



## DEDICATION



For his continual support throughout all our class endeavors, we dedicate the 1979 White Oak to Mr. John Mongeau. We sincerely appreciate the time and leadership he has given to our class.

The Class of 79 .


## BOYS' SOCCER

For the varsity soccer squad of 1978 , the season was one of growth, new experience with stronger competition, and successful year as well.

The varsity squad ended the 1978 season with a 7-8-0 record, missing a tournament bid by just one game, a 3-0 defeat to Northwest Regional. Although their final record did not live up to the expectations of many, it also reflected the type of competition which filled the 15 game schedule. This schedule included many teams of the Berkshire League, the league the team will compete in from now on. Although the highly competitive soccer of the Berkshire League may cost Housatonic a state tournament bid, it was important to play teams of the Berkshire League in order to prepare for seasons to come. As head coach David Shaffer pointed out, HVRHS has been able to compete with perennial powerhouses in the area, and that six of Housatonic's nine 1978 opponents made the playoffs.

As for the 1978 wrap-up, co-captain Brad Paulsen led the team with twelve goals, and senior Bob Sieller followed with nine. Several underclassmen also contributed to the scoring, including Danny Rodrigo with four, Stephen Kroehle with three, and Kevin Brady with one. The team scored 39 goals for the season, while the goal-tending of senior Joe Cleaveland and sophomore Tim Brown yielded 35 goals for an average of 2.6 goals against per game.

The varsity season of 1979 could be one of continued growth, since Housatonic is losing linemen Brad Paulsen, Bob Seiller, midfielders John LaPorta, Farid Abdeliziz, Jeff Shores, fullbacks Kurt Sternlof, Chris Dodge, co-captain Larry Madsen, and goalkeeper Joe Cleaveland. With the tremendous amount of participation in this year's program, there should be plenty of junior varsity players ready to fill the shoes of the departing seniors.

The junior varsity team enjoyed one of the most successful seasons ever, ending the season with a record of $8 \cdot 6 \cdot 1$, under first year coach Fred DiMenna. The JVs were led by Rick Sieller with 9 goals, and Mike Lomask and Doug McCall each had 3. The team allowed just 22 goals, while scoring 27 during the season.

The boy's third team finished with a record of $4-6-1$, under the first year coaching of John Lamb. The team was led by Clark Eddy, who scored 9 goals for the year.


First row - F. Abdelaziz, K. Gorkofsky, J. Costa, K. Brady, J. Oskwarek, J. Shores. Second row - B Sieller, B. Shores, T. Brown, M. Spohn, S. Kroehle. Third row - L. Madsen, B. Paulsen. Fourth row Coach Shaffer, K. Stermlof, D. Golden, J. LaPorta, C. Dodge, J. Cleaveland, D. Rodrigo.



| Canton | 2 | 4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Shepaug | 1 | 2 |
| Wolcott | 8 | 2 |
| Avon | 2 | 3 |
| Litchfield | 5 | 4 |
| Canton | 2 | 1 |
| Mills | 2 | 3 |
| Wamogo | 2 | 0 |
| Avon | 2 | 1 |
| Terryville | 0 | 3 |
| N.W. | 0 | 1 |
| Mills | 3 | 1 |
| Wolcott | 5 | 0 |
| Shepaug | 1 | 5 |
| N.W. | 0 | 3 |

7-8-0
JUNIOR VARSITY
HVRHS OPPONENTS

| Canton | 0 | 2 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Gilbert | 6 | 1 |
| Avon | 1 | 3 |
| Litchfield | 2 | 1 |
| Canton | 0 | 2 |
| Mills | 2 | 2 |
| Lee | 0 | 1 |
| Shepaug | 2 | 0 |
| Avon | 2 | 1 |
| N.W. | 1 | 4 |
| Mills | 2 | 0 |
| Gilbert | 2 | 1 |
| Lee | 0 | 1 |
| N.W. | 3 | 1 |

## 8-6-1

## THIRDS



## GIRLS' SOCCER

The girls varsity soccer team ended the 1978 season with a 10-3-2 record, which enabled them to advance to the first round of the state tournament. The Mountaineers were matched up against R.H.A.M. high school on November 7. Housatonic jumped out to an early 1-0 lead on Kim Miles' first goal of the day, and went on to beat R.H.A.M. 3-2 with one more from Miles and one from senior Renee Conklin.

On November 9, Housatonic faced \#1 ranked E.O. Smith High School in the second round of the tourney. The season ended with a 5-1 loss to Smith, with Kim Miles scoring the only goal for HVRMS.

As for the season wrap-up of 1978, the varsity squad scored 50 goals, for an average of 3.33 goals per game. The goaltending yielded just 18 goals, for an average of just 1.20. Junior Kim Miles led the team in scoring with 16 goals, Terry Carberry followed with 11, and senior Renee Conklin had 7.

The captains of the team were seniors Sue Chilcoat, Betsy Schafer and Marybeth Alto. Chilcoat captured the MVP award for the season.

The junior varsity squad ended the 1978 season with an $8-4$ record. The squad was led by Barbie Baird, who set a JV record by scoring 18 goals in just 12 games. The Mountaineers scored 42 goals while giving up just 23. Freshman Candi Carlson and sophomore Patti Mulligan each set a JV record for the most assists for a single season, with 4 each. With a very successful varsity and JV program, Coach Greco is looking forward to a good year in 1979.


First row - S. Chilcoat, B. Schaefer, M. Alto. Second row - R. Conklin, D. Brelsford, J. Smith, S. Gilpatrick, S. Rice. Third row - E. Wohlfart, J. Trotta, E. Lyle, D. Pequignot, T. Kearns, T. Carberry, P. Spadaccini, K. Miles. Fourth row - K. Bibro, C. Alto, Coach Greco.




## CROSS COUNTRY

The 1978 cross country team, better known as the Pack, had one of their best seasons ever, and one of the best records of all fall sports in 1978, ending the regular season with a total of 13 wins, and 4 losses.

The team earned second place in the Northwest Conference, as they look forward to competition in the Berkshire League in 1979. The Pack ranked 12th against all Class S schools in Connecticut.

Housatonic had seven medal winners overall in various contests and tourneys throughout the season. In the first meet of '78, the Wolcott Invitational, sophomore Dave Heacox won the junior varsity race, capturing the first award of the season.

Another highlight of the campaign was the Northwest Conference Individual Championship, where the team placed 4th of 12 teams with a total of 90 points. Senior Frank Ghi and sophomore Wendy Pitcher were named All-Stars, while Heacox, Bob Anderson and Jeff Brum were sighted with honorable mention awards.

Later in the season, the team competed in the Small School State Sectional Race, where they placed 4th of 17 teams, allowing the team to compete in the Class S State Championship.

Head Coach David Lindsay said that he will miss the seniors, tri-captains Ghi, Brum and Glen Cross, MVP Anderson, Brad Perkins and Debbie Bohren, since there were not juniors on the ' 78 squad.




First row: W. Van Zyll, R. Anderson, G. Cross, F. Ghi, B. Perkins, K. Hoffman, W. Pitcher. Second row: M. Cling, G. Pitcher, D. Heacox, G. Hurley, M. Thibault, Coach Lindsay.

CROSS COUNTRY
*LOW SCORE WINS*
HVRHS OPP
Torington 5015
Wolcott Inv. (Noteam scr.)
Warnogo 2629
Gilbert 1549
Avon $50 \quad 15$
Pawling 2533
Shepaug 1549
Wolcott Tech $23 \quad 37$
Canton 1843
Derby 3529
East Haven 1541
Arnity $40 \quad 15$
Terryville 1548
Thomaston 1845
Dover 1550
Nonnewaug 1549
NWCChamp. (4th of 12)
Berlin 1840
Lws Mills $24 \quad 37$
Sectionals (4th of 17)
States
(12thof 49


## FIELD HOCKEY

The varsity field hockey had a difficult yet rewarding season in 1978. The squad, led bytri-captains Bonnie Sheldon, Maura Landis, and Darlene Hewins, struggled to a 3-8-5 record.

The year started out as a good one, with a 5-0 victory over Mount Everett, and an impressive $2-1$ clipping of Wamogo, a new Berkshire League opponent for '79. The goaltending of senior Kathy Hanes kept the girls in many close games, as she recorded three shutouts during the campaign. The stellar defensive play of junior Maria Koneazny also kept the Mountaineers in many close ones. Head Coach Denise Volack has a lot to look forward to in the '79 season, with Koneazny returning along with offensive power Denise McDonald, who scored 11 of the team's 18 goals this season. That total led the team in scoring.

Other highlights of the season in cluded a scoreless tie with conference leader Farmington, and two ties with a tough Canton squad.

The junior varsity squad, led by cocaptains Meg Michalek, achieved a record of 3-8-3. Coached by Judy Wright, the team had victories over Wamogo, Avon, and a shutout over Farmington. The prospects for next season look good.



First row - M. Landis, D. Hewins, B. Sheldon. Second row - M. O'Donnell, B. Grossman, M. Michalek, A. Janello, C. Kelsey. Third row - E. Carlson, L. Hart, D. McDonald, J. Wright, S. Combs, K. Hanes, Coach Volack, Manager F. Daley.

FIELD HOCKEY SCORES VARSITY

## HVRHS OPP

| Mt. Everett | 5 | 0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Wamago | 2 | 1 |
| Lewis Mills | 0 | 1 |
| Berlin | 3 | 1 |
| Avon | 0 | 1 |
| Farmington | 3 | 1 |
| Watertown | 1 | 1 |
| Lewis Mills | 1 | 3 |
| Canton | 0 | 0 |
| Farmington | 0 | 0 |
| Avon | 0 | 1 |
| Shepaug | 1 | 3 |
| Wamogo | 1 | 2 |
| Canton | 1 | 1 |
| Shepaug | 2 | 4 |
| JUNIOR VARSITY |  |  |
|  | HVRHS | OPP |
| Wamogo | 2 | 0 |
| Lewis Mills | 0 | 1 |
| Berlin | 2 | 2 |
| Avon | 0 | 0 |
| Farmington | 1 | 2 |
| Indian Mt. | 2 | 2 |
| Lewis Mills | 0 | 1 |
| Canton | 0 | 2 |
| Berlin | 0 | 1 |
| Farmington | 2 | 0 |
| Avon | 2 | 1 |
| Shepaug | 1 | 2 |
| Wamogo | 0 | 2 |



First row - A. Janello, M. Michalek. Second row - C. Perotti, L. Weber, M. Migliacci, R. Schenkle, Kth. Polowa, C. Kelsey, Kly. Polowa, M. Burgess. Third row - Coach Wright, K. Spohn, Z. Karp, T. Reiker, J. Wright, L. Johnson, C. Karp, J. Domeier.


## FOOTBALL

The 1978 season was one of the most successful seasons in Housatonic's history. Coach Michael Guy called the season a tremendous one, especially for seniors Chuck Arrigoni, Mike Dodge, Richard Hogan, Bob Hoshko, Russell Juds, Kevin McGivern, Bill O'Connor, Joe Pierzga, Duke Pozzetta and Dan Stewart. The Mountaineer's overall record for 1978 was $6 \cdot 1-1$, the best win-lost record in 25 years.

Highlights of the season include a dynamic offense led by co-captain Mike Dodge and the tenacious work of Kevin McGivern. The offense was also sparked by the super running of John Ongley and Bob Pequignot.

A devastating defense, anchored by cocaptain Duke Pozetta, was backed up by Arrigoni, Pierzga and Stewart. The team also displayed an enthusiastic effort on special teams, with seniors Mike Bonn, Rich Hogan and Bob Hoshko leading the way. Russell Juds, exchange student from South Africa, did a great job with the kicking duty.

The team enthusiasm which they helped establish as freshmen carried through their four years of football. This enthusiasm is responsible for the accomplishments they can be proud of as seniors.

The junior varsity had an undefeated season, with a record of $2 \cdot 0 \cdot 2$. The squad, coached by David Bayersdorfer, was led by quarterback Dan Smith, running backs Bob Bushey and Mark Hickey, and tackler, Scott Palmer.



First row - Manager T. Carley, E. Wilson, S. Macchi, B. Rice, M. Dodge, D. Belter, R. Leonadou. Second row - D. Johns, T. McCue, R. Hogan, J. Ongley, M. Bonn, R. Juds, E. Ustico, M. Mulligan, B. Pequignot. Third row - Coach Bayersdorfer, M. Alger, B. O'Connor, H. Pozzetta, G. Drumm, J. Pierzga, C. Amigoni, S. Palmer, K. MaGivem, J. Fallon, Coach Gilson, Head Coach Guy. Fourth row - J. O'Connor, E. Peqignot, P. Vandoren, T. Wood, J. Morey, J. Chase, P. Ghi, B. Bushey, R. Hoshko.


FOOTBALL

HVRHS OPPONENT

| Dover | 14 | 14 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Millbrook | 38 | 8 |
| Pawling | 23 | 0 |
| Taconic | 22 | 0 |
| Pine Plains | 14 | 8 |
| Somers | 44 | 0 |
| Monument Mt. | 8 | 27 |
| Mt. Everett | 20 | 14 |

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JV FOOTBALL
HVRHS OPPONENT

| Lee | 14 | 14 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Monument Mt. | 14 | 14 |
| Pine Plains | 35 | 6 |
| Somers | 44 | 0 |



## WHITE OAK



First Row: A. Lilje, B. Grossman, S. Romeo, Mr. Orrell. Second Row: A. Mallory, J. Shores, S. Chilcoat, B. Shafer, K. Hanes, C. Riley, D. Hewins, S. Tatsapaugh, M. Spolowich, M. Spohn, A. Fracaro, T. Carley.


WHITE OAK STAFF Editor-in-chief . . Anne Mallory Assistant editor Sports editor Photo editor Activities editor Faculty editors

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Advisor
Printing Advisor



Plans for the 1979 edition of the White Oak began on the first day of school and continued throughout the year. Several dedicated staff members contributed many hours of work to make this yearbook possible. Meetings were held twice a week in order to cope with the large volume of work required before each deadline.

