

# RAILROADER

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# ELLIS HIGH SCHOOL

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## We Are . . .



#### . . . Studious

To gain knowledge, is why we are here.

Fun-Loving . . .

Dancing during the lunch hour gives a welcome break in the day.





. . . Just
Plain
Ham

Miss Johnson, Where are you going with those desks?!

#### Mischievous . .

For the last time, bring those desks back here!





... Full of Zip

Up and over, fellas!

Starry-eyed . . .

Boy meets girl at high school, too.

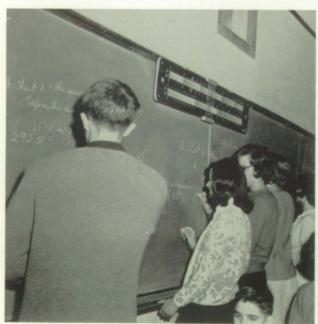




We, the Class of '65, are proud and honored to dedicate our yearbook to Mrs. Alice Balcombe who has been with us throughout our high school years. We want you to know that your untiring efforts in our behalf are gratefully appreciated. May we ever be worthy of your confidence in us.

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Needles and pins all straight in a row. In Home Economics Shirley learns to sew.



A + B = B + A
In Mr. Mills' class it's always done the right way.

#### Classes



Nice serve, Jane.

Art isn't watching what he's doing. Art is about to lose a finger.





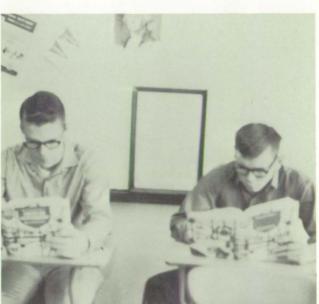
This dreamer is supposed to be studying her Spanish. We hope Senora doesn't catch you, Cindy.



A mid the confusion of Ellis High, we find Debbie and Benita concentrating (?) in Typing I.

Meanwhile in Art class - - - Carol is making a sculpture of a - - -??!!





Constitution is a challenge for these two dedicated scholars.





SCHOOL BOARD

Roy Feldkamp, Richard Disney, Ernest Armbruster

Doctor Surface, Paul Augustine, and Russell Mallory



SECRETARY Marge Wiesner

### Administration Personnel



SUPERINTENDENT E. A. Fitzgerald



PRINCIPAL George Bray

#### Faculty



MARY KOCH Constitution Physical Education



JIM APPLEBEE
Mathematics
Physical Education



BETTY HALL English

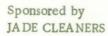


History Physical Education



HARRY MOOS English Dramatics







JOYCE JOHNSON

English Journalism

PAT THOMAS Commerce



ARLIN MILLS Mathematics Science



ALICE BALCOMBE Languages



THOMAS ROBINSON Guidance Economics



ENOLA VON LINTEL



JAMES MARTIN Industrial Arts Driver's Education



PAULINE SCOTT Librarian



ROBERT SNIDER Agriculture



CAROL ATKINSON Home Economics

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Bill Kinderkneckt
Blair Furbeck



COOKS
Margaret Fondoble
Francis Huffman
Francis Denning



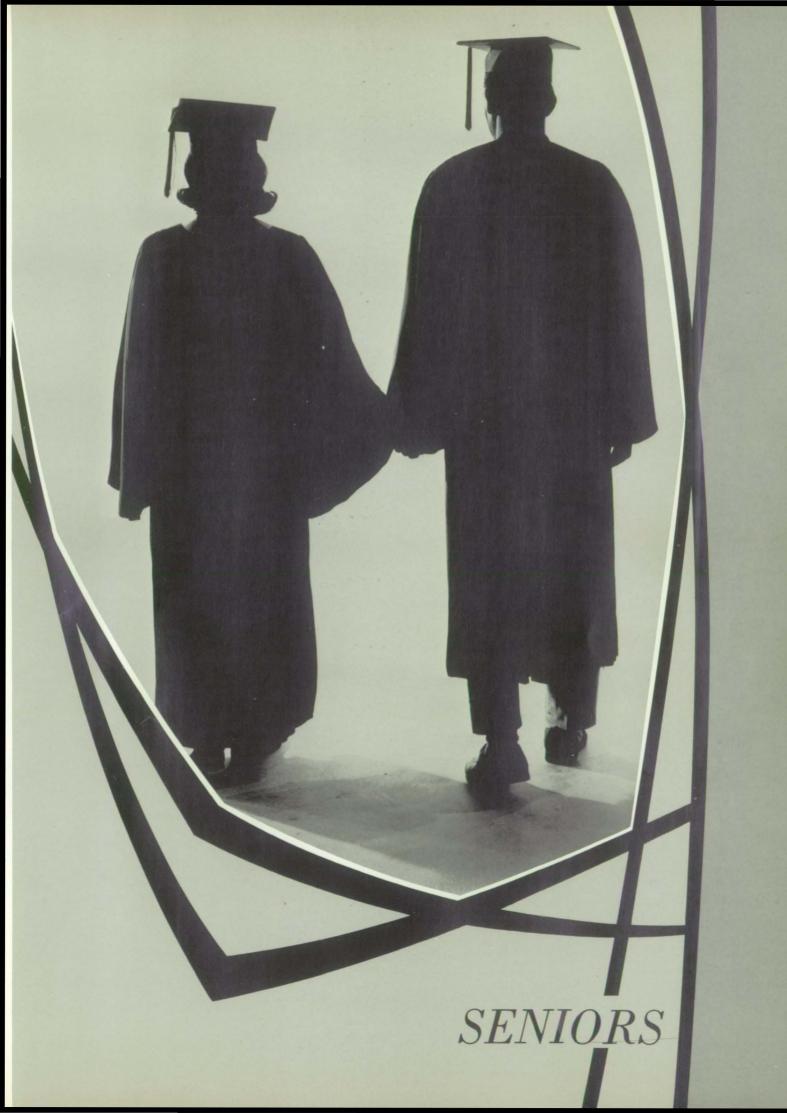
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Donna Gabel, Roselin Jacques, Karen
Kroeger, Connie Huffman, Mary
Alice Fisher, Patty Kutina, Kay
Honas, and Carol Landauer (not
pictured).



BUS DRIVERS
Kenny Herman, Ralph
Schubert, Ray Eaton,
Raymond Kroeger, Eddie Waldschmidt,
Lawrence Schubert, and
Frank Augustine.



LIBRARIANS Judy Augustine, Sharon Geist, Phyllis Flax, and Kathy Kneiling.





