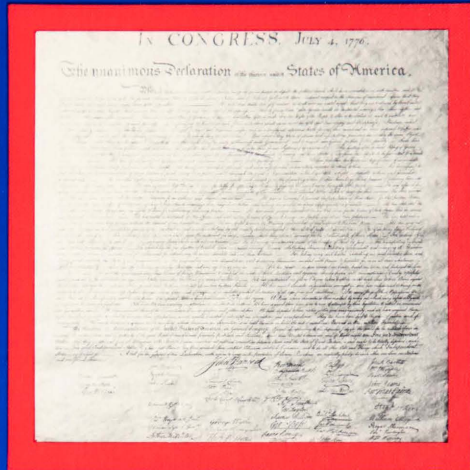


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DEDICATION: JULIA SEGALLA



Dear Mrs. Segalla:

In appreciation for everything you have done for us, we dedicate our book to you. You came to our rescue Junior year when Mrs. Luminati left. You have sacrificed much of your time for our benefit. You are patient and understanding with our problems. You have always been there to help us through with your smiling face.

Many thanks,
The Spirit of '76





Brian Strathman



Hortense Nolan



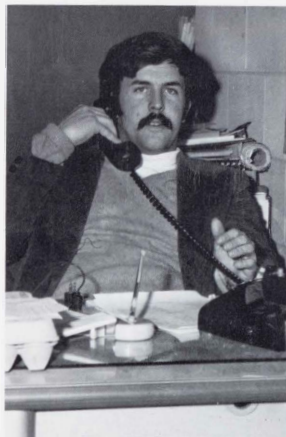
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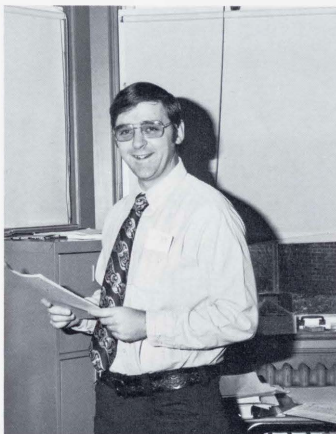
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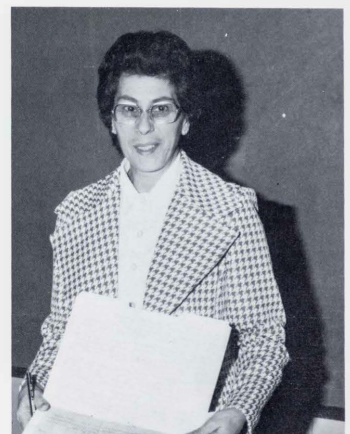
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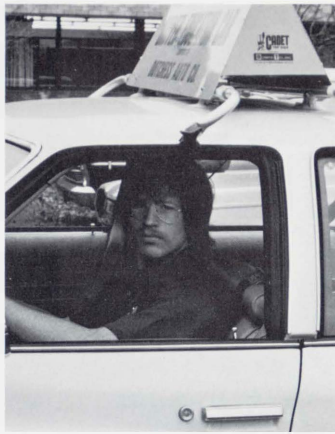
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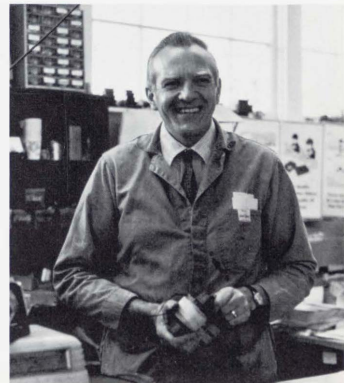
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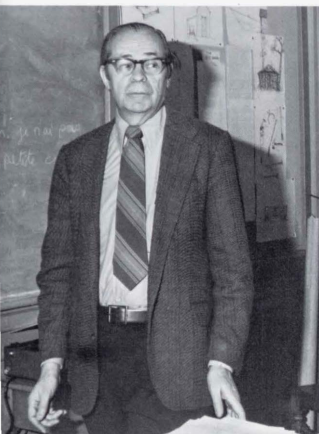
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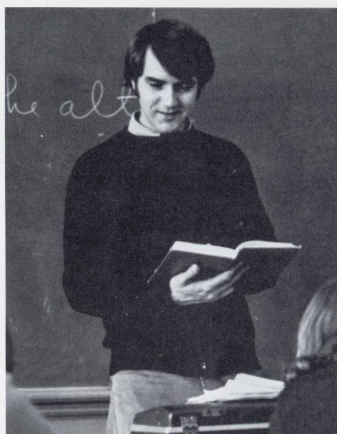
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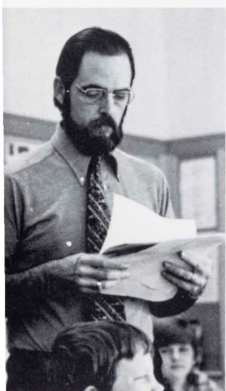
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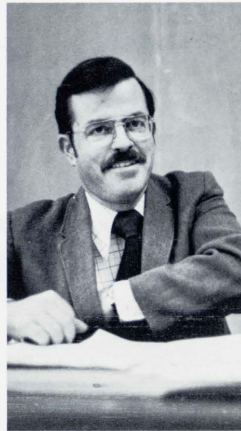
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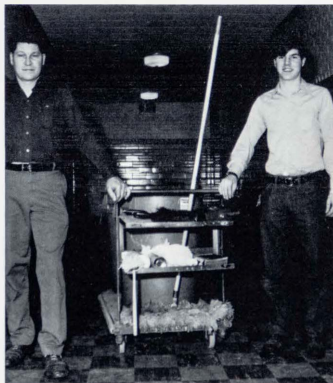
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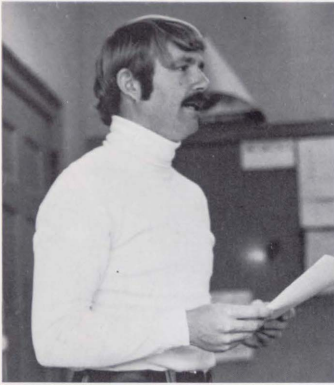
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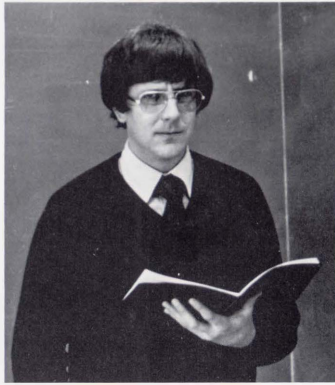
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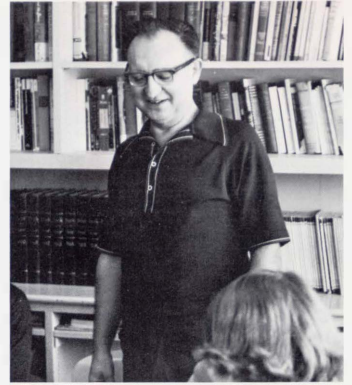
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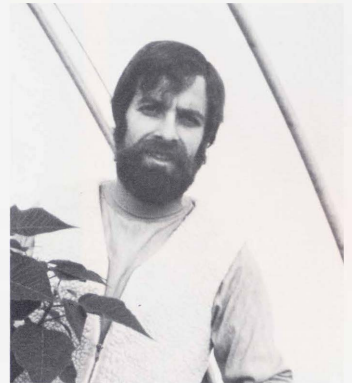
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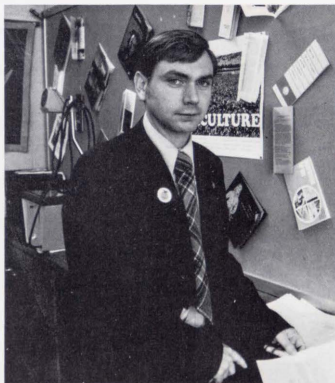
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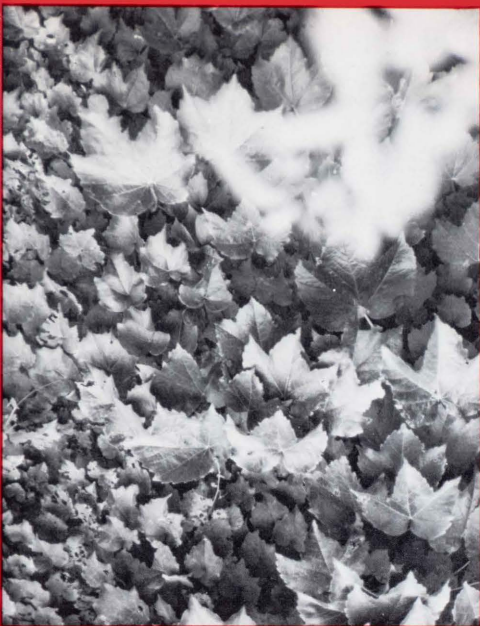
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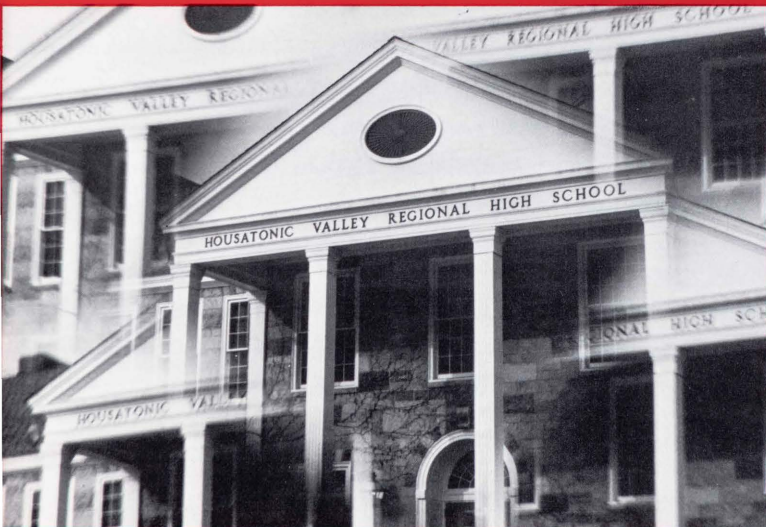
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FALL



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Cheerleading	16
Cross Country	18
Field Hockey	20
Boys' Soccer	22
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Chorus	28
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FRESHMEN



GIRLS

FIRST ROW: Amy Fracaro, Robin Miles, Karen Kemp, Holly Miles, Jennifer Kellett, Darlene Hewins, Carla Mallory, Ann Greenwood, Debra Bohren, Karen Beers, Donna Johnson, Marilisa Traverso.

SECOND ROW: Shannon May, Jennifer Prindle, Corina Montgomery, Nancy Fisher, Mary Carberry, Patricia Casey, Marlene Charity, Joan Wright, Donna Brelsford, Beth Grossman, Cynthia Riley.

THIRD ROW: Maura Landis, Terri Hall, Mary Spolowich, Lori Fiengo, Laurie Snyder, Deborah Johnson, Jackie Kaminski, Ramona Bauer, Deborah Gleason, Shelly Rice, Marianne Szczesul.

FOURTH ROW: Jeanne Lacko, Cynthia Lowrie, Robain Ball, Lisa Leone, Karen Graves, Gail Hennessey, Jacqueline Mosher, Kim Waldron, Lois Wheeler, Patricia Lowell.

FIFTH ROW: Lisa Peterson, Diane Morehouse, Cheryl Marsh, Nancy Peters, Lori Irving, Estelle Wathley, Christine Matson, Sherri Chapell, Maria Scoville, Susan Lockwood, Meg Michalek.

SIXTH ROW: Jerilyn Smith, Nancy Farwell, Marcia Fleisher, Sharon Baird, Renee Conklin, Darlene Hewins, Julie Marshall, Denise Jackson, Barbara Duggan.

SEVENTH ROW: Juanita Hagadone, Patty MacNiel, Kim Stewart, Theresa Shealy, Lori Williams, Mary Ann Dolan, Jean Jackman, Rose Gebbia, Stephanie Hiccek, Linda Stefanisko.

EIGHTH ROW: Ann Mallory, Kathy Hanes, Debbie Charity, Susan Romeo, Stephanie Cavanaugh, Tammy Rave, Trudy Dubray, Jill Stratman, Bonnie Brazee, Rachel Mercer.

NINTH ROW: Joanna Eddy, Cathy Shanley, Sandi Gilpatrick, Betsy Schafer, Bonnie Sheldon, Marybeth Alto, Lou Ann Barney, Lori Brown, Becky Golden, Michele Castiglione.

TENTH ROW: Susan Chilcoat, Theresa Carley, Edith Myers, Kim Kosciusko, Marcelle Ovitt, Denise Dennis.



BOYS

FIRST ROW: Brian Martin, Richard Ford, Vincent Peppe, Chris Drumm, Bobby Sieller, Danny Matthews, Todd Zinke, Steven Tatsapaugh, Charles Arrigoni, Greg Gomez, Mark Janello, Brian Wilcox, Steven Kowalski.

SECOND ROW: Robert Anderson, Todd Boibeaux, Frank Ghi, Jay Fallon, Duke Pozzetta, Brian Beneduce, Robert Hoshko, Larry Keller, Kurt Sternlof, Jacques Rivard, Chris Dodge.

THIRD ROW: Brad Paulsen, Jeffrey Brum, David Graff, Gene Speed, Jeff Ghidossi, Michael Bonn, Guy Bunce, Richard Chase, Leon McLain, Scott Walker, Kevin Sugrue.

FOURTH ROW: Richard Miles, Dexter Weaver, Glenn Cross, Steve Lee, Donald Sager, Glen Soper, Brad Perkins, John LaPorta, Mike Spohn, Shawn McCracken, Larry Madsen, Jim Wilson.

FIFTH ROW: Mike Constantine, Danny Flint, Winthrop Arnold, Dean Stapleton, Jeff Shores, Wesley Herrmann, Rick Kearns, Richard DeProdocini, Todd Fails, Bill Wallace, William Suydam.

SIXTH ROW: Steve Donahue, Guy Johnson, Howard Boulter, Michael Dodge, Neil Wilcox, Joe Pierzga, John Wildman, Gary Marks, Peter Lorenzo, Thomas Lovett.

SEVENTH ROW: Jerry Morey, Michael Rice, Neil Miller, Michael Alvarez, Richard Hogan, Ken Lowell, John Valinaggi, Kevin McGivern, Bryon Robinson, David Hall, Eddie Gagnier, Timothy Weeks.

EIGHTH ROW: David Schmitt, Michael Sciepora, James Wheeler, Jimmy Hickey, Kenny Lee, Steven Stuart, Josh Ruman, Joe Sexton, Rickie Sears.

NINTH ROW: Rick Gomez, Thomas Warner, Mark Charity, Mike Wendover, Bill Madden, David Golden, Joe Cash, Ernie Lowell, Brian Allyn.

TENTH ROW: Mark Guodace, Raymond Ovitt, Donny Palmer, Joe Currier, John Warner, Danny McKenny, Brain Orth, Michael Tietjen, David Arno, Doug Cahill.

FOOTBALL



Coach Dower



Head Coach Guy



Coach Rubino

Housatonic football had its finest season in 15 years under new head coach Michael Guy, winning 5, tying one, and losing 3. Consistent team play helped throughout the season with seven different players sharing scoring honors. Outstanding play was by MVP Crickett Trotta, along with seniors Dave Holst-Grubbe, Randy Tatsapaugh and Co-Captains Tom Bunce and Chuck Arbo. The Housatonic interior line, composed mainly of juniors, did its job well, allowing quarterback Holst-Grubbe to be sacked only 7 times all year. With this strong nucleus returning, everyone expects another good season next year.



FIRST ROW: Joe Heacox, Mike Leonidov, Kevin McCracken, Jamie Ghidossi, Kevin Riley, Gary Tweed, Rick Miller, Peter Schultz, Jeff Lloyd. SECOND ROW: Clay Paniati, Tom Whitehead, John Schuler, John Mulligan, Don Lamb, Rick Alto, John Bonn, Phil Campbell, Steve Campbell, Rick Cantele, Dave O'Donnell.

	Opp.	HVRHS
Monument Mountain	0	12
Millbrook	14	14
Pawling	12	20
Pomperaug	14	34
Dover	6	12
Pine Plains	0	28
Brookfield	37	20
Gilbert	55	0
Mount Everett	28	22





Co-Captain Chuck Arbo



Steve Pickert, Cricket Trotta, Randy Tatsapaugh, Bill Solan, Tom Bunce, Coach Dower, Coach Guy, Coach Rubino, Chuck Arbo, David Holst-Grubbe, John Bunce, Chuck Conlogue, and David Perotti.



Co-Captain Tom Bunce



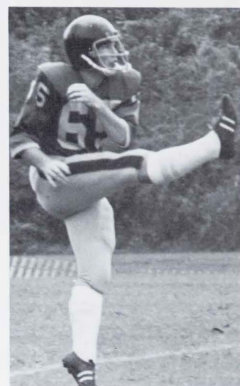
Randy Tatsapaugh



Dave Holst-Grubbe



Cricket Trotta



Steve Pickert



Chuck Conlogue



Bill Solan



John Bunce



David Perotti

CHEERLEADING



FIRST ROW: Faith Charity, Diana Hart, JoAnn Pulver, Nancy Stanton, and Sandy Riley. SECOND ROW: Lori Jo Grossman, Joan Peters, Wendy Rice, Shirley Sills, Terri Wingard, and Marie Davis. THIRD ROW: Bernadette Victor, Barbara Szczesul, and Mary Ellen O'Donnell.



Miss Thormann

The great success of our teams this year provoked much spirit within the school and classes as shown by the great pep rallies. More pep buses than ever supported our away games, and football spectators at home games filled the side of the hill. This year's squad, led by senior tri-captains Diana Hart, JoAnn Pulver, and Nancy Stanton, who cheered for their fourth year, was very busy cheering Varsity Football, JV and Freshman Football, Varsity Soccer, JV Soccer, Cross Country, and Basketball. Two seniors joined the squad this year; Faith Charity and Sandy Riley. Also, juniors Joan Peters, Wendy Rice, and Bernadette Victor cheered for their third year. Six sophomores also made the squad; Lori Jo Grossman, Marie Davis, Mary Ellen O'Donnell, Terri Wingard, Barbara Szczesul, and Shirley Sills. The Cheerleader's wonderful advisor, Miss Thormann, organized and assisted them throughout the year.



Tri-Captains Diana Hart, JoAnn Pulver, and Nancy Stanton



Sandy Riley



Faith Charity



JoAnn Pulver and Diana Hart



Nancy Stanton



JoAnn Pulver



Sandy Riley



Diana Hart

CROSS COUNTRY



The 9-8 team fought injury and illness to stay above .500 this year. Captain and MVP Andy Belter won 13 races, made the state open, and was a NWC All-Star, along with Roman Victor and K.C. Baird. Other highlights were the recovery of Bill Markey and freshmen standouts Glen Cross and Kim Kosciusko.

	Opp.	H	V	R	H	S
Granby	19					42
Suffield	39					18
Avon	24					32
Farmington	25					35
Torrington	17					44
Thomaston	27					28
Middletown	25					34
Canton	40					17
Oliver Wolcott	37					20
Gilbert	30					26
New Milford	21					39
Lewis Mills	22					35
Berlin	21					17
Derby	28					27
Nonnewaug	37					18
Shepaug	29					27
Wolcott	33					22



Kim



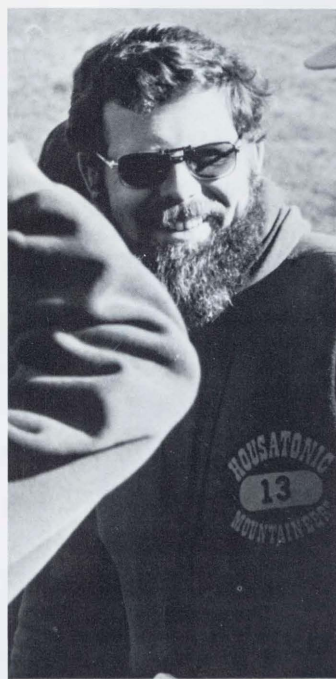
FIRST ROW: Kim Kosciusko, Dan Matthews, Buddy Riva, Jeff Angelovich. SECOND ROW: Coach Lindsay, Jay Booth, Glen Cross, Brian Carlson, Brad Perkins, Art Quinion.



Captain Andy Belter



Roman Victor



Coach Lindsay

FIELD HOCKEY



Coach Susan Kennedy

FRONT ROW: Pat Jasmine, Lori Cluff, Bonnie Sheldon, Beth Grossman, Cathy Shanley, Sarah Burgess, Cheryl Martin. SECOND ROW: Jennifer Kellett, Maggie MacNeil, Frannie LaPlaca, Robin Luminati, Kaki Kirby, Lori Tatsapaugh, Cindy Hanes, Bridget Brien, Mgr. Stephanie Cavanaugh.



The 2-9-1 team was greatly improved compared to last year, playing well and competitively. Robin Luminati led the season's scoring, and the team's goals doubled from last year. Other bright spots included an exciting game against Lewis Mills, a solid win over Mt. Everett, and the tie with Berkshire. All-Star Co-Captain Marion McDougall, All-Star Faith Lovett, and Co-Captain Gail Combs led the team in defense and offense, as six other seniors also contributed to varsity successes.



