right names with the right (and sometimes wrong) people in the class sections. Layout people arrange the whole thing into the final product.



# EL LEON EDITORS



Debbie Arnall, (Sponsor); Angela Murch, (Copy Editor); Jon Miller, (Photographer); Regina Vinson, (Sales Manager); Jennifer Johnson, (Advertising Editor); Cindy Lynch, (Co-Editor); Cheri Van Hook, (Editor); Kathy Wingo, (Editor); Karen Dedmon, (Layout Editor); Mike Hill, (Graphics Editor); Charmaine Lizotte, (Sales Manager); Robin Hall, (Classes Editor); Sandy Richardson, (Classes Editor); Nancy Nold, (Classes Editor); Janie Flynn, (Index/Picture Editor); Vivian Stanton, (Sponsor).

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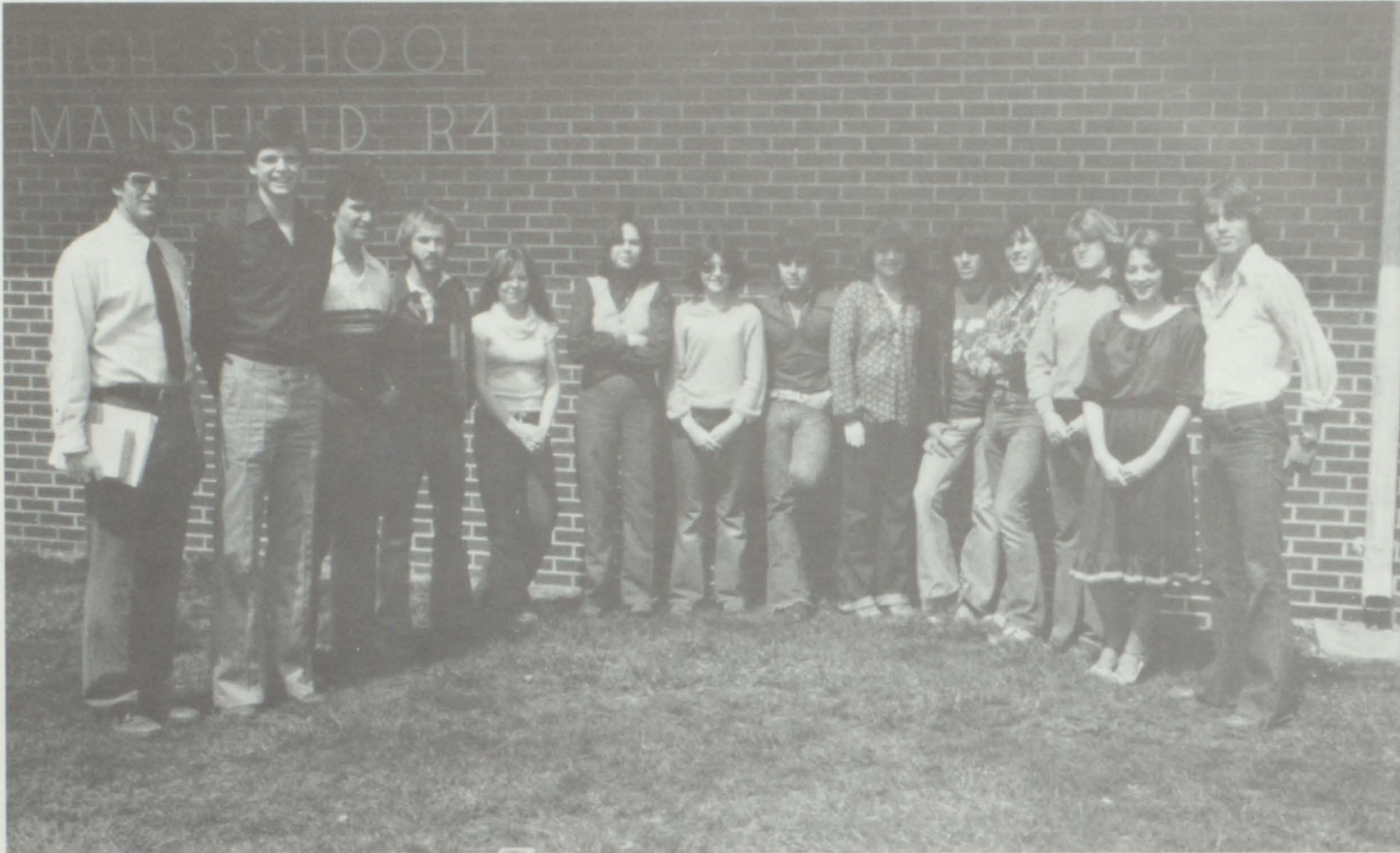


Debbie Arnall, (Sponsor); Phillip Rhoades, (Sports Editor); Earl Dixon, (Sales Manager); Stan Coday, (Business Manager); Russell Ivy, (Business Manager); Becky Blankenship, (Associate Editor); Diane Pearson, (Editor) NOT SHOWN: Bub Moody, (Art Director).

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# STUDENT COUNCIL



Eric Spyres, Phillip Rhoades, Jeff Dennis, Chuck White, Michelle Lansdown, Michelle Hughes, Elaine Neal, Aaron Stanifer, Sandy Graham, Randy Adamson, Dan Cordier, Cindy Lynch, Linda Irvin, Glenn Quick. NOT SHOWN: Connie Brooke.



Chuck White, (Student Body President)  
Phillip Rhoades, (Vice-President)

Not many students realize how important our student council really is. Maybe that is because not many students know what student council does. The student council is the voice of the students. Anyone who has a suggestion that they think would better the school is welcome to bring it to the attention of the council. Then, if the council thinks that the idea is legitimate, they will try to put it into action.

Traditionally, the student council plans the homecoming festivities. If they didn't, homecoming would be just another game. Other things that were done this year include the repainting and replacement of the school signboard. Placed in front of the gym, it has become an asset instead of an eyesore. Spirit week, preceding the first game of the year, was also planned by the student council. And assemblies have become part of MHS.

Members in the student council were elected at the beginning of the year by their classes. Two students from each class were chosen. Meetings were held every other week to discuss suggestions and ideas. These meetings were usually held during lunch.

To raise money for homecoming and other activities, the council operated a booth at Wilder Days which sold caramel apples; ran a coat rack at games; and sold school jackets.

Although the student council has accomplished quite a bit this year, not everything that was hoped for came to pass. The computer dance has been postponed until next year. As Vice-President Phillip Rhoades explained, "I kept suggesting it, but no one was interested, so I guess it'll have to wait until next year."

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# NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



National Honor Society officers are Phillip Rhoades (treasurer), Jennifer Johnson (historian), Chuck White (president), Cindy Lynch (secretary), and Jim Von Behren (vice-president).

The National Honor Society is one of the most prestigious organizations at M.H.S. To become a member of this club, a student must have at least an "S" average in all subjects and be nominated by one teacher. The final selection of members is made by a faculty committee composed of the principal and four teachers. This committee chooses members according to character, leadership abilities, and service to the school and community. Randy Rains commented that "it is a worthwhile organization", and Randy Holmes would "recommend it to anyone."

The National Honor Society has conducted many service projects for the school and community. These include raising money for the Heart Fund, running the concession stand during baseball games, selling programs for the Mansfield Tournament, and raising money to purchase stolls for the graduating seniors. Russell Ivy felt that it was "fun to work on the service projects."

The National Honor Society gives students a chance to work and help other people and become "somebody special" in the school. So you can see how correct Jennifer Johnson was when she said, "It is a privilege to be chosen and a worthwhile club to be in."



Row one: Jim Von Behren, Chuck White, Phillip Rhoades, Jennifer Johnson, Cindy Lynch. Row two: Karen Dedmon, Diane Pearson, Russell Ivy, Jon Miller, Stan Coday, Rilley Stewart, Buddy Cook, Elaine Neal, Becky Blankenship. Row three: Teri Miller, Rhonda Wilder, Sherie Snider, Kathy Holt, Shawn Snider, Jeff Dennis, Glenn Quick, John Miller. Row four: Kathy Wingo, Debbie Ream, Mike Day, Randy Holmes, Randy Rains, Russell McIntosh, Dennis Goss, Cheri Van Hook.

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# MU ALPHA THETA

The Math club members enjoy many activities during the school year. This year, the club took it's yearly trip to Manes for a hamburger/hotdog cookout. The new members were treated to a walk through weeds and waist-high grass, also. The evening ended with Mr. Hartley's truck getting stuck in a ditch.

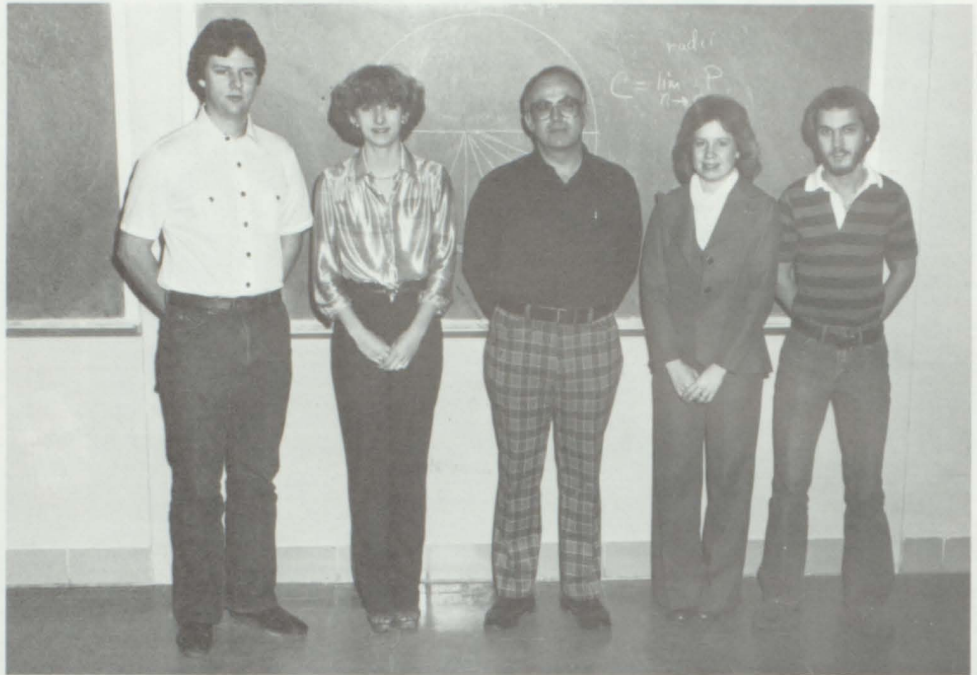
Two breakfasts before school were also enjoyed at the Mimosa. Any size breakfast ordered was paid for by the math club.

Shady Inn was the setting for the banquet, which was a feast. After a meal of steak and potatoes, the members piled back on the bus and drove to the Mann Theater, where each member of the club could choose to see either "Fast Break" or "Great Train Robbery"

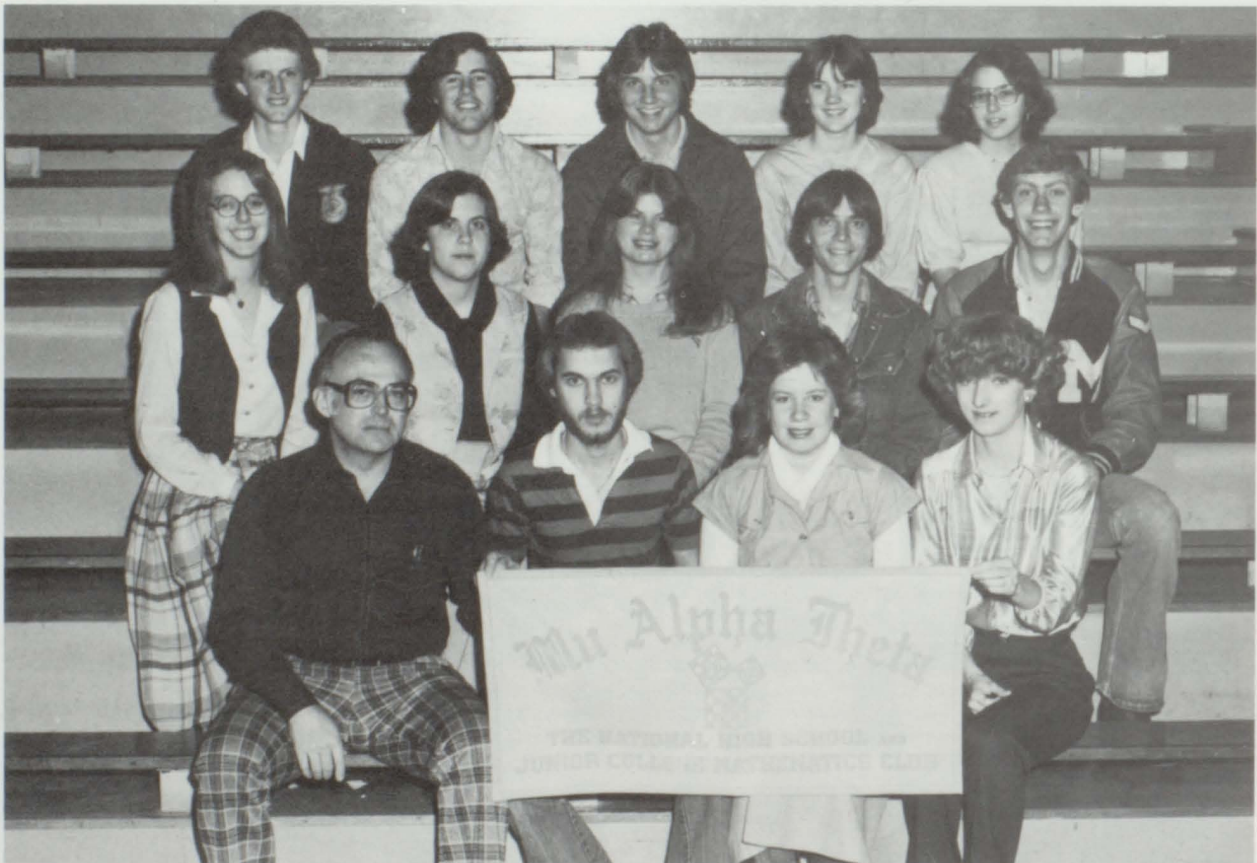
The club earns it's money from the pop machine in the lobby. This year, they donated \$100.00 to the School Publications class to help cover the costs of the newspaper.

To be a member of Mu Alpha Theta, a student must have had four semesters of college preparatory math (which includes Algebra I and II, Geometry, and Trigonometry), and must be enrolled in a fifth semester. They also must have maintained a B average in all their high school classes.

The purpose of the club is to help other students with their math if they need it. There are 12 members in the club, and they all agree that Mu Alpha Theta is a fun club to be in.



Mu Alpha Theta officers are D. J. Freeman (reporter), Kathy Wingo (secretary), Mr. Hartley, Cheri Van Hook (vice-president), and Chuck White (president).



Row one: Mr. Hartley, Chuck White, Cheri Van Hook, Kathy Wingo. Row two: Sara Liles, Ann Rummens, Angela Murch, Jon Miller, Buddy Cook. Row three: Shawn Snider, Dan Cordier, Brian Irvin, Kathy Holt, Rhonda Wilder.

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# SCIENCE CLUB



Science club officers are Diane Pearson (reporter), Mr. Boyer, Chuck White (president), Glenn Quick (vice-president), Cindy Lynch (treasurer), and Kathy Wingo (secretary).

According to Cindy Lynch, treasurer of the Science Club, there is never a dull moment when you are part of the club, and with Mr. Boyer as sponsor, it's no wonder.

This popular, fish-training teacher has taken the club he sponsors to the science fairs here and at Rolla, to SMSU for tours, and to a rodeo in Springfield with a stop at Godfather's Pizza. They also planted trees to help the school beautification project.

To become a member of the club you must have had four semesters of science and hold an S average.

Mr. Boyer is proud of the students in the science club, and he has a right to be. At the Rolla science fair, MHS won more prizes than any other school. This was the result of greater interest in the fairs on the part of the students. An especially happy moment for the club was the announcement of Sherie Snider's second grand prize trophy at the Rolla science fair.



Row one: Glenn Quick, Chuck White, Kathy Wingo, Diane Pearson, Cindy Lynch, Mr. Boyer. Row two: Sara Liles, Regina Vinson, Phillip Rhoades, Jim Von Behren, Elaine Neal, Becky Blankenship, Jennifer Johnson, Cheri Van Hook. Row Three: Lisa Helvey, Terri Cantrell, Teri Miller, Jon Miller, Jeff Dennis, Carl Campbell, John Miller. Row four: Gloria Adams, Pat Hannum, Karen Dedmon, Cindy McConnell, Debbie Ream, Sandy Richardson, Brian Dennis.

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# FUTURE HOMEMAKERS



Row one: Mrs. Barnett, Becky Blankenship, Jennifer Johnson, Michelle Von Behren, Kathy Wingo, Debbie Ream, Cindy Lynch, Karen Dedmon, Diane Pearson, Elaine Neal, Cheri Van Hook. Row two: Connie Dotson, Jennie Holt, Neta Snider, Ann Rummens, Sara Liles, Debra Herbst, Michelle Giffin, Elaine Herbst, Sherie Snider, Theresa Murch. Row three: Sandy Hylton, Linda Sowers, Jane Coday, Diana White, Jill Worthington, Sheila Lebahn, Melody Nold, Deann Olive, Cindy McConnell, Linda Irvin, Joyce Dalton, Janie Flynn, Charmaine Lizotte. Row four: Michelle Mitchell, Debbie Speakes, Lisa Cunningham, Susan Branstetter, Lisa Helvey, Terri Cantrell, Kim Moody, Cheri Dennis, Nancy Van Eaton, Karen Calhoun, Nancy Nold, Sandy Richardson. Row five: Kima Dennis, Cindy Bennett, Connie Brooke, Karen Williams, Beth Gleason, Hazel Hickman, Pam Kirby, Luci Storms, Gayla McKeel, Laveta McAlister, Rhonda Olive, Renata McConnell, Angela Murch. Row six: Michelle Hughes, Robin Hughes, Susan Campe, Jody Napier, Barb McCleary, Candy Cummins, Debbie Pearson, Tresa Skyles, Lisa Moore, Ann Allmon, Lisa McJunkins, Valerie Hire, Gloria Adams. Row seven: Phillip Rhoades, Carl Campbell, Jeff Dennis, Jim Von Behren, R. L. Bennett, Chuck White, Earl Dixon.

FHA stands for Future Homemakers of America and it provides more services to the school and community than any other club in Mansfield High. There is only one requirement for membership, to be enrolled in or to have had at least one year of home economics.

A tradition with FHA is the "secret pal". Everyone in FHA draws a name but keeps it secret. All through the year the member gives that person little gifts and surprises. This year the group held a secret pal Christmas party and a secret pal picnic.

The FHA sponsors quite a few school related activities, such as Barnwarming and the Miss Mansfield contest. They had a tea for the teachers and go on many charity drives. This year they raised money for the March of Dimes, the Muscular Dystrophy Foundation, the Cancer Foundation, and the Kidney Foundation.

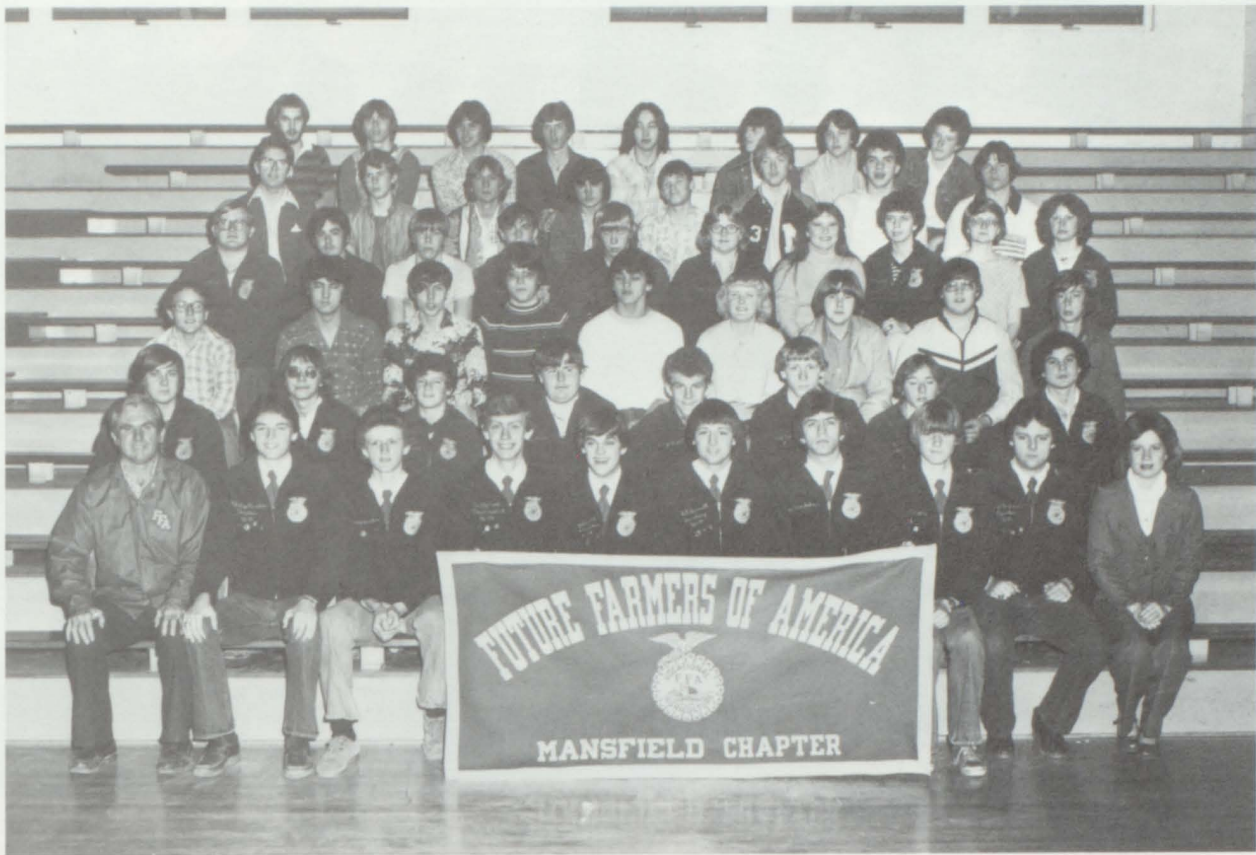
Although the students involved enjoy raising money to help others, they also find time for many fun activities that not only include members of the club, but also members of their families. Examples of these are the Father-Member Banquet and the Mother-Member Banquet. These help the parents to feel more involved with their children and school activities. The thing the majority of the students enjoyed the most was the trip to Silver Dollar City.



