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# Foreword



*for us, the living,*



Memories can put a strange mystical quality upon the actual, and no matter how rational one may try to be about their school days, even the occasional things we might not wish to recall come back with a glamor all their own. These are mental pictures only, revived in selfish enjoyment. In time, the camera images of those days, as recorded in this book, may take on as much mystery and as deep pleasure. However it may be, at this time we are granted, in the eye of the anxious mind, what we so fondly suppose we deserve: permanence. Then to that wish for securing all things for always is joined the pleasure we had in putting together this record of our school days at Culver High School to make **The Tomahawk** of 1961-62.

The Staff



Mr. Kenneth Cole, **Principal**, graduated from Attica High School, received his B. S. at Ball State Teachers College, and his M. S. at Indiana State Teachers College. Mr. Cole is also a Senior Class Sponsor, and sponsors the Student Council.

## ADMINISTRATION



Mr. M. R. Robinson graduated from Tulsa High School, and received his A. B. at Baker University. Mr. Robinson is Assistant Principal, Schoolbell sponsor, National Honor Society sponsor, and Press Club sponsor.

**Members of the school board are:** Wayne Kline, Maurice Nelson, Eugene Benedict; Trustee, and Ralph Osborn, Jr. These men do their best to keep our school running smoothly.





**Alexander, Arthur**

Gaston High School; Ball State College, B.S.; Shop; Hi-Y.



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**Kaiser, Shelton**

Mitchell High School; Indiana University, B.S.; M.S.; Elementary Principal; Director of Visual Aids; Projector's Club.



**Kepler, L. R.**

Culver High School; I. U. B.S.; Chemistry; Biology; Gen. Science; Science Club.



**Lawson, L. L.**

Mulberry High School; Ind. State Teachers College, B.S.; Social Studies; Math; Junior Class.



**Lindvall, M. C.**

Calumet High School; U. of Chicago, S.B.; Math; Usher's Club; Soph. Class.



**Overmyer, Violet**

Culver High School; I. U., B.S.; English; Health & Safety; Physical Ed.



**Shanks, Ruth**

Orleans High School; I. U., B.S.; M.S.; Business Ed.; Junior Class; Sunshine Soc.



**Smith, Virginia**

Ashland High School; Randolph-Macon College, B.A.; French; English; Math; Seventh Grade.



**Stettbacher, Fred K.**

Altamont High School; North Central College, A.B.; University of Michigan, M.S.; M.A.L.S.; Math; English; Library Club.



**Stukenborg, Bunard A.**

West Township High School; St. Josephs College, B.A.; Physics; Math; Science; Senior Class; Science Club.

# SENIORS

*I will study  
and get ready,  
and perhaps  
my chance  
will come.*



# THE CLASS OF 1962

As we stood before the opening doors of high school we felt a little like Lincoln felt when he said, "If we could first know where we are, and whither we are drifting, we could better judge what to do and how to do it." "We" were fifty-three excited Freshmen and we were beginning our long walk down the halls of Culver High School. Our officers were: Tom Boswell, President; Mike Overmyer, Vice President; Linda Kose, Secretary; Sandra Fisher, Treasurer; on the Student Council were Julia Furnas and John Benedict. This year our first project, to earn money toward our Senior Trip, was selling fudge.

As we entered our Sophomore year we began to realize, "The struggle of today is not altogether for today—it is for the vast future also," to quote Lincoln. At the beginning of this year we were fifty-one in number and our class projects had expanded to leaf-raking and sponsoring two movies. Overseeing all of this hard work were our hard-working officers, Tom Boswell, President; Tom Curtis, Vice President; Julia Furnas, Secretary (Julia had to withdraw because of illness); Sandra Fisher, Treasurer. Margo Overmyer and Tom Boswell were Student Council members.

During our Junior year Tom Boswell as President, Tom Curtis as Vice President; Sandra Fisher as Secretary (Melissa Fisher replaced Sandra as secretary when Sandra withdrew from school), and Pat Wesson as Treasurer, coordinated the work of our forty-eight members. Margo Overmyer and Tom Boswell were on the Student Council.

Ever mindful of Mr. Lincoln's advice that "We must not promise what we ought not, lest we be called on to perform what we cannot," we really started to perform this year. When our play cast was called on to perform they did quite well. The play, **It's a Great Life**, was very enjoyable for everyone. Not unlike other Juniors before us, we displayed our class rings with pride.

Our class sponsored several dances after ball games, and climaxed our year of dancing with a record hop, featuring Jack Myers as master-of-ceremonies.

On April 15, we killed "the fatted hog" and served his delicious meat to all our friends who came to our Junior Ham Supper.

"Cherry Pink and Apple Blossom White" was the theme our class chose for the Junior-Senior Prom. On May 19 we transformed the gymnasium into a pink paradise, and that evening our hard work was rewarded as we listened to Carol Heiser, accompanied by the Bob Howe band, sing our prom theme. The Lion's Club sponsored a party immediately after the prom, for all Juniors and Seniors and their guests.

At last we were seniors! The first task assigned to us was raising and lowering of the flag daily, which we faithfully did, except in inclement weather. But we were to find that there was more than that to our Senior year.

This year's officers included Tom Boswell, President; Mike Overmyer, Vice President; Jane Ann Thomas, Secretary; Pat Wesson, Treasurer. On the Student Council were Kathy Clyne and Jim Carter.

Our first project of the year was our magazine drive, which was started on September 8. We did quite well on this drive and our top salesman sold \$355 worth of magazines.

As Seniors, we were invited by the Culver City Club to hear Dr. Raymond Wheat talk about "Our Latin American Neighbors." This took place on November 2, and proved very interesting to everyone present.

During the basketball season, we seniors were busy popping popcorn and opening bottles of pop. At the tourney we sold hot dogs in addition to popcorn and pop. At the end of the four sessions, however, most of us had tired "dogs" instead of hot dogs.

Finally, the long awaited day arrived, and we left on our Senior Trip to New York City and Washington, D. C. Many things happened on our trip, things that we shall never forget, but all things must come to an end and so did our trip.

Once again it was time for the Prom. This time; however, **we** were the honored guests. We would like to express our thanks to the Juniors for making this "the prom" to remember.

On May 20, the stage of the gymnasium was decorated with tea roses, our class flower, accented with scarlet and gray ribbons, our class colors. During this Baccalaureate Service many of us thought of our class motto, "We have crossed the bay, the ocean lies before us."

