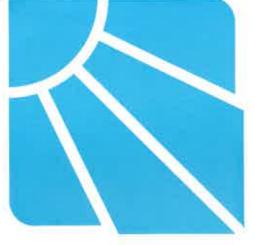


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This Is Our Day . . .

It lies before us,
Wanting to be used.
This is our day.
Grasp it.
Hold tight to its dreams.
This is our day.
Ours to treasure
In the corners of our minds
Where memories will remain.

















A Day . . .

Hours, minutes, seconds.
Time
Not to be wasted.
For it is through time
That we grow.

Daylight creeps
Over the Massanutten.
The campus blinks, yawns,
Begins to come alive.
We rush
To various appointments
Well aware
Of the days demands.
Sometimes the pace
Is nearly exhausting,
Yet we move forward.



The Sun Rises

Hello William F. (Harvey)
Higher in the sky. This year vas Laughter and tears Been a greater shared with companions. ene for afting And if the victories to train people. Than the failures, Your especially. An outstretched hand wine really terrifican often be found gaing for you. When we falter.
Keep you chan up and laugh have a "Congress" this of usy eus le considéra pure son

Much cove.







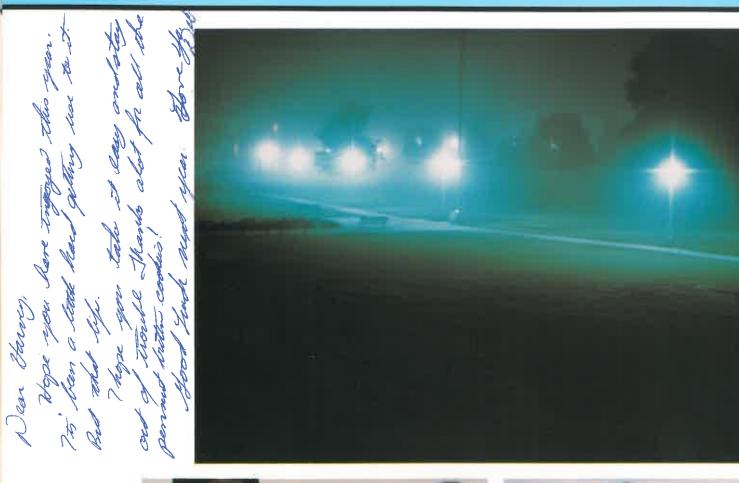
















We Realize . X.

The strength needed to succeed Comes from a higher source;
One other than our own.
We pause.
The flurry of activity
Unwinds to a halt
To worship
The Creator.
Here, if we accept it,
Is refreshment
From the day
And energy
For all tomorrows.

This is the day That the Lord hath made. Rejoice And be glad in it.

Psalm 18.24





You WERE THERE

At the pool When we swallowed too much water And had to swallow our pride.

You were there In the gym When our team won And our spirits soared.

You were there On the field When we stumbled on the track And fell short of our goal.

You were there Through 35 sit-ups daily Pre-dawn dives And dusk-light football games.

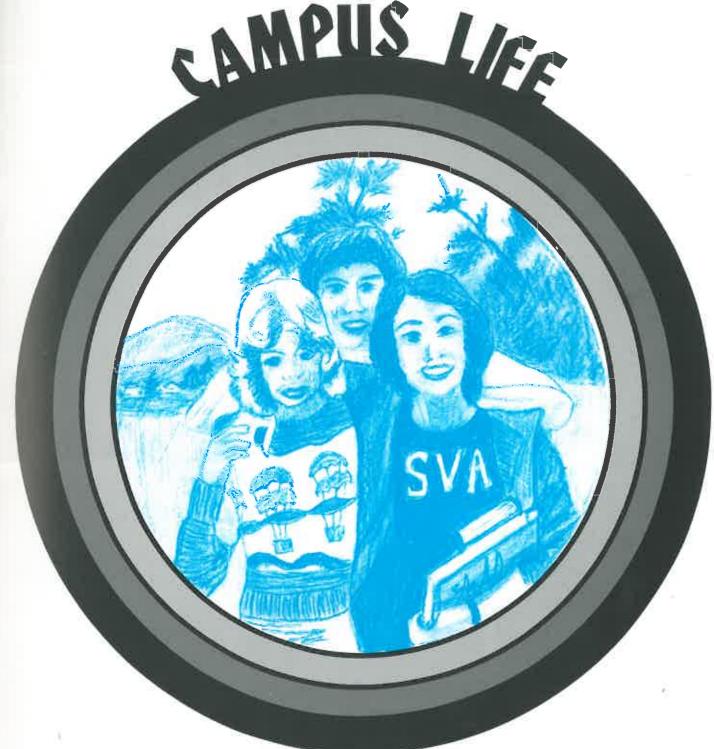
Because you were there, Bomber, To be our friend To teach us more than P.E. We dedicate this book And our future Olympic medals To you with thanks . . .

John J. Henline









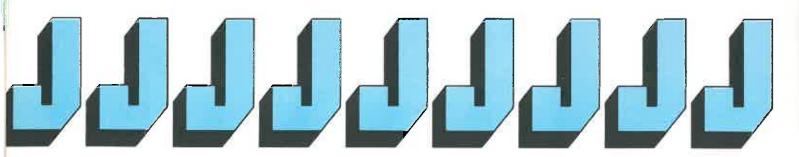
What's in a day?

Waking, working, worship, weeping, sleeping, sluffing, eating, aching, dating, detention, getting S.P.'d.

Gabbing, grading, jogging, riding, acting, singing, chapels, committees, receptions, recitals, relaxing (relaxing?).

Sidewalks, stairwells, practice rooms, church pews, hallways, raindrops, teachers, roommates, packages from home.

Wall-to-wall goings on a ...



Indigestion Bell

Even if you're not in geometry, you know a lot about lines. Standing in them for one of Mr. Allen's meals is a frequent happening. Locked doors stand between you and the satisfaction of a full tummy.

Students stream from the far corners of the campus to get a good place in line. Often you find that even though the line is getting longer, you're still at the back.

Once inside, you meet another line. It inches forward until you

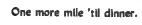
hear the familar, "Entrée?" as your plate goes down the assembly line. Then the search for a table is on, with a grin of victory you claim one, discovering in vain, as milk sloshes over, it's lopsided.

Halfway through dessert, the indigestion bell rings, reminding you that one more tardy and you'll be in detention. Gulping the final bite, you face yet another line to dump your tray.

"Oh well," you sigh with resignation. "There goes another meal."

















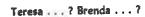


Rhonda is human, but to really louse things up it takes a computer.









Hey Look! It's Snowing!

Shouts ring across campus. Snow- wonderful-white-night world. balls soar through the air, crashing down seconds later on unsuspecting heads. The first snowfall is greeted with almost as much enthusiasm as Fortune is not kind; we get an icy the first home-leave.

Out the window snowballs can be spotted ping-ponging across the lawn. Shrieks of laughter float through the crisp, clean air as a running start to counteract the creek experience. sends someone plummeting down an At least the bonfire volunteers comicy sidewalk.

Finally . . . Classes are over. Mittens warmth inside the skin. and unused snowboots, long-johns and snuggies are hurriedly dug from trunks and closets. Like a line of bright colored ants, students trudge numb, and feeling we may be under up the long hill behind the dorm. No the weather for tomorrows math matter that it will be an evening of test. We are minus a glove or two, cold noses and wet feet. We have but plus ruby faces and the resurwaited most of twelve months for a rected spirit of winter. chance to escape into this wild-

A zinging toboggan flys us at lightening speed down the hill to the edge of the creek. The edge? dip in the creek. Almost at the top In class it is hard to concentrate. again, an ambush of frosty snowpeople hammer us with their round, hard ammunition. The melting stuff running along the spine does little fort, and hot cocoa gives a little

> Two jubilant hours later we are escorted by our faithful supervisors back to the dorms, thoroughly wet,

Ah, the snow has come at last!





"Mr. Boehm, would you believe they all failed the test?"



Alvins' sleep-study method.





It takes two to make the stew.

(Left) File it under "J" for Junk.









"Please, just five more minutes."

The Sound Of Silence

Girls are ironing their dresses at the last minute, and guys are putting on their best cologne. The sun engraves ribbons of pink in the clouds. The Sabbath approaches.

At the church, the sanctuary is dimly lit. Some arrive early to enjoy the atmosphere of reverence. Others seem to ignore the sacredness and have to be reminded. By seven-thirty the pews are mostly filled. An educational song service is led by Mr. Young. When it is over we have learned the historical background of at least two composers.

The speaker appeals to our souls

with his message, and we are dismissed. Those who are not physically and mentally exhausted and are eager to further the evening's blessing go to Singspiration. Others return to the dorms for the sweet rest the evening brings. The routine of the week is broken. The hectic schedules cease.

Throughout the week, some have not taken time to listen to His voice, but the sound of silence and the atmosphere God has sprinkled on our campus is a refreshing reminder that He indeed dwells within our student family.











Your friendly window wiper.



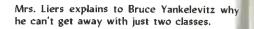
We believe in a relaxed work atmosphere.

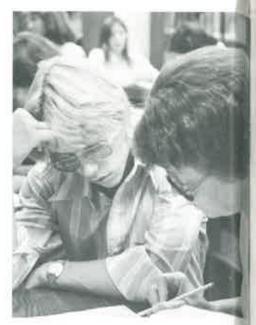


SVA's "Fonzie."

Shari Taylor watches the birdie, Darlene, and everything but Mr. Garey's camera.











Picnic pals enjoy good weather and good food.













Happy New Year

Tradition states that the beginning of each school year must start with registration. To new comers, it's a time of asking questions, like "Which English room do I go to?" For the veterans, it's a time of renewing acquaintances, and answering the new-comer's questions.

After a day of class schedules and work assignments, Tradition Number Two says that there must be fun. The fun begins with an ice cream feed and the awaited, and sometimes dreaded, Handshake. The thought of shaking over 400 hands gave one imaginations of laryngitis and cramped hands.

Another traditional starter for the new year is Thea Fia's Box Social. This year the Girls Club collected \$241.00 from uniquely designed and scrumptiously prepared picnic suppers. This success story was made possible by the guy's hardy appetites and empty wallets.

No less embarassing than in past years, the initiation of all new comers into Thea Fia and Sigma Beta Chi required extraordinary dress, and a greeting of Sigma Beta Chi members with a pasty mixture of club shouts, flour, and water.



The wait to debate class schedules.



Brian Novak "initiates" the new style.

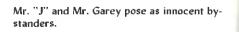


Proof of SVA friendliness--the SVA Handshake.

President Nunes shows what the Class of '78 can do.

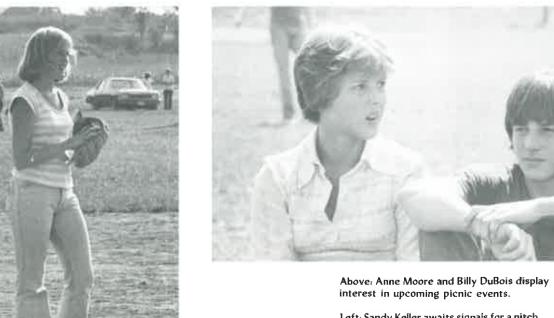










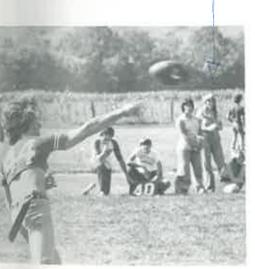


Left: Sandy Keller awaits signals for a pitch.

Miss Bahnsen keeps careful score.







Junior class president throws a startling

The Race Is On

"On your mark, get set, go!" The race was on to see who would win the SA Fall Picnic.

A variety of games consisting of everything from relays to volleyball, and jump the stick to softball were participated in by class representatives.

We watched with an edgy feel-

ing. Who would win? There were upsets- such as the Junior girls beating the Senior girls in softball and a Sophomore winning the hundred yard dash for the girls.

The score was very close, but the Seniors wrapped it up by a very slight margin over the Sophomores.





Travis takes time-out to square dance with



Jimmy Mason comes home.

"Country Good"

Stomp those feet and clap your hands cause JJ Henline's gonna show ya a rottin-tootin country good Barn Party.

The Boys' Club did a super job this year with the second annual Barn Party. After a hay ride and a climb up the ladder to the barn loft, we had a real hoe-down of singing and fiddling led by JJ and his dad. We were introduced to Mr. Boehm's girlfriend, "Daisy", and to John (Denver) Wilhelm singing Country Roads. After a cup of cider and the movie "The Bears and I", the brief time down on the farm concluded with a dissent down the ladder to civilization.













Bonnie and Max dress up "country" for Boys Club Barn Party.

Dick Durksen, speaker for the Junior-Senior Bible Conference, relays a new twist to the parable of the talents.



That Blue Ridge mountain air inspires Cindy Koliadko to reflect.





Evie sings!





Mr. Tripp enjoys his Sabbath meal in good company.

Weekend Retreat

Camp Blue Ridge was again the setting for both the Junior/Senior and Freshman/Sophomore Bible Conference. Elder Dick Durksen conducted the upperclassmen meetings with fervor. He took parables out of the Bible and put them in a modern day setting, making them easier to relate to. The underclassmen featured Elder Tim Manning, whose topic was dating and marriage.

But Bible Conference was more than just meetings. There was time for football, mountain hiking, sitting by the fire, and relaxing, personal meditation, and just doing your own thing. Drawers stuffed and closets jammed, but ready for the Open House grand tour.





Those dazzling acrobats startle the audience as Rodney does a back flip.







"Ladies and gentlemen, Thea Fia is proud to present the greatest show on earth."

And what a show it was! After touring the girls' dorm we made our way to the circus arena. There, amid clowns, balloons, food stands and games we had eight exciting side shows to choose from.

