

JV Cross Country strides to District

The Junior Varsity Cross Country team ran away with first place in District competition. They placed first at the Stratford Meet and fourth at the Dickinson Meet.



The Gators prepare for another race.

"Come on fellows, there's nothing to it," T. L. O'Neal, Darby Magruder, Bertrand McHenry.

SITTING: Allan Glowczwski and Chris Cahill.
STANDING: Peter Dunn, Bertrand McHenry, Steve Ginn, Darby Magruder, and Jim Mitchner.



The Gators spring to a quick start.



Fritz Svahn strides to the finish line.



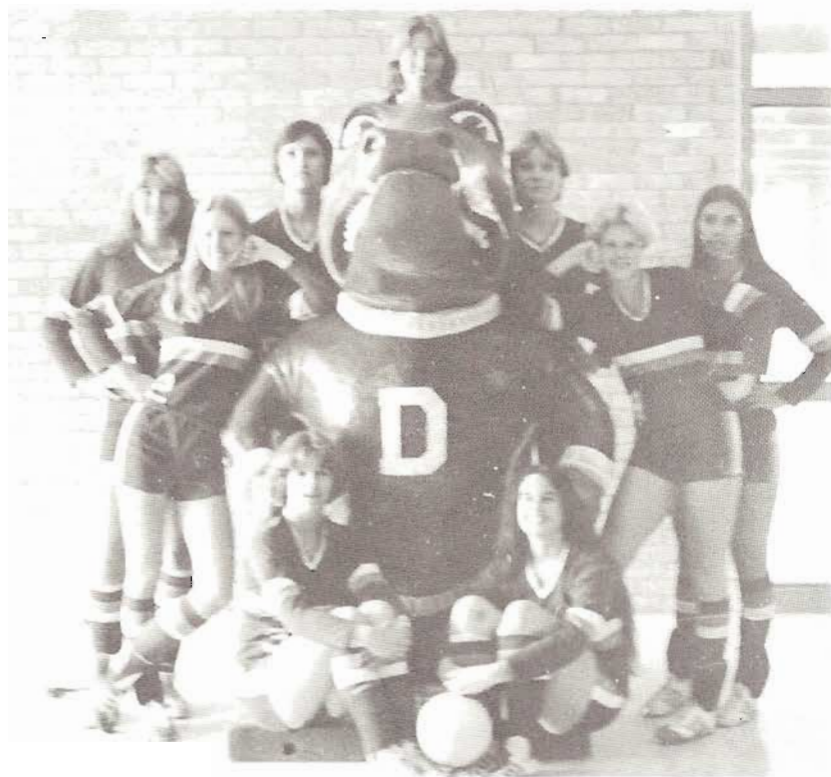
KNEELING: Ken Chandler. **STANDING:** Kelvin McHenry, David Hickman, and Acie Barintine.

Varsity Volleyball is undefeated district champs

The Varsity Volleyball team advanced all the way to Regionals undefeated, where they lost to Kerrville. Five players were selected for the All-Zone teams. Kris Annexstad, Gretchen Schultz, and Diane Stevens were selected for First Team All-Zone. Peggy Curtis and Marianne Stanek got second team All-Zone honors.

"Here it comes Peggy!!!" Nancy Sulak and Peggy Curtis.

Susan Bolton bumps the ball.



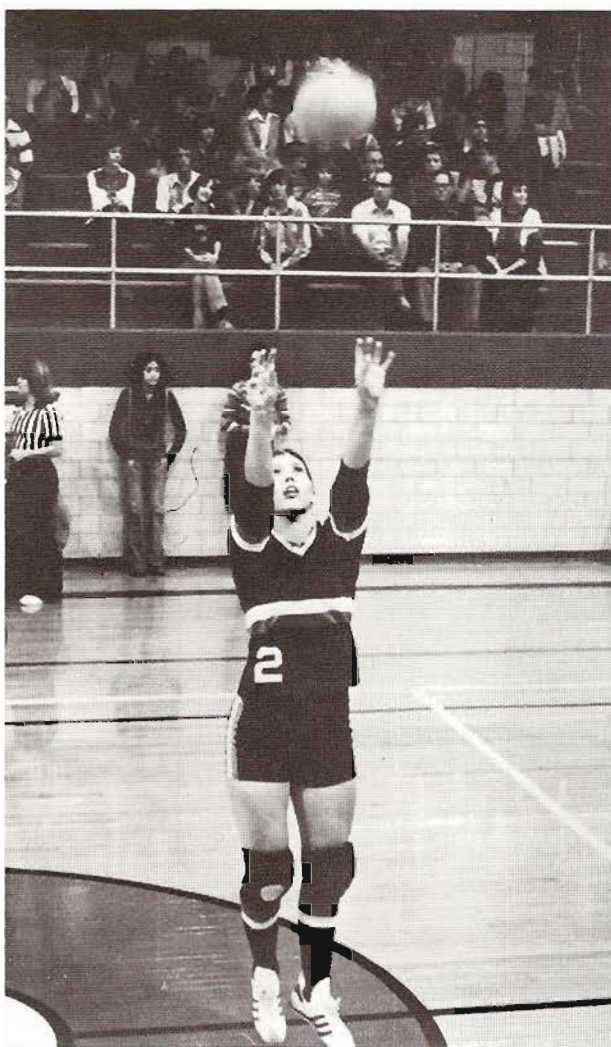
SITTING: Nancy Sulak, Gretchen Schultz. STANDING: Peggy Curtis, Marianne Stanek, Susan Bolton, Kris Annexstad, Barbara Stubee, Diane Stevens, Janet Todora.

Gretchen Schultz does the side-kick at Wharton Junior College during the District playoff game.

Kris Annexstad puckers up for another good serve.

Diane Stevens slams the ball against Edna.

Janet Todora sets up another spike.



Paula LaFleur sets the ball.



Donna Wheeler spikes the ball as Lisa Gregory and Lisa Martin assist.



JV takes third

The Junior Varsity Volleyball team ended their season with a 6-11 record. They placed third in zone with a 3-5 record and numerous close matches lost by only a few points. The team was coached by Miss Sandy Svalberg.



FRONT ROW: Lori Milligan, Duanna Bryson, Paula LaFleur, Barbara Swindel, Catherine Thomas, Carol Taeuber, Lisa Martin. SECOND ROW: Anita

Potter, Barbara Ross, Lisa Gregory, Linda Phillips, Donna Wheeler, Cindy Biggs, Wilma Holmes, Cindy Rankin, Jeannie Louviere.

FRONT ROW: Sandra Bolton, Jill Sulak, Becky Duncan, Nancy VanRamshorst, Sherry Fincher, Kendra Cook, Sharon Thompson. SECOND ROW: Gloria Norman, Anetra Robinson, Heather Brou-

sard, Wendy Wilks, Natalie Ochoa, Liz Robinson. THIRD ROW: Miss Judy Goodman, Laura Martino, Mary Hannigan, Carmen Castillo, Robin Rutt, Gwen Slater.