FHA Officers: Row one: Jennifer Johnson (Parliamentarian), Cheri Van Hook (Second Vice President), Debbie Ream (President), Cindy Lynch (First Vice President), Michelle Von Behren (Recreational Leader), Diane Pearson (Secretary). Row Two: Sherie Snider (Song leader), Elaine Neal (Treasurer), Becky Blankenship (Pianist), Kathy Wingo (Regional Officer), Diana Vaughn (Historian), Karen Dedmon (Reporter), Mrs. Barnett.



# FUTURE FARMERS



Row One: Mr. Cravens, Phillip Rhoades, Shawn Snider, Buddy Cook, Riley Stewart, R. L. Bennett, Jim Von Behren, Stan Coday, D. J. Freeman, Cheri Van Hook. Row Two: Charlie Williams, John Storms, Gale Findley, Dean Climer, Larry Stofer, Bill Cook, Randy Schofield, Brad Hannaford. Row Three: Jimmy Hughes, Randy Kuhn, Kyle Cameron, Billy Brazeal, David Gray, Kaylene Branstetter, Steve Davis, Mike Dougherty, James Raney. Row Four: Robbie Short, Mark Paxton, Greg Halverson, Vincent Akers, Tim Lebahn, Cindy Short, Cindy Lottman, Charmaine Lizotte, Sherie Snider, Teresa Murch. Row Five: Kenny Dunbar, DeWayne Brimm, Robert Pharris, Rick Kuhn, Lonnie Kelly, Kenny Bean, Kevin Gray, Carl Campbell. Row Six: Chuck White, Glenn Quick, Darrel Hickman, Brian Dennis, Chipper Ballew, Randy Adamson, Jeff Dunbar, Danny Jones.



F.F.A. Officers: Front - R. L. Bennett (Secretary), Riley Stewart (President), Buddy Cook (Vice-President). Back - Stan Coday (Treasurer), Shawn Snider (2nd Vice-President), Phillip Rhoades (Chaplin), Jim Von Behren (Sentinel), and D. J. Freeman (Reporter).

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Future Farmers of America is a worthwhile and popular club at M.H.S. There are three membership requirements, you must be enrolled in a Vo-Ag class, have a project, and pay the club dues.

F.F.A. is involved in many school oriented activities such as Barnwarming and F.F.A. Week. The members celebrate F.F.A. Week by attending church, having a tractor parade, and doing radio spots. Other activities include: state and national conventions, spring trip to Kansas City, slave sales, a fishing tournament, and many field trips.

F.F.A. participates in many judging contests. They are: meats evaluation, livestock judging, dairy judging, field crops, poultry judging, soils evaluation. They are also involved in several speaking contests such as public speaking, creed speaking, extemporaneous speaking, Green Hand knowledge, and parliamentary procedure. M.H.S. was very proud of the livestock and meats judging teams, who went to state, and the Parliamentary Procedure Team who won state honors.

At the end of the school year F.F.A. gives a banquet to honor their parents and thank them for their help and encouragement. Mr. Cravens said, "This has been my best year of teaching, with the livestock and meats teams going to state and the Parliamentary Procedure team winning state. It's been great. It just goes to show what can be accomplished when you have a good group of students who are willing to work hard for what they want."

Many members are very enthusiastic about the club, as the following quotes show: Shawn Snider said, "The F.F.A. has given me confidence in my ability to perform under pressure and make reliable decisions on my own." Mark Giffin commented that, "F.F.A. is a fun and exciting organization."





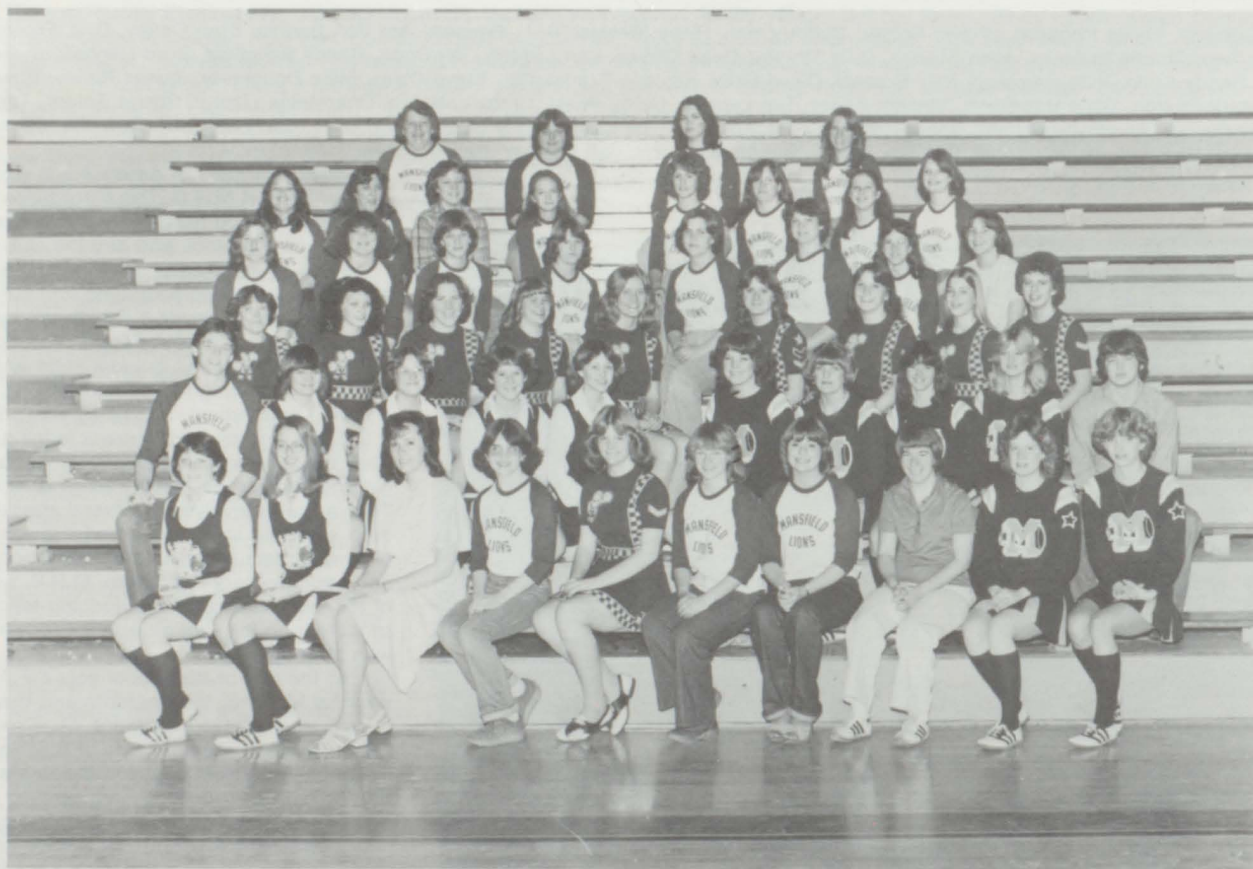
Pep Club officers are Elaine Neal (President), Debra Herbst (Vice-President), Jill Worthington (Secretary), and Becky Blankenship (Treasurer).

## PEP CLUB

The Pep Club was sponsored by Miss Stanton and Miss Wecker. It is open to all high school students who maintain satisfactory conduct and attendance. Attendance at home games is required. Attendance at out of town games is encouraged.

Membership dues are 50 cents per year. This year the pep club members decided to order maroon and white T-shirts. These were worn to most games.

Pep Club member Yvonne Garman said, "The school spirit was great and the T-shirts looked great." Club sponsor Susie Wecker commented, "They supported the basketball team really well. It's been the best pep club out of the two years I've taught."



Row One: Michelle Mitchell, Sara Liles, Miss Stanton, Elaine Neal, Debra Herbst, Jill Worthington, Becky Blankenship, Miss Wecker, Cheri Van Hook, Kathy Wingo. Row Two: Phillip Rhoades, Cindy Bennett, Diane White, Kima Dennis, Connie Brooke, Sandy Graham, Cindy Lynch, Kim Moody, Jennifer Johnson, Earl Dixon. Row Three: Millie Porter, Valerie Hire, Melody Nold, Gayla McKeel, Laveta McAlister, Jackie Burris, Rhonda Dotson, Lisa Helvey, Charmaine Lizotte. Row Four: Rhonda Cannon, Terri Cantrell, Michelle Von Behren, Deann Olive, Ann Rummens, Regina Vinson, Rhonda Olive, Jennifer Holt. Row Five: Brenda Dacumos, Romy Naughtin, Sandy Hylton, Jane Coday, Gloria Adams, Michelle Lansdown, Patty Calhoun, Lisa Cunningham. Row Six: Jody Napier, Teresa Skyles, Susan Branstetter, Pam Kirby.

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Row one: Karen Dedmon (President), Cindy McConnell (Vice President), Elaine Herbst (Secretary-Treasurer), Mr. Groom. Row two: Charmaine Lizotte, Sandy Richardson, Linda Irvin. Row three: Rhonda Cannon, R. L. Bennett, Pam Butterfield. Now shown: Tammy McConnell (Historian-Reporter).

## LIBRARY CLUB

The Library Club was sponsored by Mr. Groom. In order to become a member, a student must be willing to work several hours a week in the library or have been in the Library Club before.

The club sponsors activities such as the annual book fair, a Saturday news program on radio station KTRI, and a Christmas party. Club member Charmaine Lizotte said, "It is an interesting club. This makes my second year as a member."



## GERMAN CLUB

If a student is enrolled in German, membership in the German Club is open to them. This year the club members celebrated the Octoberfest, which is a fall harvest festival, saw a play based on a German opera at Springfield Little Theater, had an Easter egg hunt, and held their annual banquet on April 11. "The activities have given the girls a chance to participate in German customs aside from just learning the language," Mrs. Sheets, German Club sponsor.

Overall, the members really seemed to enjoy the club. "It's very unique and that makes it fun," replied Becky Blankenship. Patty Calhoun summed it up by saying, "It's a very fun club, and I enjoy working with Mrs. Sheets."

Row one: Angela Murch (Secretary), Kim Moody (Vice President), Linda Irvin (President), Mrs. Sheets. Row two: Patty Calhoun, Jennifer Johnson, Becky Blankenship, Romy Naughtin. Row three: Diana White, Renata McConnell, Joy Edwards, Teresa Quick, Becky Wilder.



# SENIOR HIGH BAND



Row One: Angela Murch, Kathy Holt, Ann Rummens, Jenny Holt, Mike Day, Jon Miller, Sandy Hylton, Sara Liles. Row Two: Sherie Snider, Cindy Bennett, Randy Holmes, Gordon Edwards, Lisa Helvey, Rhonda Wilder, Guy Worthington, Rhonda Cannon, Riley Stewart. Row Three: Randy Rains, Shawn Snider, Shelia Lebahn, Neta Snider, Brian Irvin, Larry Stofer, R. L. Bennett, Buddy Cook, Bruce McCrite, Mr. Spyres.



Band officers are Shawn Snider (Reporter), Randy Rains (Vice-president), Jon Miller (President), Rhonda Cannon (Uniform Chairman), Lisa Helvey (Secretary), Cindy Bennett (Librarian), Sherie Snider (Treasurer), Neta Snider (Librarian).

Wilder Days began the performing year for the MHS band this year; graduation finished it. Between the two were the Christmas parades at Seymour and Hartville, the Butter Day parade after which the band played dixieland songs on the square, and the spring concert. They also went to the district music contest; entering the band, a flute trio, and a clarinet solo. The band came through with an overall score of 3. "I enjoy working with them," was Mr. Spyres comment on the band. He also plans to get a summer band together.

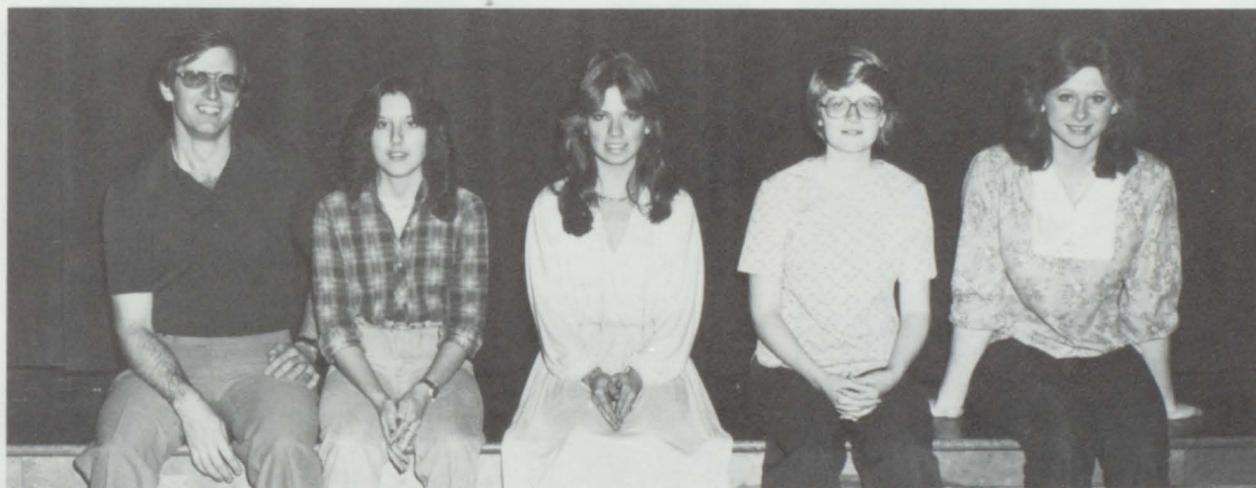
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# GIRLS GLEE CLUB



Row one: Beth Gleason, Pam Kirby, Sherie Snider, Karen Dedmon, Mr. Spyres. Row two: Karon Hobbs, Jane Coday, Lisa Cunningham, Jill Worthington, Ann Rummens, Jane Gittings, Lawanna Napier, Brenda Dacumos, Cindy Peterson. Row three: Lisa Moore, Vonna Farris, Gloria Adams, Valerie Hire, Tresa Skyles, Regina Gleason, Luci Storms, Tina Hannaford, Debbie Cook. Row four: Regina Vinson, Yvonne Garman, Sandy Richardson, Charmaine Lizotte, Joyce Dalton, Cindy Lottman, Romy Naughtin, Susan Branstetter.



Chorus officers: Mr. Spyres, Beth Gleason (Librarian), Pam Kirby (Secretary), Sherie Snider (Vice-President), Karen Dedmon (President).

Girl's chorus, taught by Mr. Spyres, entered two sextets and six solos in the district music contest at SMSU this year. Regina Vinson received a "1" at the contest, and went on to state contest.

Other things the chorus participated in included singing at the nursing home, the Alumni banquet, FHA Mother-Member Banquet, and the spring concert. They also sang on the square at Christmas and Butter Day. Some of the girls from chorus were in the musical "Meet Me in Saint Louis".

The girls enjoyed the class, and Mr. Spyres credited the class with having some very talented people.

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# JR. HIGH BAND

Row one: Terri Carr, Janie Nichols, Virginia Severs, Susan Cooke, Melissa Calhoun, Gwen Carter, Jacquelyn Taylor, Ellen Pharris, Misha Manely. Row two: James Livingston, Billie Clements, Dean Lebahn, Mark Quessenberry, Nancy Anderson, David Wallace, Steve Day. Row three: Michelle Rummens, Allan Halvorson, Chris Ghan, Robbie Durham, Reeda Rippee, Nolan Snider, Glen Dasmalchi, Kent Bennett. Row four: Cissy Mitchell, Shelia Gleason, Debbie Dering, Paula Wingo, Ronda McDowell, Shelia Smith, Mr. Eric Spyres. Not shown: Melissa Ann Clark, Leslie Adamson.



## SMALL ENSEMBLES



Angela Murch (Clarinet solo); Rhonda Wilder, Sherie Snider, Lisa Helvey (flute trio).



Sextet I: Sherie Snider, Ann Rummens, Lisa Cunningham, Regina Vinson, Jill Worthington, Karen Dedmon.



Contest Soloists: Romy Naughtin, Ann Rummens, Regina Vinson, Pam Kirby, Sherie Snider, Luci Storms.

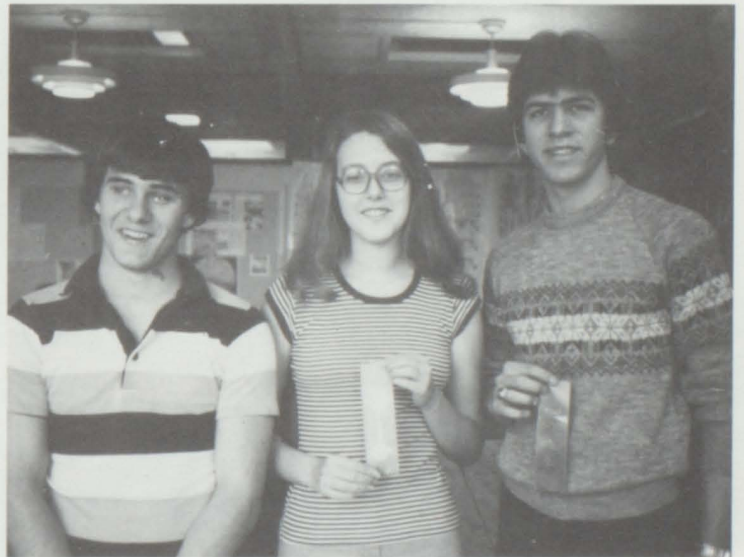


Sextet II: Penny Lottman, Romy Naughtin, Tina Hannaford, Joyce Dalton, Susan Branstetter, Debbie Cook.

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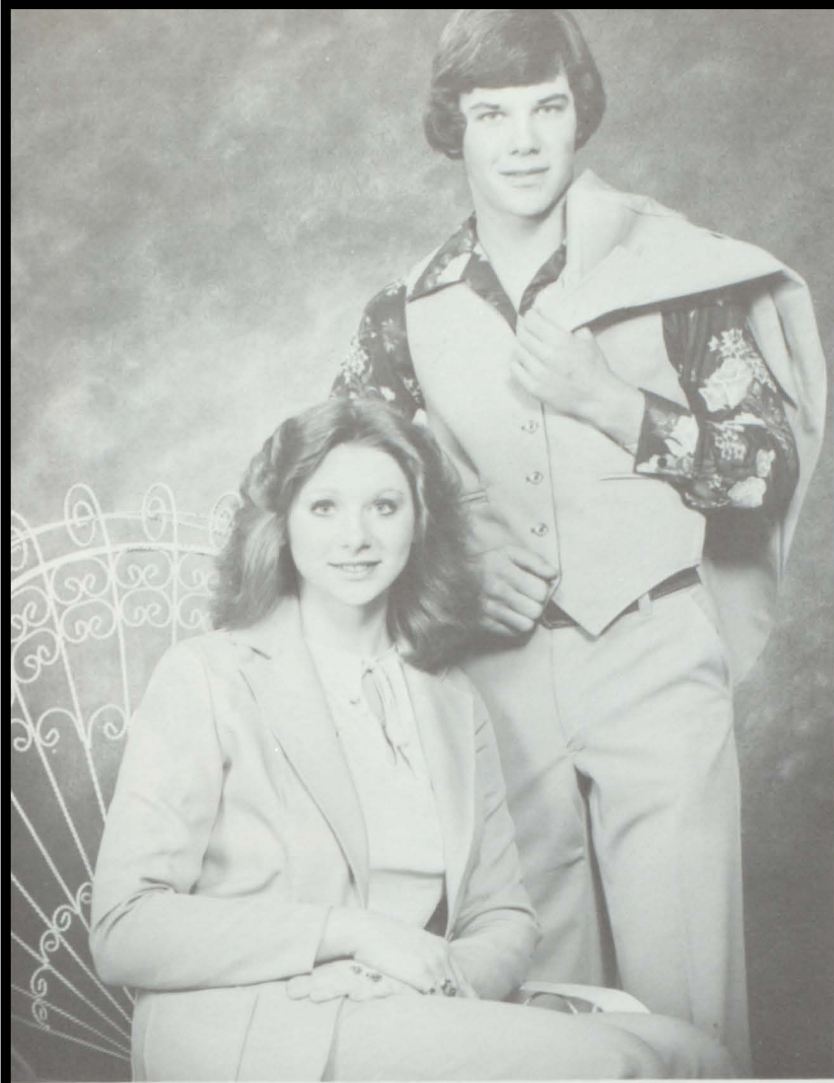


# YEARBOOK ROYALTY



DEBRA HERBST  
CHRIS JONES





Top: Junior Candidates Karen Dedmon and David Steffe. Bottom: Freshmen Candidates Sandy Hylton and Derrick Neal. Right: Senior Candidates Joyce Dalton and Jeff Dennis.