Now, at the end of May and the end of our high school life, we stand on the threshold of a new life. Behind us lie the halls and memories of high school; before us is the unknown. As we briefly look back at our high school career, Lincoln's words again ring in our ears, "I don't think much of a man who is not wiser today than he was yesterday." We are wiser, we are older. But we still have our optimism, we still have enthusiasm. We're quite as hopeful of the ocean that lies before us, as we have been of Culver High.

# CLASS OFFICERS



**Thomas Wayne Boswell**  
President

Col. Prep.; Honor Soc. 2,3,4; Student Council 1,2, Vice-Pres. 3; Science Club 3; Hi-Y 2,4, Chaplain 3; Choir 1,3,4; Projectors Club 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Junior Class Play 3; Varsity Letterman's Club 3; Hoosier Boy's State 3; Choraleers 1; Math Contest 3; Class President 1,2,3,4.



**Michael Overmyer**  
Vice President

Col. Prep.; Tomahawk Staff 3,4; Hi-Y 3, Pres. 4; Band 1,2,3, Vice-Pres. 4; Choir 1,2, Vice-Pres. 3,4; Junior Class Play 3; Pep Club 2,3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3; Pep Club 2; 4-H Vice-Pres. 1, Pres. 2,3,4.



**Jane Ann Thomas**  
Secretary

Business; Honor Soc. 2,3; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3.

**Patricia Louise Wesson**  
Treasurer

Col. Prep.; Honor Soc. 2,3,4; Tomahawk 2,3,4; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 3; Band 1; Choir 1,3,4; Usher's Club 2, Pres. 3,4; Projector's Club 2,3,4; Hoosier's Girls State 3; Pep Club 3, Youthpower 3.





**George Byron Baker**

Industrial; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 2; Track 1,2,3; Cross Country 2,3; Varsity Letter Men's Club 3,4



**John Allen Benedict**

Col. Prep; Honor Society 2,3,4; Student Council 1; Science Club 3,4; Hi-Y 2, Vice-Pres. 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Cross Country 2; Junior Class Play 3; Boys' State 3; Math Contest 2; Varsity Letter Men's Club 3,4



**Lana Cheryl Berger**

Col. Prep; Honor Society 2,3,4; Tomahawk Staff 3,4; Sunshine 2, Recording Sec. 3, Vice-Pres. 4, Pres.; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2, Accompanist 3,4; Choraleers 1; Hoosier Girls' State Alternate 3; Pep Club 1,2

**Sandra Kay Boetsma**

Gen.; Honor Society 2,3; Sunshine 2, 3,4; Band 1; Choir 1,2,3,4



**Ofelia G. Briones**

Business; Weslaco H. S. Weslaco, Texas



**James M. Carter**

Col. Prep.; Honor Society 2,3, Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Science Club 3,4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Choir 3,4; Basketball 1,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Junior Class Play 3





**Kathleen Marie Clyne**

Col. Prep; Student Council 4; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Junior Class Play 3



**Shirley Ann Crow**

Business; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 2; Choir 1,3,4



**John A. Crum**

Industrial; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Projector's Club 4; Basketball 1

**Thomas L. Curtis**

Col. Prep; Class Officer, Vice-Pres. 2,3; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3, Pres. 4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 1,2; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Junior Class Play 3

**Glenda Kay Dawson**

Gen.; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 4; Choir 1,3,4

**Robert LeRoy Dickson**

Industrial; Hi-Y 2,3, Sec. 4; Band 1; Choir 1; Basketball 1; Projectors Club 4





**Rodney D. Edgington**

Col. Prep; Hi-Y 4; Basketball 1,2,3;  
Junior Class Play, Stage Manager



**Melissa Lyn Fisher**

Business; Class Officer Sec. 3; Sun-  
shine 2,3, Corr. Sec. 4; School Bell  
Staff 2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3; Junior Class  
Play 3; Hoosier Girls' State Alternate 3



**Nancy Elaine Franz**

Gen.; Sunshine 2,3,4; Choir 1,3,4

**Philip Hoge Gretter**

Col. Prep. Science Club 3,4; Hi-Y 2,  
3,4; Choir 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3; Base-  
ball 1,2; Track 1,2,3; Junior Class Play  
3; Cross Country 2,3



**James L. Gross**

General



**Mary Jane Guise**

Col. Prep; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell  
Staff 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4;  
Pep Club 1,2,3; Booster's Club 4





**Lois Christine Hand**

Col. Prep; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3; Librarian 4; Pep Club 2



**Carol Jean Heiser**

Col. Prep; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Proj. Club 4; 4-H 1,2, Sec.-Treas. 3, Vice-Pres. 4



**George L. Herr**

Industrial; Hi-Y 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3,4; Junior Class Play, Stage Manager 3; Varsity Letter Men's Club 3,4



**Patricia Ann Hicks**

Col. Prep; Sunshine 2,3,4; Tomahawk Staff 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 2,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Booster's Club 4



**Linda Lee Kose**

Col. Prep; Class Officer Sec. 1; Honor Society 2,3,4; Tomahawk Staff 3,4; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 2,3, Co-Editor 4; Band 1,2,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Junior. Class Play 3; Hoosier Girls' State 3; Pep Club 3; Latin Contest 2



**Ronald Leffert**

Industrial; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Choir 4; Track 1



**Janet Lee Logan**

Col. Prep; Tomahawk Staff 3,4; Sunshine 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4



**Martha Louise Lowry**

Business; Tomahawk Staff Business Mang. 3, Editor 4; Honor Society 2,3, Treas. 4; Band 1,2, Sec.-Treas.; Lib. 3, Sec.-Treas. 4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Sunshine 2,3,4; Alt. Delg. Girls' State



**Anna Lutz**

General; Sunshine 3,4; School Bell Staff 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4

**Patricia Jeanne Lutz**

General; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Junior Class Play 3; Pep Club 2



**Janet Ruth Martin**

Business; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 3; Choir 1,3



**Bernice Hazel Mevis**

Business; Sunshine 2,3,4; Choir 1,3,4





**Donald G. Miller**

Ramona High School 1,2,3; Industrial; Hi-Y 4; Choir 4; Track 4; Cross Country 4



**Sandra Jacqueline Osborn**

Business; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4



**Peter Ott**

Col. Prep; Hi-Y 2,3; Sgt. in Arms 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choraleers 1; Choir 1,2,3; Proj. Club 3,4