FRONT ROW: Co-Captain Marion McDougall, Co-Captain Gail Combs, SECOND ROW: Miriam Andrew, Gail Cross, Patt Alto, Faith Lovett, Dawn Tatsapaugh, Pat Paocha.

	Opp.	HVRHS
Farmington	4	0
Lewis Mills	10	0
Avon	5	1
Hotchkiss	3	0
Canton	4	1
Mt. Everett	1	4
Watertown	0	2
Canton	2	0
Farmington	4	0
Lewis Mills	2	1
Avon	5	1
Berkshire	1	1



Gail Cross



Patt Alto



Dawn Tatsapaugh



Co-Captain Marion McDougall



Co-Captain Gail Combs



Faith Lovett



Pat Pacocha

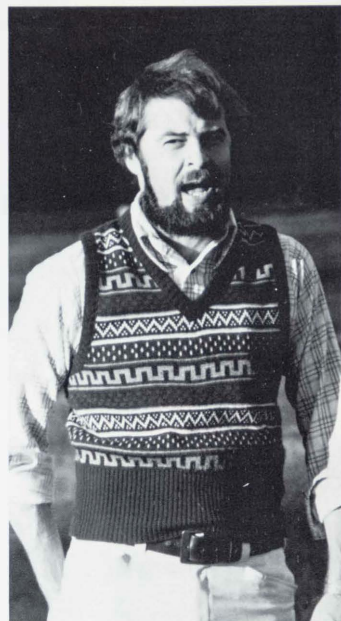


Miriam Andrew

BOYS SOCCER



FRONT ROW: Co-Captain David Paton, Chris Parsons, Co-Captain Mike Dunsmore. SECOND ROW: Neal Kosciusko, Brad Paulsen, Jose Lacerda, Ed Matson, Erik Burcroff, Andy Allen, Marcus Casman. THIRD ROW: Coach Shaffer, Paul Schmitt, Todd Victor, Josef Jungo, Gigi Smith, Bobby Garfield, Ralph Scoville, David Heiningar, Ralph Mafford, Marc Mittaud.



Head Coach David Shaffer

This year's 4-10 record does not truly show the skill & aggressiveness of the team. Captains Dave Paton and Mike Dunsmore played outstanding offense, as did seniors Todd Victor and Gigi Smith. Goalie Chris Parsons was superb for the second straight year, a NWC All-Star as a sophomore. AFS student and first team NWC All-Star Josef gave much talent to the team's successes, scoring the last five goals of the season himself.

	Opp.	H	V	R	S
New Milford	0				6
Avon	5				2
Oliver Wolcott	0				2
Canton	3				2
Northwest	2				3
Regional					
Farmington	4				0
Lewis Mills	0				2
Avon	4				2
Oliver Wolcott	3				1
Canton	3				2
Northwest	2				0
Regional					
Farmington	2				0
Lewis Mills	2				0
New Milford	1				2



FRONT ROW: Shawn McCracken, Rick Carley, Ed Golden, Jim Madden, Bobby Stair, Ben Terrall, Jerry Wingard, Jeff Shores, Bobby Seiller. SECOND ROW: Carle Ovitt, Rick Kearns, Mike Spohn, Rick Sears, Chris Dodge, Brian Beneduce, Kurt Sternlof, Larry Madsen, Vincent Peppe, Coach Denny.



Co-Captain Dave Paton



Co-Captain Mike Dunsmore



Josef Jungo



Ralph Hafford



Bobby Garfield



David Heining



Gigi Smith



Todd Victor



Ralph Scoville

GIRLS SOCCER



FIRST ROW: Liz Paley, Peggy St. Martin, Jackie Rice, Alison Blake, Maureen Dell, Kathy Sheldon.
SECOND ROW: Mgr. Cheryl Thibault, Lynn Kelsey, Donna Brelsford, Susan Chilcoat, Kathy Hanes, Marybeth Alto, Renee Conklin, Betsy Schafer, Janet Schneider, Lori Cahill, Mgr. Carol Russ.

The Girls' Soccer team, led by Senior Co-Captains Diane Stoddard and Sheryl Stair, had a perfect 9-0-0 season and nine records were broken under experienced Coach Greco. Freshman Betsy Schafer broke the record for goals and points in a season, Sheryl Stair broke the record for assists in a season, and Donna Marchi set a record for shut-outs in a season as goalie. In the 4 years existence of a team, they compiled a record of 29-3-1. This fine tradition started by the seniors has set an example for the future of the team. Kick Ass!

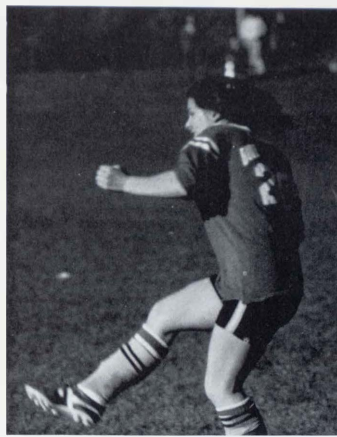
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Hotchkiss	0					3
Millbrook	0					6
Berkshire	1					2
Millbrook	0					5
St. Margaret	0					3
McTernan						
Monument	2					4
Mountain						
Monument	0					3
Mountain						
Lenox	1					3
Yale (Scrimage)	1					5
Ethel Walker	1					3



FIRST ROW: Co-Captain Sheryl Stair, Donna Marchi, Co-Captain Stubby Stoddard. SECOND ROW: Maggie Steig, Mo Kirby, Diane Chinatti, Allison Hurley, Heather Whitehead, Ely Ducreux.



Co-Captain Sheryl Stair



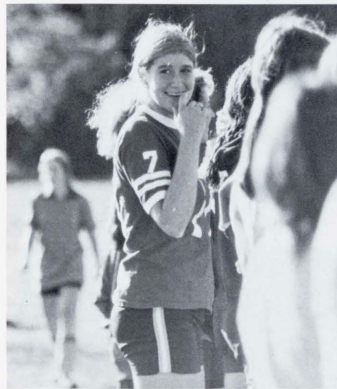
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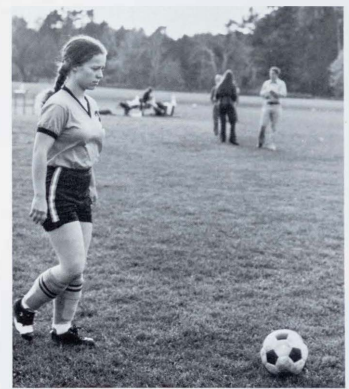
Mo Kirby



Heather Whitehead



Allison Hurley



Maggie Steig



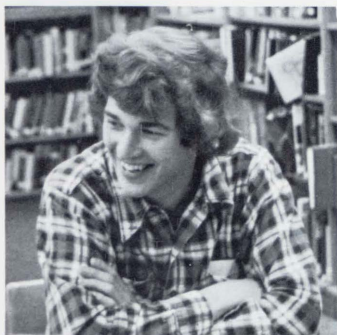
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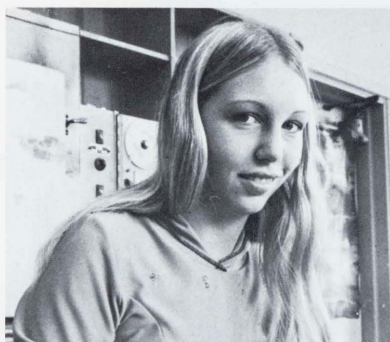
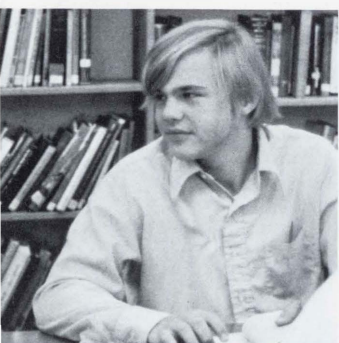
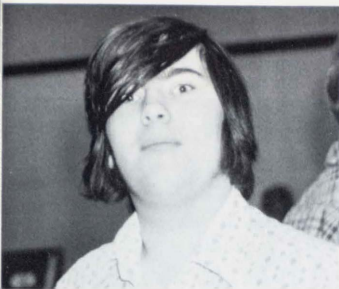


Elsy Ducreux



Diane Chinatti









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Julie Church, Denise Bibro,
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Miss Chosiad, Advisor.



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Church, Pete Currier, Chris Milton,
Jeff Shores, David Schmitt.
KNEELING: David Graf.
Mrs. Moran, Advisor.





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GIRLS

FIRST ROW: Julianna Church, Anne Lahr, Sarah Burgess, Karen O'Loughlin, Laura Pihlcrantz, Fran Baldesseri, Lori Cantele, Jamie Hall, Heidi Pollock, Terri Wingard, Lisa Pequignot, Debra Dumas.

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EIGHTH ROW: Palmer Davidsen, Nancy VanDoren, Shirley Sils, Louise McCall, Marie Davis, Lori Jo Grossman, Barbara Szczesiul, Laurene Fife, Meliissa Currier, Brenda Warner.



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IRD ROW: Jay Griskauskas, Kevin Godburn, Luke Pastre, Jeff Johnson, Bobby Simmons, Bill Linkovich, Jeff Kennedy, Leroy Stratman, Marcus Casman, Mike
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URTH ROW: Gregory Meach, Gregory Schmitt, Bob Rosseter, Glen Miller, Randy Dawson, Jody Neal, Todd Jones, Jose Lacerda, Billy Segalla, Joe Meacox.

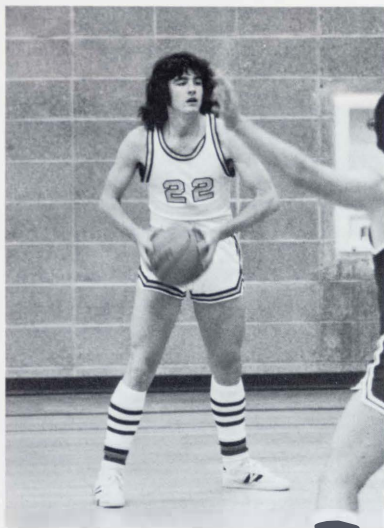
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XTH ROW: John Christinat, Jerri Wingard, Jim Madden, Ken Ernhout, Jamie Ghidossi, Mark Thomen, Bobby Stair, Ben Terrall, Alan Hart, Andy Groop.

VENTH ROW: Henry Russ, Peter Palmer, Tom Johnson, Mike Coons, Matthew Ruman, Steven Hall, James Johnson, David Janello, Jim Lawson, John Marshall.

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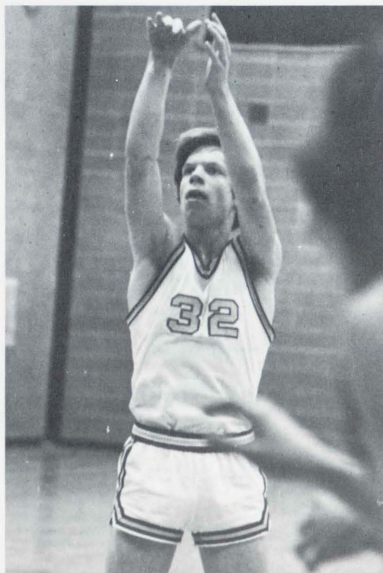
BOYS BASKETBALL



Mike Godburn, Steve Pickert, Ed Tyburski, Mark Eriksson, Mike Dunsimore, Randy Tatsapaugh, Andy Belter

In his final season, Head Coach Tyburski guided the team to double the wins of last year, narrowly missing the tournament. Co-Captains Ed Tyburski, high scorer, and Mike Dunsmore, defensive leader, were joined by some talented underclassmen.

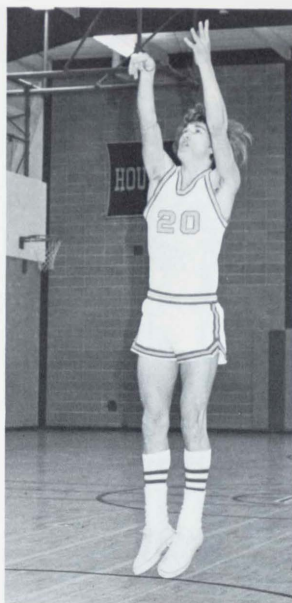
	Opp.	HVRHS
Lewis Mills	73	50
Avon	50	37
Pine Plains	49	53
Northwest Regional	63	86
Mount Everett	39	51
Canton	61	47
Wamogo	50	62
Mount Everett	39	51
Oliver Wolcott	85	53
Shepaug	51	67
Lewis Mills	51	55
Brookfield	55	56
Avon	63	56
Gilbert	61	57
Northwest Regional	67	57
Pine Plains	46	71
Canton	62	50
Gilbert	66	54
Oliver Wolcott	60	52
Shepaug	57	51



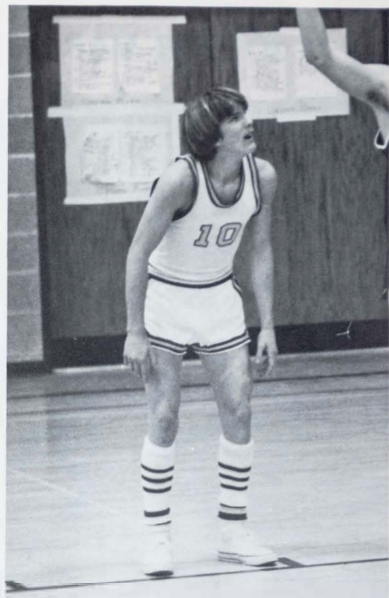
Co-Captains Ed Tyburski & Mike Dunsmore



Steve Pickert



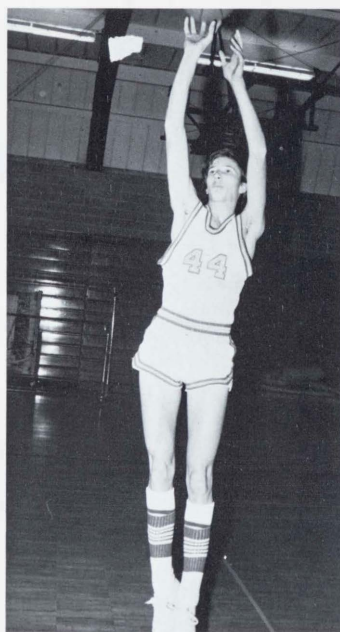
Randy Tatsapaugh



Andy Belter



Mike Godburn

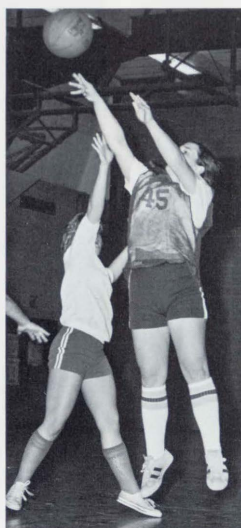


Mark Ericksson



Head Coach Tyburski
Assistant Coach Gutzman

JUNIOR VARSITY



BOYS RECORD

13-6

Opp.	HVRHS
Lewis Mills	64
Pine Plains	46
Northwest Regional	47
Mount Everett	52
Mount Everett	31
Shepaug	56
Avon	53
Gilbert	54
Northwest Regional	39
Pine Plains	54
Canton	45
Shepaug	39



GIRLS RECORD

10-7

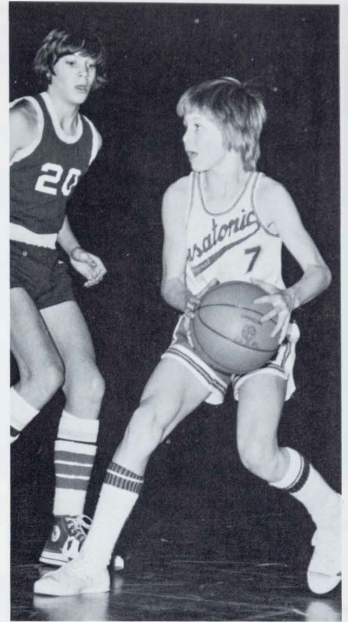
Lewis Mills	20	26
Canton	25	34
Northwest Regional	10	40
Thomaston	26	28
Mt. Everett	10	17
Northwest Regional	8	51
Canton	19	37
Wamogo	16	27
Goodwin Tech	10	36
Mt. Everett	16	21



FRESHMEN



FIRST ROW: Co-Captain Bobby Sieller, Co-Captain Bob Anderson. SECOND ROW: Larry Madsen, Doug Cahill, Peter Spadaccini. THIRD ROW: Jeff Brum, William Suydam, Dave Golden, Bill Madden, Joe Pierzga, Glen Cross, Joe Cleaveland, Mike Dodge, Coach Belter.



GIRLS BASKETBALL



FIRST ROW: Co-Captain Diane Chinatti, Co-Captain Diane Stoddard, Co-Captain Pat Pacocha. SECOND ROW: Faith Lovett, Brenda Folland, Jackie Rice, Robin Kellett, Jan Duggan, Becky Carlson, Donna Marchi, Peggy St. Martin, Lynn Kelsey, Coach Kennedy.

The team had a fine year, winning 6 more games than last year and almost qualifying for the tournament. Tri-Captains led a solid nucleus of seniors with both Donna Marchi and Stubby providing most of the heroics. The 59 points against Goodwin set a record, as did Becky Carlson's 22 points in one game; she and Lynn Kelsey gave fans something to look forward to next year.



FIRST ROW: Nancy VanDoren, Alison Blake, Captain Gail Combs, Marybeth Alto, Susan Chilcoat. SECOND ROW: Robin Luminati, Gerry Smith, Janet Schneider, Jean Jackman, Jennifer Kellett, Kathy Hanes, Colleen Shanley, Mary Ann Dolan, Coach Wright.

	Opp.	HVRHS
Lewis Mills	58	25
Avon	45	46
Canton	31	38
Northwest	15	33
Regional		
Thomaston	58	29
Lenox	41	38
Gilbert	51	38
Litchfield	39	26
Lewis Mills	52	29
Gilbert	51	33
Avon	51	43
Wamogo	43	34
Northwest	19	44
Regional		
Mt. Everett	30	32
Canton	29	31
Goodwin Tech	31	59
Mount Everett	42	54



Donna Marchi



Faith Lovett



Tri-Captain Pat Pacocha



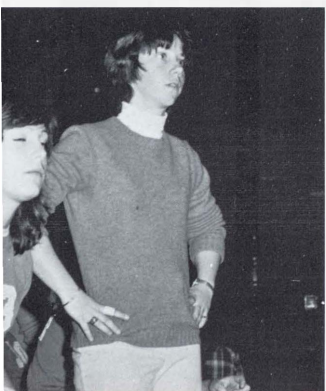
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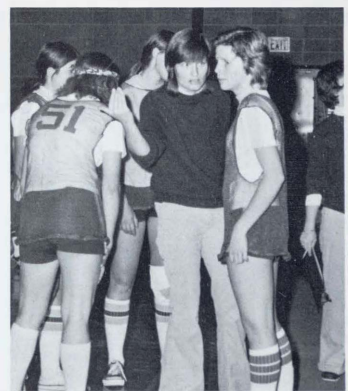
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Gail Combs



Head Coach Susan Kennedy

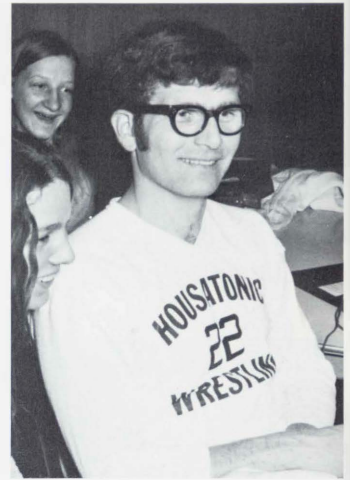


Assistant Coach Judy Wright

WRESTLING



FIRST ROW: Co-Captain Dave Holst-Grubbe, Co-Captain Brian Bergdahl. SECOND ROW: David Paton, Bill Solan, Tom Bunce, Ralph Hafford, Rick Hall.



Coach Greco

This year the team had its best season ever, with a 9-7 record. Highlights were the 1st place in the Norwalk Tournament, the second place team total in the NWC, and the individual places in the states. The most outstanding individual was Co-Captain Brian Bergdahl, who set 5 records. A strong group of seniors were well backed up, with sophs Wingard & Ghidossi placing 1st in the NWC.

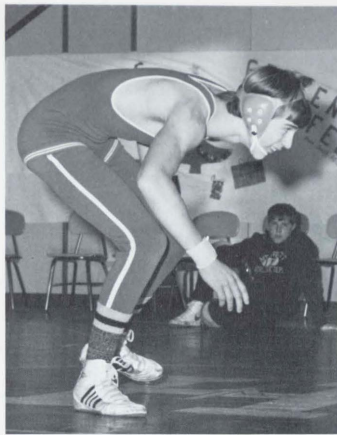


FIRST ROW: Jose Lacerda, Jamie Ghidossi, Jerry Wingard, Peter Palmer. SECOND ROW: Richard Hogan, Mike Tietjen, Art Quinion, Rick Alto, Ed Matson, Scott Walker.