The main feature of the evening was held in the Ad Building chapel starring Napolean and Samantha.

In spite of the rain that had threatened to ruin the whole program the day before, we all pitched in and with a little rearranging had one of the best programs of the whole year.



Miss Peasley shows her true image--clowning around.







Roland Caton declares another winner at the "Ping Fling."





Communicating from their upstairs windows, Emily Webb and George Gibbs share homework answers.













Curtain call brings the entire cast together.



Editor Webb gives some fatherly advice.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gibbs take advantage of newly-wed privileges.







Our Town Magic

By the magic of Thornton Wilder's pen and an imaginative Dramatics Guild performance, a whole town and a lifetime of emotional experience were created out of four bare walls and a few props. Through the mixture of great writing, good staging, and good acting, the Dramatics Guild brought the American classic, "Our Town" to life.

"Our Town" is a play about life as seen through the eyes of the people of Grovers Corners, New Hampshire from 1901 to 1913; but it is more. "Our Town" is a play of the ecstacy of life, of simple pleasures and family, of love and marriage; but it is more. It is a play of the aging of life, of failures, defeat, and of death; but it is more. It is a play of hope and compassionate understanding; but it is more. It is a play of man's place in the universe.

The message of the play touched the cast, and their performances were as comfortable as an old shoe. Both the cast and the audience laughed a little, cried a little, and were held spellbound by the magic of the "Our Town" production.





Above: "Mostly the bereaved pick a verse" explains undertaker Joe Stoddard.

Left: Mother and Emily shell peas and converse about the day's events.

No Pressure

The week after the Week of Prayer is the time for reflection and response, but the week before is one of anticipation, mixed with dread. What will the speaker be like? Will he preach at us or talk with us? Will there be an alter call?

The speaker for the Fall Week of Prayer was Elder Chet Damron, from Andrews University. Students felt comfortable asking questions about Christian living, the theme of the variety of topics he choose to present. Elder Damron visited the dorms in the evening and made himself available to talk with during the day.

The week ended with a Communion Service in the church. Rather than a public alter call, students were able to make decisions about Christ without feeling what they know as the "alter call emotional pressures."







Week of Prayer speaker Chester Damron talks with Paul Collins during an evening dorm visit.







Sharlene Mallow helps sing the Junior Class to victory with "Merry Christmas, Darling."



Narrator Adams tries to conceal laughter under her hood.

Left: Rudolph rings her bells for Santa's royal stretcher.

Below: "Ready, Coleen? 'Chopsticks,' and then 'Mary Had a Little Lamb.'



"Mary" Altman and "Joseph" Lentz praise the newborn King.





'Twas the Night Before Christmas

'Twas the night before Christmas and all through SVA

The classes were planning on what they would say.

The audience was nestled all snug in their seats

With visions of first place-or maybe defeat.

The judges were stationed and ready to see

A Saturday night program with wonder and glee . . .

The first Christmas program of

with wonder and glee . . .
The first Christmas program of the season filled the auditorium with candids of "Somebody Snitched On Me", Santa being dumped

off his royal stretcher, the Seniors breaking down in a laugh session, and songs mixed with good Christmas spirits.

Every class had to act the story of "The Night Before Christmas" and three other skits or songs. Class shoutdowns were common during the evening, climaxed by the Juniors whose President, Marty Wold, was presented with a trophy for best class performance. And we heard Dr. Twomley exclaim as he drove out of sight, "Happy Christmas to all and to all a 'Good Night.'

M.C. Nafie makes another attempt at playing comedian.

Jonna Freeman gets a hug from Santa as Travis Crawford looks on jealously.





The campus hummed with anticipation and Christmas spirit bubbled like a plum pudding. Mysteriously transformed into a winter wonderland, the familar gym was seasonly decorated with murals of snow covered hills, and a gigantic Christmas tree filled the corner, traditionally decked for the long awaited Christmas party.

After a variety program emceed by Dean Nafie, Copie Claus arrived, bringing more Christmas cheer and candy for all the "good boys and girls." Meanwhile, hopeful souls gazed at each other near the tree, wishing in vain for some mistletoe. Classes divided to end the evening with an old fashioned Christmas tradition of breaking open candy filled pinatas.



And what do you want for Christmas, Mrs. Twomley?



Better watch it, Santa. That Roy's date you're flirting with.

"One, two, three, ready, go." Karen McClain takes her first steps as a toy doll.







"Oh Alvin! There's no mistletoe here."

Fresh off the assembly, Greg Crarey is added to the collection.





Dwight Days protects Santa's Toy Shoppe with a bionic eye.

"I am not vain; this is my job!" Rosemary Bendall defends herself.



Room And Bored

There's a common denominator that dorm residents experience. There's something about leaky faucets, cold showers, and sock parties you look back on and say, "I remember that!" Everyone has experienced the excitement of mail time, study halls where no studying gets done, the 6:00 a.m. bell, and the quarter-to-seven rush for the bathroom.

There's something about learning to live with strangers and being able to call them friends that makes dorm life a little more special than simply a room, a room mate, and a place to call homeaway-from-home.

Janine Curtis and Debby Cain discuss the three-girl room situation.



Cold Showers are nothing new, but from a







Looks like the Redskins are losing. Too bad gang! Above: "Radio? I didn't hear any music," Alvin Franklin peers innocently from his bed.

The "Cripps Club" president himself, Mike Price carries on in spite of a little incon-





Susi Snyder smiles in the face of strife.

We all know David adores the attention.



Cripp's Club

Crutches, casts, and ace bandages emerged as a new fashion trend on campus this year. If you didn't bum up your leg, rack your knee, or pull a few tendons you didn't quite fit in.

Most people who entered this crippling category came under the broad heading of Accident Pronebetter known as Uncoordinated. This epidemic struck almost anywhere. In the cafeteria, on the ballfield, during classes, in the dorm, or even at the barn, there was some peculiar way to really louse yourself up.

Of course, the "cripps" had the difficult task of learning to use crutches, write with the opposite hand, or keep a plastic baggie over a cast while showering. Carrying books and trays became an added burden that meant a little conning for some extra help.

You never knew where the accident syndrome would strike next. With a hobble here and a limp there, some thought we should start a rehabilitation center. There certainly would have been enough patients.



Joe and Rolf take time out for a "Cripp Club" meeting in the library.

Bindary worker Rhonda Napier feeds the hungary machine.

Helping Foot The Bill

Work: it creates alot of different images in different minds. But most students at SVA have found that work doesn't have to mean toil and drudgery. In fact, work can begin to border on fun when you're a reader for your favorite teacher, when you get to help prepare food for a banquet, or have vacuum cleaner races while getting the halls swept. Janitors find that Windex really "makes it shine." Even monitors smile when everyone on the hall has a test and "all's quiet on the western front" (and eastern, and backhall, too).

No, work isn't all fun and games, or always enjoyable, but it's a good opportunity to learn responsibility while helping Mom and Dad with the bill.



Darcy Richards keeps financial records in tact. *Right:* Kim Sheer is overwhelmed by the task ahead of her.



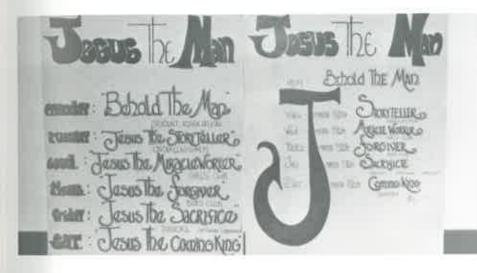






Students come together to pray together.







The Prayer Book became an important part of the week.



"Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye people."

Jesus The Man

"Why study the life of Christ?" George Ullrich opened the Student Week of Prayer with a number of questions and statements concerning the theme: Jesus the Man.

Each night, an organization presented Jesus in a specific characteristic. SA pastor, Gwen Boyer, introduced the week's agenda of sub-topics.

"Jesus the Storyteller" was presented in parables by the underclassmen pastors, and eyewitness accounts of "Jesus the Miracle Worker" were given by a Girls' Club panal discussion. "Jesus the Forgiver" was portrayed in a film on Boys' Club evening. Sabbath Services featured the Junior and Senior class officers interpreting "Jesus the Sacrifice" by Jeff Mace, and "Jesus the Coming King" by senior pastor Eddie Wilson.

Each presentation was not only meant to acquaint students with their Saviour, but to encourage a decision to "quit riding the fence post" and choose Christ and His lifestyle.



George Ullrich opens the Student Week of Prayer with heart-searching questions.

"Her name was Smith," but Mr. Gammon had a hard time finding that out.

Hearts And Darts

Cupid worked overtime this February to make the Valentine's party a sweet success. After the superb semiformal dinner, dates were escorted to the ad building for some real (?) entertainment. Our famous faculty tried very hard to display their talents and win our approval and laughter. Mrs. "Maggie" Durham was swamped with Valentine visits, Mr. Testerman played a brilliant trumpet solo, and Miss Bahnsen's terrible, horrible, no-good, very bad day helped make it a funny, relaxing, very good night for all.

The Magnificent McFarlands execute fascinating gymnastic feats.





In all seriousness, Dr. Twomley negotiates a "presidential" deal.



Miss Bahnsen sadly reports that her marble went down the drain.

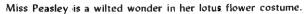
Mrs. Twomley's split personalities sing a very romantic proposal.



One of Maggie's suiters pays a Valentine visit.









Mr. Young tries to be serious while, unknown to him, Miss Peasley interprets his art song.

"Nice little donkey, good boy . . . " Vicki coaches her transportation.



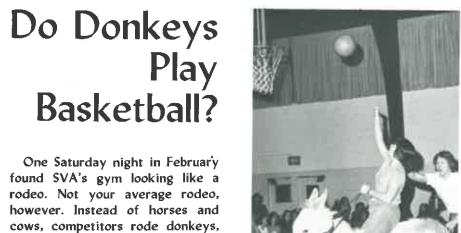
and rather than lassoing steer,

In this hilarious spectacle, students and faculty took turns bumping and bouncing on irritable donkeys as they attempted to score points for their team. The beasts of burden were generally more concerned with dismountting their frustrated passengers. It's debatable whether the outcome of this adventurous experience meant that Girls' Club was better in basketball than Boys' Club, or if Seniors have more talent than Juniors at shooting baskets. But it's certain that in order to win, players had to follow the rules: stay on your donkey.

they shot baskets.

Sandy Johnson pulls up beside Dawn Decker to make a pass.

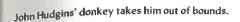








If at first you don't succeed pull!

















"This beast won't budge," says Dr. Twomley.

Maryann Altman Sophomore Larry Atkins Junior Andy Brown Junior Tim Chittum Sophomore Jeff Eisele Senior

Donna Gainer Bill Girone Sophomore Kimie Hata Sophomore David Herald Sophomore Bonita Joyner Freshman

Carol Knobloch Junior

Valerie Knobolch

Rosannie Lopez Sophomore Rusty Postlewait Sophomore

Senior Rusty Lanier Senior

































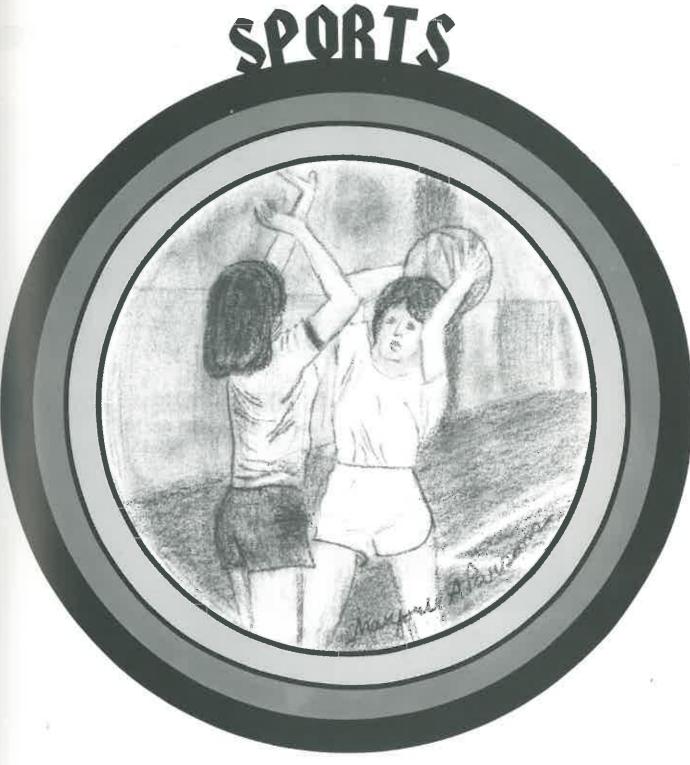
Sam Sanchez Sophomore Steve Vogal Sophomore Danny Wegh Sophomore Sylvia Wegh Freshman Robbin Whitman



"Being a new student is like com- going on when, and why? ing from Mars. Everyone looks at you as if you were green."

cult. You're the "new kid in town," sometimes unwanted attention. The ideas that the veterans are used to are all new concepts to you. Whats

But fortunately, you find that behind those eyes that are staring Coming into a new school is diffi- at yours, there are friendly faces whose owners are genuinely inand naturally, your new face attracts terested in who you are, where you come from, and if you're making it alright in the new society. Those faces are no longer spectators, but friends.



"Down, set, hike!"

"On your mark, get set, go"

"Service!"

"Man to man defense"

"He swings like an old rusty gatel"

"Slam dunk!"

"Spike it!"

"Sky hook"

"Fifteen-love"

"Touch down!"

"Two, four, six, eight, Who do we appreciate?"

HAWAIIAN FOOTBALL

Greg Wellborn moves in to "sock" quarterback Roy Campbell.









Jeff Lingerfelt runs this play.



The opposition tries to run Brent Taylor out of bounds.