W ARREN ALLEN



NORENE ALLOWAY





SHARON ALLOWAY

GREG ARMBRUSTER

GILBERT AUGUSTINE











BEVERLY BEGLER

BOB BERENS

JERRY BIEKER





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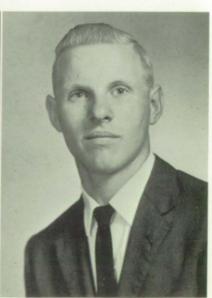


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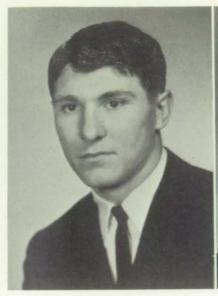
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MARILYN EBERLE





DANNY GABEL



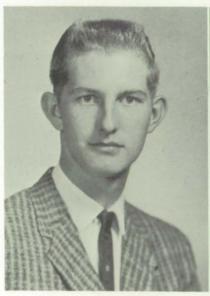


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LINDA GREEN

GARY HELGET





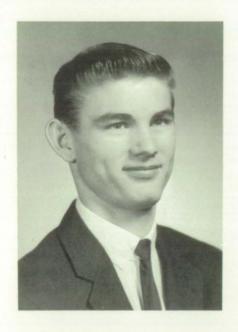




BOB HENDERSON







MARVIN HONAS



VIVIAN HONAS



CHARLES HORNER

BARBARA HUFFMAN

CONNIE HUFFMAN











DUANE KELLER

VIRGINIA KELLER

BILL KING







SHARON KOHL

GLEN KROEGER





MYRON KROEGER



CAROL LANDAUER





GERALD LANG

PAT LOCKER

JOYCE LONGLEY











PAUL LUEA

ELIZABETH MACKENDER

BETTY MAYES





ART NIERNBERGER



JOYCE ROBERTS



SHARON ROBERTS



BETTY SCHMIDT



EUGENE SCHOENBERGER





CHERYL SCHOENTHALER

ALETA SCHUMM

ELIZABETH SCHUSTER



JIM









SYBIL SMITH

LUE ANN SNIDER

SALLY STEEL









ALLEN WEIGEL



SUSAN WEIMER



CINDY WHEELER



ROSE ANN WINDHOLZ



JUDY YOUNGER

ALLEN, WARREN--Kays 1,2,3, Board of Dir. 4; Class Treasurer 2,4; Chorale 1,2,3; Small Chorus 2; Madrigal Acc. 3; Prom Acc. 2; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; District Music Contest 2; Golf 1,2; Scholarship Tests 4; REA Essay Winner 3.

ALLOWAY, NORENE--Transfer from Trego Community High School 3; Scholarship Tests 4.

ALLOWAY, SHARON--Kayettes 1, 3, Board of Dir. 2,4; Chorale 3,4; SnowBall Princess 3, Queen 4; Sr. Play; Office Assistant 3; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Scholarship Tests 1,2,3,4.

ARMBRUSTER, GREG--FFA 2,3, Vice-president 4; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Scholarship Tests 1,2

AUGUSTINE, GILBERT -- Kays 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3; Golf 1,2,3.

BAILEY, CHERYL--Kayettes 1,2,3, Board of Dir. 4; Chorale 1,2,3, Acc. 4; Small Chorus 2; Madrigal 3, Acc. 4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Band Treasurer 2,4, Secretary 3; Office Assistant 2: Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Scholarship Tests 4.

BEGLER, BEVERLY--Kayettes 1,2, Board of Dir. 2, Vice-president 4; Newspaper-year-book staff 4; Scholarship Tests 1.

BERENS, BOB--FFA 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1.

BIEKER, Jerry--Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Football 4\*; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Tennis 2 3\*,4\*.

BIRDSELL, STEVE-- Transfer from Jewell, Kansas, 2; FFA 1,2,3,4; Jr. Play.

BITTEL, STEVE--Kays 1,2,3,4; Chorale 1; Dance Band 3; Pep Band 2; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Football 1,2,3,4\*; Tennis 1,2,3,4.

COX GLEN--Class President 4; Prom Server 2; Homecoming King 4; Jr. Play; Football 1,2,3\*,4\*, Basketball 1,3; Track 1, 2\*,3\*,4\*; Scholarship Tests 4.

DESMARTEAU, DURYEA--Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Jr. Play; Football 1; Basket-ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2\*.

DEUTSCHER, DAVID--FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Basketball 1; Track 1.

DINKEL, CAROL--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 4; Student Council 3; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; District Music Contest 3; Scholarship Tests 2,3,4.

DINKEL, HELEN -- Kayettes 1,2,3,4.

EBERLE, MARILYN--Kayettes 1,2,3,4.

GABEL, DANNY--FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Basketball 1; Track 1; Scholarship Tests

GABEL, DENNIS--FFA 1; Student Council 1; Prom Server 2; Homecoming Att. 4; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Football 1,2,3\*,4\*; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2\*,3\*.

GREEN, LINDA -- Transfer from Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, 3.

HELGET, GARY--Kays 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Golf 1,2.

HENDERSON, BILL--Transfer from Great Bend, Kansas 4; Kays 4; Chorale 4; Pep Band 4; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Golf 4; Other schools: Pep Band 1,2,3; Dance Band 2; Latin Club 1,2,3,4; All-school One-act Play 3.

HENDERSON, BOB--Kays 2, 3, 4; Golf 1; Jr. Play.

HONAS, KAY--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Office Assistant 3,4; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4.

HORNER, CHARLES--Football 1,2,3,4\*; Track 2,4; Sr. Play.

HUFFMAN, BARBARA--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Class Treasurer 3; Cheerleader 1; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4.

HUFFMAN, CONNIE--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Chorale 3; Class Treasurer 1; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Student Council 4; Prom Server 2; FFA Chapter Sweetheart Att. 4; Sr. Play; Girls' State 3; Office Assistant 4.

JONES, CHARLENE--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Sr. Play; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Scholar-ship Tests 2,3,4.

KELLER, DUANE--FFA 1, 2, Sentinel 3, President 4; Class President 2; Homecoming Att. 4; Sr. Play; Boys' State 3; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Football 1, 2\*, 4\*; Basketball 1, 2\*, 4\*; Track 1, 2\*; Scholarship Tests 1, 2, 4; Elk Leadership Contest Winner 4.

KELLER, VIRGINIA -- Kayettes 1,2,3,4.

KING, BILL--Kays 1,2, Board of Dir. 3; Chorale 2,3,4; Madrigal 3; Student Council 2,3, President 4; Prom Server 2; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Football 1,2\*,3\*,4\*; Basketball 1,3,4; Track 2,4; Tennis 1,2\*,3\*.

KNIELING, KATHY--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Chorale 2,3; Sr. Play; Girls' State 3; Student Librarian 4; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Scholarship Tests 2,3,4.

KOHL, SHARON--Kayettes 1,2,3,4.

KROEGER, GLEN--Kays 4; Chorale 1,2,3,4; Small Chorus 2; Madrigal 4; Dance Band 1,2, Pep Band 2,3; Band Student Council Rep. 2; Student Council 1; Jr. Play; Boys' State 3; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; District Music Contest 1,2,3,4; Football 1; Scholarship Tests 1,2,3,4; KU Science Camp 3; Masonic Essay Winner 4.

KROEGER, MYRON--Kays 1,2, Board of Dir. 3,4; Class Vice-president 1,2,3,4; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Basketball 3; Golf 1; Scholarship Tests 1,2,3,4; KU Science Camp 3.

LANDAUER, CAROL--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Office Assistant 4.