# HOMECOMING QUEEN



LINDA IRVIN





CINDY BENNETT  
FRESHMAN



ELAINE NEAL  
JUNIOR



BETH GLEASON  
SOPHOMORE





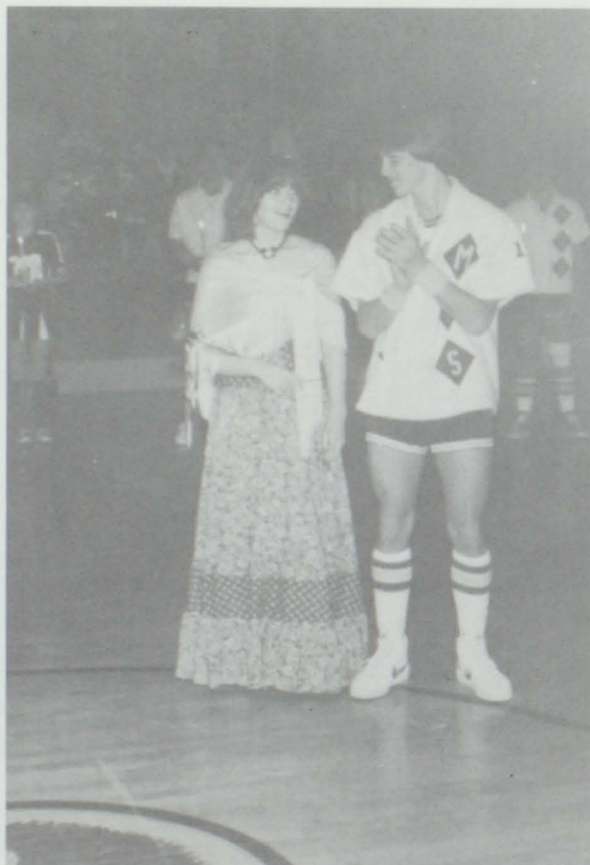
Linda Irvin - Homecoming Queen 1979.



Linda was escorted to the ceremony by Glenn Quick.



Friends crowd around to congratulate the winner.



Linda's look of astonishment at hearing she was queen was captured by the camera.



Linda was joined on the stage by her attendants. From the left, they are Beth Gleason, Elaine Neal, and Cindy Bennett.



# HOMECOMING 1979

The lights dimmed . . . a hush fell over the crowd . . . the crowning ceremony of the 1979 homecoming queen was about to begin.

Two at a time, the "A" and "B" team basketball players, cheerleaders, and pom pom girls made a formation on the gymnasium floor. They carried white candles as the theme song "Too Much Heaven" filtered through the room.

Freshmen candidate Cindy Bennett was escorted by Earl Dixon, next came sophomore candidate Beth Gleason escorted by Jeff Dennis, then junior candidate Elaine Neal with Jim Von Behren, and finally senior candidate Linda Irvin escorted by Glenn Quick. Last years queen, Brenda Cravens, entered with escort Phillip Rhoades. Flower girl was Danny White and the crown bearer was Barry Short.

Student Body President Chuck White ended the suspense by announcing Linda Irvin as the 1979 homecoming queen. After she was presented with roses and a bracelet, the queen and her court were escorted to the stage.

The ballgame itself was a thriller, with the Lions battling the Cabool Bulldogs and winning a victory by the narrow margin of two points.

Radio Station KICK provided music for the Homecoming dance. All high school students and M.H.S. alumni were invited. At midnight, shoes and jackets were put back on, the lights were shut off, and another Homecoming evening had come to an end.



Last years queen, Brenda Cravens, was escorted by Phillip Rhoades.



The music for the dance that followed the ballgame was provided by KICK.



A large crowd turned out for the dance held in the gym.



Linda has just been presented with a dozen roses and a bracelet on behalf of the student body.

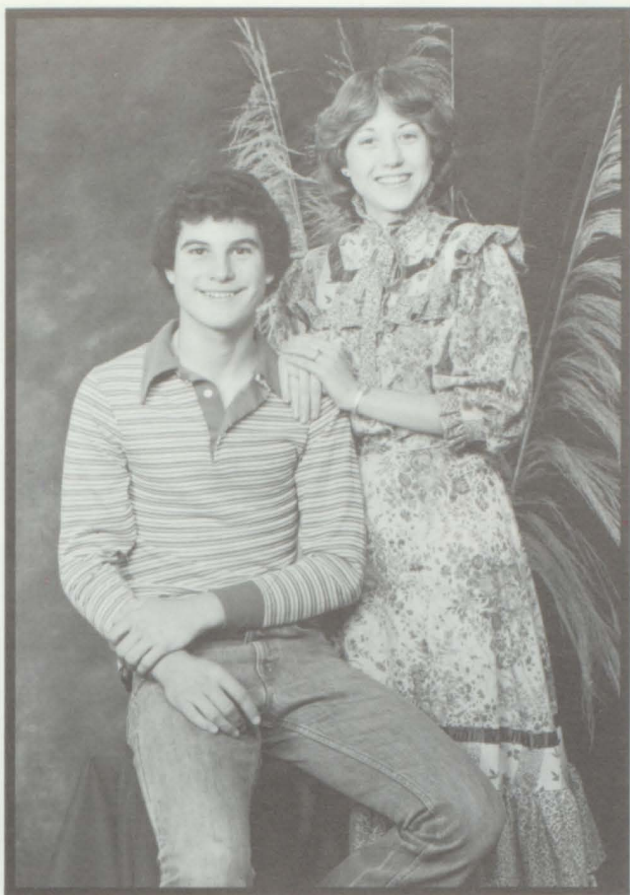


# BARNWARMING ROYALTY

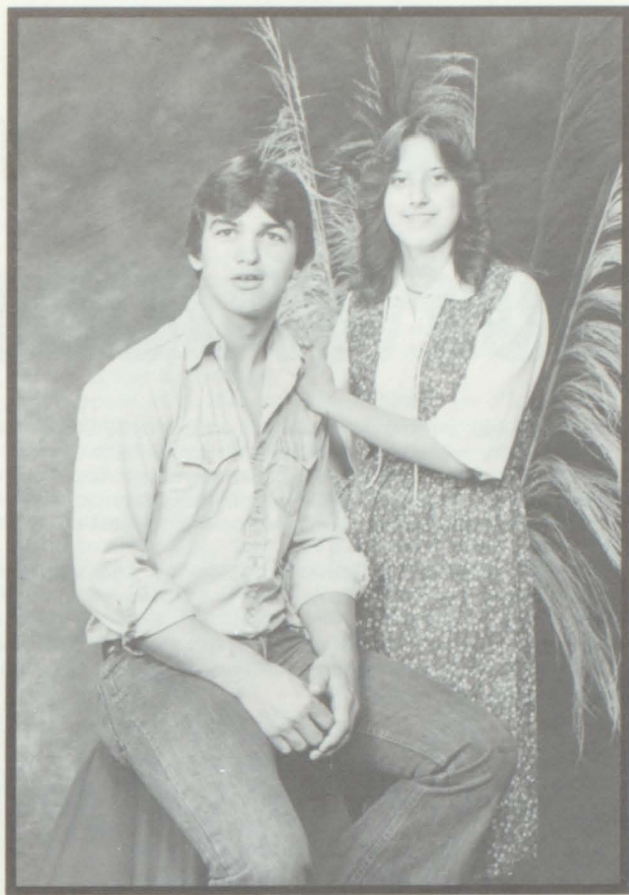


CHERI VAN HOOK  
DAVID GRAY

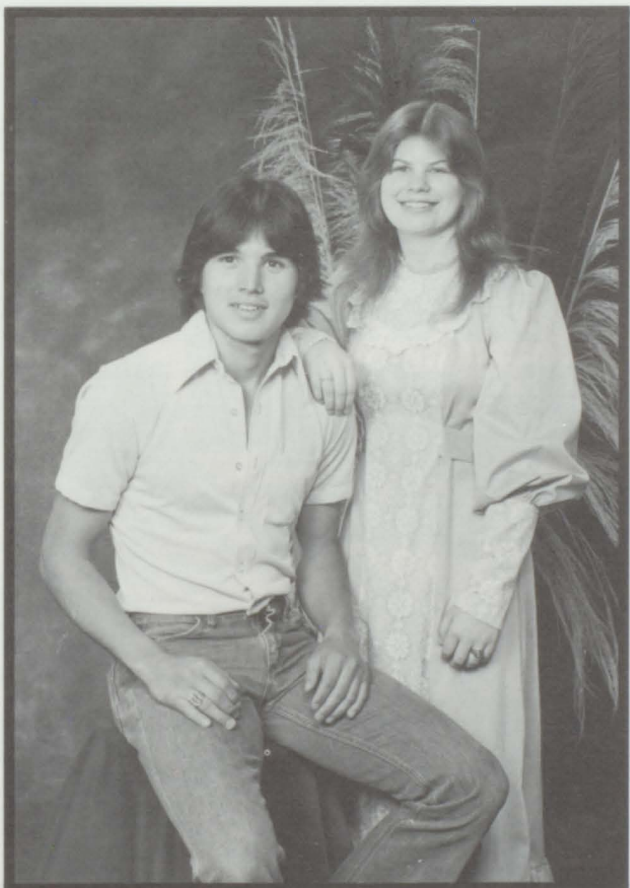




FRESHMEN: Bradley Hannaford  
Connie Brooke



SOPHOMORES: David Gray  
Beth Gleason



JUNIORS: Darrell Hickman  
Angela Murch



SENIORS: Chuck White  
Cheri Van Hook



# BARNWARMING

Barnwarming 1979 got off to a loud start as approximately 200 people cheered the FFA Greenhands on to victory in a human wheelbarrow race. Seniors Glenn Quick and Chuck White were the winners. Larry Stofer won the next event by rolling a piece of chalk across the gym floor with his nose. Connie Brooke won the queen candidates bubble-gum blowing contest, and Brad Hannaford got his panty hose on the quickest in the king candidates contest.

Disco music for the evening was provided by Rock 99. After several dances, the barnwarming royalty was announced. David Gray was crowned king and Cheri Van Hook was crowned queen.

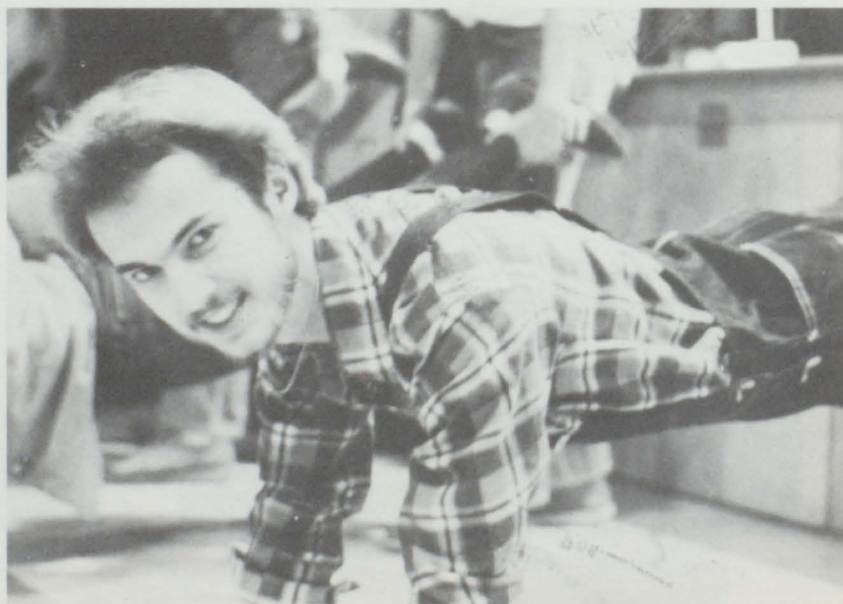
After refreshments, a dance contest was held with winners chosen by audience reaction. Guy and Jill Worthington and Valerie Hire and Chuck Pharris tied for first place, and both couples received an album from Rock 99.



Cheri Van Hook and her losing Bubble-Yum bubble.



Above left: David Gray wasn't really very good at putting on pantyhose blindfolded. Above right, clockwise from top: David Gray, Cheri Van Hook, Chuck White, Beth Gleason, Brad Hannaford, Connie Brooke, Darrel Hickman, Angela Murch. At lower right: Chuck White looked like this before winning the wheelbarrow race.







New officers installed during the banquet are: front - Cindy Short (reporter), Bill Cook (vice-president), Stan Coday (president), Shawn Snider (secretary). Back - Larry Stofer (treasurer), Darrel Hickman (sentinel), Dean Climer (parliamentarian), Mark Paxton (chaplain).



Mike Dougherty and Cindy Short received Star Greenhand awards.



Mansfield's State Champion Parliamentary Procedure Team: Phillip Rhoades, Buddy Cook, Stan Coday, Riley Stewart, Shawn Snider, Sherie Snider, and R. L. Bennett. Now Shown: Jim Von Behren.



The Mid-America Dairyman Award is presented to Darrel Hickman.

# FFA BANQUET

The annual FFA Banquet was held May 8. R. L. Bennett commented, "I feel it was the best banquet I've ever been to since I've been in FFA." Glenn Quick said, "I was very impressed with all the officers and the parliamentary team." Those attending the banquet; FFA members, parents, school board members, faculty, and chapter sweetheart. All agreed the banquet went off smoothly and was a lot of fun.

The purpose of the banquet was to install new officers and to recognize members that during the year have made outstanding accomplishments.

The evening started at 7:30. After dinner was served, three senior officers gave their retiring addresses. For a less solemn moment, entertainment was provided by Regina Vinson and Theresa Murch. Following them was a demonstration by the state champion Parliamentary Procedure Team.

Mr. Cravens and Mr. Trammell presented awards, then Honorary Members were recognized. This year's Honorary Members were, Leroy Bennett, Ella Stewart, Vivian Stanton, Ova Snider, and Don Freeman. They were each presented a plaque. The closing ceremony was the installation of the 1979-1980 officers.



Proficiency Award Winners. Front: Stan Coday, Riley Stewart, R. L. Bennett, Dean Climer. Back: Darrel Hickman, Kyle Cameron, Mark Paxton, Danny Jones, Shawn Snider, Gale Findley.



Riley Stewart receives the Production Credit Award.



Buddy Cook and Stan Coday were named Star Chapter Farmers.



# FHA QUEEN



NANCY NOLD



Michelle Mitchell  
Freshman Candidate



Deann Olive  
Sophomore Candidate



Elaine Neal  
Junior Candidate



# PROM ROYALTY



WALLY SOWERS  
DIANE PEARSON



# PROM

April 21 was cloudy and cool, and the day was threatening to dampen the prom plans, but the wishes and prayers of 150 students and faculty held the clouds in.

Drury Inn's signboard cheered the three busloads with "Welcome Mansfield High School". The guests were seated in the red banquet hall. Cindy Lynch, Junior class president, welcomed everyone, and Jeff Dennis, Senior class president, thanked the juniors for the prom.

As soon as David Keeling had added the amen to his blessing, the guests lined up for a buffet dinner featuring chicken and swiss steak.

While the meal was settling, the Senior class prophecy was read by Becky Blankenship, Jennifer Johnson, and Regina Vinson. Debbie Ream and Diane Pearson then responded with the Senior Will.

Red and white silk roses in white vases decorated the tables, and each girl was presented a silk rose in honor of her presence at the prom.

Wally Sowers and Diane Pearson were crowned as Prom King and Queen amid applause and cheers.

When the band finally arrived, the dance started with lively music from Full Circle.



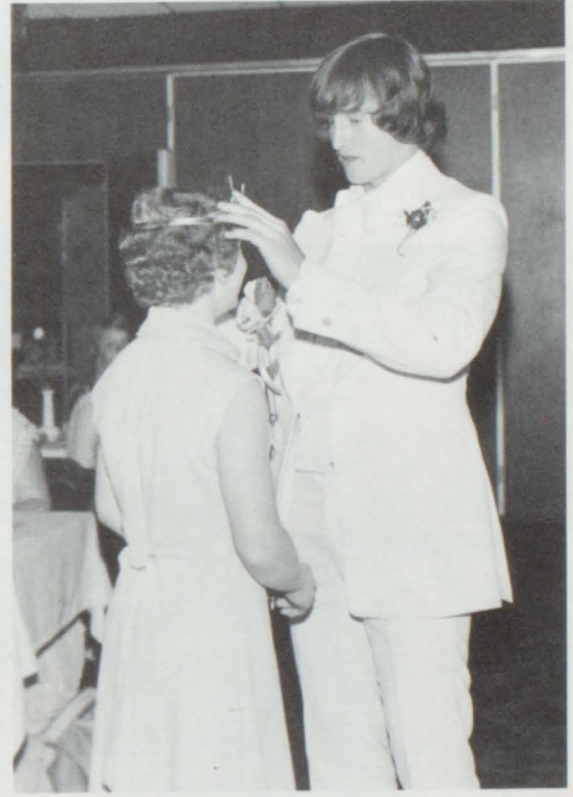
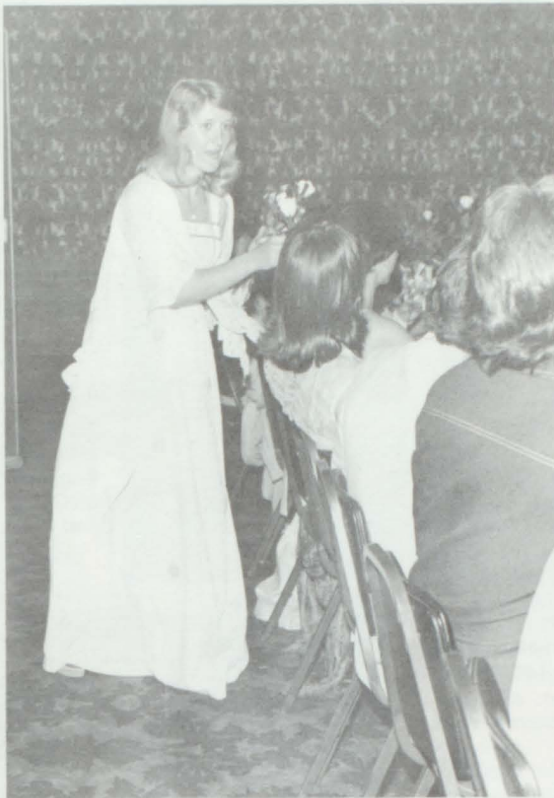
Left: Cindy Lynch, junior class president, welcomed the 150 guests. Middle right: Debbie Ream and Diane Pearson read the senior class will. Lower right: The dancing was crowded, but fun.



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# "A TIME FOR US"



Top left: Debbie Cook presented silk roses from the junior class. Top right: Music was provided by Full Circle. Lower left: Jeff Dennis, senior class president, expressed "thanks" to the juniors for the evening. Lower middle: Wally Sowers, prom king, had a little trouble keeping the crown where it belonged. Lower right: Diane Pearson was crowned prom queen by John T. Miller.

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LEFT: Miss Hathaway (Theresa Murch)  
ABOVE: Flossie Hill (Sheila Lebahn) and  
Louie (Jim Von Behren)



ABOVE: Launa Matlock,  
Michelle Ballew, Rhonda  
Bogart, Harry Barker (Bruce  
McCrite), Arianne Desmalchi,  
and Jolyn Napier.



LEFT: Lucille  
Lovejoy (Karen  
Dedmon) and  
Johnny Steele (R.  
L. Bennett) RIGHT:  
Dick Williams  
(Milford Cook),  
Rose Harris (Lisa  
Helvey), and  
Johnny Steele (R.  
L. Bennett)



LEFT: Rose Harris  
(Lisa Helvey),  
Flossie Hill (Sheila  
Lebahn), and  
Lucille Lovejoy  
(Karen Dedmon)





# 'MEET ME IN ST. LOUIS'

NOT SHOWN: Hazel  
(Rhonda Cannon).



"Meet Me In St. Louis" is a well-known early musical. This comedic love story was performed April 16 by MHS students.

The setting for the story is the World's Fair in St. Louis in 1904. It centers mostly around three waitresses working at the fairground. Rose Harris, the most prominent waitress, is an attractive young waitress. Lucille Lovejoy, another waitress, is somewhat daring for her time; and Flossie Hill, the third waitress, is somewhat "flighty".