Right: Van Hodges and Greg Wellborn are sure-footed receivers. Below: "Touchdown Bianchi" goes out for another score.



Pineapple Replaces Pigskin

Hawaiian football uncovered several new stars, especially for the gals on campus. Gwen Boyer, Beth and Jamie Hawbaker, and Kim Sheer proved they could play with anybody.

Jeff Lingerfelt and John Wilhelm's teams tied for first, with Travis Crawford finishing a strong second, and Jim Cromwell and Wayne Verde bringing up the rear. But standings didn't matter and that's what made it so fun. Many sports fans are hoping that this game will become a regular on the autumn line-up.



Goal Oriented

Finishing the season undefeated, Marty Wold's flag football team was too much for the opposition to handle. Wilhelm and Cromwell's huddles tied for second with spectacular moves in the receiving line made by "Wilma" and strongarmed passes from a new star, Dean Nafie from SMC. Copie Jr. proved again for Cromwell's team that you can still have a weak

arm and play quarterback. Van Hodges' team took the third place position. They might have finished higher if Van and Boehm had connected on some of their pass plays. Crawford's rough and rowdy Michigan style football only got him to fourth place. Some say his teammates were play-

ing a different game.

Verde came in last. For all practical purposes, the season was over for him when he tore ligaments in his ankle. But his team tried, and that's what counts.

Left: Danny Matthews forgets this is flag football. Below: Organized confusion?



Alright you guys, hand check.

FLAG FOOTBALL

Alvin Franklin shows true form in catching a football.





"Surrender, Marty; I've got your flag."



"We're number one! We're number one!"

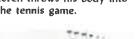


Jeff Lingerfelt tries one of his ballarina moves.



THIS AND THAT

Loren throws his body into the tennis game.





"Hey Tutti, watch this one!"

Travis bites the dust.



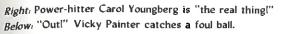
Is Van running with or from Ginny?



What's on the ball?



Becky slams the ball.







Brian Norman carries out janitorial duties on wheels.



Travis flies up to receive a pass.



Doing Your Own Thing

If teamwork wasn't for you, rec may have found you doing your own thing. Skateboarding was the thing for lots of sidewalk surfers in the days when ice didn't cover the campus. (Even then, some dared the peril.) For those who still wanted wheels, rollerskating seemed a little safer and warmer on cold Wednesday evenings. In the dorms, jumprope and jogging provided recreation and exercise, while basketball, volleyball and football kept onlookers and participaters busy until time to get ready for worship.

BOYS' BASKETBALL

"Wilma" lays on another lay-up.

Using fancy footwork, Dean shoots again.











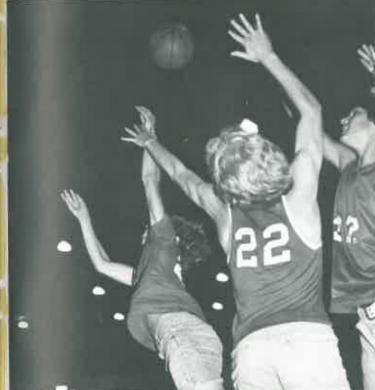


Reach for the sky, boys.

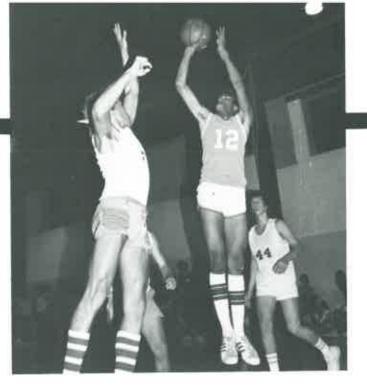
"Turkey on the foul line! Turkey on the foul line!"



Right: Greg Crarey duplicates a "son of Flubber" jump. Below: "Hey guys, 46 to 2 isn't so good." Marty Wold looks worried.



David Lewis fouls an opponent.



Boys' Blitz The Ball

Hodges' team got off to a quick 3-0 lead at the beginning of the season, winning each game by a small margin. Losing a few games on off nights, they still came out with a finishing of 7-2.

High scorer Jeff Lingerfelt brought his team from and 0-2 position to 4-2, but then, because they lost one of the strongest players in the league, John Quedzuweit, to a broken wrist, they finished the season second with 4-4.

Wold and McCreary's cherrypicking and the teams lackluster defense gave Rose's team a lucky tie with Lingerfelt. In spite of Crawford's hot shooting, Verde's team couldn't crawl far enough out of the pits and finished in last place.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Connie's got her eye on another basket for the winning team.



"Jump ball, jump ball, get it, get it!"





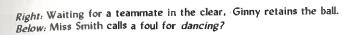




Janet throws in from the side.



Two determined players meet face to face for a jump.







J.J. is caught trying to con the ball from Alice.



Girls Get It With Gusto

Leather replaced lace as the girls hit the courts and swooshed shots through the basket. Star shooters Alice Casavant, Ginny Lingerfelt, Penny Fauver, and Jamie Blommer captained their teams in a neck and neck battle for first place.

Dribbling the ball, tossing a lay-up, or making a foul shot proved the ladies could be just as capable of providing an exciting game for rec spectators as the guys.



Over The Net

Volleyball games exposed team members' talents throughout the season. Clouthier's team was almost undefeated, but lost once to Hawbaker. Otis placed second with a 7-3 record, Beth Hawbaker and Candi Quedzuweit tied for third with an even 5-5, and Hobbs took fourth with 3-7. Bryce's team had a hard time getting full participation and thus barely entered the standings.

VOLLEYBALL

Left: Returning the ball with a punch, Loren applies oomph to get it over the net.

Below: What goes up must come down.

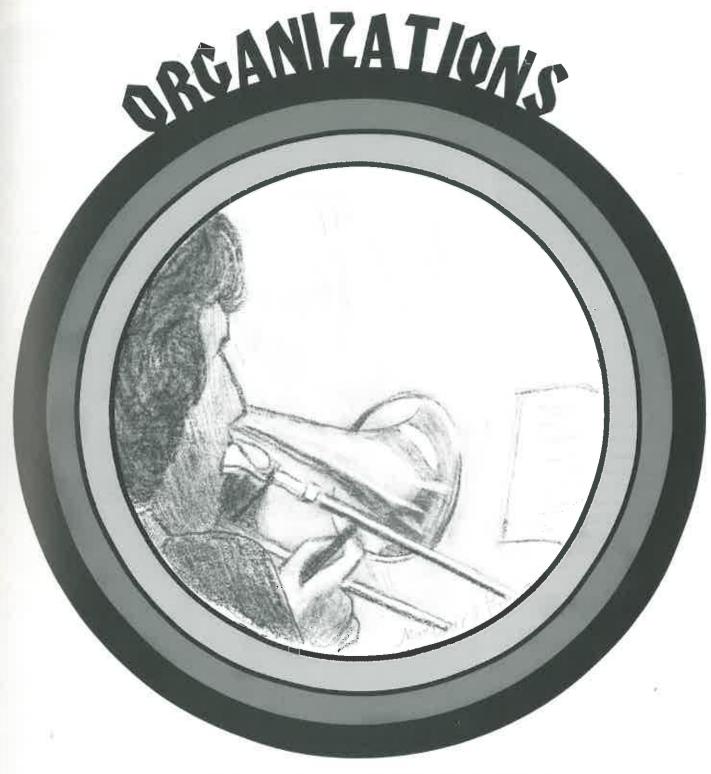
Belinda plays backup incase the guys can't reach it.







Loren shows off his Globetrotter antics.



The hiker rubs his blistered feet And asks "How far from home?" The SA plans an ice cream feed With George and sponsor Boehm. The skiers ski, the choir sings, The seminar gives witness. The bikers ride, the actors act,
The gymnists train for fitness.
Between the outings, tours, and fun
A thought begins to chime:
Wouldn't classes be an amusing change
If only there were time?

Mr. Gerard finalizes plans for up upcoming Seminar program.





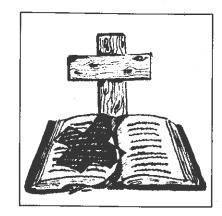


Preaching And Teaching

Getting involved and caring enough to work a little bring rewards of inner growth and experience to Sabbath School teachers and Bible Seminar members. Under sponsor Gerard, Bible Sem. members visit conference churches and bring to the members sermons and music. Added rewards to these trips are getting off campus and enjoying home cooked food at the afternoon potlucks.



Rehearsing sermons and special music, Bible Seminar members ready themselves for Sabbath services.





The "circle system" gives everyone in Miss Peasley's Sabbath School Class a front-row seat. Right: Kathy Decker presents a lesson study for Mr. Tripp's Class.



S.A. OFFICERS: Nancy Gerard, Sponsor; John Nunes, Fund Raising Chairman; Darcy Richards, Community Outreach Chairman; Rhonda Champion, Secretary; Jeff Lingerfelt, Parlimentarian; Darlene Burnette, Vice President; George Ullrich, President; Gwen Boyer, Pastorette; Christy Towne, Social Secretary; John Wilhelm, Sgt-at-Arms; Glenda Umali, Treasurer; Roy Boehm, Sponsor.





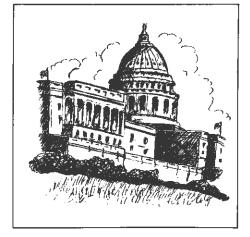
One of SA's coolest activities - an ice cream feed.



FIRST SEMESTER SENATORS: Darlene Burnette, Chairman; Beth Hawbaker, Senior; Robin Schmidt, Sophomore; Carolyn Holland, Freshman; James Nestler, Sophomore; Van Hodges, Senior; Danny Koliadko, Freshman; Debbie Scott, Junior; Shawn McCrery, Junior.



SECOND SEMESTER SENATORS: Darlene Burnette, Chairman; Beth Hawbaker, Bruce Greenberg, Seniors; Jaime Hawbaker, Brian Norman (Not Pictured), Freshmen; Candi Quedzuweit, Raymond Shields, Juniors; Laurie Bianchi, Guenther Walker, Sophomores.



SVA's Biggest Club

"Is the salad bar ever coming?"
"Why can't we wear pants in subfreezing temperatures?" were
some of the many questions confronting President Ullrich during
monthly S.A. meetings. At one
such meeting Jeff Lingerfelt and
John Nunes resurrected the River
Appreciation Society, naming Stuart Ware the official Insect Identifier.

S.A. also provided full tummies and smiling faces at the International Food Fair, which featured the excellent film, *The Hiding Place*. Organizing homeleave activities and annual spring and fall picnics, student Week of Prayer, and the Christmas and Valentine's parties challenged the officers, while senators served 'their posts faithfully and were rewarded with the privilege of cleaning up after every S.A. program.

FIRST SEMESTER OFFICERS: Wayne Verde, Sports Secretary; Rodney Clark, Pastor; Jeff Lingerfelt, Vice President; Travis Crawford, President; Kevin Kohler, Secretary-Treasurer; Steve Irby, Pianist; Magdiel Feliciano, Chorister; Rick Baumgartner, Sgt.-at-Arms (not pictured).

Travis Crawford, President, presents Mr. Webster with "Boys' Club Man of the Year" award.







Stiles' Style

Travis Crawford and cohorts led

out in such Boys' Club activities as

the reception, a "non" computer dat-

ing benefit, and the annual Sigma Beta

It's not easy to get into the club, as

some new members found out during the new year's initiation. Once in,

however, guys are loyal members as

... we will ever strive in all we do,

For I, Sigma Beta Chi, to thee will be

they sing with ardor:

true.

Chi Christmas and barn parties.





SECOND SEMESTER OFFICERS: John Quedzuweit, Sports Secretary; Bruce Greenberg, Secretary-Treasurer; Travis Crawford, President; Steve Irby, Pianist; Steve Rose, Vice President; Paul McGraw, Chorister; Rockey Corner, Pastor; Deryl Hevener, Sgt.-at-Arms.

FIRST SEMESTER OFFICERS: (Back) Evie Mariani, Social Secretary; Ellen Adams, Vice President; Jamie Blommer, President; Cindy Ripley, Secretary; (Front) Coleen Moog, Pianist; Ruth Ann Mayers, Pastorette; Alice Casavant, Sgt-at-Arms(not pictured); Diane McPherson, Chorister(not pictured).





Miss Peasley welcomes Bruce McCorkle to the Girls' Club midway.



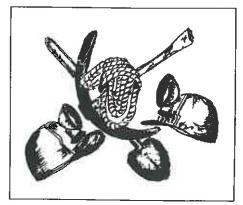


SECOND SEMESTER OFFICERS. Keli Sheer, Secretary; Vicky Shanko, Social Secretary; Coleen Moog, Pianist; Evie Mariani, Vice President; Jamie Blommer, President; Teresa Underwood, Treasurer; Carol Youngberg, Pastorette; Rajena Reich, Sgt-at-Arms; Diane McPherson, Chorister (not pictured).

Baruch's Barracks

Rah, rah for Thia Fia... the chorus fills the chapel during Girls' Club meetings on Sunday evenings. During that time Madame President, Jamie Blommer, and her co-officers present plans for coming events and review the successes and failures of previous ones.

Activities this year included a stupendous circus affair for Open House, a preposterous picnic supper, a Birthday party for the boy's dean, and a festive Christmas party. Expanding its activities beyond the dorm, the club has been working with a family in the vacinity by providing for some of their needs.



Underground Society

"Things that go bump in the dark" may strike fear into the hearts of most, but a group on campus found such things a delightful challenge. Mr. Webster, chief spelunker, directed his cluster of courageous cavers with a carbide lamp and some words of caution. The group had a "bang-up" time poking around in the earth. Fortunately, they did not disturb the living quarters of anything larger than a few sleepy bats.