Robin Rutt bumps the ball for Mary Hannigan to put over the net.



Kendra Cook stoops so Mary Hannigan can put the ball over with the help of Liz Robinson and Sharon Thompson.

Freshman place third in zone

The Freshman Volleyball team placed third in zone with a 2-4 record. The team gained needed experience and demonstrated good sportsmanship throughout the season. They were coached by Miss Judy Goodman.

FRONT ROW: Jerry Jackson, Tyrone Briscoe, Louis Davis, Marvin Bottera, Bobby Richardson. SEC-
OND ROW: Sheridan Pearce, Norman Gilmore,

Donnie Little, Julius Briscoe, Matthew Campbell,
Michael Barnett, Kenneth Travelsted.

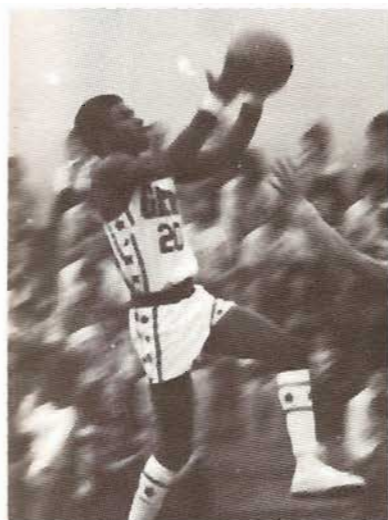


Gators advance to playoffs

The Boy's Varsity Basketball team concluded their season with a 13-14 overall record and a 6-2 Zone record. This put them in a three way tie with Hitchcock and Friendswood for the East Zone title. In the playoffs the team defeated Hitchcock 73-59, but the next night they lost to Friendswood 47-45 in the last second of an overtime game. The Varsity team was coached by Sheridan Pearce.



Michael Barnett shoots for two over the hand of a Friendswood defender.



Tyrone Briscoe goes for the hoop
...

... and lays the ball in for two
points as Bobby Richardson
looks on.

Bobby Richardson fakes a shot
and passes inside to Michael Bar-
nett.



Norman Gilmore shoots for two from the corner in the game they
won against Friendswood.

Varsity racks up honors

This season the Varsity had many personal achievements. Donny Little led in scoring with a total of 331 points, 16.6 points per game. He was followed by Bobby Richardson with 304 points and Michael Barnett with 297 points. Barnett also led in rebounds with 297 and Bobby Richardson with 193. Barnett and Little received first team All-District honors, and Richardson, second team honors. Honorable Mention went to Tyrone Briscoe and Norman Gilmore. In their four year career on the Varsity team, Barnett and Little have scored 992 points and 1195 points respectively.

Bobby Richardson shows off his skill in shooting.



Donnie Little lays up the ball to add two points to his total scoring record.

Michael Barnett gets higher than the defender to shoot the ball.





JV sinks it for 7 wins

The Junior Varsity team, coached by Jerry Harkreader, completed the season with a 7-13 overall record and a 4-4 District record to finish second in Zone. Larry Praylor was the leading scorer with 201 points, and Bobby Wilson led in rebounds.

Walter Jackson jumps high for the tipoff with Friendswood as Ricky Rhone looks on.



KNEELING: Henry Jackson, Ricky Merchant, Larry Praylor, Jeffrey Jones, Steve Todora, and Elbert Rogers. **STANDING:** Coach Harkreader, John Alexander, Charles Barnett, George Mason, Walter Jackson, Bob Wilson, Ricky Rhone, Steve Barber.

Bobby Wilson shoots from the corner.



Sophomore Basketball has 4-10 season

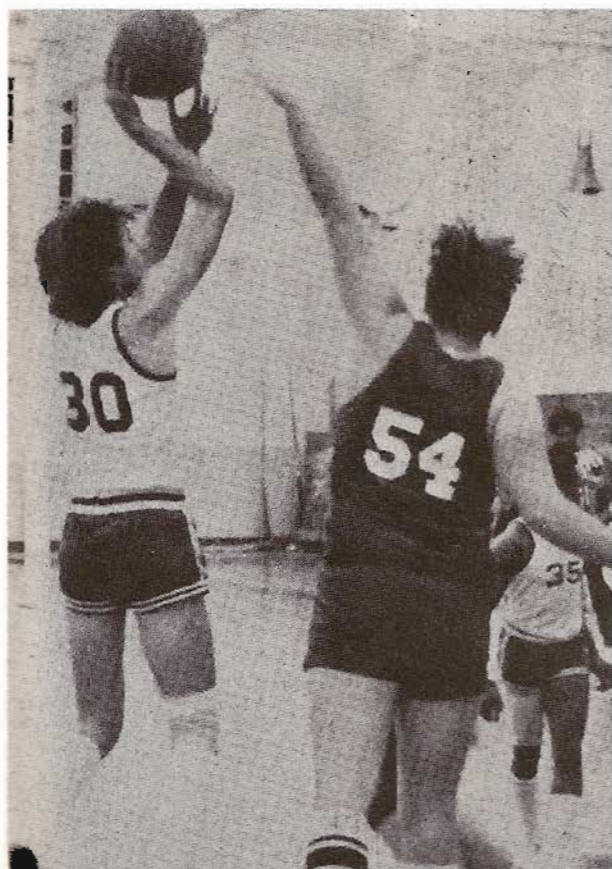
The Sophomore Basketball team was coached by Keno Aleman. Although this team had a 4-10 season they gained useful experience by playing 4-A schools.

Bobby Wilson goes for two points, to help improve his season record.



FRONT ROW: Kenneth Hill, Randy Sanchez, Tommy Davis, Bruce Alexander, Ira Gray. BACK

ROW: Alex Baldwin, B. C. Campbell, Anthony Rawlings, Jeff Turner, Robby Ford.



Freshmen win District

The Freshman Basketball team, coached by Melvin Lars, had an excellent season. They won every game except one by a wide margin. Gary Woodard was high point man with 22.3 a game. Darrell Turner shot for 14.4 a game, and Lannie Little hit 10.0 a game.

Mike Bowen goes for the hoop against Hitchcock.



FRONT ROW: Paul Warren, Jimmy Magnant, Scott Graves, Donald Devault, Victor Holly, Billy Scott, Dennis Cook. SECOND ROW: Coach Melvin Lars,

James Talbert, Darrell Turner, Lannie Little, Gary Woodard, Bennie Henderson, Dwayne Holmes, Darrell Edwards.