Dick Williams, a young electrical engineer, gets involved with Rose. Johnny Steele, an Oldsmobile representative, loves to take Lucille for rides in his Oldsmobile. Louie, a guy who decides he doesn't want to be a cowboy in Montana after all, follows Flo to St. Louis. He becomes for awhile Chef Pierre, a famous chef renowned across the nation for his expertise in culinary achievements. But, Louie wasn't Chef Pierre, and his efforts literally went down the drain.

Miss Hathaway, who is in charge of food concessions, was completely taken in by Louie because she didn't know Pierre had cancelled out and had gone back to New York. Hazel, a cantankerous cook, befriends Louie and decides to help him cook his famous French cuisine that he actually knows nothing about!

The restaurant is from time to time visited by Harry Barker, a slick, penniless, talent agent and promoter of the semi-famous Lucy Devon, a kinetoscope actress. They are also visited by three talented sisters; Tillie, Lila, and Sally Russell. These sisters are the singers and recording artists appearing at the fair for entertainment.

The musical was directed by Eric and Terry Spyres.

LEFT: Sally Russell (Sara Liles), Silas Cahill (Larry Stofer), Lila Russell (Regina Vinson), and Tillie Russell (Ann Rummens). RIGHT: Miss Thornton (R. L. Bennett).

BELOW: Nellie Cahill (Jane Coday), Hilda Cahill (Lisa Cunningham), and Silas Cahill (Larry Stofer). RIGHT: Lucy Devon (Angela Murch) and Harry Barker (Bruce McCrite).





# MISS MANSFIELD



## MISS MANSFIELD WINNERS:

From left - Sandy Graham (1st Runner-Up), Jill Worthington (Miss Mansfield), Becky Blankenship (3rd Runner-Up), Lisa Helvey (2nd Runner-Up).



# JUNIOR & YOUNG MISS MANSFIELD



MISS MANSFIELD JR.  
WINNERS: From left -  
Paula Wingo (2nd  
Runner-Up), Jacquelyn  
Taylor (1st Runner-Up),  
Gwen Carter (Miss  
Mansfield Jr.), Missy Clark  
(3rd Runner-Up).

YOUNG MISS MANSFIELD  
WINNERS: From left - Karen  
Kirkland (2nd Runner-Up),  
Stephanie Eldson (1st  
Runner-Up), Michelle Heredia  
(Young Miss Mansfield), Robin  
Clark (3rd Runner-Up).





# POPULARITY !!!



**MOST STUDIOUS:** Russell Ivy and Sherie Snider do a lot of thinking ON their subjects.



**CUTEST:** Linda Irvin and Doug Conley are probably comparing notes on the best kind of beauty creme to use.



**MOST SCHOOL SPIRIT:** Rhonda Cannon and Phillip Rhoades will go to any lengths (and heights) to make MHS look better.



**BEST ALL AROUND:** Jim Von Behren and Diane Pearson always have a large circle of friends.



**CLASS CLOWNS:** "Mr. Boyer must have written this," says Guy Worthington to Rhonda Cannon and R. L. Bennett.





**MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED:** "If they could only see us now," mutters Cindy Lynch to Chuck White.



**MOST ATHLETIC:** "Over, not under!" says track star Darrel Hickman to basketball star Debbie Ream.



**MOST TALENTED:** Diane Pearson instructs David Hoover, "A little to the left, please."



**BIGGEST FLIRTS:** Carl Campbell and Regina Vinson - one picture is worth a thousand words!



**NEATEST:** Cheri Van Hook and Chuck White manage to look neat even when they wear overalls.

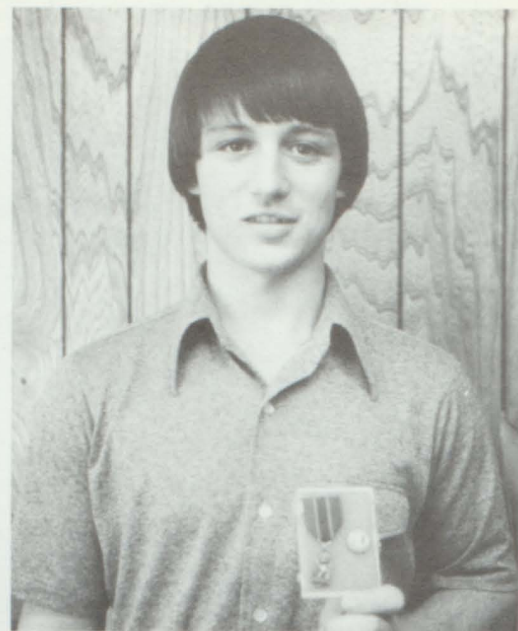




Regina Vinson received a I rating at the district music festival and competed in the state contest.



The "A" team cheerleaders (Jennifer Johnson, Kathy Wingo, Cheri Van Hook, Cindy Lynch, Kim Moody, and Sandy Graham) won the cheerleading trophy at the Seymour Tournament.



R. L. Bennett won the American Legion High School Oratorical Contest at M.H.S.



Business Contest winners were Angela Murch (trophy in typing), Kathy Wingo, Russell Ivy, and Jon Miller.



Jim Von Behren and James Livingston were trophy winners at the Summit Conference Industrial Arts Fair.

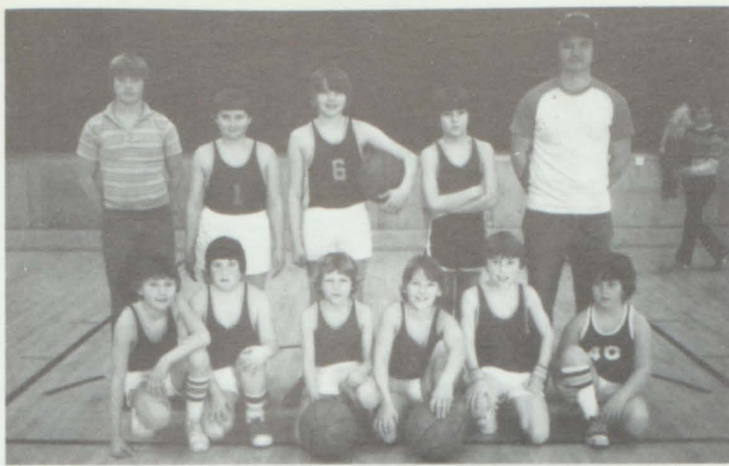


English Contest winners were Buddy Cook, Shawn Snider (trophy), Randy Rains, Bruce McCrite, Cheri Van Hook, Diane Pearson, Cindy Lottmann, Angela Murch, Michelle Lansdown, Karen Dedmon, Sara Liles, Ann Rummens, and Lisa Helvey.



These students were first place and blue ribbon winners in the industrial arts fair.





This "Pee Wee" basketball team, coached by Van Coday and Jeff Dennis, was league champion.



The M.H.S. baseball team was the Summit Conference Champion.



Cindy Short won first place in the area FFA creed speaking contest.



These students received "2" ratings at the industrial arts fair.

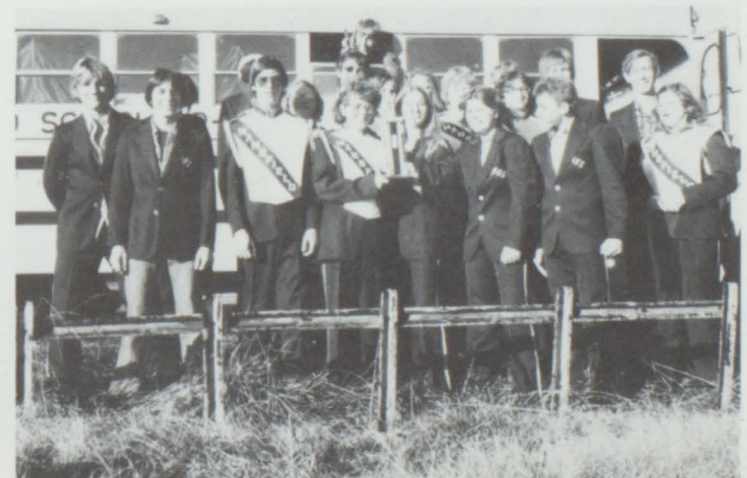
# WINNERS!!



The FFA Parliamentary Team (R. L. Bennett, Rilley Stewart, Sherie Snider, Stan Coday, Buddy Cook, Jim Von Behren, Shawn Snider) won first place in the state contest. They will compete in the national contest in the fall of 1979.



Ann Rummens and Angela Murch were math contest winners.



The M.H.S. marching band won first place in the Hartville Christmas 65 parade.



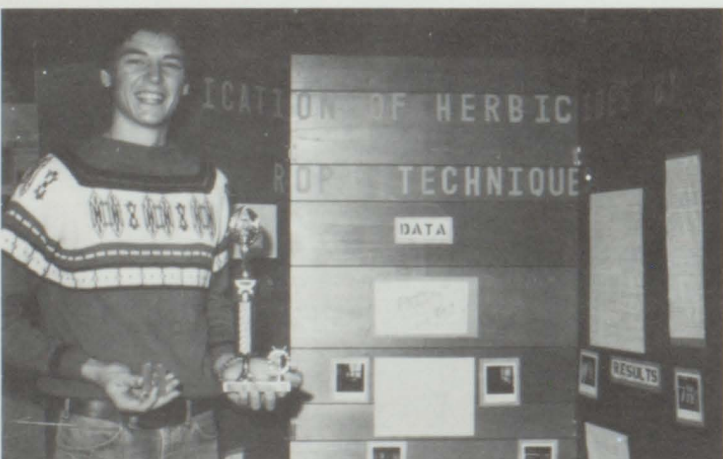
At the Rolla Science and Engineering Fair, Sherie Snider received the second grand prize trophy for her project "Experiments with Solar Collectors." Other awards she received were: Best in Division - Physics, Army Science and Engineering Fair award, and the U.S. Department of Energy award.



These students were winners of special awards at the Rolla Science Fair: Debbie Ream, Diane Pearson, Sara Liles, Jim Von Behren, Cindy Lynch, D. J. Freeman, Chuck White, Jeff Dennis, Kathy Wingo, and Pat Hannum.



Trophy winners at the Summit Conference Fair were Debbie Ream, Diane Pearson, Becky Blankenship, Jennifer Johnson, Cindy Lynch, Pat Hannum, and David Keeling.



Phillip Rhoades, with his project "Application of Herbicides by Rope Technique" was the division winner in Botany at the Rolla Science Fair.



David Keeling's project, "Diagnosis and Repair of Retina Damage Due to Visceral Larvae Migrains", earned Best in Division in Medicine and Health at the Rolla Science Fair. He also received awards from Eastman Kodak, the Missouri Optometric Association, NASA, the Air Force, and the Navy.



# EVERYTHING YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT SPORTS \*



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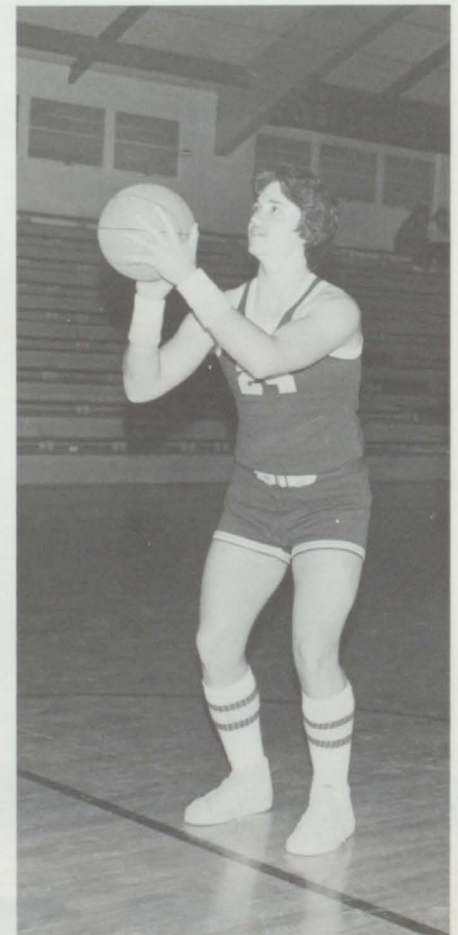
# A TEAM BASKETBALL



Front: Earl Dixon, Jim Von Behren, Phillip Rhoades, Jeff Dennis, Glenn Quick. Back: Rance Viet, Buddy Cook, Stan Dennis, Phillip Matney, Brian Dennis, Terry Stofer, Coach Short, Kevin Gray, David Gray, John Miller, Aaron Stanifer, Dan Cordier, David Keeling.

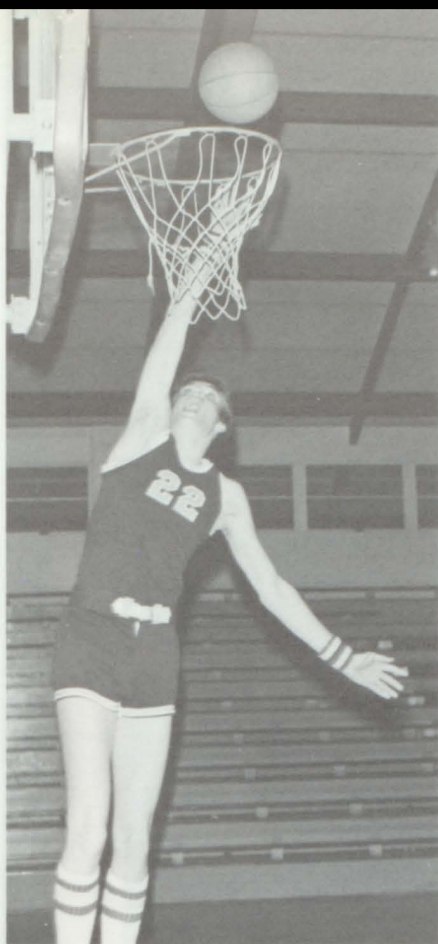
The Lions won the second place in the Mansfield Tournament, fourth place in the Seymour Tournament, and placed second in the Regional Tournament.

Mansfield	59	Conway	46
Mansfield	74	Chadwick	46
Mansfield	74	Gainesville	71
Mansfield	69	Seymour	73
Mansfield	66	Mountain Grove	54
Mansfield	61	Niangua	58
Mansfield	68	Houston	72
Mansfield	64	Willow Springs	65
Mansfield	72	Seymour	81
Mansfield	51	Sparta	65
Mansfield	62	Marionville	76
Mansfield	61	Willard	56
Mansfield	60	Nixa	78
Mansfield	67	Mountain Grove	58
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Mansfield	59	Seymour	55
Mansfield	49	Hartville	52
Mansfield	52	Gainesville	79
Mansfield	66	Forsyth	74
Mansfield	64	Hartville	71
Mansfield	57	Ava	52
Mansfield	53	Seymour	49
Mansfield	72	Cabool	70
Mansfield	62	Hartville	39
Mansfield	56	Gainesville	53
Mansfield	46	Licking	58



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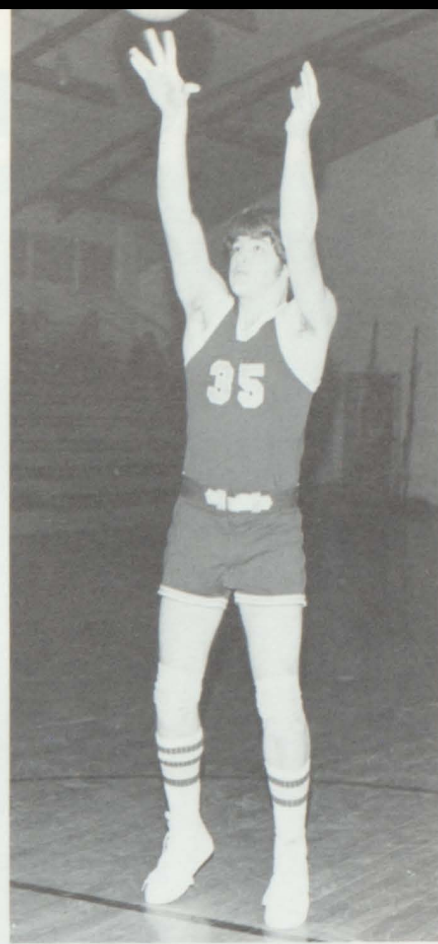




PHILLIP RHOADES



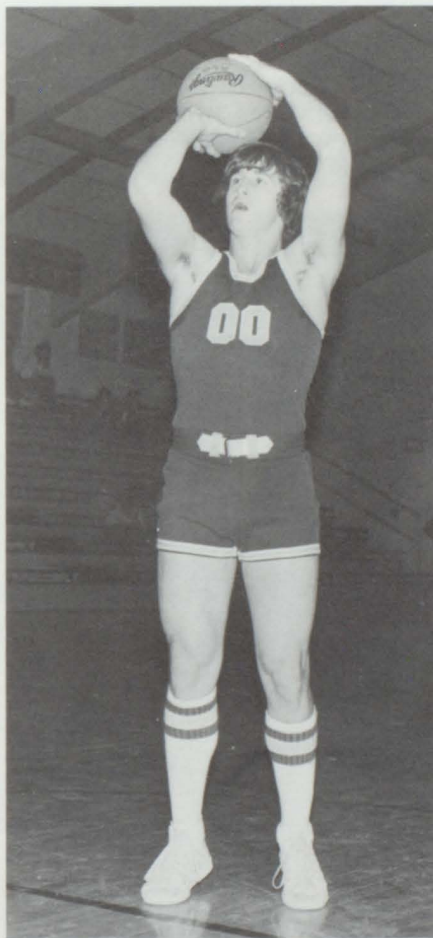
GLENN QUICK



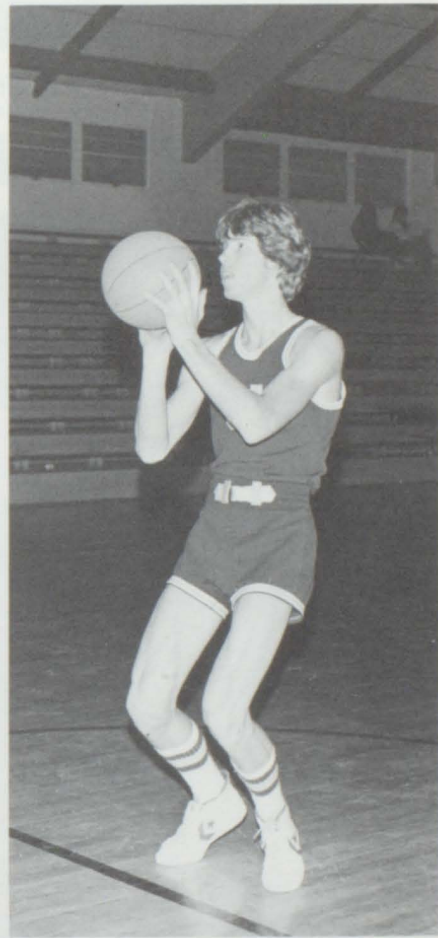
EARL DIXON



KEVIN GRAY



JOHN MILLER



BRIAN DENNIS



# GIRLS BASKETBALL



Front: Cindy Bennett, Michelle Giffin, Teri Miller, Rhonda Cannon, Deann Olive. Back: Coach Wecker, Melody Nold, Jennifer Holt, Tina Campe, Connie Dotson, Daylene Branstetter, Michelle Von Behren, Debbie Ream, Debra Herbst, Terri Cantrell. Following are the scores for the 1978-1979 season, with Mansfield scores listed first. Seymour: 56-33; Conway: 45-64; Hartville: 55-34; Hartville: 32-27; Gainesville: 35-53; Mountain Grove 56-17; Ava: 37-54.





# 'A' TEAM CHEERLEADERS



Front: Sandy Graham. Back: Jennifer Johnson, Cheri Van Hook, Kim Moody, Cindy Lynch, Kathy Wingo.



DEANN OLIVE



TERI MILLER  
Compliments of: DON'S MFA SERVICE STATION



RHONDA CANNON



TINA CAMPE



# 'B' TEAM & FROSH



B TEAM: Front - Van Coday, Joe Bennett, Stan Dennis, Aaron Stanifer, Derrick Neal. Back - Rance Viet, Buddy Cook, Ronnie Barnum, Terry Stofer, Terry Allen, David Gray, Phillip Matney, Coach Short.



FRESHMEN TEAM: Front - Larry Stofer, Van Coday, Derrick Neal, Bub Brooke. Back - Gordon Edwards, James Kennedy, Bill Cook, Terry Allen, Ronnie Barnum, Stan Dennis, Boyd Jordan, Coach Greene.

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# 'B' CHEERLEADERS & POM POMS



"B" Team Cheerleaders: Front - Sara Liles.  
Back - Kima Dennis, Cindy Bennett, Connie Brooke, Diane White, Michelle Mitchell.



M.H.S. Sweethearts: Kneeling - Debra Herbst, Charmaine Lizotte, Millie Porter, Lisa Helvey.  
Standing - Gayla McKeel, Rhonda Dotson, Laveta McAlister, Melody Nold, Valerie Hire, Jackie Burris.