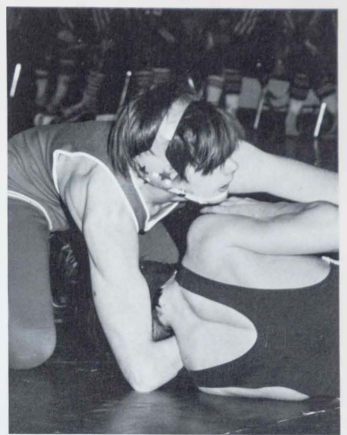
	Opp.	HVRHS
Nonnewaug	24	42
Mount Everett	33	27
Dover	12	49
Farmington	9	46
New Fairfield	8	51
Gilbert	46	20
Mount Everett	35	24
Monument	28	24
Mountain		
New Milford	36	24
Plainville	24	42
Dover	28	42
Canton	20	37
Monument	20	46
Mountain		
New Fairfield	18	33
Wamogo	43	18
Pomperaug	39	15



Bill Solan



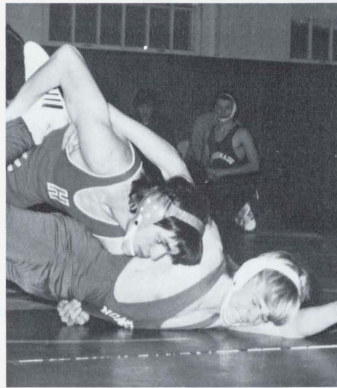
Co-Captain Dave Holst-Grubbe



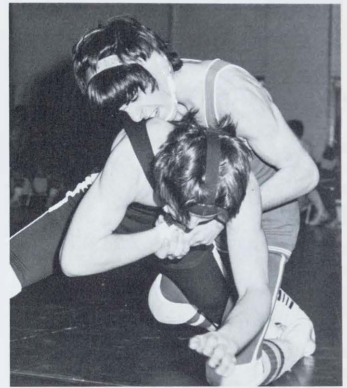
Co-Captain Brian Bergdahl



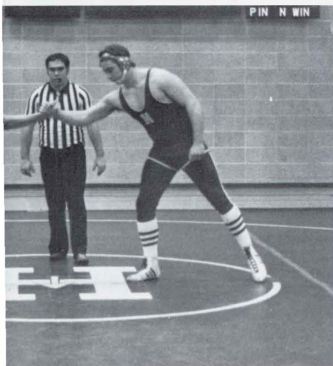
David Paton



Ralph Hafford

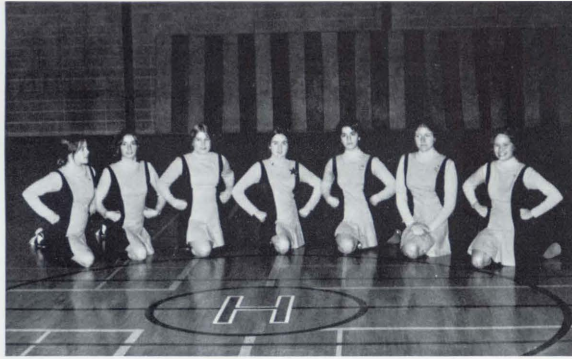


Rick Hall



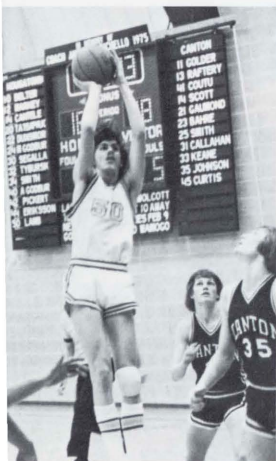
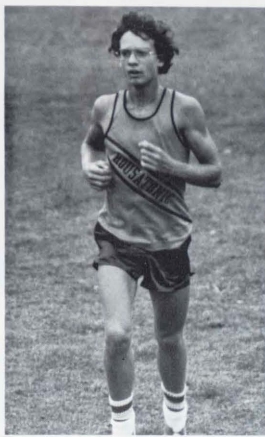
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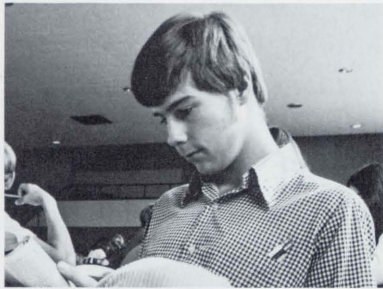


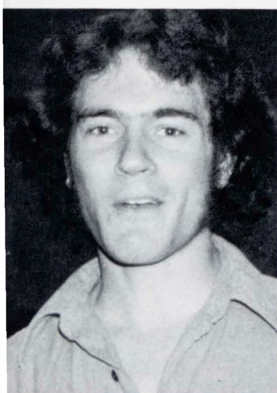
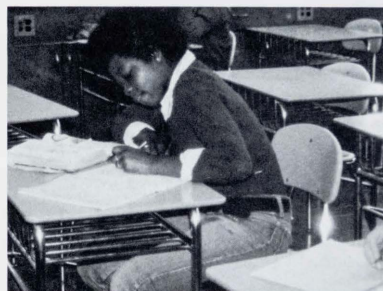


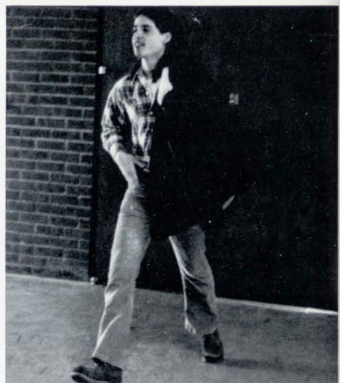
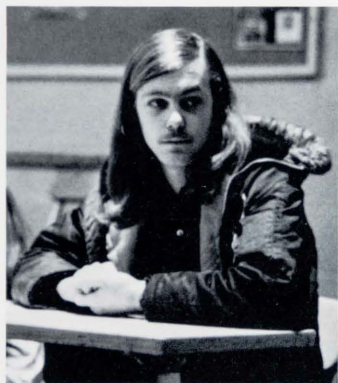
FIRST ROW: Maura Landis, Sandi Gilpatrick, Bonnie Sheldon. SECOND ROW: Marianne Szczesiul, Debbie Gleason. THIRD ROW: Joanna Eddy, Darlene Hewins, Cyndy Riley.













The Spirit of '76 presented "FEELINGS" on Saturday evening, the thirty-first of January nineteen hundred and seventy-six. Music was by Reign.

Ball Committee:

Co-Chairmen

Diana Hart
 W. Charles Arbo
 Diane Chinatti
 Michael Dunsmore

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 Location
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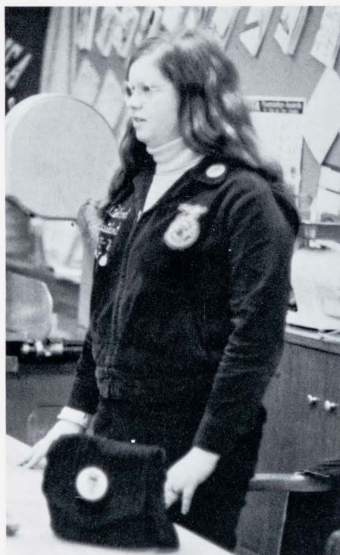


FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



The Vocational Agriculture program has a long history of constant achievement. It offers courses in areas of farming, but also in horticulture, animal science, shop, and others as well. It sponsors activities such as Christmas tree & wreath production, the annual banquet, and the convention in Kansas City. Our chapter ranks in the first percentile of approximately 6000 chapters in the nation. Competition ranges from tractor driving and parliamentary procedure to talent contests.

FRONTROW: Tina Woodward, Arlene Surdam, Gerry Christinat, Bobby Simmons, Larry Carlson, Pam Fitzgerald, Lynn Pollard, Mary Dolan, Butch Neal. 2nd ROW: Chris Roraback, Tom Peck, Ken Whitman, Paul Vernali, Guy Bunce, Richard Ford, John Christinat, Mike Tietjen, Martin Church, Tom Whitehead, Bob Sieller, Matt Ruman. 3rd ROW: Mr. Gambino, Bill Wallace, Diane Morehouse, Lisa Peterson, Terry Hanlon, Mark Guodace, Steve Stuart, John Valinaggi, Steve Kowalski, Joey Sexton, Robin Wheeler, Lori Fiengo, Susan Swaller, David Arno, James Wheeler, Mike Rice. 4th ROW: Charlotte Reid, Doreen Myers, Kathy McLoughlin, Matt Baldesseri, Ernie Lowell, Mark Sylvernale, Eddie Gagnier, Brian Allyn, Cris Kurtz, Rolley Smith, Andy Groop, Jody Neal, Todd Jones, Bob Wright, Billy Linkovich, Jay Griskauskas, Sharon Baird, Alison Pierzga, Dave Hall, John Wildman, Mr. Burcroff.



Lynn Pollard, Local & District President
First Female President of FFA



FITNESS CLUB

Brian Beneduce
Jeff Ghidossi
Lori-Jo Grossman
Kaki Kirby
Diane Stoddard
Mo Kirby
Shawn McCracken
Dan Mallory
Frank Ghi
Mike Bonn
Paul Williams
Chris Drumm
Winthrop Arnold



SPANISH CLUB

Donna Sava, Kathy Hanes,
Bridget Brien. STANDING:
Mo Kirby, Julie Church,
Tracy Curtiss, Denise Bibro,
Chris Bell, Kaki Kirby,
LJ Grossman, Stephanie Cavanaugh



SKI CLUB

Mo Kirby
Sheryl Stair
Bob Garfield
Anne Minacci
Jackie Rice
Wendy Gerstel
Marcus Casmin
Buddy Riva
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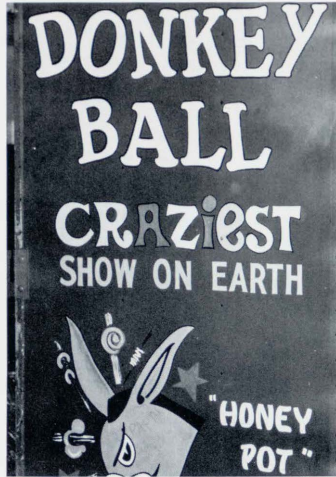
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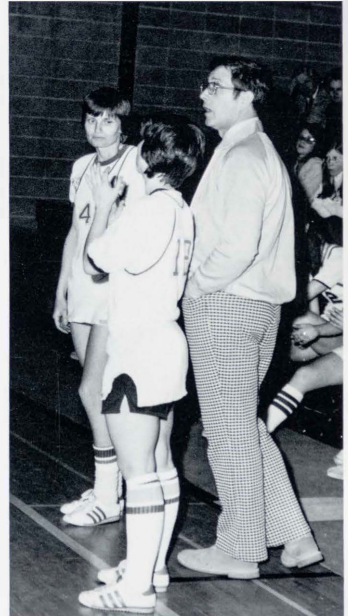
FHA Mary Ann Decker, Stephanie Brammer, Cindy Brammer, Theresa Hanlon. 2nd ROW: Terry Corban, Kim Fitzgerald, Debbie Bohren, Denise Jackson. STANDING: Mrs. DiCorleto, Carlo Gatewood, Mary Jane Ostrom, Kathy Blanke, Maria Scoville, Donna Jackson, Karen Monty.

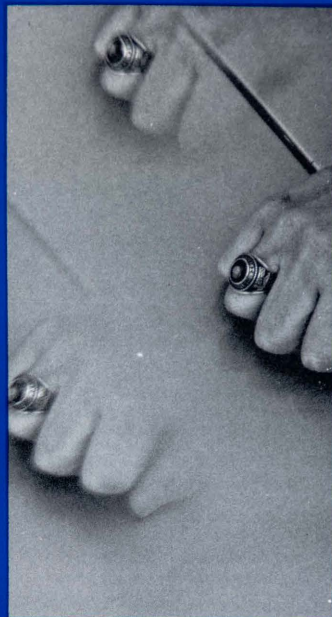


DONKEY BASKETBALL

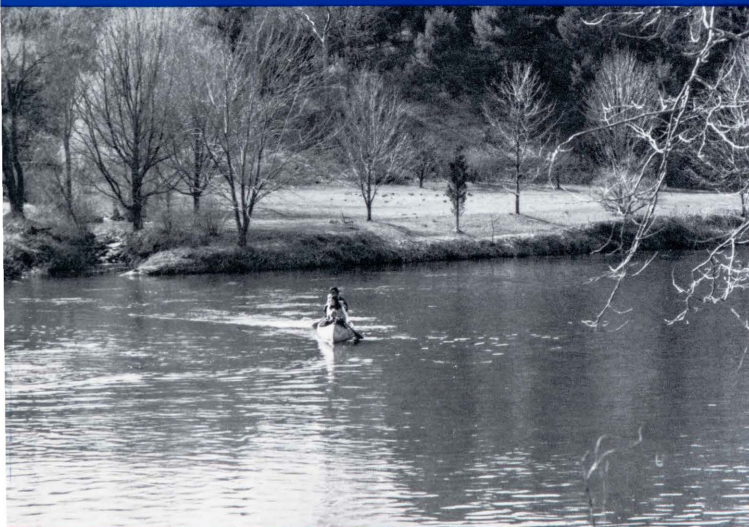


VARSITY-FACULTY GAME





SPRING



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Student Council	87
Board of Education	88
Honor System	88
Activities	89
Class Officers	90

JUNIORS



GIRLS

FIRST ROW: Carol Russ, Carrie Dubray, Susan Gruber, Lynn Hennessey, Joan Peters, Martha Riva, Gail Hedden, Cheryl Gleason, Judy Daalhuizen, Ginny Tatsapaugh, Maureen Dell.

SECOND ROW: Chris Montgomery, Ruth Piskura, Jill Zucco, Barbara Casey, Chris Tweed, Wendy Rice, Bernadette Victor, Brenda Folland, Doreen Myers, Maureen Donahue.

THIRD ROW: Laura LaPorta, Terri Gorkofsky, Colleen Shanley, Sandra Dennis, Maryann Decker, Linda Minacci, Cathryn Ford, Laurie Moran, Sandra Chase.

FOURTH ROW: Elizabeth O'Neal, Lori Tatsapaugh, Jan Duggan, Jackie Rice, Suzanne Riva, Cindy Brammer, Stephanie Brammer, Rita Bailey, Kathy Blanke, Lorraine Cluff.

FIFTH ROW: Pamela Fitzgerald, Peggy St. Martin, Elizabeth Paley, Hellen Strattman, Carla Gatewood, Patti Gomez, Margaret Nutt, Cynthia Heining, Susan Snyder.

SIXTH ROW: Ellen Schaefer, Melody Arnold, Karen Bibro, Donna Vanicky, Kim Wright, Robin Luminati, Kathy Sheldon, Meg Belter, Frannie LaPlaca.

SEVENTH ROW: Kim Ducillo, Chris Roraback, Patty McLoughlin, Karen Monty, Rachel Bonhotel, Laura Beneduce, Laurie Hoshko, Cathy Spadaccini, Mary Jane Ostrom.

EIGHTH ROW: Kim Parille, Donna Zawatski, Cathy Riley, Kaki Kirby, Robin Kellett, Carla Ovitt, Melissa McGuire, Alice Morey, Kathy Mickey, Alison Blake, Melanie Cavanaugh.



BOYS

FIRST ROW: Art Quinion, Philip Campbell, Richard Alto, Rick Cantele, Tom Whitehead, Larry McGuire, Billy Christinat, Bobby Riva, Ed Matson, John Schuller.

SECOND ROW: Chris Boults, Rollie McCabe, Jody Law, Gary Tweed, Steven Campbell, Peter Schultz, Bob Godburn, William Bartle, John Booth.

THIRD ROW: Steve Caranci, Steve Drumm, Tim Walsh, Michael Daley, Howard Lotz, Brian Kenny, Bill Markey, Jay Casey.

FOURTH ROW: Sheldon Gawel, Charles Griskauskas, Timmy Paviol, David Mercer, Dave Larkin, Danny Mallory, Joe Negri, Meg Belter, Eric Burcroff, Bill Tietjen.

FIFTH ROW: Don Lamb, John Mulligan, Chris Costello, Rick Carley, Art Godburn, Barry Brown, John Bonn, Brian Reilly.

SIXTH ROW: Kevin McCracken, Dave O'Donnell, Mike Leonidov, Jim Katan, Jack Riley, Brian Carlson, Billy Riley, Chris Eklund, Gary Tripp.

SEVENTH ROW: Phil O'Cain, David Brammer, Bob Lee, Willi Schmidt, John Cote, Ted Pickering, Mark Smith, Ken Tinker, Mark Waldron.

EIGHTH ROW: Richard Dolan, Ron Chase, Lloyd Golden, Mike Shealy, Michael James, Steven Killawee.

BASEBALL



Ralph Hafford, Dave Perotti, Co-Captain Steve Pickert, Co-Captain Mike Dunsmore, Mike Godburn, Randy Tatsapaugh, Bob Garfield.



Varsity baseball was a success with the record 8-7-1 and a tournament bid. This year's strong point was our offense. The outstanding players were Steve Pickert and Mike Godburn. Steve with the 17 RBI's and 3 triples. Mike with 26 hits and a 15 game hitting streak. The seniors will be sorrowly missed in the line up next year.

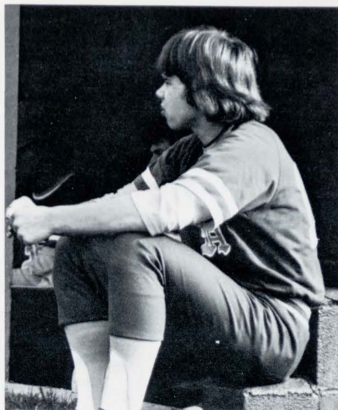
	Opp.	HVRHS
Shepaug	8	8
Wamogo	5	6
Mt. Everett	7	10
Monument		
Mountain	11	19
Lewis Mills	2	11
Mount Everett	2	4
Shepaug	12	8
Avon	10	8
Northwestern	10	7
Oliver Wolcott	11	17
Canton	10	9
Lewis Mills	0	12
Avon	4	1
Northwestern	8	1
Oliver Wolcott	1	2
Canton	14	0



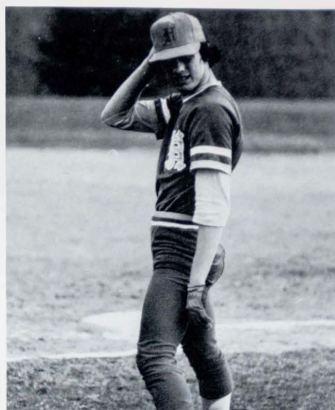
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Dave Perotti



Bob Garfield



Ralph Hafford



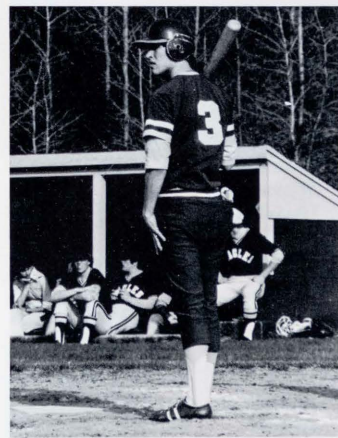
Steve Pickert



Mike Godburn



Mike Dunsmore



Randy Tatsapaugh

SOFTBALL



FRONT ROW: Donna Marchi, Jody Ruman and Diane Stoddard. BACK ROW: Nancy Stanton, Diana Hart and Faith Lovett.



Coach Kennedy

This years Varsity Softball team began its season tetering back and forth between losses and wins. Settling down to a good season record of 8-6. For the 3rd year in a row we qualified for the CIAC tournament. We played five games and lost against Stafford but held 2nd in the state for the class M division. Next year we are sorry to say that we will miss our seniors, Nancy, Diana, Faith, Jody, Diane, and our MVP Donna.

	Opp.	HVRHS
Pomperaug	13	4
Watertown	1	17
Mount Everett	24	9
Lewis Mills	14	15
Avon	10	9
Northwestern	14	15
Gilbert	12	41
Pomperaug	8	7
Canton	6	11
Lewis Mills	12	4
Avon	3	4
Northwestern	9	17
Gilbert	6	10
Canton	4	16
Mount Everett	14	24



FRONT ROW: Mary Beth Alto, Robin Kellet, Janet Schneider and Sue Chilcoat. SECOND ROW: Jackie Rice, Lynn Kelsey, Robin Luminatti and Peggy St. Martin.