**Margo Elaine Overmyer**

Col. Prep; Honor Soc. 2,3,4; Student Council 2; Treas. 3; Tomahawk Staff 3,4; Sunshine 2; Treas. 3,4; School Bell Staff 3; Co-Ed. 4; Band 1,2,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Junior Class Play 3; Pep Club 1,2; Hoosier's Girls' State 3



**Robert Parker**

Industrial; Hi-Y 3,4; Choir 4



**Charles L. Reed**

Col. Prep; Honor Soc. 4; Science Club 3,4; Hi-Y 2,3; Treas. 4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 3,4; Junior Class Play 3; Boys' State 3; Pep Club 2; Varsity Club 3,4; Boys' Choir 2,3





**Marizetta Robinson**

Col. Prep; School Bell Staff 2; Honor Society 2,3,4; Band 1,2; Choir 1,2,3,4; Librarians 1,4



**Howard P. Rosebaum**

Industrial; Hi-Y 3,4; Choir 4; Projectors' Club 4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2



**Susan Gay Ruhnnow**

Business; Honor Society 2; Tomahawk Staff 3,4; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Junior Class Play 3; Pep Club 3; Booster Club 4

**Donna Jean Smith**

Home Ec.; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 3,4; Choir 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3; Booster Club 4

**Elouise Tanner**

Business; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 4; Choir 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3; Booster Club 4

**Beverly Sue Thomas**

Business; Sunshine 2,3,4; School Bell Staff 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2





**Charles Warran**

General; Hi-Y 4; Science Club 3,4;  
Pep Club 2



**Barbara Ellen Williams**

Business; Knox High School 1,2,3, Knox,  
Indiana



**Marilee Kay Zechiel**

Business; Honor Society 2; Sunshine  
2,3,4; Choir 1,3,4

No. 1, Tom Boswell; 2, Sue Ruhnow; 3, Chuck Reed; 4, Carol Heiser; 5, Jane Ann Thomas; 6, Donna Smith; 7, Jim Carter.





No. 8, Martha Lowry; 9, Bob Dickson; 10, Don Miller; 11, Janet Logan; 12, Mary Jane Guise; 13, Chris Hand; 14, Melissa Fisher; 15, Pat Wesson; 16, Elouise Tanner; 17, Bernice Mevis; 18, Rodney Edgington; 19, Shirley Crow; 20, Janet Martin; 21, Linda Kose; 22, Margo Overmyer; 23, Bev. Thomas; 24, Glenda Dawson; 25, Marilee Zechiel; 26, Sandy Osborn; 27, Mike Overmyer; 28, Lana Berger.

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toward none

# JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Larry Miller  
President

A ladies' man.

Carol Overmyer  
Vice President

"Be good and you'll be happy,  
but you'll miss a lot of fun."



Tho' modesty is a virtue, bashfulness is a vice.



Janice Neidlinger  
Secretary

"A penny for your thoughts."

Sherrill Edgington  
Treasurer

She's got the ole C.H.S. pep and  
glow.



# JUNIOR CLASS



Brenda Baker—Starry eyed.



Mike Cihak—Major in study halls.



Jane Baker—Qute and quiet.



Bill Cook—Hot roddin' to Aubbee.



Gloria Bean—Not bean (s), diamonds.



Paul Cromley—A farmer at heart.



Linda Behmer—"Hail, Purdue"



Cheryl Dillon—Miss Congeniality.



Elia Briones—Quiet, but that doesn't mean everything.



Carolee Easterday—"A-h-h-h, MEN!!"



Tom Easterday—Handy man.



Bonnie Good—Bronco buster.



Rick Ervin—"Don't P-P-P-Push me."



Carmen Gretter—She can always pass a joke and take one, too.



Julia Eskridge—"Plymouth, here I come!"



Barb Hatten—Keep smiling!



Mike Geiger—What's on YOUR mind??



Sheryl Hohman—Live wire.



Scott Geiselman—The subject covers a lot of territory.



Frank Keiser—"I live dangerously!"



Judy Kimmel—Greek goddess.



Charlene Lucas—She plays a sweet mellow sax.



Pat Kline—She may be the youngest, but . . .



Vicki Lutz—Call her "giggles".



Nick Knoerzer—No, that isn't his locker but that's where he spends most of his time.



Richard McCracken—Big daddy.



Betty Lawrance—Oh, those big blue eyes!



Marjorie McGaffey—My little Margie.



Wade Logan—Happi timer



Jerry Nelson—Mr. Teen of '63



George Ogden—"I'm a good little boy."

Martin Ruhnow—"Home sweet home.—When everything else is closed."



Thad Overmyer—His only books are women's looks.

Dennis Shock—The strong, silent type.



Bonnie Parker—Twinkling star.

Mike Wallen—"Oh, it bores me to death."



Ronald Porter—Big, Tiny, Little Junior.

Tim Wharton—Last, but not least.



Barbara Rosebaum—The clown.

# SOPHOMORES



Let us have faith that right makes  
might; and in that faith let us to the end  
dare to do our duty as we understand it.



Gloria Baker



Carole Barton



Beverly Barshes



Janet Beck



Diane Boots

## SOPHOMORE CLASS



Bob Carter



Shari Croy



Rex Crump



Ned Davis



David DeWitt



Betty Everett



David Frain



Susie Gardner



Jerry Gross



Janet Heiser



Carol Herr



James Hopple



Jerry Huffer



Frank Ikirt



Jim Jones



Larry Linhart



Sam Lowry



Vicki Lyons



Martha McAllister



Karen McDonald



Sharon McDonald



Sharon McGaffey



Ed Matson



Sharon Norris



Lucy Osborn



Kay Overmyer



Pamela Phelps



Betty Ricciardi



Leonard Richards



Bonnie Saft



Tom Schmidt



Jan Scruggs



Nora Sheppard



Linda Shock



Mary Ann Shock



Charles Snyder



Diana Tanner



Jan Wagner



Ann Wagner



Dawn Walter



Richard Warner



Dan Weaver



Marsha Wentz



James Wescott



Paul White



Bob White



Greg Yapp



Anita Yeazel



Tom Yocom



## THE SOPHOMORE OFFICERS

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Becky Easterday — Secretary, Betty Zeig — Treasurer.