# SOFTBALL



Sitting: Tina Campe, Jill Worthington, Debra Herbst, Michelle Giffin. Standing: Sharon Melcher, Debbie Ream, Sandy Graham, Kaylene Branstetter, Deann Olive, Terri Cantrell, Jennifer Holt, Connie Dotson, Teri Miller, Michelle Von Behren, Kathy Holt, Melody Nold, Coach Wecker.

# BASEBALL



Row One: Gale Findley, Bill Cook, Van Coday, Stan Dennis, James Kennedy, Guy Worthington. Row Two: Bryan Dean, Aaron Stanifer, Chris Jones, Randy Adamson, Happy Brazeal. Row Three: Coach Short, Pat Hannum, R. L. Bennett, Jeff Dennis, Buddy Cook, Phillip Rhoades, Kevin Gray, Kenny Bean, Shawn Snider, Glenn Quick.

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# TRACK



Coach Greene, Randy Adamson, Jim Von Behren, Doug Conley, Phillip Rhoades, James Dering, Kenny Bean, Glenn Quick, Brian Irvin, Buddy Cook, David Keeling, Darrel Hickman, Randy Bennett.



Terri Cantrell, Tina Campe, Neta Snider, Jill Worthington, Cindy Lynch, Tina Hannaford, Sandy Graham, Michelle Mitchell, Debra Herbst, Coach Wecker.



Coach Greene, Randy Schofield, Stan Dennis, Rick Rebura, Derrick Neal, Anthony Brooke, Brad Hannaford, Bill Cook, Guy Worthington, Joe Allmon, Larry Stofer, Mike Dougherty, Scott Newton, Leslie Pyle, Boyd Jordan.

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THE GROCERY STORE



# JR. HIGH SPORTS

Eighth Grade Basketball Team - Front: (left to right) Doug Stofer, Darin Price, Randy Calhoun, Mark Taylor, Joe Quick. Back: Coach Greene, Donnie Dennis, David Wallace, Kent Hedrick, James Livingston, Joe Sherrill, Gary Holmes.



Seventh Grade Basketball Team - Front: (left to right) Kent Bennett, Tim Cantrell, Chris Ghan, Jackie McCleary, Darryl Climer. Back: James Allen, Bobby Stofer, Alan Morris, Jim Trammell, Coach Greene, Butch Deal, Ronnie Rebura, Mark Euler, Greg Kirkland.

Junior High Cheerleaders - Front: Lora Hanson. Back: Paula Wingo, Lori Van Hook, Cissy Mitchell, Jackie Guccione, Jacquelyn Taylor.





# MIGHTY MITES



**STEELERS** - (front row, left to right) Craig Carter, Brett Neal, Brandon Detherage, Bryon Taylor and Erik Branstetter. Back row: John Livingston, Kevin Kelly, Timmy Nold, Larry Durham, John Ingerson, and in back field director Jack Cornelius. Mike Kirshfield (not shown) was coach.



**BROWNS** - (front row, left to right) Kevin Cornelius, Kirby Skyles, Jerry Dunbar, Lendall Beushausen, and Terry Welker. Back row: Steven Bruce, Noel Rummens, Kendall Beushausen, Joe Freeman and Coach Jack Cornelius.

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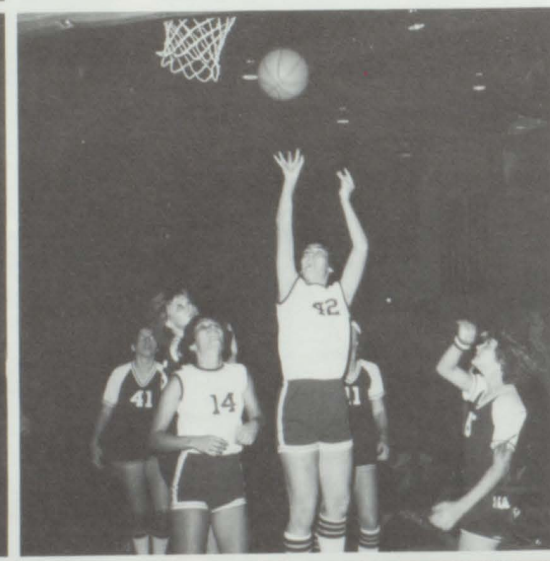
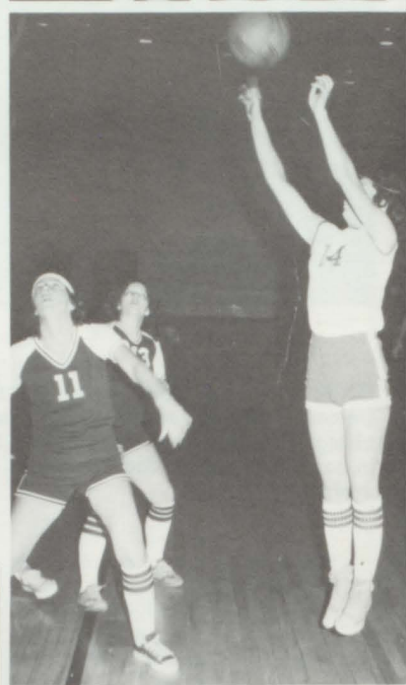
**LIONS** - (front row, left to right) Sean Hannum, Eric Honeycutt, Jason Trammell, Scott Dunsmuir, Bart Evans, Jimmy Freeman, Robert Johnson, and David Bell. Back Row: Joey Hudak, Scott Ingerson, Scott Hesterly, Timmy Logan, Al Hire, Rodney Vogt, Larry Livingston, and Aaron Gray. Coaches: Joe Hudak and Joe Stofer. Not Present: Ricky Kirshfield, Randy Forbes, and Willie Henry.



**FORTY-NINERS** - (front row, left to right) Dwight Young, Larry Morris, Dennis Dedmon, Joe Drinnon, and Matt Gittings. Back row: Scott Evans, Bryan Matlock, Nick Zorsch, John Carter, Don Brennan, and Shannon Watterson. Coach Tom Brennan.













# SPORT SHOTS





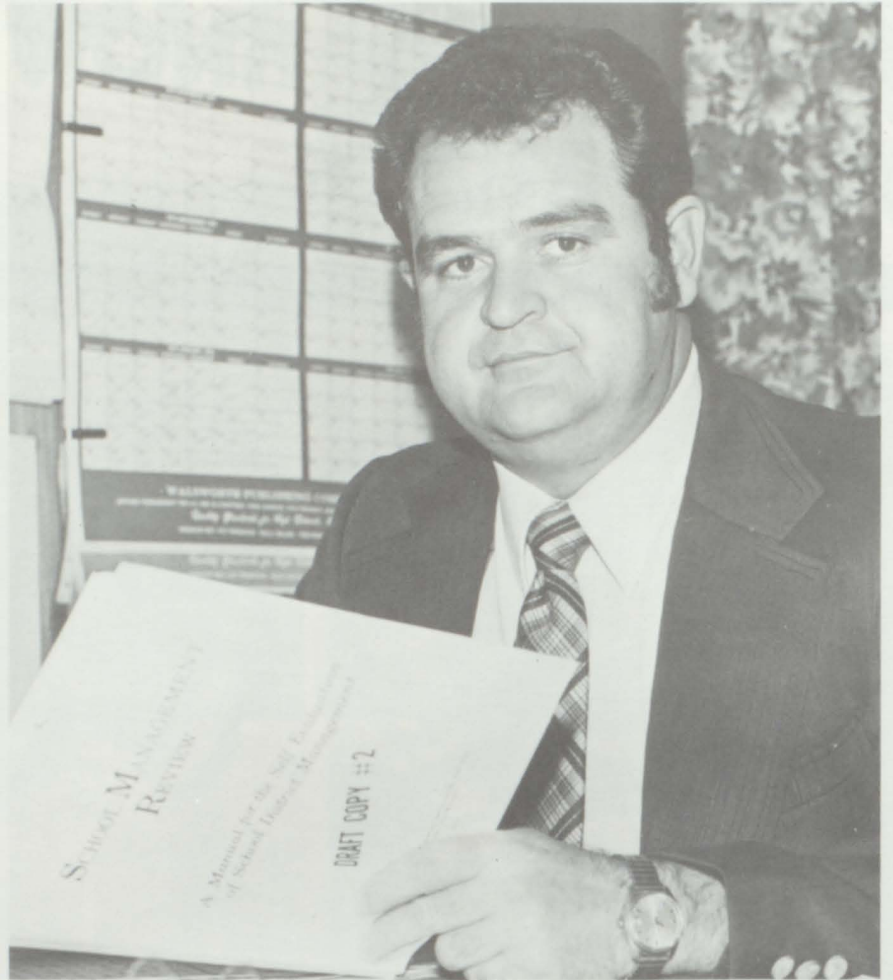
# EVERYTHING YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT ACADEMICS\*



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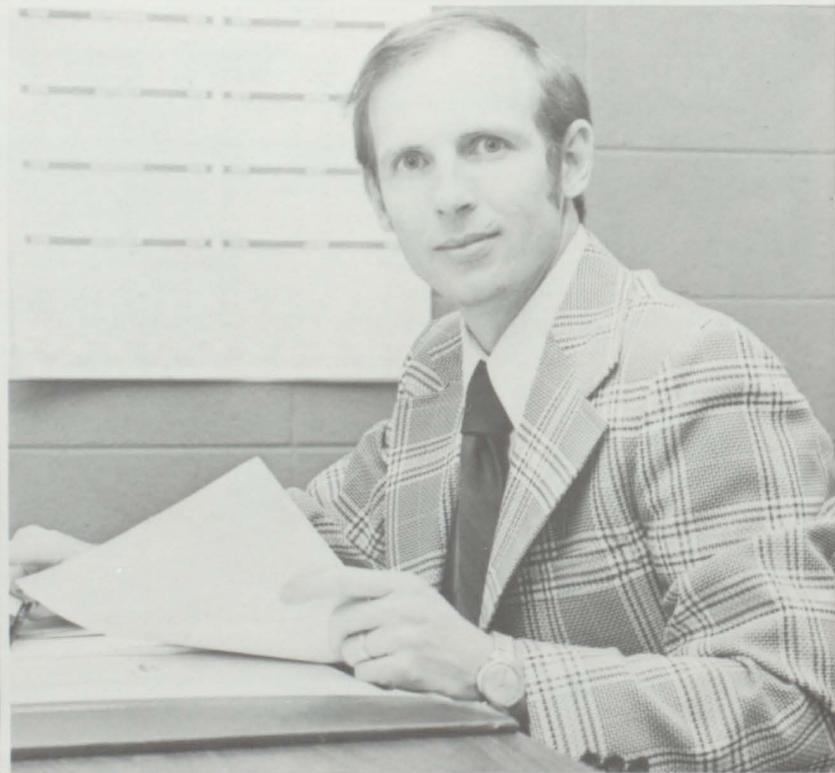
# ADMINISTRATION



JAMES TRAMMELL  
SUPERINTENDENT



ROBERT PERRY  
SECONDARY PRINCIPAL



DARRELL LINDSEY  
ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL



# SECRETARIES



Vickie Lucas, Debbie Letsinger, Cleo Chambers, Ruby Johns.

# BOARD OF EDUCATION



Wright Bogart, Bill Brazeal, Bill Smith, Don Tripp, Johnny Watterson, Jim Evans

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# LANGUAGE ARTS

Why is English a necessary part of the curriculum? "Because," according to Mrs. Kathy Wilson, "in all aspects of life, you need to know good English. People judge you so much by first impressions and the way you speak. English is important because it is the field of communication and all of us as members of society must communicate effectively."

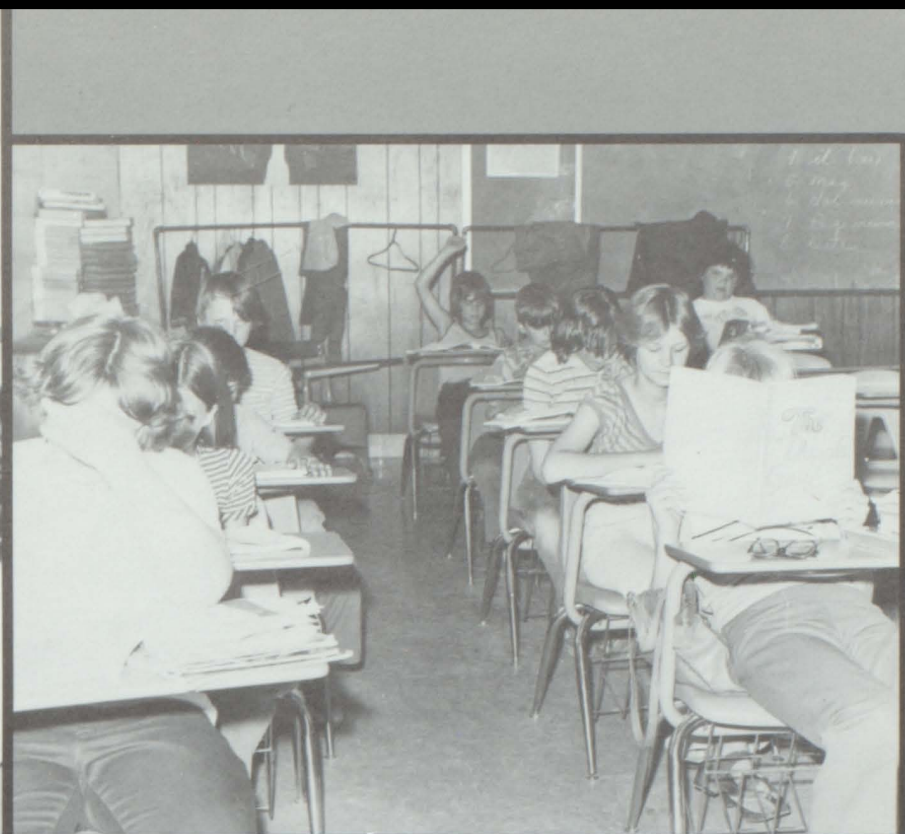
The language arts department in the high school includes the courses appreciation of literature, mass media, practical English, and composition (taught by Mrs. Wilson); reading and school publications (taught by Mrs. Arnall); English I (taught by Mrs. Rush); and German I and II (taught by Mrs. Sheets).

Top left: Mrs. Kathy Wilson explains a rule of grammar to her composition class. Top right: Students in Mrs. Wilson's composition class spend many hours writing and re-writing. Bottom right: Mrs. Sheets helps Michelle Lansdown and Patty Calhoun with their German assignment. Bottom left: German I students.



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The junior high language arts courses include 8A, 8B, 7B English (taught by Mrs. Rush); and 6A, 6B, and 7A English (taught by Mrs. Perkins). These courses provide the student with necessary skills such as punctuation, sentence writing, dictionary use, spelling, and literature appreciation.

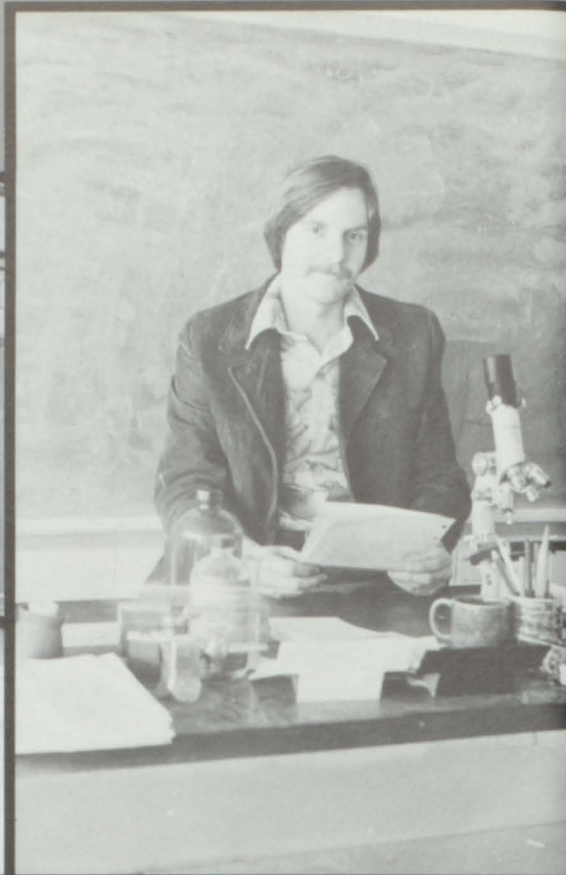
Clockwise from top left: 1) Mrs. Lelia Perkins found that "Living through the school year would have to be my biggest accomplishment." 2) Sixth grade English students. 3) Mrs. Mary Lou Rush enjoys teaching junior high age students because "they are easy to get along with and eager to learn." 4) Eighth grade English students. 5) One of Mrs. Rush's English I classes.

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# SCIENCE



Top left: Mr. Boyer demonstrates the dissection of a fetal pig. Top right: Mr. Glen Boyer. Bottom left: Mr. Doug Wells. Bottom right: A seventh grade science class.

Science classes offered to high school students include conservation, general science, general biology, advanced biology, and chemistry. These courses are taught by Mr. Boyer, who sponsors the science club and the senior class. (Mr. Boyer was perhaps better known as a fish-trainer, that is until the unfortunate demise of Oscar, his jumping fish.) Junior high science courses offered are sixth grade general science, seventh grade earth science, and eighth grade life science, taught by Mr. Wells. This was Mr. Wells' first year at Mansfield, and he found that he "enjoyed all my classes equally and I'm looking forward to coming back next year."

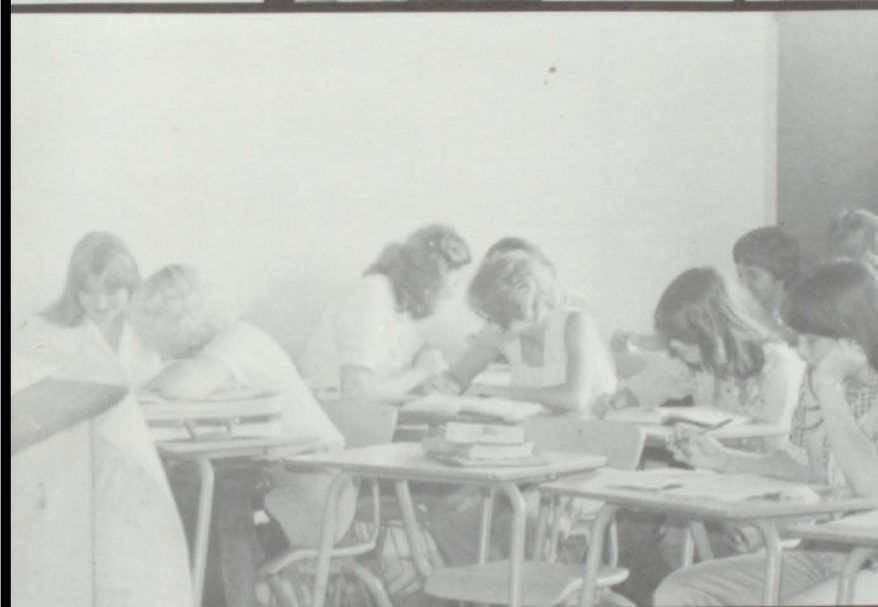
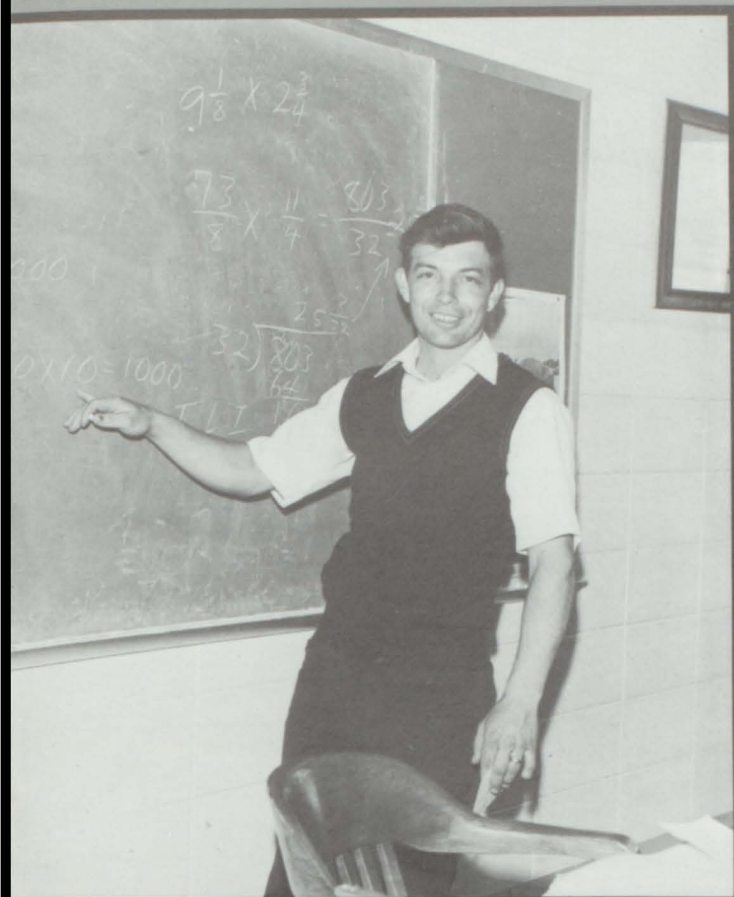
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# MATH

Mr. Bishop, junior high math teacher, has "enjoyed working with the Mansfield junior high students this year. Almost everyone has been willing and anxious to learn more of the knowledge needed to exist in today's society." Mr. Bishop teaches sixth, seventh, and eighth grade math.