Girls are Zone Co-Champs

The Girl's Varsity Basketball team had an outstanding season tying with Friendswood for East Zone Co-Champions. These girls, coached by Bobby Kelly, won all of their zone games, but lost two non-district matches. Outstanding forwards were Yolanda Briscoe, Greta Huling, and Pam Turner. Briscoe scored 291 points in twelve games after she was brought up from the Junior Varsity. Huling scored 266 and Turner scored 267. The better guards were Patti Rost, Stacie Rosello, and Carol Hogan.

Pam Turner shows her style.



FRONT ROW: Mary Beth Gentry, Carol Hogan, Mollie Mitchiner, Stacie Rosello. SECOND ROW: Patti Rost, Yolanda Briscoe, Kelly Sandell, Pam

Turner. LAST ROW: Joy Townsend, Darlene Scott, Greta Huling, Coach Bobby Kelly.



"Hey, that's the wrong way!" Darlene Scott.

"Here it comes!" Carol Hogan.

Greta Huling dribbles around her Hitchcock opponent.



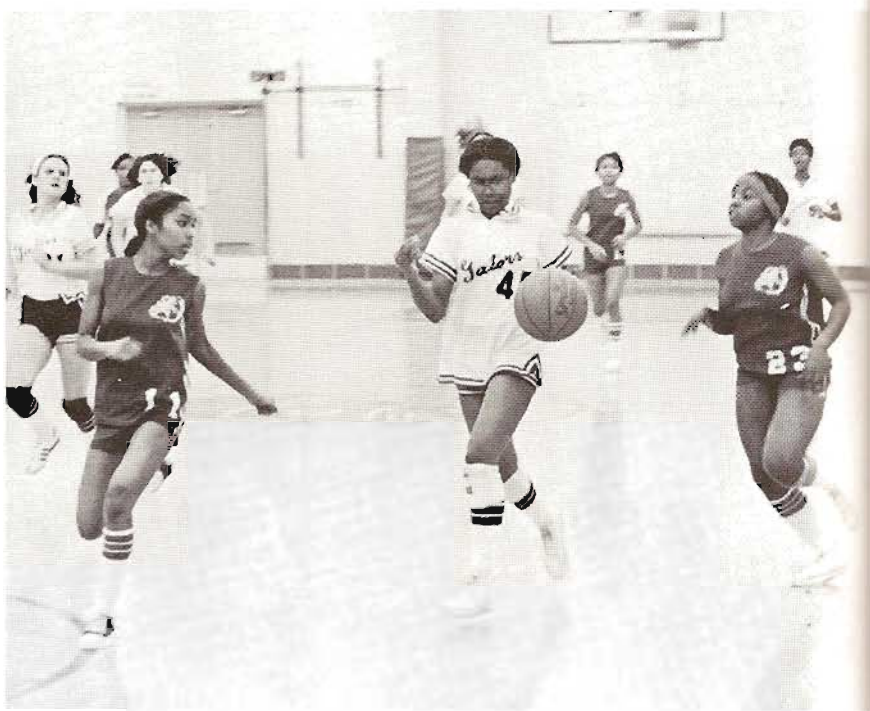
JV has 3-3 season

The Girl's Junior Varsity Basketball team, directed by Coach Barb Tracy, completed their season with a 3-3 District record and 7-8 overall record.

Rhondely Hayes slings the ball up for two in action against Hitchcock.

Bridgett Bookman dribbles through two defenders.

KNEELING: Rondely Hayes, Tracie Bennett, Kathy Dunbaugh, BeBe Lawson, Melanie Stafford, Bridgett Bookman. STANDING: Belinda Compton, Carolyn Newman, Sheila Graham, Carla Whitfield, Mary Ruiz, Savannah Jenkins, Theresa Provost.





The Freshman Girl's Basketball team, coached by Sandy Svalberg, finished their season with a 6-14 overall record and a 2-4 District record to end third in Zone.

Angela Morales attempts to steal the ball.



Kendra Cook dribbles past a Brazosport defender to the goal.

Robin Rutt turns up court after grabbing a rebound.



FRONT ROW: Natalie Ochoa, Sharon Thompson, Angela Morales, and Gail Porter. SECOND ROW: Coach Sandy Svalberg, Laura Martino, Kendra Cook, Robin Rutt, Sharon Hogan, Bobbie Franklin, Anna Alexander, Frances Ginn, and Nancy VanRamshorst.

Boy's Track takes district

The Boy's District Track Meet was held at Sweeny where varsity took first place with a score of 123 points. The list of first place winners were Marty Harcklerode in shotput, Rodney Rau in discus, Donald Morgan in pole vault, Michael Barnett in long jump and the 440-yard dash, Paul Warren in the 100-yard dash and in the 220-yard dash. The team had an endless list of second and third place winners. The people who placed first and qualified for regionals also did well.

Donald Morgan makes his district winning jump.



FRONT ROW: Chester McMillian, Rodney Rau, Julius Briscoe, Donald Morgan, Paul Warren, Dennis David, Steve Mosqueda. SECOND ROW: Norman Gilmore, Kelly Barkman, Dennis Jenkins, Joe Gregory, Mike Mackey, Marty Harcklerode, T. L. O'Neal, Jay Dyes, Ralph Taeuber, Donnie Little, Michael Barnett, Doc Guerra. LAST ROW: Jeff LaFluer,

Coach Dennis Cooke, Coach Joe Cash, Chili Whitefield, Charlie Barnett, Wally Hogan, Frank Farmillette, Mike Quimby, Allen Thomas, Reid Fritz, Steve Ginn, Ricky Martinez, Tim Hopf, Jerry Jackson, Skeet Jackson, Coach Steve Tackett, Coach Johnny Morris.



Marty Harclerode puts the shot for first place at Sweeny.

Joe Gregory strains to get over some hurdles.

Mike Mackey throws the discus at Sweeny.

Julius Briscoe grins toward the string at the Sweeny track meet.

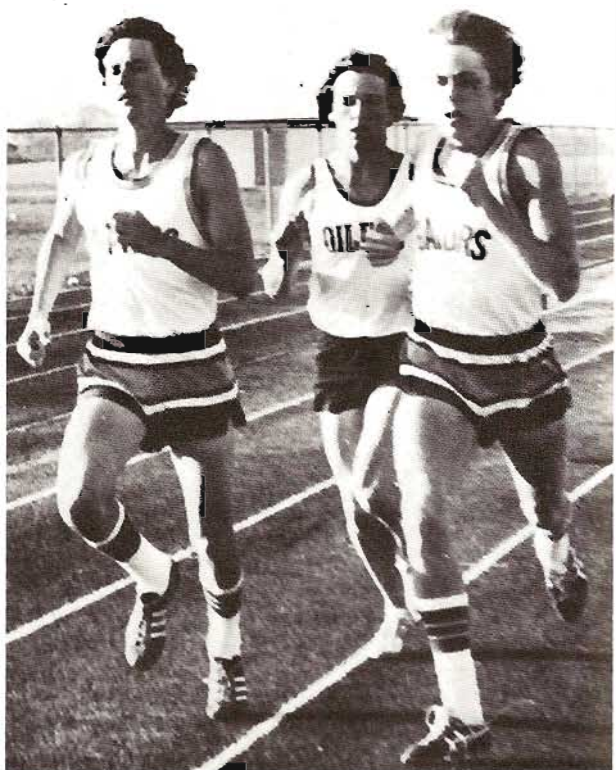




Micheal Barnett gets a good start in the district meet at Sweeny.