LANG, GERALD--Kays 1,2, Board of Dir. 3, President 4; Sr. Play; Scholarship Tests 2,3,4.

LOCKER, PAT--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Ir. and Sr. Plays; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4. LONGLEY, JOYCE--Kayettes 1,3,4, Board of Dir. 2; Chorale 3,4; Cheerleader 1; Student Council 4; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Scholarship Tests 4.

LUEA, LARRY--FFA 1,2,3,4.

LUEA, PAUL--FFA 2,3, Secretary 4.

MACKENDER, ELIZABETH--Kayettes 4, Board of Dir. 1,2,3; Chorale 1,2,3,4; Double Quartet 2; Small Chorus 2; Madrigal 4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2, 3, vice-president 4; FFA Chapter Sweetheart Att. 4; SnowBall Princess 1; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Student Librarian 3; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; District Speech Contest 3,4; State Speech Contest 3; Scholarship Tests 2,3,4.

MAYES, BETTY--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Chorale 3,4; Pep Band 3; Twirler 1,2,3, Head majorette 4; Student Council 2,3, Secretary-treasurer 4; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Student Librarian 2; Newspaper editor 4; Yearbook staff 4; Scholarship Tests 3,4.

NIERNBERGER, ART--Kays 3, Board of Dir. 4; Chorale 1; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Basketball 1,2\*,3\*,4\*, Golf 1,2\*,3\*,4\*.

POE, MILDRI - Transfer from Great Bend, Kansas, 4.

RAHIMIAN, NASSER--Transfer from Brush, Colorado, 4.

ROBERTS, JOYCE--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Scholarship Tests 4.

ROBERTS, SHARON--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Chorale 3; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Scholarship Tests 3,4.

SCHMIDT, BETTY--Kayettes 1,2,3,4.

SCHOENBERGER, EUGENE -- Kays 3,4; Jr. Play: Football 1,2; Track 1,2; Golf 3.

SCHOENTHALER, CHERYL--Kayettes 1,2,3, Secretary 4; Class Secretary 3; Chorale 1,2,3,4; Small Chorus 2; Madrigal 3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Band Treasurer 3; Twirler 1,2, Head Majorette 3, Drum majorette 4; Prom Server 2; Homecoming Queen 4; FFA Chapter Sweetheart 3; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Student Librarian 2; Newspaper-year-book staff 4; Scholarship Tests 3,4.

SCHUMM, ALETA--Kayettes, Board of Dir. 1,2,3, President 4; Class President 3; Chorale 1,2,3,4; Small Chorus 2; Madrigal 3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; SnowBall Princess 2, Att. 4; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; District Music Contest 1,3,4; Scholarship Tests 1,2,3,4; REA Essay Winner 3.

SCHUSTER, ELIZABETH--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Scholarship Tests 4.

SCOTT, JIM--Kays 1,2,3, Treasurer; Chorale 1; Dance Band 3; Pep Band 3; Student Council 2,4; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Football 4; Basketball 4; Golf 1,2\*,3\*,4\*.

SMITH, SYBIL--Kayettes 1,3,4, Secretary 2; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; Sr. Play. SNIDER, LUE ANN--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Sr. Play; Office Assistant 3; Scholarship Tests 1.

STEEL, SALLY--Kayettes 2,3,4, Board of Dir. 1; Chorale 1,2,3,4; Double Quartet 2; Small Chorus 2; Madrigal 3,4; Student Council 1; Homecoming Att. 4; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Office Assistant 3; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4; District and State Music Contest 2,3,4; Scholarship Tests 2.

WEBB, BOB--Kays 2,3,4; Chorale 1; Football 4; Track 1,2.

WEIGEL, ALLEN--FFA 1,3,4; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4.

WEIMER, SUSAN--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Chorale 2; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Prom Server 2; Scholarship Tests 4.

WHEELER, CINDY--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Chorale 3,4; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Student Librarian 2; Yearbook editor 4; Newspaper staff 4; Scholarship Tests 1,2,3,4.

WINDHOLZ, ROSE ANN--Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Chorale 1.

YOUNGER, JUDY Kayettes 1,2,4, Secretary 3; Class Secretary 1,2; Chorale 2,3; Cheerleader 1, Head 2,3,4; Prom Server 2; Homecoming Att. 4; FFA Chapter Sweetheart Att. 3; SnowBall Att. 4; Jr. and Sr. Plays; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4.

HONAS, MARVIN--Kays 1,2,4, Board of Dir. 3; Class President 1; Prom Server 2; Jr. Play; Basketball 1,2\*,3\*,4\*; Tennis 1\*,2\*,3\*,4\*; Scholarship Tests 3,4.

HONAS, VIVIAN--Kayettes 1,2,3, Treasurer 4; Class Secretary 4; Newspaper-yearbook staff 4.

#### CLASS MOTTO:

"They conquer who believe they can."

CLASS COLORS:

CLASS FLOWER:

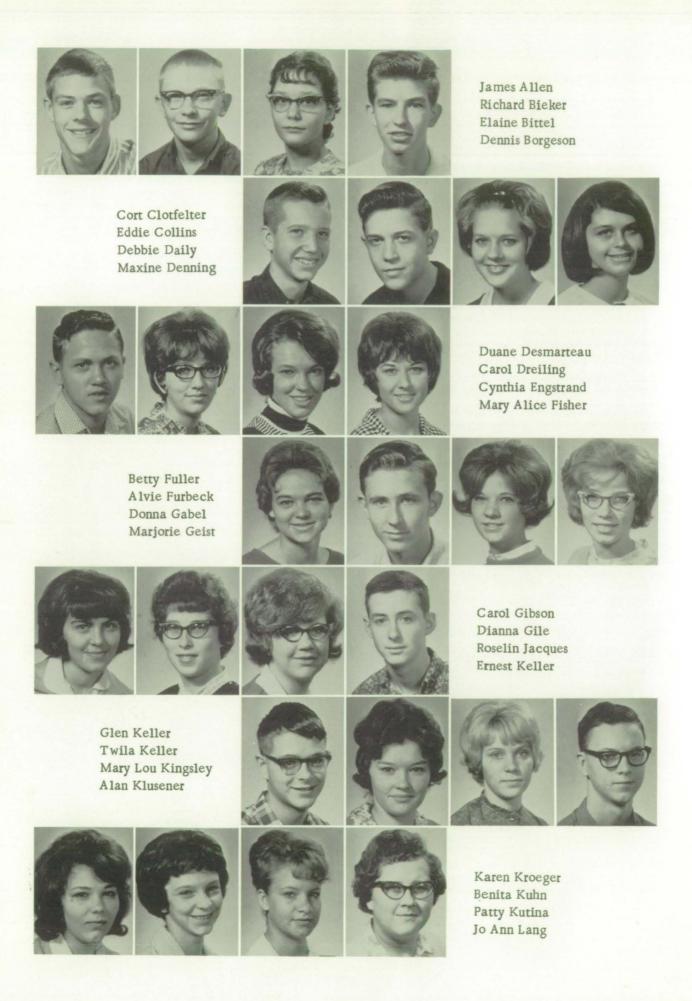
Pink and Silver

Pink Rose

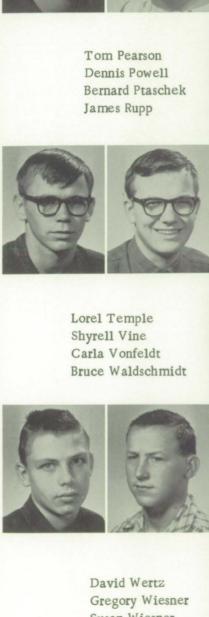
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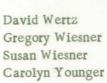