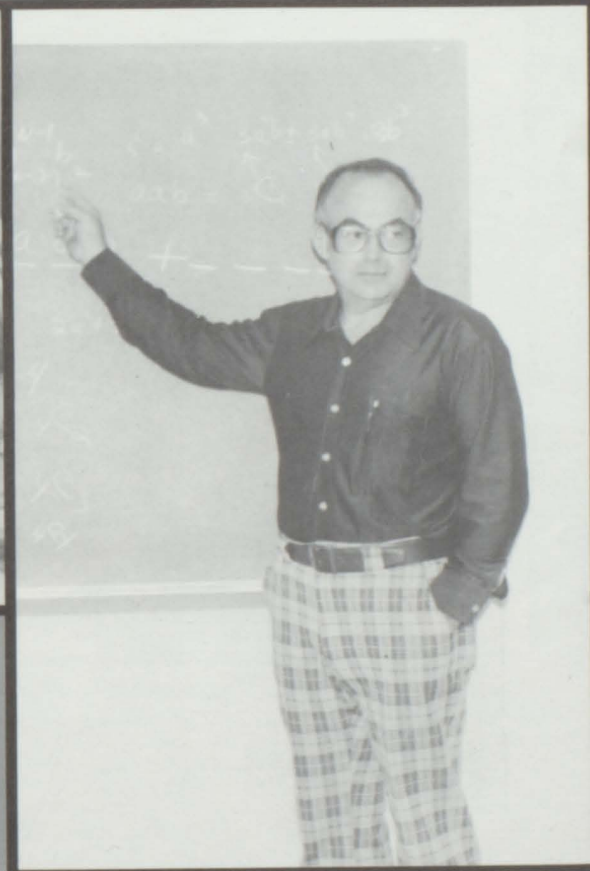
Top left: Mr. Raymond Bishop explains a mathematical equation to his class. Top right: An eighth grade math class.



Above, left: Algebra I students work on a homework assignment. Right: Mr. Carl Hartley explains a problem to the class.

Mr. Hartley, who teaches Algebra I and II, geometry, and senior math, feels that his subject area is important because "it simply is a world of mathematics. Just think what a day without numbers would be." Mr. Hartley is the sponsor of Mu Alpha Theta, an honors math club.

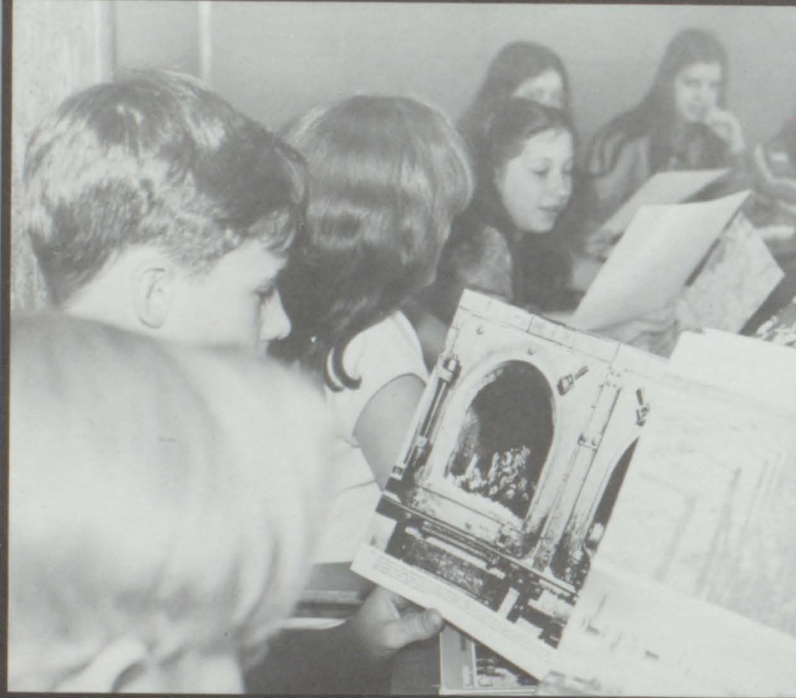
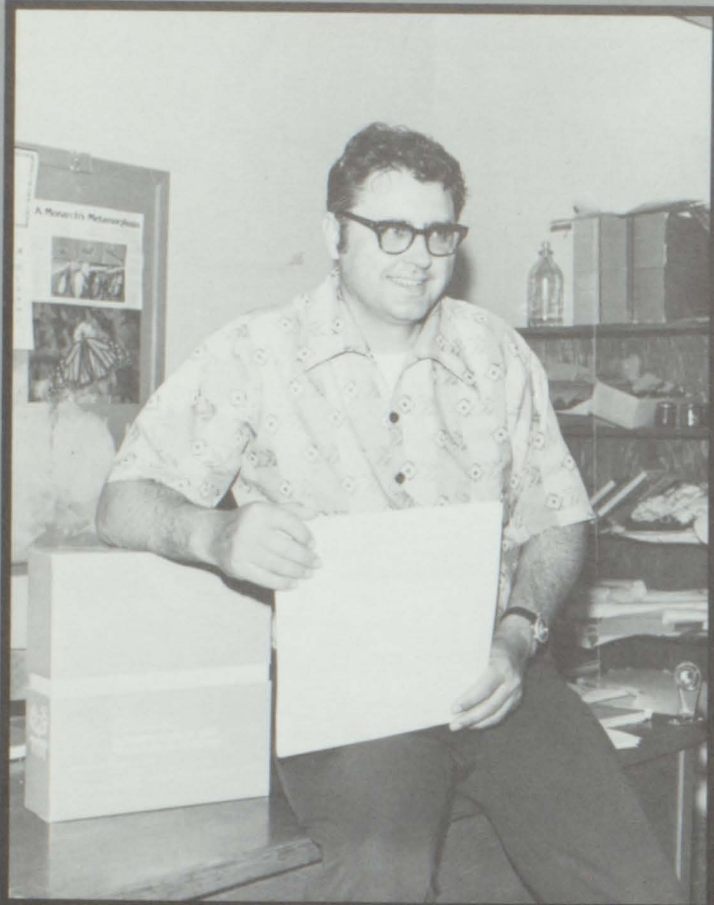
The high school also offers a course in business math, taught by Mrs. Wilson; and general math, taught by Mr. Haden.



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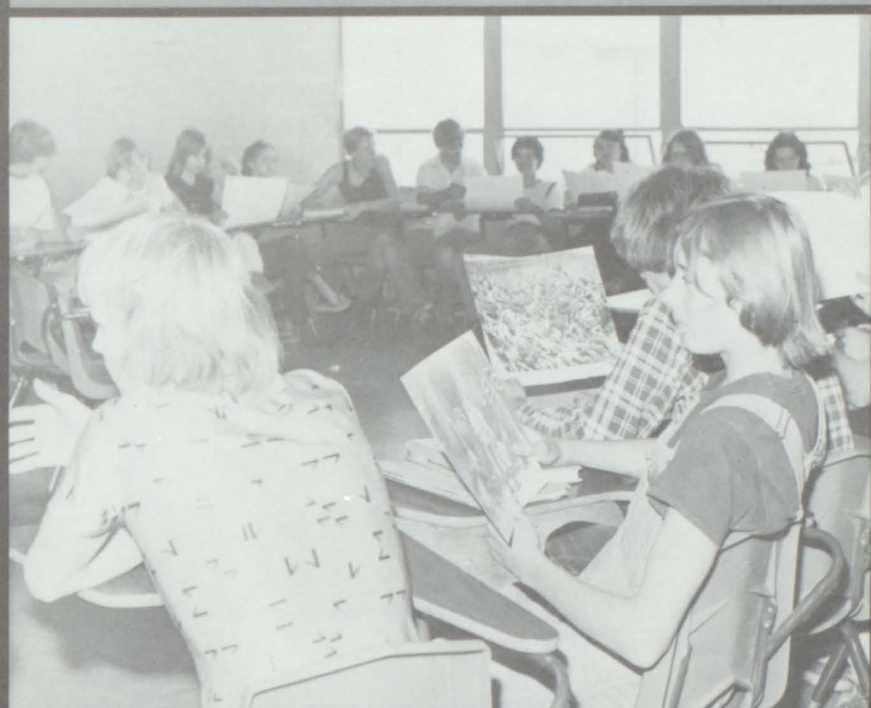


# SOCIAL STUDIES



Top left: Mr. Robert Haden was the freshmen class sponsor. Top right: Mr. Haden's human relations class. Bottom right: Mrs. Lucille Jones teaches sixth, seventh, and eighth grade social studies. Bottom left: American History students and pictures of the German crematory ovens.





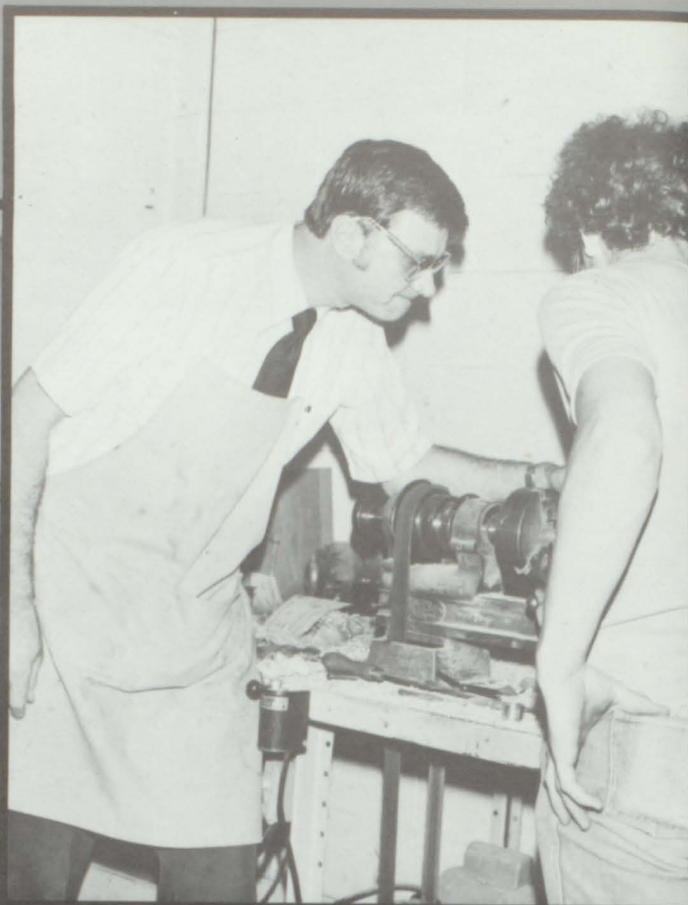
"History is important because learning about the past not only gives us a sense of our heritage, but also gives us the opportunity to learn from the mistakes of those preceding us," according to Mrs. Arnall. Social studies classes offered at the high school level include world geography, psychology, sociology, and American History (taught by Mrs. Arnall); contemporary issues, social problems, anthropology, and human relations (taught by Mr. Haden), and American History (taught by Mrs. Jones).

Top left: Mrs. Debbie Arnall sponsored the junior class, the LION'S GAZETTE, and the yearbook staff. Top right: Mrs. Arnall's American History students view pictures of the Nazi death camps during World War II. Bottom: Mrs. Jones eighth grade social studies class.

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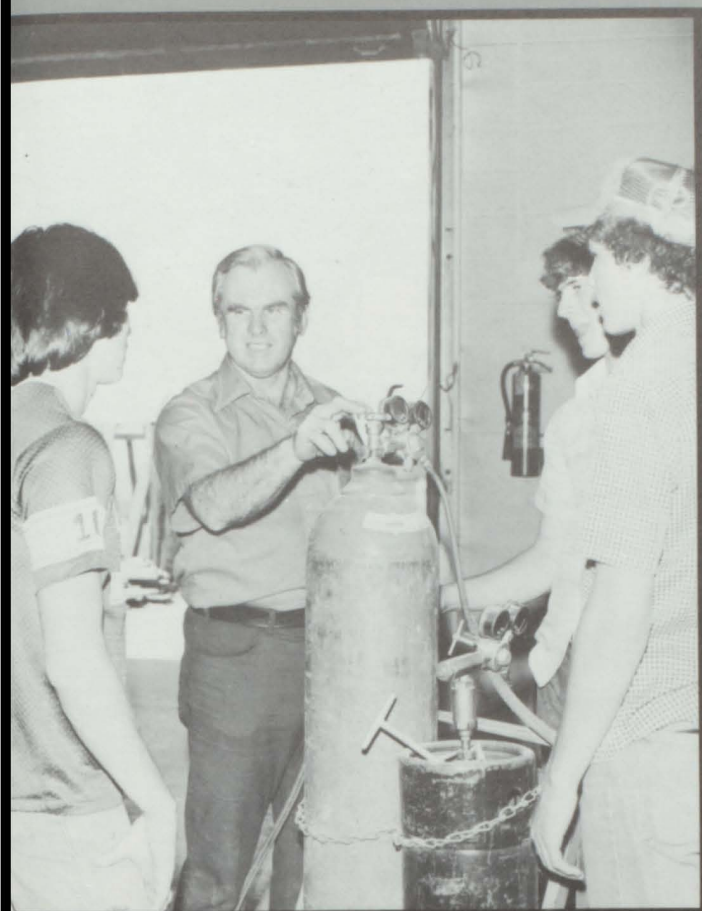
# VOCATIONAL



Top left: Woodworking students put the finishing touches on their projects. Top right: Mr. Bill Ghan serves as sponsor for the sophomore class. Bottom left: Miss Vivian Stanton sponsors the yearbook staff. Bottom right: Typing students work on a timed problem.

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The student desiring to go into a vocational course of study has no problem at M.H.S. There is an abundance of vocational classes, but if the student wishes more, he has the opportunity to enroll in the Vo-Tech classes at Mtn. Grove.

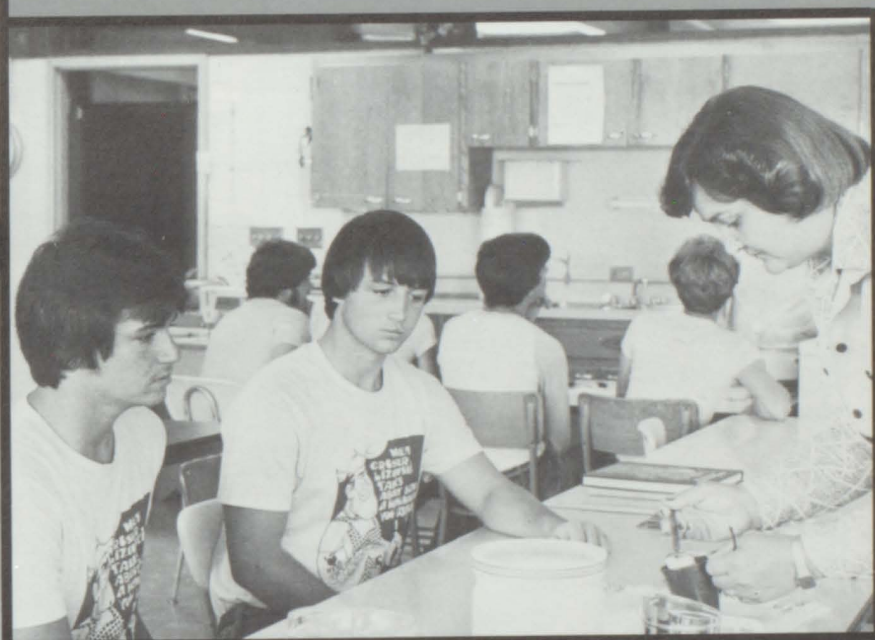
Here at Mansfield, the vocational classes fall in four main categories - industrial arts, business, agriculture, and home economics.

Mr. Ghan, the industrial arts teacher whose favorite words include "go to work, sand more, and clean up," teaches the following courses: general shop, general metals, woodworking, drafting, and eighth grade shop.

Business courses offered include typing, shorthand, accounting, and secretarial-clerical office practice. These courses are taught by Miss Stanton, who tells the following story. "The 1978-79 beginning shorthand class wanted to break a world record in shorthand. Therefore, I tried to get the class up to 140 words per minute. But no one was able to accomplish this feat. So then I crammed all ten students into the furnace closet in the shorthand room, and as years pass, they will be able to look back and say that they actually broke a world record in shorthand."

Mr. Cravens teaches Agriculture I and II, advanced dairy production, advanced livestock, electricity and welding, and agricultural construction. Mr. Cravens especially enjoys Ag. I because the "greenhands are getting their first exposure to FFA and vocational agriculture. I can watch them develop leadership and grow in knowledge."

Mrs. Barnett teaches Home Economics I, contemporary living, eighth grade home ec., child development, tailoring, housing, and consumer education. She sees an advantage to her courses in that "the kids choose to take them. They don't have to enroll in home economics if they aren't interested."



Top left: Mr. Gene Cravens is the F.F.A. sponsor. Right: Mrs. Barnett demonstrates measuring techniques to the contemporary living class. Lower left: Mrs. Kathy Barnett sponsors F.H.A.

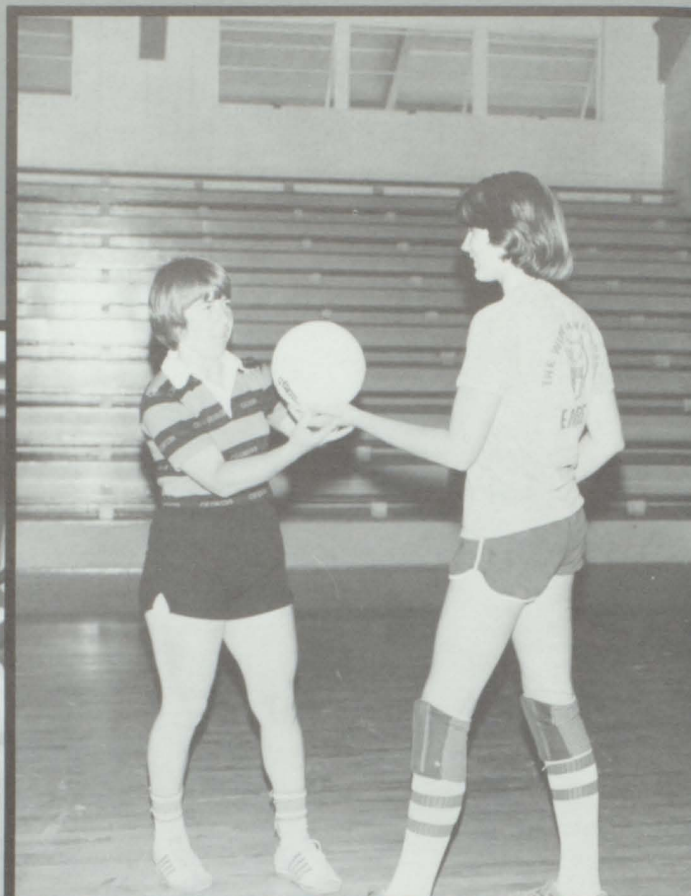
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# PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The physical education department offers P.E. classes for grades 7-12 (taught by Miss Wecker and Mr. Greene); girls basketball and softball (taught by Miss Wecker); track and freshmen basketball (taught by Mr. Greene); and health, drivers education, baseball, and basketball (taught by Mr. Short).

Track, a relatively new sport at M.H.S., is important "because it gives students more opportunities in intra-mural sports," says Mr. Greene. Basketball ranks top on the list for Miss Wecker and Mr. Short, although Mr. Short enjoys teaching driver's ed. because it's a nice change from being in the classroom.