FIRST SEMESTER OFFICERS: Jamie Laughlin, President; Jay Cross, Vice President; Wanda Joyner, Treasurer; Sharlene Mallow, Secretary; Charles Webster, Sponsor; Diane Bahnsen, Sponsor, SECOND SEMESTER OFFICERS: Wanda Joyner, President; Jay Cross, Vice President; Sharlene Mallow, Secretary-Treasurer; Yolanda Hevener, Pastor; Charles Webster, Sponsor; Diane Bahnsen, Sponsor.







Watch your step, Sharlene. It's a long way



Club members are awestruck at some of the "buried treasure" they find.



Snowed Under

Skiing has swept the country like a snowstorm, and SVA has taken to the slopes. The Ski Club was the core of many exciting experiences for those involved. More than 80 students joined the club, led by ski champion, Tom Bryce, the Snowshoe's Kelly Cup Winner of 1978. Expeditions this year took the club to the Bryce Mountain, Massanutten, and Snowshoe ski resorts.

Even some faculty, like Dr. Twomley and Mr. Hurlbert, got in on the action. Mr. Gammon, club sponsor, was a tremendous help in organizing the trips.

CLUB OFFICERS: Tom Bryce, President; Marty Wold, Vice President; Janet Sincavage, Secretary, Danny Matthews, Sgt-at-Arms; Bruce McCorkle, Pastor.







The Ski Club is ready to hit those slopes. Above left; "The things you got to do to get the girls to notice you!" Above right: Doug Dunbebin carries his hero on his back.

"Over hill, over dale, we will hit the muddy trail . . . " The Camping Club prepares for an outing.





Packing Out Back

The Camping Club scheduled many trips during the year, but the main fling was the backpacking expedition over the Appalachian Trail. Twenty-one brave, sturdy souls endured, if not enjoyed, the 88 mile trek. Mr. Strickland, head hiker, sallied forth through rain, snow, sleet and sometimes even sunshine. But the trip left the hikers anticipating coming events that promised to be just as much fun, if not as challenging.







Attempts at setting up camp are all "washed up." Above left: Janet Sincavage seems to have spotted a dry oasis ahead. Above right: "Onward and upward." Vicky Shanko leads the way.

Glenda Umali, Cheryl Thomas, and Christie Towne form "The Thing."



Shelly Clucas perches on the parallels. Below: Is she trying to look like an angel?



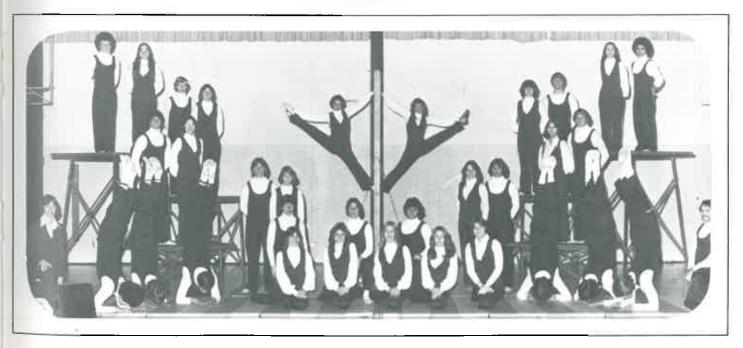




The Sound Of Music

The stage was "alive with the sound of music" as SVA's Olympians demonstrated gasp-inspiring feats for audiences in Greenville, Miami, Washington D.C., Norfolk, as well as the Homeshow.

The gymnists traveled widely this year. Accepting an invitation from the Potomac Conference, the team performed at the Festival of Faith in North Carolina. Then they headed farther south for a funfilled, sunbaked, working vacation in Florida.



The Olympians stand dressed out and ready. OFFICERS: Rodney Clark, Team Manager: Christy Towne, Woman's Captain; John Quendzuweit. Men's Captain; Roger McFarland; Sponsor

President Nunes declares '78 is great. Below: V.P. Evie is troubled over the class

SENIOR OFFICERS: John Hudgins, Vice President; Eddie Wilson, Pastor; Van Hodges, Sgt-at-arms; Earla Lee, Secretary, Steve Green, Treasurer, John Nunes, President.













V.P. Genny asks Boys' Club president Travis if he wants to trade offices. Above: President Buch dresses up for a diplomatic din-



JUNIOR OFFICERS: Marc Giannoni, Treasurer, Jeff Mace, Pastor, Marty Wold, President, Evie Mariani, Vice President; Russ Kemmerer, Sgt-at-Arms; Bonnie Bingham, Secretary (Not Pictured).



SOPHOMORE OFFICERS: (Back) Coleen Moog, Treasurer; Tom Decker, Pastor;

James Nestler, Sgt-at-Arms, Lynette Klim, Secretary, (Front) Doug Dunbebin,

President; Ginny Lingerfelt, Vice President; John Henline, Class Sponsor.

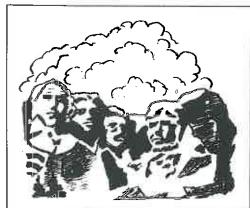


FRESHMEN OFFICERS: Robbie Matthews, Pastor; Kathy Decker, Vice President; Bino Patterson, Sgt-at-Arms; Marc Buch, President; Deanna Wolosuk, Treasurer; Becky Willis, Secretary.

Go To The Head Of The Class

Class meetings are "closed." Especially those having to do with electing officers, choosing themes and planning activities. But there are always some weak souls who can't keep a secret. The word gets around. That's how the Sophomores and Seniors found out that the Juniors had chosen brown for their blazers, and how the whole school knew Marc Buch had been elected Freshman class president.

But there comes a time for formal announcements. A false alarm fire drill announced the Senior officers. The Juniors left clues lying around to inform the rest of the student body of their choices for officers. Doug Dunbebin, a first year Sophomore, had his loyal subjects proclaim the results of their elections in a medieval tradition while royal trumpets sounded. Freshmen officers declared their roles in the student body at the annual campfire on backhill. Marc Buch arrived in the presidential "limo" driven by the class sponsor.



Tropical Fever Strikes

Sometimes one wonders if it's worth all the hard work for a chance to see another side of life: Puerto Rico's side. Extra rehearsals and extra strain turned into an extraordinary choir, as Mr. Young's skill and patience transformed flat tenors, sharp altos, sopranos that couldn't read music, and basses "belonging in the geriatric ward"

into one of the best choirs SVA has lent ears to.

Trial run appearances such as the Christmas Concert helped prepare the choir for its audiences "abroad." Mid-March found members trembling, but ready for the long awaited trip to the tropical island.





Janet Sincavage, President; Gwen Boyer, Secretary-Treasurer; Roland Caton, Pastor; David Woods, Robe and Equipment Manager; Robert Young, Conductor; Coleen Moog, Pianist.



The sopranos go over it again and again and again and \ldots ...



"Look Mom, thats me on TV."







Daryl Holland follows the bouncing notes in



Kevin Napier slides into action on the trombone.



Testerman Applies Band-aid

SVA's new band has found that out of talent, hard work, and lots of practice, it can be done. Under Mr. Testerman's "magic wand," beautiful music *can* be made.

After being in hybernation for a time, the band has come out, prepared to face the near impossible job of getting rusty musicians to dust off their instruments and start practicing those scales once again. The task has been successfully met, and it's been great to be recognized again.



Things are "looking up" for the SVA band.

Book Of -The Year

A typical fourth period in the lives of the yearbook staff:

9:30. Rhonda, the editor, arrives to find a dark and empty room.

9:33. Mrs. Twomley, sponsor, rushes in with a full line of instructions. The two of them set to work.

9:37. All but a few of the staff have trickled in. Someone offers prayer. Rhonda is bombarded with a myriad of questions.

9:55. The typewriter hums, croppers crop, writers try to write.

10:10. Three workers give excuses and leave early.

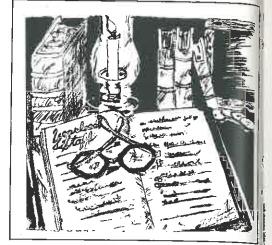
10:14. Remaining volunteers check their watches.

10:15. The bell rings. Students rush to meet other appointments.

10:20. The second bell rings. Rhonda cleans up, turns off the light, and slips late into English.

What has been accomplished? You're looking at it.

(Back) Connie Twomley, Sponsor; Debbie Cain, Copy Editor, Les Aho, Advertising; Dean Holland, Photographer, Marc Giannoni, Photographer, Kevin Kohler, Photographer, Becky Roberts, Copy, Doug Dunbebin, Artist, Layout, (Front) Rhonda Champion, Editor, Roland Caton, Layout Editor; Glenda Umali, Layout, Typist; Gwen Boyer, Layout; Carolyn Calhoun, Advertising Manager; Marjorie Parsons, Layout, Artist; Sandy Keller, Copy Editor (Not Pictured).



"Isn't he a doll!" Glenda & Gwen love picking out







Marc Giannoni tests the wind for a precision picture.



"hey Roland, it's your baby now," Rhonda points with glee at the final deadline date.

"Gotcha!" Dean Holland captures a front page image.



Summer Peasley, Sponsor; Ellen Adams, Editor, Steve Green, Copy Editor, Roland Caton, Typist; Marc Giannoni, Photographer; Kevin Kohler, Photographer; Dean Holland, Photographer.





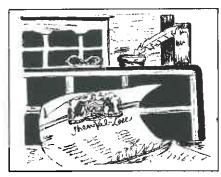
Miss Peasley ponders which picture of Everett goes in the Valentine's issue.



Steve Green is the "cut-up" on the paper staff.



Editor Ellen makes a grueling snap decision.



Making Headlines

Shen-Val-Lore, the school paper, has sometimes been the only way Mom and Dad get insight as to what happens on campus. Secret advisor, "Aunt Agatha" offers reasonable answers to routine questions about dorm, academic, and love life. "Darts and Laurels" gives words of approval or disapproval to deserving members of the school family. Student writers report on current events, new faces, and new ideas around campus, bringing them down to a personal level: after all, doesn't everyone like to see his name in print?

Curtain Calls

Dedication to hard work, to extra study, to long hours, and to demanding rehearsals is the stuff of which some dreams are made. Daring to dream big dreams, the SVA Dramatics Guild worked to see some of them come true. Each performance involved hundreds of details and was the product of dedication and perservance. Each performance was, however, its own reward.

The objectives in '77-'78 were three-fold. The first was the development of talent and creativity. The second was the production of quality, thought-provoking entertainment at SVA. The third was preparation for the changing role of Christian communicators in a changing world.

The demands were many and the applause did not last, but the rewards of an impossible job done well was success, personal and satisfying.







Bruce Greenberg comes up for air.



Steve Thomas is torn between three lovers.



Some people got it. Some people don't.



The Dramatics Guild dares to dream of successful coming performances.



"And he thinks I love him!" David Chapman proposes to



BONUS QUESTIONS:

- I. Why are 48 kids boarding the bus blindfolded?
- 2. Why does Dean Stiles walk bowlegged lately?
- 3. What are fellows doing in a Home Ec class?
- 4. Why are music teachers known for their patience?
- 5. Why is Mr. Boehm playing Judge?
- 6. What are 18 cat skins doing in the trash?

Physics Physically Impossible

Dragging in five minutes late, Bruce and Joe join the gathering assortment of dull-witted, half awake Seniors who share the common fate of first period Physics.

While balanced on high lab stools, slowly emerging mental faculties are barraged by a complicated array of formulas, laws, equations, and definitions. Getting confused in this situation is not difficult, but Mr. J. patiently re-explains until light finally dawns.

With a calculator and determination, Physics can be survivable. But why so early in the morning?

Teresa Underwood resigns herself to the thought of another experiment.

"Look Bruce, it's alive!" Becky Chilson gets a charge out of Physics class.







"Oh, no, Rhonda, we ran out of gas." "Don't worry, Steve, I've got everything under

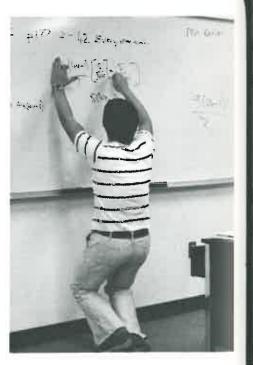
This Does sweet on Algebra. Not Compute

Square roots dance in your head, triangles bump across cluttered paper; numbers hinge on the brain, waver on your pencil point. The math department is a good place to test your mental agility. First comes Algebra I, then Geometry and Algebra II. For the Einsteins and Schweitzers, Advanced Math proves a grand finale of symbols and formulas. Hopefully on on completion you have learned the answer to two plus two, along with a small multitude of other indispensible mathematical facts.





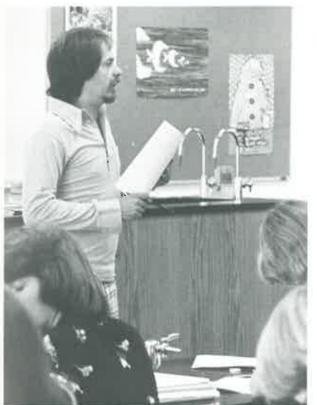
Mrs. Liers tries convincing the class to "get Kevin Kohler puts his whole self into solving



Left: "Like father, like son," Danny Matthews and company are dumbfounded by an Algebratil

Biology

'Hey, that's just the way it is," Copie Jr. assures his doubting





Lynette Klim mutilates kitty cat and calls it disection.

Susan Williams and Robin Schmidt get to the heart of the matter.

Oh No, Its Morris!

"I'd like to introduce to you Sir Godfrey Cat. This is his intestine, his heart, and this is his stomach."

Collections, dissections and memorizations of strange sounding five syllable unicellulars are as basic to Biology as notes and quizzes. Studying genetics, staring through the end of a microscope, or learning the cellular make-up of the ameoba and paramecium all help students expand their knowledge of the inside world.

