

Letter from the Staff

Time. This one word inspired eleven people to come up with pictures, poems, new formats, and creative ideas to develop your yearbook.

As you look at the outside of the 1983-84 yearbook, you may see it resembles the cover of a magazine. Since the theme for this year's book was "TIME" the staff decided to do a take-off on TIME and did the yearbook in magazine format. An ad was included on the back cover to complete the design.

We also included a new division format. Instead of dividing the book by classes, clubs, sports etc., we have separated it into seasons. By doing this, we hope you will be able to focus on the highlights each season had to offer.



The staff felt that putting out this yearbook was a great challenge. The challenge included working extra time out of class to reach deadlines, expanding our imaginations, and making sure everyone was included in the book. The photography staff was also challenged and succeeded in helping us meet deadlines.

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This experience not only brought a challenge, but also a reward. Watching the progress of each page, section, and season was exciting. We feel we have achieved our goal of creating an original and unique book. Even though it all required a great deal of work, the patience and guidance our advisor Donna Henry showed, and the fun and laughs we shared together made it all worth it.

The staff of the 1983-84 Railroader hopes you enjoy your yearbook and forever cherish the memories it holds.

The Railroader Staff Chonda Engel — Editor

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Annette Erbert, Majorette, leads the band in the Homecoming parade. Photo by Kathy Schramm



This Furry monkey was just one of the many prizes you could win for selling magazines in FHA/Hero. Photo by Jeanie Rathbun



Lisa Metzler crouches down on a chair trying to take pictures of royalty at Barnwarmer. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Cover Photos by Lisa Metzler

Greg Martin, Senior, drains his final putt. Photo by Kathy Schramm

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The snow is slowly melting. Spring is finally here as hours turn to seasons. The days turn into years

Ot seems like 'nows' forever
But forever goes too fost
Forever was also yesterday
Yet today thats in the past

The clock of life is ticking
the alarm begins to ring

We wonder where the time went

Clock summer overtakes spring

Karla Pray







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PEOPLE



Rhonda A. and Amy W. clown in Home Ec. room. Photo by S. Martin.



A clown gives Velvet D. a birthday present. Photo Schramm.



Students socialize in the halls during lunch. Photo by S. Martin.



Scottie M. gives directions at FHA X-Mas party. Photo by S. Martin.



Juniors visit during a break in English. Photo by S. Martin.



Kristel W. helps at chili supper. Photo Trent H.

SPORTS

Effort Shows in Volleyball

Girls end season with 7-12 record



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Mrs. Henry congratulates Debbie Dietz, Nikki Deyoe and Lisa Schafer on a job well done after the McCracken match. *Photo by Kendra Mixer*.



Velvet Deyoe, Michelle Augustine and Lori Metzler watch as Amy Schoenberger returns the ball. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.

The varsity volleyball team ended their season with a 7-12 record. However, the junior varsity did not do as well. They ended their season with a 3-7 record.

"I was really pleased with the rapid improvement of their skills. Even more importantly, they had extremely positive attitudes which point to success in the future," said Mrs. Henry about the J.V.

Mindy Windholz said this about volleyball. "I thought we were pretty good, and next year we should have a lot of experience. It was great when we beat Trego."



Mrs. Henry, volleyball coach, gives some advice to Nikki Deyoe, Lisa Schafer and Brenda Kinderknecht during a timeout at a Hill City match. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*

VOLLEYBALL

The varsity volleyball team ended their season with a 7-12 record. Every year, the volleyball team has improved their record and their skills, showing hard work and determination on the girls' part.

Mrs. Henry, the new volleyball coach, had this to say, "We started off the season well, surprising a lot of people. We had good senior leadership and the varsity improved on court coverage and defensive play. Although we didn't end the season as well as we had hoped to, I'd have to say that it was a good season with the improvement of our record."



Bev Sipes sets the ball for Lisa Bongartz during the Wheatland match. Photo by Velvet Deyoe



Helen Redden spikes the ball back to Trego during a home game, while Bev Sipes backs her up. Photo by Paul Patten



Mrs. Henry takes a timeout during the Hill City game to explain the defense to her team. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Mindy Windholz, Bev Sipes and Lisa Bongartz mull over their game. Photo by Kendra Mixer



Mrs. Henry discusses strategies with the volleyball team prior to the Hill City match. Photo by Kathy Schramm

	A-team						
	Ellis	Opponent	Them	WorL			
	15-15	McCracken	10-4	W			
	16-14-15	Bazine	14-16-9	W			
	3-17-5	Hill City	15-15-15	L			
	15-11-15	Palco	9-15-9	W			
	16-15	Trego	14-13	W			
	10-5	Kinsley	15-15	L			
	13-15-15	LaCrosse	15-13-4	W			
	7-6	Plainville	15-15	L			
	15-15	Victoria	8-12	W			
	15-11-7	Lewis	5-15-15	L			
	4-15-15	Hanston	15-0-9	W			
	9-15-0	Mullinville	15-10-15	L			
	6-15-13	Trego	15-6-15	L			
	2-5	Ness City	15-15	L			
Sub-State							
	10-5	Hill City	15-15	L			
MCL							
	13-13	Osborne	15-15	L			
	10-12	LaCrosse	15-15	L			
	6-8	Otis-Bison	15-15	L			
	2-1-1	Wheatland	15-15	L			

VOLLEYBALL



Back row L to R: L. Bongartz, D. Armbrister, S. Wolf, P. Honas, M. Augustine, A. Schoenberger, H. Redden and A. Erbert. Second row L to R: C. Fischer, L. Schafer, Coach Donna Henry, V. Deyoe and S. Blackwill. Third row L to R: D. Dietz, B. Kinderknecht, L. Metzler and C. Younger. Front row L to R: B. Sipes, M. Windholz and N. Deyoe. *Photo by Jeanie Rathbun*



Sue Ann Wolf spikes the ball during a home match against Trego, while Helen Redden and Bev Sipes back her up. Photo by Paul Patten



Seniors from L to R back row: Helen Redden and Lisa Bongartz. Front row: Patty Honas, Beverly Sipes and Annette Erbert. Photo by Paul Patten

SPORTS

Cross Country — 3rd at MCL

Team young, but not quitters.

Starting off the cross country season was a young, but hard working team. The team consisted of 6 juniors, 2 sophomores and 3 freshmen.

The season started with the team having their first meet at home, the Ellis Triangular. The team ran well the first meet even though 6 of the 10 boys ran for the first time. Ellis placed 2nd out of the 3 teams that were there.

The second meet was the P-ville Invitational with Ellis placing 4th out of 6 teams. Paul Patten placed 8th at P-ville with a time of 10:46. Next, Ellis traveled to Oakley on a cold and windy day and teamwise ran rather poorly. At the Norton Invitational the team placed 3rd out of 8 teams with Mike Weber leading in 5th place with a time of 10:41.

At the MCL meet at Ellis, the team took 3rd overall with Paul Patten coming in 4th. At regionals, the team took 6th out of 8 teams with the first 3 teams going to state. When asked what he thought about the cross country team this year, Coach Hulse commented, "We were awful young as far as experience goes but the kids started improving into the year and that's a good sign. We're looking forward to next year, for a trip to Manhatten."



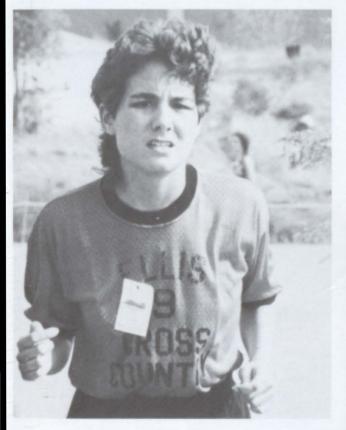
Paul Patton and Mr. Hulse wait for the race to start at the Plainville Invitational. Photo by Tina Armbruster



The 1983 Cross Country team was (Back Row — Left to Right) T. Halligan, M. Weber, D. Wolf, P. Patton, G. Younger, J. Rathbun, and Coach Hulse. (Front Row) T. Dinkle, M. Flax, D. Ptaschek, D. Fuller, and T. Stultz. *Photo by Jeanie Rathbun*



Joel Rathbun, Tanya Stultz, and Trent Halligan anxiously await the race to begin at Plainville
Photo by Tina Armbruster



Tanya Stultz runs for the finish line at Plainville. Photo by Tina Armbruster



Trent Halligan tires as he nears the finish line at MCL. Photo by The Ellis Review



The Cross Country team rides in back of a pickup at the Homecoming Parade *Photo by Kathy Schramm*



Darryl Ptaschek sprints for the finish line at MCL held at Ellis. Photo by The Ellis Review

CROSS COUNTRY



M. Weber, M. Flax, and D. Ptaschek take their places at the starting line. Photo by Tina Armbruster



Mike Weber comes in for the finish at the Ellis Triangular. Photo by the Ellis Review



Paul Patton races for the finish line. Photo by Kenny Sproul

Todd Dinkle nears the finish line at MCL held at Ellis. Photo by The Ellis Review



Mike Weber gets a little muddy while trying to outrun another runner at Hays. Photo by The Ellis Review



Cross Country

Ellis Invitational — 2nd

Plainville Invitational — 4th

Oakley Invitational — 4th

Hill City Invitational — 4th

Hays High Invitational — 7th

Norton Invitational — 3rd

MCL - 3rd

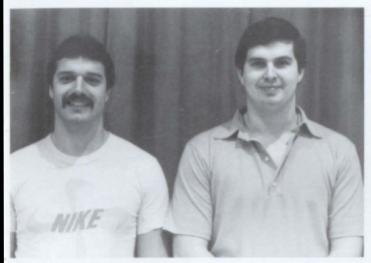
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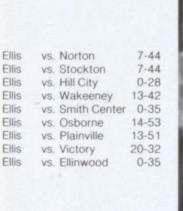
Railers have rebuilding year

Underclassmen gain experience

The 1983-84 season opened with a lot of excitement and enthusiasm for both the players and the coaches. The opening game of the season was against a highly ranked team, Norton. The Railers lost by a large margin in that first game but were still excited about the season. This excitement, however, was not enough to make a very inexperienced Railroader team a winner in the remainder of the season. With only four seniors for leadership, the Railers were unable to come up with a victory. What the Railer team did come up with was a good group of juniors, sophomores and freshmen that were able to get in some very valuable playing time. This should pay off in the seasons to come.



Assistant coach Kelly Cruise and coach Bill Coffman. Photo by L. Metzler





Coach Cruise cheers on the team as the rest watch. Photo by K. Ray

Loran Gottschalk takes a breather while waiting to get back into the game. Photo by S. Martin

M. Honas learns from watching A-team. Photo by K. Ray

Football



Front Row: W. King, K. O'Rourke, L. Augustine, J. Pfeifer, D. Leiker, D. Fabrizius, M. Bollig, M. Honas, M. Sipes, D. Armbruster, Middle Row: T. Phillips, T. Homburg, D. Schoenberger, G. Flax, C. Dinkel, B. Younger, D. Henderson, E. Light, J. Siebel, D. Hewett, P. Geschwentner, J. Augustine, D. Younger, W. Parsons, B. Stewart, R. Aschenbrenner, Back Row: Coach Cruise, S. Dinkel, L. Gottschalk, R. Befort, D. Desaire, T. Schoenthaler, E. Mayes, M. Armbruster, K. Honas, K. Sproul, T. Kuppetz, C. Gottschalk, D. Edwards, R. Honas, K. Weber, Coach Coffman.



Rex Befort gets off a pass before getting hit by an Osborne opponent. Photo by The Ellis Review.



Earl Mayes, Photo by Trent Hallagin



Rex Befort, Photo by T. Hallagin



Troy Schoenthaler, Photo by T. Hallagin



Ricky Aschenbrenner, *Photo by T. Hallagin*

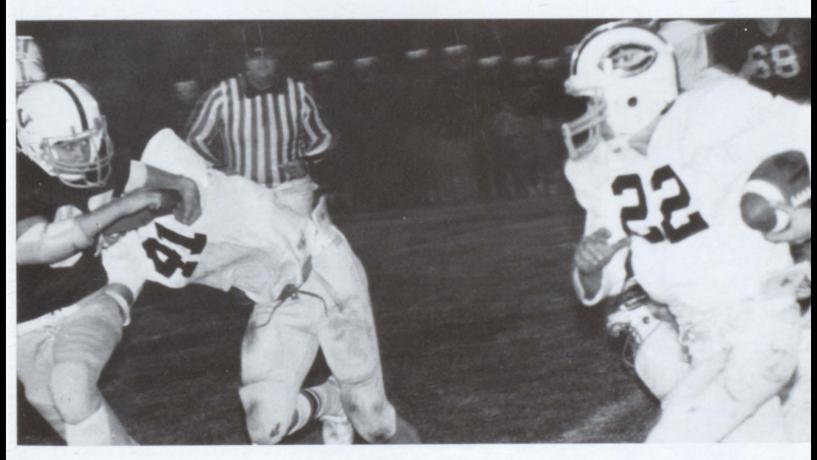
Football





Loran Gottschalk catches a pass during a game against Ellinwood. *Photo by The Ellis Review.*

Troy Schoenthaler and Ricky Aschenbrenner tackle a Hill City opponent. Photo by The Ellis Review



Matt Armbruster blocks for Wes King during a game against Victoria Photo by The Ellis Review

CLUBS

Stuco a great success

Stuco puts on a great homecoming, raises money through a dance and by selling cakes, and has terrific lyceums!

"A great success," was what Stuco president Patty Honas said about the year. "Overall, I would say that this was Stuco's best year in the four years I have been in Stuco. Everyone was willing to work, and so we made a lot of money." Stuco's first project of the year was homecoming. Although homecoming was very busy, Patty thought it went very smoothly.

Besides homecoming, Stuco also had lyceums and money-raising projects. Their main money-raising project was the cake raffle, which was something new, but turned out to be a great project. Stuco also had a dance, in which the band "Exodus" played. The dance was a success, as was the whole year.



Senior girls whoop it up at the weenie roast. Photo by Kathy Schramm



The students of EHS really show their spirit at the weenie roast. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Jeff Augustine and Sandy Pfiefer try to successfully pass a lemon between their teeth during Spirit Week. Photo by Paul Patten

Steve Russell, a lyceum act, shows the student body how to juggle and stick your tongue out simultaneously. Photo by Stephanie Martin



Dressing up for tacky day can make people act very strangely, as Wayne Augustine and Daren Fisher demonstrate. *Photo by Tina Armbruster*



Amy Keller puts mustard on Eddie Light's food at the weenie roast, as Troy Kuppetz and Kevin Weber wait their turn. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Stuco members: on ladder — C. Gottschalk, T. Homburg, E. Light, L. Fisher. Standing — K. Honas, A. Erbert, T. Armbruster, K. Mixer, D. Waldschmidt, D. Younger, M. Armbruster. Seated — P. Honas, H. Harwick, B. Schoenthaler, C. Fischer, D. Armbrister, D. Schoenthaler, L. Seibel. Not pictured L. Lang, J. Dick, T. Boutin, C. Engel, B. Sipes. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*



Seniors sit in a row making a snake, which was part of class competition during spirit week. Photo by Patrick Augustine



The students of EHS dressed up for punk day, watching their classmates in class competition. Photo by Paul Patten



Stuco officers: back row — Debbie Waldschmidt; secretary, DeeDee Armbrister; treasurer. Front row — Patty Honas; president, Annette Erbert; vice president. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*

HOMECOMING

Get electrified

EHS: buzzing with excitement the week of homecoming!