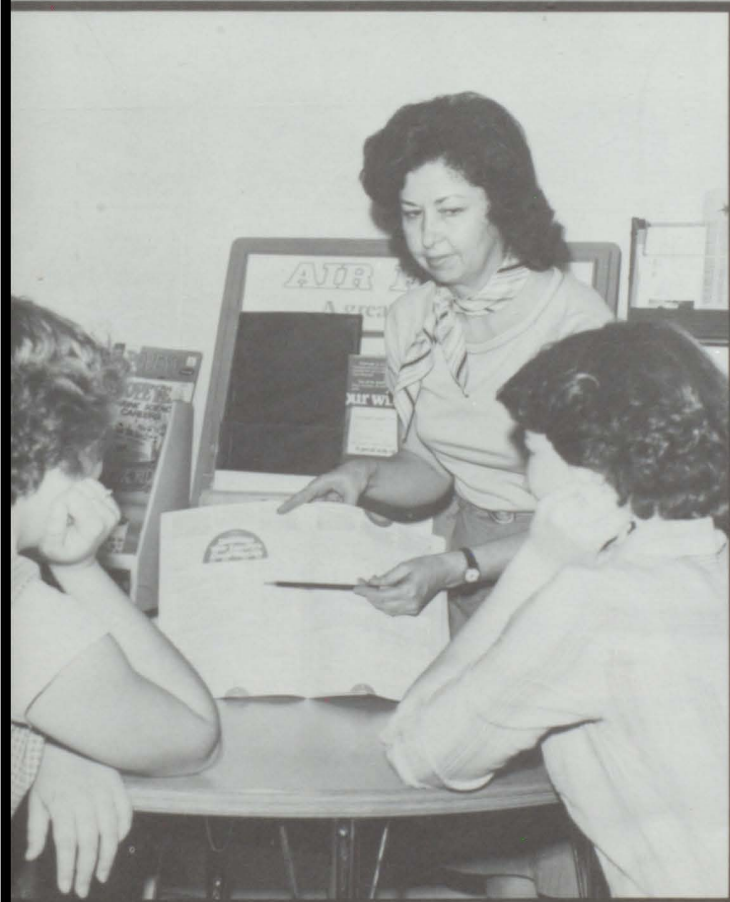
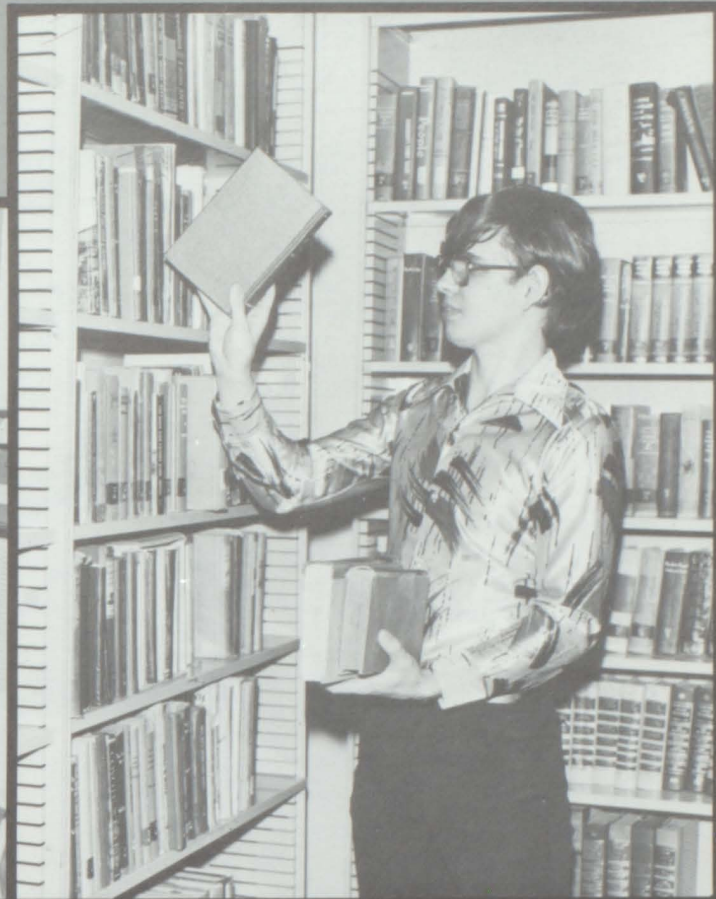
Top left: Mr. Randy Short also sponsors the senior class. Top right: Miss Susie Wecker finds time to sponsor the junior high and high school cheerleaders, the pompom girls, and the pep club. Lower left: Mr. Max Greene instructs James Dering in race procedure. Lower right: P.E. students during a volleyball game.



# LIBRARY

The high school library is controlled by Mr. Groom. He sees the library as "an important part of education because it is a source of knowledge and entertainment that will last and be available throughout a student's life."

Left: Students make use of library facilities, which include books, magazines, and reference materials. Right: Mr. Patrick Groom is the Library Club sponsor.



# COUNSELING

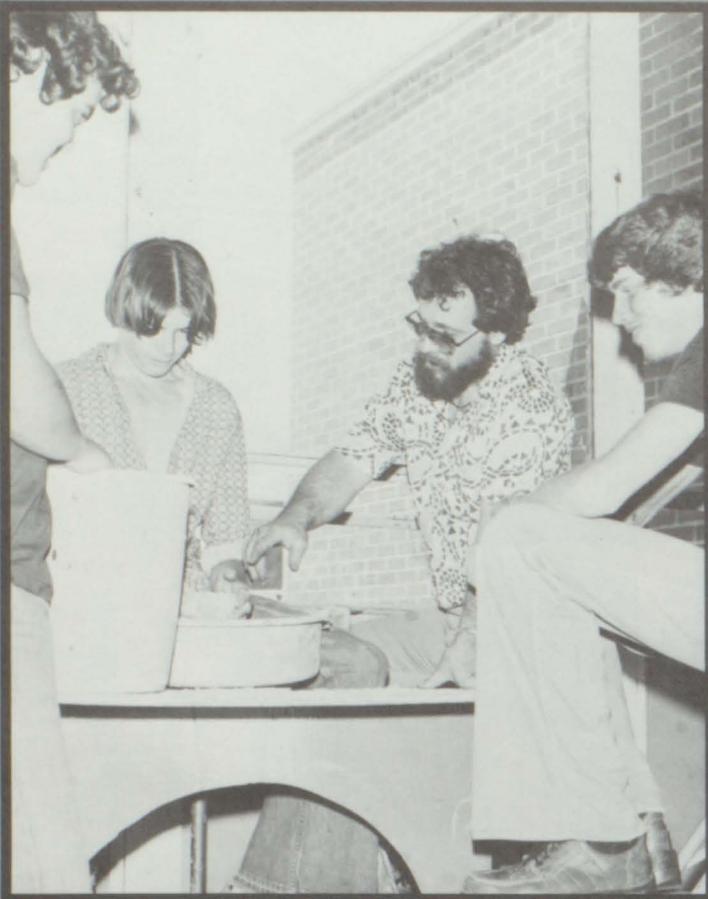
Mrs. Okema Haden, counselor, feels that her greatest accomplishment has been "helping a drop-out student not to give up."

Her job is to give students advice on matters that will concern them the rest of their lives. She tries to give guidance for questions such as "What courses should I take this year?" "Should I go to vocational school?" "What college should I go to?" "Are there any scholarships available to me?"

Mrs. Haden is also responsible for registering students, and testing them according to state policies. She sponsors the National Honor Society.



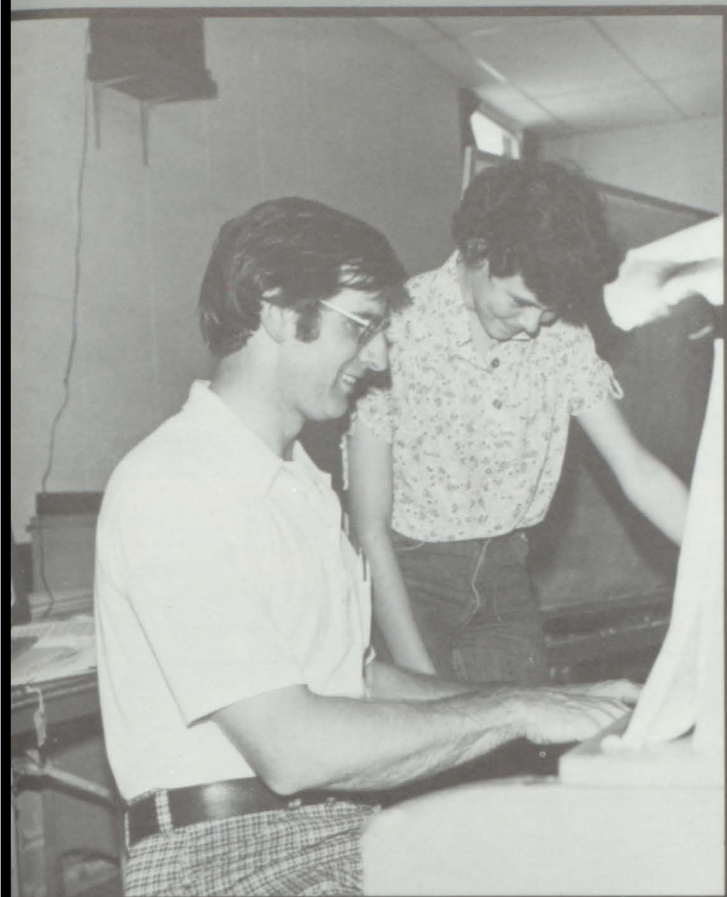
# FINE ARTS



Top left: Mr. Reed Shaw is a junior class sponsor. Top right: Students in Mr. Shaw's ceramics class apply what they have learned. Lower left: These students are making various kinds of jewelry. Lower right: Miss Carolyn Fullerton demonstrates kite artistry to one of her junior high classes.



Top left: Mr. Eric Spyres also serves as student council sponsor. Top right: Girls chorus rehearses a song. Bottom: Junior high art students.



Art classes offered at Mansfield include general art class for kindergarten through eighth grade (taught by Miss Fullerton); and Art I, II, and III; jewelry; leather; ceramics; and photography; (taught by Mr. Shaw).

Why is art important? Mr. Shaw thinks that "People need to learn more about the esthetics of art. By working with their hands, people learn a lot about themselves." He also feels that most students at Mansfield are very talented and have good potential.

Mr. Spyres teaches grades six through twelve vocal and instrumental music. This includes junior and senior high band, seventh and eighth general music, and high school girls glee. "Music," says Mr. Spyres, "offers many students the opportunity to participate in a school activity. Hopefully, as the years progress the student body, not just those in music, will grow to understand and appreciate the amount of time and sacrifice involved in making both chorus and band an important and needed part of Mansfield High School."



# ELEMENTARY

Kathryn Nichols (fifth grade), Susie Graham (fifth grade), Vickie Box (fourth grade), Kay Fisher (fourth grade).



Dallas Chambers (title one math), Helen Lawrence (title one reading), Connie Nations (music), Carolyn Fullerton (art), Doris Sheets (librarian), Dorothy Mitchell (parent coordinator), Karen Wilde (speech), Betty Johns (junior and senior high special education), Linda Graham (title one language), Delores Penny (elementary special education).



Lana Kirkland (teacher aid), Betty Newton (teacher aid), Debbie Moses (third grade), Barbara Starrett (third grade), Shirley Dedmon (teacher aid), Jerrie Wingo (teacher aid).





# FACULTY



Kathy Green (kindergarten), Carolyn Trammell (teacher aid), Helen Euler (teacher aid), Kathy Sell (kindergarten).



Joyce Dennis (teacher aid), Josie Adamson (second grade), April Lansdown (teacher aid), Mae Jordan (teacher aid), Evelyn Crump (second grade), Jean Coday (second grade).



Dorothy Wallace (first grade), Evelyn Hale (teacher aid), Janice Mitchell (first grade), Genora Gleason (teacher aid), Twila Collins (first grade), Frances Coday (first grade).



# COOKS

Connie Calhoun  
Jean Helsley  
Colene Garman  
Pat Dennis  
Geneva Westbrook  
Not Shown: Marge Short



# JANITORS

Bill Bennett  
Bob Maxwell  
Robert Johns  
James Helsley

# BUS DRIVERS

Morris Moody, James Lund, Jack Dedmon, Claude Dale, Lester Davis, Don Garman, Orville McConnell, Elmer Tarbutton, Emmett Allen, James Light, James Helsley.

Compliments of: FERN'S ANTIQUES



# EVERYTHING YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT STUDENTS\*



**\*BUT WERE AFRAID TO ASK**



# CLASS OFFICERS



Top: JUNIOR OFFICERS - Karen Dedmon (Reporter), Pat Hannum (Secretary), Cindy Lynch (President), Becky Blankenship (Vice-President), and Jennifer Johnson (Treasurer). Left: FRESHMEN OFFICERS - Cindy Bennett (Secretary), Terry Allen (Reporter), Michelle Hughes (President), Ronnie Barnum (Vice-President), Not Shown: Candy Cummins (Treasurer). Right: SOPHOMORE OFFICERS - Randy Adamson (President), Chris Jones (Vice-President), Debra Herbst (Secretary), Jackie Burris (Treasurer), Mike Huckaby (Reporter).

Compliments of: PETITE BEAUTY SHOP



# CLASS FAVORITES



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JUNIORS: John T. Miller  
Karen Dedmon



SOPHOMORES: Aaron Stanifer  
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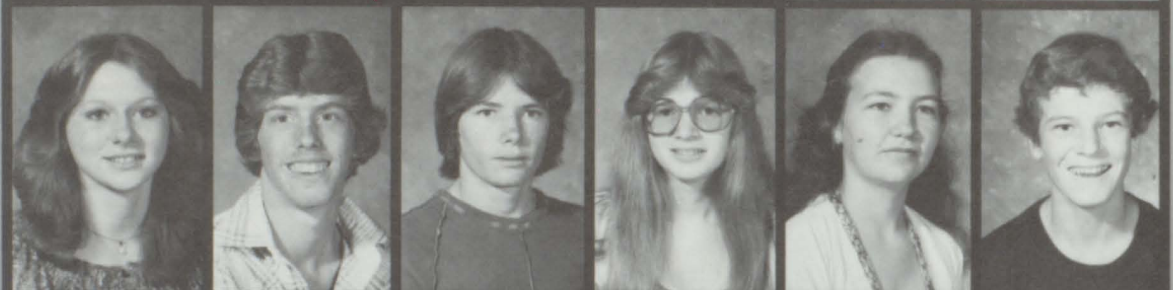
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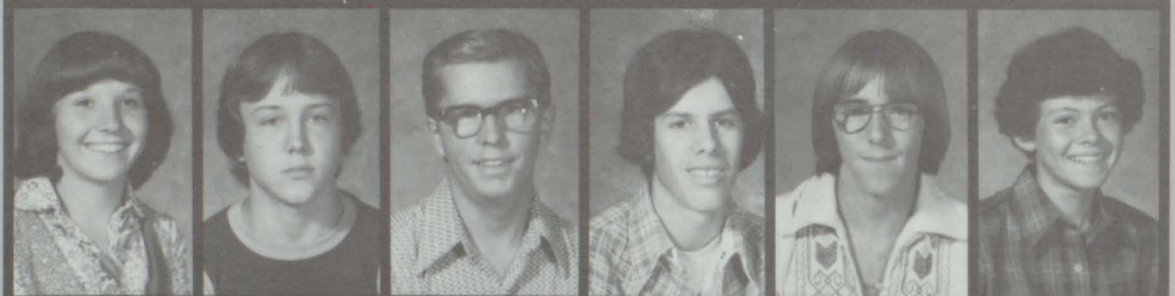
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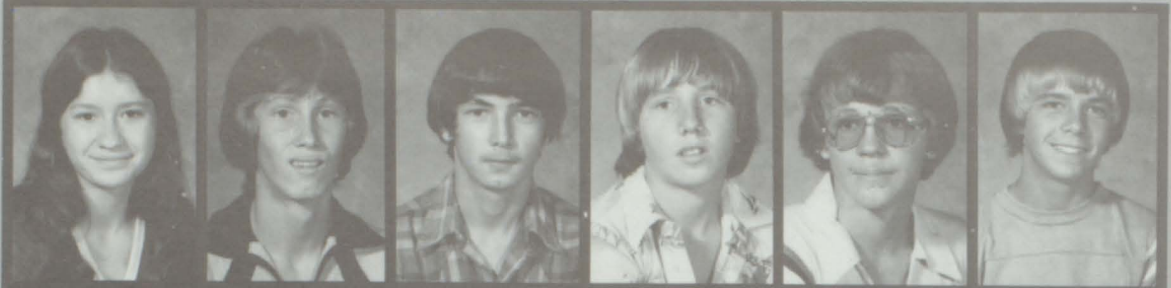
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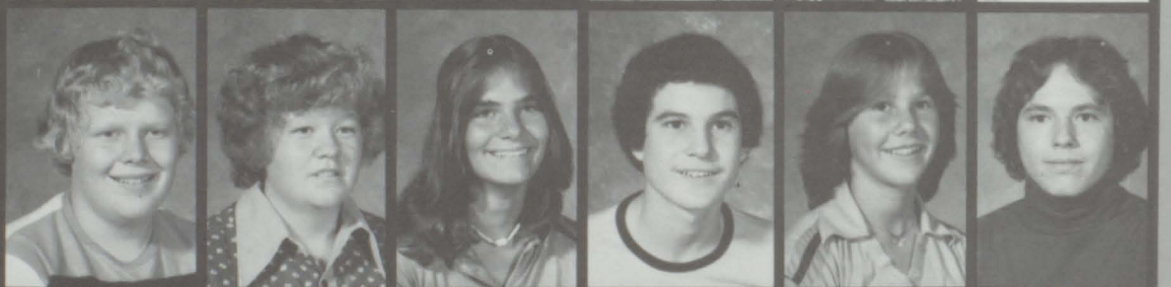
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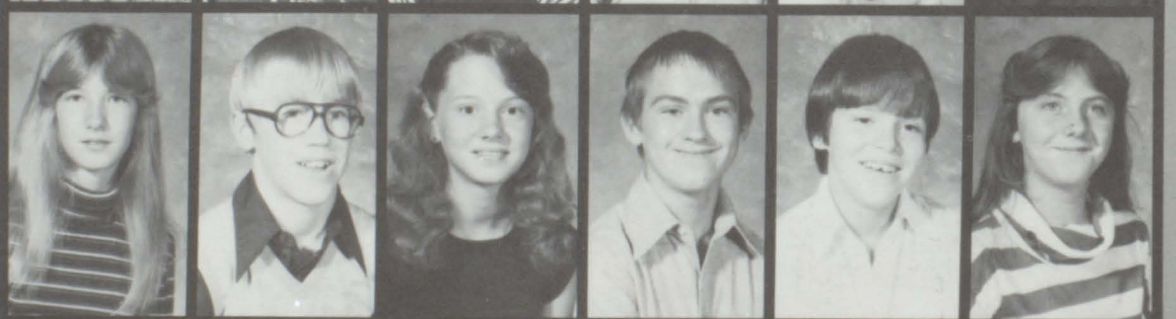
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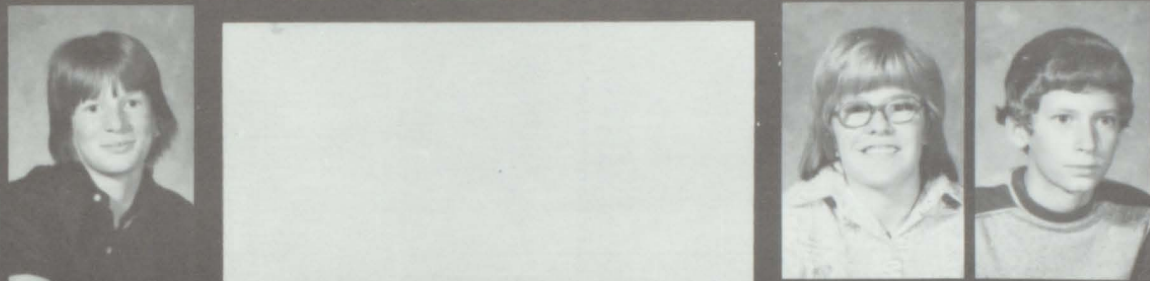