Jeff Shores, our yearbook photoeditor is responsible for a large portion of the photos included in this year's White Oak. Always behind the camera, Jeff managed to capture unwilling seniors, exciting sports shots, and unusual events on film.

Another dedicated staff member was MaryAnn Spolowich, who upon her return from and AFS year in Australia, picked up the editorship of the activities section and really got things rolling.

Steven Tatsapaugh's expertise in the field of sports and his special flair for sports writing have added color to the sports pages.

Another staff member who could always be counted on for excellent, efficient work, was Anneliese Lilje. Her art work adds a great deal to the general appearance of the book. Driving the farthest distance to attend the meetings, Anneliese still found time to prepare an excellent cover.

Jay Fallon, Beth Grossman and Betsy Schafer also regularly attended meetings and were a big help in tieing up loose ends.

Co-editors Anne Mallory and Mike Spohn both contributed long hours of concentrated work in order to make the yearbook a success.

Second year White Oak Advisor, Mr. Orrell, again was available for suggestions and advice.

Some fund-raising activities for the yearbook included the annual magazine drive held in the fall and a clothes line photo sale held in the spring.


## AMERICAN FIELD SERVICE



First Row: M. Ongley, G. Bergdahl, A. McDonough, E. Fick, N. Migliacci, A. Moore, D. Bohren, L. Brown. Second Row: L. Riley, L. Roddy, T. Lombardi, A. Janello, M. Landis. Third Row: T. Carberry, T. Krovatin, J. Ruman, R. Juds, S. McCracken, M. Spolowich, E. Carlson. Fourth Row: K. McGivern, L. Kelsey, J. Wendt, W. Tankus, L. Hall, K. Polowa, S. Combs, D. McDonald, C. Mallory, M. Traverso, Jn. Wright, A. Fracaro, J. Eddy, N. Peters, C. Riley, B. Grossman. Fifth Row: J. Brian, Mrs. Snyder, T. Miller, M. O'Donnell, M. Spohn, J. LaPorta, J. Costa, S. Tatsapaugh. Jt. Wright, M. Alto, B. Madden, Mr. Sinclair. Sixth Row: G. Johns, P. Mulligan, T. Reiker.


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AFS is a very active organization concerned with helping visiting students to adjust to life in the U.S. and to provide a pleasant environment in which to promote the AFS ideal: Walk together, talk together, all ye people of the earth. Then, and only then, shall we have peace


## Walk Together, Talk Together ...



I enjoyed my AFS summer in Malaysia. I learned much about the Malaysian lifestyle, but most importantly I learned that people all over the world are actually the same in feelings and actions.

By far the most enjoyable
aspect of my trip was the friendships I gained with both Malaysian people and AFS'ers. To be with other students, sharing the same experiences as they did, formed memories that will never be forgotten. Also, to be taken in by a family so different from my own and to be loved and treated like the other members of the family has given me a true feeling of generosity and kindness. Selemat malam,

John LaPorta
To sum up my year in two word: Bloody Marvelous! My entire year was a success, constantly meeting new people and encountering new experiences. I stayed with a fantastic family, each member of which I grew to love in a very short time.
I tried to experience as much of the Australian lifestyle as I could, and this really meant, "Well sure,

I'll give it a go!"
Where I was a stranger I am now a friend, where Australia was once a place on the map it is now people. That is why I want to thank everyone who helped make my year abroad possible.

G'day,
Shawn McCracken

There really is a strange world out there, for me it was Costa Rica. The problem is how to live in a strange environment. At times it's hard, but eventually compromises are reached.
Leaving the "strange" world that has become so familiar, is more difficult than leaving home in the first place. "Home" used to mean happiness and tranquility; now home seems strange and so far away.
Worse somehow, is the realization that my new home in Costa Rica can never be the same to me as it was during my stay there.

It's really hard for me to write something about last summer, as I had so many different experiences in Iran. Going to a Mosque to observe the Iskmic religious ritual, for example, or just trying to drive through Teheran without getting into an accident! I learned so much, not only how my Iranian family go about their daily tasks, but also a lot about myself. Thanks AFS, for a fantastic summer!!

Omidvaram harcheh zoodtar bebinamet,
Bill Madden
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Bill Madden


How can I possibly sum up my year in Australia in such a short space, or in words at all? I knew AFS was a great opportunity for me, but I couldn't have know how much it really would mean ... Becoming a part of another family, studying in a school system different from my native one, travellingall these were part of my experience.

In South Australia the bus tickets (of all crazy things) have sayings on them. One that I saw was particularly meaningful: The best thing about miracles is that they sometimes happen. Well, AFS is a kind of miracle.

Ta-da,
MaryAnn Spolowich


Three months in a foreign country. Me? No way! Being in Argentina, gaining new friends and experiences, was fantastic. One particular memory I cherish was being in the country that won the World Cup Soccer Championships. I could feel the emotion that the Argentine people felt. It isn't often that a whole nation strives for the same goal.
['ll never forget the love and happiness I shared with my friends and Argentine family.

> Con Carino

Marybeth Alto


## NOR THWEST CORNER



First Row: S. Gilpatrick, M. Spohn, J. Shores, T. Hrovatin. Second Row: T. Carbeny, S. McCracken, B. Sheldon, Z. Karp, S. Tatsapaugh, T. Reiker, A. Janello, A. Moore, M. O'Donnell, M. Stanton, Mr. Mongeau. Third Row: M. Landis, J. Wendt, B. Paulsen, J. Brum, T. Hall.

The Northwest Corner is a journalistic organization that is responsible for the writing and editing of the school newspaper. The newspaper is printed and distributed as a supplement to the Lakeville Journal and therefore is circulated throughout the local communities. With an estimated circulation of 8000 , The Northwest Corner has one of the widest distributions of any high school newspaper in the country. It is published about once every two months making a total of four or five issues during the school year.

Many of theNorthwest Corner staff are also involved with the school's literary magazine, The Acorn. The Acorn, which is published annually in the spring, exhibits the literary and artistic skills of the student body.


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The FHA at Housatonic first formed a chapter in the 1940's. At that time the chapter reflected the stereotypical images often applied today. Beginning as a club for girls only, it has grown along with Home Economics to encompass a great deal more. Now an organization for both young men and women enrolled in Home Economics courses in high school, the FHA has many concerns. Among these are community involvement and the improvement of personal and family life.

Housatonic proudly boasts one of the most active chapters in Connecticut. Housatonic has been represented by state officers for the last six years. In 1978 chapter president Anne Mallory was elected to a national office.

This year has been as busy as ever. An all-out campaign has been waged against the negative stereotypes often associated with the word "homemaker". Posters, skits, and a newsletter called "Image Builder" have figured prominently in this campaign.

Classroom workshops, bulletin boards, and workshops at regional meetings were a part of HVRHS Future Homemakers ongoing peer education program, "Healthy Babies: Chance or Choice?". This program is designed to teach students through peer education about birth defects.

Community service activities included visits to local nursing homes and to a home for retarded children.

An exciting state convention in May and election of next year's officers concluded a productive year.


First Row: A. Mallory, M. Brazzale, F. Daley, Pt. McNeil, K. Beers, D. Johnson, E. Wathley, Mrs. Dicorleto, T. Dakins. Second Row: J. Wilson, M. Scoville, L. Fiengo, R. Bauer, P. McNeil.


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The HVRHS FBLA had a successful year, with membership increased to 13 , a large improvement from last year's membership.

Several members attended the March of Dimes Horse Show, where the girls collected money at the gate and helped award ribbons.

In November the group made its first trip to an Eastern Regional Leadership Conference in Saratoga Springs, New York. The workshops and general sessions generated much enthusiasm.

In December, FBLA sold jewelry and stationary from the bookstore, took cards to Geer Memorial for Christmas and collected toys for Salisbury Family Services.

Throughout the year, FBLA kept the school informed of happenings by putting up bulletin boards, and setting up displays.


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## STUDENT COUNCIL



First Row: S. Gilpatrick, M. Sternlof, D. Hewins. Second row: P. Van de Bogart, C. Carlson, K. Bibro, A. Janello, M. O'Donnell. Third Row: T. Van de Bogart, S. Kenny, S. Tatsapaugh, M. Spohn, S. Chilcoat, J. Costa, K. Sternlof. Fourth Row: P. Mulligan, G. Bergdahl, Advisor Mr. Bayersdorfer.

The Student Council has had a fruitful year, instituting new programs and updating older ones.
The Student Council members this year finally reached one of their long term goals - student involvement with the council. The Wednesday afternoon meetings of the council have been attended by as many as eighty noncouncil members of the student body, and faculty.

Some of the programs on which the Student Council worked this year were: developing a sex education program, in cooperation with the faculty; establishing a student lounge for use eighth periods; creating a new style of class ring to be used as an altemative to the traditional type; and fund-raising activities which enabled the council to offer a larger scholarship than ever before.

The members of the council and their advisor Mr. Bayersdorfer enable the student body to be fully represented in school affairs. This year's council is proud of their achievements.


Marybeth Alto
Darlene Hewins . . . . Vice Presidents
Amy Janello
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The Housatonic Valley Future Farmers of America have been busy this year. They had five members and one advisor go to the National FFA Convention in Kansas City in the fall of '78. The Chapter placed 2nd in the District Parliamentary Procedure Contest. The Christmas tree and wreath sales at the FFA stand on Route 7 was a huge success. They sold close to 500 trees and over 300 handmade wreaths. The organization also sold flowers at Easter and Mother's Day.



First Row: V. Vincent, C. Daley, K. Polowa. Second Row: L. Brown, J. Kaminski, M. Traverso, A. McDonough, C. Smith, L. Fallon, T. Hrovatin, Miss Rote. Third row: J. Terrell, S. Parker, E. Mittaud, S. Tatsapaugh, B. Perkins.


The French Club has had a very active year with monthly bake sales of delicious pastry and tarts. All of this scrumptious activity raised money for a long-to-beremembered trip to Brooklyn Academy of Music to see the world famous Comedie Francaise in a rare United States performance. This field trip culminated in a dinner at a French restaurant. Dessert ... French pastry of course.

Thanks to their advisor, Miss Rote, the members of the French Club feel this year has been a happy, warm, and exciting experience for everyone concerned.

Marilisa Traverso ... President
Dana Jennings
Colleen Daley
Corinne Smith
Vice President Miss Rote

Secretary
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## VARSITY CLUB



First Row: F. Ghi, J. Costa, S. McCracken, S. Gilpatrick, P. Ghi, M. Bonn. Second Row: K. Miles, B. Grossman, A. Fracaro, K. Hanes, B. O'Connor, R. Hogan, B. Hoshko, G. Bunce, D. McDonald, E. Carlson. Third Row: K. McGivern, S. Chilcoat, J. LaPorta, B. Rice, B. Shores, M. Mulligan, J. Cleaveland, S. Kenny, T. Carley, M. Landis, L. Keller, C. Arrigoni, E. Ustico.


The only membership requirement of the Varsity Club, an institution at HVRHS for many years, is that the potential member must have earned a varsity letter in at least one sport.

The group sponsors many activities during the year such as dances and bake sales. The money raised goes toward a scholarship given each year to a varsity letter-winner who is going on to college.


## LIBRARY AIDES


L. Manlon, P. McNeil, A. Curtiss, F. Daley, V. Vincent, T. Trahan.

The responsibilities of a Library Aide are:

1) To come in at least once a week, to put away books and magazines.
2) To look through old newspapers for articles to clip for the vertical file.
3) And to "shelf read" which means to make sure all the books upon the shelves are in order.

In addition to working during free periods the Library Aides have a meeting about once every two weeks. In the spring a paperback book sale is held to raise money for an end of the year field trip.

President
Faith Daley
Vice-President . . . . . Abbey Curtiss
Treasurer
.Virginia Vincent
Advisor $\qquad$ Mrs. Carver


## NURSE'S AIDES



About twenty students belong to a group which usually receives little recognition. If you happen to wander into the nurse's office during the day for aspirin or with any physical complaint you'll probably see two or three of them sitting, talking quietly amongst themselves, or helping Miss Hogan with record-keeping, physicals and patients. These people are the nurse's aides. During their study halls they go to the nurse's office to help Miss Hogan with her office work. This year several of the nurse's aides worked with people from the state department who administered vaccinations now required under state law.


Front row: C. Polowa, K. Perretti, A. Mallory, B. Morgan, S. Coombs, Db. Godbum. Backrow: Dn. Godbum, D. Johnson, T. Lamothe, M. Stanton, E. Pond, M. Ongley, J. Gordon, Miss Hogan.


The HVRHS band began the year with a large number of freshmen to supplement the ranks of returning upperclassmen. Unfortunately many of these musicians found that taking music lessons in addition to their other courses was too difficult, and so dropped out of band during the first marking period. Despite lack of numbers, the band made a significant contribution to the school. The band played at both home football and basketball games, gave two concerts during the year, and travelled to district grade schools to give concerts. With a change in curriculum next year which should allow band leader Mr. Adams more time available to schedule lessons and practices, HVRHS can look forward to "hearing" from the band even more in future years.


Once again, the AVA club kept the media center running smoothly, as they assisted in the running of equipment and helped with repairs during the year.

The club also participated in the video taping of basketball games, led by Jeff Shores, who engineered most of the tapings. For the first time, the club used a dual camera system to film home football games, as the club used the newly built pressbox overlooking the gridiron.

The club also taped two dramatic productions, and offered special extracredit projects to the student body.

Noah Kaufam . . . .President
Peter Kamin .... Vice President
Miss Marchant . . .Advisor


First Row: P. Kamin, A. Lindholm, S. Beckwith. Second Row: J. Shores, T Brown, N. Kaufman, R. Grannen, Doug McCall. Third Row: P. Kamin, J. Dugan, A. Farnsworth, Bruce Albers, E. Lilje. Advisor: Miss Segalla.