Alvin Laymon Dennis Littlechild Ronald Luea Beverly Matteson Tom Pearson Dennis Powell James Rupp













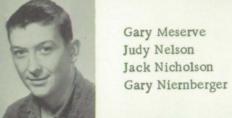










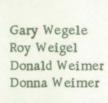




















Marilyn Zerfas

### Class Officers

### Class Sponsors



Mrs. Thomas



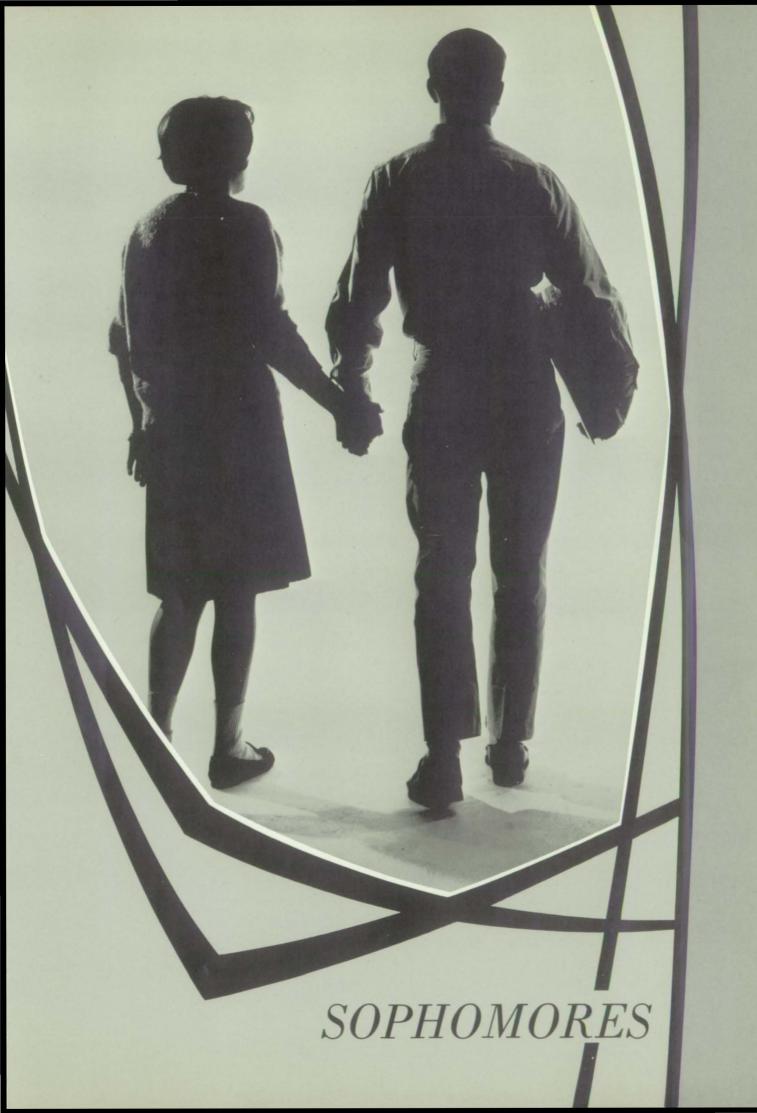
Mr. Applebee

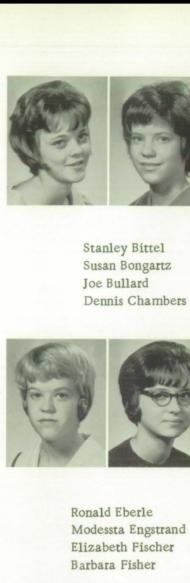


Marjorie Geist, Treasurer; Patty Kutina, Secretary; Gary Niernberger, President; Mary Lou Kingsley, Vice-President.



Do you mean this tied with the seniors for first place?









Judy Augustine Linda Baugher Mary Sue Baugher Laura Beggs







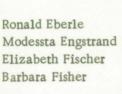








Bonnie Clotfelter Linda Cox Leonard Day Diane Douglas







































Rodney Hamburg Alan Hays Joyce Heroneme Linda Jacques

Marjorie Jones Milton King David Kippes Robert Lang Bill Mallory Eugene Massier Steve May Norman Mickelson Peggy Neuberger John Pinney Judy Riedel Steve Roberts Sherilyn Robertson Shirley Roth Ronald Schmidt Clarinda Schoenthaler James Schoenthaler Alvin Schuster Gary Seibel Kenneth Smith Charles Snider Kenneth Snider Naomi Temple Phyllis Waldschmidt Thomas Weber Eugene Weimer Paula Wolf

Donald Younger



Diane Zachman

# Class Sponsors

# Sophomore Officers



Rodney Hamburg, Vice-President; Linda Cox, Treasurer; Phyllis Flax, Secretary; Ronnie Schmidt, President.



Miss VonLintel

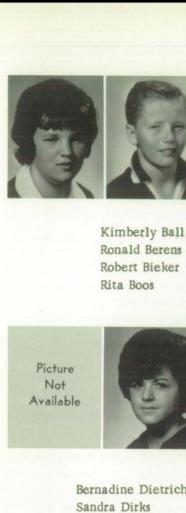


Mr. Mills



Sophomore Construction?









Linda Armentrout Arnold Augustine Joyce Augustine Karen Bailey



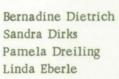








Laytha Brenner Karen Brown Gregory Deutscher John Deutscher









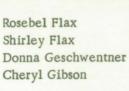








Lucille Engel Jane Erbert Norbert Fisher Martina Flax















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Mary Ellen Storm James Urban Leslie Ward Gerald Weber



















Daniel Wiesner Goldie Windholz Darlene Wishnuck Patty Wittman









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### Kayettes



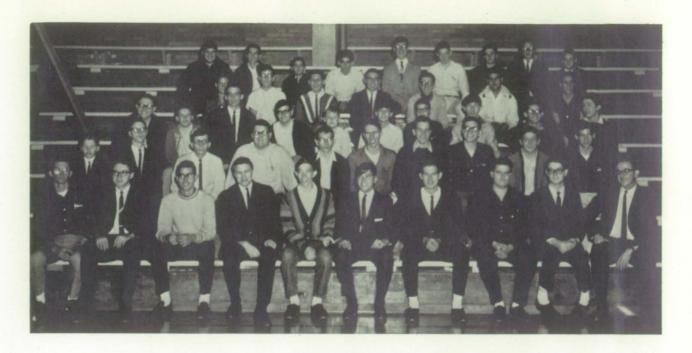
Kayettes are the feminine branch of the Kansas Association for Youth. The Kayettes are a character building, leadership-training program for the junior and senior high school students. The main objective of this organization is to teach its members the principles of democratic living by training them to accept the responsibilities of their community, country, and world. Our goals are that our members should leave EHS with better manners, appearances, personalities, and a better outlook on life. This year the Kayettes tried for the highest possible award, the 3000 point award, with the help of our wonderful sponsor, Miss Mary Koch, and the full participation of every Kayette. Several of the projects this year included: a UNICEF drive, the annual Snoball, a caroling party with the KAYS and FFA, the Follies and supper, a hobo day, and an Easter egg hunt.