Dye Hart



Faith Lovett



Donna Marchi



Stubby Stoddard



Jody Ruman



Nancy Stanton

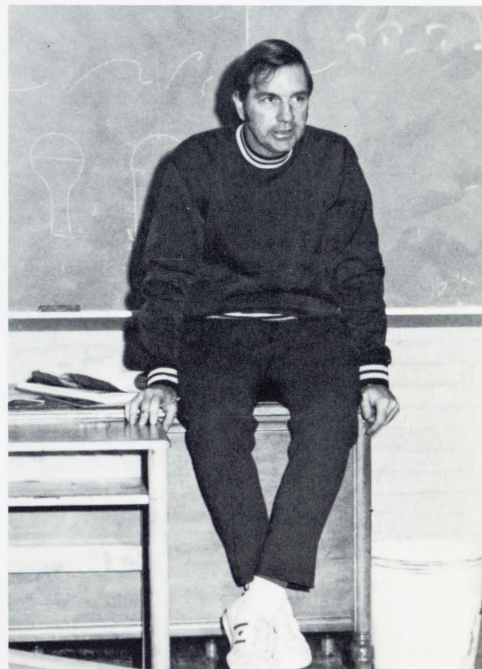


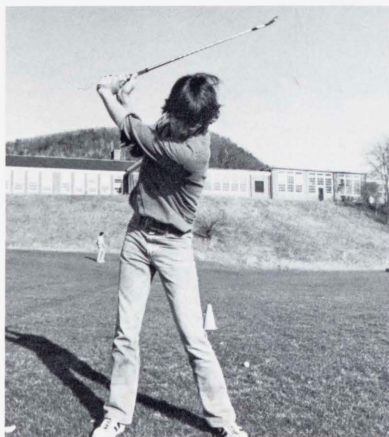
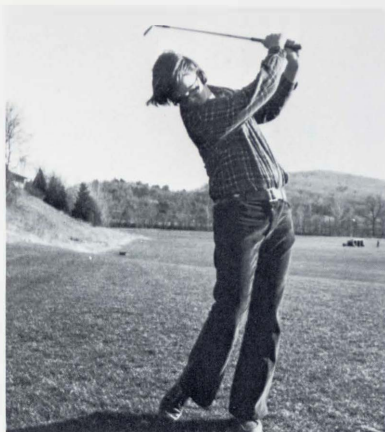
GOLF



The Golf team had a 4-14-0 season. Their best match was the win over Terryville in North Canaan. Junior Brian Reilly was an excellent player in the NWC along with freshman Joe Cleveland and junior Dave O'Donnell. This sport has been cancelled for next year.

	Opp.	HVRHS
Litchfield	3	2
Torrington	5	0
Litchfield	2	3
Torrington	4	1
Terryville	2	3
Canton	3	2
Avon	5	0
Gilbert	5	0
Terryville	1	4
Nonnewaug	0	5
Pomperaug	3	2
Avon	5	0
Canton	5	0
Northwest		
Regional	4	0
Farmington	5	0
Gilbert	5	0
Farmington	5	0





BOYS TRACK



Andy Belter

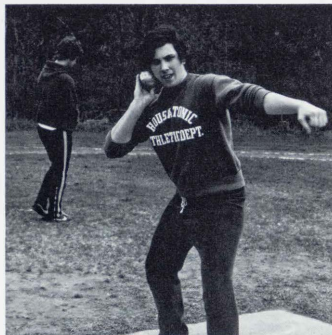
This year we had a much improved season, finishing the season with a 7-4 record. The finest meet of the season was against undefeated Gilbert. The meet could have gone either way; the Mile Relay did an outstanding job in leading the team to victory. Four school records were broken this year. The 4x110 Relay with Kevin McCracken, Rick Cantele, Brad Paulsen and Bob Seiller. The Pole Vault record was broken by Mark Mit-taud. Tom Bunce broke the record in the Discus and Art Quinion now holds the Hurdle records.



Tom Bunce



John Bunce



Bill Solan



Todd Victor



John Bunce, Co-Captain Andy Belter, Co-Captain Tom Bunce and Todd Victor.

	Opp.	HVRHS
Wilcox	84	61
Pomperaug	19	124
Farmington	0	2
Berlin	75	69
Goodwin Tech	28	113
Lewis Mills	38	107
Thomaston	0	2
Avon	106	39
Woodrow		
Wilson	78	67
Gilbert	69	76
Monument		
Mountain	31	95



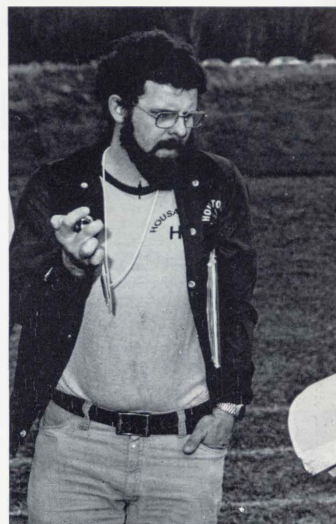
FIRST ROW: Erik Burcroff, John Bonn, Joe Negri, Rick Cantele, K. C. Baird, Tom Whitehead, Kevin McCracken, Bob Rosseter and Art Quinion. SECOND ROW: John Mulligan, Brian Carlson, Rick Alto, Marcus Casman, Carl Powers, Bob Godburn, Art Godburn, Bob Seiller and Bob Anderson. THIRD ROW: Neil Kosciusko, Chuck Arrigoni, Brad Perkins, Glen Cross, Brad Paulsen and Dan Matthews. FOURTH ROW: Mike Dodge, Mark Mittaud, Chris Dodge, Shawn McCracken, John LaPorta, Duke Pozzetta and Ken Lee. FIFTH ROW: Frank Ghi, Ben Terrall, Buddy Riva and Jeff Lloyd.



GIRLS TRACK



Barbara Reid, Co-captain Maggie Steig, Co-captain Heather Whitehead, Miriam Andrew, and Mo Kirby.



Assistant Coach Lindsay

This year's squad of 15 girls was led by Co-captains Maggie Steig and Heather Whitehead. The girls only lost one contest and broke all past school records. Record-setting seniors included Mo Kirby, who broke the high jump and long jump, and was a member of the 4 x 110 and Medley Relay teams. Maggie Steig broke the javelin record. Heather Whitehead broke the 440 yard run record and was also a member of the 4 x 110 relay team. We hope that next year's squad will be as big a success even though we lost five seniors to graduation.

Opp.	H	V	R	H	S
Pomperaug Regional	45				67
Avon	74				44
Gilbert	21				90
Monument Mountain	36				61
Hotchkiss	28				60



FIRST ROW: Lynn McGuire, Coleen LaPlaca, Lori Tatsapaugh, Kaki Kirby, Lori Jo Grossman. SECOND ROW: Chris Bell, Karen Graves, Kim Kosciusko, Cindy Riley, and Reene Conkin.



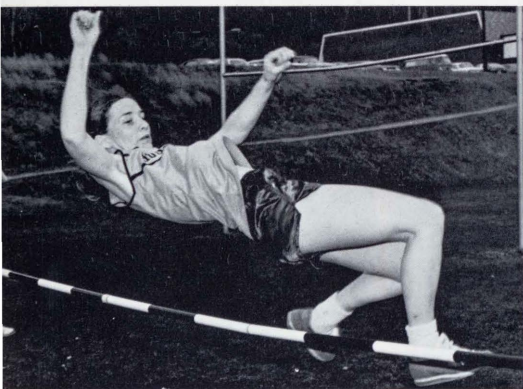
Co-Captain Heather Whitehead



Co-Captain Maggie Steig



Barbara Reid



Maureen Kirby



Miriam Andrew

ALL STARS & M.V.P.S.

FOOTBALL

Cricket Trotta MVP

FIELD HOCKEY

Marion McDougall MVP, AS

Faith Lovett AS

BOYS SOCCER

Josef Jungo AS

Chris Parsons AS

CROSS COUNTRY

Andy Belter MVP, AS

Roman Victor AS

K. C. Baird AS

Kim Kosciusko AS

GIRLS SOCCER

Sheryl Stair MVP

BOYS BASKETBALL

Ed Tyburski MVP, AS

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Becky Carlson AS

WRESTLING

Brian Bergdahl MVP

Jerri Wingard AS

Jamie Ghidossi AS

SOFTBALL

Donna Marchi MVP, AS

Diane Stoddard AS

Peggy St. Martin AS

Lynn Kelsey AS

TRACK

Mo Kirby MVP

Andy Belter MVP, AS

Tom Bunce AS

Tom Whitehead AS

Marc Mittaud AS

Lori Jo Grossman AS

Kim Kosciusko AS

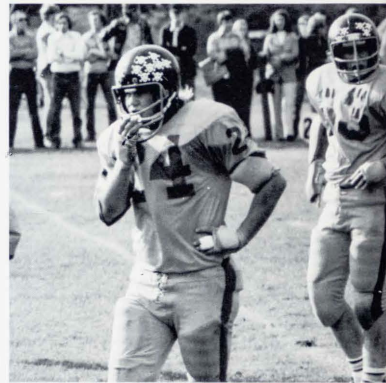
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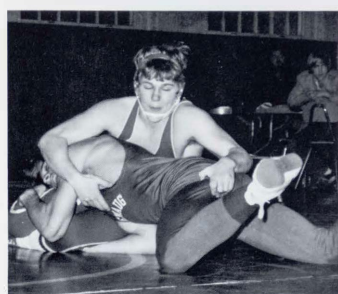
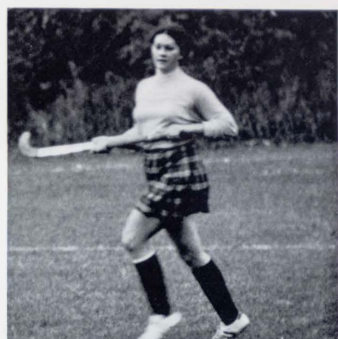
Steve Pickert AS

Mike Godburn MVP

GOLF

Brian Reilly MVP





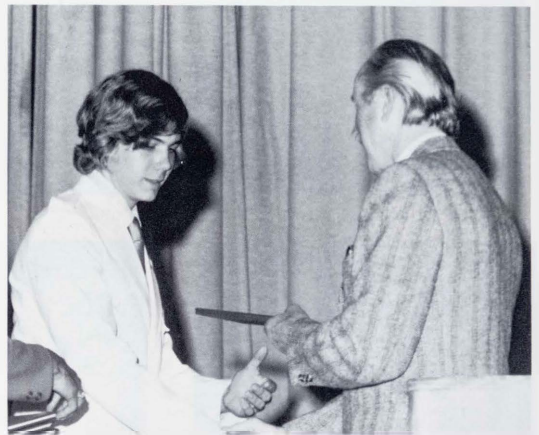
TOURNAMENTS





NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



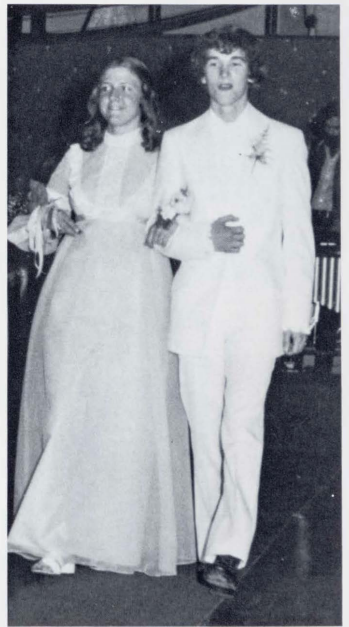


The Spirit of '76 presented "Stairway To Heaven" on Saturday evening, the seventeenth of May nineteen hundred and seventy-five. Music was by Victor Spoils.

Prom Committee:

Co-Chairmen	Leslie Dakin Michael Flint
Band	Chuck Conlogue Dawn Tatsapaugh
Bids	Kaki Schafer
Clean-Up	Tom Hall
Decorations	Cyndy Martin
Flowers	Sheryl Stair
Finance	Gail Condon
Invitations	Beckie Wingard Faith Charity
Lighting	Greg Silvernale Eileen Ford
Photography	Barb Jasmine Cyndy Martin
Publicity	Roman Victor
Tickets	Kaki Schafer
Cover	Dina Segalla
Refreshments	Eileen Ford







THE COURT: Diane Lotz, Maureen Kirby, Linda Flanagan, Beth Tietjen, Gregg Gangi, Kathy Gleason, James Smith, Mary Heacox, David Perotti, Maureen Foley, Diana Hart, David Holst-Grubbe, Heather Whitehead, Robert Belter, Randy Tatsapaugh, Charles Arbo, Diane Chinatti, Sheryl Stair (Crown-Bearer), Christopher Trotta (King), JoAnn Pulver (Queen), Mike Dunsmore (Crown-Bearer), Charles Conlogue, Tom Hall, Sharon Whalen, and Brian Riley.





A FUNNY THING HAPPENED ON THE WAY TO THE FORUM



MAME



PANCAKE SUPPER





STUDENT COUNCIL



Officers: President; Michael Flint: Vice-President; Laurie Bianchi: Secretary; Jackie Rice: Treasurer; Nancy VanDoren: Advisor; John Mahoney



Juniors: Erik Burcroff, Phillip Campbell, Kevin McCracken, Liz Paley, Susan Snyder



Seniors: Brenda Cluff, Nancy Fasciano, Barbara Jasmine, Jean Mosher, Greg Silvernale



Sophomores: Jim Madden, Kevin Riley



Freshmen: Sandi Gilpatrick, Duke Pozzetta

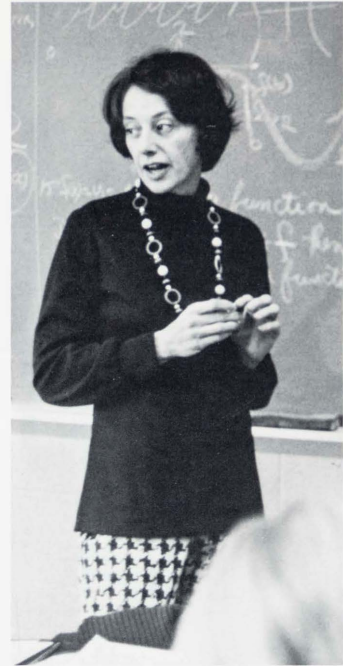


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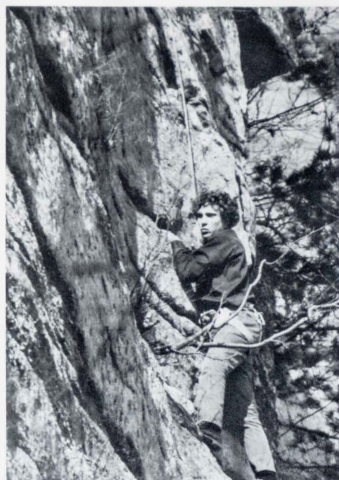




HONOR SYSTEM COMMITTEE Left to right: Dawn Tatsapaugh, Margarethe MacNeil, Edward Matson, Lynn Peterson, Laura Beneduce, Miss Rosalyn Corbett, Miss Joanne Fontanella. Missing — Denise Bibro, Laurie Moran, Terri Gorkofsky, Mr. Gary Palmieri, Mr. Robert Green.



REGIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION Left to right: Mr. Edward Heacox, Sharon; Dr. James Erviti, Superintendent; Mrs. Adela Eads, Chairman; Mr. Edward Kirby, Principal; Mrs. Dorothy Van Doren, Cornwall; Mr. Peter Jordano, Salisbury. Missing — Mrs. Osborne, Mr. Calhoun.



ROCK CLIMBING: A new club formed this spring, composed mostly of former Outing Club members. Introductory skills were taught to the interested members by Victor and Mark Clarke in the classroom and on a rock face in Salisbury. Then the group, including participants Mr. Bond and Mr. Doubleday, began to ascend and descend more challenging areas like Monument Mountain and Mohonk Mountain. Led by a talented group of seniors, especially daredevil Laurie Bianchi, the adventures of the club became quickly known and it would appear that membership will increase next year.



VARSITY CLUB Tod Victor, Alison Blake, Diane Chinatti, President Michael Dunsmore. Bobby Garfield, Sheryl Stair, Patt Alto, Pat Pacocha, Robin Luminati, Meg Belter, Rick Cantele, Art Quinion, Bill Solan. Heather Whitehead, Advisor Edward Tyburski, Standaes: Diane Stoddard, Kaki Kirby, Jackie Rice, Mo Kirby; Ed Tyburski, Mike Lamb, Ralph Scoville, Billy Segalla.





JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

President	Lori Tatsapaugh
Vice-President	Terri Gorkofsky
Secretary	Peg St. Martin
Treasurer	Meg Belter



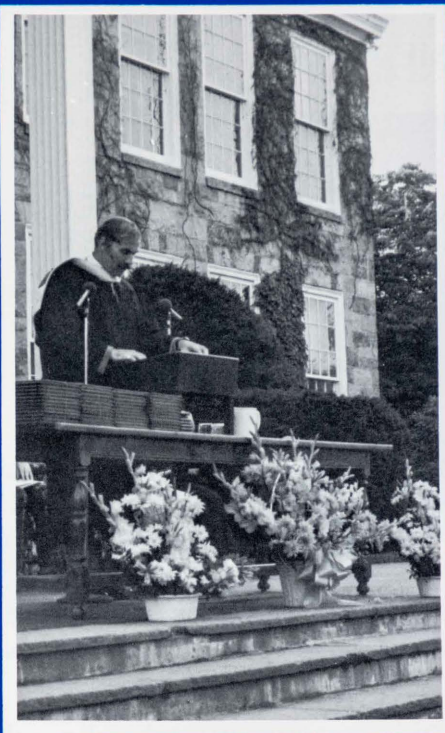
SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

President	Clayton Paniati
Vice-President	Palmer Davidsen
Secretary	Terri King
Treasurer	Howard Wisell



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

President	Marybeth Alto
Vice-President	Vincent Peppe
Secretary	Darlene Hewins
Treasurer	Edith Myers

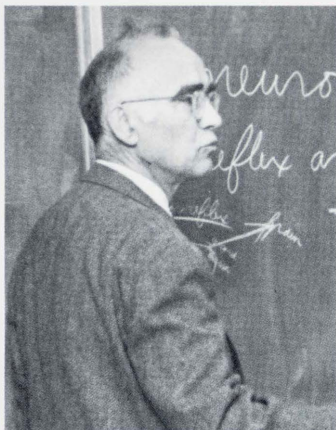


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RETIREMENT



Mr. Robert England
Science



Mr. Donald Kobler
English and French

. . . GOOD-BYE

June 17, 1976

To the Class of 1976

On behalf of The Housatonic Valley Regional High School Faculty Association I would like to take this opportunity to express to all of you our sincere appreciation of the class of 1976.

Throughout your entire senior year, your class has made tremendous contributions to the school by your spirit, enthusiasm, citizenship, and positive attitude. Your unexpected gifts were appreciated too, like the bouquets of flowers we would find on our desks in the morning.

We think of the class of 1976 as a special one, made up of good people, and we think of you not just as our students, but as our friends as well. We will certainly miss all of you and we wish you well in the years ahead.

We would like to add a special note of thanks to your class advisor, Mrs. Julia Segalla, for all the support and encouragement she has given you to make your senior year such a success.

From all of the faculty, thank you for a memorable year.

Sincerely,
Robert A. Gutzman
Robert A. Gutzman, President
HVRHS Faculty Association



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Eileen Ford, Secretary; Jo Ann Pulver, President; Chuck Conlogue, Vice-President; and Maureen Foley, Treasurer.



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: SEATED — Sheryl Stair, Jay Sheldon, Diane Stoddard. STANDING — Gail Condon, Kaki Schafer, Heather Whitehead, and Cyndy Martin.