First Row: S. Beckwith, S. Miller, A. Lindholm, Co. Smith, Cr. Smith, N. Kaufman, D. Segalla, D. Romeo. Second Row: Advisor Mr. DiMenna, P. Kamin, D. McCall, J. Andrews, B. Boyden, P. Kamin, J. Shores.

## PHOTO CLUB

The 1979 Photo Club made progress during the school year, developing a darkroom, and holding regular meetings throughout the year.

The club's goal was to stimulate interest in photography, as a hobby and as a useful service to school functions such as the yearbook and the newspaper.

The club hopes to involve more members in the coming years, and to make the darkroom more available to the club.


## CLASS OFFICERS

## Freshman Officers

President . . . . . Peter Castiglione<br>Vice President . . . Rusty Wingard<br>Treasurer . . .. . Christopher Christinat<br>Secretary . . . . . Michelle Lombardi



Junior Officers
President
Kevin Gorkofsky
Vice President . .
Whitney Perkins
Treasurer
Lisa Riley
Secretary
Bill Rice

Sophomore Officers
President
Christine Kelsey
Vice President . . . Terry Carberry
Treasurer
Tina Rieker
Secretary
Barbara Baird



Senior Executive Council: Front row: Theresa Carley, Cynthia Riley, Betsy Schafer. Back row: Russell Juds, Marilisa Traverso, Beth Grossman, Brad Paulsen.


## Senior Officers

President . . . . . Betsy Schafer
Vice President . . . Cynthia Riley
Treasurer
Theresa Carley
Secretary
Bonnie Sheldon

## OUTING CLUB

The outing club is an informal group active when the sun is out, the snow is deep, the ice is frozen, or the river is running. Activities include hiking, snowshoeing, skiing, skating, and canoeing Although interest and membership fluctuate throughout the year depending upon the activities offered, certain mem bers can always be counted on to at tend. One of these is Steven Doubleday, 9 -year-old son of group advisor Mr. Doubleday, who managed to keep up with the older members of the group despite his tender years


A. Mallory, Advisor Mr. Doubleday, D. Romeo, P. Stevenson, D. Segalla, Advisor Mr. Kochenour.


## COMPUTER CLUB


D. McCall, N. Kaufman, A. Farnsworth, S. Beckwith, R. Webster.

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The Computer Club had a successful year in 1979, in that the club developed a regular schedule for their meetings, and added many new members to the organization. The club's activities included making various complex computer tapes for use in 119, working on various projects on the computer, and attending a math fair. With so many new members, the club is looking forward to another good year.

## GYMNASTICS



The Gymnastics Club meets once a week beginning in the winter and usually continuing until the spring. The group is supervised by Miss Volack and everyone is free to work on the apparatus of their choice, and to progress at their own rate.
The equipment used includes mats, balance beam, rings, uneven bars, parallel bargs, pommel horse, and high bars.


## SENIOR APATHY CLUB



Members: (missing, left to right), Second Row-President in charge of club inactivities (by default), Mark Janello; Vice President of Slothly affairs (by default), Kurt Sternlof; Mascot, and Chief Dove, Mike Spohn. Other members: John LaPorta, Colleen LaPlace, Stebuh Tatsapaugh, Maura Landis, MaryAnn Spolowich, Chris Dodge, Bonnie Sheldon, etc. Honorary members: Jonathon Costa, Katy Spohn.


Members emulate the sloth, symbol of apathy.


Mark and Maura
in $a$
post-lunch hibernation.

The 1978-1979 season was a very good one for the Senior Apathy Club. A record of twenty-five organizational meetings were tentatively planned. None were attended. Despite this excellent start, the year did have its ups and
(Note: The person who wrote the above was hauled before the Apathy Club's Penal Committee on the charge of unparalleled stints of activity. Nothing, however, came of it.)

## TfS

## INTERNATIONAL INTERCULTURAL PROGRAMS

The Class of ' 79 bids a fond farewell to Karoline, Marcia and Russell, three very special members of our class.


I have to admit I was a little confused at first. I decided to try harder, and after a year all I can say is thank you for everything.

I went here and there. I met people who will always be part of me. It was a big change from my life in Brasil, and sometimes it was hard. But the great time I had at HVRHS made me feel like one of you. That was a big step, and it only could have happened with your help.

We all know that while experiencing happiness, we have difficulty being conscious of it. Only when the happiness is past and we look back on it do we suddenly realize how happy we had been. Well, I've had happiness-but I hope it's not the end. I want to come back again.

It's been a long time coming.
It's gonna be a long time gone.
I'm gonna miss you guys.
Thanks a lot.
Felicidades sempre.

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I never thought it would be the way it was. It is quite amazing what incorrect impressions people have of America. Now that I have lived here I know the truth.

A great adjustment for me was getting used to living in a small town. I eventually adjusted, and learned to enjoy it.

The AFS experience as a whole is quite fantastic. I can see that my year in the USA gave me a better understanding of people. If any of you are contemplating applying for AFS I urge you to do so. There is a lot to be extracted from the program.

Finally I would like to thank you all, but particularly my family, the Dodges, for making this such a fine year for me. You have a tremendously free country. Keep it that way.

If any of you are ever in the unlikely vicinity of South Africa I would only be too pleased to show you around my country.

Totsiens,
Russell Juds
5 Marie St. Newlands 7700
Cape Town, Cape Province
SOUTH AFRICA

# WALK <br> TOGETHER, TALK TOGETHER, ALL YE PEOPLE OF THE EARTH. 

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Pakistan
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Denmark
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New Zealand
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Argentina
Netherlands
Portugal
Bolivia
Honduras
Algeria
India
Poland
Jordan
Japan
Germany

Brasil
Germany
South Africa

USA
Czechoslovakia
Malagasy
Republic
Philippines
Indonesia
Israel
Cyprus
Syria
Morocco
Ecuador
Norway
El Salvador
Kenya
Finland
United Kingdom
Costa Rica
Australia
Luxembourg
Iran
Barbados
Hungary
Chile
France
Bahrain
Switzerland
Ethiopia

## STAFF



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Roland Chinatti, Guidance


Katherine Snyder, Guidance


Julia Segalla, Sabbatical


Denise Davis, Harold Brien, Rose Van de Bogart, Special Education


Jane Carver, Ruth Ohmen, Librarians


Library:
"The library will be closed periods 1 ,
$3,4,7$ and 8 today.
Where can I find information about the lower intestinal diseases of the African Fruit Bat?'


Robert Gambino, George Wheeler, Walter Burcroff. Vocational Agriculture.



Huntington Williams, Vocational Agriculture


William DeVoti, Miles Daley, Catherine Massameno, Elizabeth Wilber, Gordon Heyworth, John Mahoney, Ellery Sinclair, English.

THE APPLE
"It's humorous!"
"It's unexplained!"
"It's logical!"
"Don't eat it-it'll get you into BIG trouble!"
"It's ungrammatical!"
"It's a whale of an apple!"
"But seriously, it's an apple. A flashy apple at that."


David Boyersdorfer, Frank Ruotolo, Pamela Wilson, Robert Gutzman, Social Studies.



Barbora Abraham, Edmund Finn, Business.


Holly Adams, David Orrell, Art.
"Mrs. Adams, my pot exploded in the kiln!" "Well, glue it back together."


Keith Bond, Everett Britton, Elizobeth Helming, Richard Greco, Joanne Fontanella, Duncan Denny, Math.
"Whatever thou doest unto one side of an equation do thou likewise unto the other."
"If rutabagas cost 60 c in Chibougamau, and it takes eleven hours to get from Walla Walla to Timbuktu, how long will it take Myrtle to polish her toenails with the wind blowing in a southwesterly direction of $109^{\circ} 28^{\prime}$ ?"


David Doubleday


Dovid Shaffer


Dovid Lindsay


Howard O'Dell

"If that rock tastes salty to you it's because 700 freshmen have touched it the period before."

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT


Nancy Reppert, Marjorie Rote, Judith Thormann, French and Spanish Departments.
"Yo parlo espances." "Quelle hour est-il?"
"Yo tengo uno shirto."


Gary Palmieri, Music.


Emest Adams, Music.
"The oboe section is not amused.


Linda Leskanic, Linda DiCorleto, Home Economics.


Michael Guy,
Physical and Driver Education.


Edward Tyburski, Physical Education.
"The choices you have for this quarter are swimming in the Housatonic, tennis against the brick wall, or running on the all weather track."



Norman Pattburg, Social Studies



First row: J. Ruman, M. De Cordoso, L. Tyson, D. Bohren, L. McGuire, T Palmer, P. Cunier, ${ }^{*}$, *, B. Schafer, C. Riley, M. Scranton. Second row: S. Miller, T. Kain, P. Stevenson, ", ", T. Fails, R. Juds, T. Reiker, C. Paley. Third row: Coach Davis, J. LaPorta, S. Cavanaugh, L. Fallon, J. Fallon, B. Paulsen.

The Ski Club has enjoyed another active season this year, with regular trips to Catamount. With president Jay Fallon in charge, the season was a successful one with few injuries Except, that is, for vice-president Sam Cavanaugh who tore the ligaments in her leg and was barred from further activity on the slopes.

Advisors for the club were Miss Davis and Rick Alto. Miss Davis' skiing ability is questionable, but what she lacks in talent she makes up for in spirit. Rick Alto is an ex-member of the HVRHS Ski Club who retumed to help out.


## BASKETBALL

The 1978.79 Girl's basketball team had a successful year, as they complied a $15-6$ record. Winning the first six games of the season, the team headed for their first Berkshire League crown.

In the opening game, the Mountaineers beat a tough Shepaug team, 44-17. This started the impressive six game winning streak, as they beat Mount Everett, Wamogo, Thomaston, Terryville, and Mount Everett in succession.

Their first loss came to an undefeated Torrington High School squad. They lost $46-41$ in overtime, as the game was forced into the extra period by an HVRHS foul. The team had trouble with one team, that being Litchfield. They lost both home and away games to the Cowboys.

The biggest highlight of the year was the state tournament victory against Farmington. The team worked together to gain the first tournament victory in the history of HVRHS girls basketball.

The season ended as Housatonic came up against the best. The team faced Immaculate in the quarter finals of the state tourney. With a $20-1$ season record, Immaculate had little trouble defeating Housy 52-25.

The squad will be losing three seniors this year, co-captain Marybeth Alto, cocaptain Susan Chilcoat, and most improved player Amy Fracaro.

The junior varsity had a great season, as they had a stellar record of 17-1. The squad had romping victories over Wamogo and Terryville, 65-10 and 45 19.



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## BASKETBALL

The 1978.79 basketball season was one of growth, since the varsity team was primarily made up of underclassmen. Junior Gib Lassen led the team in scoring, averaging 25.4 points per game (a newschool record), and in rebounding too. Lassen poured in 560 points for the season, which is also a new school record.

The team was led by captain Bob Sieller, who broke the single season assist record with 191. As the point guard, he provided leadership on the court. After missing several games with an injury, he returned to spark the Mountaineer attack, as the team struggled in its first year in the Berkshire League. Although the team played below 500 percent, they entered the state tournament, with a ranking of 23rd in class S .

Other members of the squad will be missed. Seniors Mike Dodge and Niel Miller battled taller players under the boards all season, with Miller clearly being the most improved player of the Housatonic basketball program.

In tournament action, the Mountaineers battled Wamogo in the first round, as Housatonic won 62-57. It was the second consecutive season in which the Mountaineers reached the second round of the tourney.

The season ended with an $88-81$ loss to the highly regarded Litchfield Cowboys in the second round. The game featured a battle between sharp shooters, as the top two scorers in the Berkshire League poured in 68 points between them. Lassen had 33 for HVRHS while Vigeant had 35.

The team ended the season with a 11-12 record, and was ranked fifth in the region.

The junior varsity had another successful season as they ended the campaign with a $10-8$ record. Sophomore Tib Miller was the leading scorer for the season with 274 points, for an average of 15.2 points a game. Scott Palmer added 180 points to the season's efforts.


First Row: Mgr. B. Shores, R. Sieller, T. Miller, B. Sieller, M. Dodge, N. Miller, K. Gorkofsky, Mgr. S. Kenny. Second Row: Coach Boyersdorfier, D. Barron, G. Lassen, J. McDonald, T. Schlueter, R. Lawrence, Coach Gutzman.


First Row: B. Lotz, T. Fuller, R. Sieller, T. Miller, D. Smith. Second Row: T. Retallick, S. Palmer, R. Lawrence, D. Baron, Coach Bayersdorfier.


First Row: Coach John Lamb, P. Castilonge, E. Pequignot, B. Peterson, N. Smith, M. Castilonge. Second Row: R. Macchi, M. Mahoney, T. Wood, B. Lamb, B. Murphy. Third Row: P. Nyklicek, S. Pastre, J. Tyburski, J. Erickson, D. Matson.


## WRESTLING

The Mountaineer wrestlers had their greatest season ever, as they compiled a record of 10 wins and 6 losses.

The first meet of the season set the tone of the year, as the wrestlers fought back to defeat Monument Mountain 26 20. The squad was behind by as much as 19 points, and then staged a magnificent comeback for the victory.

In the third meet of the campaign, the grapplers trailed Somers 27-0 midway through the match. Again, the team battled back to win, with a 31-30 score in their favor.

The team was led by senior captain Brian Wilcox, who had an overall record of 14-1-1 for a total of 71 points. These totals in points and in wins led the team. Other standouts included senior Scott Walker with a record of 11-4-1, and junior Bill Rice with a 12-4-0 record for the season.

There were eleven wrestlers in all with winning or even records, and they were: Wilcox, Rice, Walker, Jeff Ghidossi with a 124-0 record, Phil Ghi with a 11-3-0 record, and Duke Pozzetta (7-6), Rusty Wingard (8-8), Herlon Moss (6-6-1), Bob Quinion (3-2), Frank Ghi (2-0) and Ken Percy (1-0).