Morgan goes to state

At the Regional Meet Morgan again took first place in pole vault, Harclerode took third in the shotput, Barnett had third in the long jump and seventh place in the 440-yard dash. Rau placed seventh in the discus, and Warren placed fourth in the 100-yard dash and fifth in the 220-yard dash. Only Morgan advanced to state.



Reid Fritz and Allen Thomas strain for first at the Gator Relays.



The four studs, Mike Mackey, Marty Harclerode, Joe Gregory, Jeff LaFluer, take a break.

Micheal Barnett jumps to first place at the District Meet at Sweeny.

Julious Briscoe strains over the bar at Sweeny.



Ralph Taeuber holds his own in the mile at district.

Steve Mosqueda starts the relay team.

Paul Warren strains for the string at Sweeney.





Freshman Track race toward future meets

The Freshman Track Team did not do very well at the District Meet this year. They gained good experience and many individuals showed much promise for the future.

Wes Lacy jumps hurdles at the District Meet in Sweeny.



FRONT ROW: Acie Barentine, Kelly Garbon, Kelly Hawkins, John Steadham, Tommy Barrera, Louis Ortiz, Ken Chandler, Dale Cleveland.

BACK ROW: Coach Dennis Cooke, Derrel Turner,

Robert Clements, Mike Bowen, Lanny Little, Curtis McCurry, Benny Henderson, Nuel McCall, Stacy Harris, Wes Lacy, Rodney Meade.

FRONT ROW: Bruce Reeves, Ross Maxwell, Curt Boren, Eric Schultz, Billy Trotta, Ronnie Clayton, Scott Graves, Greg Barron. SECOND ROW: Quin-

tin Peikert, Lorenzo Dianzini, Greg Murrie, Steve Barber, Doug Considine, Jim Brady, Tim Gray.



Boys' tennis goes to quarter finals in District Meet

The Boys' Tennis team, coached by Lou-Cille Scoggins, had a good district season. At the District finals April 13 many players made it to the quarter-finals. On the varsity, the doubles team of Eric Schultz and Curt Boren went to quarterfinals. Singles Ronnie Clayton, and doubles Jim Brady and Mike Boyd lost in the quarterfinals for the freshman team while Scott Graves went to semi-finals. Other varsity players who went to the meet were Ross Maxwell, singles; Steve Barber, singles; Tim Gray and Greg Murrie, doubles; and Doug Considine and Greg Barron, freshman doubles.

Jonathan Baron demonstrates his technique in hitting a forehand.



Girl's Tennis competes in district



The Girl's Tennis team coached by Mike Sweat had a disappointing season. In the Sweeny Tournament, Kathy Dunbaugh played for consolation, but lost by a close score. At the District Tournament, the Varsity players were Maren Ohms and Kathy, singles, and Barsa Cook/Greta Huling, and Gail Roeser/Kathy Peeples, doubles. Freshman singles were Robin Rutt and Kendra Cook, while Mary Hannigan/Natalie Ochoa, and Lisa Diehl/Pam Cruse played doubles. In the District Tournament Maren Ohms was the only player to advance, but lost in quarterfinals to the number one seeded player from Brazosport.



FRONT ROW: Kendra Cook, Natalie Ochoa, Pam Cruse, Mary Hannigan, Robin Rutt, Rebecca Braeuer, Peggy Gonzales, Becky Duncan.
SECOND ROW: Barsa Cook, Kathy Peeples, Gail Roeser, Maren Ohms, Kathy Dunbaugh, Greta Huling, Coach Mike Sweat.

"They call me Chris Everett II." Gail Roeser.

"Is this pose all right?" Rebecca Braeuer.



Girl's Track gets third in district

At the Girl's District Meet held at Dickinson High School this year the girls placed third. Several of the girls set meet records and these girls advanced to regionals. Kris Annexstad set a new meet record in the high jump at 5 feet, 2 inches. Annexstad also won the 880. Elaine Schuett set a new meet record in the mile with a time of 5:53.10. Arlene Scott put some points on the tally with a first place ribbon in the 440 with a time of 1:05.9.

Annette Palmer and Darlene Scott race for the tape.

Kris Annexstad sets the new meet record at 5 feet, 2 inches.



FRONT ROW: Bridgett Bookman, Darlene Scott, Pam Davis, Marian Campbell, Carman Castillo. **SECOND ROW:** Cindy Biggs, Anita Potter, Belinda Compton, Rhondely Hayes, Liz Robinson, Arlene Scott, Shelia Graham, Brenda Linn. **THIRD ROW:** Kris Annexstad, Sharon Thompson, Kathy Felts, Terri O'Neal, Betty Long, Elaine Schuett. **FOURTH ROW:** Melanie Barnes, Frances Ginn. **FIFTH ROW:** Joyce Rhone, Annette Palmer, Anetra Robinson, Gloria Norman.





KNEELING: Jenifer Riggs, Susan Reumant, Julie Mitchner, Karen Longfellow. STANDING: Donna Padgett, Joyce Robinson, DeeDee Howard, Joan Kranz, Laurie McDavid, Nancy VanRamshorst.



Betty Long goes the distance to put points on the tally.

Carman Castillo shows her stuff at District.