But classwork isn't the only exciting part part of Mr. Copie's biology classes. There are the yearly pilgrimages to a field station, where the kids learn to identify such delicasies as nutes, snakes, and other crawling creatures. And when spring has finally sprung in the valley, Bio I students can be seen tramping the fields and marshes gathering wild flowers.

Cindy Harlow jumps at the thought of 5 minutes of workout.

Margot Brown stretches to her "crazy \$" position.





Shaping Up The Student Body

The stillness of the pool's chlorinated surface is broken as a body splashes into the water. The clompclomp of a gym full of jumpropers vibrates the floor. Perspiration drips down the runner's neck on his last lap around the track.

One of the most varied of all the scholastic programs at SVA, the physical education department aims to keep everyone in shape. Courses in golf, tennis, skiing, condition, weight-training, various levels of swimming, diving, scuba diving, as well as seasonal sports, are offered.

Skills developed in these areas serve well not only in the present, but can be relied on in future years to help keep off those extra middle-age pounds.







Lynette Champion rescues Susan Williams in a "lifesaving" situation. Above: Kevin Kohler and Bruce McCorkle prepare their equipment for scuba diving.

"Who said a man's best friend is his dog?"











Horsemanship

Oscar Rodriquez and pony, Paint, come in from a cold winter's ride.



Horsin' Around

"Hi Ho Silver, Away!" can be heard as students disappear into the sunset, clinging to their new found four-legged friends.

Horsemanship has added a western touch to the campus. The men primarily responsible for this new flair in sportsmanship are Deans Durham and Stiles. They take the clan on numerous jaunts and excursion. They also have them ride around and around and around the corral to learn control, style, and grace.

Yes, SVA is indulging in the pleasures of buckaroo society and finding it's mighty fine. Don't be surprised if we have our own rodeo one day!

Government

Prosecuting Attorney Nunes eloquently expresses his closing statement.

Contemplating the prosecution's interrogations, Marjorie Parsons, a witness, reviews the





Boehm Takes The Bench

"I object, Your Honor!" was frequently heard in the case of Longley vs. Thompson. Witnesses were interrogated, evidence brought forth; heated arguments arose to be brought to order by Judge Boehm. Finally, a verdict was reached in favor of the defense.

The week of court sessions was a short diversion from the daily grind of Government class. Other activities that take devoted students away from their Macgruders' are real-life sessions in county courthouses, and a four-day tour of the nation's capitol. These treats are candy to the victims of Mr. Boehm's Government tests.





A solumn jury reviews the evidence.



"Judge" Boehm referees the case at hand.

Patiently working through pages of texts, Karen Westerburg prepares her Bible for Mrs. Battle's



A calculator represents man's way, shown here in opposition to the Word.





Battle In The Bible Belt

RELIGION

One textbook every student has in common is the Holy Bible. At least one period a day is devoted to the study of its principles.

Mrs. Gertrude Battle, a retired Bible instructor from Collegedale, helped supplement upperclass Religion with a six week program in Bible marking. Mrs. Battle, a virtual walking Bible, directed class members in a progressive marking of tests dealing with 18 basic doctrines and a number of other significant topics.

The end product of this program is a comprehensive and organized method of Bible study; a valuable aid in "rightly dividing the Word."

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Mr. Gammon instructs Bart Petty and Dale Helms on how to build electromagnets.





"Da crank shaft connected to da ankle bone?" John Quedzuweit has a hard time figuring out these American made cars.



Dean Klim gets all his skill and knowledge into gear in order to draw a square. Now that's patience!

Mechanically Minded

Practice, patience, and a sharp pencil are three necessary tools for learning the art of drafting. Blueprints get a trial run when brought to life by woodworking skills; if you have the knack, you can try architectural drafting and design your own dream house.

Learning to stay on the road presents a challenge for others. One-hundred twenty-five Roadrunners would "drive" anybody crazy, right Mr. Gammon? If you prefer greasy fingers to nervous ones, Auto II and Auto Body afford opportunity to keep a car in shape inside and out. With the skills developed, a license, and a little luck, you're ready for the road.

Arts & Crafts

Wallet making keeps Marjorie Parsons busy in leathercraft class.

Go Creative

Mr. McFarland's doubleperiod Arts and Crafts class may not produce da'Vinci's, but it supplies the materials, opportunity and discipline for young, would-be artists and craftsmen to go creative. A little talent teamed with coordination and a lot of patient instruction turns ceramics, string work, leather goods and drawing pad into masterpieces the creators can be proud of, and perhaps a few amateurs into future professionals of the creative world.





Rory Ellis adds a little color to the belt he's designed.

agrees with a smile.

Larry Herbst displays his artistic talent on his



Home Eci Jamie Blommer punch-hooks a master

"Happiness is sewing your own clothes," Sandy Keller piece in Home Ec II.

Panhandling

What teenage girl doesn't think about her future as either a career woman or a housewife? Home Ec. offers courses that are valuable in both future endeavors. This year the choices include homecrafts, cooking, sewing, and family care. Hookrugs, macrame, afghans and sewing projects take form. The tantalizing smells of cooking experiments meet the nose and add to the homey atmosphere.

Now the fellows too are part of the Home Ec. scene. With Singles Survival geared toward teaching a novice how to cook, sew, clean, and generaly keep house, Home Ec is keeping in step with the times. And who knows, maybe one of the guys will be inspired to become a gourmet chef!







Left: Like "one of the girls," Mrs. Gerard joins her class in watching a filmstrip on

If the grass is greener on the other side, Paul Collins and Rose Reimche can't see it.





"Hey, it's wet!" Loren Middag discovers.





Blind lead blind as Creative Writing students venture into the forest.

English •

"Continuing in the tradition of the class," Mr. Garey says, "I will try to bore you Seniors with interesting facts about major British authors of bygone days."



English | Breaks Loose

These days the study of English is not restricted to verbs, vocab lists, and Shakespeare. English III has been enriched by mini-course electives that may find a student walking blindfolded in the woods as part of a Creative Writing project. Or it may find him pantomiming in Drama, debating in Speech, or evaluating the effectiveness of the mass media. He may be discovered in a remote corner of the library unearthing little known facts for Research

The assortment of activities is outdone only by the imagination of the instructors. If variety is the spice of life, the English department cooks up one flavorful

Music

From "Moose" To "Moosician"

From one door comes the rhythmic tick of a metranome keeping time to a despairing pianist's scale. From the next come sounds of "Po tu da be da" as a vocalist warms up. Echoes which seem at first to be a succession of fireworks come from the third: a happy drummer flimflams away. In one of the studios, Mrs. Twomley patiently repeats, "If you will say the counts, the beats won't be so uneven," while next door Mr. Young works on transforming a bass's moose mating call into a thing of beauty.

Somehow, out of chaos comes order. Gradual metamorphoses occur as tooters become clarinetists, key pushers immerge as pianists, and singers trade their hoots for resonant tones.

Coleen must know the music if she can play with her eyes closed.





Mike Yarborough conducts from the back.



Business Ed

Deanna Wolosuk finds there is no speed limit in this class.

Tap, tap, tap, zing \dots Typing class makes another attempt at breaking their own record.

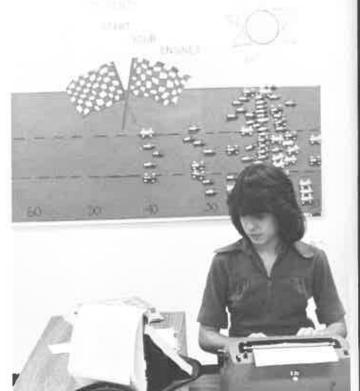


IBM's Vs. WPM's

"Students, start your engines!"

No, typewriters have not taken to wheels, but Mrs. Gammon has taken to a bulletin board racing device to encourage Typing I students to improve speed and accuracy. Thirty-nine IBM Selectrics erase every excuse for not developing modern typing skills.

From the typewriter, Office Practice students graduate to the transcriber, calculator, and telephone switchboard. Meanwhile, aspirants of Shorthand practice squiggles, dots and lines, and memorize brief forms. Each class member is assigned to take a letter from a specified faculty member in an attempt to simulate an on-the-job situation.





"A Sophomore? You're kidding!
All year I thought you were a Junior."
"No man. Class of '80. Didn't you get a Flirts and Squirts?"

"Yeah, but I think I lost it when I

cleaned my room once."

"What you need is a yearbook.

They ought to be here anytime now."

"A yearbook? Why do I need a

"A yearbook? Why do I need a yearboo... Hey! Who's that girl?..."

Charles Allen Food Service Director

Dianne Bahnsen Assistant Dean of Girls

> Kathy Baruch Dean of Girls

Roy Boehm World History, Government



Lucy Copenhaver Ad Building Custodian

Herbert Copenhaver, Jr. Biology, Chemistry

> Ted Decker Farm Manager



Michael Gammon Industrial Arts Driver Education

Shirly Gammon Business Education

Clyde Garey

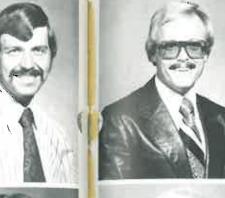




















Nancy Gerard Home Economics

John J. Henline Health, Physical Education

Max Hill Church Pastor



















Alan Hurlbert Registrar, U.S. History

William Johnston Physics, Mathematics

Sarah Jane Liers Mathematics

















Roger McFarland Industrial Arts, Art, Gymnastics

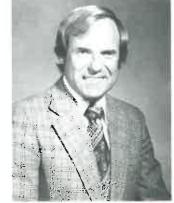
Sharon McFarland English

Dorenda Moore Librarian, Secretary to the Principal

Alfred Moulder Bindery Manager

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Principal's Message



Dear Student Friends:

For almost a decade and a half I have watched you, academy students of the past and present, come and go through academy doors. Some have come out of curiosity, some with conviction; some looking for avenues to fulfill future goals, others for the fun of easy street. Some of you have come with eagerness and determination to be happy, others with indifference.

From the campus living patterns you establish, you consciously or

unconciously project future directions. It is interesting to follow you after you leave. Some from whom we anticipated much leave their talents by the wayside. It is not always the "most-likely-tosucceed" who find the most success. Often those who spend their academy years in the background grow and develop into roles which surprise and please us. In time, you become nurses, preachers, homemakers, teammates with us in teaching. It makes us feel older, but happy in the fruits of our labors.

SVA offers the same to all students. We cannot tell which seeds will take root, which ones will not. Our efforts and our hopes extend to each. We do not expect that you will all become oaks, perfectly duplicated in strength and ability. We do hope you will become as strong and as increased in ability as you can.

Dale E. Twomley Principal

Dale E. Twomley

John Nafie Assistant Dean of Boys

Summer Peasiey

Kathleen Riley Student Center, Bookstore Manager

Chana Smith Physical Education, Assistant Dean of Girls

> Jack C. Stiles Dean of Boys

William J. Strickland Vice-principal, Spanish

Donna Testerman Assistant Librarian

James Testerman Band, Instruments

> Don Tripp Religion

Connie Twomley Keyboard

Jack VanArsdale Bindery Sales Manager

> Charles Webster Maintenance



















Maintenance Beverly Williams Accountant

Wilton White



Clarence Williams Guidance, U.S. History

Robert Young Choir, Voice

Duska Hurlbert School Nurse (not pictured)

Not The Star; The Stage Manager

I pull open one of the heavy front doors, and put on the role of teacher for eight or ten hours. There are a few moments of quiet to chat with readers and water plants, and then the bell rings. Presto: chaos. Greetings, jokes, complaints, requests, tales of woe, stumble over each other for my attention, wait for me to impose some order on them. A teacher is not so much the star of the show as he is the stage manager.

But stars are not lacking. For me, the best action is in the faces flirting, groaning, laughing, questioning, occasionally alight with a new idea. I watch the faces to catch my cues. Learning seldom seems to occur according to the script. The hours crowd each other through the day, brimming with appointments and responsibilities, laced with moments of understanding and friendship.

Then, just as suddenly, the last bell rings. It is quiet enough to hear the hum of the lights and the distant slam of a locker. There is time to remember a lonely face, to wonder if some explanation was understood. Even time, when I dare, to wonder if it was worth explaining. It's a good feeling to hear those heavy doors close behind you — as long as you know that tomorrow you get another chance.

It Grows On You

My mother told me that academy years would be the best of my life. Dad promised that all the boys would fall in love with his little girl, and my older sister said I'd have a blast.

FRESHMAN

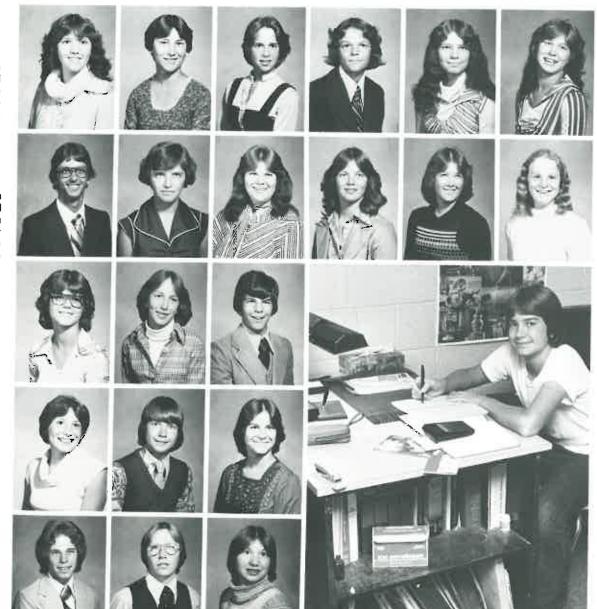
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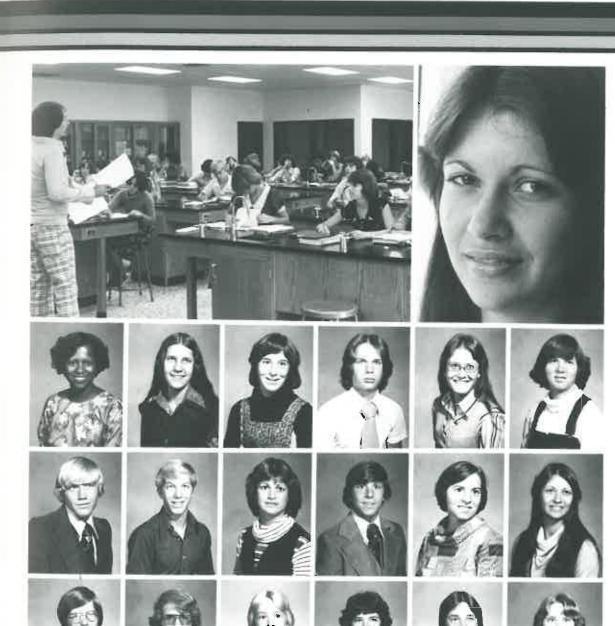
Shelli DuBois Derrick Early Jane Eisele

Blaine Farsht Garnett Fisher Cindy Harlow



"Only three more hours of homework!"