After a long and busy week, we finally reached the moment we had all been waiting for. As the queen candidates began their drive around the football field, the crowd grew silent. Over the loudspeaker came, "The 1983-84 Homecoming king is Ricky Aschenbrenner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aschenbrenner." As the car stopped in front of the bleachers, the queen was announced, "Debbie Waldschmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Waldschmidt is the 1983-84 Homecoming queen." Other candidates were Rex Befort, son of Rosalie Patterson and George Befort and Coleen Fischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fischer. Earl Mayes, son of Lorine Mayes and DeeDee Waldschmidt, duagher of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Waldschmidt. The crown bearer was Seth Bittel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Bittel. The flower girl was Lisa Rathbun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rathbun.

Along with the crowning, parade and football game, the students were also a big part of homecoming. In class competition, the seniors placed first, while in float competition the sophomores placed first, followed by the seniors, freshmen and then juniors.

Mr. Bray, STUCO sponsor, had this to say about Homecoming, "I thought we had a very large parade with a lot of people involved, and we had a nice bonfire."

After the finish of the football game against the Smith Center Redmen, the 1983-84 Homecoming came to an end with the students dancing to the music of Night Trax.



Homecoming royalty listens as the band plays, "All the Things You Are." Photo by Tim Huck.



Lisa Rathbun and Seth Bittel. Photo by Lisa Metzler.



Coleen Fischer and Ricky Aschenbrenner. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Debbie Waldschmidt and Rex Befort. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



DeeDee Waldschmidt and Earl Mayes. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Kay Honas dressed up for Punk Rock Day. Photo by Stephanie Martin



Chonda Engel and Montgomery Groff try to pass a lemon using just their teeth, while Diane Light cheers them on. *Photo by Paul Patten*



Tina Boutin, Deana Sproul, and Maryl Brack model their tacky outfits during Spirit Week. *Photo by Tina Armbruster*



Anne Keller, Rhonda Kuhn, Miss Wright, and Patty Honas seem to be enjoying themselves at the weenie roast. Photo by Paul Patten



Chonda Engel, head cheerleader, shows her spirit in the homecoming parade. Photo by Kathy Schramm



The Coors robot caught the attention of many children at the homecoming parade. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*



DeeDee Armbrister tries to chew off her lollipop, as Keith Honas watches in amazement. Photo by Tim Huck



The grade school shows their spirit at the homecoming parade. Photo by Miss Schramm

Band

Band looks to a bright future

Underclassmen gain experience during year.

Practice, practice, practice, was what band was all about this year. With only 22 upperclassmen and 26 underclassmen, its not at all surprising.

The E.H.S. Band had to do a lot of practicing this year to get ready to perform at sports events, pep assemblies, concerts, and regionals. Mr. Dietz, the band instructor, said, "It has kind of been an unusual year because of most of the band members being underclassmen."

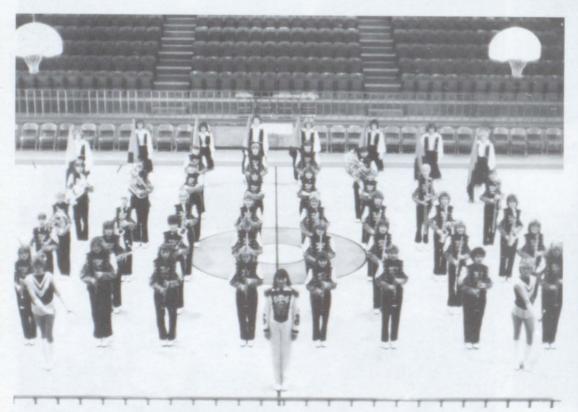
The band also had their share of misfortunes this year with their Christmas concert being cancelled due to snow and injuries.

The flagteam also performed this year during football and basketball season. They marched and performed routines to music supplied by the band. The band also had two new additions to it this year. They were the twirlers. Like the flagteam, the twirlers marched and performed routines with the band during the sports seasons.

Overall, the band, flagteam and twirlers did an outstanding job this year by entertaining all the fans at E.H.S.



Flagteam — (Top) D. Waldschmidt, J. Rathbun, K. Ray, T. Stultz, (Middle) R. Aschenbrenner, K. Wasinger, A. Waldschmidt, (Bottom) D. Light, B. Rupp



The entire Band, Flagteam and Twirlers pose for a picture in the gym. Photos by Tim Huck.



Drum Majorette — Annette Erbert. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Woodwinds — (Top) B. Crawford, D. Stadelman, S. Armbruster, A. Keller, L. Lang, L. Gottschalk, K. Wiesner, (Bottom) L. Dietrich, T. Armbrister, L. Schafer, H. Harwick, D. Dietz, K. Homburg, M. Matteson.



Brass — (Top) M. Weber, B. Desaire, S. Homburg, L. Fisher, S. Pfeifer, (Bottom) D. Fabrizius, M. Flax, D. Ptaschek, J. Rathbun.



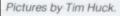
Percussion - M. Brack, T. Homburg, S. Martin, A. Keller.



 $\mbox{Sax} - \mbox{M.}$ Honas, D. Armbrister, L. Seibel, J. Honas, C. Fischer, (Bottom) S. Matteson, B. Schoenthaler, D. Sproul, D. Leiker.



The Twirlers for the 1983-84 school year were S. Jayne, and T. Kohl.





The Band Director, Bill Dietz, conducts the Band during class. Photo by Tina Armbruster

Junior Play

"Curious Savage" a success

Juniors combine their efforts for a good show

Who is crazy and who isn't crazy? That is what the Junior class play, "The Curious Savage," by John Patrick, tried to determine. Mrs. Savage, played by Karen Fox, was put in an institution by her children because they thought that she was spending her money in an irrational way.

Mrs. Savage proves in a very funny way that she is sane and, at the same time, gets even with her children, played by Stan Kinderknecht, Kevin O'Rourke, and Velvet Deyoe.

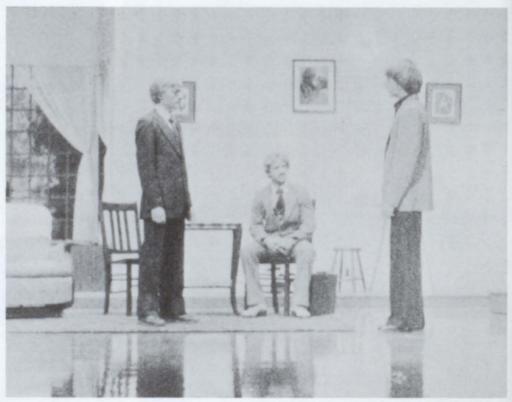
Along the way, she becomes good friends with some of the other people in the institution, played by Matt Armbruster, Allison Clark, Lori Seibel, Lee Fisher, and Shannon Dinkel, all of whom were very funny. The staff at the institution was played by Tanya Stultz and Darrell Ptaschek.

Kathy Schramm, the director of the play, said, "As soon as the kids got serious about working on the play, everything went pretty well."





L. Seibel tells K. Fox everything she hates in life while acting out her part in the junior play. *Photo by K. Sproul*



S. Kinderknecht and K. O'Rourke talk to D. Ptaschek about Mrs. Savage's condition as they act their parts in the play. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*.



S. Dinkel shows her son John Thomas to K. Fox as M. Armbruster and A. Clark watch. Photo by Kenny Sproul.



L. Seibel portrays Mrs. Patty painting a landscape. *Photo: K. Sproul*



Matt Armbruster plays the violin as Lee Fisher and Allison Clark listen. *Photo by Kenny Sproul*.



Annette Augustine and Whitney Miller work together on the scenery for the play. *Photo by Paul Patten.*



W. Miller helps K. Fox with makeup. Photo by S. Martin.

Classes

Freshmen: A New Beginning

Freshmen finish second in spirit competition



Class officers for the freshmen are: Pres. Mike Honas, Vice-Pres. Danny Fabrizius, Sec. Connie Fischer. Photo by Stephanie Martin



The freshmen finished third in the float competition with this entry. Photo by Pat Augustine

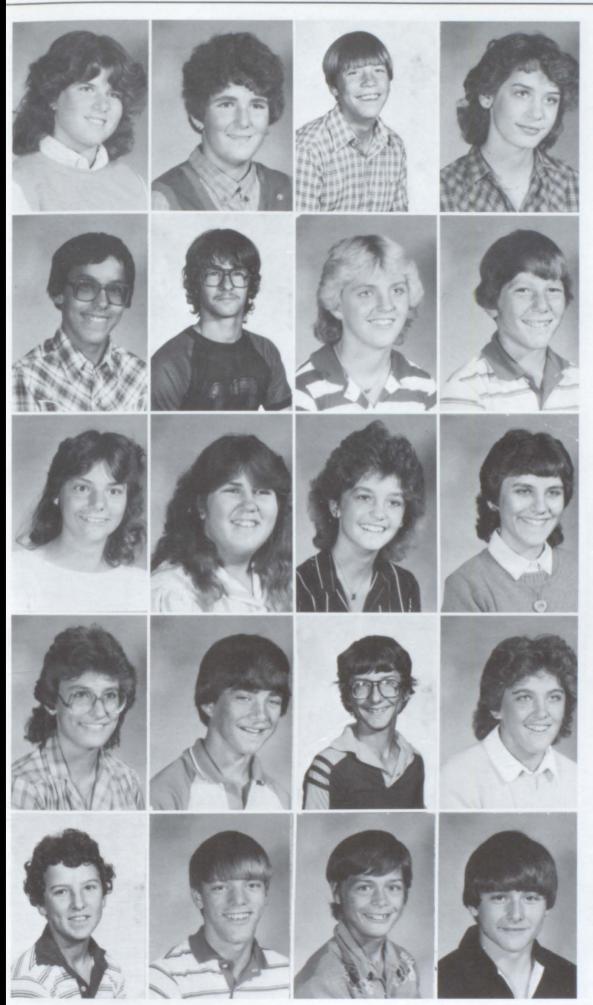
Spirit, enthusiasm, and competitiveness is a good way of describing the class of 87. As freshmen, this class was very competitive in all school activities. In the spirit competition during Homecoming, the freshmen finished second among the four classes competing. In the float competition, the freshmen finished third. Pat Geschwentner and Jim Pfeifer said, "The reason that our class is so competitive is because it is our first year and we wanted to show that we can compete with the older guys."

Kim Weisner added, "Our class works together well and everyone likes to have fun."



Michele Augustine examines her gum during Algebra 1. Photo by Pat Augustine

FRESHMEN



Twila Armbruster Sonja Armbruster Mark Augustine Michelle Augustine

Ronnie Barenberg Ben Bieker Sandi Blackwill Mike Bollig

Becky Crawford Beth Deutscher Nikki Deyoe Laura Dietrich

Debbie Dietz Todd Dinkel Danny Fabrizius Connie Fischer

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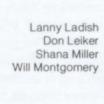
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Amy Schoenberger Bonnie Schoenthaler Jill Schoenthaler Allen Scott









Joel Siebel Michelle Sokolowski Doreen Stadelman Kim Wiesner







Christine Younger



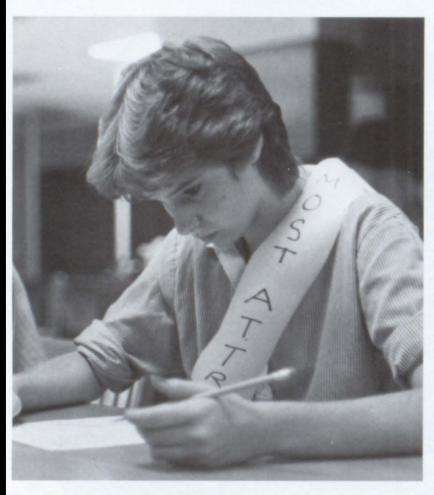
Shana Miller, on Tacky Day, talks during Algebra. Photo by Trent Halligan



Danny Fabrizius, Joel Rathbun, and Amy Schoenberger play during band. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*.



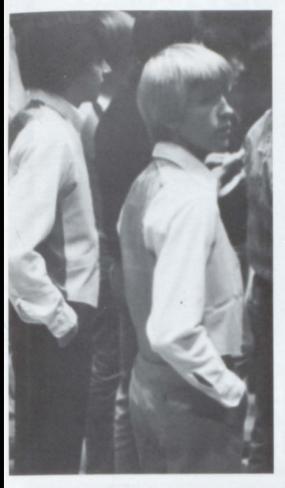
Heather Harwick shows her bubba face during a EHS volleyball match. Photo by Tina Armbruster.



Sonya Jayne studies the word find puzzle at the FHA Freshman kidnapping. Photo by Lisa Metzler



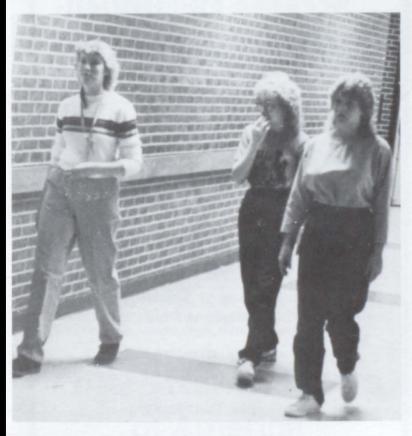
Joel Seibel was the freshman entry in the wet T-shirt competition during Homecoming festivities. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*



Don Leiker and Joel Seibel observe students during a pep assembly. *Photo by Trent Hallagin.*



Lisa Schafer finds a word on her seek-a-word puzzle during the FHA kidnapping. Photo by Lisa Metzler.



Janice Honas, Lynn Gottschalk, and Bonnie Schoenthaler walk the halls during lunch. *Photo by Trent Hallagin*



Amy Keller, Heather Harwick, and Ann Keller Cheer during a basketball game. Photo by Tina Armbruster.



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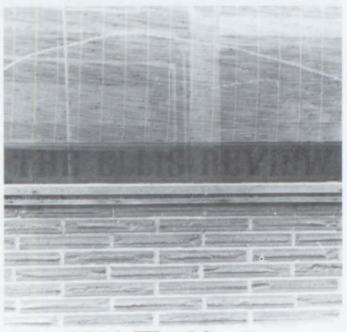
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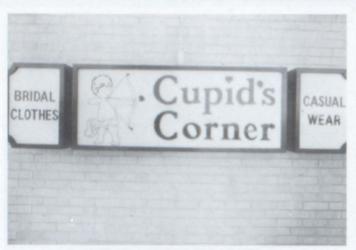
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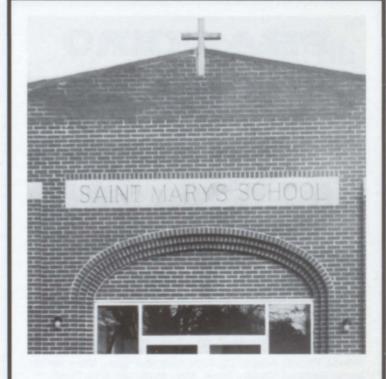


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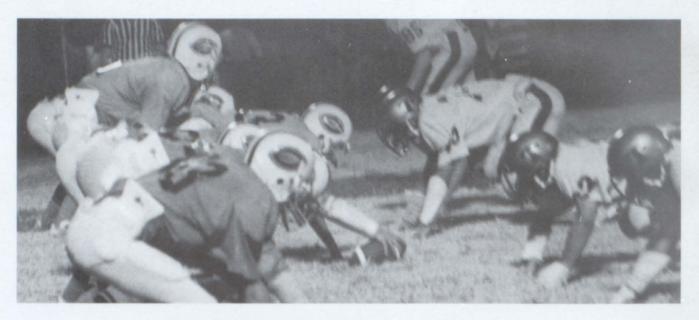


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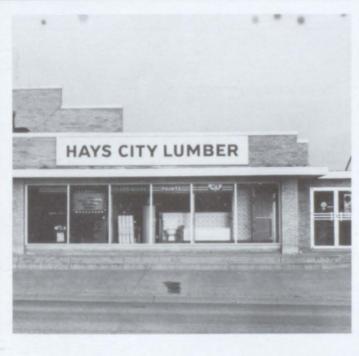


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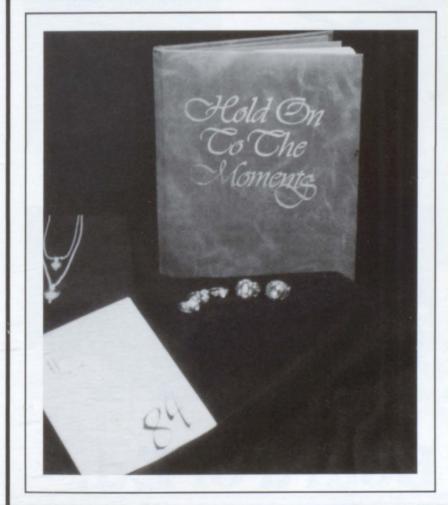


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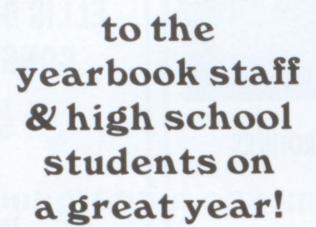
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SPORTS

Desire to wrestle and . . .