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Lorrie Sands — Treasurer, Jim Lewis — Vice President.

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"THE THINGS I WANT TO KNOW ARE IN BOOKS ; MY  
BEST FRIEND IS THE MAN WHO'LL GET ME A BOOK IAIN'T READ."

# THE NINTH GRADE



Jeanne Adams



Robert Albert



Arl Altman



Russell Anderson



John Behmer



Stephen Bocock



Jim Boswell



Janet Branaman



Cathy Carrothers



Sue Cole



Carolyn Covington



Janet Crow



Pamela Crozier



Lonnie Darosi



Greg Dawson



Barbara DeMarco



Jim DeWitt



Joan Dillon



Kathy Easterday



Sheila Fish



Larry Fisher



Roseann Garbos



Valerie Gunder



Robert Hardy



Greg Harmon



Hugh Hartz



Debbie Henderson



Peggy Herr



Michael Holland



Jane Ives



Cindy Kemple



Dick Knoerzer



Doug Kosterman



David Lemar



Jim Lewis



Terry Lewis



Paul Liette



Doug Lindvall



Betty McFarland



Dick Mackey



Marcella Manns



Virginia Mundinger



Linda Nelson



Eva Norris



Hershel Odle



Patty Ogden



Gloria Osborn



Barb Overmyer



Judy Price



Donna Rogers



Janet Rosebaum



Paul Saft



Lorrie Sands



Don Shepherd



Vera Smith



Carolyn Snyder



Susannah Spencer



Beth Sperry



Darlene Taylor



Kay Thomas



Debbie Torok



Steve Ulery



Gale VanderMeade



Jon Van Horn



Gary Wallen



Diana Walter



Wanda Warran



Jim Weirick



Dennis Westcott



Larry White



Rose Wieringa



George Wright



Sharon Wright



Layne Zechiel



Carole Anderson



George Babchuck



Ronald Babcock



Larry Banks



Barbara Bean



Richard Bean



Loretta Berger



Larry Boetsma



Manuel Briones



Pamela Carter



Jack Crump



Diane Davis



Karen DeWitt



James Easterday



Becky Easterday



Pamela Fish



Sheryl Fisher



Julia Funk



Richard Gimble



Marsha Guise



Steve Guise



Danny Haenes



Mike Hansen



Sheryl Harmon



Nick Hartz



Joan Heiser



Susan Helber



Charles Humes



John Kerrigan



Elizabeth King



Larry Kolar



Mark Kosterman



Cynthia Lemar



Bruce Lindvall



Andy Lowry



Mark Lowry



Richard Lutz



Alan Mahler



Janet Manchester



Brenda Martin



Mary Matson



Lawrence Maxson



Carol Mevis



Joan Mevis



Mike McCan



Don McCarty



Bob McFarland



Barb Mikesell



Pat Miller



Wayne Neidlinger



Lois Newcomb



Mary Norris



Tom Osborn



Greg Osborn



Janet Parker



Mary Paul



Sue Personette



Dennis Pollock



Terry Porter



Russ Prosser



Lucinda Ricciard



Cindy Ruhnow



Bonnie Salyer



Beverly Schilling



Frank Sheppard



Andrea Siple



Dean Smith



Linda Stevens



Carolyn Tanner



Judy Thews



Holly Thompson



Janice VanderMeade



Randy Wakefield



Kent Wallstead



Frances Warner



Sharon Norris



Larry Washburn



Sharyl Welsh



Elizabeth Zieg

# SEVENTH GRADE



Howard Albert



Lynn Andrews



Linda Baker



Steve Bair



Betty Bickel



Joy Binion



Tom Bocock



Elvira Briones



Marshall Brown



Gary Burkett



David Crabb



Robert Crow



Donna Dawson



Claudia DePoy



Linda Dinsmore



Lela Donnelly



George Dugan



Elaine Epley



Marsha Estey



Tina Ferrier



Janice Garbos



Eley Graham



Evelyn Hall



Lon Hatfield



Paul Hatten



Marilee Herrmann



Peggy Holland



Patsy Huffer



Elaine Kaiser



David Kelly



Delores Kolar



Mike Krieg



Juanita Mangun



Martha Mangun



Patty McCombs



Edward Miller



Tony Mars



Fletcher Mattox



Steve May



Brenda McAllister



Linda McAllister



John Milner



Laura Miracle



Marlene Morrison



Diana Nelson



Joyce Odle



Kent Overmyer



Patty Overmyer



Suzanne Overmyer



Albert Pare



Marcia Paul



Barb Riester



Carolyn Saft



Jeanette Salyer



Phillip Scruggs



Bob Shirrell



Vicky Smith



Tina Teach



Roy Thomas



Penny Wakefield



Cheryl Walter



Cathy Welsh



Pat Wentzel

Not pictured: Mike Holloway, Phillip Kamin, Edward Geiselman



Ed Wieringa



Roberta Yeazel



Cheryl Zink





SECRETARY OF THE HIGH SCHOOL OFFICE: Mrs. Ruth Warner.

Mr. Kaiser shows Carol Heiser from Secretarial Practice how to make out the cafeteria slip. The girls in Secretarial Prac-

tice take turns getting experience in an office by working in the Elementary office.



# ATHLETICS



# CROSS-COUNTRY

The 1961-62 Cross-country season was a rebuilding year after the loss of Phil Greter, Gary Dillon, Sam Medbourn, Corky Walters, and George Baker.

Coach Jim Cox found the boys that were willing to run and through their determined efforts, the squad had a winning record of 11-10. Culver placed third in the Marshall County meet. George Wright, a Freshman, was Culver's number one man, followed closely by Don Miller.

The major letter winners of this year's squad included George Wright, Don Miller, Tom Yocom, Frank Keiser, Dennis Shock, Wade Logan, Thad Overmyer, and Doug Lindvall. Those boys receiving minor letters were Bob White, Mike Cihak, Chuck Reed, and Jim Westcott. Freshmen numerals were received by Arl Altman, John Behmer, Layne Zechiel, and Steve Ulery.

## BASKETBALL

The 1961-62 basketball season was a rough one for Culver High School. This young team encountered many difficulties, but overcame most of them during the season.

Coach Gene Crosley, in his first year at Culver High, centered his team around a nucleus of returning regulars: John Benedict, Tom Boswell, and Jim Carter. The starting unit was rounded out with Rick Ervin and Paul White.