#### BOARD MEMBERS

Cheryl Bailey
Cheryl Schoenthaler
Aleta Schumm
Vivian Honas
Beverly Begler
Maxine Denning
Carol Dreiling
Clarinda Schoenthaler
Linda Jacques
Benita Kuhn
Sponsor: Miss Mary Koch

Sponsored by MARIE'S CAFE





### Kays

The Kansas Association for Youth is one of several high school clubs organized to help sway the development of character and leadership in young high school students. Community service, appreciation of our fellowmen, and recreation are a few more components of one's personality which the club stresses.

A few projects which were part of the club's program during the past year included the selling of Christmas holly, urging people to vote in the 1964 presidential election, and a day set aside for tidying up public parks. In the month of April the annual KAY party was held to round out and climax the social side of the program.

For the second year now, the Ellis club will try to merit the presentation of the 2,000 point award. With this record, it is ranked 8th in the state among 700 participating schools.

BOARD

Glen Keller Alan Klusner Warren Allen Jack Nicholson



**MEMBERS** 

David Wertz Jim Scott Myron Kroeger

ADVISOR Mr. Robinson

# Future Farmers of America



OFFICERS: Advisor - Mr. Schneider, Reporter - Roy Weigel, Sentinel - Danny Gabel, S. C. Rep. - Ronnie Luea, Vice Pres. - Greg Armbruster, President - Duane Keller, Secretary - Paul Luea, Treasurer - Larry Luea

Learning to do, Doing to learn, Earning to live, Living to serve; this is the motto of the FFA. The Ellis chapter really lived up to it this year. Last fall the officers attended Leadership School and brought back some very useful information. The chapter also sent some delegates to the State and National conventions. Through the year they sponsored the annual Barnwarmer and held a Parent-and-Son banquet. At the banquet awards were given to outstanding members. All of the members found that being in FFA this year was a fun but rewarding experience.



Sponsored by SNIDER ELECTRIC

### Pep Club



The Pep Club of this year was the sharpest looking and most enthusiastic of any that has been organized for a long while. Its success was largely due to the efforts of Miss Mary Koch, Kayette advisor, and through her initiation of the attractive weskits.

# Student Council

The Student Council was organized to give the student a share in the governing of his school. Advised by Principal Bray, this council of representatives from each class kept most of the activities running smoothly and sponsored the Homecoming Parade and Dance. Also, to give the spacious halls more to the holiday season, they bought and decorated a Christmas tree.

OFFICERS:
President
Bill King
Vice President
Elizabeth Mackender
Secretary-Treasurer
Betty Mayes



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### Vocal Groups



ROW ONE--S. Alloway, A. Schumm, B. Roberts, B. Dietrich, C. Wheeler, M. Denning, S. Robertson, E. Mackender, P. Wittman, ROW TWO--S. Steel, J. Longley, C. Schoenthaler, P. Neuberger, L. Cox, K. Ball, D. Kingsley, P. Nicholson, J. Kuhn, R. Gibson, J. Mackender, ROW THREE--K. Bailey, B. Kuhn, B. Mayes, L. Kroeger, B. Clotfelter, C. Schoenthaler, S. Vine, D. Weimer, S. Dirks, L. Weimer, S. Shubert, D. Huffman, P. Lonnon, ROW FOUR--T. Pearson, A. Klusner, G. Kroeger, D. Kingsley, G. Merritt, D. Powell, D. Smith, K. Snider, B. Mallory, G. Keller, T. Zerfas, B. Henderson, P. Olmstead.



ROW ONE--S. Alloway, A. Schumm, B. Roberts, B. Dietrich, C. Wheeler, M. Denning, S. Robertson, E. Mackender, P. Wittman, ROW TWO--S. Steel, J. Longley, C. Schoenthaler, P. Neuberger, L. Cox, K. Ball, D. Kingsley, P. Nicholson, J. Kuhn, R. Gibson, J. Mackender, ROW THREE--K. Bailey, B. Kuhn, B. Mayes, L. Kroeger, B. Clotfelter, C. Schoenthaler, S. Vine, D. Weimer, S. Dirks, L. Weimer, S. Shubert, D. Huffman, P. Lonnon.



ROW ONE--G. Kroeger, D. Powell, D. Smith, G. Keller, ROW TWO--T. Zerfas, D. Kingsley, B. Mallory, B. Henderson, ROW THREE--P. Olmstead, A. Klusner, T. Pearson, K. Snider, G. Merritt.

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MAX the CLEANERS and DELLA'S FLOWER SHOP





ROW ONE--Mr. Harrison, S. Steel, D. Kingsley, B. Dietrich, E. Mackender, P. Lonnon, C. Schoenthaler, L. Kroeger, A. Schumm, C. Bailey (Acc.), ROW TWO--G. Keller, K. Snider, D. Powell, D. Smith, B. Mallory, G. Kroeger, A. Klusner, T. Pearson, (J. Allen, not pictured)



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## E.H.S. Orange and Black Band

After sending a recording, a picture, and clippings to the fair board, the Ellis High School Band received an invitation to attend the New York World's Fair. They were to play July 12, 1965, at Tiparillo Pavillion. The band members realize that this is a great honor even though they were unable to go.

#### CLARINETS

- C. Bailey
- K. Ball
- B. Clotfelter
- B. Matteson
- D. Gile
- J. Augustine
- P. Lonnon
- J. Erbert
- V. Klusner
- P. Wittman (not pictured)

#### FLUTES

- E. Mackender
- K. Bailey
- S. Robertson
- E. Nelson

#### CORNETS

- A. Schumm
- T. Pearson
- G. Keller
- A. Klusner
- B. Kuhn
- J. Mackender

#### B. Mallory (not pictured)

#### ÀLTO SAX

- J. Nelson
- M. Geist
- L. Kroeger (not pictured)

#### TENOR SAX

- P. Kutina
- M. Engstrand

#### BARITONE SAX

G. Meserve (not pictured)



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C. Dinkel

#### CONTRA BASS CLARINET

D. Kingsley

#### BASS CLARINET

C. Schoenthaler

#### ALTO CLARINET

B. Mayes

#### TROMBONES

- J. Scott (not pictured)
- D. Kingsley
- G. Merrit

#### BARITONE

D. Powell

#### BASS

D. Smith

#### FRENCH HORN

C. Kroeger (not pictured)

- B. Henderson
- K. Kroeger (not pictured)
- J. Kuhn

#### PERCUSSION

- S. Roth
- L. Jacques
- K. Smith
- C. Hays
- S. Steel
- C. Schoenthaler
- R. Schmidt



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## Pep Band



ROW ONE--R. Schmidt, C. Bailey, C. Schoenthaler, K. Ball, K. Bailey, A. Klusner, T. Pearson, A. Schumm, ROW TWO--J. Augustine, D. Gile, P. Kutina, M. Geist, J. Nelson, ROW THREE--P. Neuberger, D. Kingsley, S. Steel, B. Henderson, E. Mackender, C. Dinkel, G. Keller.