With a strong nucleus of wrestlers returning for the 1980 season, the team looks forward to another successful season.



First Row: B. Wilcox, J. Smith, J. Cutts, P. Ghi. Second Row: B. Quinion, F. Ghi, K. Percy, R. Wingard, J. Segalla, B. Bushey, R. Peters, S. Walker, T. Testa. Third Row: B. Rice, J. Greene, J. Ghidossi, M. Pozzetta, R. Stratman, T. McCue, Coach Greco, Coach McMillan.



## CHEERLEADERS


J. Wright, S. Mahoney, S. Cavanaugh, M. Miller, A. McDonough, S. Brazee, A. VanDoren


As always, the HVRHS cheerleaders attended many athletic events in the fall and winter seasons to provide moral support to the teams. This year's coach Dena Kenny was often seen at games, cheering as loudly as any of the girls.



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## FRESHMEN

Row 1-L. Konoski, J. Smith, C. Hoffman, S. Belter, D. Victor, S. Hart, L. Cody, S. Beckwith, E. Lindholm, M. Thibault, R. Roraback, C. Christinat, T. Stapleton, N. Starr, M. Castiglione, B. Erikson. Row 2-D. Nelson, L. McKee, T. Garney, T. McCue, D. Godbum, L. Mylock, W. Pedersen, J. Tyburski, C. Clark, K. Golden, K. Parsons, K. Thoman, P. Madden, D. Upshaw, R. Beynon, J. Dunlap. Row 3-B. Griskauskas, S. Brandt, R. Webster, E. Cooney, D. Lloyd, C. Carlson, L. Tassone, A. Gomez, T. Boyden, L. Toddy, A. Neelands, C. Olsen, L. Lindsay, R. McClane, T. Paine, K. Brien, R. Carpenter. Row 4-N. Szczesiul, L. Romeo, P. Van de Bogart, K. Carter, P. VanDoren, M. LaPlaca, B. Johnson, C. McLoughlin, S. Smithwick, L. McGuire, A. Zinke, P. Stevenson, K. Folland, D. Segalla, L. Roberts, P. Memman, N. Presson. Row 5-D. Stair, J. Ghidossi, K. Percy, P. Nyklicek, G. Golden, C. Orth, W. Pitcher, M. Brazzale

Mahoney, O. Zabriskie, G. Costello, B. Golden, R. Humes, J. Arno, J. Lyle, H. Curtis, C. Frost, J. Indino, M. Dubray, M. Prindle, R. Lamb, D. Evans. Row 7-J. Hanes, M. Cormer, S. Pastre, P. Castiglione, R. Dawson, K. Fanvell, R. Wingard, S. Curtiss, N. Peterson, D. Preston, T. Caplinger, S. Terrell, D. Whitbeck, J. Wilson, ', J. Bartle. Row 8-S. Lovett, R. Harrison, D. Matson, B. Sheldon, P. Sager, R. Macchi, C. Adams, M. Machia, L. Hanlon, T. Trahan, P. Schlueter, B. Matson, M. Starr, P. Currier, E. Holst-Grubbe. Row 9-K. Wheeler, C. Tobin, B. Casale, J. Bonn, S. Wells, R. Lee, L. Decker, M. Jacquier, E. Valinaggi, J. Gordon, D. Johns, J. Anstine, T. Carberry, A. Church. Row 10-E. Pequignot, J. Bennett, W. Murphy, R. Wilson, E. O'Dell, H. Whitbeck, M. Lopez, M. McDonough, P. MacNeil, K. Polowa, R. Cameli, M. Strattman, M. Lane, C. Pino, J. Stanton. Row 11-M. Gandolfo, T. Gaynor, ', S. Schreiber, T. Wiood, R. Galitello, G. Bathrick, T. Fletcher, D. Gereg, J. Coolidge, T. Hurrey. S. Reynolds, T. Dollas.


## SOPHOMORES

Row 1-R. Lawrence, F. Becker, T. Rettalick, R. Allyn, T. Hrovatin, P. Mulligan, J. McDonald, L. Toddy, M. McNamara, K. Neil, L. Ackerman, T. Kain, C. Hafford. Row 2-J. Sager, D. Reid, D. Smith, F Bushnell, M. Hickey, T. Hester, J. Marks, T. Gomez, C. Marshall, S. Tyler, R. Pautot, P. Roy, T. Grossman, D. Clark, P. Kamin. Row 3-F. Daley, M. Burgess, S. Miller, F. Bauer, R. Sieller, S. Macchi, T. Brown, D. Heacox, R. Bushey, M. Sternlof. K. Brady, J. O'Connor, M. Wilson, K. Finkle. Row 4-Z. Karp, G. Bergdahl, L. Hall, T. Reiker, T. Carberry, M. Shores, J. Lachler, J. Conlogue, R. Bianchi, C. Pollock, R. Quinion, J. Segalla, J. Dugan, W. Currier. Row 5-J. Wendt, G. Angelovich, P. Carley, D. Gleason, R. Peters, D. Madden, J. Brian, A. Moore, R. Kaminski, L. Weber, M. Ongley, K. Perretti, B. Albers, B. Johnson. Row 6-L. Degreenia, C. Silvernail, J. Drumm, M. Lomask, A. Farnsworth, L. Gorham, J. Matyas, S. Brazee, K. Spohn, C. MacRitchie, L. Hall, P. Schmitt, T. Miller, T. Fuller, D. Barron. Row 7-L.

Cross, * M. Miller, T. Keams, S. Carlson, J. Wright, C. Kelsey, L. Johnson, J. Lloyd, C. Van de Bogart, T Downey, S Dodge, D. Pequignot, M. DiGiacomo, J. Turnill, S. Parker, M. Mullins. Row 8-S. Murphy, K Stanton, P. Spadaccini, J. Ongley, N Kaufman, R Grannan, B. Boyden, J. Gordon, C. Betti, M Ed mondson, M. McLane, R. Riley, C. Lee, L. Tyson, L. Strattman. Row 9-J. McDonald, M. Stanton, ${ }^{\bullet}$, M Scranton, C. Gawel, C. Hayden, ${ }^{*}$. P. Kamin, K. Parcells, L. Morey, H. Orth, K. Hickey, M. Chase. Row 10-T. King, T. Catinelli, M. Lorenzo, K. McCall, C. Paley, B. Boird, C. Jackson, D. Whitbeck, T. LaCasse, D. Jones, L. Whitman, D. Vanicky, L. Kallstrom, J. Miele, M. Wheeler. Row 11-R. Roy, R. Shealy. L. Ouit, L. Riva, K. Riley, J. Nelson, T. Milton, R. Gebbia, J. Andrews, K. Matson, D. Morey, E. Lilje, G. Pitcher, W. Morehouse, J. McArthur


## JUNIORS

Row 1-S. Scheidt R. Schenkel, Yuonne Reid, K. McCall, T. Lombardi, M. O'Donnell, J. Costa, E. Fick N. Migliacci, P. Martorell, S. Pohlemus, L. Raabe, T. Rivard, R. Wingard. Row 2-V. Vincent, M. Cooney, A. Curtiss, J. Cutts, R. Preston, B. Nelson, C. Prigge, D. Rodrigo, H. Terrell, L. Luminati, K. Becker, T. Johnson. Row 3-K. Polowa, S. Combs, P. Hahne, T. Lamothe, A. McDonough, L. Hein, J. Dow, D. Swaller, L. Alderman, L. Brazee, E. Pond, E. Gorat, G. White, B. Morgan, E. Baird. Row 4-K. Waldron, T. Carberry, C. Daley, C. Bunce, E. Lyle, C. Alto, L. Starr, K. Pierzga, K. Decker, D. Godburm, C. Smith, D. Johnson, T. Matson, M. Tatsapaugh. Row 5-J. Gordon, J. Drumm, S. Barnett, M. Mulligan, E.

Carlson, C. Schweter, J. Trotta, K. Bibro, K. Miles, K. Gorkofsky, S. Kroehle, C. Eddy, B. Shores. Row 6-J. Green, J. Hurlburt, S. Ohmen, R. Lotz, W. Perkins, L. Riley, A. VanDoren, S. Mahoney, A. Nagle, D. Hewins, L. Magyar, T. Schlueter, D. Kelsey, •. Row 7-D. Bonnetti, S. Kenny, R. Castiglione, G. Lassen, T. Testa, T. Dionne, P. Clark, C. Church, J. Oskwarek. Row 8-K. Carlson, D. Barney, T. Faedi, P. Ghi, G. Drumm, S. Shealey, E. Upson, B. Paquignot, D. Belter, E. Ustico. Row 9-R. Schultz, S. MacRitchie, M Michels, M. Pastre, B. Rice, R. Roder, P. Bushey. Row 10-B. Wilson, M. McLoughlin, M. Tassone, A. Stewart, B. LaPlaca, E. Vanicky, L. Jones, B. Bouchez J. Duprey, D. Gorham.



## ELIZABETHAN FESTIVAL



A cloak of gloom on the proceedings?

At 10:15 on the morning of June 18 the fire alarm went off. When the student body was assembled outside, there were no flamed rising from the Vo-ag center, not even any smoke billowing from the gym. Instead there was a parade. An Elizabethan Festival had begun!

The festival was the combined effort of Shakespeare and Company from Lenox, Mass. and a group of HVRHS students who had been working with the company all spring.

In spite of soaring temperatures the festivities were well-received by students and teachers alike. Elizabethan music, dancing, games, fortune-telling and skits were some of the scheduled activites. The crowd was particularly amused by a pantomime act performed by a member of the Company, and flour-jousting was another popular event.

Rising temperatures as the day went on caused interest to lag somewhat, but the people who "stuck it out" were glad they did. The festival was greatly enjoyed by those who got involved. Our thanks to Shakespeare and Co. for their help, and congratulations to the students who took part in a step back in time.


Ready, get set


You're on candid camera!


Pie on't, o pie!


A mixed crowd.


Chivalry is not dead.


The Maypole dance.


Let me tell your fortune


Three-legged maneuvers


Magical, madrigal melody.


Shakespeare one-liners.

## CHORUS

The members of the Chorus, under Mr. Palmier's direction sang their hearts out all year with their usual enthusiasm. They gave a performance in conjunction with the Band at Christmas. Many members participated in the Berkshire League Choruswhich gave a concert in the Spring. Of course, the music department was responsible for another high-quality production this year, the Man of La Mancha.



## FARID ABDELAZIZ

Lakeville
Soccer Varsity 4; French Club 4; AFS 4 Honor System 4; Golf 4; Visiting Student From France 3,4.
"What I like about my madness is that it has protected me from the very beginning against the charms of the 'elite'. Never have I thought that I was the happy possessor of a 'talent'; my sole concem has been to save my-
self."
Jean Paul Sartre

MARYBETHALTO

## Lakeville

Class President 1; AFS 1,2,3,4; Honor System 1,2; Soccer J.V. 1, Varsity 2, 3, Captain 4: Basketball J.V. 1, Varsity 2,3, Captain 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2, Secretary 3, Chairman 4; AFS Summer in Argentina 3; All Connecticut Chorus Candidate 4; Booster Club Award for Soccer 2; Hugh O'Brien Leadership Award 2; Senior Ball Committee; White Oak 4.

## ROBERT ANDERSON

Sharon
Basketball Freshman, J.V. 2,3, Varsity
4; Track J.V. 1, Varsity 2,3,4; Rock Climbing Club 3; Junior Prom Court; Cross Country Varsity 4.

## CHARLES ARRIGONI <br> North Canaan

Track J.V. 2, Varsity 2,3; Varsity Club
3,4; Hogan's Heroes 3,4; Intramurals 1 , 2,3; Football J.V. 2, Varsity 3,4.
"We print anything."



## ROBERT BACHMAN

Kent
Intramural Basketball 2,4.

RAMONABAUER
Salisbury
Future Farmers of America 1,2,3,4;
Future Homemakers of America 2,3,
Treasurer 4.
"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams! Live the life you've imagined!"

Henry David Thoreau

## KAREN BEERS <br> Cornwall

Future Homemakers of America 2,3, Vice President 4; Junior Prom Committee; Junior Class Pancake Supper; Future Business Leaders of America 3, Treasurer 4.

DEBRA BOHREN Sharon

Future Homemakers of America 1; Rock Climbing Club 2, 3, 4; Gymnastics 1,2 , 4; Track 3,4; AFS 3,4; Intramural Floor Hockey 3; Outing Club 3,4; Gong Show 3; Cross Country 4; Ski Club 4; White Oak 4.

TODD BOIBEAUX

Band 1,2,3,4

MICHAEL BONN
North Canaan
Football 1,3,4: Gymnastics 1,2,3; Weight Lifting 1; Outing Club 1,2 Chess Club 1.2; Northwest Cormer 1; Baseball J.V. 2, Varsity 3,4; Cycle

Club 3; Honor System 1,2,3,4.
"I don't ask for much out of life, just a little beer, money, and every now and then just a little ... ! Please!"

MELANY BOOTH Lakeville

Gymnastics 1,3; Outing Club 2; Future
Homemakers of America 2.

HOWARD BOULIER
North Canaan
Gymnastics 1



GUYBUNCE

## Canaan

Future Farmers of America 1; Foot-
ball J.V. 1, Varsity 2; Baseball J.V.
1, Varsity 2,3,4; Honor System 2,3,4.

DOUGLAS CAHILL
Sharon
Basketball 1; Intramurals 1,2,3,4; Soccer JV 2,3; Coin Club 3; Baseball, Varsity 4; Yearbook 4.

MARY CARBERRY
Sharon
Homeroom Representative 3; Work Study
4.
"Love does not consist in gazing at each other but in looking outward together in the same direction." Antoine de Saint-Exupery

## THERESACARLEY

Sharon
Gymnastics Club 1,2; Class Treasurer 2,3,4; Honor System 2,3,4; Football Manager Varsity 3,4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Prom Court 3; Senior Ball Chairperson 4; White Oak Staff 4; Girls State Alternate 3; Varsity Club 3; Spanish Club 3; Homeroom Representative 3.
"Tobe happy could be what life is all about."