SENIOR WEEK



Senior Skit

Field Day

Teach Day

Bicentennial Day

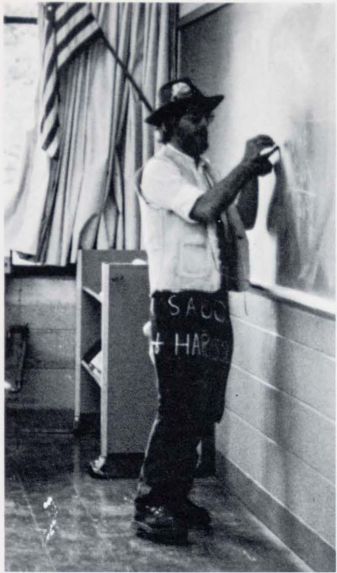
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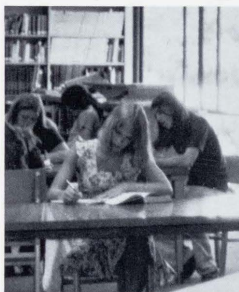
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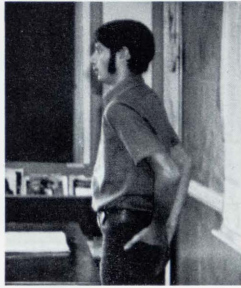
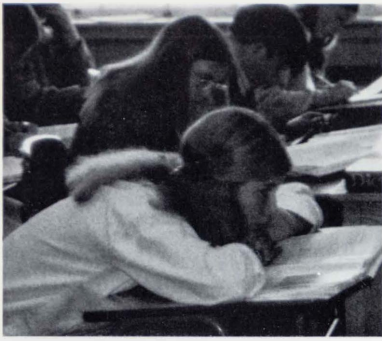
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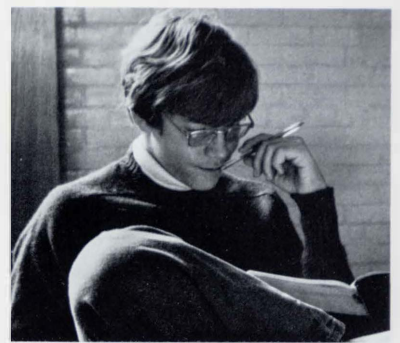


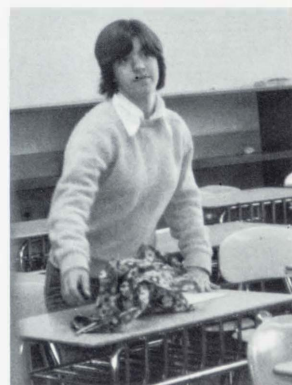
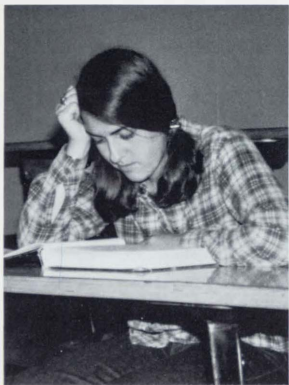
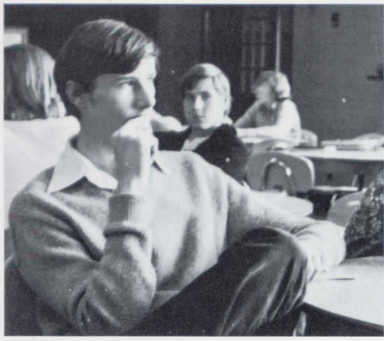


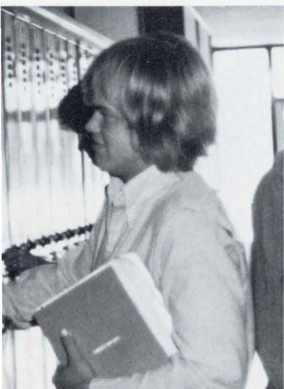
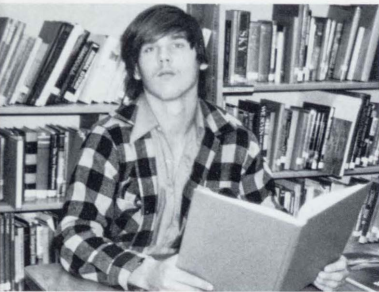


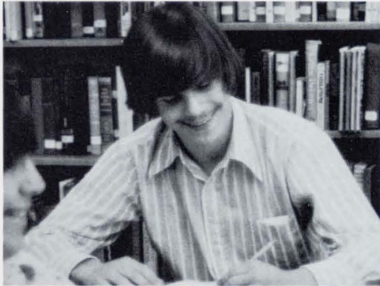


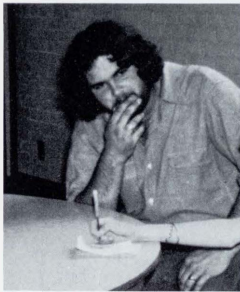
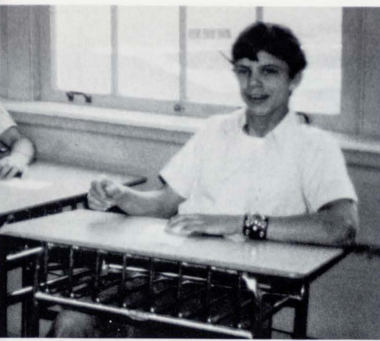






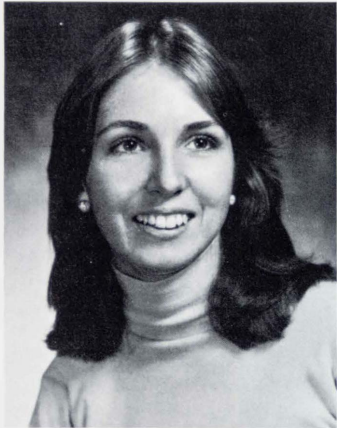












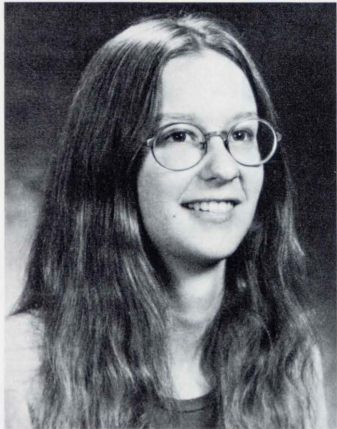
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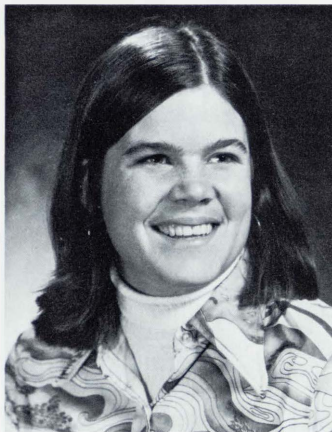
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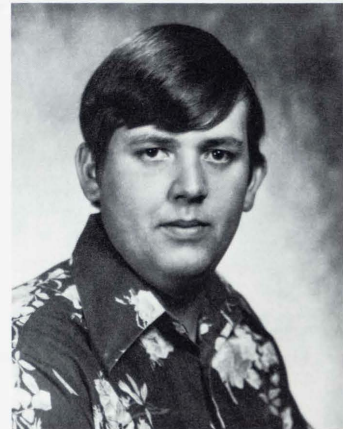
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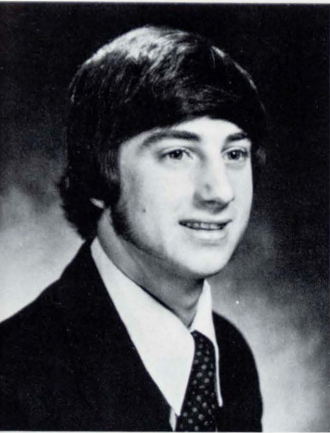
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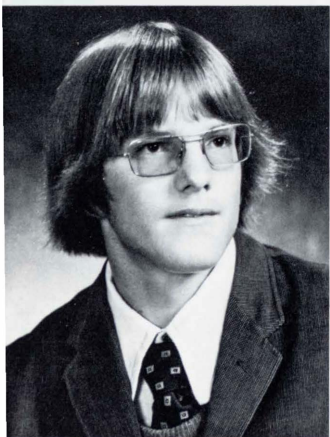
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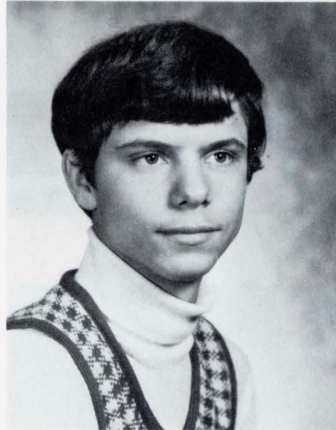
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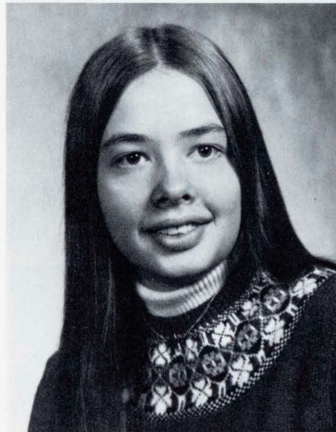
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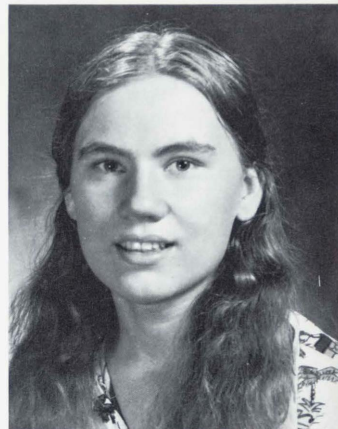
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- MEG ALEXANDER Lakeville
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- GWEN ALLEN Canaan
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Softball 4
- ROBIN ALLYN Canaan
Acorn 1
- PATTI ALTO Lakeville
Chorus 1, 2, 4; Vienna; Hello Dolly;
A.F.S. 1, 4; Field Hockey 2, 3, 4; Pep
Club 2, 3; Prom Committee; Junior
Dance Committee; Pancake Supper 3;
Varsity 3, 4; Senior Ball Committee;
Basketball Manager 4; WHITE OAK
- JIM ANDERSON Sharon
- MIRIAM ANDREW Salisbury
Field Hockey 2, 3, 4; Outing Club 2, 3;
Track 3; Gymnastics 4
- CHUCK ARBO Canaan
J.V. Football 1; Track 1; Vo-Ag 1;
Varsity Football 2, 3, Co-Captain 4;
J.V. Baseball 3; King's Court; Senior
Ball Co-Chairman; Doughnut Com-
mittee; Varsity Baseball 4; Senior
Dance Committee
- MATT BALDESSERI Canaan
Vo-Ag 1, 2, 3, 4; AVA 1, 2, 3
- LINDA BECKER Sharon
FHA 1; Gymnastics 2, 3, 4
- PAM BECKER Kent
Gymnastics 3, 4; Internurals 3, 4
- ANDY BELTER Lakeville
Cross-Country 1, 2, 3, Captain 4; FFA
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Captain 4; King's Court



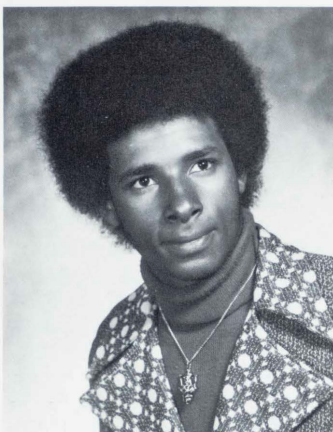
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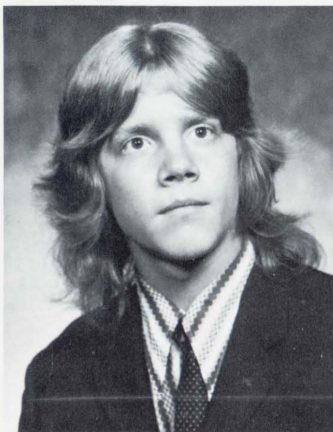
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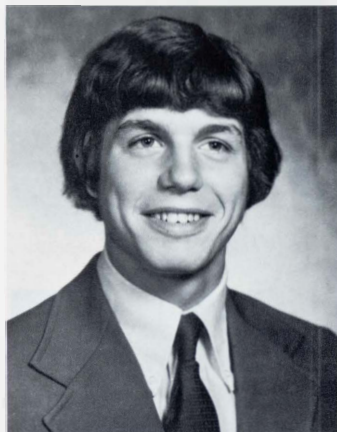
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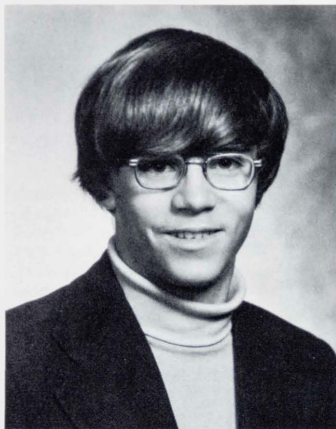


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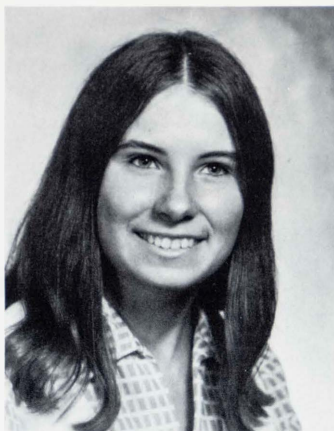


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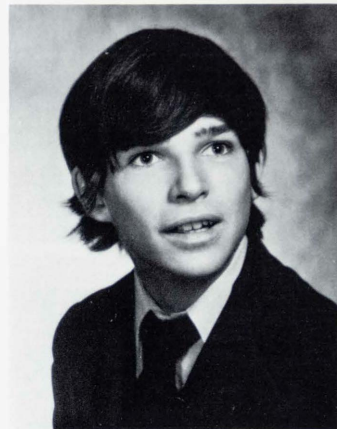
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J.V. Wrestling 1; Varsity Wrestling 2, 3, Co-Captain 4
- LAURIE BIANCHI** Lakeville
Outing Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1; Vienna; Northwest Corner 2; Gymnastics 2, 3, 4; French Club 2; Softball 2; Track 3, 4; Girls State 3; Student Council 3 Vice-President 4; AFS 3, 4; Ski Club 4; National Honor Society 3, 4
- DEANISE BIBRO** Salisbury
Chorus 1, 2, 4; Vienna; Oliver 1; Library Aide 1, 2, 3, 4; My Fair Lady 2; Library President 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee; Spanish Club 4; Bicentennial Committee 4; Northwest Corner 4; Acorn Staff 4; White Oak 4; Honor System Committee 4
- LORI BOOTH** Canaan
Chorus 1, 2; Vienna; South Pacific 3; Homeroom Representative 3; Pancake Supper 3; Junior Dance; Girls State 3; Nurses Office 3; AFS 3 President 4; Gymnastics 4; WHITE OAK 4; Rally Skit
- ROY BOOTH** Lakeville
Wrestling 1, 2
- LAURA BOTTASS** Salisbury
Senior Dance Co-Chairman; Senior Ball Committee; Bicentennial Committee 4; WHITE OAK 4
- TIM BOULTS** Lakeville
Soccer 1
- DEBBIE BUDNY** Kent
Junior Prom Committee
- JOHN BUNCE** Canaan
Boys Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1; Weightlifting and Conditioning 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Gymnastics 3, 4
- TOM BUNCE** Canaan
Varsity Football 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1; Track 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Band 1, 2; Varsity Club 4
- SHEILA CAFFREY** Canaan
Library Aide 1, 2, 3, 4; Nurse's Office 1, 2, 3
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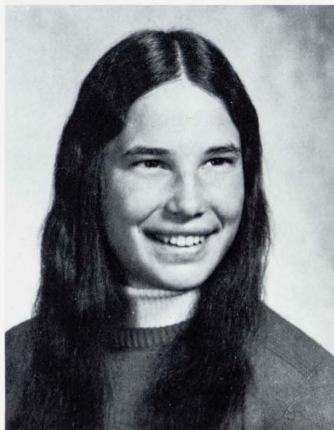
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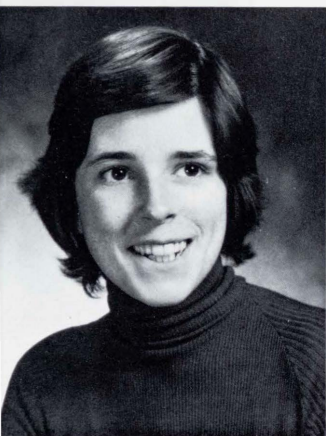
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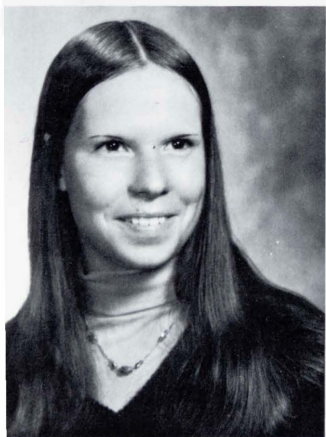
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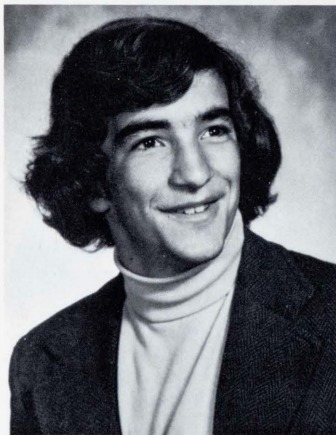
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Gail D. Cross



Charles L. Conlogue



Jeffrey M. Costa

DAVID CARLEY Sharon
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Select Chorus 1, 2;
Hello Dolly 1; Golf 2, 3, 4; Oliver 2;
My Fair Lady 2; All State Chorus 2;
Wrestling 3, 4

CATHY CARLSON Kent
Candystrippers 1; Gymnastics 2; Field
Hockey 3

MIKE Catinelli Canaan
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 2; Baseball 4

FAITH CHARITY Cornwall
Gymnastics 1, 2, 3, 4; Northwest
Corner 1; Junior Prom Committee;
Junior Dance Committee; Varsity
Cheerleading 4; Senior Ball Commit-
tee; Doughnut Committee 4; WHITE
OAK

DIANE CHINATTI Falls Village
Varsity Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; J.V. Softball
1, 2; Student Council 1, 2, 3; Gymnas-
tics 1; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Varsity
Club 2, 3 Treasurer 4; Varsity
Softball 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee;
Queen's Court; Weaving Committee;
Senior Ball Committee

BRENDA CLUFF Lakeville
Photography Club 1; Chorus 1; Vien-
na; Northwest Corner 1, Editor 2, 3, 4;
Outing Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Visiting Artists
Program Booklet 2; National Honor
Society 3, 4; Acorn Editor 3, 4;
WHITE OAK; Student Council 4

GAIL COMBS Kent
Intramurals 1, 2; Varsity Field
2, 3 Co-Captain 4; J.V. Softball 2, 3;
Varsity Softball 4; AFS Club 4; Host
Family 4

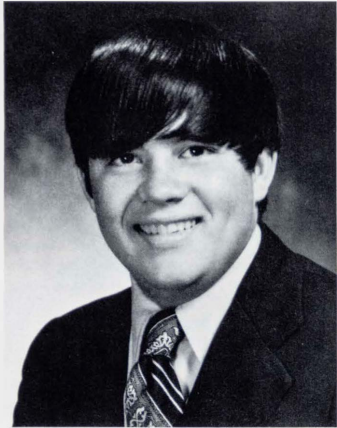
GAIL CONDON Cornwall
Pep Club 1, 2; Bake Sale Committee 1,
4; Class Picnic 1, 3; Softball Manager
2; French Club 2; Class Dance Com-
mittee 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Commit-
tee; May Day Committee 3; Pancake
Supper Committee 3; Class Treasurer
3; Homeroom Representative 3; Ex-
ecutive Council 4; Hot Dog Commit-
tee 4; Doughnut Committee 4; Senior
Ball Committee; Skit Rally; SPA
Committee 4; WHITE OAK

CHUCK CONLOGUE Canaan
J.V. Football 1; Basketball 1; Chess
Club 1; Cycle Club 1; Varsity Football
2, 4; Vice-President 2, 4; Track 2; Jun-
ior Prom Committee; King's Court;
Senior Ball Committee

MYRA COONS Kent
Gymnastics 1; Junior Prom Commit-
tee

JEFF COSTA Sharon
J.V. Baseball 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Out-
ing Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 3, Captain 3,
4; Wrestling 2; King and 1 3

GAIL CROSS Canaan
J.V. Softball 1, 2; J.V. Field Hockey 2,
3, Varsity 4; J.V. Basketball 2, 3; Track
3



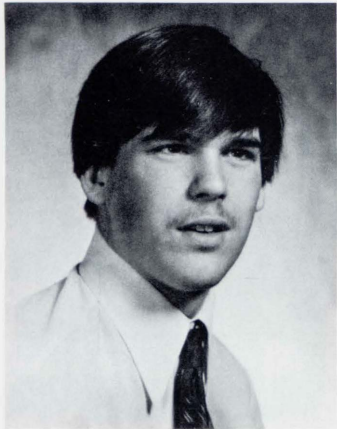
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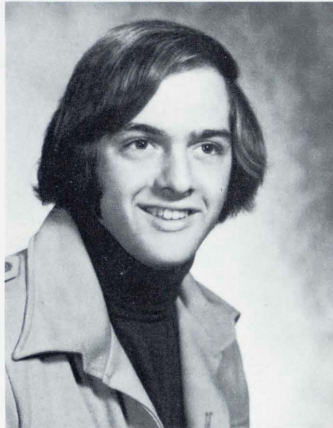
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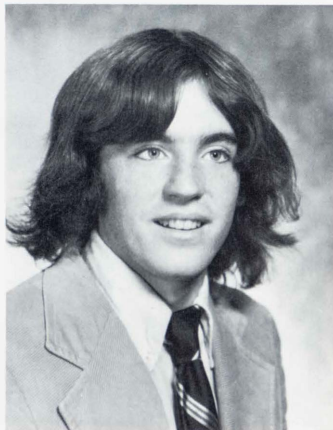
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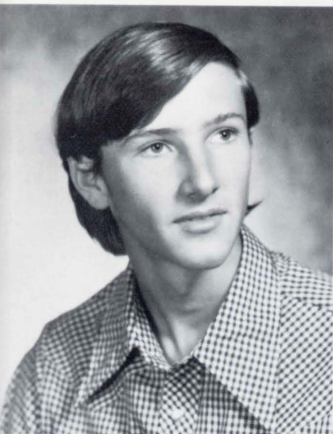
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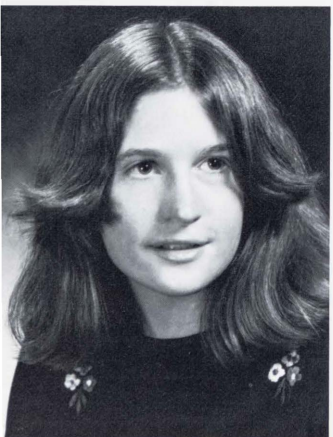
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Chess Club 1, 2; Soccer Manager 2, 3;
Gymnastics Club 3, 4; Senior Ball
Committee; SPA Committee