And me? I saw academy as football games, dates for Saturday night, and harder classes with plenty of homework. But as my first day as a Freshman approached, I began to get scared. What if nobody asks me out?, I wondered. And I might not make any friends. I was certain I was going to be a first class dud as an academy student.



(Left) "Everybody failed -again."

Fredricka Harris Lori Hauver Jamie Hawbaker Dale Helms Yolanda Hevener Marie Hicks

Wayne Hobbs Morris Holder Carolyn Holland Stewart Hoskins Susan Johnson Sandy Kantner

Jon Kaufmann Dean Klim Richard Kolb Dan Koliadko Karl Kreitner Sherril Larsen

"Where's my locker?"

"I can't find my Freshman Bible class!"

"I've never seen so many people in my entire life!"

The first day was indescribable. Jamie Laughlin defines it as "different," Bart Petty says it was "tiring," and Lori Hauver insists it was "scary."

As Freshmen, there are the traditional roles to endure; being last in line for Sabbath dinner, scoring lowest at the SA Picnic, and rooming on first. It's also a little hard to adjust to cold showers, waterings aimed from third floor windows, short-sheeted beds, and sharing a room with two total strangers.

But why be discouraged? There are three more wonderful years that will keep getting better as they go. Belinda Smith sums it all up when she says, "It's great!" Penny Rogers feels "It's one of the finer schools, and gives you a good education plus a better chance to become what you want." And Deanna Wolosuk says, "It grows on you!"

It Grows On You Con't.

Jamie Laughlin Steve Lyter Robbie Matthews Judy Moog Anne Moore Timmy Morris Kevin Napier Brian Norman Angie Norwood Brian Novak Kim Painter Bino Patterson John Pennington Bart Petty Vicky Pollard Steve Reed Penny Rogers Tommy Russek

You're smiling about Biology,



Jon "Denver" Kaufman protests fan club photographers.

Quincy Schmidt Kim Sheer Billy Shore Robert Shreve Belinda Smith Suzy Snyder

Robert Thayer Kenny Thomas Debbie Thråll Alan Verde Darlny Washinger Russ Webster

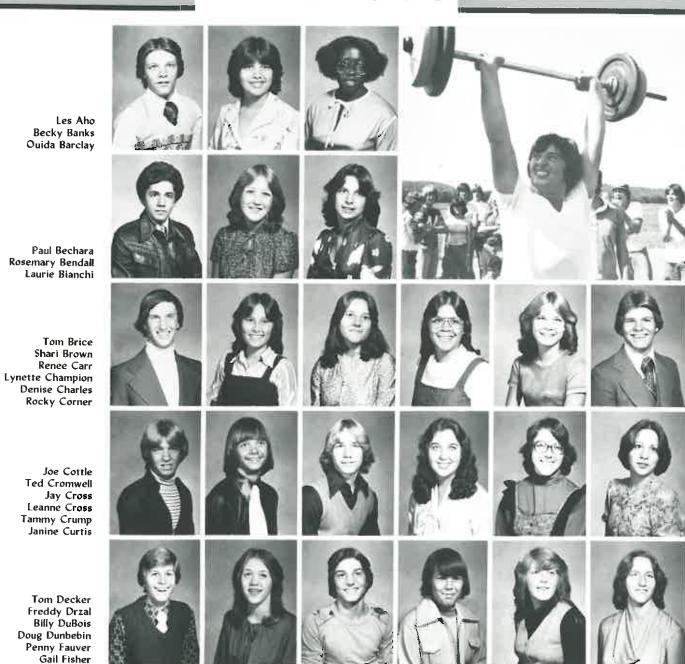
Jimmy West Becky Willis Betty Winegar Deanna Wolosuk Tony Yost

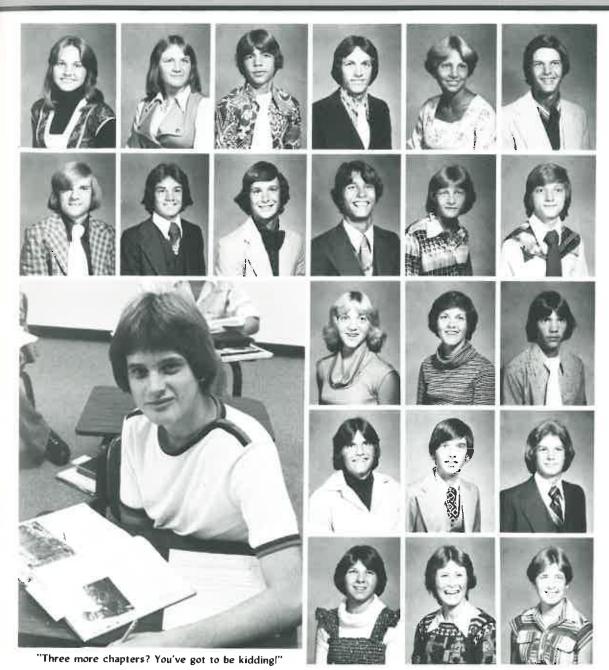
Sophisticated way to becoming sophicated Sophomores. We're at home now in the dorms, and we feel like old-timers, settled into the patterns of SVA life.

We've done it! We've really done it. We've grown out of that awkward, bumbling stage known as Freshmanhood, and made it all the way to becoming sophicated Sop-

Coming back to school in the fall, we entered the familar halls and took pride in showing the Freshmen where the bathrooms are, and how to find the classrooms in the Ad Building that we're so accustomed to. Home-sickness, initiation, and class competitions don't scare us like they did when we were... Freshmen.

SOPHOMORES





Marie Foster Sharon Fox Jeff Greenburg Karl Haffner Susie Hallman Mark Harris

Donley Helms Bruce Hicks Deryl Holland Roger Hoskins Tim Indart Ron Jeffers

Sandra Johnson Lynette Klim Alan Koliadko

Andy Koliadko Mark Lail David Lewis

Ginny Lingerfelt Kim Macknet Jackie Martin

Mr. Boehm pounds World History into our already crowded minds, and study halls are study halls when trying to interpret Geometry proofs that resemble Greek. There are times we doubt our sanity in Mr. Garey's English

With J.J. Henline as our Sophisticated funtastic sponsor, we have no lack of class spirit as we give our "S-O-P-H-O-M-O-R-E-S" cheer. Class activities and competitions bring out our best; only a few more points and we could have topped the Seniors at the fall picnic!

We still have limited privileges, but the grestest privilege is being the Class of 1980. We're not at the bottom anymore; we're almost upperclassmen. And the role we have here at SVA suits us just fine.

Mike Meade Chris Meadows Renee Middag Judy Mills Coleen Moog Lisa Morgan

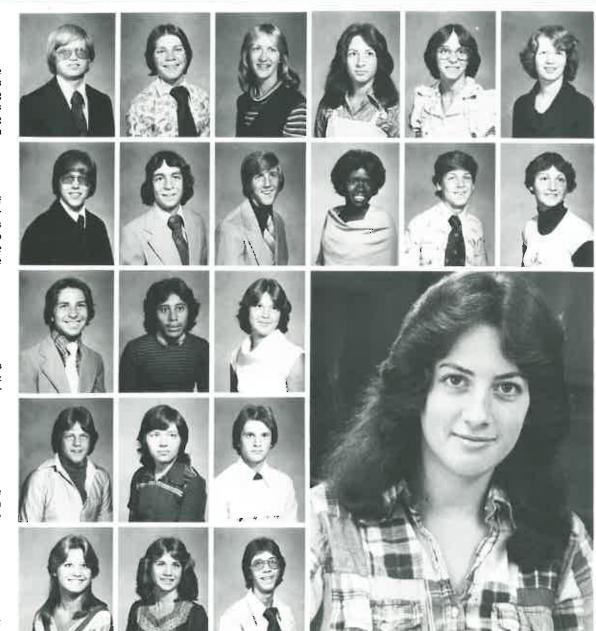


Michael Price **Kathy Rice**

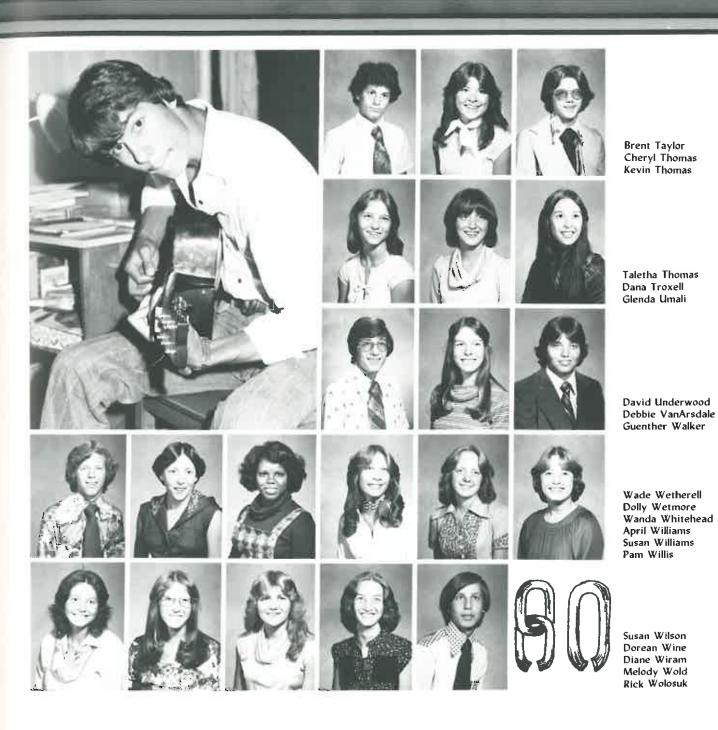
Jack Roberts Orley Rodriguez Monica Rohrer

David Rose Holly Sanborn Tim Sapp

Robin Schmidt Keli Sheer Tom Stevens



"I use Camay, the beauty cleanser."



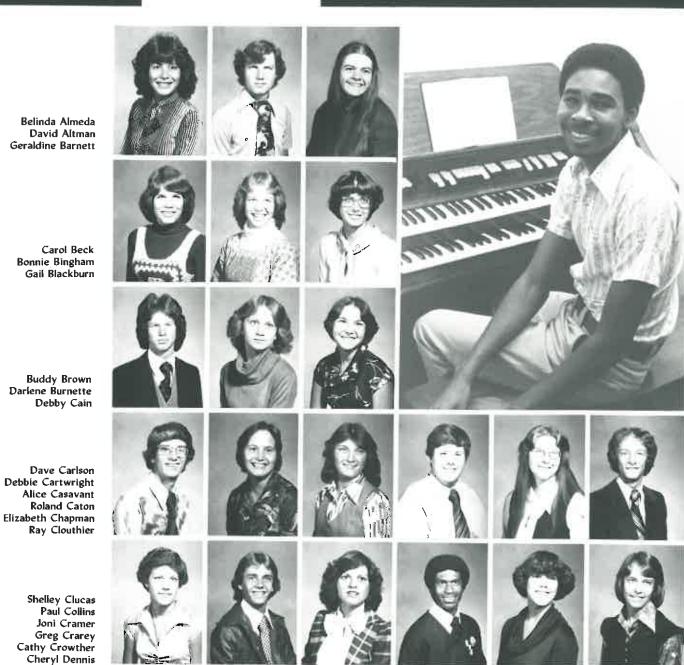
The Age Of Retainers

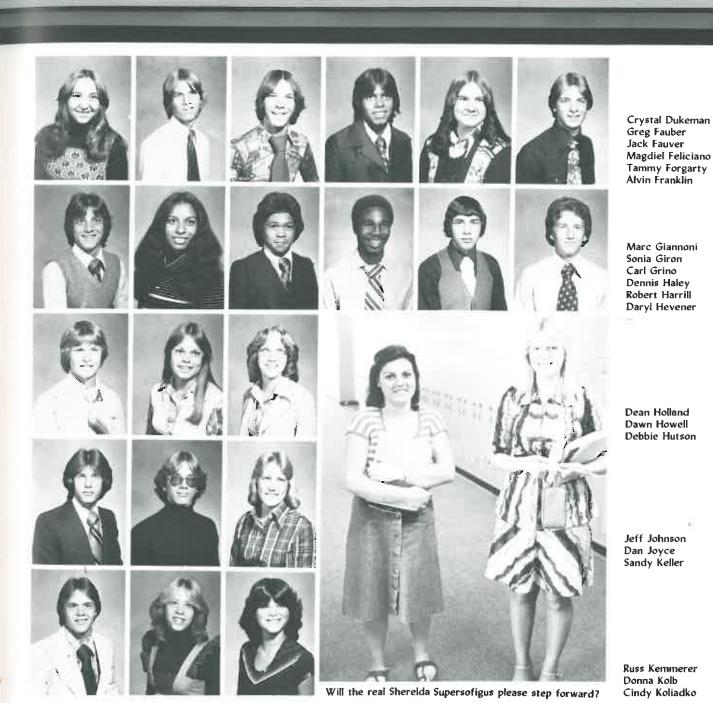
Give me a 'J'!
Give me a 'U'!
Give me an 'N'!
Give me an 'I'!
Give me an 'O'!
Give me an 'R'!