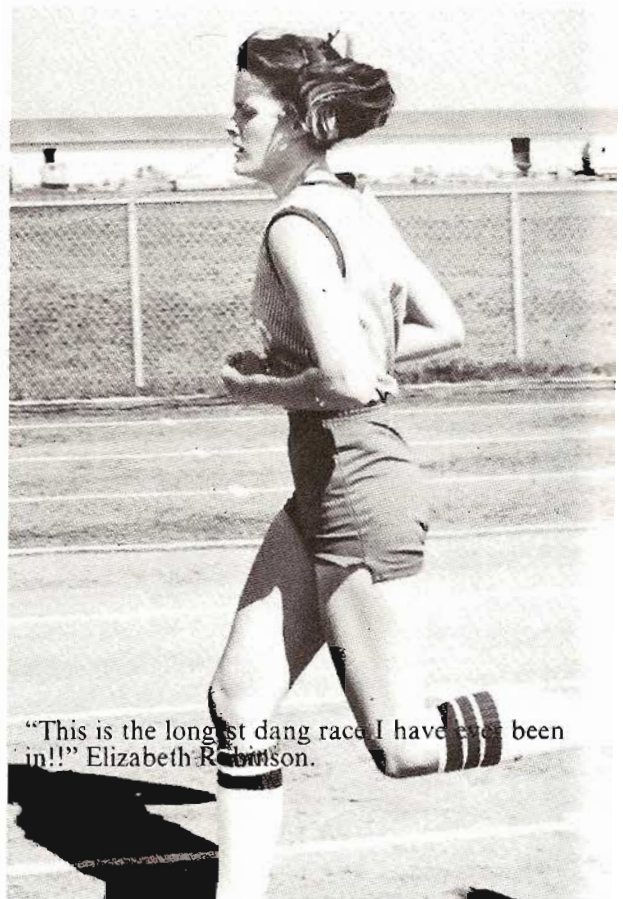
Anita Potter leans for the string.



Cindy Biggs runs for the last hurdle.

Arlene Scott breaks the string for first place.

"Looks like I whooped you!!" Anetra Robinson.



"This is the longest dang race I have ever been in!!" Elizabeth Robinson.

FRONT ROW: Steve Hardin, Stuart Hardin. SEC-
OND ROW: Stuart Staffa, Ronnie Otte, Joe Daues.



FRONT ROW: Mark Bean, Rusty Batey. SECOND
ROW: Mike Attaway, Bobby Fuller, Mike Cook.



Joe Daues tries to kill a grasshop-
per.



Ronnie Otte shows his style in
hitting a golf ball.

Boy's Golf putts to Regionals

The Boy's Golf team had a great season. At the Galveston Tournament March 17 Joe Daues shot a 78 to take second place medalist. Daues also took third place medalist at the Willis Tournament March 20, and the team came in fourth. Daues, Ronnie Otte, Steve Hardin, Stuart Hardin, and Mike Cook qualified for the District Tournament, where they placed second with a team score of 341 and advanced to regionals. The team was coached by Keno Aleman.

Mike Lambert waits for the pass to first base.

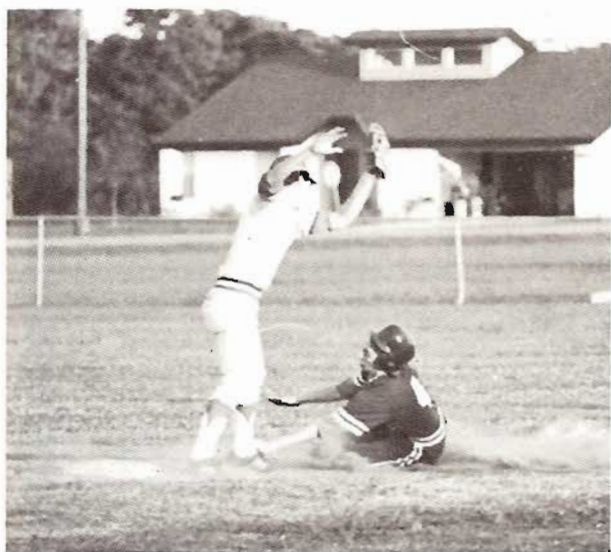
Varsity bunts to third in district

The Varsity Boy's Baseball team, led by Coach Bobby Kelly, swung to a 12-9 season record. In district they had a 6-6 record and placed third. Paul Hardilek was the outstanding pitcher with a 9-1 record, and Donnie Little had the most hits with 18. Little, Phillip Irvin, and Keith Taylor had the highest batting averages with .305, .261, and .214 respectively, and Taylor and Little scored the most with nine runs each. The team placed first in the LaPorte 4-A Tournament and put three players on the All-Tournament team: Hardilek, pitcher; Irvin, left fielder; and Little, Most Valuable Player. In the Santa Fe Tournament Little was named to the All-Tournament team.



FRONT ROW: Byron Baty, Dennis David, Joe Castillo, Bruce Brunner, Keith Taylor, John Crowley, David Jeffers, James Holley. SECOND ROW: Kevin

Millstid, Steve Todora, Alex VanHorn, David Crowson, Donnie Little, Mike Lambert, Gary Westerledge, Phillip Irvin.



Phillip Irvin slides past the second base defender.

"It's not my fault he made it to second base; it's Mikey's fault." Bruce Brunner.



Keith Taylor makes it safe to first base.

"Paul, would you quit trying to be sexy and just pitch the ball!" Steve Todora and Paul Hardilek.

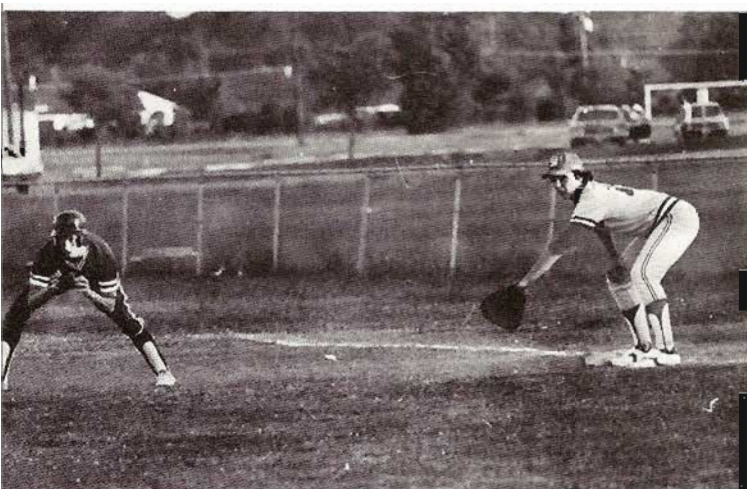


Gators fly to first in LaPorte Tournament

Phillip Irvin takes a big lead off first base in the game against Brazosport.

Paul Hardilek throws the ball at the umpire.

Mike Lambert puts a player out at first base.



Joe Castillo slams the ball for a safe run to second base.

Bruce Brunner demonstrates how to keep a good eye on the baseball.



FRONT ROW: Dwayne Holmes, David McKinney, Bruce Alexander, David DeLaRosa, Mike Stafford, Daniel Marble, Louis Ortiz. SECOND ROW: Jim

Devall, Mike Bowen, Jeff Wyatt, Bobby Wilson, Tommy Herring, Wes Lacy, Jimmie Talbert, Daryl Barbo.



Second place earned by J.V. Baseball



David DeLaRosa makes it safe to first base.

For the second consecutive year the J.V. baseball team, coached by Daryl Barbo, placed second in zone. The season proved to be a success with an 11-6-1 record. The leading hitters for the team were Tommy Herring, Jeff Wyatt, and Dwayne Holmes with .529, .511, and .420 batting averages respectively. David DeLaRosa scored the most with 25 runs, and Bobby Wilson and Louis Ortiz led in pitching.