Desire to be state material.

The 1983-84 wrestlers strove for goals and great accomplishments. Mark Flax was one who reached a goal that every wrestler strives for. The wrestlers each backed one another throughout the entire season. Coach Faulkendar said, "Overall these kids have something you don't coach." He added, "They have the desire to wrestle well and do not want to get pinned or defeated. Consequently, it's easy to coach kids like that."

"We have great determination and the desire to be state material," Randy Pfeifer said. "I also think we have the best coach around. He knows his stuff and he doesn't get mad when you lose, like most coaches. He has a way of making wrestling fun and that makes me respect him along with all of the other wrestlers. I think it is important to have respect in a coach and I feel that he is all around great."



Having to make weight is a big part of wrestling. Donnie Younger helps Mike Sipes lose weight the day before a tournament. Photo by Tim Huck.



Bobby Younger, Mark Flax, Dallas Armbruster, Mike Sipes, Chad Dinkel, Randy Pfeifer, Kevin Weber, Donnie Younger, Travis Phillips, Alex Begler, Kenny Schmidt, Dale Edwards, Gary Luea, Coach Faulkendar. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.





Mark Flax shakes hands with his opponent from Stockton at the state tournament. Mark had to default due to illness. Photo by Patrick Augustine.

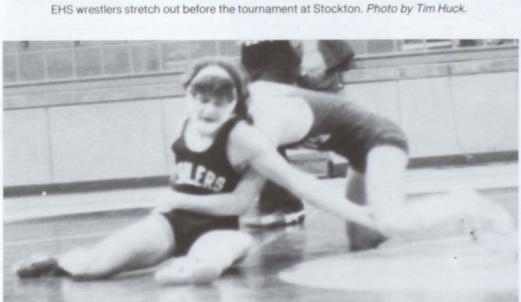


Mr. Faulkender looks on to see if Randy Pfeifer will defeat his man. Photo by Tim Huck.



Randy Pfeifer fights to pin his opponent. Photo by Tim Huck.





Dallas Armbruster tries to take down his Plainville opponent at Ellis. Photo by Tim Huck.



Dale Edwards attempts to take down his man in HWT. division. *Photo by Ellis Review*.



Senior Kenny Schmidt

WRESTLING



Mike Sipes wins the toss against P-ville and takes the top. Photo by Tim Huck.



Coach Faulkender gives advice to his wrestler during a match. Photo by Tim Huck.



Dallas Armbruster takes third at MCL. Photo by Ellis Review.



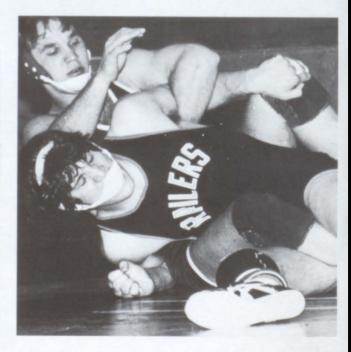
Kevin Weber crossfaces his opponent from P-ville. Photo by Ellis Review.



Mark Flax takes third at MCL. Photo by Ellis Review.



Mike Sipes takes third at MCL. Photo by Ellis Review.



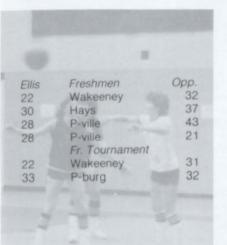
Randy Pfeifer struggles to get loose from his opponent. Photo by Ellis Review.

SPORTS

Desire and hard work equal . . .

All the right moves!

The season went well for the junior varsity and freshman squad. Both almost came out with their goal of a winning season. They had very good attitudes and great team spirit. There will still be a lot of potential for next year.



Ellis	B-team	Орр.
22	Norton	26
5	Wakeeney	23
20	Stockton	5
23	Osborne	17
18	Victoria	10
23	P-burg	26
19	Ness City	24
22	Wakeeney	25
28	Quinter	18
15	P-ville	13
34	LaCrosse	29
24	Hill City	15
16	Victoria	.28
20	Smith Center	38
24	Oakley	28
43	Ness City	27



Janice Honas, Rhonda Aschenbrenner, Kim Wasinger, Janelle McClelland, Kay Flax, Amy Schoenberger, Connie Fischer, Tracy Stegman, Sandi Blackwill, Lisa Boos, Shana Miller, Myrna McClelland. *Photo by Karla Ray*



Rhonda Aschenbrenner gets prepared to shoot a free throw against Victoria at Ellis. Photo by Stephanie Martin



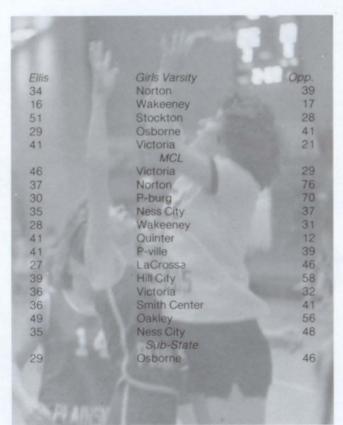
Nikki Deyoe, Brenda Kinderknecht, Debbie Dietz, Shana Miller, Terri Kohl, Connie Fischer, Amy Schoenberger, Sandi Blackwill, Janice Honas, Michelle Augustine, Amy Keller, Anne Keller. *Photo by Karla Ray*

BASKETBALL

The 1983-84 season was used to work on fundamentals and conditioning as well as basic offense and defensive formations. The team had six returning letter winners. Opening of the season was off to a fast start against Norton in what was expected to be a game between the most favored and least favored teams in the Mid-Continent League. It turned out to be very close. The girls fell short of a win to Norton, 39-34.

Defense was the key word for the girl's team this year. They double teamed the ball, causing more turnovers and then took off with a fast break. Overall, the girls played together as a team and fought to keep the team spirit alive.

"We're number 1" . . . "we can win" . . . are great slogans, but mean nothing unless you believe them when you take the court," said Bev Sipes.





Maryl Brack, Sipes and Keller in the big "D." Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Cheryl Wasinger, Rhonda Aschenbrenner, Dee Dee Armbruster, Whitney Miller, Coach Hulse, Patty Honas, Annette Erbert, Lisa Bongartz, Myrna McClelland, Lora Seibel, Lisa Keller, Bev Sipes. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.



Senior Lisa Bongartz.



Senior Annette Erbert.



Senior Lisa Keller



Bev Sipes sets up the offense. Photo by Paul Patten.



Coach Hulse thinks what to do to turn the game around. *Photo by Martin.*



The mongo patrol takes time off the court to pose. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Senior Bev Sipes



Cheryl Wasinger fights for a loose ball at Ellis. Photo by Ellis Review.



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Cheryl Wasinger puts up a lefthanded jump shot. Photo by Ellis

Lisa Keller and Patty Honas try to tie up the ball against Trego at Ellis. *Photo by Ellis Review.*

SPORTS

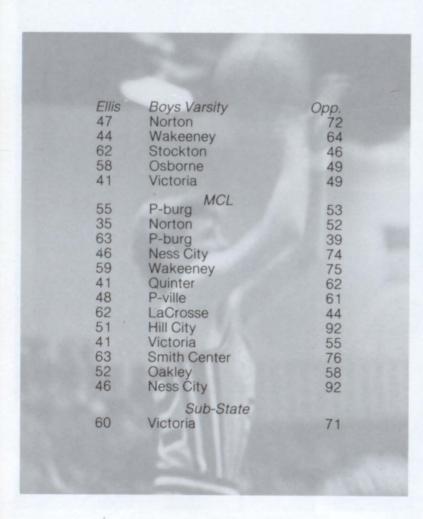
Rebuilding for the future

Mathes uses the season to gain experience

1983-84 was a rebuilding year for the boys' basket-ball team. With no returning starters and no returning lettermen, experience was in great demand. After a slow start, several changes were made to guarantee an experienced team in the future. The starting line up was changed to include two sophomores and three juniors. The team seemed to progress and improve and optimism is the word for next year. The seniors Rex Befort, Ricky Aschenbrenner, Troy Schoenthaler and Greg Martin showed a lot of courage and made a great sacrifice for the future of EHS basketball.



Rex Befort, Jeff Augustine, Kenny Sproul, Brett Fuller, Bryan Patten, Matt Armbruster, Kevin O'Rourke, Loran Gottschalk, Randy Honas, Wes King, Duane Schoenberger, *Photo by Kathy Schramm*.





Randy Honas takes a jump shot against Stockton at Ellis. Photo by Ellis Review.



Senior Rex Befort



Senior Ricky Aschenbrenner



The boys huddle before the game. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Coach Mathes points out a strategic option at P-burg. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Matt Armbruster takes a jump shot against Ness City. Photo by Karla Ray



The bench shows enthusiasm for Ellis. Photo by Karla Ray.



Senior: Troy Schoenthaler. Photo by Martin



Befort and Aschenbrenner play defense. Photo by Martin.



Honas prepares. Photo by Martin.

BASKETBALL



Mike Honas, Joel Seibel, and Don Leiker play zone defense against Trego. Photo by Kathy Schramm



The freshmen and junior varsity began the 1983-84 season with a little bit of trouble and they ended on the note that there is always next year. The freshman team was made up of six players. Both teams worked hard, mentally and physically.



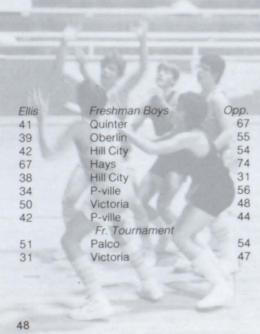
Duane Schoenberger, Keven O'Rourke, Jeff Augustine, Sean Dinkel, Bryon Patton, Loran Gottschalk, Darrell Ptaschek, Greg Younger. *Photo by Karla Ray*

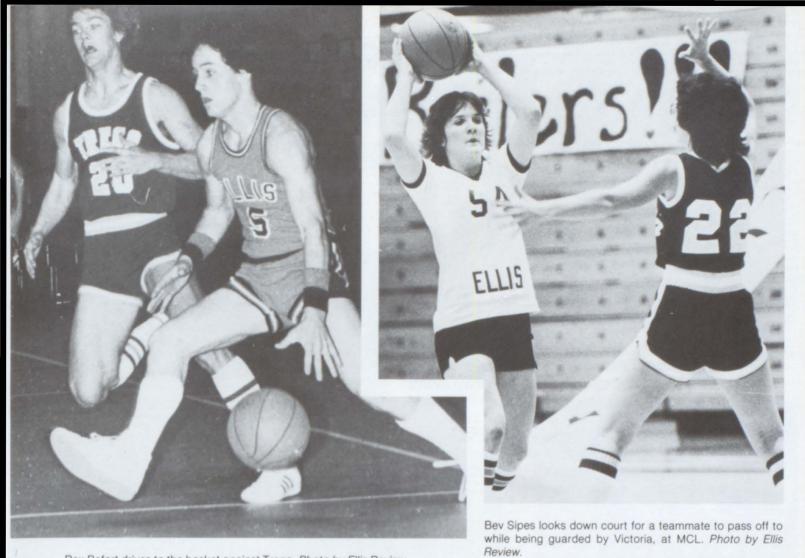


Darren Wolf shoots a free throw against Trego. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Gary Flax, Darren Wolf, Joel Seibel, and Joel Rathbun. Photo by Karla Ray





Rex Befort drives to the basket against Trego. Photo by Ellis Review.



Dallas Armbruster, 126-pound class, won his match 9-1 over P-burg. Photo by Ellis Review.

PEP CLUB

Another successful year

Pep Club dance cancelled

Yelling, screaming and cheering poured from the bleachers, as the Pep club supported their team through their wins and losses. The 1983-84 year was a success with the help of the EHS pep club. One of the main events this year was the drawing of secret fans, which took place before each season. The halls of EHS began to brighten up, as the lockers of the athletes were decorated by their secret fans. Pep Club sponsored a skating party for all members. They also sponsored the annual swimming party on April 6 at Gross Memorial Coliseum in Hays. After swimming, everyone went to eat pizza. The Pep Club dance was cancelled because of the students' behavior at the Barnwarmer dance, among other things. Pep Club, with the help of the Booster Club, sponsored a 5th quarter for everyone who stayed after the games to enjoy refreshments and to comment on the game.

SCHOOL SONG

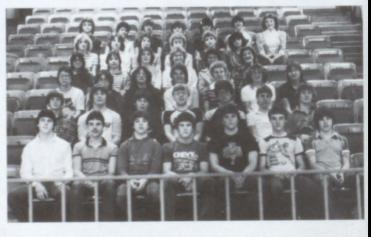
Although Hays has always favored The crimson and the gold And the gentle sons of Trego To the purple true to hold. We will win our sunflower splendor No longer shall it lack, As the high school stands defender Of the Orange and the Black

Through the four long years of high school
Mid scenes we love so well
And the mystic charms of knowledge
We so vainly seek to spell
We will win athletic victory,
On football field, and track
As the high school stands defender of the
Orange and the Black
The Orange and Black.
The Orange and Black.
You take it away and bring it back
The Orange and Black
as I repeat,
ELLIS HIGH SCHOOL, IS HARD TO BEAT!!!

The singing of the school song. Photo by Karla Ray



Fr. — Lanny L., David F., Gary F., Mike B., Pat G., Connie F., Shana M., Don L., Joel R., Dane F., Todd D., Mark A., Julie S., Debbie D., Janice H., Kim W., Heather H., Nikki D., Amy K., Anne K., Laura D., Twila A., Beth D., Lori K., Sonya J., Sandy H., Christine Y., Michelle A., Lynn G., Becky C., Brenda K., Bonnie S., Lisa S., Doreen S., Terri K., Jimmy P., Darrin W., Sonja A. *Photo by Trent Halligan*



Soph. — Joe R., Dave H., Chad D., Dallas A., Bobby Y., Troy R., Lonnie A., Trent H., Kevin W., Lee B., Travis P., David D., Gary L., Brad S., Amy W., Patty S., Debbie B., Kaylene F., Terri W., Myrna M., Michele K., Debbie B., Amanda G., Tammy H., Tammy R., Lori M., Kathy H., Melissa F., Mary W., Kim W., Sandy P., Donna S., Candra E., Tracy S., Dava F., Sean D., Rod G., Donnie Y., Mike S., Lisa B. *Photo by Trent Halligan*



Kim W., Heather H. and Amy S., cheer for Ellis. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Gary Flax takes a dive at the swimming party. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



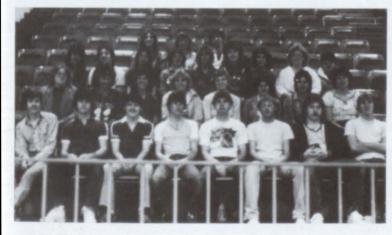
Tracy Stegman gets involved at the MCL tournament. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Pep Club Officers — Poster Committee — Annette Erbert, Tina Boutin, Kendra Mixer, Tracy Stegman, Dava Fischer, Amanda Groff. 5th Quarter — Lisa Boos, Candra Engel. President — Brenda Weber, Vice President — Brenda Rupp, Secretary — Diane Light, Treasurer — Lisa Bongartz, Stuco Rep. — Chonda Engel, Advisors — June Glantz and Kathy Moyer. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.