Culver traveled to Aubbeenaubbee for the first game and found Aubbee a little tough to handle. Culver lost 60 to 54. White was the big gun for Culver scoring 19 points.

Then Culver visited North Miami and was ahead most all the way, but was beaten 55 to 52 in the last two minutes of play. Benedict tallied 22 points for Culver.

Culver then traveled to Tyner and the Indians were beaten in a close contest 65 to 59. Boswell made 22 points to lead the Culver attack. Benedict had to leave in the first half with a bad knee injury.

Culver played host to Richland Center and was beaten in a very close game 59 to 58. Benedict had recovered from his knee injury and scored 20 points.

Visiting North Judson bombed the Indians with a 79 to 45 victory. White was high point man with 11.

The following week the Indians traveled to Knox and were turned back with a 42 to 32 defeat. Culver was led by Carter's 11 points.

The following night the Bourbon Comets went into orbit with a 59 to 42 victory over the Indians. This was a sad night, for Benedict injured his knee again, and it was found that he had played his last game for Culver.

Rochester visited Culver and went home with a 70 to 62 victory. Carter and Boswell hit 18 and 17 points respectively to take scoring honors.

Culver then traveled to meet a tough Walkerton team, but came back with a sparkling 54 to 46 victory, the first of the year. Carter paced the Culver attack with 22 points.

After a three-week layoff over Christmas vacation, the Indians played host to Bremen and went down with a 67 to 57 defeat. Carter was high again with 16 points.

Culver, an under-dog in the Marshall County Tourney, played West High the first game and bombed the Bulldogs with a 72 to 53 triumph. Carter scorched the nets with 28 points. In the semi-finals Culver played Bremen, but was defeated again by the Lions with a score of 51 to 38. Boswell, playing a good game, hit 20 points.

Culver then played LaPaz at Plymouth and won their third contest of the year by a score of 48 to 46. Boswell was high with 18 markers.

The following week Culver traveled to arch-rival Argos. The Indians were beaten in the last two minutes by a score of 54 to 49. Boswell took scoring honors with 13 and Carter was close behind with 12.

Culver was bombed the next night by a hot-shooting team from Mentone with a score of 90 to 69. Carter scored 21 points.

Nappanee was the next on the schedule but proved too tough for the Indians and scored 78 to Culver's 45. Lowry and Carter hit 12 and 11 points respectively.

Culver played host to Plymouth the following night and was beaten 72 to 55. Boswell's 23 points was high for the night.

New Paris visited the Indians and both played a good game, but the Cubs won 71 to 60. Carter, White, and Boswell hit 16, 13, and 12 points in that order to lead the Culver attack.

The following week Culver played rugged Winamac. Winamac exploded with a 91 to 60 victory. The three seniors played their last home game that night with Boswell scoring 21, Carter 19, and Herr 8 points.

That week Culver traveled to Bremen to play Lakeville and the Indians were defeated 64 to 53. Carter, White, and Boswell were high with 14, 12, 11 points.

Culver drew Bourbon in the Plymouth Sectional in a bye round game. Culver played a terrific game that night, but was denied the victory and fell to the Comets with a 73 to 63 defeat. Boswell led all scorers with 26 points.

Jim Carter led the team in scoring this year, racking up 275 points in 21 games. Tom Boswell was close behind with 272 points. Paul White and Sam Lowry, both Sophomores, scored 167 and 119 points respectively. John Benedict, who played only 7 games, scored 85 points.

The B-Team compiled a 4-14 record, but lost most of the games in close contests. Hopes for the future look good, as the varsity will lose only three players. The Freshman team won all of their tough games this year.



Freshmen Basketball: Row One: Larry Fisher, Greg Harmon, John Van Horn, Gale Vandermeade, George Wright, Arl Altman, Row Two: Jim Lewis, Paul Liette, Dave Lemar, Jim Weirick, Jim Boswell, Layne Zechiel. Absent: Doug Lindvall.



COACHES COX & CROSLY



STUDENT MANAGERS

RON PORTER, LAYNE ZECHIEL, AND  
DAVID FRAIN



GEORGE



TOM



JIM



JOHN



**BASEBALL:** Left to Right Row One: Bob Carter, Jim Lewis, Jim Boswell, Paul Liette, Row Two: Coach Crosley, Dave Le-

mar, Rick Ervin, Jim Carter, Paul White, Larry Linhart, Row Three: Sam Lowry, Tom Boswell, Jim Weirick, George Herr.

**CROSS COUNTRY:** Row One: Layne Zechiel, Edward Matson, Arl Altman, Steve Ulery, John Behmer, Doug Lindvall, Wade Logan, George Wright, Don Miller, Row Two: Dave Frain,

Manager, Tom Yocom, Dennis Shock, Chuck Reed, Frank Keiser, Jerry Nelson, Thad Overmyer, Mike Cihak, Jim Westcott, Bob White, Coach Cox.



# OUR YELL LEADERS



VARSITY: Sherrill Edgington, Beverly Thomas, Sheryl Hohman, Cheryl Dillon



B-TEAM—Row One: Martha McAllister, Lorrie Sands. Row Two: Carmen Gretter, Lonnie Darocsi, Lucy Osborn. Row Three: Minor-Team Yell Leaders: Cheryl Zink, Diane Davis,

Wanda Warren, Kathy Easterday, Valerie Gunder, Sheryl Fisher, Joyce Odle

# M U S I C

## Old Abe Linkern

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Long,  
Long time ago





**Row One:** Carolyn Snyder, Patty Ogden, Sue Cole, Jeanne Adams. **Row Two:** Sharon Norris, Martha Lowry, Dennis Shock, Patty Lutz, Carol Heiser, Lorrie Sands, Linda Kose. **Row Three:** Sheryl Hohman, Sandra Osborn, Jane Thomas, Martha McAllister, Dick Mackey, Janet Beck, Beverly Barshes, Carol

Overmyer, Eva Norris. **Row Four:** Larry Miller, Barbara Hatten, Bonnie Parker, Beverly Thomas, Debbie Henderson, Carole Barton, Mr. Hambrock, Sherrill Edgington, Valerie Gunder, Kathy Easterday, Paul Saft, Carolee Easterday