DRUM MAJORETTE, (left)
Cheryl Schoenthaler
MAJORETTES, (below)

Betty Mayes, Head Majorette Clarinda Schoenthaler Modessta Engstrand Linda Jacques Shirley Roth



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Connie Huffman

Libby Fischer Linda Weimer Jane Mackender



Bonnie Clotfelter

Sherry Robertson

Judy Younger



Cheerleaders

Debbie Daily



# Newspaper-Yearbook Staff



These students, headed by their advisor Miss Joyce Johnson, made up the newspaper and year-book staff which has produced the 1965 annual. The newspaper, under the editorial guidance of Betty Mayes, and yearbook, edited by Cindy Wheeler, were the result of the efforts put forth by a staff devoted in making their publications among the best that Ellis High School has seen.

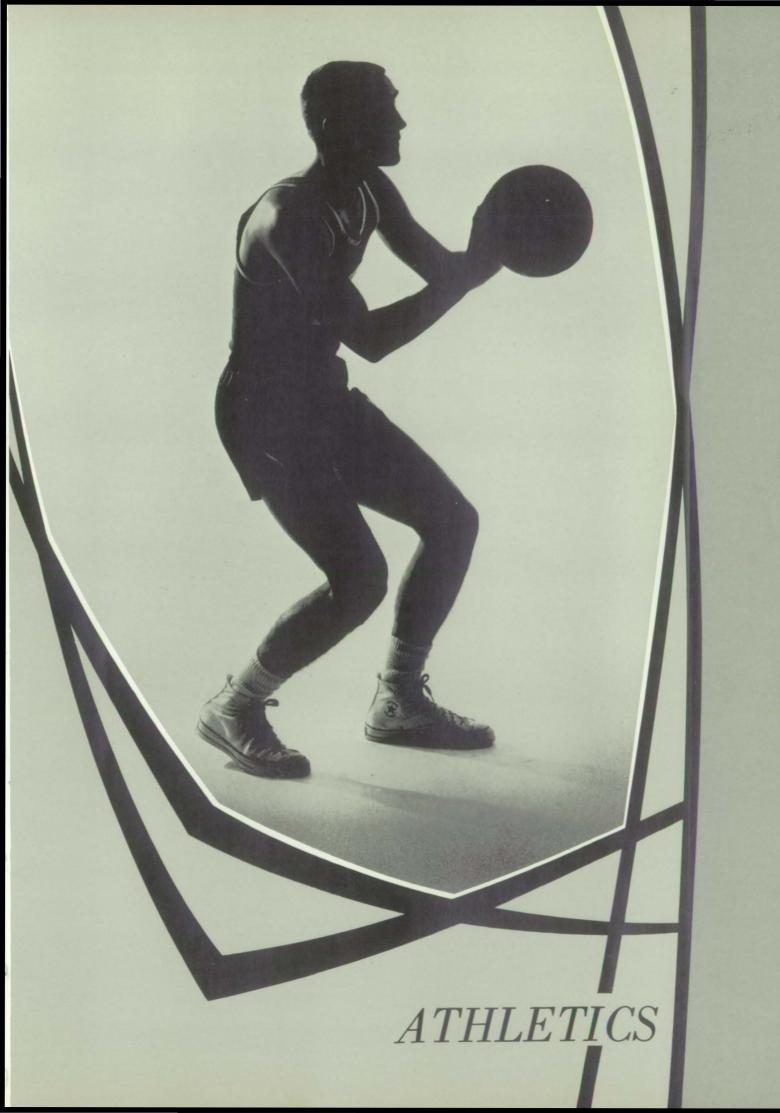
## Boys'-Girls' State

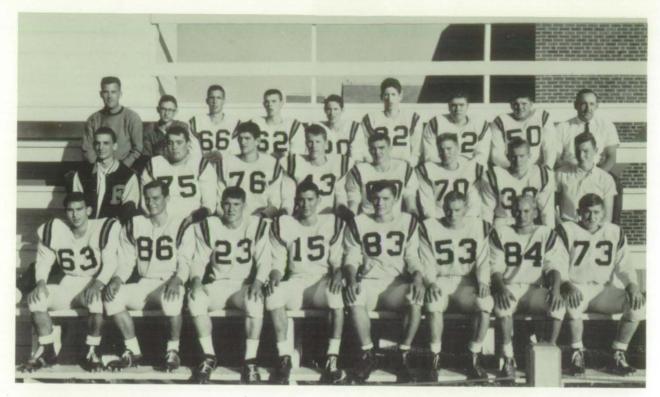
Duane Keller and Glen Kroeger were chosen by the Lions and Rotary Clubs respectively to represent Ellis in the 1964 session of the American Legion Boys- State. Girls' State was attended by Connie Huffman and Kathryn Knieling through the efforts of American Legion Women's Auxiliary.

Learning government by actual participation was the goal during the Boy's State week of June 1-7 and during Girls' from June 7-14.



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FRONT ROW - Bill King - Gerald Beiker - Dennis Gable - Duane Keller - Steve Bittel - Glen Cox - David Deutscher - Charles Horner

SECOND ROW - Bill Mallory - Gary Meserve - David Smith - Dennis Powell - Norman Mickelson - Jim Scott - Jim Rupp - Donald Weimer

THIRD ROW - Asst. Coach, Jim Penquite - Tom Weber - John Pinney - Alan Hays - Alvin Laymen - Kenny Smith - Dennis Chambers - Gordon Merritt - Coach, Jim Applebee.

### 1964 Football Team

Jim Applebee Coach

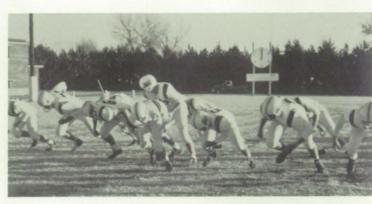


#### Season Record

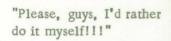
Ellis	Opponents
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1425	Phillipsburg
12 25	Plainville
20 0	Victoria
19 20	Stockton
7 33	Hill City
0 21	Wakeeney



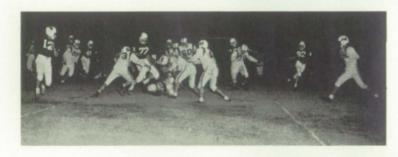
"Down the field Big Team
- - - Down the field!"



da da da da da - - - "CHARGE"







"Block 'em stomp 'em!"

"43 - Dive!"