## PATRICIA CASEY

North Canaan
Honor System 2,3,4; Nurse's Aid 3.



## JOSEPH CASH

Sharon
Soccer J.V. 1,2,3; Wrestling J.V. 1; Work Study Experience 4.

MICHELE CASTIGLIONE Sharon

Gymnastics $1,2,3$; Work Study Experience 4.
"I'm as free as a bird and this bird you cannot change.'

Lynard Skynyrd

## STEPHANIE CAVANAUGH

 CornwallSki Club 2,3, Vice President 4; AFS 1,2,3,4; Gymnastics 1,2,3; Cheerleading 3,4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Chorus 2,3.
"S. Frey ...Bermuda. . Machoman. . . L. Dembishack ... CMPHSR ... Gullivers ... McDonalds ... He cracks me up! ... Dances
. Billy Joel ... 2 out of 3 ain't bad ... Step into my office ... Dec. 3 ... Catamount ... J.D. ... Those G. Boys ... 77 ... Hey Guy B.-Got 'em taped? ... I.S.A.L.?"

## MARLENE CHARITY

Falls Village
"You light up my life."

## SUSAN CHILCOAT

Lakeville
Soccer N 1, Varsity 2,3,4, Captain 4, MVP 4; Basketball J 1, Varsity 2,3.4, Captain 4; Softball J 1, Varsity 2,3, 4. Captain 4; All-Star 2, MVP 2; Honor System 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3.4; Band 1 , 2: Pep Band 1: Marching Band 2; Varsity Club 3; Junior Prom Court 3; AFS 3; Yearbook 4; Student Council 4; Senior Ball Committee; All CT Chorus; Divisional Chorus.
"Learn as if to live forever, live as if to die tomorrow." Gale Sayers

## ANTHONY CIMMINO

Kent
"Manytimes l'velied Many times l've listened Many times l've gazed Along the open road And how much there really is to know." Led Zeppelin

## JOSEPH CLEAVELAND Lakeville

Basketball 1; Golf Varsity 1,2,3,4; Football Manager 2; Varsity Football 3; Varsity Soccer 4; Varsity Club 2,3,4;

Honor System 4.
"Ifyouwant to go to heaven you have to raise a little hell."

## RENEE CONKLIN <br> North Canaan

Soccer JV 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Track Varsity $1,2,3,4$; Basketball Varsity 4; Gymnastics Club 1,2,3; Wrestling Manager 2; Intramural Basketball 2,3.



TRACY DAKIN
Comwall
AFS Club 1,2; Chorus 1; Gymnastics 1;
Future Homemakers of America 2,3,4;
Cross Country Manager 3; Nurses Aide 2,3, 4.
"Memories in the comer of my mind, misty water colored memories of the way we were..."

Barbra Streisand

THOMASDAVIS
Cornwall
"For those of you who know me I hope I brought you laughs; and for those of you who don't, I wish we could have met."
AFS Club 4; Honor System 4; Exchange Student; Track; Archery.
"I won't forget you."

## GLEN CROSS

North Canaan
FutureFarmers of America 1,2,3,4; Cross Country Varsity 1,2,3,4, Captain 4; Track J.V. 1; Varsity 2,3,4; Basketball Freshman, J.V. 3, Varsity 4; Varsity Club 1,2,3.

KAYE DASZKIEWICZ
North Canaan
"Love is a way of smiling with your heart."

CHRISTOPHER DODGE Kent

Soccer 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Chorus 3,4; "How To Succeed In Business Without Real ly Trying" 3; Drama Club 3; Student Council 3; "The Man of LaMancha" 4.

## MICHAEL DODGE

 LakevilleFootball J. 1, Varsity 2,3,4; Basketball 1,4 ; Track Varsity $1,2,3$; Intramurals 2; Executive Committee 4; Hogan's Heroes 4.
"Dead men tell no tales."
H.H.

MARY ANN DOLAN
Kent
Future Farmers of America 1; Basketball JV 1; Work Study Experience 4.
"I'm in search of myself Have you seen me anywhere?"



STEPHEN DONAHUE

Volleyball intramurals 1,2; Honor System 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4.

## CHRISTOPHER DRUMM

 SharonPhotography Club 2; Work Study Experience 4.

## JOANNA EDDY <br> Salisbury

Cheerleading Freshman, Varsity Captain 3,4; AFS Club 2,3, President 4; Band 1 2,3,4; Gymnastics Club 1,2,3,4; Honor System 2,3,4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Altemate for Girl's State 3.
"Let the disappointments pass,
Let the laughter fill your glass.
Jackson Browne

TODD FAILS
Lakeville

## JAYT. FALLON

North Canaan
Football Freshman, J.V. 2, Varsity 3, Stats 4; Ski Club 1,2,3, President 4; White Oak 4; Rock Climbing 2,3,4.
"I have lived the past-and I know the future."

## LORI FIENGO

Kent
Future Business Leaders of America 3.4; Future Homemakers of America 4.
"We're free to go where we wish and to be what we are."

## KIM FITZGERALD

Kent
Future Homemakers of America 1,2; Gymnastics Club 1,2,3,4; Honor System 1,2, 3.4; French Club 1; Future Business Leaders of America 3.
"Happiness is wanting what you have, not having what you want."

RICHARD FORD Comwall

Future Farmers of America 1,2,3.
"Just born to run." Bruce Springsteen



## AMY FRACARO <br> North Canaan

AFS Club 1,2,3,4; Field Hockey Manager N 2, Varsity 3; Basketball JV 3, Varsity 4; Softball JV 3, Varsity 4; Honor System 3,4; Junior Prom Committee 3; White Oak Staff 4.
"It all started with just a mouse . . ."
Walt Disney
"Wicked Excellent!"
Monty Python

## EDWARD GAGNIER

Cornwall
"Ill remember every little thing As if it happened only yesterday."

Meat Loaf

## MICHAEL GAWEL

Kent
Baseball Varsity4; Transfer From Kent School
"I'm looking for someone . . I think it's me!
Well I'm off to find me now,
I hope to see you on my way."

ROSE GEBBIA Kent

Future Business Leaders of America 4

FRANK GHI
North Canaan
Football Freshman; Track /N 1,2, Varsity 3.4; Cross Country Varsity 2,3, Captain 4; Varsity Club 2, Vice Presi dent 3.
"To yat, is to live!"

## JEFFREY GHIDOSSI

Salisbury
Basketball 1; Football 1; Wrestling 2,3,
"I'm woven in a fantasy, I can't believe the things I see. The path that I have chosen now had led me to a wall.
And with each passing day I feel a little more like something dear was lost.
It rises now before me, a dark and silent barrier between all I am and all that I would ever want to be."

Kansas

## SANDRA GILPATRICK

 LakevilleSoftball J 1, Varsity 3,4; Cheerleading 1; Student Council $1,3,4$; Chorus

1,3,4; Gymnastics Club 1; Soccer Varsity 3,4; Honor System 3,4; Junior Prom Committee; Junior Prom Court; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" 3; Varsity Club 3; Senior Ball Committee; Northwest Comer Editor-in-Chief; Yearbook.
"I'm looking forward To looking back From further on down the track ..."

## DEBORAH GLEASON

 KentCheerleader 1; Honor System 2,3,4.
"Today is my moment, tomorrow's my story. I'll laugh and I'll cry and I'll sing."



GREGORY GOMEZ
North Canaan
Bicycle Club 1.

JAMES GORDON
Kent
Baseball JV2, Varsity 3,4


DAVID GRAF
North Canaan
AVA 1; Cycle Club 1; Outing Club 2.

## KAREN GRAVES

Lakeville

AFS 1,2; Future Homemakers of America 1,
2; Track 1,2,3; Soccer 2,3.
"Your life is your's so live it the best way you know how. So enjoy life and don't let anyone put you down for being who you are."

## ANN GREENWOOD

Falls Village
"If laughter is the best medicine, I must be in good health."



## Lakeville

Gymnastics 1,2,3,4; Honor System 1,2,3, 4; AFS 1,2,3,4; Field Hockey J 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Track Varsity 2,3, Captain 4; Junior Prom Court 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; White Oak 4; Acom 4; Senior Executive Council.
"Training is everything. The peach was once a bitter almond; cauliflower is nothing but cabbage with a college education."

Pudd'nhead Wilson's Calendar

## DAVID HALL Cornwall

"Everytime I discover where something is, somebody moves it.'

## TERRI HALL

 SharonHonor System 1,2,3,4.

## ARMAND HALLE <br> Canaan

Ski Club 2,3.

## KATHLEEN HANES

Falls Village
Soccer 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3; Softball 1,2; Spanish Club 1,2; Field Hockey 3,4; Junior Prom Committee 3.

GAIL HENNESSEY
Kent
Homeroom Representative 1,2,3; Photo graphy Club 1.
"Look around and choose your ground, For long you live and high you fly And tears you'll give and tears you'll cry.
But all you touch and all you see Is all your life will ever be."

DARLENE HEWINS Falls Village

Class Secretary 1; Field Hockey J.V. 1,2; Cheerleading Freshman 1; Softball J.V. 1; Photography Club 1; Outing Club 1,2; Class President 2; Track J.V. 2; Honor System 2,3,4; "Fiddle on the Roof'

2; Student Council 3,4; Junior Prom Crown Bearer; National Honor Society 3, 4; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" 3; AFS 4; Varsity Club 4; White Oak 4.
"Looks like we made it."

RICHARD HOGAN

## North Canaan

Band 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1; Pep Band 1,2 3.4; Chess Club 1; Intramurals 1,2,3,4;

Wrestling 2; Track 2,3,4; Varsity Club 3.4; Football 3.4; Hogan's Heroes 3.4.
"Dead men tell no tales."
Hogan's Heroes



## Sharon

AFS 4; Ski Club 4; Chorus 4; Track 4; Exchange Student from West Germany.
"If you can't be with the one you love, love the one you're with."

Crosby Stills Nash and Young

## ROBERT HOSHKO

 LakevilleFreshman Football, J.V. 2, Varsity 3,4;
J.V. Baseball 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Intramural Basketball 2,3,4, Floor Hockey 3; Chess Club 1; Student Council 4; Hogans Heroes.
"It is fatal to enter any war without the will to win it.'

## LORI IRVING <br> Kent

Photography Club 1; Intramural Floor Hockey 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Var sity Baseball Mascot 3; Gymnastics 4.
"You can't hold on to time,
Only its memories
Lori Irving

## JOAN WRIGHT Falls Village

Manager Girl's J.V. Basketball 1;
Band 1,2; Manager J.V. Field Hockey 2;
Honor System 1,2,3,4; Cheerleading 3,4.
"Life is a journey, not a destination."

## JEAN JACKMAN

Kent
"We pledge allegiance
All our lives
To the magic colors Red, blue and white But we all must be given The liberty that we defend; For with justice not for all men History will repeat again. It's time we leamed This world was made for all men."
S. Wonder

LORI JACKSON
Kent
Honor System 4.
"Life so they say
Is but a game and they let it slip away.
The twilight in the road up ahead, They don't see dust where we're going,

The years will come and go.
We may never pass this way again."

## MARK "MARK" JANELLO Kent

Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 3,4; "Fiddler on the Roof" 2; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" 3; Orchestra 2; Director of Student Wind Ensemble 3; Mathematics Association of America Award 2; Faculty Award for Summer Music Study as Weslyan University 3; AFS 4.
"Mon Dieu, my automobile has been eaten by rats!!" exclaimed Ted with equal fluency in both languages."
B. Kliban

## DANA JENNINGS

Canaan
French Club 2,3,4; AFS 2,3; Chorus 2,3, 4; Gymnastics Club 2,3; "Fiddler on the Roof" 2; Undergraduate Summer Scholarship 2; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" 3; Art Portfolio 3; French Club Vice President 4; Football Refreshment Stand 4.



Gymnastics 2,3,4; AFS 2,3,4; White Oak 4.
"Life is like a onion, you peel it off one layer at a time and sometimes you weep."

Carl Sandburg

## DONNA JOHNSON

Sharon
Future Homemakers of America 1,2,3,4;
Nurse's Aide 4.
"Let it be known my classmates, if we
never pass this way again, you will always be remembered.'

LISA JOHNSON North Canaan

Gymnastics 1,2; Ski Club 1,2,3,4;
Field Hockey J.V. 3.
"If I had my dream, I would fill the halls, tell all the people to tear down their walls that keep them from being a part of it all.'

ERICA JONCYK
Canaan

## Outing Club 3.

"What a long strange trip it's been."
Grateful Dead

DALE JONES
North Canaan
Basketball2; Chorus 2,3,4; Outing Club
4: Ski Club 4.


RUSSELLJUDS
Lakeville
Honor System 4; Executive Council 4; Varsity Football 4; AFS Club 4 Exchange student from South Africa.
"Gonna miss you." Mick Jagger

## JACQUELINE KAMINSKI

Kent
FFA 1; Intramural Volleyball 1; Gymnastics $1,2,4$; Outing Club 1,4 ; French Club 2,3,4; Honor System 2,3,4.
"Hey tomorrow where are you going, do you have some room for me ..." Jim Croce

## RICHARD KEARNS

Cornwall
Soccer JV 1; Chess Club 1; Gymnastics Club 1,2,3,4; Track JV 2; Badminton Tournament 3; Volleyball Intramurals 3 ; Weight and Conditioning Club 3,4



## LAWRENCE KELLER

 LakevilleChess Club 1; Ping Pong Toumament 1;
Track JV 2, Varsity 3,4; Basketball In.
tramurals 2; Honor System 4.
"Let the music be your master."
Led Zeppelin

JENNIFER KELLETT
Salisbury
Field Hockey JV 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Softball $\mathcal{J}$ 1,2; Basketball $\mathcal{J}$ 1,2; Honor System 2,3; Ski Club 3,4; Track 3,4;
Prom Decorating Committee; Prom Court; White Oak.