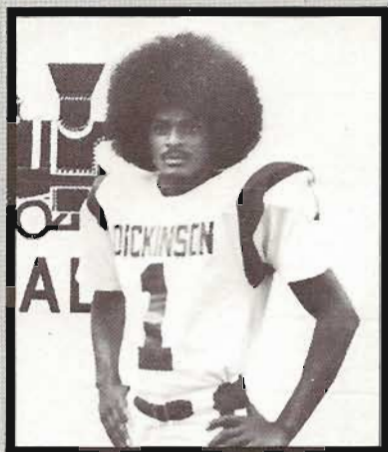
Sports year has many stars

The 1978 sports year was the best Dickinson High School has ever known. Each sport had its number of super stars who were named to All-District teams. Others were given the honor of being named to All-State teams.

The Varsity Football team dominated the All-District 1st team offense with nine members. **FRONT ROW:** Dennis David, Jeff LaFleur, Dean Lonsford, Bill Cary. **BACK ROW:** Jeff Wyatt, Victor Baker, Donnie Little, Mike Mackey, Marty Harclerode.

The All-District 1st Team Defense was also dominated by Dickinson. **FRONT ROW:** Tyrone Briscoe, Tim Gray, Paul Warren. **SECOND ROW:** Joe Gregory, Ronald Hall, Ed Gottlob.

Five persons received District Honorable Mention. **KNEELING:** Joe House. **STANDING:** Joe Gregory, Charles Barnett, Tony Hill, Keith Taylor. **NOT PICTURED:** Steve Barkmann.



Donnie Little was selected as the number one blue-chipper football player in Texas.





The Varsity Football team placed seven members on the All-State team. FRONT ROW: Tim Gray, Jeff LaFleur, Bill Cary. BACK ROW: Joe Gregory, Donnie Little, Mike Mackey.



David Gilbreath and William Taylor were named to the All-District 2nd team defense.

Members of the Varsity Volleyball team who made All-District were Marianne Stanek, 2nd team; Peggy Curtis, 2nd team; Diane Stevens, 1st team; Gretchen Schultz, 1st team; Kris Annexstad, 1st team.



Boys Varsity Basketball members named to the All-East Zone team were Tyrone Briscoe, honorable mention; Bobby Richardson, 2nd team; Norman Gilmore, honorable mention; Donnie Little, 1st team; Michael Barnett, 1st team.



Individuals win sports honors

Those selected to the All-East Zone Girl's Basketball team were Yolando Briscoe, 1st team; Stacie Rosello, 1st team; Carol Hogan, honorable mention; Greta Huling, honorable mention; Pam Turner, honorable mention.



Eight members of the Varsity Cross Country team won in Regionals to qualify for State. Reed Fritz, Greg Piske, Allan Thomas, Coach John Morriss, Chester Magruder, Donald Hickman, Tommy Gast, Robert Johnson, Ralph Taeuber.



Those who qualified for the Regional Golf Tournament were Steve Hardin, Stuart Hardin, Stuart Staffa, Ron Otte, and Joe Daues.





Four members of the Varsity Boy's Track team who qualified for Regionals were Michael Barnett, Paul Warren, Rodney Rau, and Marty Harclerode.

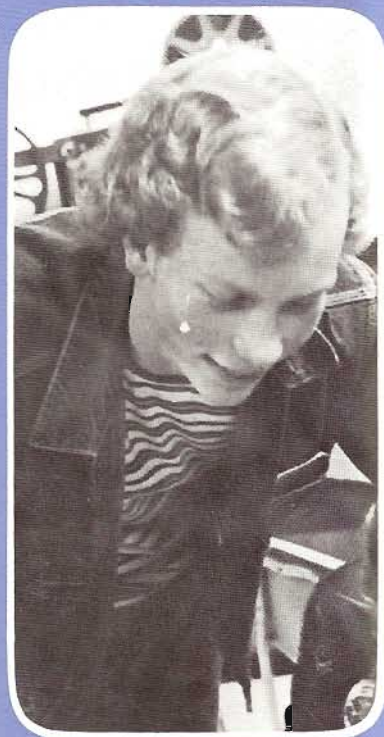


Eleven members of the Girl's Varsity Track team qualified for Regionals. FRONT ROW: Kris Annexstad, Anetra Robinson, Sharon Thompson, Annette Palmer. SECOND ROW: Arlene Scott, Anita Potter, Jo Ann McCord, Elaine Schuett. THIRD ROW: Darlene Scott, Carmen Castillo, Sheila Graham.

Donald Morgan, the only person to qualify for the State Meet, competed in the pole vault.

Those selected to the All-East Zone Baseball team were Phillip Irvin, 1st team; Keith Taylor, honorable mention; Mike Lambert, 1st team; Donnie Little, 1st team; Paul Hardilek, 1st team.







"Talk about the evils of science! He spent an hour explaining why "Star Wars" can't be real."

"I think I could write a five-paragraph theme about a thumb tack easier than I could write a single paragraph on this!"

"I'm going to quit showing filmstrips, because after I show one, all anyone can tell me about is their dreams!"

"The nerve of some kids! She asked me not to give homework tonight, because she has a party to go to."

"Rehearsals, sectionals, and listenings are all a drag, but it's worth it!"

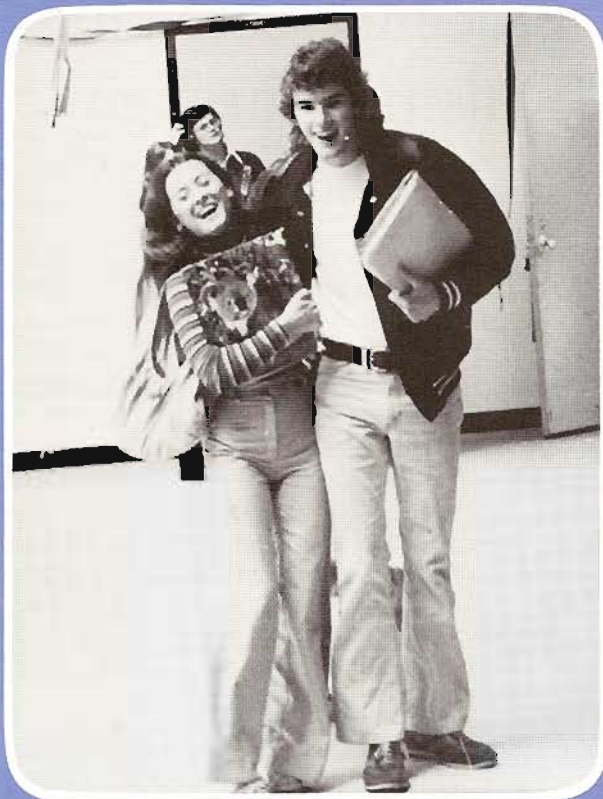
"This is degrading. How is a senior supposed to look dignified while coloring, even if it is for a Biology II notebook?"