LESLIE DAKIN Cornwall
Class Dance 2; Northwest Corner 2, 3,
4; Acorn Editor 2, 3, 4; AFS Club 2,
3, 4; Junior Prom Committee Co-
Chairman; Photography Club 4; Host
Family 4; Gymnastics 4

HALLIE DAVIDSEN Kent
Gymnastics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; SPA Co-
Chairman; Smoking Area Committee
4

JIM DEAN Falls Village
Cycle Club 2; Stamp Club 2; Spanish
Club 4

TIMMY DRUMM Sharon
ELSEBIR DUCREUX Cornwall
AFS Student from Panama; AFS Club
4; Varsity Soccer 4

MIKE DUNSMORE Falls Village
Transfer from Kent 3; Varsity Soccer
3, Co-Captain 4; Varsity Basketball 3
Co-Captain 4; Varsity Baseball 3, Co-
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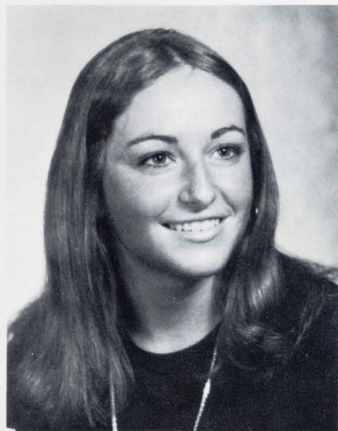
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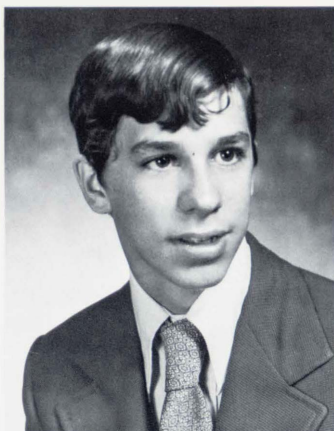
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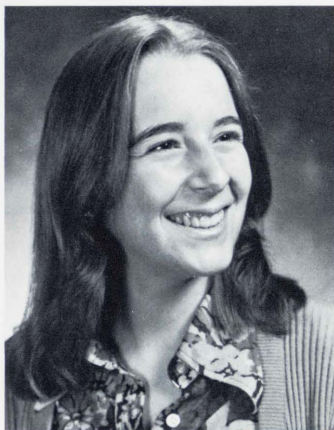
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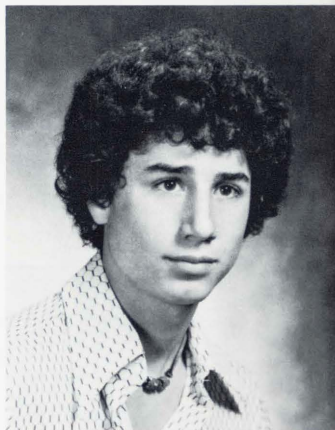
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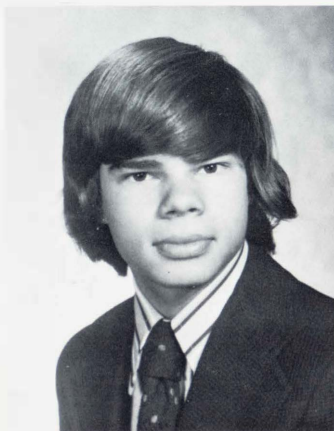
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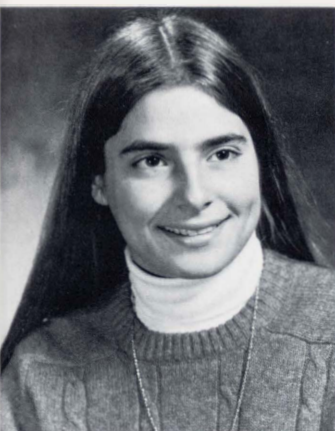
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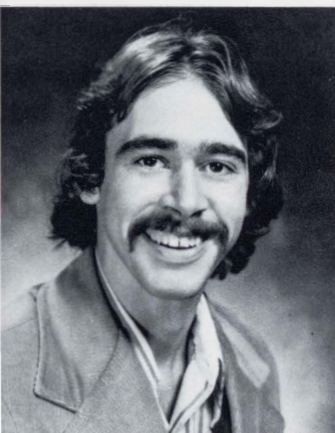
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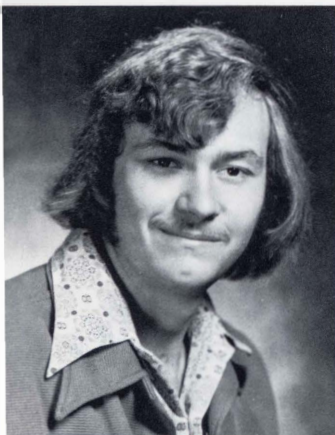
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Kathleen M. Gleeson



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MIKE FLINT Lakeville
Honor System Committee 1, 2 Chairman 3; Student Council 1, 2, 3, President 4; S.C. Dance Committee Chairman 1, 2; Chairman Class Dances 2, 3, 4; Encounters '74 Managing Editor 2; Pancake Supper 3; Junior Prom Chairman; Homeroom Representative 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Hot Dog Committee 4; Bicentennial Committee 4; Senior Ball Committee; SPA Co-Chairman; WHITE OAK

REEN FOLEY Canaan
Chorus 1; Vienna; Mame 1; Hello Dolly 1; Oliver 1; Gymnastics 1; Class Treasurer 2, 4; Pep Club 2; AFS 2; Computer Programming Club 2; Junior Prom Committee; Queen's Court; Varsity Field Hockey 3; Senior Ball Committee

EILEEN FORD Cornwall
Transferred from Litchfield; Class Dance Committee 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee; Pancake Supper Committee 3; Bake Sale Committee 3, 4; May Day Committee 3; Class Secretary 4; Chorus 4; Doughnut Committee Chairman 4; Hot Dog Committee 4; Senior Ball Committee; WHITE OAK

NICKI GANDOLFO Canaan
Photography Club 1, 4; Cycle Club 1; Art Activity 1; Weaving Activity 4

GREGG GANGI Canaan
Vice-President 1; Wrestling 1, 2; J.V. Baseball 1, 2; King's Court

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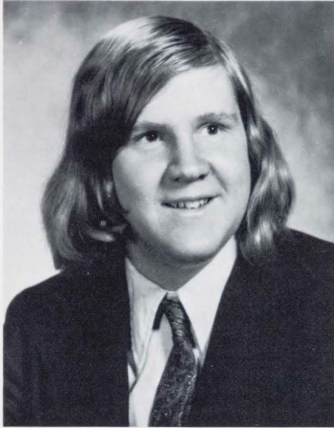
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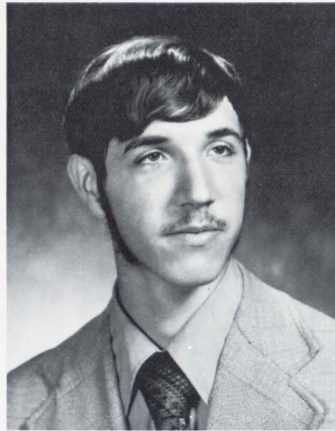
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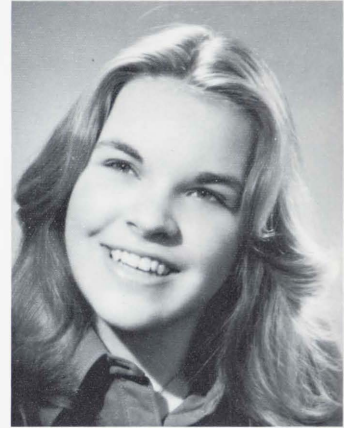
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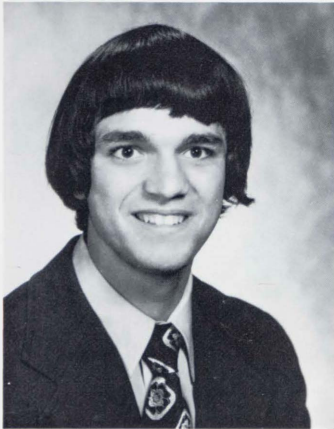
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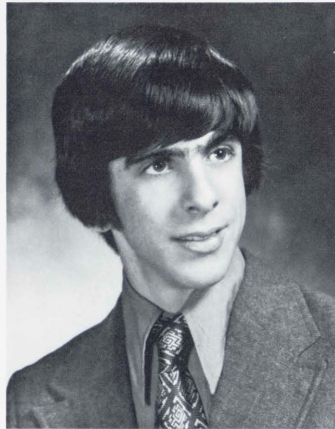
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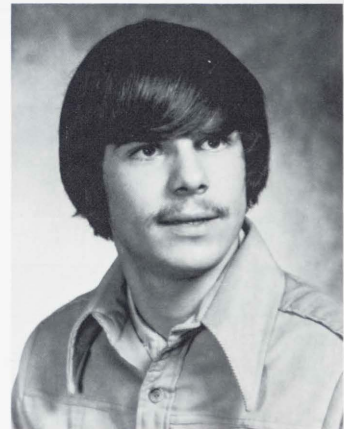
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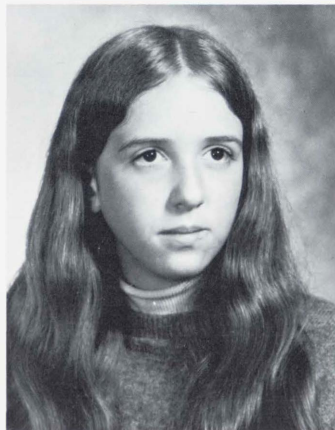
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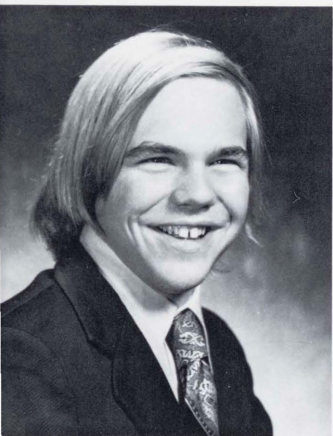
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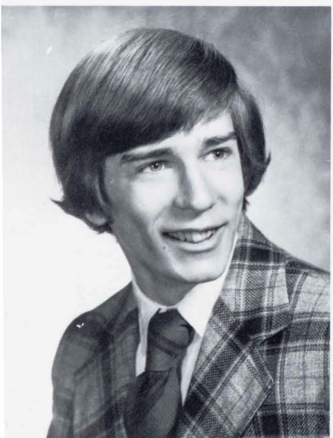
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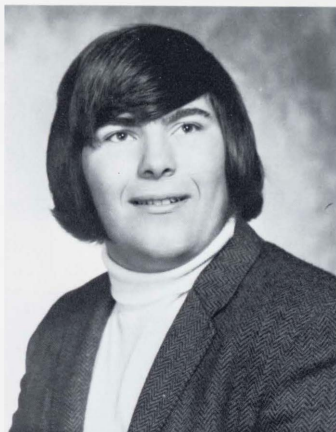
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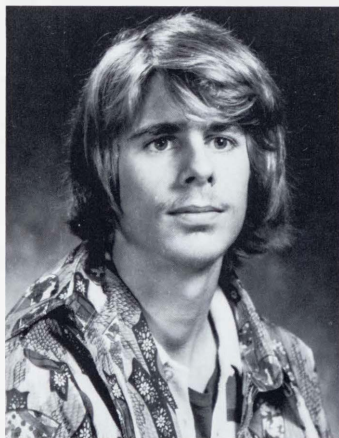
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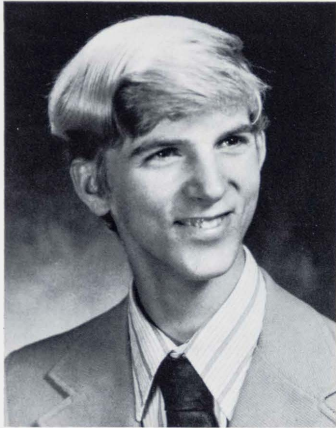


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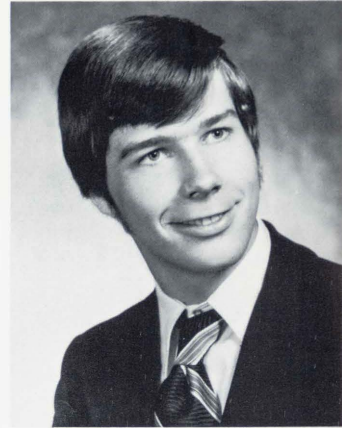
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AVA 1
- KENNETH GREENWOOD** Falls Village
Boys' Intramurals 1
- HEIDI HAAS** Sharon
French Club 1, 2, 3; AFS 1, 2, 3, 4;
Spaghetti Supper 2; Class Treasurer 3;
AFS Student to Brazil 3, 4
- RALPH HAFFORD** Sharon
Football 1; J.V. Baseball 1, 2, Varsity
3, 4; Boys' Intramurals 1; J.V. Soccer
2, Varsity Soccer 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3,
4
- RICK HALL** Kent
J.V. Baseball 1, 2; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4
- TOM HALL** Sharon
Chess Club 1, 2, 3; Golf 3, 4; King's
Court; Junior Prom Committee
- HEIDI HANSELL** Sharon
Outing Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3;
Soccer 2, 3
- DIANA HART** Cornwall
Cheerleading 1, J.V. 2, Captain 3, Var-
sity Captain 4; J.V. Softball 1, Varsity
2, 3, 4; Girls' Intramurals 1; Queen's
Court; Senior Dance Committee; Sen-
ior Ball Chairman; Doughnut Com-
mittee 4
- DAVID HEININGER** Cornwall
Football 1; AVA 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Inter-
murals 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; J.V. Soccer
2, 3, Varsity 4; Wrestling 2, 3; King
and I 3; South Pacific 3; Pancake Sup-
per Committee; Chorus 4; Hot Dog
Committee 4; All State Chorus 4;
Northwest Connecticut Divisional
Band 4
- ED HENNESSEY** Kent
Football 1; FFA 1
- CHRIS HERRMANN** Falls Village
- DAVID HOLST-GRUBBE** Sharon
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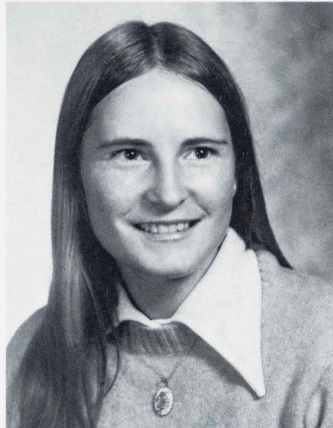
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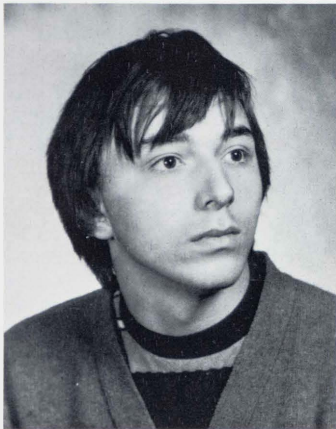
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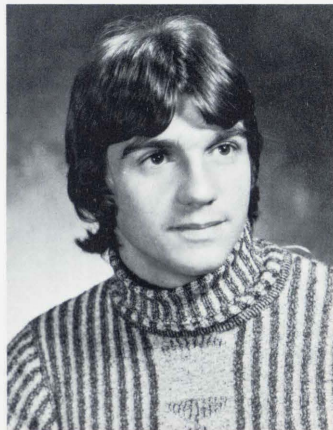
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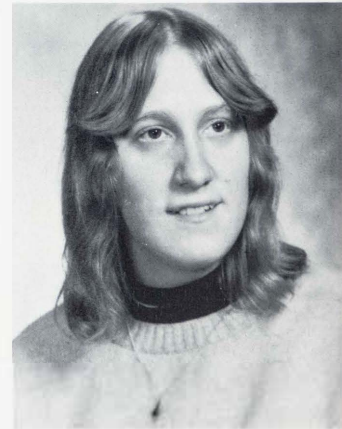
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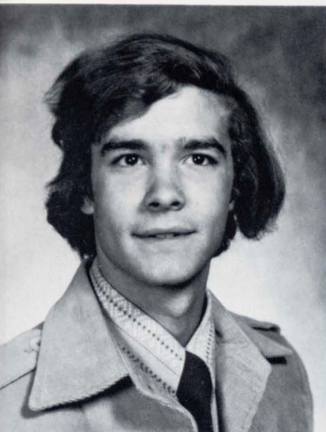
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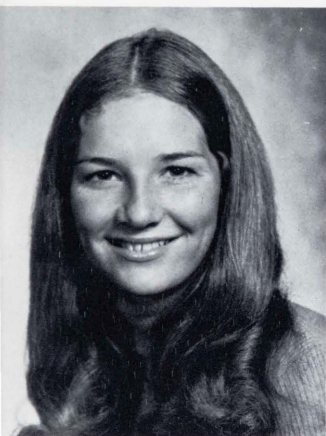
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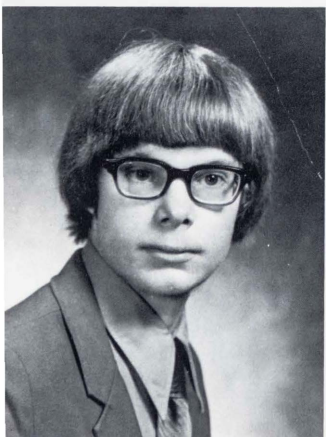
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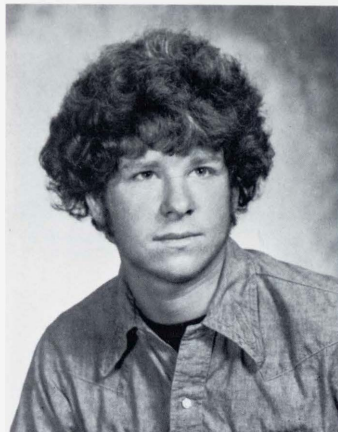
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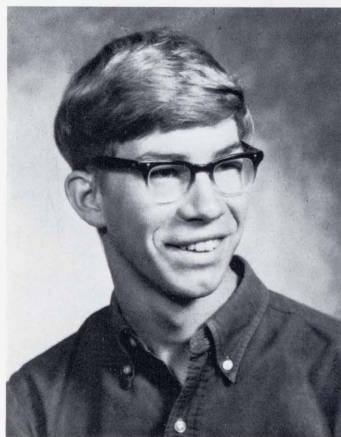
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Soccer 1, Varsity 2, 4, Co-Captain 3;
Student Council 3; Outing Club 3;
SPA Committee

DEVAN JACKMAN Kent
JOHN JAQUINS Canaan
FFA 1, 3

BARB JASMINE Cornwall
Gymnastics 1; Bake Sale 1, 2, 3, 4;
Girls' Intramurals 1; Class Picnic 1, 3;
Set Back Club 2; Class Dance Com-
mittee 2, 3, 4; Student Council Dance
Committee 2; Candy Sale 3; May Day
Committee 3; Pancake Supper Com-
mittee 3; Homeroom Representative 3;
Junior Prom Committee; SPA Com-
mittee; Doughnut Committee 4; Rally
Skit 4; Student Council 4; Senior Ball
Committee; Student Council Carnival
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Club 4; AFS Student from Switzerland
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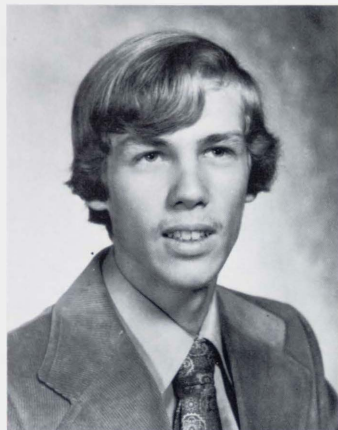
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Club 3, 4; J.V. Softball 3; Queen's
Court; Junior Prom Committee; Pan-
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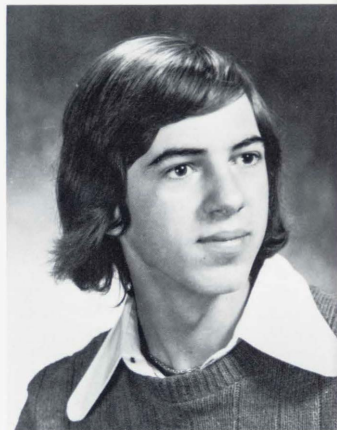
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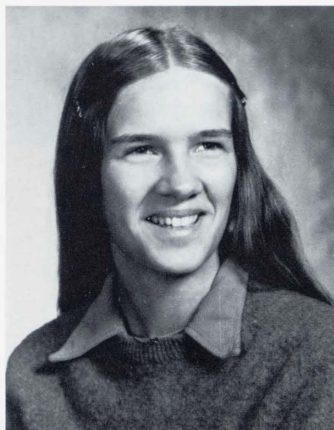
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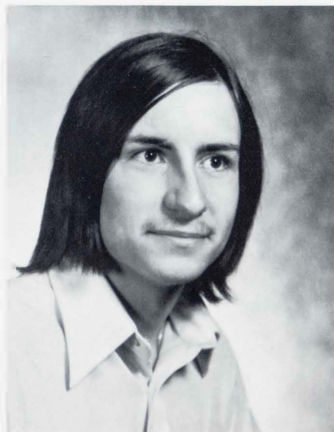
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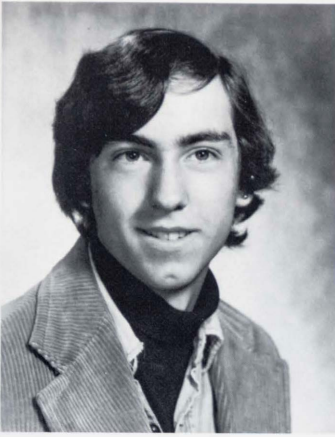
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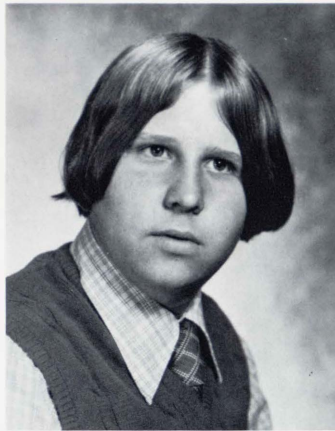