The crowd watches another exciting football game at Ellis High School. *Photo by Stephanie Martin.*



Senior Pep Club: Kevin A., Rex B., Ty F., Darren R., Mont G., Jerry D., Earl M., Troy S., Deena S., Brenda R., Colleen F., Diane L., Brenda W., Michelle A., Scottie M., Helen R., Lisa M., Jeanie R., Chrystal W., Bev S., Lisa B., Tina A., Maryl B., Deana S., Wanda A., Patty H., Chonda E., Greg M. Photo by Trent Halligan.



Junior Pep Club: Julie K., Cheryl W., Amy W., Rhonda A., Stephanie M., Nancy B., Lori D., Lori H., Kay H., Angie J., Karen F., Melissa B., Sue W., Jackie K., Pam N., Missy B., Tanya S., Velvet D., Mindy W., Annette A., Dee Dee A., Lora S., Whitney M., Any B., Janelle M., Bryan W., Alex B., Delmar W., Mike W., Kevin O., Lee F., Stan K., Randy P., Tim H., Paul P. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.

CHEERLEADERS

Cheerleaders Boost Spirit

Cheerleaders keep spirit through good and bad

Cheerleading began this summer in June when all fifteen cheerleaders attended NCA summer cheerleading camp. They won three superiors (the highest award) and one excellent. They also received a spirit stick two nights and were allowed to bring one home.

Kendra, Donna, Karen, and Sandy also attended DCA drill team camp. They won a first place trophy for Super Team Award. This is where all the squads vote for their favorite squad. They also won first place team for being the best squad at routines and evaluations.

The varsity cheerleading squad this year consisted of Chonda Engel, captain, Lesa Lang, co-captain, Tina Boutin, Debbie Waldschmidt, Kendra Mixer, Shannon Dinkel, and Dava Fischer, mascot.

The thing she would always remember about cheerleading this year said Debbie Waldschmidt, "When we were at Otis-Bison for a volleyball tournament, and thinking that the match was over, I ran out on the court to congratulate the players, and it was only the end of the second game!"



Cheerleaders build a stunt between quarters at a basketball game against Oakley. Photo by Tim Huck.



Cheerleaders show their talent at stunt building at Gross Memorial Coliseum during MCL. Photo by Karla Ray.



Dava Fischer takes a break from cheering to get a quick drink. *Photo by Kendra Mixer*.



Lesa Lang, Shannon Dinkel, and Dava Fischer at the Homecoming pep assembly. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Kendra Mixer does a routine to PYT. Photo by Patrick Augustine.



Debbie Waldschmidt, Lesa Lang, Tina Boutin, Chonda Engel, and Kendra Mixer give each other back rubs while enjoying a B-team game. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.



Senior cheerleaders were Chonda Engel, Lesa Lang, Debbie Waldschmidt, and Tina Boutin. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*. Chonda Engel was cheerleading captain. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*.

CHEERLEADERS

This year's Junior Varsity cheerleaders consisted of Donna Schoenthaler (captain), Tammy Herman, Tammy Rupp, and Heather Harwick. They kept busy all year cheering at all B-team and freshman events. They also supported the Varsity team and helped at pep assemblies and other cheerleading activities. Donna Schoenthaler commented, "We really worked hard but it was lots of fun, and we all became good friends. One thing I'll always remember is when on the bus to Hill City during the freshman tournament, the boys in the back of the bus wanted the heater turned off and Heather yelled to the bus driver, 'The guys are getting real hot back here!'"





Heather Harwick works up a sweat cheering for Ellis. Photos by Kathy Schramm and Trent Halligan.



Tammy and Donna decide on the next cheer. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Tammy Rupp, all smiles, cheers the team on. Photos by Kathy Schramm and Stephanie Martin.



Tammy Herman does her part to help the team. Photos by Kathy Schramm and Stephanie Martin.





Donna Schoenthaler, captain, leads B-team well. Photos by Kathy Schramm.

CHEERLEADERS



Tina, Amanda, Karen, and Sandy perform a routine. Photo by Trent Halligan.



Amanda and Karen do a routine. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Tina at the Homecoming pep assembly. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Senior cheerleader — Tina Armbruster. Photo by Jeane Rathbun.



Sandy practices a routine in the lobby. Photo by Velvet Deyoe.

This year's wrestling cheerleading squad consisted of Karen Fox (captain), Tina Armbruster, Amanda Groff, and Sandy Pfeifer. They cheered at all cross country meets and wrestling matches, as well as gave support at football and basketball games. Karen Fox said, "I was really pleased at the way more cheerleaders took an interest in wrestling this year. Donna Schoenthaler and Shannon Dinkel were especially great, showing up at every tournament. We all got along well and overall it was a great year."

When asked about what she would remember most, Tina Armbruster replied, "We were at substate and it was snowing so we needed a ride from our hotel to the match. We went to ask the Hill City wrestlers if they would give us one, but they weren't ready yet!



Sandy, Tina, Amamda, and Karen cheer at a home wrestling match. Photo by Velvet Deyoe.



The wrestling cheerleaders take time out for a picture. Photo by Janet Armbruster.

KAYETTES

Busy All Year Long

Kayettes sponsor many worthwhile activities

Kayette initiation was first on the agenda this year. The senior Kayettes each received a freshman girl that morning in homeroom to dress up as they wanted. The freshmen then had to stay dressed up until after the potluck picnic that night.

The Kayettes collected donations for cancer at the football games. They also collected for the March of Dimes. To get points for Snoball, they cleaned the football field after homecoming, had the annual clothing and toy drives, collected eyeglasses for the needy, sponsored dress-up day, and had the Miss Blabbermouth Contest. Stephanie Martin won Miss Blabbermouth, Earl Mayes won Mr. Irresistible, and Michelle Azar won Miss Bashful. On dress-up day, Coleen Fischer and Paul Patten each received a ten dollar gift certificate from the Brass Buckle for being the best dressed.

For their money-making project this year, Kayettes again sold cheese. Along with community services, Kayettes also sponsored many fun activities. This year, each Kayette had to have ten points to go to Snoball. A movie, "The House That Dripped Blood," was shown to the student body. A weiner roast and necking party were held April 17. Also, they had the annual Mother-Daughter Tea.



Coleen Fischer and Paul Patten in their finest after winning the Dress-up Day Contest. *Photo by Tim Huck*.



Sonja Armbruster, Michelle Augustine, and Christine Younger in Algebra class on Kayette Initiation Day. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.



Bonnie Schoenthaler, Amy Schoenburger, and Whitney Miller in the hall between classes on Kayette Initiation Day. *Photo by Stephanie Martin.*



Connie Fisher and Sandi Blackwill in their initiation costumes in Mechanical Drawing. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Senior Kayettes — Top row: Lisa K., Patty H., Deana S., Lesa L., Jeanie R., Deena S., Maryl B., Tina B., Michelle A. Bottom row: Beverly S., Annette E., Scottie M., Diane L., Brenda W., Tina A. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*.



Junior Kayettes — Top row: Angie J., Cheryl W., Rhonda A., Amy W., Nancy B., Lori D., Amy B., Lori H., Julie K. Middle row: Missy B., Pam N., Mary M., Sue W., Allison C., Melissa B. Bottom row: Lora S., Tanya S., Velvet D., Shannon D., Whitney M., Kendra M., Dee Dee A., Annette A. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*.



Kayette officers: Cheryl Wasinger — treasurer, Lori Hough — points chairman, Brenda Rupp — president, Lori Seibel — vice president, Dee Dee Waldschmidt (not pictured) secretary. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*.



Mrs. Henry, Kayette advisor for the second year, did a great job. *Photo by Velvet Deyoe*.



Kayette Board — Top row: Lisa K., Karla R., Cheryl W., Lori H., Melissa F., Kim W. Middle row: Brenda R., Annette E., Diane L., Shannon D., Lora S., Tracy S. Bottom row: Bev S., Tina A., Kendra M., Angie J. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*.



Sophomore Kayettes — Top row: Lori M., Donna S., Candra E., Mary W., Tammy R., Tammy H., Kim W., Sandy P., Kaylene F., Terri W. Middle row: Melissa F., Lisa B., Amanda G., Dava F., Kathy H., Debi B. Bottom row: Myrna M., Patty S. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*.



Freshman Kayettes — Top row: Michelle A., Sonja A., Lisa S., Connie F., Sonja J., Brenda K., Jill S., Twila A. Middle row: Anne K., Laura D., Janice H., Heather H., Lynn G., Julia S. Bottom row: Nikki D., Amy K., Shana M., Sandy H., Christine Y. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*.

SNOBALL

Magical Moments

Even Wintertime is funtime for Kayettes and their dates

Magical Moments was truly the theme of Snoball '83. The night of December 10th will be remembered for years to come by the Kayettes who attended Snoball. Everyone was dressed in her finest and the gym was beautifully decorated in purple, lavender, and white.

Patty Honas was crowned Snoball queen by Troy Schoenthaler. Their attendants were Lisa Bongartz, Coleen Fisher, Petri Syrenius, and Ricky Aschenbrenner. The prince and princess for the junior class were Angela Jayne and Randy Pfeifer. Tracey Stegman and Kevin Weber were chosen from the sophomore class, and the freshmen were Lynn Gottschalk and Joel Seibel.

After the crowning, entertainment was provided by the Snoball servers: Tammy Befort, Robyn Honas, Sharley McCoy, and Jamie Wolf, who did a routine to "Fascination."

The music was provided by Crossfire, who played mainly hard rock.

Color portraits were taken in the lobby by the photography class.





Whitney and Matt wait in anticipation to see who will get Junior royalty. Photo by Sonja Armbruster.



Troy gives Patty the traditional kiss. Photo by Sonja Armbruster.



Sophomore candidates were Lisa Boos, Kevin Weber, Tracy Stegman, Eddie Light, Kathy Homburg, and Mike Sipes. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



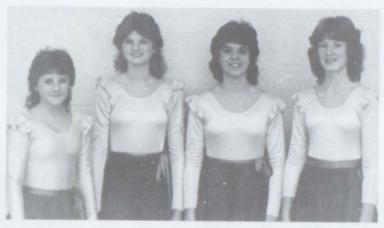
Joel Rathbun, Mike Honas, and Danny Fabrizius posing for a picture before Snoball. Photo by Sonja Armbruster.



Four of the freshman candidates were Lynn Gottschalk, Dann Fabrizius,



Lisa, Troy, Patty, Petri, Coleen, and Ricky wait to see who will win. Photo by Sonja Armbruster.



The Snoball servers were Sharley McCoy, Robyn Honas, Jamie Wolf, and Tammy Befort. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Gordy Flax, Ms. Moyer, Mr. and Mrs. Hulse, Mrs. Bonner, and Snoball server Tammy Befort watch the candidates make their entrance. Photo by Stephanie Martin.

FHA

Fall Conference a success

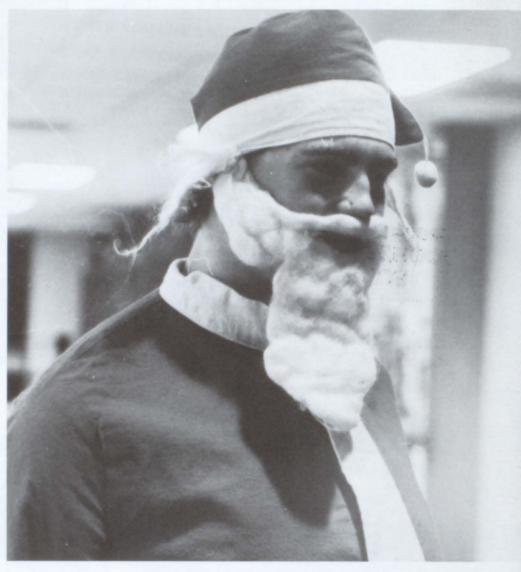
FHA proves theme true



Randy Pfeifer attempts to tie a tie. Photo by L. Metzler.



Kenny Sproul is proud of his cake. Photo by Lisa Metzler.



Dale Edwards was Santa Claus at the FHA Christmas party. Photo by Jeanie Rathbun.



Front row — Sandy H., Heather H., Lynn G., Janice H., Bonnie S. Middle row — Twila A., Terri K., Beth D., Brenda K., Doreen S. *Photo by Tim Huck*.



Front row — Kathy H., Tammy H., Tammy R., Dava F., Lisa B., Candra E. Middle row — Kaylene F., Terri W., Myrna M., Michele K., Amy W., Debbie B. Back row — Kim W., Mary W., Melissa F., Sandy P., Tracy S. *Photo by Tim Huck*.



Rhonda Aschenbrenner plays with the monkey she won for selling magazines. Photo by Jeanie Rathbun.



Bonnie S., Janice H., Lynn G., Sandi B., and Sonya J. were named sexiest, most sleepy, worst, most comfortable, and attractive. *Photo by Jeanie Rathbun*.

"Future Homemakers of America, New Beginnings Daring to Discover" was the theme for the 1983-84 year. FHA members kept busy this year with various activities. The main event was fall conference, which was held in Ellis. Everyone helped to make it a big success.

Other events included the freshman kidnap, the annual magazine sales to raise money for the year, and attending the state fair.

Powder Puff football was played once again. The cross country and football boys helped out by coaching and cheering the teams on. The money that was made went to the Ellis

Library fund.

The Christmas party is always a favorite acitivity for the members. This year it included a potluck supper, a visit from Santa Claus, and a gift exchange, followed by Christmas caroling at the Good Samaritan Home.

FHA week was held during the week of Barnwarmer. During the week, secret sisters were drawn and a banana split party was held one morning. The Barnwarmer dance ended the week and Matt Armbruster was chosen as Mr. FHA.

State meeting was held in Salina, March 30. Mary Matteson and Kathy Homburg were installed as District officers.

Aerobics was held once again to promote physical fitness. It was a lot of fun and those who attended had a good time.

The parent Appreciation Banquet was held on April 24 to end the year, and the new officers were installed.



The 1983-84 FHA officers were Kristel W., Chonda E. Lesa L., Brenda W., Allison C., Scottie M., Mary W., Candra E., Jeanie R., Mary M., and Virginia D., advisor. Tina A. not pictured. *Photo by Velvet Deyoe*.



Front row — Karen F., Melissa B., Sue Ann W., Angela J., Nancy B., Julie K., Lori D. Middle row — Mindy W., Amy W., Rhonda A., Lora S., Annette A., Velvet D., Amy B., Tanya S. Back row — Cheryl W., Stephanie M., Jackie K., Lori H. *Photo by Tim Huck*.



Front row — Scottie M., Helen R., Annette E., Brenda R., Colleen F., Diane L., Tina A. Middle row — Kristel W., Patty H., Chonda E., Deana S., Brenda W., Maryl B. Back — Bev S., Lisa K., Lisa B., Jeanie R., Lisa M. *Photo by Tim Huck*.

FFA

Skill and Determination Equal..

Placing in various judging contests

The Ellis chapter of Future Farmers of America proved they had skill and determination by placing in various judging contests.

The annual fruit sale was held again and approximately \$1500 profit was made. Lanny Ladish was the top seller.

The senior FFA members went to the Denver Stock Show for the first time.

The members participated in various contests and brought back many awards. They placed 3rd in the dairy contest, 3rd in the crops contest with Shannon Dinkel placing 3rd in individuals, 5th in the ag mechanics contest at Goodland, with Donnie Younger placing 3rd in individuals.

The Ellis chapter won the District VOAC award and received a superior chapter rating.

Three outstanding members won district proficiency awards. Daren Fisher won his award in placement in ag production, Delmar Wolf in sheep production and Donnie Younger in ag electrification.