"Theorems, proofs, and EXTREME TEMPERATURES — I get so tired of math!"

"I'd like to see her flirt with him now that I've taken self-defense!"

"I just love oil painting because it lets me express myself — usually all over my clothes, but . . .!"

"I know it is supposed to be good luck to say 'Break a leg' before you go on stage, but with my luck, I WILL!"



Academics

Students search for answers through science

Observations, experimentation and calculations of laboratory experiences played an important role in science classes. A variety of science classes gave students a wide range of subjects from which to choose. The biology enthusiast could choose from Biology I and II, where amoebae were studied and cats dissected, or Field Biology, where students sloshed through the mud to obtain specimens for experiments. Students with a touch of mad scientist in them had Chemistry I and II. Traditionalists wracked their brains on problems in Physical Science and Physics I and II.

Darby Magruder makes observations in his lab.



Raymond Lowe



Ann McKee



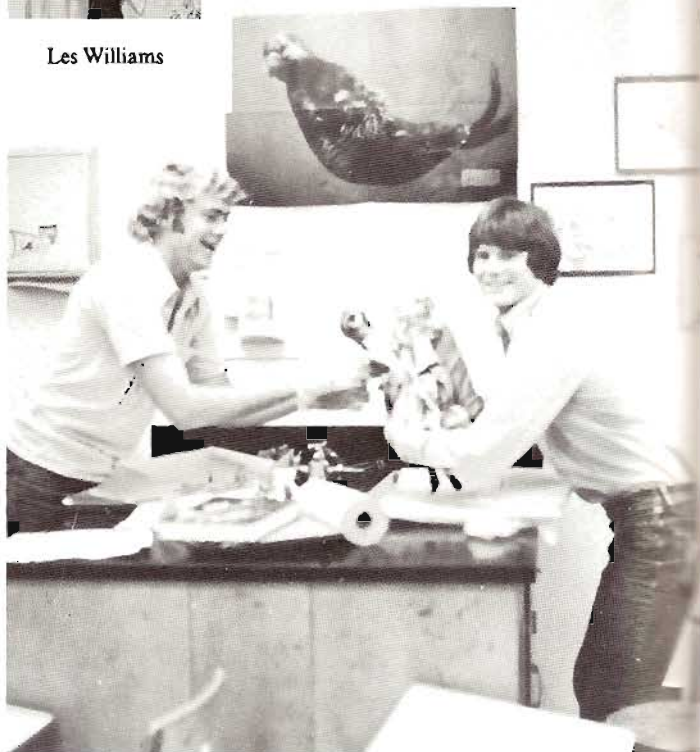
Deborah Mims



Les Williams



Mrs. Beeson's Physical Science students play metric bingo.



"Look, we had twins" Mike Lambert and Eddie Louis.



Ralph Taueber gets a charge out of Physics.

Biology II students examine the muscles of a dissected cat.

A Physical Science class reviews basic formulas.

"Mr. B., it was that long" Grace Hodges.



Jerry Harkreader



Diana Herring



Corinne Higbee



Labs make science more meaningful

"I don't think this experiment is going to work." Rusty Baty.

Field Biology students take specimens for their collection.

Physics II students perform a daily ritual.



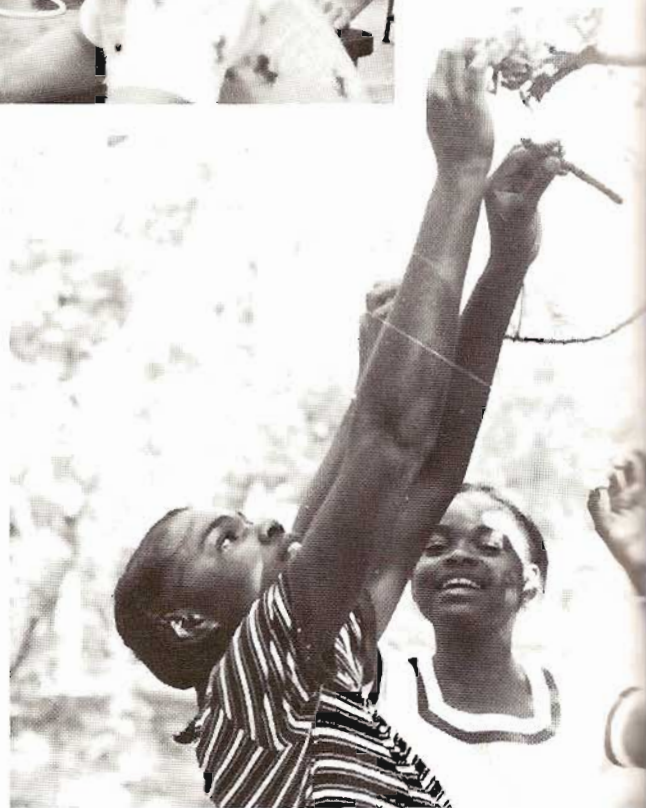
Larry Banowsky



Frances Beeson



Joe Cash



Marvin Clark



Susan Fischer



Crafts built in Industrial Arts



Curtis Crabtree



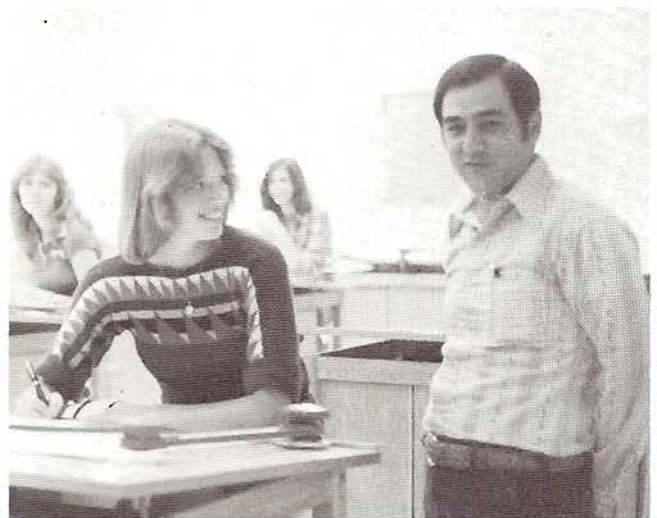
Cecil Henry



Chuck Koch



Wallie Yelverton



Ronald Beeson learns to use a drafting machine in General Drafting.

Woodshop students complete projects.

"What's going on man?" Kris Annexstad and Mr. Henry.