JIM SCOTT Tackle

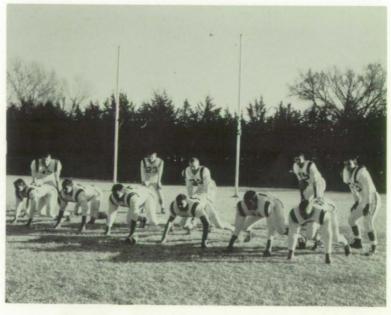
STEVE BITTEL Tackle



GERALD BEIKER
End
CHARLES HORNER
Guard
DAVID DEUTSCHER
End

The 1964 Ellis football team placed three boys on the Mid-Continent League second team. They are as follows: Glen Cox, guard; Duane Keller, quarter-back; Dave Smith, tackle. Dennis Gable, Bill King, Gerald Beiker and Dennis Powell received honorable mention.

#### Defense



DENNIS GABLE Halfback

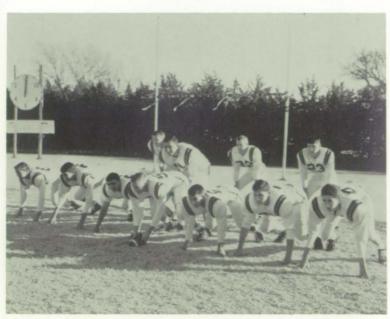
DUANE KELLER Quarterback





The 1964 football team was led by nine senior boys. This year's tricaptains were Dennis Gable, Bill King and Glen Cox.









BILL KING Guard GLEN COX Center

### Basketball







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ELLIS	64	HAYS	65
ELLIS	61	LACROSSE	58
ELLIS	56	CADETS	60
ELLIS	67	WAKEENEY	52
ELLIS	55	HILL CITY	57
ELLIS	67	WAKEENEY	58
ELLIS	58	STOCKTON	52
ELLIS	84	WAKEENEY*	47
ELLIS	63	PHILLIPSBURG*	58
ELLIS	51	STOCKTON*	46
ELLIS	64	PLAINVILLE	48
ELLIS	66	PHILLIPSBURG	59
ELLIS	69	PALCO	44
ELLIS	66	QUINTER	81
ELLIS	85	JENNINGS*	61
ELLIS	58	HOXIE*	57
ELLIS	62	BUSHTON*	72

The Ellis Railroaders finished the year with a fine season mark of 12 wins and 5 losses. During the season the Railers compiled a 5-1 record to take second place in league play. After upending the high flying P-burg Panthers, the Railroaders went on to down the Stockton Tigers for first place in the MCL Tournament. The Railers advanced to the Regionals by defeating Hoxie in the finals of the District Tournament. Marvin Honas, Duane Keller, and Art Niernberger were selected to the MCL first team.

\*DENOTES TOURNAMENT GAMES





### A-Squad



ROW ONE--G. Cox, N. Mickelson, G. Bieker, D. Desmarteau, D. Keller, M. Honas, D. Weimer, B. King, ROW TWO--Coach Penquite, D. Po-well, K. Smith, D. Smith, A. Niernberger, J. Scott, Coach Applebee.

### **B-Squad**

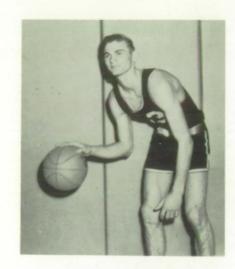


ROW ONE--T. Weber, E. Collins, E. Weimer, J. Deutscher, T. Zerfas, D. Wiesner, ROW TWO--S. Bittel, D. Borgeson, D. Kippes, N. Mickelson, Coach Applebee.

### Freshmen



ROW ONE--P. Wertz, R. Kreutzer, B. Helget, G. Deutscher, D. Kingsley, D. Wolf, ROW TWO--D. Weisner, G. Merrit, A. Nienberger, T. Zerfas, J. Deutscher, Coach Applebee.

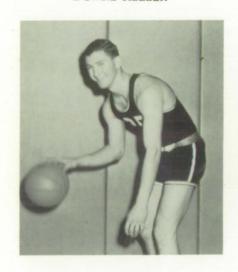


MARVIN HONAS

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JIM SCOTT

DUANE KELLER



COACH PENQUITE

GERALD BIEKER

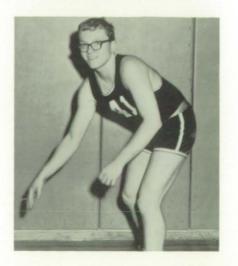


ART NIERNBERGER



S<sub>r.</sub>
'65

DURYEA DESMARTEAU

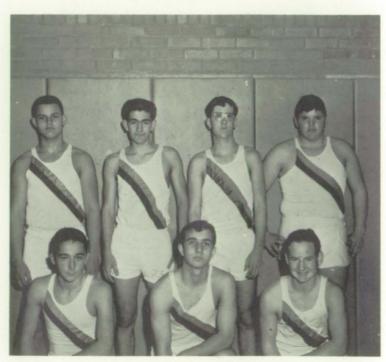


### Track



ROW ONE--B. King, A. Hays, J. Schoenthaler, G. Bieker, ROW TWO--C. Horner, D. Desmarteau, G. Cox, B. Ptaschek, N. Michelson, J. Nicholson, J. Allen, D. Smith, D. Powell, K. Smith, G. Merserve, Coach Applebee.

### Freshmen



ROW ONE--T. Harris, J. Deutscher, D. Kutina, ROW TWO--D. Wiesner, B. Helget, P. Wertz, G. Merrit

# Golf



ROW ONE--B. Mallory, J. Bullard, B. Henderson, D. Desmarteau, R. Hamburg, ROW TWO--A. Niernburger, D. Borgeson, D. Kippes, J. Scott, A. Niernburger, Coach Penquite.

### **Tennis**



ROW ONE--E. Weimer, S. May, B. Waldschmidt, ROW TWO--Coach Robinson, M. Honas, G. Bieker, T. Weber.



# South Pacific

### Junior-Senior Prom



BACK ROW: David Wertz, Duane Desmarteau, David Smith, Dennis Powell, Don Weimer, and Jim Rupp. FRONT ROW: Benita Kuhn, Mary Lou Kingsley, Maxine Denning, Debbie Daily, Shyrell Vine, and Donna Weimer.

### Servers

Maxine Denning, Debbie Daily, Mary Lou Kingsley, Shyrell Vine, Benita Kuhn, Donna Weimer, and Mary Alice Fisher. Jim Allen, Duane Desmarteau, David Smith, David Wertz, Jim Rupp, Dennis Powell, and Don Weimer.







David Smith, Jim Rupp, Dennis Powell, Duane Destmarteau, Don Weimer, and David Wertz.



Gary Niernberger, Jim Allen and Mary Alice Fisher.

The gang-plank of the U.S.S. Ellis marked the entrance to a tropical paradise where gaily decorated tables portrayed the theme "South Pacific." Servers escorted the guests to their places after presenting them with Hawaiian leis. The decoration scheme was carried out in green, yellow, brown, and orange crepe paper. Palm trees added to the tropical atmosphere. The stage setting for the program was an ocean scene. The menu included pineapple juice, Golden Glow salad, baked ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, rolls, iced tea, pineapple sundae, and cookies. The program featured the servers in sailor uniforms. They sang and danced to numbers from the broadway hit "South Pacific" including the theme song "Some Enchanted Evening."