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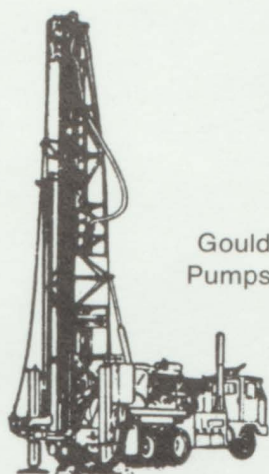
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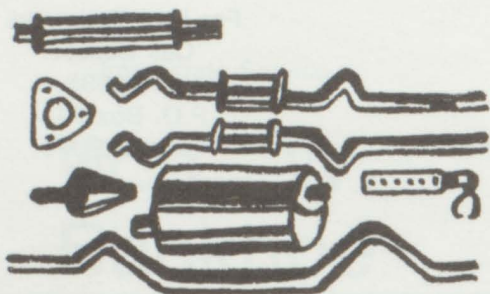
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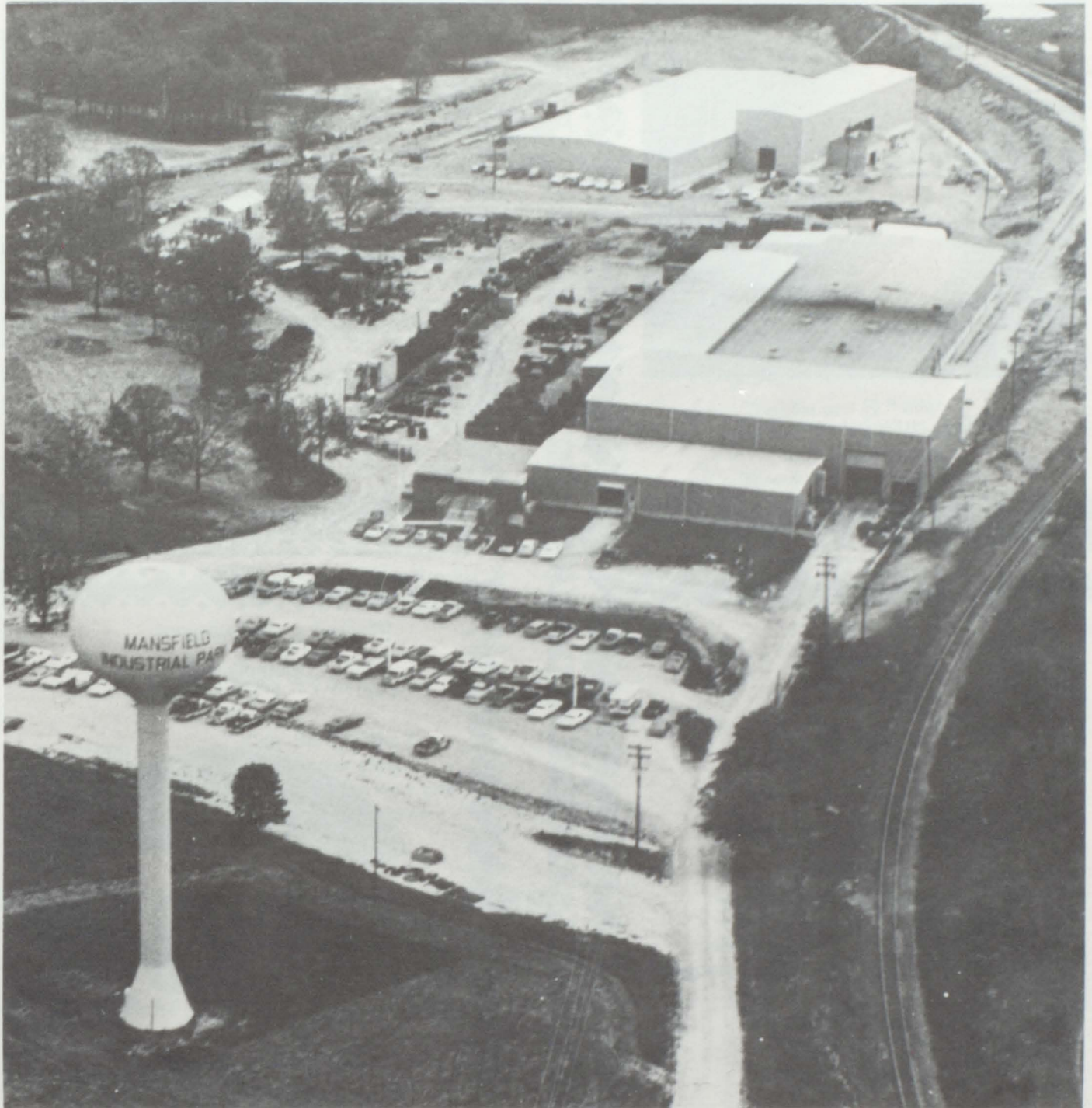
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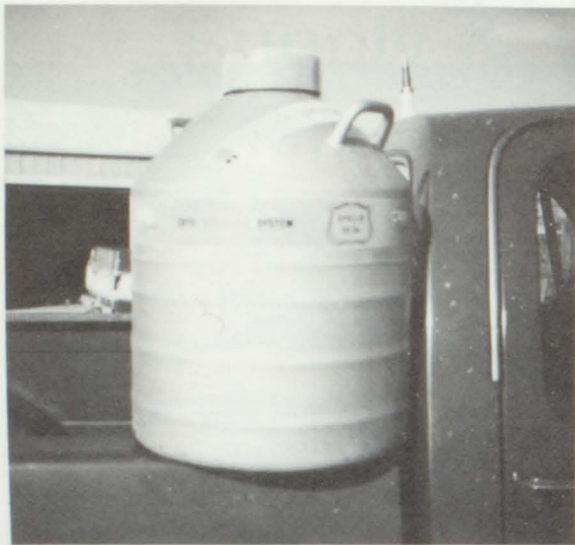


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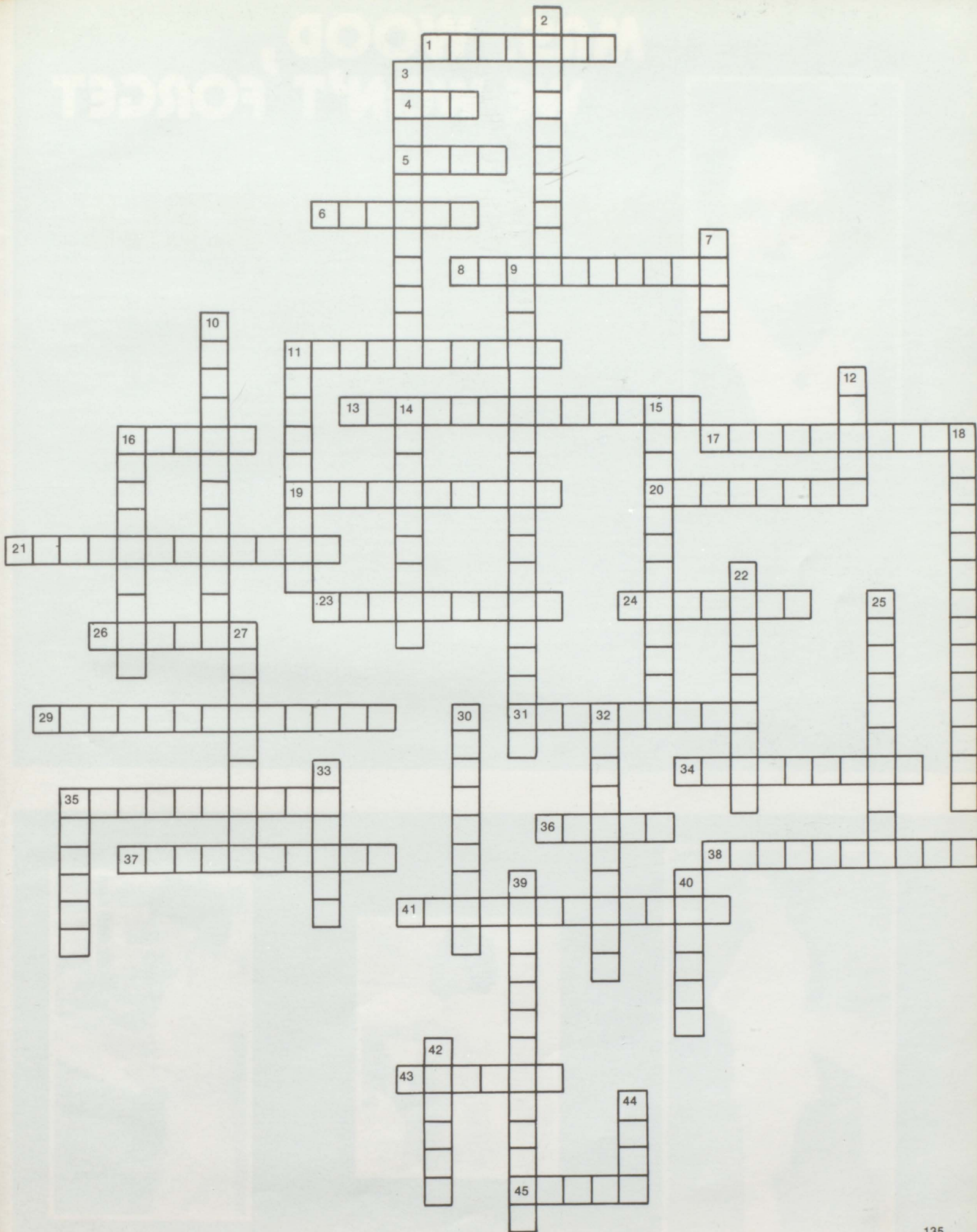
1. They won the Junior Olympics.
4. The room at school that has a moose head.
5. The Mansfield mascot.
6. The school color.
8. Mrs. Wilson's favorite game.
11. Student Body President.
13. This F.F.A. team placed 1st at state.
16. Favorite apparel.
17. She was F.H.A. President.
19. The F.H.A. raised \$800 by selling \_\_\_\_\_
20. Where Prom was held?
21. Barnwarming Queen.
23. The band won the 1st place trophy in the \_\_\_\_\_ parade.
24. Seniors went to \_\_\_\_\_ on their trip.
26. Lions placed \_\_\_\_\_ in the Regional.
29. Our fastest runner.
31. She was F.H.A.'er of the year.
34. Junior class sold many cases of \_\_\_\_\_
35. Name of band at Prom.
36. He trains jumping fish.
37. Placed 1st in the area creed speaking contest.
38. Senior class President.
41. \_\_\_\_\_ was named good citizen of M.H.S.
43. F.H.A. members need these to go to Silver Dollar City.
45. The Juniors picked \_\_\_\_\_ at Hannums.

## DOWN

2. M.H.S. player voted to the All Conference 1st Team.
3. The event Mr. Green excelled at in the Junior Olympics.
7. We had a long Christmas vacation because of \_\_\_\_\_?
9. The boy's Home Ec. class.
10. Received a 1 at the District Music Contest.
11. F.H.A. sold these on Valentines Day.
12. Color of Mrs. Arnall's room.
14. He won the American Legion High School Oratorical Contest.
15. President of the Sophomore class.
16. He designed the school crest.
18. Freshman class President.
22. F.F.A. members shook his hand.
25. Homecoming Queen.
27. Barnwarming King.
30. The Seniors sold \_\_\_\_\_ to make money.
32. President of the Junior class.
33. Lions placed \_\_\_\_\_ in the Mansfield Tourney.
35. What did the Seniors place in the Junior Olympics?
39. F.F.A. President.
40. Foreign language taught at M.H.S.
42. Why are some M.H.S. students bussed to Mtn. Grove?
44. What was fed to Mr. Boyer's fish?

ACROSS: 1. Faculty, 4. Art, 5. Lion, 6. Maroon, 8. Backgammon, 11. Chuck White, 13. Parliamentary, 16. Jeans, 17. Debbie Ream, 19. Tupperware, 20. Drury Inn, 21. Cheri Van Hook, 23. Hartville, 24. Kalfiran, 26. Second, 29. Darrel Hickman, 31. Nancy Nold, 34. Candy Bars, 35. Full Circle, 36. Boyer, 37. Cindy Short, 38. Jeff Dennis, 41. Sherie Snider, 43. Points, 45. Rocks. DOWN: 2. Glenn Quick, 3. Balloonwalk, 7. Snow, 9. Contemporary Living, 10. Regina Vinson, 11. Carnations, 12. Green, 14. R. L. Bennett, 15. Randy Adamson, 16. Jon Miller, 18. Michelle Hughes, 22. President, 25. Linda Irvin, 27. David Gray, 30. Magazines, 32. Cindy Lynch, 33. Second, 35. Fourth, 39. Rillie Stewart, 40. German, 42. VotTech, 44. Pigs.







# MRS. WOOD, WE WON'T FORGET



Although Mrs. Dorothy Wood is no longer standing at the blackboard in her classroom, lecturing to a number of high school students, she will always remain in their hearts. For Mrs. Wood was no ordinary teacher or person. She was much more. She was warm, understanding, and always took a special interest in every student she had.

There was never a problem too big or too small when a student needed Mrs. Wood's help. She devoted her life to her work and after taking one of her classes you could walk away with the satisfaction of knowing you had learned something.

Former graduates of Mansfield who came back to visit the high school nearly always took time to speak to Mrs. Wood while there. Even though she worked them hard while they were in school, it was Mrs. Wood they remembered after graduating.

In the classroom, she demanded respect and attention and she got it. Where other teachers may have failed to impress upon students the importance of a sound education, Mrs. Wood usually managed to succeed. Her ready smile and sense of humor gave her a special kind of personality which attracted friendship from everyone she knew.

Dorothy Alice Barlow was born April 11, 1926 on the same farm where she was living at the time of her death on November 9, 1978.

She spent nearly all of her school years here in Mansfield, but attended school in the state of Oregon for a short period of time. She returned to Mansfield in the middle 1930's and graduated from high school in 1943.

Mrs. Wood began teaching at the age of seventeen at Robinette near Hartville and at Oak Ridge near Mansfield. She attended college at Southwest Missouri State Teachers College in Springfield while teaching.

In the spring of 1948, Mrs. Wood graduated from college with a B.S. in Education. In March of the same year she married Mr. Robert Wood.

Her next teaching jobs were at Dora High School and Norwood High School. She accepted a job in Perryville, Maryland but had to resign due to a change in her husband's navy orders which led them to Great Lakes, Illinois.

While in Illinois, Mrs. Wood taught and was also principal at the Wadsworth Elementary School. Later, when Wadsworth consolidated with a school in Gurnee, Illinois, she remained in the school system and was head of the English department for approximately eight years.

In 1972 Mrs. Wood returned to her hometown here in Mansfield where she taught high school English until the time of her death. Some of the classes she taught while here are Composition, Practical English, Appreciation of Literature, Business Math, Study Hall, Bookkeeping, Science Fiction, Business English, Creative Writing, Potpourri, General Business, Business Law, Consumer Education, and American Literature.

Not only was Mrs. Wood an active faculty member at school, she was also a member of the Missouri State Teachers Association, American Legion Auxiliary, and a very devoted member of the First Baptist Church.

Although Mrs. Wood can no longer be with us at Mansfield High to teach us and to counsel us in the way she used to, she has left us with many happy memories and a good example of someone dedicated to their work and loved ones.

"The happy moments were when she was visited by former students, and the cards and letters she received from former students (which were many) praising her for her efforts in teaching them. She would remark, 'That letter was worth any effort I ever put forth.'" Mr. Robert Wood.

"She refused to give in, to let up, to quit." Mrs. Debbie Arnall.

"Mrs. Wood had a very big influence on my life. She would always have a smile or a kind word for everyone." Debbie Ream.

"Her life touched many people." Rev. Dewey R. Hale.

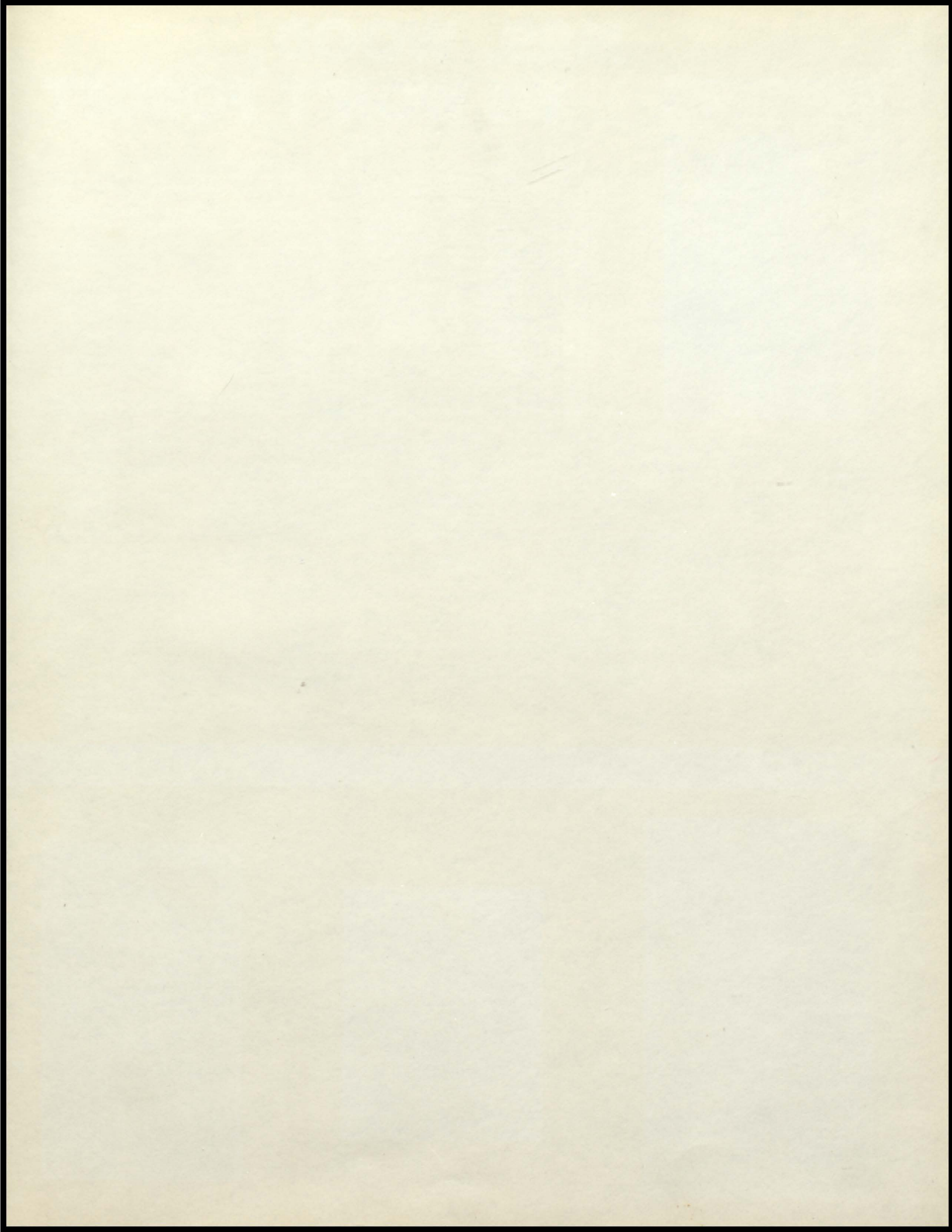
"Mrs. Wood was a very strong-minded person who never gave up easily. She was someone who understood the reasons students did what they did." Mrs. Kathy Barnett.

"She was known for her great sayings such as, Shut up!, Cool it!, All right! and the one she told every new student, 'My name is Mrs. Wood - not Woods. Just one tree - not a whole forest.' She left an impression on each and every one of us. She was a great teacher!" Jeff Dennis

by Diane Pearson  
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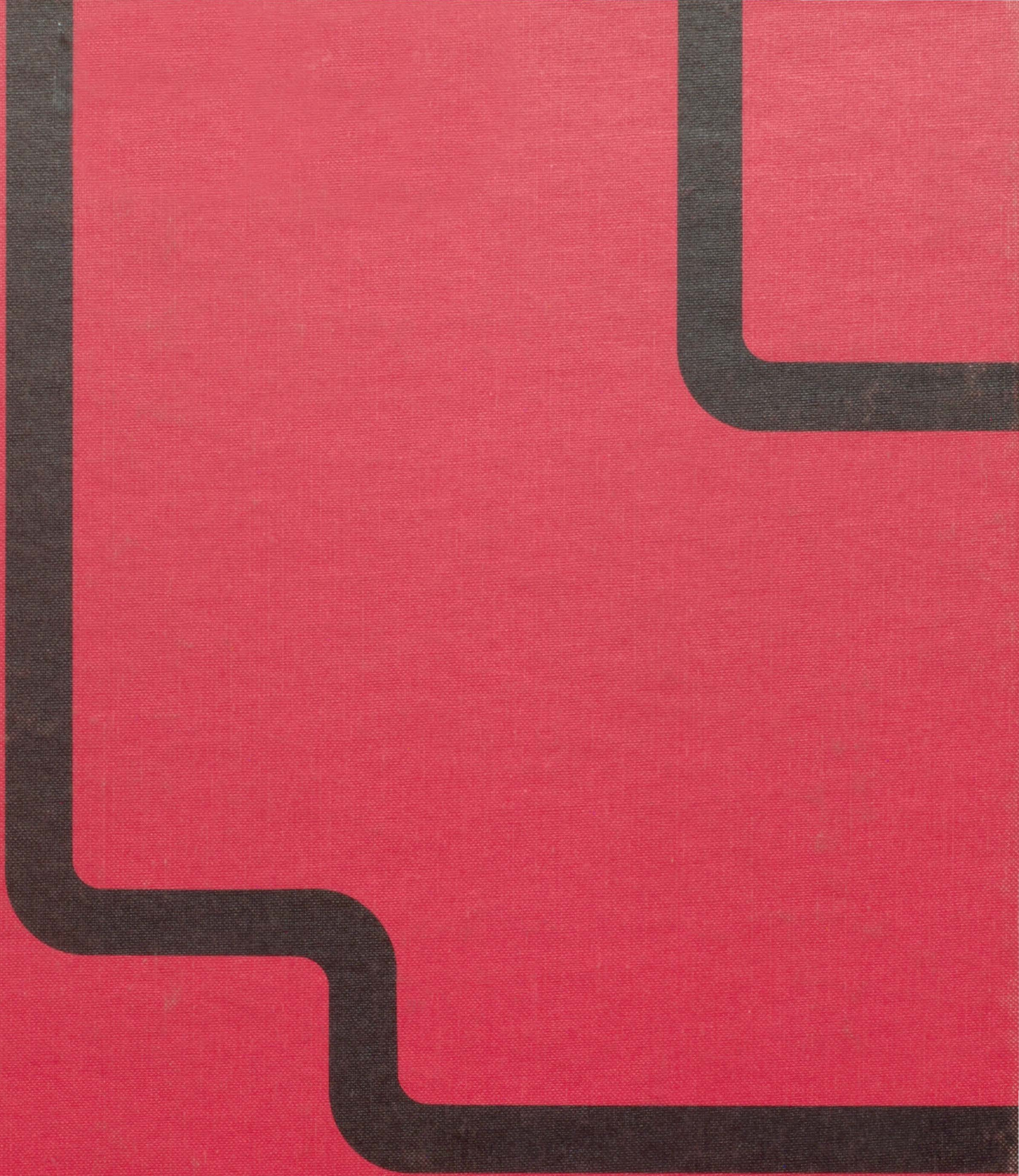












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