BRENDA LACKMAN
Falls Village

## MAURA LANDIS

 SharonCheerleading 1; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Honor System 1,2,3,4; AFS 1.2,3,4; Class Vice-President 2,3; Field Hockey JV 2, Varsity 3,4; "Fiddler on the Roof" 2; Prom Court; Prom Committee; National Honor Society 3,4; Acom 3; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying' 3; All Connecticut Chorus 4, "Charlie's Aunt" 4; "The Man of LaMancha" 4.

## COLLEEN LaPLACA

## Cornwall

Cheerleading $1,2,3$; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Track 1; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" 3; "The Man of LaMancha" 4.

## JOHN LaPORTA

Cornwall
Executive Council 1,2; Honor System 1,2, 3,4; Track 1: Gymnastics 1,2; AFS 1,2,3, 4; Cross Country 1: Ski Club 1,4; Honor System Committee 2,3, President 4; Soccer J.V. 2, Varsity 3.4; Golf J.V. 2,
Varsity 3.4; National Honor Society 3.4; Varsity Club 3: AFS Summer Exchange Student to Malaysia; Chorus 3,4; All Divisional Chorus 3; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" 3; Drama Club 3; Junior Prom Court: "Man of LaMancha" 4; All Connecticut Chorus

Candidate 4.

KENNETH LAWTON
Falls Village
"No Comment."


KENNETH LEE
Sharon
Track 1,2,3,4



## ANNELIESE LILJE

Sharon
Transfer from John Jay High School 2; Soccer JV 2; Basketball JV 2; Softball Varsity 2,3,4; White Oak 4.
"Always carrya litterbag in your car; if it gets full just toss it out the window."

THOMAS LOVETT
Lakeville

KENNETH LOWELL
North Canaan
Gymnastics 1,2.

CYNTHIA LOWRIE
Kent
Band 1,2,3,4; Cycle Club 1; Outing Club 3,4.
"There's a feeling I get when I look
to the west
And my spirit is crying for leaving. In my thoughts I have seen rings of smoke through the trees, And the voices of those who stand looking." Stairway to Heaven Led Zeppelin

PATRICIA MACNEIL
Canaan
AFS 1; Future Homemakers of America 2,3
"When I finally have everything together I forget where I put it."

WILLIAM MADDEN
Lakeville
Basketball Freshman, J.V. 2; Outing Club 1,2,3; AFS 2, Vice President 3,4; Senior Executive Committee.
"Dead men tell no tales." H.H.

## LAURENCE MADSEN

## Canaan

Intramurals 1,2,3; SoccerJ.V. 1, Varsity 2,3,4; Basketball Freshman, J.V. 2,3; Baseball J.V. 1, Varsity 3,4; Varsity Club 3,4.
"L.A. here we come!"



BRIAN MARTIN Comwall

Future Farmers of America, Vice-
President 2, President 3,4; Honor System 2,3,4; Ski Club.

JULIE MARSHALL
North Canaan
Candy Striper 1.

## CHRISTINE MATSON

Kent
Future Business Leaders of America Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; Prom Committee; Senior Ball Committee.
"Well, another day has come after all is said and done. You are here as you were before 'cause it feels as if we've been through it all and back again." Melissa Manchester


SHANNON MAY
North Canaan
Candy Striper 1; Ski Club 3; Honor System 4
"Do notlead for I maynot follow, Do not follow for I may not lead, But walk beside me and be my friend."

## SHAWNMcCRACKEN

Falls Village
Soccer J.V. 1,2, Varsity 3; Wrestling J.V. 1,2; Track J.V. 1,2; Chorus 2,3, 4; "Fiddler on the Roof" 2; "Man of LaMancha" 4; Student Council 2; Weight and Conditioning Club 1,2; AFS 3,4; AFS Exchange Student to Australia 3;

National Honor Society 3,4.
"Australians do it down-under."

## KEVINMcGIVERN

 LakevilleFly Tying 1,2,3; Weight and Conditioning 1,2; Band 1,2; Varsity Club 3,4; Outing Club 4; AFS 3.4; Football Freshman, J.V.

2, Varsity 3,4
"When the night returns like a friend, When the quiet hours wait beyond the
day make peaceful sounds in me, I closed my eyes and I could make it real again.
Here's to the songs we used to sing And here's to the times we use to know." Neil Diamond



NEIL MILLER
Sharon
Basketball Freshman, Varsity 4; Baseball JV 1,$2 ;$ Varsity $3,4$.

STEPHEN MILLER
North Canaan

## Work-Study 4.

CORRINA MONTGOMERY Sharon

Photography Club 1.
"A minute to pray A second to die." Thanks Uncle John

DIANE MOREHOUSE
Sharon
Soccer J.V. 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Candy Striper 1; Honor System 2,3,4.

Freedom
"What is it? Where is it? When shall I find it? For I would like to see the mountains, streams and trees, Where we will be, you and me, Together living free!!!"

HERLON MOSS
North Canaan
Student Council 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Baseball 1,2,4; Wrestling 3,4.
"Beauty is only skin deep."

EDITH MYERS
Salisbury
Photography Club 1,2; Candy Striper 1 ; Class Treasurer 1; Library Club 2; Gyrnnastics 2.




## CARLTON OVITT

## Canaan

Soccer JV 1; Baseball JV 1,2.
"I was gratified to be able to answer promptly, and I did. I said I didn't know.

ROBAIN PALKO
Salisbury
Future Homemakers of America 1,2; Honor
System 3,4; Gymnastics 1.3.
"Being crazy is the only thing that keeps me sane."

DOUGLASPALMER
Kent
"Go for it..."

## BRAD PAULSEN

Sharon
Varsity Club 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 1,2,3, 4; Ski Club 1,2,3,4; Soccer Varsity 1,2, 3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Northwest Comer 4; Chorus 4; Senior Executive Committee;

Honor System 4.
"Memory is the diary that we all carry about with us." Oscar Fingal O'Flahertie Wills Wilde

NANCY PERETTI
North Canaan
Candy Striper 1; Nurse's Aide 3.



Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4;
Track 1,2,3,4; Honor System 1,2,3,4
French Club 2,3,4.
"He who never makes a mistake never makes a discovery."

## NANCY PETERS

Kent
Chorus 1,2; "Mame" 1; AFS 2,3,4; Track 3.

LESAPETERSON
Sharon
Future Farmers of America 1.
"Goodbye doesn't mean forever.
Goodbye doesn't mean well never be together again.'

## ALISONPIERZGA

Comwall
Basketball JV 1; Intramurals 1,2,3,4;
Future Farmers of America 1; Track Varsity 2,3; Ski Club 2,3,4; Outing Club 2,3,4.
"Think of me today,
Remember me from yesterday."

JOSEPH PIERZGA
Cornwall
Fontball JV 1, Varsity 2,3,4; Track JV 1; Basketball Freshman; Golf J 2, Varsity 4.


SHELLYRICE
Lakeville
Gymnastics 1,2,3,4; Ski Club 3,4; Soccer J.V. 1, Varsity $2,3,4$; Softball J.V 1,2; Track 3,4.
"Well it's one more round for experience and I'm on the road again." Carole King



JODY ROBERTS North Canaan

Chorus 4.
"We are all in this alone."
Lily Tomlin

VALERIE RODDY
North Canaan
Hiking Club 4; Honor System 4.


JOANN RODER
Kent
"There's a train every day,
leaving either way.
There's a world, you know-
there's a way to go. You'll soon be gone;
it's just as well.
This is my opening farewell."
Jackson Browne

## LISA ROMANO

Sharon
Transfer from New Milford High School 3; AFS 3.4; Future Homemakers of America 3,

4; Nurse's Aide 4.
"I want to laugh when the laughin' is easy, I want to cry when it's worth while for I may never pass this way only once."

## SUSAN ROMEO

Lakeville
Chorus 1,2,3; Outing Club 1,2; "Mame"
1; Ski Club 2; "Fiddler on the Roof"
2; Gymnastics 3; Photography Club 3; Yearbook 4; Man Chasing 4.
"Make waves without gettingdrowned."



## JANET SCHAFER

Salisbury
Soccer Varsity 1,2,4; Gymnastics 1 ;
Honor System 3,4; Class President 3,4;
National Honor Society 3,4; Junior Prom Queen; Junior Prom Committee Chairman; Track Varsity 3; AFS 4; Ski Club 4;
Intramurals 4; White Oak 4.
"You will find, as you lookbackupon your life, that the moments that stand out are the moments when you have done things for others."

Henry Drummond

DAVID SCHMITT
North Canaan
Audio-Visual 1,2,3,4;Video Tape Crew 1,2,3,4; Baseball JV 1; White Oak.

MARIA SCOVILLE

## Comwall

Future Homemakers of America 1 Report er, 2 Recreation Leader, 3 Parliamentar ian, 4 State Officer.

## BONNIE SHELDON

Cornwall
Chorus 1,2,3,4; Field Hockey 1,2,3, Tri-captain 4; Cheerleading 1; AFS Club

1,2,3; Spanish Club 1,2; Softball 2,3; Class Secretary 2,3,4; Honor System 1 2,3,4; Honor System Committee 1,2,3, Secretary 4; Northwest Comer 3, Feature Editor 4; Acorn 3,4.

JEFFREY SHORES
Falls Village
AVA 1,2,3,4; Outing Club 1; Basketball Videotaper 1,2,3,4; Football Filmer 1, 2.3,4; Soccer $\mathcal{J}$ 1,2,3, Varsity 4; $\mathcal{N}$ Baseball 1,2; Track 3,4; Rock Climbing 2,3; Northwest Comer Photo Editor 4; White Oak Editor 4; Photo Club 4.
"Togetout of bed on the wrongside Probably means you had too much the night before." Groucho Marx



## MICHAEL SPOHN <br> Falls Village

Honor System 1,2,3,4; JV Soccer 1,2,
Co-captain 3; AFS Club 2,3,4; Latin Club 2,3; Honor System Committee 3,4; Acom 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4;
Student Council 4; Northwest Comer
News Editor 4; White Oak Co-Editor 4
"Knowledge is good."
National Lampoon's Animal House

MARYANNSPOLOWICH Kent

Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2; Football Manager 2,3; Intramurals 2; Pep Band 1,2,3, 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Marching Band 2,3; AFS 3,4; AFS Exchange Student to Australia 3; Northwest Comer 4;
Acom 4; White Oak 4.
"Weare only young once-that is all society can stand ... Come on Aussie. come on!"

## LINDA STEFANISKO

Salisbury
Work Study 4.
"I've found someone, I think it's me!'

## KURT STERNLOF

Lakeville
Soccer J.V. 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Track 2, 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Honor System 1,2, 3,4; Student Council 2, Treasurer 3,4; Select Chorus 3,4; Summer Study 2; National Honor Society 3,4; National Merit Scholarship Commended Student 4; Drama Club 3; "A Funny Thing Happened on the way to the Forum" 1; "Fiddler on the Roof" 2; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" 3; "Man From LaMancha" 4; Mathematics Association Award 3.

DANIEL STEWART
North Canaan
Baseball Varsity 3,4; Gymnastics 3,4;
Football 4.


## STEPHENSTUART

Kent
Future Farmers of America 1,2,3; Baseball Varsity 3,4; Work Study 4.
"Love to all."



## MARIANNE SZCZESIUL

 LakevilleCheerleading Freshman, J.V. 2,3, Varsity 4; AFS 1,2; Varsity Club 2; "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; White Oak 4; Honor System 4; "Charlie's Aunt" 4.

## STEVEN TATSAPAUGH

 North CanaanHonor System 1,2,3,4; Honor System Committee 1,2; Intramurals 1,2,3; French Club 3,4; AFS 3,4; Varsity Baseball Manager 3,4; Student Council 4; Northwest Comer 4; White Oak 4.

MICHAEL TIETJEN
North Canaan
Football 1; Wrestling 1,2; Cross
Country 2,3.

## MARILISA TRAVERSO

North Canaan
Honor System 1,2,3,4; AFS 2,3,4; Intramurals 2; Homeroom Representative 2,3; Girl's State 3; Executive Council 4;
Cheerleading Varsity 4.
"If you love something,
Let it go free ...
If it returns, keep it forever.
If not it was never meant to be yours."


KIM WALDRON
Lakeville
Future Homemakers of America 1,2,3,4.
"Love is a rose
But you better not pick it. It only grows when it's on the vine."

SCOTT WALKER

## Sharon

"What a long strange trip it's been.

## WILLIAM WALLACE

Salisbury
"My planetory god had told me that you humans were strange and unpre-dictable-now I believe him.'
"L.A herewe come!"



ESTELLE WATHLEY
"So long J.R. Sieller, Bones Ghiduncee, Nike Dodge, Buncee, Richie Hogone, Cindy Really, Sue Coat, Nanci, John Osker, Kaven Gorkofske, Mrs. Hemming, Mrs. Cider, Mr. Bee, Dove Golden, Eve Woolhart, Cool Cat, and to my best friend Hertzel Moses. Tyrone T. Torch P.S. See all of you in the papers, the comic section!"

NORMA WHITMAN North Canaan

Outing Club 1,2,3,4.


NEIL WILCOX
North Canaan

## BRIANWILCOX

Sharon
Wrestling J.V. 1, Varsity 2,3,4; J.V. Baseball 1,2, Varsity 4; Track 3.



Football, 1; Future Farmers of America $1,2,3$; Wrestling 2.
"In her happy smile I see it, In her tender touch I feel it, In her tender kiss I feel it.
These are all things that make me love her."