What do 'ya got? A year full of spirit and pride in being the largest class ever enrolled at SVA.

What is the perspective of a Junior? "It's like seeing the end from the middle...graduation is the end!" "We've got harder classes, newer challenges, and more privileges. We've waded through two years of underclassmenship for the great moment of...tada...lower upperclassmenship!"

JUNIORS





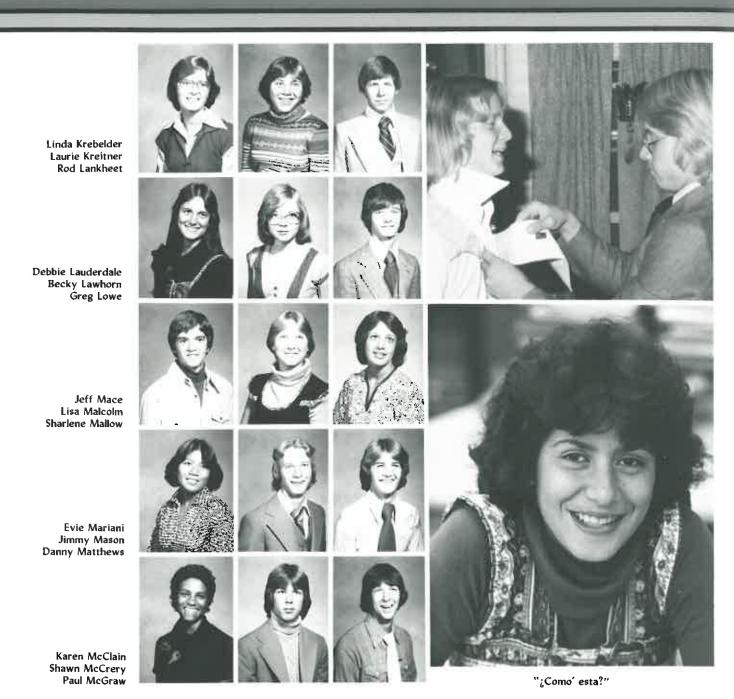
The Age Of Retainers *Con't*.

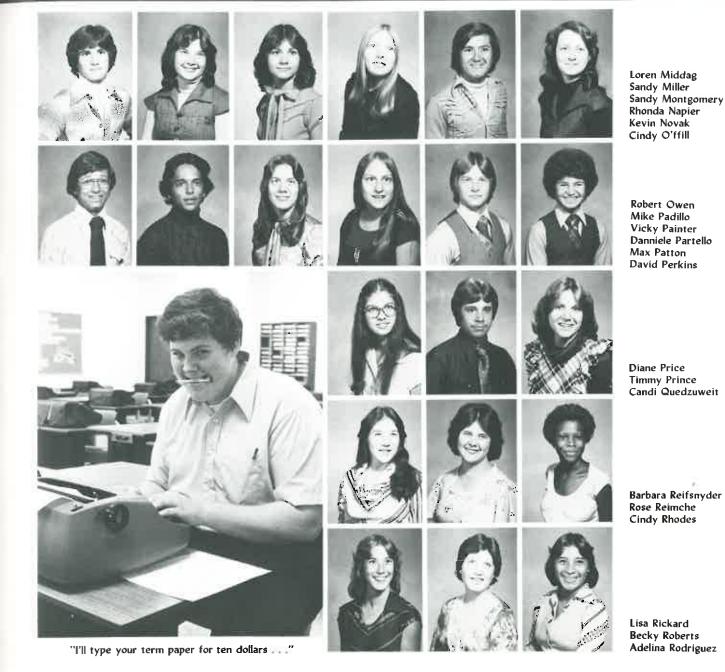
Dating is one of the valued privileges gained on becoming a Junior. "At first, I felt awkward going over to the girls dorm to pick up my date. I'm so used to meeting her at 'drop-off junction' or at the activity. It feels good to be an upperclassman at last."

And we look forward to other awaited privileges: jobs as readers

instead of janitors, off-campus activities, class blazers, and Junior-Senior events. Nor is the traditional spirit of competition with our Senior friends neglected. "I keep noticing how the stones in front of the Student Center mysteriously rearrange themselves from '78' to '79."

Aside from the many advantages, being a Junior also has its not-so-advantageous privileges. There's Miss Peasley's English classes, Mr. Copie's chemistry, PSATs, and major decisions to be made. Oh well, they never promised us a rose garden!





The Age Of Retainers, *Con't*.

Being a Junior is more than having added privileges, harder classes, and activities with the Seniors. It's a year of growing. Physically, some of us have grown taller or wider, cut our hair or grown it long. Braces have come off to herald the age of retainers. Socially, some of us have come out of our shell to become aware of

Daniel Rodriguez Oscar Rodriguez Juan Ramon Rojas

> Debbie Scott Raymond Shields Marie Shultz Lisa Silberman Janet Sincavage Jana Smith

Rusty Smith Kelly Stebbins Harvey Stiles Brenda Strassenburg Teresa Strassenburg Sheri Taylor

(Left) But polka dots are in

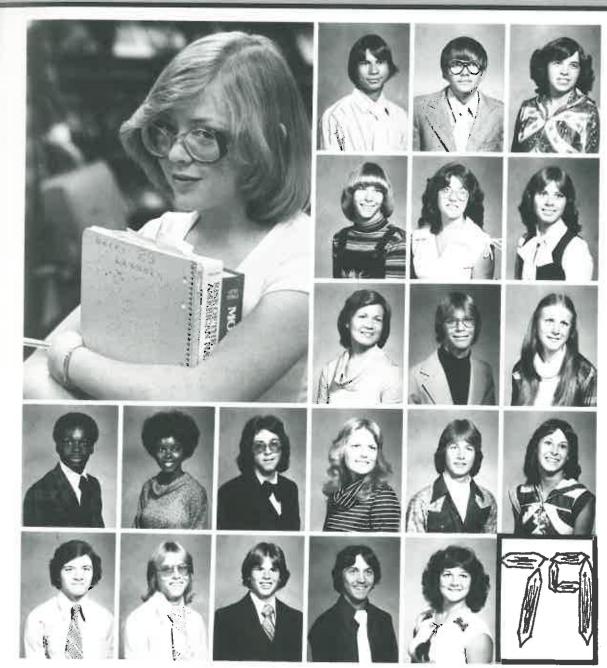
(Right) The Pillsbury Dough



certain residents in the opposite dorms. Spiritually, we're learning that God isn't somebody who only helps the preacher. We've learned how to call upon Him, and to have a close relationship with Him.

Already we're beginning to look back with nostalgia. We were the last Freshmen class to use both the old, and later the new, administration buildings. Years from now, when we hear other SVA alumni speak of the "old ad building," we can add colorful memories of our own.

But for now, our focus is on the future, and before you can say, "Hurray for the Class of 79," we'll be Seniors!



Steven Thomas Ken Tressler Vicky Tressler

Lynn Tucker Linda Underwood Kim Vasquez

Anne Wacker Stuart Ware Karen Westerberg

Chris Williams Stephanie Williams George Wilson Genny Wiram Marty Wold Tammi Wolosuk

Robert Wood. Bruce Yankelevitz Mike Yarbrough Jimmy Young Carol Youngberg



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Verna Ellen Adams
"Verna"

WWC or LLU; Psychology
To be a professional football player

Sonya Rubye Anderson
"Anderson"
Undecided; Undecided
To go camping in Aspen, Colorado with a
friend

Joylyn Rebecca Altman "Almond Joy" CUC; Dental Hygienist Take Kate Jackson's place in Charlie's Angels

Mona Lisa Atkinson "Mo" SMC; Home Ec To be a sky diver

Rhonda Lynn Banks
"Rhonda Bec"
Andrews; Medical Secretary
To be a medical doctor

Richard Melvin Baumgartner "Bum" SMC; Pre-Vet To be 6'4"

Norma Louise Beardwood AUC; Sec. Ed and Home Ec To fly a Boeing 747

Kathy Jo Bendall
"Bendall," "Bundle"
Montgomery College; Interior and Fashion
Design
To be a secret agent

Jamie Lynn Blommer "James," Bloomers" SMC; Nursing To tame a grizzly bear

Dwight Henry Bowdoin
"Dwit"
CUC; Nursing
To be a missionary to Latin America











Gwendolyn Ann Boyer "Chicago" PUC; Merchandising To be a martial arts champion

Patricia Arlene Brown
"Peanut Butter," "Patti"
WSS, Receptionist
To get married someday and help others in
need

Michelle Buch
"Butch, "Buch", "Mitchell"
SMC; Executive Secretary
Be a pole vaulter in the Olympics

Carolyn Joy Calhoun SMC, Nursing To be a vet

Roy D. Campbell, Jr.
"Tinky"
Ford Motor Co. Training, Auto Mechanics
To be Nascar's Grand National Champion
race car driver of the year

Cynthia Lee Casavant
"Cassy"
Undecided; Home Ec
To be a pro race car driver

Rhonda Alane Champion "Fonda" SMC; Medicine To be a high sky diver

David Elton Chapman, Jr.
"The Big Fig"
CUC; Pre-Med
To become a great person in medicine

Becky Lou Chilson SMC; Pre-Med Ride in a hang glider

Rodney Duane Clark
"Rod"
Andrews; Bio-Chemistry
to be an impeccable person with a
methodological way of doing things

Leslee Anne Cornell CUC, Nursing Hike the entire length of the Appalachian Trail Shirley Ann Crapper CUC; Nursing To be a truck driver

Travis Stuart Crawford "Big T," "Jaws" SMC; Law or P.E. To be a professional football player

James Rowe Cromwell, Jr.
"Cromie"
James Madison University: History or
Archeology
To be a professional football player
Efrain Rodriguez
"Efri"
SMC; Music

Melanie Lynn Dresser
"May"
Penn State; History
To live in a cabin in the mountains and raise
horses

Rolf Castor DuVall
"Tutti"
SMC; Business Administration
To be a famous detective

Annette Marie Easton "Narpet" SMC; Art Become a famous artist

To be a choir director

Rory Dale Ellis
"Roar"
CUC, Undecided
To be a professional basketball player

Jonna Freeman "Freeman" Loma Linda; Undecided To be a professional snow skier

Garfield Randolph Freeze Jr. "G.R." Undecided; Truck Driver To be in the National Rodeo

Steven Michael Green "Greenbean" SMC; Medicine To be a California beach bum

SENIORS

There Is Much To Remember

Finally Seniors, and it's hard to believel We've looked forward to this year for so long, and now all of a sudden it's almost gone.

It's incredible to think back on how we've changed. As Freshmen, we were noisy and rambunctious, the rowdies of the school. Remember Nunes, Crawford, Cromwell and their escapades?

Our Sophomore year we began the process of settling down. But only began. Though we took our classwork a little more seriously, class meetings were still close to riotous. Remember piling on the shelf in the old math room until it broke? And somewhere there are several sheep who must still feel terror at the memory of being set loose in the dorm by Whally Leach.



Burce Kevin Greenburg "Paul Newman" SMC, Pre-Med To beat Bjorn Borg at Wimbledon

Chervl Lynn Haffner CUC(?); Physical Therapy Go to Europe for a year and bum around

Peggy Lamarr Haubner "Peg-mar", "Peg-a-lee", "Pe-bop" Mary Washington; Foreign languages and oceanography To join the Airforce and become a jet

Beth Lynn Hawbaker "Cookie Monster" College of William and Mary, Psychology To be the guest star on the Muppet Show

Lawerence Allen Herbst Jr. "Milk man" Andrews; Architectural Drafting

Bonita Hill "Bonnie" Oakwood or Community College; Undecided To live in Canada

Connie Sue Hobbs "Hobbles" SMC, Elementary Ed

Kenneth Van Hodges "Hodges" Maryland University; Engineering

John David Hudgins Jr. "Hudges" SMC or UNC at Chapel Hill; Pharmacy, Ministerial To be a famous world leader

Jaime Ibanez Garev "Haimmci" Undecided; International Law To be a diplomat Stephen Wayne Irby

University of Virginia; Business Education To marry Pam

Robbie Ann Ishkanian "Strawberry Shortcake," "Poopie" Undecided: Undecided To get married, have my first child, and have all the friends in the world.