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 FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Truck and Tractor
 Committee 1, 2
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 Dance Committee 2, 3; Bake Sale
 Committee 3; Doughnut Committee 4;
 Rally Skit 4; SPA Committee
- FAITH LOVETT Falls Village
 J.V. Softball 1, 3, Captain 2, Varsity 4;
 Basketball Manager 2; Field Hockey 3,
 4, MVP 3; Honorable Mention All-
 Star 3, 4; J.V. Basketball 3, Varsity 4;
 Homeroom Representative 3; Junior
 Prom Committee; Pancake Supper
 Committee 3
- BERTHA LOWELL Sharon
 LIZA MacMILLAN Kent
 Conditioning Art 1; AFS 2, 3, 4; Ho-
 meroom Representative 2; Intramur-
 als 3; Ski Club 3, 4; Outing Club 3;
 Photography Club 4
- BRIAN MacNEIL Falls Village
 PETER MAGGIO Egremont
 FFA 2; Junior Prom Committee; Ski
 Club 3; Photography Club 4
- DONNA MARCHI Falls Village
 Varsity Softball 1, 3; Varsity Soccer 1,
 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 2, 4
- CYNDY MARTIN Cornwall
 Transfer from Watertown 1; Girls' In-
 tramurals 1; Bake Sale Committee 1, 2,
 3, 4; Picnic Committee 1, 3; Photogra-
 phy Club 1; Set Back Club 2; AFS 2,
 3, 4; Class Dance Committee 2, 3, 4;
 French Club 2, 3; Nurse's Office 2, 3,
 4; Student Council Dance Committee
 2; Pancake Supper Committee 3; Jun-
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 Representative 3; Candy Sale Commit-
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 Ball Committee; Executive Council 4;
 Hot Dog Committee 4; Doughnut
 Committee 4; Bicentennial Committee
 4; WHITE OAK Editor
- LIZ McCALL Kent
 Art Activity 1
- MARION McDUGALL Kent
 AFS Student form South Africa 4;
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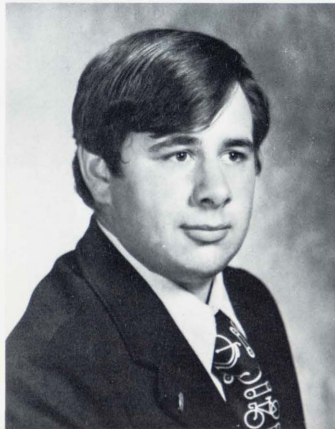
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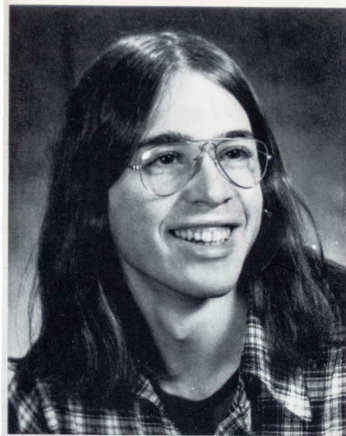
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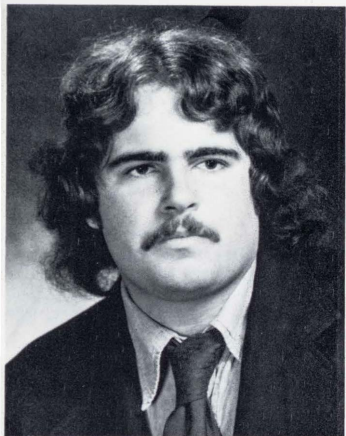
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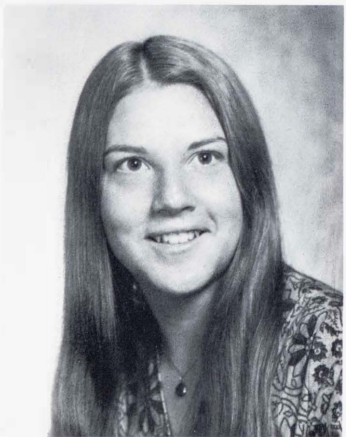
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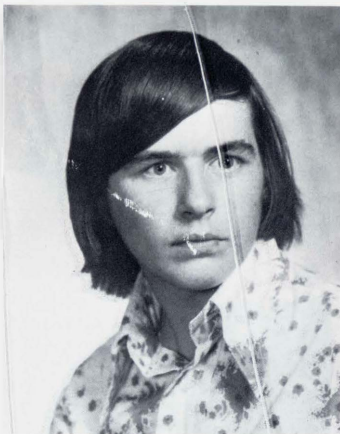
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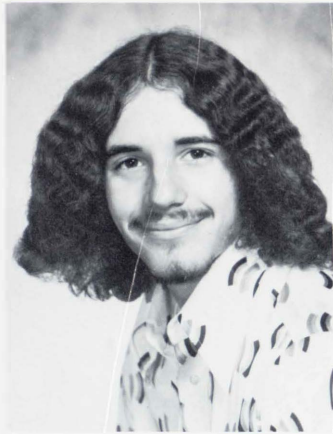


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FFA 1, 2, 4, Secretary 3; Nurse's
Office 3, 4
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Club 4
- ANN MINACCI Canaan
AY 1; Candy Striper 1; Homeroom
Representative 2; Ski Club 3, 4; Junior
Prom Committee; Girls' Intramurals
3; Senior Ball Committee 4; SPA Com-
mittee; Pep Club 4; Rally Skit 4; Hot
Dog Committee 4
- MARY MITCHEL Falls Village
Band 1
- JACKIE MONTANARO Kent
J.V. Basketball 2, 3
- JEAN MOSHER Cornwall
Northwest Corner 1, 2, 3, 4; Field
Hockey 2, 3; French Club 3; Acorn 3,
4; AFS 4; Student Council 4
- BUTCH NEAL Canaan
Football 1; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 3,
4
- CHRIS NEIL Salisbury
ERIC NELSON Sharon
Weight and Conditioning 2
- ED ONGLEY Lakeville
J.V. Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1
- SHERRI OVITT Canaan
PAT PACOCHA Kent
Candy Stripers 1; J.V. Basketball 2,
Co-Captain 3, Varsity 4; Field Hockey
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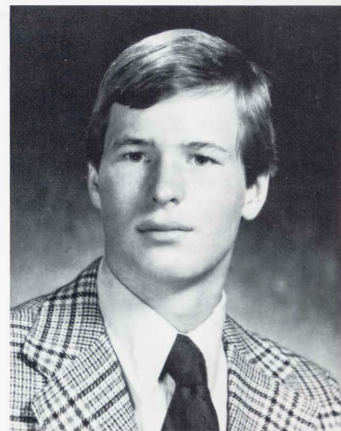
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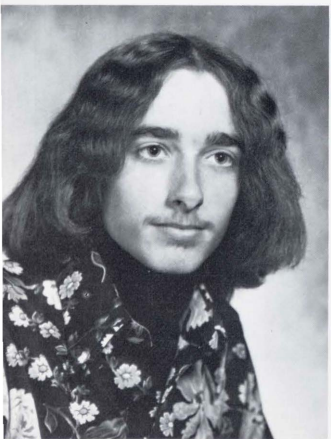
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 DAVID PATON Sharon
 J.V. Soccer 1, 2, Varsity 3, Co-Captain
 4; Outing Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2,
 3, 4; Vienna; Chess Club 1; Select
 Chorus 1; Wrestling 2, 4; Gymnastics
 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3; Fly Tying Club
 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; AFS
 4

NANCY PAVIOL Canaan
 Weaving Club 3

DAVID PEROTTI Canaan
 Basketball 1; FFA 1, 2; Weight and
 Conditioning Club 1, 2; Wrestling 2, 3;
 J.V. Baseball 2, Varsity 3, 4; Junior
 Prom Committee; King's Court; Class
 Dance Committee 3, 4

TOM PECK Salisbury
 Transfer from Seymour 3; FFA 3, 4

STEVE PICKERT Sharon
 Football 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; J.V. Base-
 ball 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4;
 French Club 2; Wrestling 3; MVP
 Baseball 3; Varsity Basketball 4;
 Chorus 4

LYNN POLLARD Falls Village
 FFA 1, Secretary 2, Vice-President 3,
 President 4; District Reporter Kansas
 City Judge 3, 4; National Honor Socie-
 ty 3, 4; Girls' State 3

JOANN PULVER Lakeville
 French Club 1, Secretary 2; AFS 1, 2,
 3, 4; Cheerleading 1, J.V. 2, Varsity 3,
 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Class President 3,
 4; Junior Prom Committee; Prom
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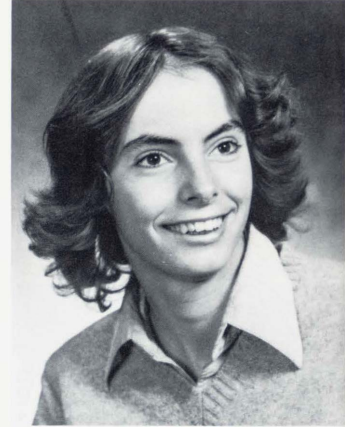
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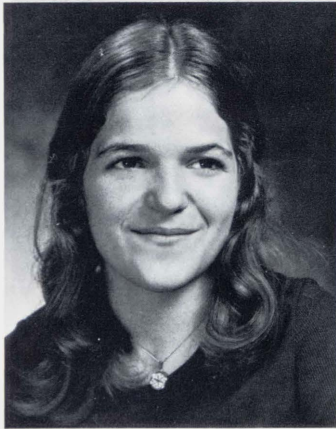
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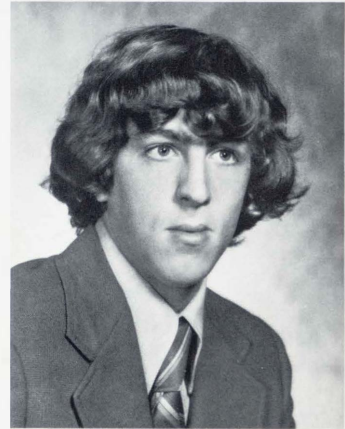
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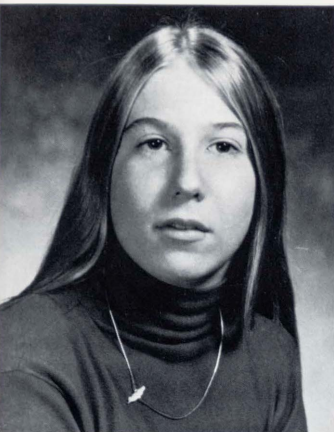
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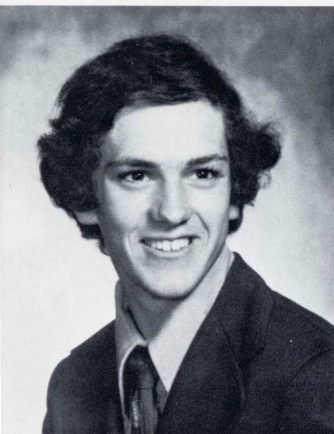
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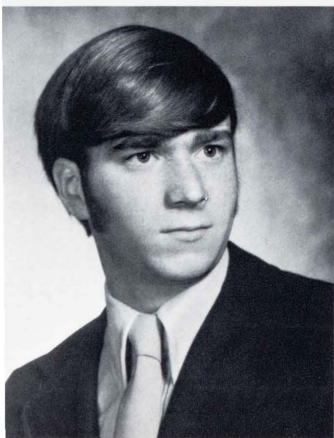
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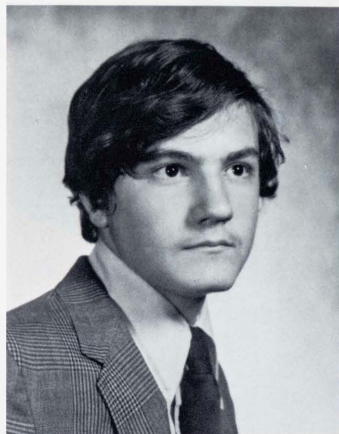
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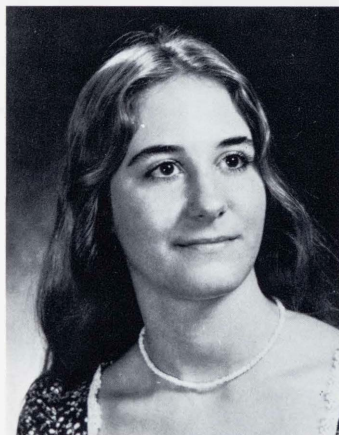
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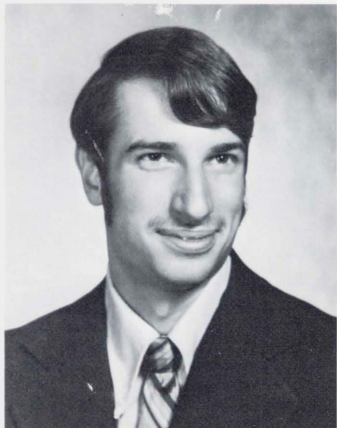


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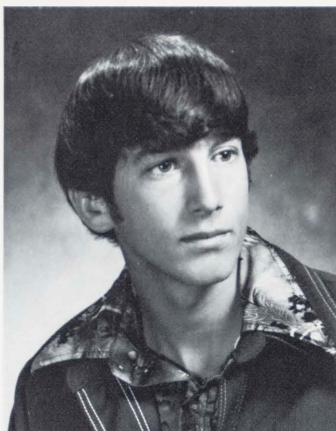


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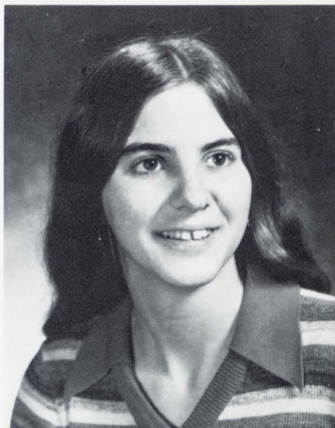
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Senior Ball Committee
- BECKY RILEY Sharon
- SANDY RILEY Sharon
Cheerleading 1, Varsity 4; FHA 2;
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- NANCY ROBERTSON Lakeville
FHA 1; Candy Striper 1, 2, 3; Class
Dance Committee 3; Junior Prom
Committee; Senior Ball Committee;
Advisory Committee 4
- JODY RUMAN Kent
Band 1, 2; J.V. Softball 1, 2; J.V. Bas-
ketball 2; Field Hockey 2, 3; Chorus 4
- MIKE RUPPEL Sharon
Football 1; Basketball 1; J.V. Soccer 2,
3; J.V. Baseball 2
- KAKI SCHAFER Lakeville
Picnic Committee 1, 3; Bake Sale 1, 3;
Northwest Corner 2, 3; Class Dance
Committee 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Com-
mittee; Assistant Class Secretary; Ho-
meroom Representative 3; Pancake
Supper Committee 3; Executive Coun-
cil 4; Senior Ball Committee; Dough-
nut Committee 4; WHITE OAK
- LAURA SCHMIDT Sharon
- PAUL SCHMITT Canaan
J.V. Soccer 1, 2; Ski Club 3; Soccer
Manager 4
- RALPH SCOVILLE Cornwall
J.V. Baseball 1, 2, 3, Varsity 4; J.V.
Soccer 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Varsity Club
3, 4; Rally Skit 4
- DINA SEGALLA Canaan
Art Activity 1; Class Dance Commit-
tee 3
- JAY SHELDON Cornwall
Transfer from Oliver Wolcott Techni-
cal 3; Band 3, 4; Northwest Corner 3,
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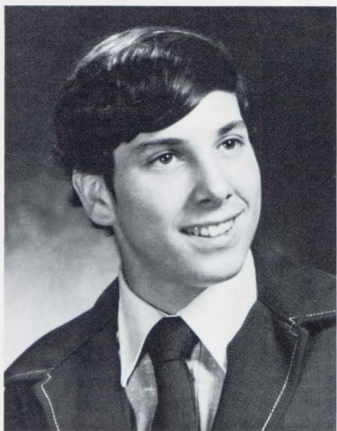
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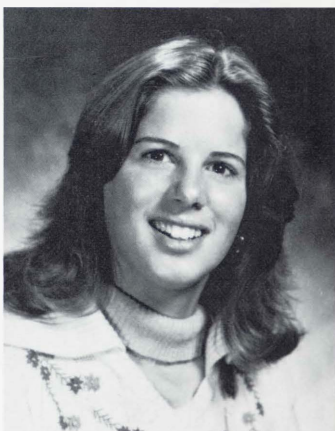
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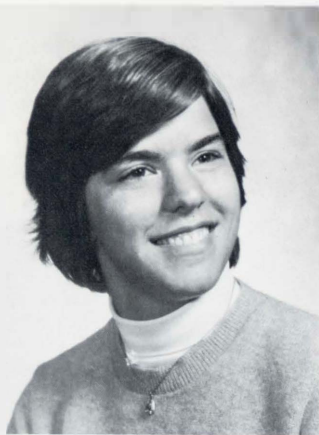
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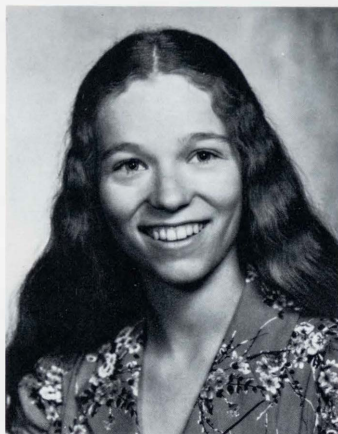
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Kandi L. Strattman



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GREG SILVERNALE Lakeville
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Junior Prom Committee; Ski Club 3, 4;
South Pacific 3; Student Council 4;
Gymnastics 4; Photography Club 4;
Outing Club 4

GIGI SMITH Sharon
Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4;
Chess Club 1; J.V. Baseball 2; King's
Court; Golf Club 4

SUE SMITH Canaan
J.V. Softball 1; Field Hockey 2

BILL SOLAN Canaan
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; AVA 1, 2, 3; Wrestling
1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Football 4; Varsity
Club 4; Track 4

CALEEN SPEED Sharon
FHA 1, 2, 3

SHERYL STAIR Taconic
Class President 1, 2; Chorus 1, 3, 4;
Vienna; Oliver 1; Candy Striper 1;
Varsity Soccer 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4;
Varsity Basketball 2, 3; AFS 2, 3, 4;
French Club 2; Varsity Club 3, 4; Junior
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Chorus 1, 2; Vienna; Cheerleading 1

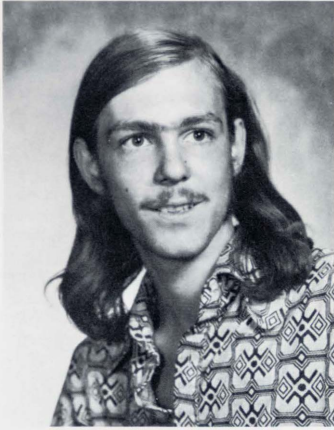
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Chorus 1; Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, Varsity
4; Pep Club 2, 3; Gymnastics 2, 3, 4;
Class Secretary 2, 3; Softball 2, 4; Jun-
ior Prom Committee