LORIE WILLIAMS
Kent
PhotographyClub 1
"Take it easy
Take it as it comes
Specialize in having fun.
Don't move too fast.
You've been moving too fast!"
Jim Morrison

CLIVE WILSON
Kent

EVA WOHLFART
Sharon
Manager Girl's Varsity Basketball 3,4; Softball JV 3, Varsity 4; Varsity Soccer 4.

## IN MEMORIAM

Departing, leave behind us Footprints on the sands of time.


He will not grow old
As we who are left grow old.
Age will not weary him
Nor the years condemn
At the going down of the sun;
And in the morning
We will remember him.
mr. Bajersdorfer
\&
Homeroom

Did you have a well balanced breakfast this morning?


Housatonic's own Galloping Gourmets


## When Crusher Lizowski talks about being a homemaker, you listen.



HOMEMAKING


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QUEEN'S COURT
Marybeth Alto Theresa A. Carley Susan K. Chilcoat Renee Conklin Sandra M. Gilpatrick Beth A. Grossman Darlene M. Hewins Jennifer A. Kellett Maura E. Landis Cynthia L. Riley
Susan K. Romeo

J. Elizabeth Schafer

Prom King and Q ueen
J. Robert Sieller
J. Elizabeth Schafer



KING'S COURT
Robert J. Anderson Guy E. Bunce
Michael S. Dodge
Jeffrey M. Ghidossi John E. LaPorta
Laurence I. Madsen Herlon J. Moss
William G. O'Connor
Brad W. Paulsen
Henry E. Pozzetta
J. Robert Sieller

Peter M. Spadaccini



## TRACK

For the second straight season, the boys track team captured the league championship, as they won 9 meets against only two losses. The season had many highlights, as three team records were set, three league records were set, and eight individual records were set as well.

The Mountaineers also stretched a winning streak that began in 1977 to 19 straight victories, as they averaged 96 points a meet.

There were six Berkshire League AllStars: seniors Brad Paulsen, Russell Juds, and Ken Lee; juniors Bob Pa. quignot and John Ongley; and sophomore Chris Pollock.

The eight individual records set were: Bob Paquignot, high jump, Russell Juds, 220 yd dash; Ken Lee, 120 high hurdles and 330 yd low hurdles; Mike Mulligan, hammer throw; Frank Ghi, steeplechase; Brad Paulsen, decathlon; and the $4 \times 110$ yd relay team of Brad Paulsen, Ken Lee, Russell Juds and John Ongley.

The seniors who graduated from one of the strongest track teams in the school's history are: Jeff Brum, Kurt Sternlof, Larry Keller, Ken Lee, Glen Cross, Shawn McCracken, Frank Ghi, Russell Juds, and captain Brad Paulsen.

The team placed second overall in the Berkshire League Relays, tenth place in the Class S state championship, first place in the Berkshire League Decathlon with Paulsen scoring 5499 points, and had three athletes compete in the CIAC Olympic Meet, as Paulsen, Ghi and Mulligan all competed.

Mike Mulligan and Bob Pequignot were elected captains for the 1980 season, which should be another good one.


First Row: K. Lee, G. Cross, F. Ghi, B. Paulsen, K. Stemlof, L. Keller, F. Juds. Second Row: Coach Lindsay, C. Wilson, P. Weber J. Segalla, C. Pollock, J. Ongley, G. Johns, S. Kenny, Coach O'Dell. Third Row: M. Kling B. VanZyll, N. Kaufman, J. Domeier, R. Allen, B. Rice, B. Bushey.


THE SENIORS-First Row: Frank Ghi, Brad Paulsen, Russell Juds, L.arry Keller. Second Row: Glen Cross, Kurt Stemlof and Ken Lee.


## TRACK

Under the guidance of Head Coach Toland Chinatti, the girl's track team had a great season. The team posted its best record in history, as they compiled an $8-2$ win-loss tally. They finished second in the Berkshire League behind Litchfield, as the team competed for the first time in the league.

The team was led by senior cocaptains Beth Grossman and Cindy Riley, but also had a strong cast of underclassmen who contributed to the success of the team. They included juniors Carol Alto and Kim Miles, and sophomores Donna Pequignot and Wendy Pitcher.

Carol Alto broke three school records in the course of the season, all previously held by Alison Pierzga. They were the records for the shot put, the discus and the javelin. Alto led the team in all the throwing events during the season, and was a strong factor in the team's great finish.

Donna Pequignot broke her own school record she set in 1978 when she was a freshman. She also competed in the states, finishing third in the high jump.

Wendy Pitcher, another outstanding sophomore, broke the school record in the two mile run, previously held by Kim Kosciusko, while junior Kim Miles broke her own record in the long jump by some 8 inches this season.

Other members of the team include seniors Renee Conklin, Betsy Schafer and Karoline Horstel. Lori Johnson, Abby Curtis, Lori Weber and Patti Mulligan rounded out the team.

With a strong crew of freshmen joining in '80, the girl's track team should have the foundation to build a strong team for the coming years.


First Row: A. Curts, K. Miles, B. Schafer, R. Conklin, C. Riley, B. Grossman, C. Alto, L. Brazee. Second Row: P. Mulligan, J. Wendt, L. Weber, L. Fallon, T. LaVoie, D. Pequignot, M. Segalla. Third Row: W. Pitcher, N. Szczesiul, L. Lindsay, P. Merriman, C. Perotti, C. Carlson, L. McGuire, D. Romeo, D. Smith.


## SOFTBALL

The girl's softball team had a good season, despite missing the state toumament by just one game in the standings.

The three seniors, Sandi Gilpatrick and co-captains Sue Chilcoat and Marybeth Alto led the team to an 8-9 record.

Alto, playing her fourth straight varsity season, was the first Mountaineer from the softball team to make the AllStar Berkshire League Team and the squad's Most Valuable Player. Catcher Sue Chilcoat lettered for her third straight year on the varsity team, as she anchored a strong defense behind the plate, while Gilpatrick displayed versatility by playing both second and third base.

Some highlights were pointed out by Head Coach Ron Dower, who said that the best games of the season were a 4-2 victory over Wamogo, and a $12-4$ thrashing of Shepaug, the league's champion. He also added that two onerun defeats to Litchfield dampened the team's hope for a toumey bid.

Other members of the team included Ellen Carlson, who played a tight shortstop all season, Denise McDonald, the team's strongest hitter, first baseman Krisa Bibro, pitcher Anne VanDoren and most improved player of the team, Evan Lyle. All of these girls will retum next season as seniors.

A strong cast of sophomores made the Mountaineers very competitive and will for years to come. They included Pam Spadacinni, Terry Kearns, Terry Carberry, and Stacy Dodge.

The junior varsity also had a great year, with a 15.2 record. Coach Dower, who will return for his second year as coach, said that the team's future looks very promising.


First Row: T. Kearns, P. Spadacinni, S. Gilpatrick, S. Chilcoat, M. Alto, M. Burgess. Second Row: D. McDonald, K. Bibro, A. VanDoren, C. Carlson, E. Lyle, S. Dodge, Coach Dower.


## BASEBALL

The following is a look at the 1979 baseball season through the words of departing Head Coach Jack Mahoney, who leaves his coaching spot after several successful years. All those involved while he was coaching, including myself as his manager for the past two seasons, know it will be hard to replace him.

Steven Tatsapaugh
Sports Ed. Sports Ed.

A disappointing season for the varsity baseball team ended on an exciting note on the last day of the season, when it took 12 innings before Berkshire League Champion Shepaug could push across the winning runs in a 9-2 contest.

Sophomore Tib Miller, pitching the first eight innings, struck out 13 batters and allowed only three hits and no earned runs in a gutsy performance.

Eddie Ustico and Steve Donahue collected singles apiece as Housatonic out-hit Shepaug, undefeated in the Berkshire League, 9.6. Lapses in base running and on defense caused Housatonic's eventual downfall.

Highlights of the season were: the pitching of Miller; the relief pitching, between injuries of senior Guy Bunce; the hitting of Tom Van de Bogart; and the power hitting of Mike Gawel, who hit three home runs, two of them in one game.

Despite the final record of six wins and 11 losses (five of which were of the one-run variety), prospects appear to be bright for the future of the baseball program at HVRHS. Coach John Lamb, the junior varsity coach, led the team to seven victories against six defeats. They did this despite losing their best pitcher to the varsity team.

And the freshman team, under firstyear coach Fred DiMenna, won eight games and lost only two.


First Row: M. Gawel, M. Bonn, G. Bunce, L. Madsen, N. Miller, J. Gordon, D. Stewart, S. Donahue. Second Row: Coach Mahoney, S. Tatsapaugh, T. Retallick, T. Van De Bogart, T. Faedi, E. Ustico, M. Selino, M. Hickey, T. Miller.



First Row: J. Wheeler, K. Brady, B. Pautot, T. Brown, J. Shores, T. Retallick, Coach Lamb. Second Row: T McCue, J. Chase, J. Marks, G. Pitcher, R. Peters, (Missing: J. Matheson).




Left to right: D. Madden, M. Tatsapaugh, J. Lachler, D. Smith, J. Cleaveland, R. Lotz, J. LaPorta, R. Grannon, S. Macchi, M. Shores, C. Eddy, J. Costa, Coach Bayersdorfer.

Housy's golf team had a tremendous season this year, losing only two out of eighteen matches. This makes them one of the most successful teams in the school's history.

With consistent high-quality play from the four varsity players, the team won the Berkshire league championship the first year in the league. Joe Cleaveland, senior; Jonathon Costa, junior; and Dan Smith, sophomore were named three of the four league all-stars in a league tournament.

The team broke many records, both team and personal records. Most wins in a season, league championship, and low rounds for many players combine to make this year's golf team a memorable one. Lowest round of the season went to Jon Costa, who earned a 71

The team was invited to participate in the state tournament held at Torrington Country Club. Originally seeded 13th they finished 6th, a major achievement, especially since only twenty teams statewide take part.

Coach Bayersdorfer developed the J.V. team this year, they finished the season with a record of 3-2. The team's first female golfer, Meg Michalek, matched the team-her personal match record was 3-2.

With only three seniors in the group the possibility exists of repeating this season's great performance next year.


Lost something?



GOLF



Signals from Coach


Varsity Match Scores HVRHS Opp.

| Nonnewaug | 5 | 0 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Gilbert | 5 | 0 |
| Terryville | 5 | 0 |
| Oliver Wolcott | 5 | 0 |
| Nonnewaug | 4 | 0 |
| Gilbert | 5 | 0 |
| Torrington | 3 | 2 |
| Terryville | 5 | 0 |
| Canton | 3 | 2 |
| Avon | 3 | 2 |
| Litchfield | 5 | 0 |
| Oliver Wolcott | 5 | 0 |
| Litchfield | 5 | 0 |
| Torrington | 3 | 2 |
| Bristol East | 2 | 3 |
| Oliver Wolcott | 5 | 0 |
| Avon | 2 | 3 |
| Gilbert | 5 | 0 |

J.V. Match Scores

| Hotchkiss | 1 | 7 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Vogel | 7 | 1 |
| Hotchkiss | 0 | 7 |
| Vogel | 7 | 1 |
| Oliver Wolcott | 4 | 1 |

## SENIOR WEEK




Abdelaziz, Farid
Alto, Marybeth
Arrigoni, Charles
Bachman, Robert
Bauer, Ramona
Beers, Karen
Bohren, Debra
Bonn, Michael
Hartford College for Women, Hartford, CT, Psychology
NWCCC, Art, Professional Football Player
Booth, Melanie
Boulier, Howard
Brelsford, Donna
Brown, Lori
Brum, Jeffrey
Bunce, Guy
Cahill, Douglas
Casey, Patricia
Carberry, Mary
Carley, Theresa
Cash, Joseph
Castiglione, Michele
Cavanaugh, Stephanie
Chilcoat, Susan
Church, Paul Martin
Cimmino, Anthony
Cleaveland, Joseph
Conklin, Renee
Cordoso, Marcia
Cross, Glen
Dokin, Tracy
Daszkiewicz, Kaye
Dodge, Christopher
Dodge, Michael
Dolan, Mary Ann
Donahue, Stephen
Drumm, Christopher
Fallon, Jay
Fails, Todd
Fiengo, Lori
Fisher, Nancy
Fitzgerald, Kim
Fracaro, Amy
Gawel, Michael
Gebbia, Rose
Ghi, Frank
Gilpatrick, Sandra
Gleason, Deborah
Golden Rebecca
Gomez, Gregory
Golden, David
Gordon, James
Graf, David
Graves, Karen
Greenwood, Ann
Grossman, Beth
Hall, Dovid
Hanes, Kathy
Hewins, Dorlene
Horstel, Karoline
Hoshko, Robert
Irving, Lori
Jackson, Lori
Janello, Mark
Johnson, Donna
Johnson, Lisa
Joncyk, Erica
Juds, Russell
Kaminski, Jacqueline
Keller, Lawrence
Kellett, Jennifer
Bouder Fashion College, Sacremento, Califomia, Fashion Merchandising and Modeling
Employment
College and Employment
Tallend School of Equitation, Civencester, England, Equine Studies
Eastcupcake College, Eastcupcake, Mars, Interplanetary Travel Agent Retire
UCONN, Torrington, CT, Insurance Employed as Bookkeeper Employed as Bank Teller
Casanovia College, Casanovia, NY. Advertising Design
US Navy
Employed
Fisher Junior College, Boston, Mass., Public Relations
Hartwick College, Oneonta, NY, Anthropology
Paul Smiths College, Lake Placid, NY, Business
Technical School, Colorado
University of Hartford, Hartford, CT, Architecture Employed in Califomia

College
Cobleskill University, NY. Horticulture
US Navy, Radio Communicator
Employed
Panks College, Saint Louis University, Aerospace Engineering
SCSC, Physical Education
Employed
NWCCC, Winstead, CT. Environmental Science
Employed as Auto Mechanic
Professional Ski Bum
Employed
US Marines
College 1980, Special Education Employed
Albertus Magnus, New Haven, CT, Criminal Justice
Florida Southem, Florida, Business Administration and Baseball Stone School of Business