Lanny Wilson planes down a section of lumber on the planer.

Speech students learn to express themselves

In the Speech and Debate Department students were given a chance to vocally express their ideas, and openly discuss current problems. The students studied the psychology of communications and later presented speeches before the class. The debate classes researched for facts and then presented debates on this year's topic dealing with the federal government's involvement in health care.



"Why do we have to study so much?" Pat Harrington and Mark Sandlin.

Judy Qualls



"I want you." Pat Harrington



"This is my life," says Jeff Martin with Richy Harris, Kenneth Treadwell, David Nashyba, and Mark Sandlin.



Drama looks behind the scenes

Drama Department students learned "the tricks of the trade" through stage experience and book work. They examined various acting techniques, and they presented them to the class. They also studied designs and actually created some make-up materials. The students studied the different kinds of set and scene designs, then they got a chance to exhibit their skills when they helped build the set for the "Christmas Review," "Don't Drink the Water," and "The Miser." Finally, the students also got a chance behind the scene as directors and actors in their own plays when the Drama Department presented three student directed one-act children plays.

"By George," I think he's got it," says Gary Dibello with Ken Chandler Diane Stevens, Mark Sandlin, and Laura Withrow.



Jan Stallings



"Come fly with me," says Tisha Deatherage.

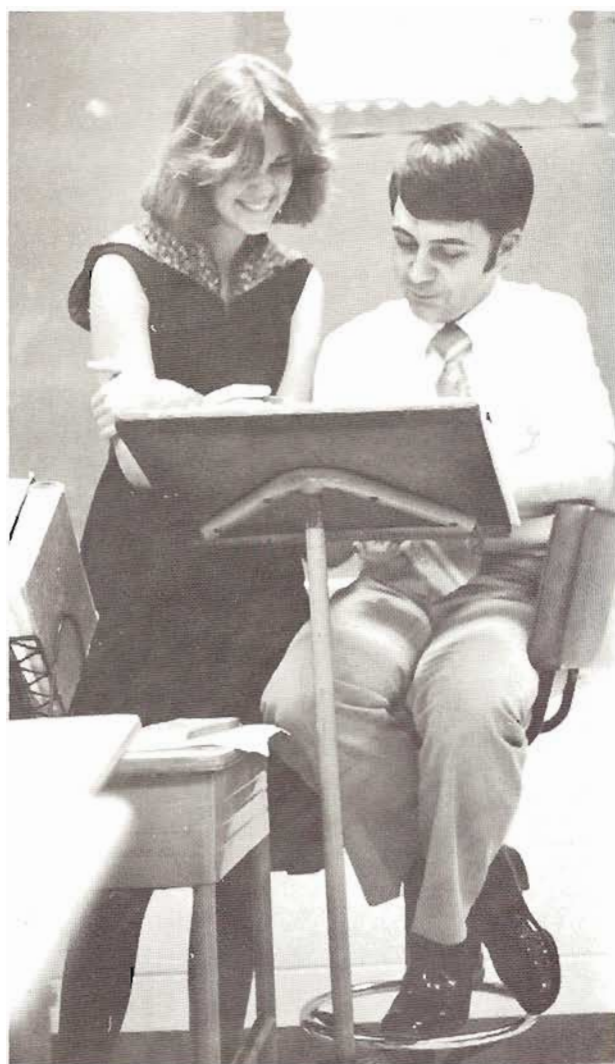
"You've got to, not because you want to, but because you have to." Stafford Jones and Herbert Adams.

English students learn to communicate through literature, grammar

As the English Department started its year so did the review of old grammar rules — for the fourth year in a row. But students found that over the short summer cobwebs had grown in their heads and the review was necessary. Eventually, sentences became easier to write, and parts of speech were more quickly recognizable.

As students of all levels delved into literature, most realized that poetry was not really impossible to understand, and the transcendentalists actually had something interesting to say. Seniors learned that the rumors about the research papers were mostly exaggerations and wondered why Shakespeare's English made more sense.

Ron Proctor helps Dianne Mechelay on her Shakespeare.



Joy Rusk

Melvin Lars

Marian DuBose



Clare Annexstad

Kaaren Beale

Julie Gensler



"Call out your answers to the test and I'll check them."

David Ludlow and Mrs. Beale discuss the concepts of the psyche.



Robert Johnson



Karen Bowser



Frances Bennett

"These vocabulary words should be given to the person trying out for the Spelling-Bee Contest." Annette Campbell

"Hey, Robert Ireland actually came to class."

before Mr. Johnson gets back." Ray Bullock and Marty Puffer

Library is more than collection of stories

Whether reading for pleasure or searching for reference material, students found that the library fulfilled their needs. The library workers made the search easier by organizing the stacks, checking out books and equipment, answering reference questions, and ordering catalogues.



Dot Hill



Yvonne Grigs

Kelly Sandel, Joe Gregory, Mike Mackey and John Crowley study in the library.

Chester Magruder searches for a book.

Peggy Wilkes researches material.

"I think I'm coming down with senioritis." Leah Hill





Journalism creates memories

Journalism in our high school taught effective communication through writing. Three courses were offered — Journalism I, II, and Yearbook. These classes left us with many memories of the year. Journalism II was responsible for the monthly editions of the *Dickin-Sun* while the Yearbook class created the annual. Though there were many obstacles and deadlines to meet, the staffs always seemed to complete their assignments.



Donna Griffith and Elaine Adams try to meet deadlines for the *Dickin-Sun*.

"Where does the film go?" Photographer Steve Johnson.

Sports staff, Mark LaFleur, Ed Gottlob, and Stacie Rosello, works to put together the football pages.



Lynda Clayton



Foreign Languages communicate with outside world

The Foreign Language Department helped students to get a taste of Spanish, French, and German through films, discussions, and written exercises. They also performed skits in foreign languages and prepared food from the country of their chosen languages. First year students learned the basic skills of speaking and writing, while the second, third, and fourth year students reviewed basic skills, more deeply explored the language, and studied novels.



Irvin King performs in a German skit.

"If she doesn't look over here soon, my arm will fall off." Laura Shook and Joe Hudson.

Rusty Simmons and Lyle Bogott study Spanish.



Cheryl Clark



Kathy Hamm



Judy Barnett



Sandy McDermott



ROTC emphasizes leadership

In ROTC students carefully examined aerospace techniques, military procedures, aircraft, and space exploration, as well as studied abstract concepts like leadership, discipline, and patriotism. But ROTC was more than book work and discussions. They also practiced close-order drills and took field trips to Air Force bases.



Cadets stand at attention at the annual inspection and awards ceremony.



Sgt. Edward Slagle



Col. Tom Sledge

Lawrence Henry and Donald Barnhill compute complicated navigation problems.

Col. Sledge points out map points to Pam Turner and James McCaff.