Shannon Dinkel, Lora Seibel, DeeDee Armbrister, and Janelle McClelland were the FFA sweetheart candidates. DeeDee Armbrister was crowned sweetheart and participated in the regional FFA sweetheart contest on April 14. She represented the Ellis chapter very well.

The Parent Appreciation Banquet was held on April 16 for all members and their parents.



FFA officers — Eldon P. — advisor, Jerry D. — vice-president, Daren Fisher — reporter, Montgomery G. — sentinel, Troy W. — treasurer, Janelle M. — president, Shannon D. — secretary. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Rex Befort drilling in ag class. Photo by Karla Ray



Ricky Aschenbrenner and Daren Fisher work on a project in ag class. Photo by Karla Ray



Montgomery Groff, Daren Fischer, and Jerry Dick, cook breakfast for teachers. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Gary Fisher working in ag class. Photo by Karla Ray



Janelle McClelland races against time with her wheelbarrow full of manure. Photo by Lisa Metzler



Shannon Dinkel forks manure onto a wheelbarrow. Photo by Lisa Metzler



Jr. and Sr. members — Janelle M., Shannon D., Wes K., Curtis G., Kenny S., Keith H., Matt A., Leland K., Ricky A., Steve H. *Photo by Tim Huck*



Fr. and Soph. members — Wayne P., Darrin W., Troy V., Mark A., Mike B., David D., Travis P., Mike M., Bobby Y., Troy R., Brad S., Donnie Y., Dallas A., Gary L., Chad D., Ron B., Rod G., Jim P., Todd D., Danny F., Connie F., Gary F., Pat G., Dane F., David F., Lanny L., Will M., Lee B., Michelle K. *Photo by Tim Huck*

BARNWARMER

Barnwarmer proves successful

FFA and FHA join together once again

On February 24, 1984, the annual FFA-FHA Barnwarmer exploded into action. On the morning of February 23, there was a lot of nervousness and excitement as the candidates had to perform their various chores.

The Mr. FHA candidates were Randy Pfeifer, Matt Armbruster, Keith Honas, and Kenny Sproul. They had to do such chores as frosting a cake, naming utensils, sorting clothes, and ironing a crease in a pair of jeans.

The FFA sweetheart candidates were Shannon Dinkel, Lora Seibel, DeeDee Armbrister, and Janelle McClelland. Their chores consisted of taking a ribbon off of a goat's tail while riding a stick horse, changing a tire, hauling manure, driving a nail in a board, a water bucket race, FFA information test and tool identifications test.

When the chores were completed, everyone gathered in the auditorium where the candidates delivered their speeches, expressing their feelings about the clubs which had chosen them as candidates.

The excitement continued through Saturday when the annual Barnwarmer dance was held in the old high school gym. The Flatland band provided the music, and finally the crowning took place. DeeDee Armbrister and Matt Armbruster were crowned FFA sweetheart and Mr. FHA by last year's royalty, Brenda Weber and Jerry Dick.

DeeDee competed in the Regional FFA sweetheart contest and represented the Ellis FFA chapter very well.



The candidates for the 1983-84 Barnwarmer were Lora Seibel, Randy Pfeifer, Matt Armbruster, DeeDee Armbrister, Shannon Dinkel, Keith Honas, Janelle McClelland, and Kenny Sproul. *Photo by Tim Huck*



The Flatland band provided the music for Barnwarmer. Photo by Kathy Schramm









Candidates anxiously take a step toward the crowning. Photos by Tim Huck



Matt Armbruster was named Mr. FHA, while Dee Dee Armbruster was crowned FFA sweetheart. Photo by Lisa Metzler

Classes

Sophomores: One Step Up

Sophomores take first in float

"The sophomore class worked really well together on the float. Everyone did their part," said Jeff Augustine, sophomore class president. "Their ideas were very original and they worked very well at putting it together," commented Norma Reichert, sophomore class sponsor. The sophomores took first in the float competition, a big event during spirit week. They must have put all their effort and spirit into their float though because, unfortunately, they took last on the overall competition of spirit week.

The sophomore class was in charge of the concession stand. Tracey Stegman said, "The concession stand went really well. It was a lot of fun when we had all of us in there working together, because we all got along so well."



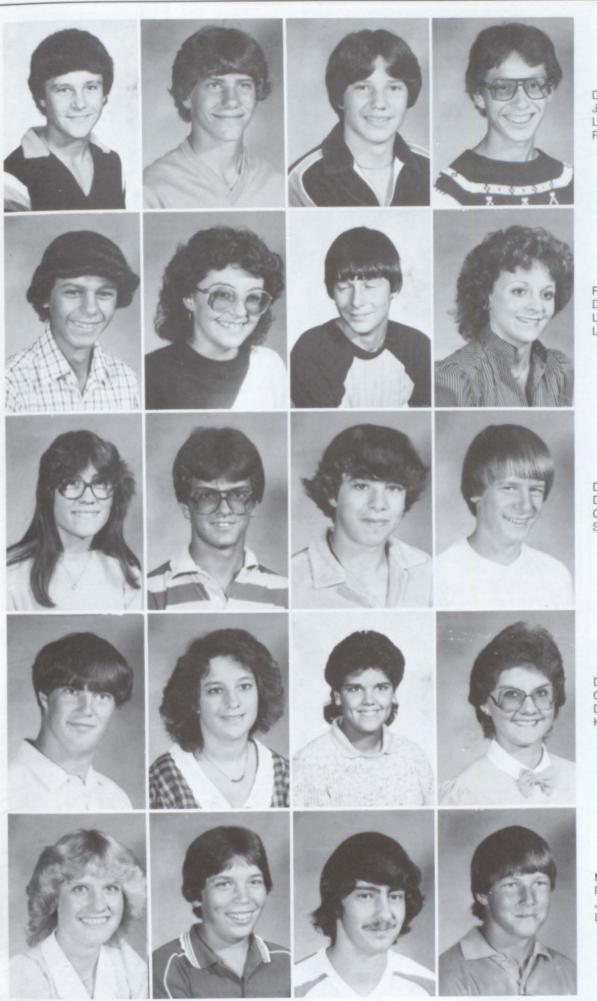
Officers are: Randy Honas — treasurer, Kevin Weber — secretar Travis Phillips — Vice Pres. and Jeff Augustine — Pres. Photo by Tre



Sandy Pfeifer takes a break in Music class. Photo by Eddie Light.



Sophomores



Dallas Armbruster Jeff Augustine Lonny Augustine Patrick Augustine

Rodney Augustine Debbie Barenberg Lee Billinger Lisa Boos

Debbie Brungardt David Desaire Chad Dinkel Sean Dinkel

Dale Edwards Candra Engel Dava Fischer Kaylene Flax

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Sophomores

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Dana Hewett Kathy Homburg Randy Honas Michelle Kinderknecht







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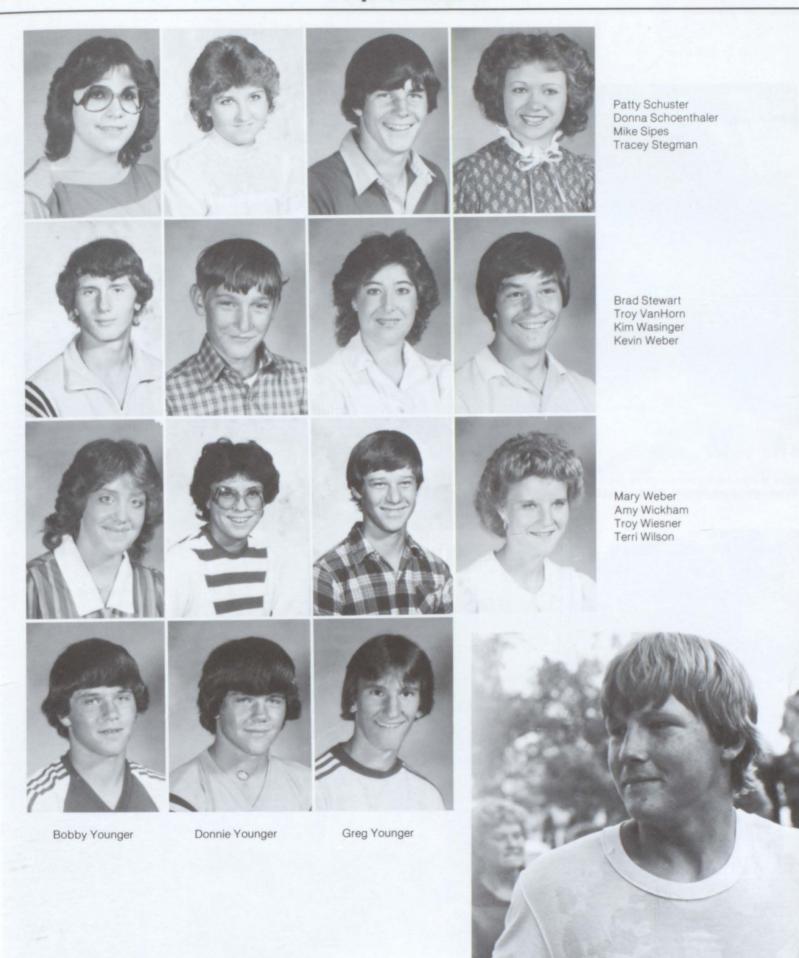








Sophomores



Loran Gottschalk takes first in the wet T-shirt contest. *Photo by Kathy Shramm.*

Sophomores



Mary Weber hands out candy on the FHA golf cart during the Homecoming Parade. *Photo by Kathy Schramm.*



Kim Wasinger keeps stats at an away volleyball match. Photo by Kendra Mixer.



Myrna McClelland in the clown make-up she had to wear for technical theater. Photo by Paul Patton.



Gary Luea is hard at work in the concession stand during a home wrestling match. Photo by Patrick Augustine

Sophomores



Lisa Boos and Dale Edwards show off their punk rock look in Algebra. Photo by Trent Halligan.



Dava Fischer and Garfield dressed up for punk rock day to show everyone what a punk rocker looks like. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.



Candra Engel talks to her friends in the Art room. Photo by Patrick Augustine.



Something catches Patrick Augustine's attention in Biology. Photo by Myrna McClelland.

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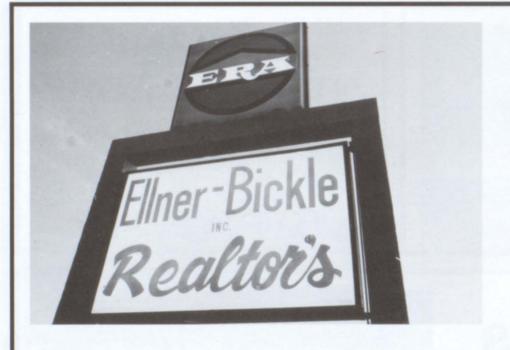
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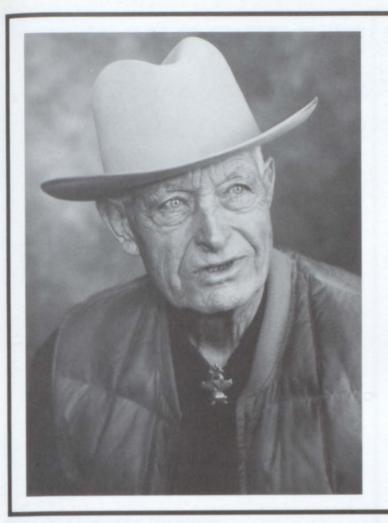
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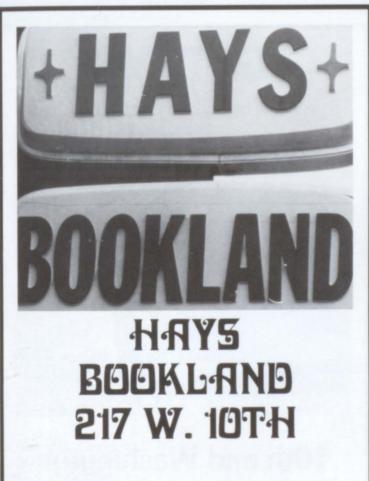
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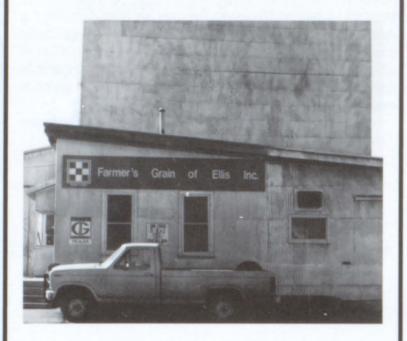


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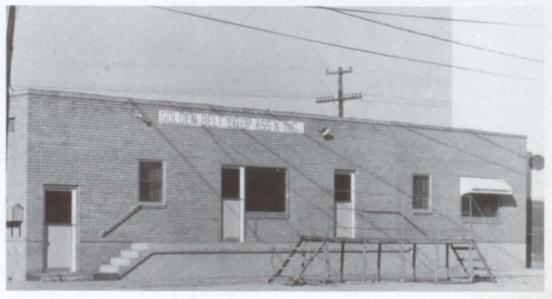
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SPORTS

Golfers' season successful

Goal of state championship shattered at regionals

When golf season started, there was a common goal among the golfers. It was to recapture the state title for the 2nd year in a row. On May 8, the Regional Golf Tournament to determine who would go to state was held at the Ellis Golf Course. On this day, the golfers fell short of achieving their goal by placing 3rd.

Although the team did not make it to state, two of the Ellis golfers did. Greg Martin and Darrell Ptaschek represented Ellis at the 3A State Golf Tournament in Hesston. Greg tied for 2nd and in a play-off he captured 5th place in Individuals.

Even though the team did not reach their goal, their season was successful. Their record ended with 4 — 1sts, 2 — 2nds, and 1 — 3rd. When reviewing the outcome of the season, Coach Kolacny said, "Too bad we didn't get to go to state but we had a good season."



Coach Kolacny takes a break during the Ellis Invitational. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



1984 GOLF TEAM: David Desaire, Leonard LaBarge, Leland Kinderknecht, Cheryl Wasinger, Bill Desaire, Lee Fischer, Don Leiker, Darrell Ptaschek, Troy Schoenthaler, Greg Martin, Rex Befort, Mark Flax, Mont Groff, Mike Bollig, Dane Fischer. Not Pictured, Joel Seibel. Photo by Karla Ray.



Senior: Troy Schoenthaler Photo by Tim Huck.



Senior: Greg Martin Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Senior: Mont Groff — Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Senior: Leonard LaBarge Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Senior: Leland Kinderknecht Photo by Karla Ray.



Senior: Rex Befort Photo by Lisa Metzler.



Senior: Bill Desaire. Photo by Lisa Metzler



Cheryl Wasinger, Tim Huck, and Paul Patten discuss Cheryl's game. Photo by Pat Augustine.

GOLF



Darrell Ptaschek in motion at MCL. Photo by Tim Huck.



Cheryl Wasinger concentrates on her putt at the Ellis Invitational. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Greg Martin discusses his game with his mother after MCL. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Troy Schoenthaler gets ready to putt at MCL. Photo by Tim Huck.



Don Leiker totals his score from the day at the Ellis Invitational as Rex Befort looks on. *Photo by Kathy Schramm.*

Darrell Ptaschek follows through with his swing at MCL. Photo by Tim Huck.



Mark Flax speculates on his hit at MCL. Photo by Tim Huck.



SPORTS

Experience gained

Boys' and girls' track young but promising

The 1983-84 track season was a year for gaining experience. Both teams were young but by the end of the year, they had much improved. Patty Honas was the only girl who qualified for state this year; she ran the 800 meter. The boys' team took four boys to state. Brett Fuller, Mike Weber, Wes King, and Paul Patten made up the 2 mile relay that went to state. Brett Fuller also competed in the 400 meter. The teams are looking forward to next year. There are many kids returning and the season looks promising.