Kenneth Scott Johnson "Moose" SMC or CUC; Pre-Med To find the cure for major diseases

Cindy Lynn Jones "Little Fox" or "Jonesy" Cecil Comm. College: Child Psychologist To be a pro skiler

Wanda Gail Joyner "Pygmy" SMC; Elementary Ed To be a stunt pilot and do sky diving

Joseph Steven Kaufmann SMC; Undecided To be a fireman

Lewis Edward Kemmerer, Jr. SMC; Anesthesiology To be a professional baseball player

Tamra Lynn King "Tammy" SMC; Elementary Ed Raise and train Siberian Huskies

Kevin Franklin Kohler "Kohler duck" PUC: Bio-Chemistry, Pre-Med Invent a pollution free energy source

Teresa Kay Larsen CUC; Sociology, Psychology To be a famous dress designer

Timothy Martin Lawhorn "Face" Maryland U.; Biology This ain't a secret but I want to be rich. Earla Elayne Lee CUC; Business To be able to relive my happiest times in









David Andrew Lentz "Lentz" SMC; Law or Business Take a summer and travel all over the

Jeffrey Lingerfelt "Lingy" SMC; Lawyer

Roland Bruce McCorkle "Cork," "Mouse" Andrews; Biology To be 6'8" and skinny

Diane Jean McPherson "Dee" SMC: Home Ec To be a veteranarian

Ronald Harry McPherson, Jr. "Craig" Undecided; Auto Mechanics Travel to each of the 50 states

Cindy Karen Macknet SMC. Undecided To go to Alaska

Ruth Anne Mayers CUC; Nursing To fly with no man-made supports

David Wayne Meade "Dinky" None; Carpentry To build my own house and design it

Pamela Kay Napier "Dutchess" U. of Va.; Child Psychology Adopt a child from every country in the

John Arthur Nunes "Nuns", "Nunie" SMC: Theology To learn how to use time

Marjorie Ann Parsons SMC or Andrews; Art To be a professional artist



There is Much To Remember

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Becoming Juniors really birthed a feeling of prestige. We began working as a class, planning programs, activities, facing multitudes of problems and decisions, not the least of which was choosing class blazers.

Now, as Seniors we have been

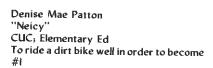
the leaders on campus. Nearly half of us are four-year students, and that has brought a sense of unity and pride. The many friendships formed and good times spent together, the boldness and enthusiasm we share, have kept our class spirit high. There is much to remember.

But more than places, events and spirit, we will remember each other. The Class of 1978 is people; faces and personalities. Travis Crawford with his continual corny jokes, Beth Hawbaker with her wild sense of humor, and Jeff Eisele



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Seniors 107



Denise Faye Pendleton Southwestern Adv. College; Legal Secretary Be a model

Rebecca Anne Petty
"Pecky Betty"

SMC; Occupational Therapy
It's a secret!

John David Quedzuweit
"Playboy"
SMC; Aviation Mechanic
Be number I in motor cross

Rajena Marlene Reich "Regie" SMC; Physical Ed or Interior Design Go to Hawaii and learn how to surf

Laurie Ruth Reinhardt
"Reinhardt"
CUC or SMC; Biology
Search down the Amazon for the cure of a rare jungle disease

Darcy Lynn Richards "Darcy" Undecided, Undecided To be a high sky diver

Robin Dawn Richards Blue Ridge Comm. College; Secretary To be a race car driver

Cynthia Lynn Ripley
"Ripper Lips"
Piedmont Comm. College: Medicine
To own the largest spaghetti factory in
the world

Jules Windor Robert "Seven Shirts" Canadian Union College, Physical Ed Ski in the Swiss Alps

Cynthia Gail Rogers
"Cindy"
SMC; Undecided
To travel to other countries









Steven Arthur Rose "Rose," "Bush" CUC or SMC; Undecided Play basketball in the Olympics

Terry Barnes Scott SMC; Undecided To be an easy rider

Victoria Jean Shanko
"Vicker"
Loma Linda, Nuclear Physiology
To be a Royal Ski Snow Burny Boss in
Jackson Hole, Wym., thus preserving the
longevity of enjoyable powder skiing of
the bewildered, defensless snow bunnies

Robert John Shreve "John," "Shrevey" Andrews; Auto Mechanics To race Don Gartlis

Christopher Michael Smith "Chris" Navy; Nuclear Engineering To fly jet planes

Timothy Calvin Snyder "Sniggs" SMC: Orthadontistry To fly like an eagle

R. Gregory Sorrells "Baggie," "Snorrells" Community College; Printing or Auto Body To go to Hawaii

Craig Harold Taylor "G.I." None; Undecided To work for Disney World

Kent Russell Thomas "KT" Maryland U. or CUC; Business To be a millionaire

Leslie Dawn Thompson "Dusky" SMC; Physical Therapy To be an airline stewardess Christy Lynn Towne
"Flasher," "Jaws Jr."
Tidewater Comm. College; Paramedic
To be the first woman on the moon

George Jackson Ullrich
CUC: Chemistry
To be a Christian doctor in the North West

Teresa Marlene Underwood "Tree" SMC; Medicine Travel to all the countries in the world

Elvin Wayne Verde "Filipino," "Rookie," "Flasher" SMC, Park Service or Wildlife Management To be a pro basketball player

Shelby Ann Watts Undecided, Nursing To be a minister

Clarence Greg Wellborn Andrews, Logging To marry Rhonda

Diane Gail Whittenburg
"Whitt"
CUC; Child Rehabilitation
To be a jockey (you know, ride horses)

John Wesley Wilhelm
"Wilma"
CUC; Dentistry
To play basketball on a pogo stick with
axle grease on me, like Alvin

Edward Joseph Wilson "Edgard" SMC, Creationist To stun evolutionists

David Scott Woods
"Scholar Woods"
Andrews; Construction Technology
To build a log cabin in western New Yor's

There Is Much To Remember

with his philosophical pessimism. Greg Sorrells' fluffy hair, Joe Kaufmann's mathematical brain, John Nunes' hilarious cackle. Michelle Buch with her sly mischievousness, Becky Petty's optimism and sparkle, Jeff Lingerfelt as Mr. Happy-go-lucky, and

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David Chapman with his never flagging class spirit. And on and on . . .

For years we've become a part of each other. Now our common goal of graduation is in sight and we realize with mixed feelings that the end of these times together is very near. Time will scatter us in place, interest, and circumstance. But it will be a warming thought to remember these years, and to believe that somewhere, inside each one a part of us will always remain a member of the Class of 1978.



Love, Mom and Dad

To Our One-of-a Kind Ellen (Adams), It wasn't always easy, but it's finally happening. What can we say - we're thankful and proud of you Always,

Mother and Daddy

Dear Sonya (Anderson).

Words are madequate to express my pride and joy. Always remember that with God all things are possible " All my love.

Dear Mona Lisa (Atkinson),

There was only one on canvas, only one in the flesh -- Your Dad would have been so proud, that's my baby, he'd say Mom's proud to. Always strive for Christlikeness. Love,

Dear Daughter (N. Beardwood),

We thank God for making it possible .o give you a Christian education. We are very proud and happy to have a daughter

> With all our love, Mom and Dad

Dearest Gwen (Boyer).

Congratulations on achieving well this goal. As you continue to tulfill the aspirations of life, may God always guide and bless you.

Our love always, Mom and Dad

Dear Carolyn (Calhoun),

To do your best in all things is your obligation to life - to taste the sweetness of success is now your pleasure, and ours Love, Mother and Dad

We love, and are proud of you Our prayers will always be with you as you go through life.

Dear Sun (R. Campbell),

Love always, Mom and Dad

Hi Cindy (Casavant),

Your big day is about here. We are really proud and thank God for His care over you. Much happiness always to our tine daughter.

Ma and Dad

Dear Becky (Chilson),

Congratulations! Our hearts are tilled with joy of your mental and spiritual accomplishments. We're proud you're our daughter, Keep looking up.

Love always, Mom and Dad Dear Jimmy (Cromwell),

For my first SVA graduate, congratulations! Continue your education, but remember wisdom comes only from God. I pray He will guide your life

I love you. Mom

Dear Jonna (Freeman),

As a daughter and little sister we are extremely proud of you. May God bless you in future plans.

Our love, Mother, Dad, Kathy Melody, April and Cherry

Dear G.R. (Freeze),

Words cannot tell how proud I am to see my son grow into a dedicated Christian young man. My prayers are with you always.

Congratulations son, Your Dad

Dearest Beth (Hawbaker).

We're so very proud of you today May you always be happy and put Christ first. Congratulations to you! Much Lave.

Mom and Dad. Jamie and Heather

Dear Larry (Herbst).

Congratulations to our graduatell We wish you well in whatever path you choose for the future.

Our leve always, Your Mom and Dad Congratulations Bonnie (Hill),

We love you so much. Remember always to keep Christ first and everything else will work out.

Best wishes. Mom. Joanne. Neecie, Toni and Dear Steve (Irby),

Congratulations, we knew you could do it. We thank God for the fine son He has given us and we love you very

> Love. Mom and Dad

Dear Robie Ann (Ishkanlan),

We are proud of you and have looked forward to this day that you have waited for so long.

> love always, Nannie and PaPa

Dear Kevin (Kohler)

With great joy we celebrate your milestone of graduation. You are a very special person. We pray you will continue to follow where God leads.

Mom and Dad

Dear Ken (Johnson).

We are so proud of you! Proud of your accomplishment and your dedicated Christian Life. May God continue His blessing in you.

Love in Christ. Mom and Dad Dearest Cindy (Jones),

Our joy is complete. We thank God for you, our ray of sunshine that brings light even in hours of darkness. Congratulations

With everlasting love. Mom and Dad

Dearest Tim (Lawhorn),

We are so proud of you! Set your goals high with God always your guide. We thank God for you and love youl

Our love, Mom and Dad Dear Earla (Lee),

We are thankful for your Christian dedication. It is hard to believe how fast you have grown. Remain sweet and keep smiling. Congratulations!

Love always, Mom and Dad

Dear Jeff (Lingerfelt),

It's hard to believe that the years have gone so fast. You have given us much to be thankful for. Stay close to Jesus.

Love.

Mom and Dad

My Dear Ruth Anne (Mayers).

I thank God for His gift of my precious daughter. I'm so proud as I've watched you grow into a dedicated Christian.

Love and congratulations, Mother

To our Daughter Diane (McPherson), We are so proud of you, Honl! God bless you always.

Lovingly, Your Mom and Dad

Hi Denise (Patton),

Congratulations! The big day is almost here. Yes, we've had some disagreements along the way, but we're still proud of you.

Love you always, Mom and Dad

Dear Becky (Petty),

Our prayers and love will always be with you. We are so proud of you. Now, on to SMC!

Your future, our love, Mom and Dad

Dear John (Quedzuweit).

You have reached another milestone in your life. We are very proud of you. Our prayer is that you will follow Jesus throughout your life.

Our love always, Mom and Dad

Darcy (Richards),

Wow - it's great to graduatel You're great! You did great! There's more great things to come because God is great tool With great love and appreciation.

Your entire family

Our Dear Jules (Robert),

Leaving SVA always remember, "In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths." Gah nah loon, qwah,

Mom and Dad

Steve (Rose),

We are proud of your accomplishments. We hope you will remain a good Christian as you continue your education. Our prayers go with you.

Love always, Mom and Dad

Dear John (Shreve).

Congratulations to a wonderful son. We are very proud of you. May God continue to bless you.

Love, Mom and Dad Dear Tim (Snyder),

The long awaited day has arrived. We thank God for the fine son He has given to us. Our prayers go with you always. Love,

Dad and Mom

Dear Craig (Taylor).

We are so proud and happy for you as you reach another goal in your life. May God bless and lead you always.

Love,

Mom and Dad

Dear Son Kent (Thomas),

Words can not describe the joy and laughter you have brought to our home which makes it complete. We are very proud of you. Continue to do this for others and God will use you.

Our love always, Mom and Dad

To Our Unique Gail (Whittenburg), Tweive years and many prayers ago you started your climb toward this goal, Graduation. Our hearts are overjoyed. We love you.

Mom and Dad

Dearest George (Ullrich),

We are so thankful for the blessing of having you for our son. May God richly bless you as you seek to know His will and follow His leading. Lovingly,

Mom and Dad

We have seen you grow from frightened Freshman to selfconfident Seniors. It is our wish that you continue to grow for the present and for eternity. We will miss you.

May God guide you, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Johnston Class Sponsors

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When our girls seek advice,
give us Your wisdom
that we may forget our biases.
When our girls are noisy,
give us Your patience
that we may not stifle their spontaneity.
When our girls hurt,
give us your sensitivity

that we may know how to comfort.
When our girls are lonely,
give us Your friendship

that we may be their friend.

May we always be loving and accepting,
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Thank-you God, for our girls; through them we see You, and are most blessed.

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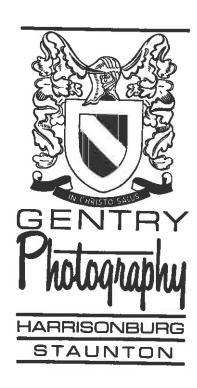
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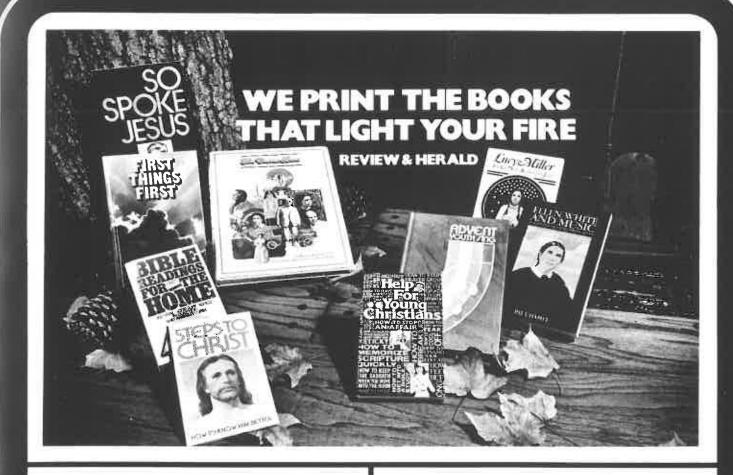
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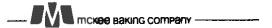
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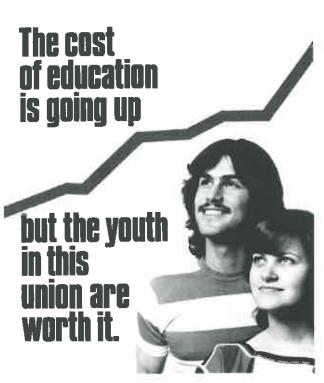
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