## TWIRLERS

**TWIRLERS:** Bonnie Parker, Debbie Henderson, Beverly Barshes, Martha McAllister, Janice Neidlinger



# SCHOOL BAND



**Row One:** Mary Jane Guise, Lana Berger, Janet Logan. **Row Two:** Jane Ives, Anna Lutz, Pat Kline, Kay Thomas, Nick Knoerzer, Charlene Lucas. **Row Three:** Christine Hand, Tom Curtis, Larry Fisher, Jim Boswell, Mike Overmyer, Larry Lin-

hart, Wade Logan, Dennis Westcott, Doug Kosterman, Janice Neidlinger, Paul White. **Row Four:** Pete Ott, Greg Yapp, Scott Geiselman, Ned Davis, David Frain, John Behmer, Tom Easterday, Ann Wagner, Sam Lowry, Margo Overmyer

## JUNIOR BAND

**JUNIOR BAND—Left to right, Row One:** Judy Thews, Sharyl Welsh, Linda McAllister, Julia Funk, Andrea Siple, Diane Davis. **Row Two:** Becky Easterday, Lynn Andrews, Laura Miracle, Tina Teach, Pam Fish, Loretta Berger, Cindy Lemar, Ron Babcock, Steve May, Marshall Brown, Mary Norris, Mark Kosterman. **Row Three:** Patty Overmyer, Brenda McAllister,

Joyce Odle, Linda Stevens, Sheryl Fisher, Larry Banks, Jim Easterday, Tom Bocock, Bruce Lindvall, David Kelly, John Kerrigan, Fletcher Mattox, Andy Lowry, Cheryl Zink, Janet Manchester. **Row Four:** Mr. Hambrock, Lois Newcomb, Steve Guise, Mike Hansen, Bob Shirrell





**CHOIR:** Row One: Kathy Clyne, Pat Hicks, Susan Ruhnow, Sandra Osborn, Shirley Crow, Lorrie Sands, Kay Thomas, Wanda Warren, Carolee Easterday, Margo Overmyer, Charles Snyder, Tom Yocum, Ron Leffert, Don Miller, Ned Davis, Bernice Mevis, Betty Lawrence, Gloria Baker, Diana Boots, Linda Shock, Elouise Tanner, Carole Barton, Anita Yeazel. Row Two: Carmen Gretter, Marsha Wentz, Eva Norris, Sharon Wright, Pam Crozier, Betty McFarland, Brenda Baker, Marjorie McGaffey, Bob Parker, Rex Crump, Steve Ulrey, Larry Linhart, Dave Frain, Joe Rosebaum, Terry Lewis, Pat Lutz, Glenda Dawson, Beverly Barshes, Lucy Osborn, Janet Branaman, Cathy Carrothers, Donna Smith, Bonnie Saft. Row Three: Janet Beck, Jan Wagoner, Mary Ann Shock, Kay Overmyer, Vicki Lyons, Janet Crow, Janet Rosebaum, Paul White, Jim Carter, Tom Curtis, Chuck Reed, Linda Behmer, Linda

Kose, Susannah Spencer, Judy Kimmel, Pat Kline, Sharon McGaffey, Martha McAllister, Sherry Croy. Row Four: Nora Sheppard, Ann Wagoner, Barb Rosebaum, Vicki Lutz, Jane Baker, Sandy Boetsma, Chris Hand, Sharon Norris, Jan Scruggs, Janet Logan, Pat Wesson, Marizetta Robinson, Greg Dawson, Barbara Overmyer, Vera Smith, Darlene Taylor, Mary Guise, Valerie Gunder, Sue Cole, Debra Henderson. Row Five: Lana Berger, Nancy Franz, Pat Ogden, Linda Nelson, Kathy Easterday, Carolyn Snyder, Bob Carter, John Behmer, Greg Yapp, Scott Geiselman, Tom Schmidt, Mike Overmyer, Larry Miller, Nick Knoerzer, Marilee Zechiel, Anna Lutz, Pam Phelps, Sue Gardner, Carol Overmyer, Carol Heiser, Martha Lowry, Bonnie Good, Barbara Hatten.



**SENIOR BAND SWEATER WINNERS:** Seated at the piano, Lana Berger. Row One: Anna Lutz, Jane Ann Thomas, Beverly Thomas, Pat Lutz, Sandy Osborn, Christine Hand, Janet Logan, Linda Kose, Margo Overmyer, Tom Curtis, Mr. Hambrook, director. Row Two: Pete Ott, Mary Jane Guise, Carol Heiser, Martha Lowry, Mike Overmyer.

**PEP BAND:** Row One: Paul Saft, Dennis Shock, Larry Miller, Nick Knoerzer, Tom Easterday. Row Two: Pete Ott, Mike Overmyer, Larry Linhart, Tom Curtis.



# MUSIC

This year under the guidance of a new director, Richard Hambrock, the Culver High School Music Department entered into many rewarding experiences. Of the first major activities, the members of the choir and band eagerly prepared themselves for their Christmas Concert which was held in the gym on December 3. The members of the participating groups and the audience were thrilled and inspired by the hard work involved in presenting the program. During the concert, the eligible seniors in the band received their sweaters which they wore throughout the rest of the year.

Because of Mrs. Rusts' illness, the elementary program was cancelled.

Having diligently prepared for contest, the students entered in vocal and piano groups and journeyed to Mishawaka where they received many first place medals for their efforts. Again they rehearsed. This time it was for the instrumental contest which was again held at Plymouth. The happy first place winners of this contest returned home to prepare with the first place winners of vocal and ensemble contest for the most important event of the year: State Contest at Indianapolis. Altogether, there were thirty contestants entered from Culver and the group returned home with a fewer number of first place winners but just as pleased with the results.

On March 18, the Music Department gave its annual Winter Concert in the gymnasium. Minus the Seniors, the band and choir participated in the County Music Festival at Argos on April 27. On May 19, The Music Department entertained the student body with a convocation semi-climaxing the end of the year. The various music groups bid the Seniors "au revoir" by presenting the music for the Baccalaureate and Commencement exercises.

Throughout the school year, the student body from grades 9-12 were guests at Culver Military Academy, for musical concerts. We would like to take this opportunity to thank those responsible for this entertainment.

As the school year comes to a close we would also like to thank Mr. Hambrock for his efforts to educate us in the field of music. Without his expert guidance and understanding we would never have been so richly rewarded.