Back Row: Coach Hulse, P. Honas, T. Kohl, M. Augustine, A. Schoenberger, J. Honas, D. Schoenthaler, M. Kinderknecht. Front Row: L. Schafer, K. Mixer, C. Fischer, M. McClelland, B. Schoenthaler, B. Kinderknecht, D. Dietz. Not Pictured; T. Armbruster. *Photo by Steph Martin*



With ease and speed, Kendra Mixer clears each hurdle. Photo by Karla Ray



Back Row: K. Weber, R. Honas, M. Weber, M. Armbruster, B. Fuller, K. Sproul, B. Patten, P. Patten, J. Augustine, L. Gottschalk, G. Younger Front Row: E. Light, B. Stewart, D. Schoenberger, J. Rollins, J. Rathbun, G. Flax, K. O'Rourke, M. Honas, M. Sipes, D. Fuller, R. Barenburg, Not Pictured; P. Syrenius. *Photo by Steph Martin*



Senior: Patty Honas Photo by Karla Ray



Senior: Tina Armbruster Photo by Paul Patten

Track



Brad Stewart pulls ahead in the race, yet concentrates on clearing the hurdles. Photo by Tim Huck.



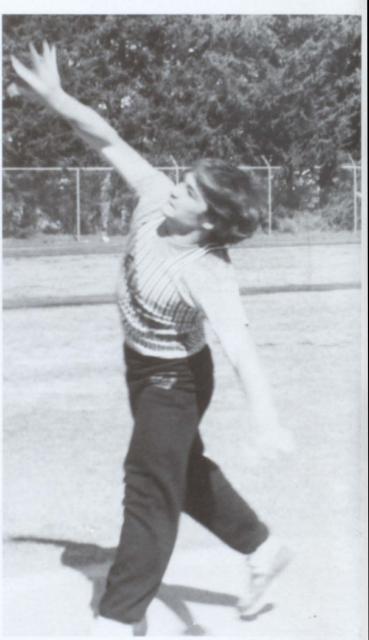
Gary Flax, Petri Syrenius, and David Fuller watch the events of the day. *Photo by Karla Ray*.



Joe Rollins goes for a strong finish. Photo by Karla Ray.



Terri Kohl assists Michelle Augustine after her race. Photo by Karla Ray.



Kevin Weber gives it his all when he throws the shot. Photo by Karla Ray.

Track



Jeff Augustine catches his breath after finishing his race. Photo by Karla Ray.



Chonda Engel watches as Janice Honas prepares to clear the high jump bar. Photo by Pat Augustine.



Debbie Dietz leads the race in the final stretch. Photo by Pat Augustine.



Wes King uses all his strength to get height and distance in the long jump. Photo by Tim Huck.



Anticipation rises as the runners wait for the gun. Brad Stewart is the middle starter. Photo by Karla Ray.

RAILAIRRES

Practice makes perfect

Railairres qualify for State contest

The Railairres consisted of 22 members this year. They were under the direction of Lou Ann Rowley. Dee Dee Armbrister was the pianist, Maryl Brack, the percussionist and Donna Schoenthaler accompanied on the guitar. Having to adapt to a new director and a new bunch of singers. the season got off to a very slow start. As the year progressed, the group finally got rolling. The Railairres performed at the Good Samaritan Center, Rotary, and the Coop supper. At Hays, they performed at the Mall, and on KAYS-TV. This year, for a change of pace, the group went on tour. They sang at the LaCrosse and Minneapolis high schools. The group received a I rating at regionals, enabling them to travel to Emporia for State Contest. The boys and girls ensemble did not fare quite as well with the boys receiving all rating and the girls all.



Director Mrs. Rowley motions the group to sing a little bit louder. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Dee Dee Ambrister, accompanist, plays another song for the group at a regular Railairre rehearsal. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Railairres, top row: R. Kuhn, K. Homburg, A. Erbert, D. Light, B. Rupp, T. Boutin, B. Weber, P. Honas, C. Engel, Bottom row: M. Honas, T. Homburg, D. Fabrizius, A. Beglar, S. Homburg, T. Halligan, E. Light, K. Weber, L. Augustine, D. Leiker. *Photo by Rhonda Kuhn*.



The Railairre boys harmonize well together while they sing for the public at the annual Fall Concert. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Rhonda K. and Lonny A. enjoy performing to "That Good Ol Country Music." Photo by Kathy Schramm



Maryl Brack, the group's percussionist, keeps the beat. *Photo by Kathy Schramm.*



Danny Fabrizius does actions to a song during rehearsal. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Tina Boutin and Brenda Weber, altos, sing at Railairre rehearsal. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Brenda Rupp and Patty Honas, two of the sopranos, study a new sheet of music to be used for upcoming performances. *Photo by Kathy Schramm.*



Dava Fischer and Donna Schoenthaler await the upcoming song. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.

FORENSICS

Forensic team improves

One Act plays do well

There was some "improvement from last year," was Ms. Schramm's comment concerning this year's Forensic team. The team "advanced well in State tournament action." Three sixth place medals were won at State. They were received by Donna Schoenthaler and Tracy Stegman, Duet Acting; Donna Schoenthaler, Oration; and Lisa Boos, Informative. Lesa Lang and Karen Fox made semi-finals but did not place. Lisa Metzler also competed.

Things went equally well at State festival with several people receiving a "I" rating. They were Amanda Groff and Mary Weber, Duet Acting; Christine Younger and Michele Augustine, Duet Acting; Rhonda Kuhn, Extemp; and Michelle Augustine, Christine Younger, Joel Rathbun, Sonya Armbrister, Laura Deitrich, Janice Honas, Amy Schoenberger, and Shana Miller, "Cagebirds," one act play. Receiving a "I" rating at State festival were Sue Ann Wolf, Poetry and Informative; and Myrna McClelland, Oration.

Both one act plays did well according to Schramm. "The Unknown Soldier" took first at Dighton, second at Ransom, and fourth at MCL in Norton. "Cagebirds" received a "I" rating at Regional and State Festival. For their acting in "The Unknown Soldier," Montgomery Groff and Lesa Lang were

named Best Actor and Best Actress, respectively.

For the seventh year in a row, the Forensic team won first place at MCL tournament. "Overall," said Schramm, summing up the year, "I thought it was a good year."



Donna Schoenthaler and Tracy Stegman perform their duet, "Mrs. Rearden drinks a little", at MCL. Photo by Lisa Metzler.



1984 Forensic team: back row — Travis Phillps, Amy Schoenberger, Mary Matteson, Allison Clark, Lisa Metzler, Joel Rathbun, Amanda Groff, Doreen Stodelman, Montgomery Groff, Don Leiker, Lee Fisher; middle row - Michele Augustine, Christine Younger, Amy Keller, Nikki Deyoe, Myrna Mc-Clelland, Sue Ann Wolf, Julie Schaus, Shana Miller, Janice Honas, Laura Dietrich; front row — Lesa Lang, Kendra Mixer, Velvet Deyoe, Karen Fox, Sonja Armbrister, Donna Schoenthaler, and Lisa Boos. Photo by Karla Ray.



Karen Fox tries to fit everything in the car for the trip to Emporia. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Six girls, Tracy S., Donna S., Karen F., Lesa L., Lisa B., and Lisa M., went to State tournament in Emporia. *Photo by Kathy Schramm.*



Amanda Groff, Rhonda Kuhn, Mary Weber, and Sue Ann Wolf take a break from competition to eat lunch at Ransom. Photo by Myrna McClelland.



Sue Ann Wolf reads her poetry at Ransom. Photo by Myrna McClelland.

For Lisa Boos, being crazy was an important part of the trip to Emporia. Photo by Kathy Schramm.

SENIOR PLAY

"Soft Soap" produces laughs

Seniors' hard work pays off

Will Miss Misty be convicted of the murder of Mrs. Flood and go to the electric chair? Will Tempest Frost and Hale Storm get away with the murder of Mrs. Flood? Will Spring find her notebook?

Does this sound like a soap-opera to you? It should because the senior class presented "Soft Soap," the ultimate spoof in soap-operas.

The play centered around the student lounge at Mid-Western Tech University where the students gathered every day at 3:00 p.m. to watch the popular soapopera "Yesterday's Tomorrow." The stage was divided into two parts; the left side represented the student lounge and the right side was where the soap-opera scenes took place.

The seniors rehearsed for three weeks, working in the early morning before school, after school, and evenings. The set crew (which included most of the seniors) had worked on the two Saturdays and the week before the play getting the stage ready. The play was given three times: March 8 - 1:30 and 7:30 p.m. and March 9 - 7:30 p.m. All their work paid off though, because the play made a profit of about \$520.

Director Miss Julie Wright said, "When the Seniors gave their first performance for the high school kids, I knew it was going to go over well. I was really, really, really, really, excited because I thought the kids (seniors) put out their all."



Director, Miss Julie Wright shows her skill with a drill during a Saturday crew call. *Photo by Lisa Metzler*



Student Lounge scene: Chonda Engel, Bill Desaire, Karla Ray, Helen Redden, Deana Sproul, Patty Honas, Debbie Waldschmidt, Lisa Bongartz, Wanda Augustine, Annette Erbert, Maryl Brack, Coleen Fisher, Bev Sipes, Tina Boutin, Scottie Matteson. Photo by Tim Huck.



Senior Cast and Crew: Back Row — B. Werth, K. Weber, D. Sproul, L. Metzler, M. Brack, K. Ray, L. Bongartz, B. Sipes, A. Erbert, Middle Row — W. Augustine, C. Engel, M. Azar, J. Rathbun, T. Boutin, D. Light, D. Waldschmidt, B. Weber, Front Row — T. Schoenthaler, G. Martin, E. Mayes, K. Augustine, B. Desaire, R. Aschenbrenner, S. Homburg, T. Fuller. Not Pictured — P. Honas, T. Armbruster, R. Befort, M. Groff, D. Riedel, J. Dick, P. Syrenius, S. Matteson, L. Keller, H. Redden, L. Lang, D. Schuster, D. Waldschmidt, C. Fisher, G. Fischer, B. Rupp, D. Fischer. Photo by Tim Huck.



Scottie Matteson gives a hand in the Saturday crew work session. Photo by Lisa Metzler.



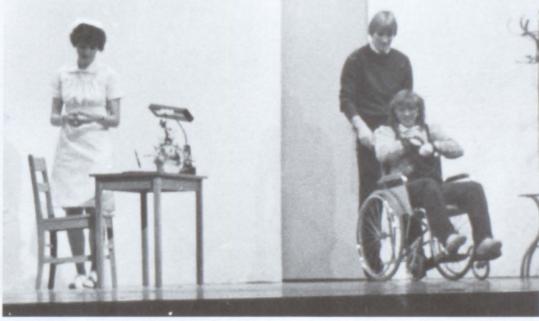
Dr. Sonny, Dr. Clement, and Spring listen as Misty explains what the caller wants. *Photo by Tim Huck.*



Lisa Keller holds up a flat while Troy Schoenthaler stands near ready to help. Photo by Lisa Metzler.



pring gives Dr. Sonny a hug for saving her fe while Flash, Misty and Dr. Clement look n. Photo by Tim Huck.



Tempest Frost gets the shot ready as Hale Storm wheels in their next victim, Betty Brown. *Photo by Tim Huck.*95

PHOTOGRAPHY

Small but mighty

Photography staff kept busy throughout the year

The photography staff was quite small this year, consisting of only seven members. Under the direction of Miss Kathy Schramm, the staff soon learned to accept the responsibility and work load. The staff took pictures of every event that took place throughout the 1983-84 school year. They offered color packets consisting of two 5x7's and four wallets for Barnwarmer, Homecoming, Snoball, and Prom. The staff worked hard and put in many long hours trying to fulfill the demands of the journalism staff for year-book and newspaper photos. They also had individual class projects such as a slide show and photo essay.



During her spare time, advisor Kathy Schramm takes a picture of herself.



Second year photographer, Lisa Metzler stops at no obstacle to get the shot. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



The 1983-84 photographers were Stephanie Martin, Tim Huck, Lisa Metzler, Trent Halligan, Karla Ray, and Paul Patten. Pat Augustine not pictured. *Photo by Kathy Schramm.*



Junior, Stephanie Martin sets the time clock before making her print. Stephanie was a first year photographer. *Photo by Karla Ray*.



Hard at work, Kenny Sproul files his proof sheets in the photo book. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*.



Caught in the closet again, Pat Augustine takes pictures of Railaires. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Karla Ray quickly reviews her notes before a photography quiz. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Trent Halligan and Karla Ray sort through strips of film hoping to find some they shot. *Photo by Kathy Schramm.*

JOURNALISM

Journalists find efforts rewarding

Novice journalists produce both newspaper and yearbook

A sigh of relief spread through the third hour class each time a newspaper was distributed or a yearbook deadline was met. Although small in size (especially the male population), the 1983-84 journalism staff, which consisted of 9 seniors and 2 juniors, had big ideas. These ideas were demonstrated in both this yearbook and the monthly newspaper issues of the Railer Express. The lack of experience was an obstacle quickly overcome by the whole staff and especially by two members, Chonda Engel and Annette Augustine. Both students had the chance to compete state-wide for journalism achievement.

The entire staff became like a family after many early morning and late evening sessions to complete the yearbook. Though they had a lot of fun, it was a lot of hard work shared by each staff member.



Brenda Weber helps Maryl Brack complete a yearbook deadline. *Photo by Kathy Schramm.*





The journalism staff had fun posing for a pepsi ad. Photo by Lisa Metzler.



Like all good journalists, Earl Mayes concentrates on getting his yearbook pages right. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Advisor Donna Henry checks for mistakes on Annette Augustine's yearbook pages. Photo by Kathy Schramm.



Debbie Waldschmidt shows her skills in Journalism by making a layout of cross country for her section in the yearbook, which included Autumn events. Photo by Kathy

Schramm.

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Journalism and photography staff kick off the year with a picnic. Photo by Stephanie Martin.

STAFF

The unsung heroes

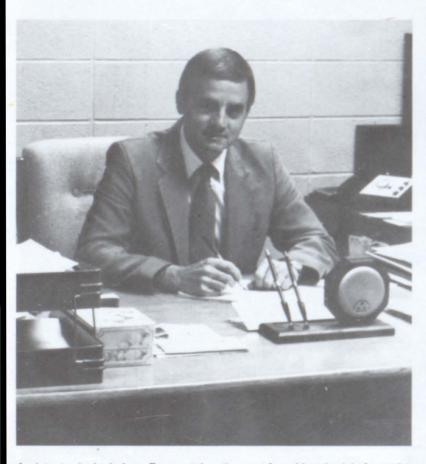
The backbone of EHS

When the trophies, medals, and recognition rolls in for every club and sport, there is one special group left out. The faculty and staff are the unsung heroes of Ellis High School. Each staff member gives hours of dedication and work to the students of EHS, yet receive no awards or recognition. To this group of special people, we give a big *thanks*.





Always busy with one thing or another, Principal George Bray takes care of business over the phone. Photo by Karla Ray.



Assistant principal, Jerry Bonner takes time out from his schedule for a picture. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Dorothy Waldschmidt, our secretary, is an asset to the smooth operation and organization of Ellis High School. *Photo by Karla Ray*.



Office help were top row: Deena Schuster, Coleen Fisher, Michelle Azar, Brenda Weber, Bottom Row: Brenda Rupp, Earl Mayes, Dianna Light. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.



Kathy Atkins, USD 388's secretary is busy keeping track of school records. *Photo by Karla Ray*.



R. D. (Rocky) Rorabaugh displays the smile of a man who enjoys his work. *Photo by Karla Ray*.



School board members this year were: Leonard Day, Paul Armbruster, Kathy Atkins; Sec. Ernie Pfiefer, Art Honas, R. D. Rorabaugh; Super. Eddie Waldschmidt, G. A. Surface, Adolph Kuhn. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.