College, Engineering
San Jose State University, San Jose, Calif, Pre-Law Johnson and Wales, Providence, RI, Travel Tourism Management Employed Employed
Northeastem University, Boston, Business Management
Quinnipiac College, Hamdam, CT, Accounting
Spartin Aeronautics, Tulsa, OK, Commercial Pilot Training
Grambling State University, Grambling, Louisiana, Medican
University of Bridgeport, Bridgeport, CT, Nursing
UCONN, Storrs, CT. Nursing
Employed as Mechanic
Quinnipiac, New Hamdam, Nursing
UCONN, Storrs, CT, Accounting
School in Germany
NWCCC, Criminal Justice if not drafted in NFL
New England School of Photography, Boston, Photography
NWCCC, Winstead, Art
Harvard University, Cambridge, Music
Employed
Bauder Fashion College, Miami, FL, Fashion Merchandising
Employed
University of Cape Town, South Africa, Business
Employed
WCSC, Danbury, CT, Business Administration

LaPlaca, Colleen
LaPorta, Jonn
Lilje, Anneliese
Lovett, Thomas
MacNeil, Patricia
Madden, Wíliam
Madsen, Laurence
Mallory, Anne
Mallory, Carla
Marshall, Julie
Martin, Brian
Matson, Christine
McCracken, Shawn
May, Shannon
McGivern, Kevin
Michalek, Margaret
Miles, Richard
Miller, Stephen
Montgomery, Corrina
Morehouse, Diane
Myers, Edith
Newkirk, Roger
O'Connor, William
Ohmen, Diane
Ouitt, Carlton
Palko, Robain
Palmer, Douglas
Paulsen, Brad
Peretti, Nancy
Peters, Nancy
Peterson, Lesa
Pierzga, Alison
Rave, Tamra
Rice, Shelly
Riley, Carol
Riley, Cynthia
Roberts, Jody
Roddy, Valerie
Roder, Joann
Romano, Lisa
Romeo, Susan
Ruman, Joshua
Sager, Donald
Sauyer, Lori
Schafer, Janet
Schmitt, Douid
Scouille, Maria
Sheldon, Bonnie
Shores, Jeffrey
Sieller, J. Robert
Smith, Jerilyn
Spohn, Michael
Spolowich, MaryAnn
Stefanisko, Linda
Sternlof, Kurt
Tatsapaugh, Steven
Traverso, Marilisa
Vanicky, James
Waldron, Kim
Wallace, William
Ward, Norman
Wathley, Estelle
Wheeler, James
Whitman, Norma
Wilcox, Brian
Wildman, John
Wilson, Clive
Wright, Joan


Notre Dame College, New Hampshire, Elementary Education


## GUYS

 8 DollsThis Spring the Faculty Association produced their fourth musical for the benefit of the student scholarship fund.

Under the direction of Mr. Heyworth, members of the faculty, students, alumni and individuals from the community strutted and sang their way into the hearts of hundreds.

Mr. Palmieri prodded the singers on course, and Marge Stevenson directed the "Hot Box Girls" in two modest but merry strip numbers.

This year's production, labeled a "musical fable of Broadway" was based on a story and characters created by Damon Runyon with music by Jo Swerling and Abe Burrows.



- Victory-

Most Athletic:
Sue Chilcoat and Bobby Seiller

-Say Cheese!-
Cutest Smile:
Jackie Kaminski and Shawn McCracken
-My how you've grown-
Most changed since freshman year:
Darlene Hewins and Bobby Seiller
-Another argument-
Class couple:
Sandi Gilpatrick and Brad Paulsen

-Early for once-
Most inclined to be late to class:
Michelle Castiglione and Tony Cimmino


-Can Abe take a joke?Class clowns:
Eua Wolfart and Mike Bonn


Alsochosen by their classmates:
Most dependable: Betsy Schafer and Michael Spohn
Most musical: MaryAnn Spolowich and Mark Janello
Class flirts: Renee Conklin and Russell Juds
Most inclined to argue: Jean Jackman and Billy Wallace

## MAN OF LA MANCHA



Make-up


Only a windmill
"Man of La Mancha" is more than just a musical version of Don Quixote. It is an expression of the value of fundamental goodness, and depicts the triumph of a human spirit over the cruel realities of the world. It is to be remembered, not for its songs and its dances, but for its lasting impression as a memorable event.

To the cast, "Man of La Mancha" was indeed a memorable event. The months of work and sacrifice were culminated by three all too short performances. For those of us who are seniors it is the end. We can but hope that we have been part of the finest show ever presented at Housatonic.
I would like to say to everyone who was involved; thank you. Thank you for contributing to a high point in my life and, I hope, in yours. To everyone, especially Mr. P. and the underclassmen who will work to make next year's show the best-
"Look always forward, in last year's nest there are no birds this year."

Kurt Sternlof Man of La Mancha


Setting the scene



The missive

## Man of $2 \times \sqrt{2 a t r a}$

CAST OF CHARACTERS
(in order of appearance)
CAPTAIN OF THE INQUISITION Gregory Johns MANSERVANT (Sancho Panza). Jonathan Costa MIGUEL de CERVANTES (Don Quixote
and Alonso Quijana) . . . . Kurt Sternlof GOVERNOR (Innkeeper) . . Michael Mulligan DUKE (Dr. Carrasco and Knight of Mirrors . . . . Henry Pozzetta MULETEERS
 TENORIO . . . . . . . . Mark Janelio PACO . . . . . . . . . . William Rice JUAN . . . . . . . . . Mark Sternlof ANSELMO . . . . . . Christopher Dodge PEDRO . . . . . . . . . Johr La Porta ALDONZA (Dulcinea) . . . . . Maura Landis MARIA Dana Jenrinas

FERMINA (Moorish Girl) Jody Roberts Elizabeth Schafer ANTONIA . . . . . . . . . Bonnie Sheldon HOUSEKEEPER . . . . . Madalene O'Donnell PADRE . . . . . . . . . . Thomas Lombardi BARBER John La Porta PRISONERS

Farid Abdelaziz, Colleen La Placa, Carla Mallory, Stephen Parker, Tina Reiker, Jody Roberts, Karen Spohn, Marianne Szczesiul,

Virginia Vincent


Help!!!



What does he want of me?


Curtain Call

## TRAVELING ON . . .



Mr. Norman Pattberg

In 1956 Mr. Pattberg began teaching at H.V.R.H.S. Twenty-three years, 3500 students, 6 superintendents, 2 principals, 20 different subjects, 15 department colleagues, and 1 wife later, he is retiring.

Before coming to Housatonic Mr. Pattberg ran his own decorating business in New Haven. When that was internupted by World War Two, he joined the Army Air Corps and flew missions with the 99th Bombardment Squadron stationed on Tinian. He flew several missions on B-29's as a flight engineer. After returning to the states in 1945 he resumed his decorating business, but teaching beckoned him.

He attended Quinnipiac College for a degree in Business Administration and then the University of Bridgeport for a master's degree in secondary education, "because he wanted to teach."

Mr. Pattberg began teaching in 1952 at Milford Prep. Four years later, with a one year interlude teaching at Shelter Island in New York State, he began teaching in Falls Village. He met his wife, Mary, while teaching at H.V.R.H.S. and after their marriage in 1959 they moved to Falls Village where they have lived since 1961.

Retiring after teaching two generations of Northwest Corner children, perhaps one of his former students best sums up the reason for his success. "You know, Mr. Pattberg really likes kids."

## ACADEMIC RECOGNITION

The White Oak salutes academic excellence by presenting the names of those students with superior academic records.

HIGH HONOR ROLL FOR THE YEAR

| SENIORS: Mary Carberiy | JUNIORS: Kimberly Carlson |
| :--- | :--- |
| Kaye Daszkiewicz | Amy Janello <br> Joanna Eddy |
| Kimberly FitzGerald Diane Johnson <br> Deborah Gleason Maria Koneazny <br> Terri Hall Penni Martorell <br> Maura Landis Beth Morgan <br> John LaPorta Michael Mulligan <br> Brad Paulsen Besey Nelson <br> Bradley Perkins Madalene O'Donnell <br> Janet Schafer Therese Palmer <br> Maria Scoville Shelly Scheidt <br> Bonnie Sheldon Heidi Terrell <br> Mary Spolowich  <br> Kurt Sternlof  <br>   <br>   <br> FRESHMEN: Catherine Hoffman  <br> SOPHOMORES: Alexander Farnsworth  <br> Tery Fuller Debra Matson <br> Paul Kamin Cori McGuire <br> Jill Wendt Candida Perotti <br>   <br> John Scrimgeour  |  |
|  |  |

HONORABLE MENTION LIST FOR 1979

SENIORS:
Farid Abdelaziz
Marybeth Alto
Charles Arrigoni
Lori Brown
Douglas Cahill
Theresa Carley
Stephanie Cavanaugh
Susan Chilcoat
Joseph Cleaveland
Nancy Fisher
Amy Fracaro
Frank Ghi
Sandra Gilpatrick
Rebecca Golden
Beth Grossman
Karoline Horstel
Mark Janello
Jacquelin Kaminski
Anneliese Lilje
Anne Mallory
Diane Ohmen
Shelly Rice
Carol Riley
Valerie Roddy
Lisa Romano
Susan Romeo
Joshua Ruman
Michael Spohn
Steven Tatsapaugh
Marilisa Traverso
Joan Wright
Cynthia Riley
JUNIORS:
Ellen Carlson

Sharon Combs
Elizabeth Fick
Philip Ghi
Deborah Godbum
Patricia Hahne
Gregory Johns
Theresa Lamothe
Thomas Lombardi
Evan Lyle
Sheila Mahoney
Naomi Migliacci
John Oskwarek
Yvonne Reid
Lisa Riley
Renee Schenkel
Kristine Schweter
Diana Swaller
Edward Ustico
Glen White
SOPHOMORES:
Barbara Baird
Grace Bergdahl
Joseph Brien
Timothy Brown
Joseph Chase
June Gordon
Katherine Hall
Laurie Hall
Tarry Hrovatin
Peter Kamin
Zoe Karp
Eric Lilje
Michael Lomask
Thomas Miller
Patricia Mulligan

Kathleen Parcells
Robin Riley
Joseph Segalla
Marc Shores
Katherine Stanton
Jeanette Wright
FRESHMEN:
Lisa Barnett
Tammy Caplinger
Ellen Cooney
Theresa Dallis
Michael Domeier
Robert Griskauskas
Lisa Hanlon
Kim Lachler
Michelle Lombardi
Edward McCue
Audrey Neelands
Diane Nelson
Paul Nyklicek
Carrie Olsen
Kathleen Parsons
Scott Pastre
Michele Prindle
Linda Roddy
Robin Roraback
Patricia Schlueter
Sheila Smithwick
Pamela Stevenson
Lisa Tassone
Mark Thibault
Tina Trahan
Peter VanDoren

TOP TEN PERCENT-SENIOR CLASS
SUMMA CUM LAUDE
John Edward LaPorta
MAGNA CUM LAUDE

CUM LAUDE
Sandra Marie Gilpatrick
Steven Marcel Tatsapaugh
Mark Kenneth Janello
Darlene Marie Hewins
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Brad William Paulsen Joshua Steven Ruman
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## NATIONAL HONOR

Though originally a service organization, the HVRHS chapter of the National Honor Society has become an association for the support of character, scholarship, leadership and service.

The members, distinguished by white hoods at graduation, are chosen from the junior and senior classes by the faculty of the school each Spring.

This year's induction was held on May 30. Eighteen new members were inducted. Also present were the ten members elected last year, and John Mongeau, this year's honorary faculty member.

Anne Mallory, chapter president, conducted the proceedings which included the traditional candlelight ceremony and reading of the National Honor Society Oath.

Essays were presented by Marybeth Alto, Earlene Hewins, Betsy Schafer and Michael Spohn on the qualities mentioned above.

The guest speaker, Mr. Larry Gates, held the initiates' interest with anecdotes from his youth and career.
A reception was held in the cafeteria after the induction ceremony.


Candlelight Ceremony


Mr. Mongeau receives Honora

Morris Rainuille at the organ.

## SOCIETY INDUCTION


"Leadership" by Betsy Schafer.


Nembership from Mr. Kirby.


Honorary member Russell Juds, receiving his certificate from Lary Gates.


Marybeth Alto lights a candle from the flame of knowledge.

## GRADUATION - 1979



The 40th Graduating Class


Valedictorian-John Edward LaPorta "The Question Of Happiness'


Salutatorian, Kurt Richard Sternlof speaks of flooding rivers and other natural disasters.


President's Address J. Elizabeth Schafer


Mr. Robert V. Iosue-Guest Speaker
"Take the elevator to the top!"


School Board Chairman, Henry W. Burgess, presents Class of '79.



Anne Mallory Essayist


Kim Waldron-Number 4500!


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Putting together a yearbook is easy, right? Well, I'm not sure I'd call it easy. At the very least it is an extremely difficult job that requires a lot of determination. Yet as crazy as it may seem, now that the job is done, I might even go so far as to say it was a lot of fun. There were times when the outlook was bleak; often we didn't have the pictures we needed or someone just never got around to completing a job. Still, there were nights when we would all become excited and the pages seemed to fall into place by themselves. The result is what you have just seen. The yearbook staff worked from the first day of school till well into the summer. The last meeting was held Thursday, July 27. When I handed the final pages to our printer's representative, Brian Hawthorne, a great weight dropped from my shoulders; yet it is one I would gladly take up again for the people who worked with me. I sincerely appreciate all the hel p a small but dedicated staff gave to the 1979 White Oak. Many thanks too, to Mr. Orrell, the White Oak advisor, for his patience with my strange yet occasionally effective ways of getting things done. Finally, I extend a warm thank you to the students and faculty members who were not a part of the staff, but who gave me advice, answers, encouragement, and the strength to stick with my job.




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