After the banquet the music of Ted Smith and his orchestra added to making this prom the most successful one at Ellis High for many years.

"Nothing now is left but Majestic Memory." - - - Longfellow.

Art Niernberger takes time out to clown.

Gary Niernberger and Mary Alice Fisher.

Steve Bittel puts on a finishing touch.





The royalty reigned at the Homecoming Dance.

The '64 Homecoming game was with the Hill City Ringnecks. During a pre-game ceremony, the names of the Homecoming King and Queen, Glen Cox and Cheryl Schoenthaler, were announced. Attendants were Dennis Gabel, Duane Keller, Judy Younger, and Sally Steel. A dance following the game was sponsored by the junior class. Johnny and the Rebels furnished the music.

On the afternoon of October 30, the annual Homecoming parade was held. This year's theme was "Nursery Rhymes in Action." There was a tie for first place between the juniors and the seniors. Second place went to the sophomore class, and the F.F.A. took third.



The second place prize went to the sophomore class with "Mary had a little Lamb."



The F.F.A. took third place with Hickory Dickory Dock.

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The seniors tied for first place with their float "Peter Punkin Eater."



The juniors' float "4 & 20" was the other first prize winner.

# Homecoming '64



King Glen and Queen Cheryl enter a heart formed by the band in the pregame ceremony.

Attendant Judy Younger, Queen Cheryl Schoenthaler, Attendant Sally Steel. Flowerbearers Danen Sue Thomas and Warren Moos.



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### F.F.A. Barnwarmer

The annual F. F. A. Barnwarmer was held on November 20 in the old gym. The gym was full of bales of hay which served as seats. During the dance the name of the Chapter Sweetheart, Debbie Daily, was announced by President Duane Keller. Her attendants were Liz Mackender, Connie Huffman, and Patty Kutina. Refreshments were apple cider and doughnuts.

Ronnie Luea congratulates Debbie

Chapter Sweetheart Debbie Daily



Reception line



The Dog!!!



Congratulating the Royalty.



Snoball '64

# Snoball



ROYALTY: Judy Younger, Queen Sherry Alloway, Aleta Schumm, Jane Mackender, Linda Jacques, and Carol Dreiling.

The theme of the '64 Snoball held on December 12, in the gym was "Pink Peppermint." The colors used in the decoration scheme were red, pink, and white. K's Kombo furnished the music.

SERVERS: Rhonda Wheeler, Phyllis Huffman, Paulette Weimer, and Connie Niernberger.





# Sr. Play "Murder Takes the Veil"

Trillium Pierce Sally Ste	ee]
Crispin Archer Bill Kin	ng
Mr. Torvaldson Jim Sco	ott
Franz Eric Dennis Gab	e]
Kathy Thatcher Betty May	es
Helen Perry Pat Lock	er
Mary Elizabeth Cindy Wheel	er
Alison Liz Mackend	er
Nerissa Kathy Kneilin	nø
Minna Sherry Allowa	av
Mother Theodore Judy Young	er
Sister Osmond Carol Dink	e1
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Jarvis Thatcher Steve Bitte	el
Hy Muckleroy Jerry Lar	10
Glory Lue Ann Snide	er
Theophilus Burns Charles Horne	er
Pete Art Niernberge	er
THE THEHIDEIS	~1

PLACE: The lobby of the College of St. Aurelien, in the swamp country of Louisiana.

TIME: The present.

MR, HARRY MOOS - Director





Flippy and Pudgy



M. Rene



Annabelle and Zachary

## "It Happens Every Summer"

Lucy Jennings Woodruff - - - Karen Kroeger Gretchen Dana - - - - - - Jo Ann Lang Larae Donahue - - - - - - Maxine Denning Marge Powell - - - - - - Carla Vonfeldt Gert - - - - - - - - Cynthia Engstrand Jennifer Truex - - - - - - Debbie Daily Flippy Wonder - - - - - - Benita Kuhn Annabelle Ames - - - Mary Lou Kingsley M. K. Roberts - - - - - Beverly Matteson Andrea Matlins - - - - - Judy Nelson Olga Stone - - - - - - Patty Kutina Bitsy Stelling - - - - Mary Alice Fisher

Charity Bames - - - - - - Shyrell Vine Tod Colbert - - - - - - - - - - - - Jim Allen Pudgy Roulette - - - - - Gary Niemberger Zachary Bryan - - - - - - Dave Smith Kenyon McClinton - - - - Alan Klusener C. M. DiGiacomo - - - - Jack Nicholson C. G. Oglethorpe - - - - - C. Clotfelter Bamard Sands - - - - - - - - Gary Meserve M. Rene - - - - - - - - - Glen Keller Perc - - - - - - - - - - Bemie Ptaschek

The Cast



It Happens Every Summer?

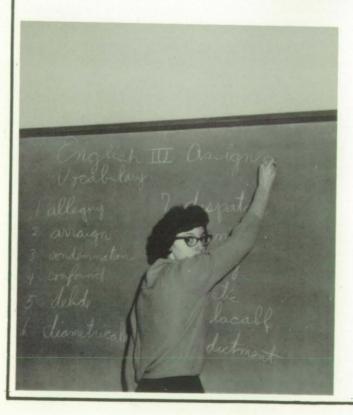




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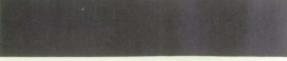
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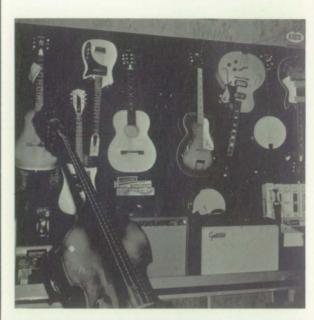
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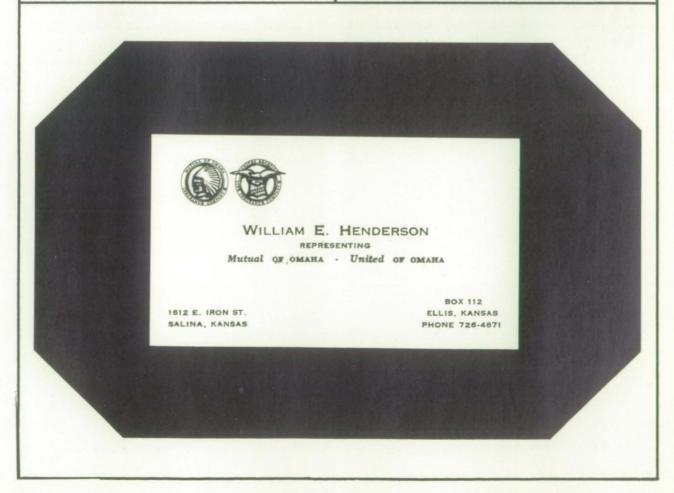
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