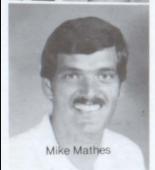
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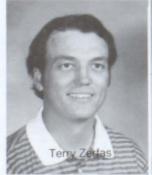




The fine arts department included instructors Stan Faulkender, art; Bill Dietz, band; Kathy Schramm, photography and speech; Mike Mathes, phys. ed. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*. Not Pictured. Lou Ann Rowley, vocal music.



Skills in living were taught by Terry Zerfas, woodworking and mechanical drawing; Virginia Duell, Home economics; Eldon Pfiefer, vo-ag; and Kate Moyer, learning disability. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.









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This year's language department was instructed by Donna Henry, English and journalism; Norma Reichert, foreign language; and (not pictured) Julie Wright, English. Photo by Stephanie Martin.





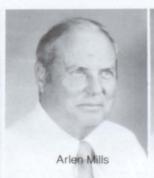


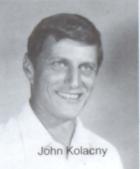




The math and science division consists of Irene Kroeger, business; Jerry Bonner, psychology; Arlen Mills, math; John Kolacny, history; and Mike Hulse, science. Photo by Stephanie Martin. Not pictured, June Glantz, math.









STAFF





USD 388 busdrivers put in many long hours. *Pictured are:* Patty Patee, Birdie Powell, Ted Gerber, Bob Armbruster, Paul Powell, Jodi Patten, Joe Locker, Leonard Erbert, Raymond Kroeger. *Not Pictured* — Art Kroeger. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.

Earl Mayes, library aide, poses with Sheri Faulkender and Ginger Fabrizius, the school librarians. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.



While sweeping the halls, janitors Charlie Waldschmidt and Gilbert Augustine take time to pose. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.



EHS cooks, Barbara King, Margret Fondoble, and Caroline Schumm prepare the bread for lunch. Photo by Patrick Augustine.

CLASSES

Float takes backseat to Prom

Juniors' float saves money for Prom

This year the Junior class was planning ahead for Prom. During homecoming, the juniors took last place with their unusual entry in the float competition. They were not disappointed though because, they purposely did not spend any money on their float. They were saving it for the Jr.-Sr. Prom. Even though the float took last place, the Juniors had fun working on it. Vice-President Kendra Mixer said, "We worked well together as a class this year. We especially enjoyed working on the float. It was great!"

The Juniors also made a few changes in Prom. Since they were able to book Blubird as the band for the evening, expense cuts had to be made in other areas. To help keep the costs down, the banquet and dance were moved from the K of C Hall to the new and old high schools. Concerning the controversy over Prom, Class President Annette Augustine said, "I'm proud of how the class stuck up for their Prom changes."

Overall, the juniors felt they had had a good year. Class sponsor Miss Schramm said, "I felt the class had grown-up and matured during the year and handled their responsibilities well together as a class."



Jr. class officers from L. to R.: President Annette Augustine, Vice-Pres. Kendra Mixer, Secretary Mindy Windholz, Treasurer Angela Jayne. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.



Tim Huck poses in front of the car that pulled the Jr. Float. Photo by Paul Patten.



DeeDee Armbrister Matt Armbruster Rhonda Aschenbrenner Annette Augustine

















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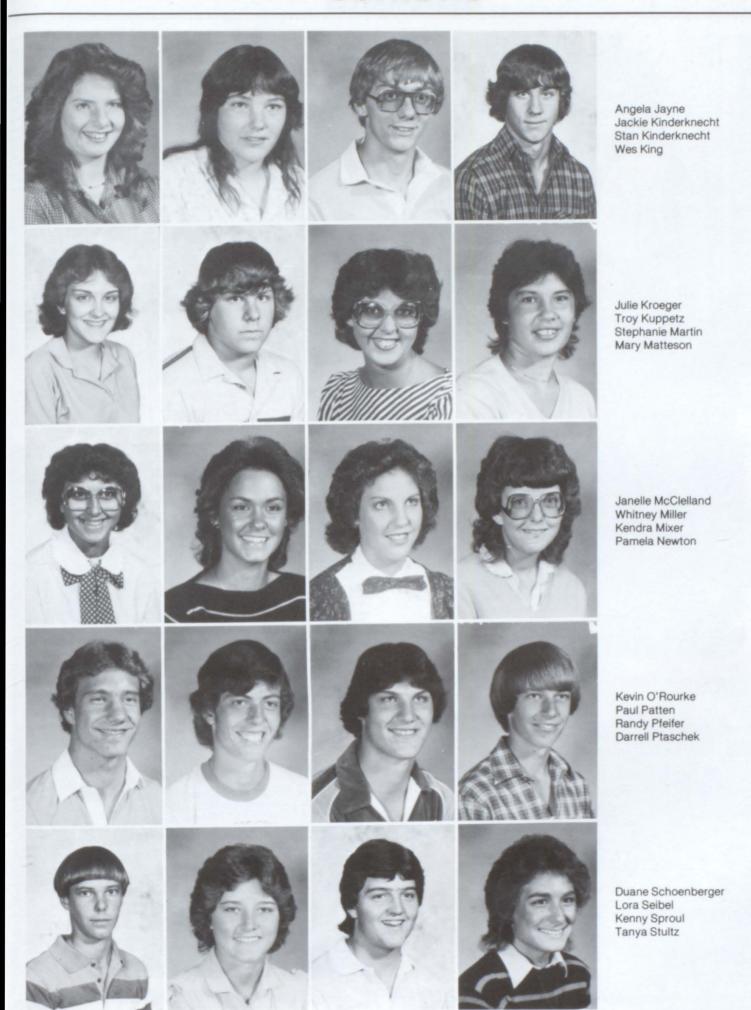












Amy Waldschimdt Cheryl Wasinger Mike Weber Bryan Werth





















Rhonda Aschenbrenner is embarrassed. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Keith Honas and Dee Dee Armbrister show their spirit by competing in class competition. *Photo by Tim Huck.*



Annette Augustine works on the paper. Photo by Velvet Deyoe.



Tanya Stultz gets "made up" for the Junior play. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Velvet Deyoe gets ready for "Punk Day." Photo by Kathy Schramm.

Wes King looks comfortable in his "Punk and Tacky" outfit. Photo by Velvet Deyoe.



Whitney Miller, in her trash bag dress, makes a good punk rocker. Photo by Kathy Schramm.





Juniors, Shannon Dinkel, Dee Dee Armbrister, Cheryl Wasinger, Kendra Mixer, Whitney Miller and Lora Seibel enjoy walking the halls. Photo by Velvet Deyoe.



Kenny Sproul's attention is not where it should be in English; another junior takes a nap. *Photo by Stephanie Martin*.



Colorade

Matt Armbruster listens to the latest gossip in history class. *Photo by Velvet Deyoe*.

Delmar Wolf, Troy Kuppetz, Curtis Gottschalk, Randy Honas, Darrell Ptaschek, and Lee Fisher relax during lunch time. *Photo by Velvet Deyoe.*

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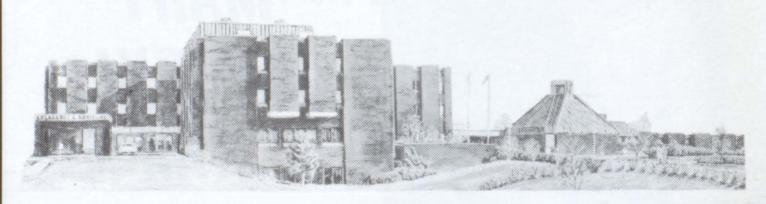
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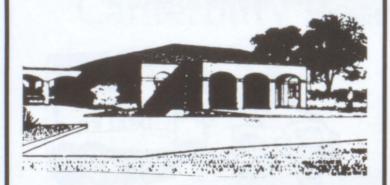
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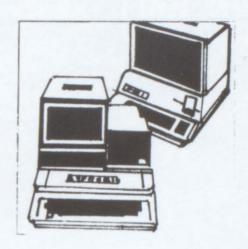
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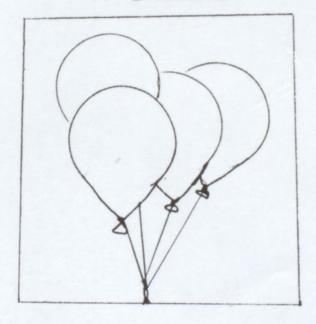
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Excellent in Leadership of Flag Team — Rhonda Aschenbrenner

Outstanding Musician — Scottie Matteson

Outstanding Leader - Annette Erbert

Business

Outstanding Business Student — Brenda Weber

Forensics

Outstanding Actress — Lesa Lang

Outstanding Public Speaker — Lisa Boos

Outstanding Forensic Student — Donna Schoenthaler

Girls Basketball

Most Improved - Lisa Keller

Team Player — Annette Erbert

Most Inspirational — Patty Honas

Journalism

Outstanding Journalist — Chonda Engel

Most Valuable Journalist — Brenda Weber

Language

German Scholarship — Shannon Dinkel

Math-Science

Outstanding Senior in Science and Math — Kevin Augustine

Music

Outstanding Senior Railairre — Patty Honas

Outstanding Vocal Musician - Lonny Augustine

Office Machines

Commendation Award — Annette Erbert, Patty Honas, Lisa Keller,

Scottie Matteson, Bev Sipes, and Brenda Weber

Perfect Attendances

Perfect attendance all four years — Maryl Brack and Deana Sproul

Photography

Outstanding Photographer — Lisa Metzler

Physical Education

Outstanding P.E. Students — Debbie Dietz, Mike Honas, Lisa Boos

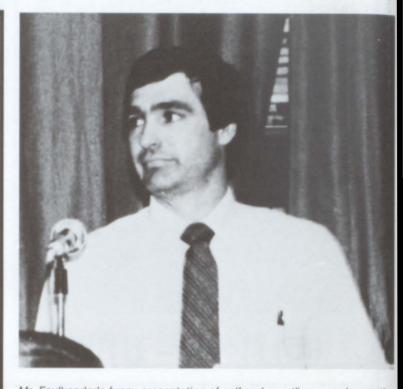
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Outstanding Shorthand Student, 100 wpm — Brenda Weber

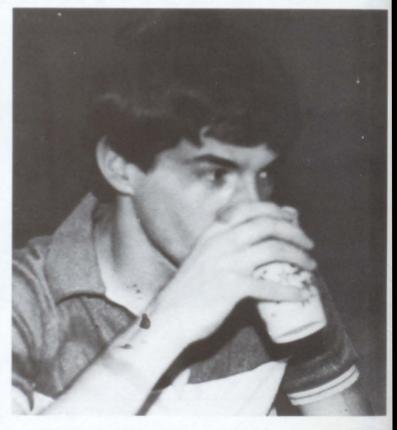
Outstanding Typing I students, 60 wpm — Lisa Boos, Myrna McClelland, and Terri Wilson

Wrestling

Outstanding Senior Wrestler — Kenny Schmidt



Mr. Faulkender's funny presentation of golf and wrestling awards was the highlight of the evening. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.



Mike Weber enjoys his ice tea as he listens to the teachers present their awards. Photo by Trent Halligan.

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Shadows of the Night

Changes prove successful

The Junior-Senior Prom is always a special time of the year. It highlights the end of the year and remains in the minds of everyone.

Despite all the changes, prom was a great success. This year, the dinner was held at the new high school, and the dance at the old high school.

The juniors put in many long hours of hard work and made many decisions to prepare for this event. May 12th was the big day. Blue, black, and silver were chosen as the colors and "Shadows of the Night" was the theme. The decorations consisted of stars, crepe paper, candles, and moons. Wine glasses and booklets were the favors.

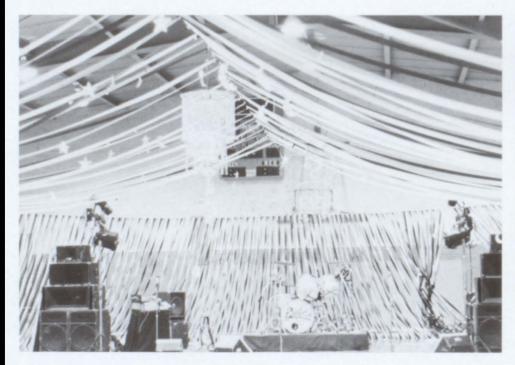
The prom servers, selected by the junior class, served the meal which consisted of turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, rolls, cake, salad, and ice tea. The sophomore servers were: Eddie Light, Jeff Augustine, Kevin Weber, Donnie Younger, Randy Honas, Loran Gottschalk, Sandy Pfeiffer, Tracy Stegman, Amanda Groff, Lisa Boos, Tammy Rupp,



The place setting. Photo by Kathy Schramm

and Tammy Herman. They presented a routine to "Magic" by the Cars. Bluebird provided the music for the dance.

The 1983-84 prom is now a part of history, but those special moments and memories will remain in the minds of everyone forever.



The gym as decorated and ready for action. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Leland Kinderknecht takes a break to enjoy some punch. Photo by Karla Ray.



Miss Wright, Troy S., and Michelle M., take a break from dancing. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*



The EHS cooks fill the plates to be served. Photo by Kathy Schramm



The head table waits to be served. Photo by Kathy Schramm



The faculty and board members discuss the evening. Photo by Kathy Schramm



The senior girls enjoy their meal. Photo by Kathy Schramm

PROM



Blubird provided the music for the dance. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Donnie Younger and Amanda Groff do a stunt. Photo by Lisa Metzler



Lead singer Tony Pfeifer sings a little romance. Photo by Kathy Schramm



The prom servers performed a routine to "Magic." Photo by Lisa Metzler



The 1984 prom servers — Jeff A., Randy H., Loran G., Kevin W., Eddie L., Donnie Y., Tracy S., Sandy P., Tammy H., Tammy R., Lisa B., and Amanda G. Photo by Lisa Metzler



Tina Boutin and Montgomery Groff share a special moment. Photo by Kathy Scramm



Paul Patten and Deana Sproul dance the night away. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Everyone had a good time dancing to the music of Blubird. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Petri S. sits back and enjoys the music of Blubird. Photo by Karla Ray



A lit candle was the centerpiece for the tables. Photo by Pat Augustine

Seniors

Class history reveals

The first step to the future



R. Aschenbrenner



M. Brack, T. Shoemaker, T. Armbruster, R. Befort, R. Pfeifer, K. Weber, D. Kohl, B. Weber, D. Fischer, L. Lang, E. Mayes, D. Johnson, E. Bieker, M. Wiesner, D. Reidle, C. Engel, L. Keller, C. Barns, W. Augustine, M. Roar, K. Stevenson, R. Kuhn, P. Legleiter



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J. Rathbun



B. Sipes



H. Redden

CLASSES

Busy + Fun = Success

Seniors work hard together to accomplish goals



The senior class was led by: Brenda Weber — Secretary, Dianna Light — Treasurer, Karla Ray — V.-President, and Annette Erbert — President. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.

The seniors had a busy year. The year started off with Homecoming Spirit Week. The seniors took 2nd in the float competition, but they did prevail in the dress-up and noon games competitions, taking 1st in both.

In February, the seniors held a soup supper for the Ellis-Trego game. The supper brought in a profit of about \$400.

The senior class also banded together to present "Soft Soap," a comedy with which they made \$525 profit.

Throughout the course of the year, the seniors also got ready for graduation by getting senior pictures taken, ordering caps and gowns and invitations, and choosing a motto, flower and colors.

Senior class President Annette Erbert had this to say about the year. "All around, I feel this year has been a successful one. We made a success of our float, play, and soup supper. Even with a few shaky moments, we accomplished what we set out to do."



The seniors put a lot of hard work into preparing a float for the Homecoming Parade but came short of first, taking second proudly. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*.