MARGIT STEIG Sharon
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Vienna; Hello Dolly
1; Oliver 1; Cabaret 1; Music Council
1, 2; J.V. Soccer 1, Varsity 2, Co-Cap-
tain 3, 4; My Fair Lady 2; Track 3, 4;
Divisional Chorus 3; Gymnastics 3, 4;
King and I 3; Wrestling Manager 3;
Select Chorus 4; All State Chorus 4

CATHY STEVENS Cornwall
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1

STUBBY STODDARD Kent
Varsity Soccer 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain 4;
Varsity Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Sys-
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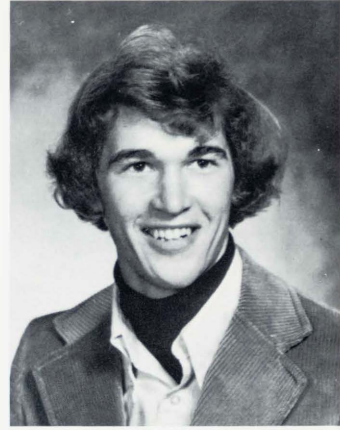
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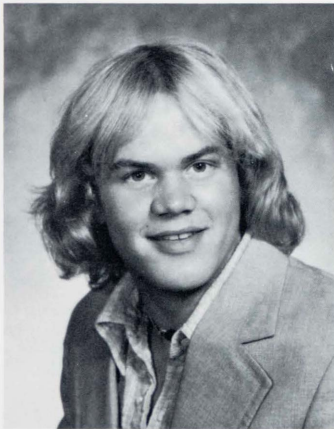
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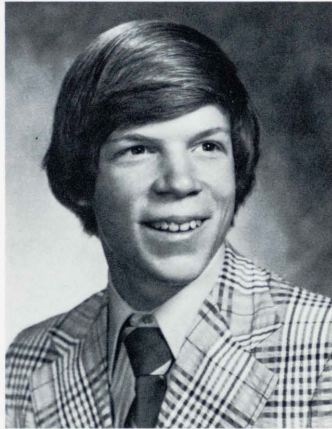
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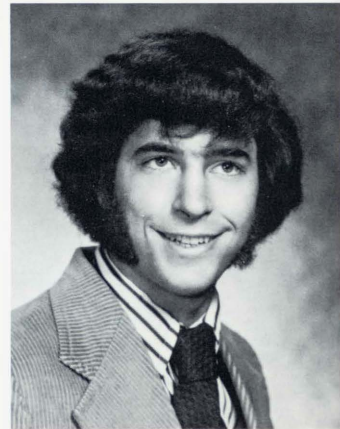
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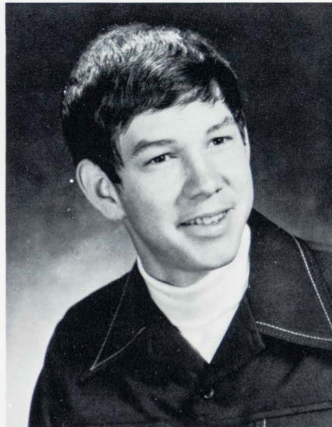
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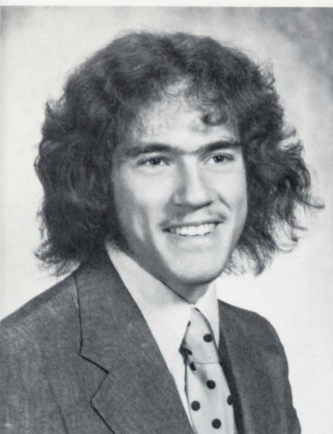
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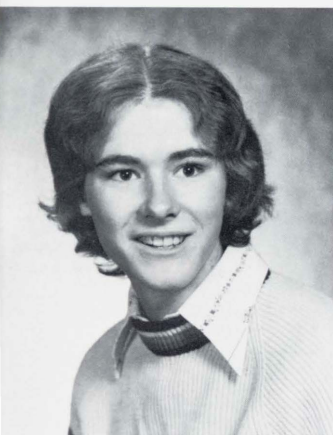
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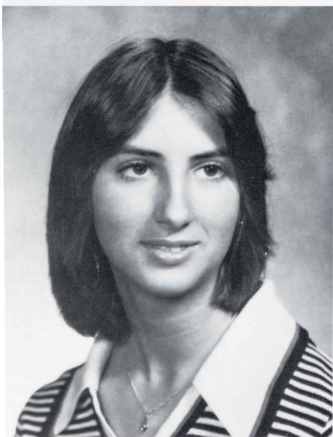
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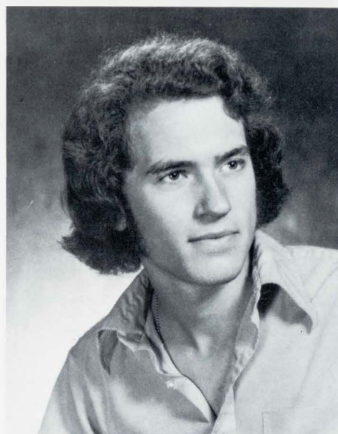
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- TOM STRATTMAN** Canaan
DAWN TATSAPAUGH Canaan
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- RANDY TATSAPAUGH** Canaan
 Cross Country 1; J.V. Basketball 1, 2, 3, Varsity 4; J.V. Baseball 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Varsity Football 3, 4; King's Court
- CRICKET TROTTA** Canaan
 Football 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Baseball 1, 2, Varsity 4; Outing Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Ski Club 3, 4; Prom King
- ED TYBURSKI** Falls Village
 Basketball 1, J.V. 2, Varsity 3, Co-Captain 4; J.V. Baseball 1, 2, 3, Varsity 4; Varsity Club 3, 4
- MIKE TYLER** Canaan
 Basketball 1; J.V. 2; Track 1, 2; J.V. Football 2
- PAUL VERNALI** Canaan
 FFA 1, 2, 3, 4
- ROMAN VICTOR** Lakeville
 Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee; Homeroom Representative 3; Pancake Supper Committee 3; AFS 4; Northwest Divisional Band 4; Cross Country 4; N.W.C. All Star 4; Senior Ball Committee; Hot Dog Committee 4
- TODD VICTOR** Lakeville
 AFS 1, 2, 3, 4; Cycle Club 1, 2, 3; Chess Club 1, 2; Basketball 1; J.V. 3, 4; Soccer 1; Varsity 2, 3, 4; Outing Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Ball Committee; Pep Club 4
- GUY WASHBURN** Cornwall
JANE WELSH Sharon
 Outing Club 2
- LOIS WENDOVER** Sharon
 Chorus 1; Gymnastics 2



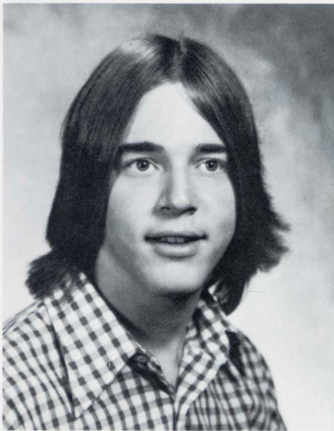
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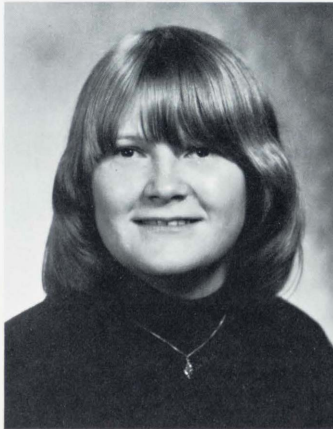
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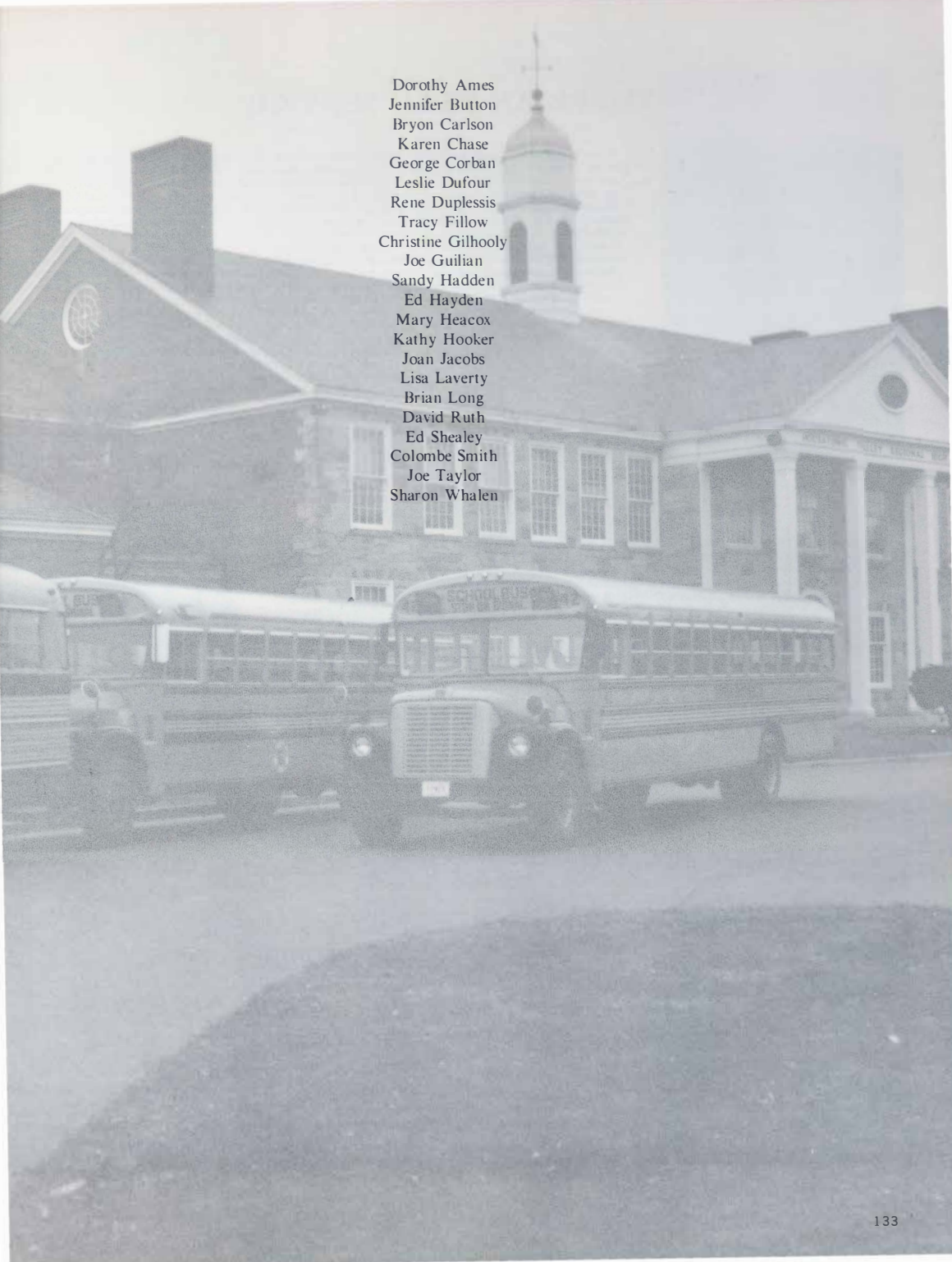


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MARY SUE WHITE Kent
 Track 3; Gymnastics 4; Intramurals 4
 HEATHER WHITEHEAD Kent
 Transfer 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; AFS 2,
 3, 4; Musical 2, 3; Queen's Court;
 Band 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Varsity Soccer
 3, 4; Wrestling Manager 3, 4; Execu-
 tive Council 4
 KEN WHITMAN Canaan
 BECKIE WINGARD Falls Village
 Transfer 3; Junior Prom Committee 3
 TINA WOODWARD Cornwall
 FFA 1, 2, 3, Secretary 4; J.V. Softball
 1; Cheerleading 1



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It would take more adjectives than just "excited" and "nervous" to explain my feelings when I boarded that South African Airways plane that brought me 12,000 miles away from home. After an 18 hour trip we landed in New York, were greeted by AFS'ers and taken to C.W. Post College on Long Island where there were 500 other students from different countries.

Three days later I met my Mom and Dad Combs, Gail and Sharon. I must admit it did seem strange at first being placed in an all-girl family. In South Africa, I have 3 older brothers and no sisters. Living in Kent with this family whom I've grown to love has passed the year all too quickly.

I have been lucky enough to be able to travel a great deal accompanying my family into Alabama, Vermont, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Illinois, California and Hawaii. So I've seen a good deal of your beautiful country.

Although I must have been a bit stunned my first few days at "Housy" because of the vast difference in the whole outlook on education (South African schools being much stricter), I've thoroughly enjoyed my year in the class of '76 and shan't forget all the lovely people I've met.

I was not struck by an absolute culture shock when I arrived, but there have been several minor differences between you and my way of life, but I have learned that though people may appear different they are basically the same, sharing the same basic needs, "to love and to be loved" being number one!

A big thank you to all those friends who have made my year a memorable one.

Totsiens
Marion

Nine months ago on my airplane trip to America, I spent a lot of time thinking about my coming AFS year, knowing that it was going to be a year of interesting experiences and a new way of life. I was still not aware that this would be my very best year ever, being involved in learning, growing, sharing, and contributing.

However, thanks to all of you, students of HVRHS, the administration, teachers and people in the surrounding towns. This has been a perfect year. I soon realized that I was a part of the American system and no longer a stranger.

Special thanks to my Mom and Dad (Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Solan), my brothers (Richard, Peter, and Billy), and my sister (Terry), who made me feel as I was their son or brother forever. They gave me the fundamental to the most enjoyable year.

Unaware of your school system, I observed it very closely for the first couple of weeks. In comparison to Switzerland, where schools are very subject oriented, the schools here are far more liberal.

Besides school activities, I shall never forget my good times and experiences. My Short-Term-Exchange in Maryland, the AFS-Weekends, soccer, flying with my brother, skiing, and the many other things I've done in this past year will always be part of me.

I would like to thank you all for making my year a happy and meaningful one. You will always have a special place in my heart.

Love and Peace
Auf's Wiedersehen
Josef



The first time I came here, I said to myself "Now Elsy, you will know what it is like to speak English, you will get new friends, and become accustomed to the USA." It was very hard for me, but with my friends and teachers helping me I forced myself to write and speak English (It's no joke, I'm still learning).

I had a very great and beautiful time, doing all the crazy things I did. I really enjoyed myself playing soccer and was proud to get my letter. I broke my wrist in softball which prevented me from playing the whole season.

I will never forget all my friends, talking with me and saying "HI" in the halls. That was very nice of all of you and I thank you very much for your friendship.

Now, it is hard for me to leave, but I say to my teachers Mrs. Segalla, Mrs. Snyder, Miss Abraham, and my family Haas, and all my friends thank you. I don't have words to show my appreciation for all this, but I know I will never forget my experiences here.

I won't say bye-bye, I will say "See you very soon."

Amor para todos ustedes
Su amiga de siempre
Elsy

"Here we go, au revoir United States, bonjour Paris!" Is it possible that I left the U.S. five hours ago? Nervous and excited upon landing all of us AFS'ers entered the airport, anxiously waiting to hear a real Frenchman sound off!

I was greeted by my family of light in the typical French manner, with a kiss on each cheek! Instantly I felt that my family accepted me as one of their own. However, I soon learned that it was necessary to speak French quickly and accurately. My many brothers and sisters were always asking questions, and expecting immediate responses.

I lived in the city of Dunkerque, which is just ten minutes by car from Belgium, and only a half an hour by ferry from England. One of the highlights of my trip was the day we visited Calais, on the French coast. Standing on a high cliff overlooking the English Channel and North Sea, I could see England through the mist.

One of my fondest memories was the celebration of my parents 22nd wedding anniversary, which was a feast to end all feasts! For three hours we celebrated in the typical French tradition, starting with fruit filled Sangria. During my stay, we visited Paris where we walked on the "grande" Champo-Elysee, and saw the Eiffel Tower. From the top of Arc de Triumphe we viewed the 12 broad avenues of this famous city.

American Field Service has given me one of the most rewarding experiences of my life. I will always cherish the friendships and memories of living with my French family.

To me, AFS truly means "Walk together, talk together, All ye people of the earth."

"Vive la France!"

JoAnn



There are so many things to say about my year abroad. It was such a fantastic experience!

I lived in southern Brasil, in the state of Sao Paulo. My city, Santos, is located on the Atlantic coast. It's population is 450,000 but this number increases tremendously on weekends when people come from all over to spend a bit of time at the various beaches of Santos. They are beautiful with their high rolling waves of clear blue water and magnificent white sand.

I absolutely loved my family of five older brothers and sisters in addition to my parents — Mae and Pai. The whole family accepted me as both their own sister and daughter. I had a very special relationship with each one of them.

School was great and that's where I make many unforgettable friends. I studied at a private Catholic school and this truly helped me to learn Portuguese fluently. My classmates and teachers were extremely friendly.

Even though I did get some opportunities to travel around Brasil and down into Argentina and Paraguay, I am looking forward to going back sometime in the near future to visit my family and friends.

I met wonderful people that seemed to make all the people of the world walk and talk together. It's such a unifying feeling. The world is a small place after all.

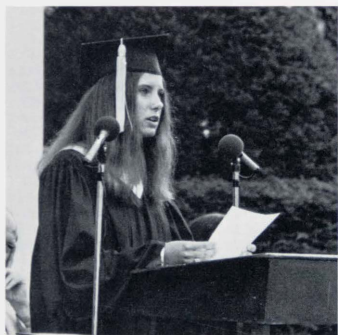
In closing, I would like to say that my AFS experience is the best thing that has ever happened to me, and once again I thank everyone who helped make it possible.

Tchau,

Heidi



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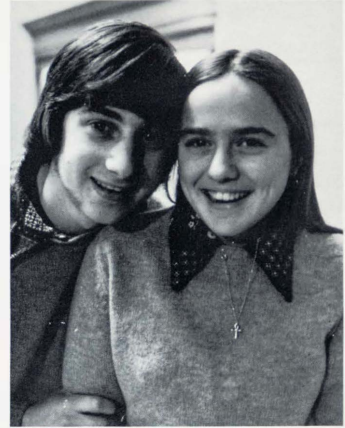
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Best Disposition
JoAnn Pulver — Greg Silvernale



Most Changed Since Freshmen Year
Denise Stanton — Andy Belter



Class Sweethearts
Chuck Arbo — Diana Hart



Most Musical Heather Whitehead — Steve Pickert



Class Flirts Gigi Smith — Sheryl Stair



Most Inclined to Argue
Michael Flint — Denise Stanton



Most School Spirit
JoAnn Pulver — Chuck Arbo



Class Politicians
JoAnn Pulver — Michael Flint



Done Most For School
JoAnn Pulver — Michael Flint



Best Dress
Cyndy Martin — Michael Flint



Class Clowns
Ralph Scoville — Jody Ruman



Most Reliable Cyndy Martin — Chuck Arbo



Most Studious Nancy Fasciano — Hans Kurtz



Most Likely To Succeed
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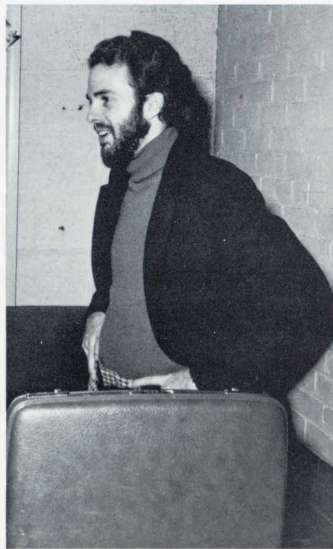
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IN MEMORIAM

ANTHONY DICHELLO

1941-1975



To grasp the reality of Anthony Dichello's death, for all of us who had the privilege of knowing him, was an almost impossible task.

Tony dead? No, that can't be. Over and over the words tumble wildly in the mind, numbing the senses.

Total rejection of the truth comes first. Maybe the newspapers made a mistake. It's not Tony. Not him, please. Daily tasks are punctuated by piercing thoughts of his death. Nagging thoughts that can no longer be rejected. And then reality, and the stabbing grief it brings, sets in.

Tony at our door, on a wintery January night, his shoulders hunched against the cold wind and hands in pockets, seeking a soul brother. To speak of things that mattered. Of basketball, and of the youth that play that frantic game. Tony in conversation, hours in length, deep into the recesses of night. Of each boy he coached. Conversation about a game just played so detailed as to boggle the mind of the casual spectator. Tony on the bench with his boys at a game. Electrified and tense to the last second, regardless of the score. Caring deeply and sensitive to each boy he coached in this game of human chess.

And Tony as I last saw him, at our cottage. Helping launch a sailboat, embroiled in talk of his hopes for next season's basketball team, and of the boys he would coach. And with the last thought, a hollow feeling rumbles inside me.

How many youths' lives did he touch? How many more unreached? And the sense of loss intensifies with each thought of him.

Devotion. Integrity. Pride. Honor. The memory of Tony Dichello and the high ideals he lived by are ours to keep and cherish.



A tribute by Elizabeth S. Tyburski





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