Carl Sandburg, in his prize winning presentation of the life of Abraham Lincoln, tells us, His mind was his workshop; he needed no office, no pen, ink and paper; he could perform his chief labor by self-introspection. For his important business matters he had an envelope marked, "When you can't find it anywhere else, look in this." In somewhat the same way we have gathered together this activity section of **The Tomahawk**. Certainly, in our introspection, everything that couldn't find a place elsewhere is here. True it is that it doesn't include quiltings, shucking-bees and camp-meetings, although there are some characters shown who look as though they might know these things. However, there does appear some part of a hoe-down—the Junior Prom. And we found no evidence of water-melon stealing (although we wouldn't say it didn't happen).

# ACTIVITY TIES!

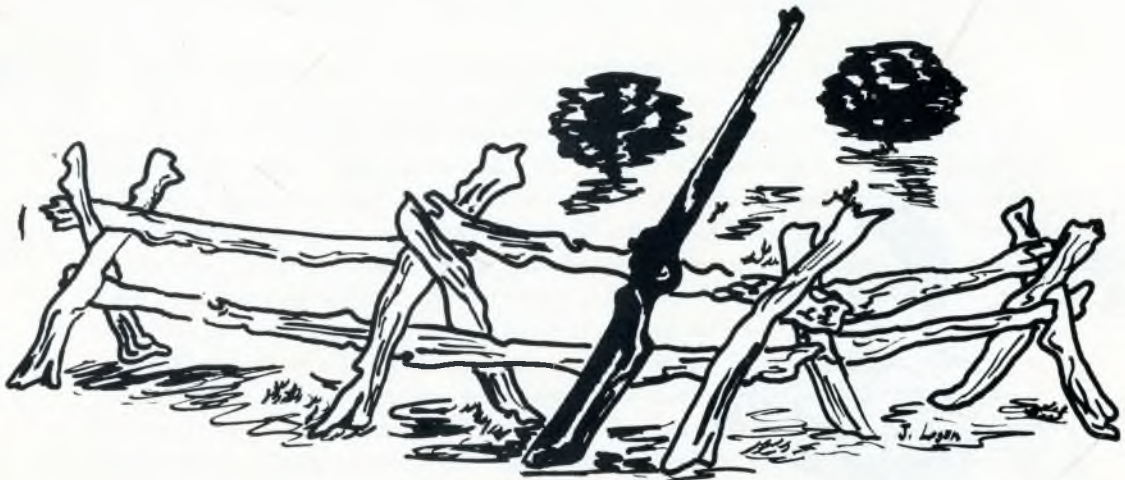


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# SCENES OF THE DAY



"And if you put this chemical with this . . . chemical?"



"And how is a bill passed in Congress? . . . Mike?! . . . Don?! . . . George?!" Only Mr. Lawson knows.



Under the watchful eyes of Mr. Graham Judy reads on . . . and on . . . and on . . . and on



It's all French to me.



Ready, get set . . . write. Right, Mr. Stettbacher?



Now who can tell me what "capital" means?

# SIXTH GRADE



**SIXTH GRADE—Row One, left to right:** Laura Yeazel, Jean Gross, Cortland Overmyer, Michael Wynn, Jack Lucas, Rex Scrimsher, Randal Singleton, Leon Sims, Douglas Miller, Gregg Anderson, James Mattox, Dale Pennington, Katherine DeWitt, Nancy Reynolds, Jerry Day, Dennis DeMarco, Virginia Shidler, Mrs. Shelton Kaiser, substitute. **Row Two:** Jayne Bray, Teri Cromley, Brian Lindvall, Stuart Lowry, Valerie Carter, Karen Kresk, David King, Terry Gentry, Edward Ricciardi, Ricky Burns, Chris Kiefer, Philip Edgington, Linda Fisher, Bonnie Robinette, Charles Gollnick, George Hodges, Donald Gardner, Mrs. Dorothy Manis. **Row Three:** Joan Kosterman, Sue Ann Riester, Karen Ruhnow, Raymond Munding, Ray Shepard, Robert

Schilling, Donna Grover, Patsy Behnke, Lyn Mackey, Andrew Hodgkin, Sandra Singleton, Laurel Prosser, Barbara Wescott, Vicki Helber, Debra Walter, LaDonna Darosci, Terry Beck, Alan Banks, Terry Bennet, Greg Easterday. **Row Four:** Linda Hudson, Theresa Kiefer, Rita Lutz, Steve Booker, Susan Thews, Carin Manchester, Patty Carter, Vickey McKinney, Susan Donnelly, Gary Davis, Linda Broeker, Gary Herr, John Cook, Linda Rineholt, Kenneth Tasch, Ruth Benner, Martha Weaver, Christine Stevens, Kathleen Liette, Jim Taber, Tim Frain, Mr. David Smith. **Absent:** E. Bickel, G. DeTroy, K. Rossow, Mr. James Moore, teacher.



**James Moore**

Rochester High School; New Mexico Western, B.S.; Arithmetic; Social Studies



**Dorothy Manis**

Center High School; Manchester College, B.S.; Language Arts



**David W. Smith**

American School of Rio de Janeiro; University of Pennsylvania, B.A.; Science; Health; Spelling; Writing.

# FIFTH GRADE



**FIFTH GRADE—Row One, left to right:** Michael Baker, Steve Overmyer, Steven McCombs, Janet Zechiel, Peggy Shei, Vicki Morrison, Steve Snyder, Mary Anne Warran, Thomas Overmyer, Brian Shidler, Wayne Cook, Terry Reynolds, Nancy Porter, Peggy Bertucci, Jerry Schrimsher, Richard Snyder, Mr. Shirrell. **Row Two:** Dale Crabb, Leon Bennett, Kerry Haenes, Jeffrey Adams, Beverly Paul, Pamela Horon, Janet Helber, Greg Thomas, Stephen Ringer, Peggy Huffer, Ron Zenk, Carl Strang, Billy Liette, Ricky Hartle, Vaughn Kepler, Eddie Behnke, Steve Thompson, Tom Thomas, Mrs. Robinson, substitute. **Row Three:** Russ Teach, Deborah Triplett, Cleo Napier, Marilyn Vandermeade, John Garbas, Bonita Albert, Philip White, David Curtis, Tom Osborn, Steve Kelly, Terry Powers, John

Krieg, Robie Holl, Phillip DePloy, Dainie McCarty, Phyllis Kelly, Karen Banks, Peter Mars, Scott Petersen, Mrs. Little. **Row Four:** Steven Parker, Sally Ricciardi, Marilyn Wolverton, James Shepherd, Mark Matson, Vicki Clifton, Perry Smith, George Tanner, Sharon Thomas, Curt Hatfield, Georganna Andrews, Norma Davis, David Anderson, David Beauchamp, Mary Jurgensen, Lee Eskridge, Martin Easterday. **Row Five:** Debbie Keene, Mary Beth Ives, Kathy Tasch, Pamela Welsh, Carol Schilling, Linda Miller, Linda Shirrell, Stephanie Mohr, Sara Hoesel, Randolph, Burkett, Steve Crumb, Doug Hartz, Jim Miracle, Jose Briones, Carl Thomas, Greg Everett, Edward Sehman, Danny Spencer, Tarry Humes



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James Ford Rhodes School; Wittenberg University, B.S.



**Mr. Larry Weaver**  
Shipshewana-Scott High School; Taylor University, B.S.



**Mr. Carl Shirrell**  
Greensburg High School; Western Kentucky State College, B.S.

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Borg. **Row Three:** James Pellegrini, Mary Ann Lewis, Judy McKee, Kenneth Matzat, Paula Haenes, Linda Snapp, Dianne Myers, Virginia Thews, Jan Price, Nancy Overmyer, Carolee Zehner, Steve Osborn, Harold Anderson, Denise Holl, Bonnie Day, Cynthia Carter, Margaret Ruhnow, Kathleen Listenberger. **Row Four:** Shirley Humes, Richard Hoesel, Perry White, Billy Napier, David Campbell, Jerry Lemar, Stephen Cole, Earle Williams, William Wieranga, Betty Cihak, Rose Marie Triplet, Craig Gunder, Ross Fritz, David Hoesel, Cathy Mitzell, John Benner, Dennis Woolington, Robert Bolton, Barbara Cole



**MARY E. HENNING**  
Kewanna High School; Taylor University, B.S.; Fourth Grade



**ALICE KELLER**  
Monticello High School; Manchester College, B.S.; Fourth Grade



**MARY FRANCIS MAHAN**  
St. Joseph's Academy; Ball State Teachers College, M.S.; Fourth Grade

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**FLORENCE PAGE**  
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**CORINE SHIRRELL**  
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Ehr, Nancy Nicodemus, Linda Lee McKee, John Gunder, Syl-  
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Lindon Curtis. **Row Two:** Wesley Gentry, Richard Sytsma,  
Debra Sue Baker, Kathy Hoesel, Karen Dollahan, Dawn Sperry,  
Teena Anderson, Danny Dean Gross, David Riechley, Paul Ben-  
nett, Gary Buttler, Cindy McKee, Jimmy Ricks, Preston Gen-  
try, Michael Bickel, Pamela Milner, Vivian Napier, Steve Car-  
ter. **Row Three:** Kathy La Re, Bill Miller, Bobby Babcock. San-

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Jane McFarland, Nancy Blessing, Rene Frity, Joleen Knep-  
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Julie Thomas, Thomas Hodgkins, Norman Burkett, Bryce Hinkle,  
Joseanne McClure, Paula Bush, Todd Matson, Judy Nelson,  
Mike McFarland, Sue Krsek, Janice Eikenberry, Bobby Taber,  
Mark Weaver, Ava Gay McCarty, Elizabeth Bigley, Terry  
Sharp, Barbara Crow, Nina Ruiz, Anne Pare, Brian Crosley,  
Denise Artist, Evan Lowry.



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**RUTH BARTON**

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**JULIE CRIFE**

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lege, B. A.; First Grade.



**LULA MILTON**

Wayne Township High School; Ball  
State Teachers College, B. S.; Kin-  
dergarten.



Miss Freeman's Art class seems to be entranced with their weaving! Even the boys seem to enjoy it.



Do you suppose Mrs. Manis' sixth grade could let us in on the joke? Then we could laugh too!



Mrs. Melton's Kindergarten starts the day off right by repeating the Pledge of Allegiance.

# KINDERGARTEN



**MORNING KINDERGARTEN**—Row One, left to right: Daniel Medrano, Melanie Washburn, Pamela Martin, Dennis Martin, Joyce Thomas, Donald Crabb, Dennis Bush, Denise McKee, Glen Scrimsher, Paul Sherwood. Row Two: Jeffrey Ikirt, Rodney Crosley, Fairlie Firari, Mark Kepler, Christeen DeTroy, Douglas Beaver, Robert Yeazel, Kevin Overmyer, Kenneth

Hartle, Karen Parson. Row Three: Anna Marie LeMar, Michael Busart, Jon Michael Reeves, Robin Fitterling, Angela Warner, Coleen Hallinan, Andy Ervin, Mark Voreis, Michael Jones, Jerry Tanner. Not Pictured: Peter Cleveland, Robert Craft, Randy Overmyer, Wendy Walker, Rusty Dinsmore.

**AFTERNOON KINDERGARTEN**—Row One, left to right: Keith Burns, Donna Mae Gross, Edward Ruhnaw, Lisa Dinsmore, Laura Morley, Michael Davis, Daniel Medrano, Toni Anderson, Terry Napier, Martin McComb. Row Two: Keith Kowatch, Debra Brown, Brent Lindvall, Sandy Newman, Linda Lake, Marla Quiey, Denise Ruhnaw, Kimberly Hoesel, Lonnie Christopher, William Reister. Row Three: Allen Woolington,

Rebecca Myers, Jeffrey Krieg, Chapman Mitzell, Vicki Baker, Christeena Listenberger, Barbara Thews, Roy Scrimsher, Margaret Massa, Liane Chisholm, Walter Bradley. Not Pictured: Roberta Weaver, Donna Peters, Blain Pennington, Larry Fish, Douglas Cook, Norma Albert.

**Teacher:** Mrs. Lula Melton



We of the staff would like to dedicate the pages of the 1962 **TOMAHAWK** to our sponsor, Mr. William J. Graham. It is because of his keen interest in each of us that we have been willing to spend the many extra hours required to publish a year book. We have taken the liberty to gather some candid shots of Mr. Graham, so that the members of the staff, especially the seniors, will have a lasting memory of this man.



and Mrs. Graham



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We hope **YOU** have enjoyed the 1962 **TOMAHAWK** as much as we have enjoyed bringing it to you.