Some of the girls in 4th hr. Law take a minute of class to have some fun in front of the camera. Back Row — Chonda Engel, Rhonda Kuhn, Maryl Brack, Annette Erbert, Karla Ray, Middle Row — Bev Sipes, Tina Boutin, Front Row — Lisa Metzler, Deana Sproul. *Photo by Greg Martin*.





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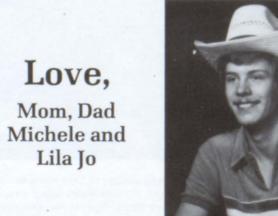




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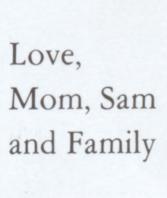
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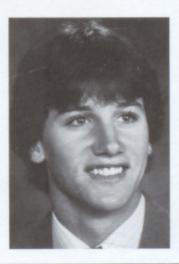






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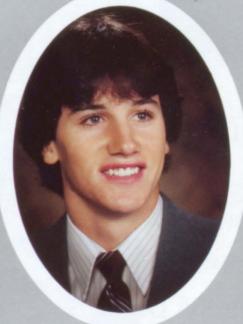
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Christa, Les, Scott,
Creta, Leland, Shawna, Shayla, Lee Jr.,
Candra, Carl,
Grandpa Vass and Grandma Engel

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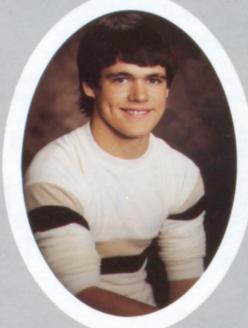
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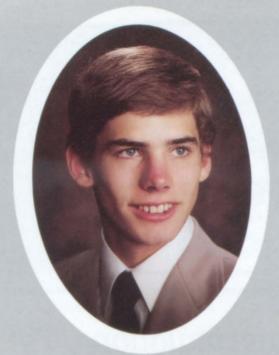
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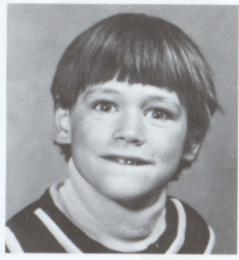


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Michael.
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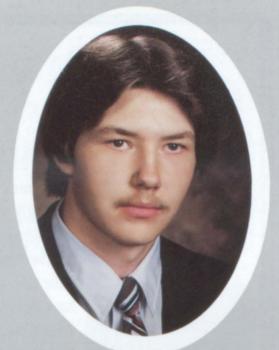
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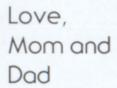
Helen Lynn Redden



Darren Joseph Riedel



You've come a long way and finally reached the top.









Now Lesa, you are 18 years old, and though you may not always be brave and bold, you will find life has special treasures it does hold, all there is left to say now is Go for the Gold.





We are proud of you!
Love,
Ma and Pa



We are proud of you.
Our Love and

Congratulations,

Mom and Dad



Congratulations
to Our #1

Daughter
Love,
Mom, Dad, Mike, Tina,
John, and Owen









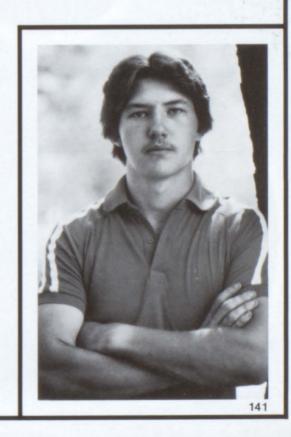
We are proud of you.
Love,
Dad, Mom, Mary,
Lonnie and Mark



From Mom and All the Clan

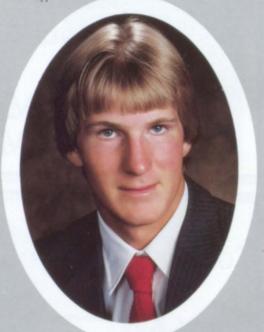
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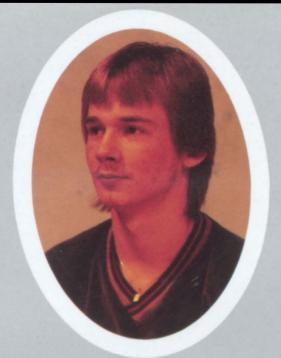
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Deana Marie Sproul



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Deborah Ann Waldschmidt



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Brenda Kay Weber



Kristel Ann Weber



Rebecca Sue Werth

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

TINA ARMBRUSTER — Stuco 1, 4; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette board 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Degree Chairman 2, Vice-President 3, Stuco rep. 4; Class Officer, Stuco Rep. 1, Treasurer 2; Barnwarmer candidate 3; Band 2, 3; Band Librarian 2; Band Sec./Treas. 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

RICKY ASCHENBRENNER — FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming King 4; Senior Play

KEVIN AUGUSTINE — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Junior Play; Senior Play

WANDA AUGUSTINE — Kayettes 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 3; Forensics 4; Senior Play

WAYNE AUGUSTINE — FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Forensics 1; Basketball 1, 2; Junior Play; Cross Country 1

MICHELE AZAR — Kayettes 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

REX BEFORT — FFA 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Homecoming Candidate 4; Snowball Prince 2, 3; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; Prom server; Junior Play; Senior Play

EMMETT BIEKER — FFA 2; Pep Club 2; Football 2; Wrestling 1; Track 1

LISA BONGARTZ — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, — Treasurer 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; League Team Honorable Mention; Snoball Queen 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Junior Play

TINA BOUTIN — Stuco 3, 4; FFA 3; Kayettes 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 3, 4; Forensics 2; Track 3; Class Officer, Stuco Rep. 4; Prom Server; Pop Singers 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play

MARYL BRACK — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Pop Singers 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

CONNIE BRUNGARDT — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2

BILL DESAIRE — Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Forensics 3; Football 1, 2; Golf 1, 4; Pop Singers 3; Band 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

JERRY DICK — Stuco 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4 — Vice President; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 2, 3; Barnwarmer Candidate

3; Junior Play; Senior Play

CHONDA ENGEL — Stuco 4; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3 — 5 Quarter Committee, 4 — Stuco Rep.; FHA 1, 2, 3 — District President, 4 — State Secretary, Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 3; Basketball 1; Track 1; Pop Singers 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 1, 2, 4 — Captain; Senior Play

ANNETTE ERBERT — Stuco 1 — Class Rep. 4 — Vice President; Kayettes 1, 2, (3, 4 — Board); Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4 — Poster Committee; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer — President — 4; Pop Singers 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

DAREN FISCHER — FFA 1, 2, (3, 4 Reporter); Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 3; Wrestling 1, 2, 3; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; Prom Server; Junior Play

GARY FISCHER - FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2, 3

COLLEEN FISHER — Stuco 4; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1; Class Officer, Secretary 3; Homecoming Candidate 4; Snoball Candidate 1, 3, 4; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; Prom Server; Band 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 2; Band Secretary-Treasurer 2, Librarian 3

TY FULLER — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 4; Basketball Manager 4; Track Manager 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

MONTGOMERY GROFF — FFA 1, 2, 3, 4 — Sentinel; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 4; Football 2; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 3, 4; Prom Server; Junior Play; Senior Play

STEVEN HOMBURG — FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 4; Pop Singers 3, 4; Band 1, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

PATTY HONAS — Stuco — Class Rep. 1, Vice President 2, President 3, 4; Kayettes 1, Historian — 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, Secretary 2, 3 — 5 Quarter Head, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Snoball Candidate 1, Snoball Queen 4; Prom Server; Pop Singers 3, 4; Cheerleader 1; Junior Play

LISA KELLER — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4 — Board Member; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Pop Singers 3, 4; Band 1; Senior Play

LELAND KINDERKNECHT - Golf 1, 2, 3

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

RHONDA KUHN — Kayettes 1, Treasurer — 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1; Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Snoball Candidate 2; Pop Singers 3, 4; Band 1; Class Officer. President - 3

LEONARD LABARGE - Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Golf 1; Track 1

LESA LANG - Stuco 1, 2, Class Rep. - 3, Band Rep. - 4; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, Vice President — 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer, (1, 2 - Stuco Rep.): Pop Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4 - President; District Honor Band; Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4 - Co-Captain

DIANE LIGHT — Stuco 3 — Rep.; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, Board - 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, Secretary - 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Class Officer, Treasurer 4; Snoball Candidate 2, Princess - 3; Pop Singers 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 3; Junior Play; Senior Play

GREG MARTIN - Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1; Football 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer, (1, 2, President); Snoball Candidate 1, 3; Prom Server; Band 1; Junior Play; Senior Play

CAROL MASK — Pep Club 1, 2, 3; FHA 1, 2, 3

SCOTTIE MATTESON — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, Secretary - 3, President - 4; Forensics 1; Volleyball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Track 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

EARL MAYES - Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Candidate 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Junior Play; Senior Play

LISA METZLER — Stuco, Rep. 2; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; FHA 4; Forensics 1, 4; Class Officer, Stuco Rep. 2; Junior Play — Stage Manager; Senior Play

KARLA RAY - Stuco, Class Rep. 3; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4 - Board; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 - Manager; Track 2; Class Officer, Vice President - 4, Snoball Candidate Princess 1; Prom Server; Band 1, 2, 3; Junior Play

JEANIE RATHBUN — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, Treasurer - 2, President - 3, Degree Chairman - 4; Basketball 1, 2; Track 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Junior Play - Props Mistress; Senior Play; Flagteam

HELEN REDDEN — Kayettes 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; REBECCA WERTH — Kayettes 4; Pep Club 4; FHA 4

FHA 3, 4; Volleyball 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Band 1, 2; Junior Play

DARREN RIEDEL - Stuco 2; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3; Barnwarmer 3; Snowball Candidate 1; Prom Server

BRENDA RUPP — Stuco Rep. 3; Kayettes 1, 2, Points Chairman - 3, President - 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, Vice-President — 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Snoball Candidate 3; Pop Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Junior Play

KENNY SCHMIDT — Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 3, 4; Golf 3

TROY SCHOENTHALER - Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer, Treasurer 1, Vice-President 2, Treasurer 3; Snoball Candidate 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Server; Junior Play: Senior Play

DEENA SCHUSTER - Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play

BEVERLY SIPES - Stuco 1, 2, (3, 4, Stuco Rep Kayette); Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Junior Play; Senior Play

DEANA SPROUL - Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4

DEBRA WALDSCHIMDT — Stuco (3, 4 Secretary); Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1; Homecoming Queen 4; Prom Server; Snoball Server; Cheerleader 2. 3, 4

DIEDRIA WALDSCHMIDT — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, Secretary - 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2; Forensics 1; Class Officer, Vice President 3; Homecoming Candidate 4; Prom Server; Snoball Server; Junior Play

BRENDA WEBER - Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 3; Pep Club 1, 2, Secretary — 3, President — 4; FHA 1, 2, Treasurer - 3, Points Chairman - 4; Class Officer, Secretary 2, Secretary 4; Snoball Princess 2; Barnwarmer Sweetheart 3; Pop Singers 3, 4; Senior Play

KRISTEL WEBER - Pep Club 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4 -Treasurer



Wishing You a
Successful, Happy
Future.
Love,
Dad — Mom
Lori — Dave — Jim — Neal



Only the Best Always. Mom, Dad, Joel, and Misty



Believe in Your Dreams. Love Mom, Dad, Crystal, Dan, and Shawn.







Congratulations "Little Lynn"
You Have Just Begun.
Love
Mom, Dad,
Mary and Darlene





Congratulations Brenda, We Are Proud of You!



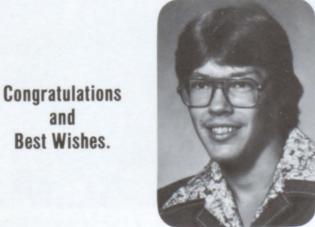
Love Mom and Dad Rick, Tammy, and Sheri







We Are Very Proud of You.



and

Good

Luck

at KU.



Love. Mom, Dad and **Bonnie**



Congratulations Troy,



SENIORS



Rex Befort gets his first cup of water at a Homecoming pep assembly. Photo by Kathy Schramm



Karla Ray poses for a beauty shot in photography class. Photo by Paul Patton



Daren Fischer and Jerry Dick hug each other to pop a balloon to take first at a pep assembly. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*



Wanda Augustine and Petri Syrenius pose on tacky day even though Petri doesn't want his picture taken. *Photo by Tina Armbruster*



Daren Fischer takes a quick nap in Constitution. Photo by Lisa Metzler



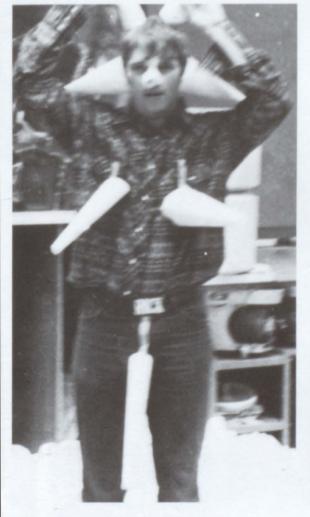
Jerry Dick, Montgomery Groff, Daren Fischer, Gary Fischer, and Darren Reidel have a monkey pile during lunch hour. *Photo by Paul Patton*



by Kathy Schramm



Rhonda Kuhn, Dianna Light, and Brenda Rupp act like rabbits during office machines. *Photo by Kathy Schramm*



Ricky Aschenbrenner clowns around during the making of a cave. Photo by Stephanie Martin.



Some senior girls boogie to the song "In Heaven There Is No Beer" at their last Homecoming pep assembly. Photo by Kathy Schramm





You've Come a Long Way, Tiger.



Congratulations,
Deena.
Love,
Mom, Dad, and
Patty



Best of Luck, Mom, Deb, Mike



Congratulations Deana

Follow Your Dreams.



Love,
Dad,
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Kenny
and
Chad

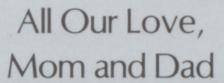


We Are
Proud
of You.
Love,
Mom
and
Dad





Best of luck, and may the future hold in store for you two, everything you desire.







Congratulations
and
Best Wishes
Mom





Congratulations and Good Luck, Dale, Irene, Dale B.



Current Events

1983-84 in Review

The top events of the year.

"Where's the beef?" was a catchy little line used by Wendy's that was known world-wide. Never before had a commercial hit it so big. They had "Where's the beef?" on caps, t-shirts and everything imaginable.

Flashdance clothes and cabbage patch dolls were very popular items. Cut sweatshirts, worn off one shoulder, could be seen everywhere. It wasn't at all unusual to pay from \$125 to \$1000 for the homely faced dolls. Wall Street estimated that they should earn Coleco \$150 million by the end of 1984.

The year wasn't all roses and sunshine though. Winter struck us with the worst December in decades. In Montana, the temperature hit an unbelievable — 55°. On the other hand, it was very hot, as the pop-superstar Michael Jackson received second- and third-degree burns from fireworks while making the \$1.5 million commercial for Pepsi-Cola.

Situations were also heating up abroad. Americans were bitter that U.S. soldiers were slain in Grenada and Lebanon, and furious when Russia shot down a South Korean 007. Eyes were opened to the effects of nuclear war when "The Day After" was aired on ABC.

There were many battles during the year, the big one being the race for the U.S. presidency between Ronald Reagan, Gary Hart, Walter Mondale, and Jessie Jackson. The Los Angeles Raiders and Washington Redskins dueled it out to the end, but the Raiders prevailed with a score of 38-9. The last battle took place in Sarajevo, where the American athletes held their own in the Olympics. Outstanding American athletes were Kitty and Peter Carruthers, Phil Mahre, Steve Mahre, Tamara McKinney, Scott Hamilton, Bill Johnson, Elaine Zayak, and Rosalynn Summers.

Sally Ride took a big step for women, when she became the first American woman in space. Joe Delanely, a 24 year old pro football running back, reassured us that there still is some good in people. Just before plunging to his death he said, "I can't swim good, but I've got to save those kids."

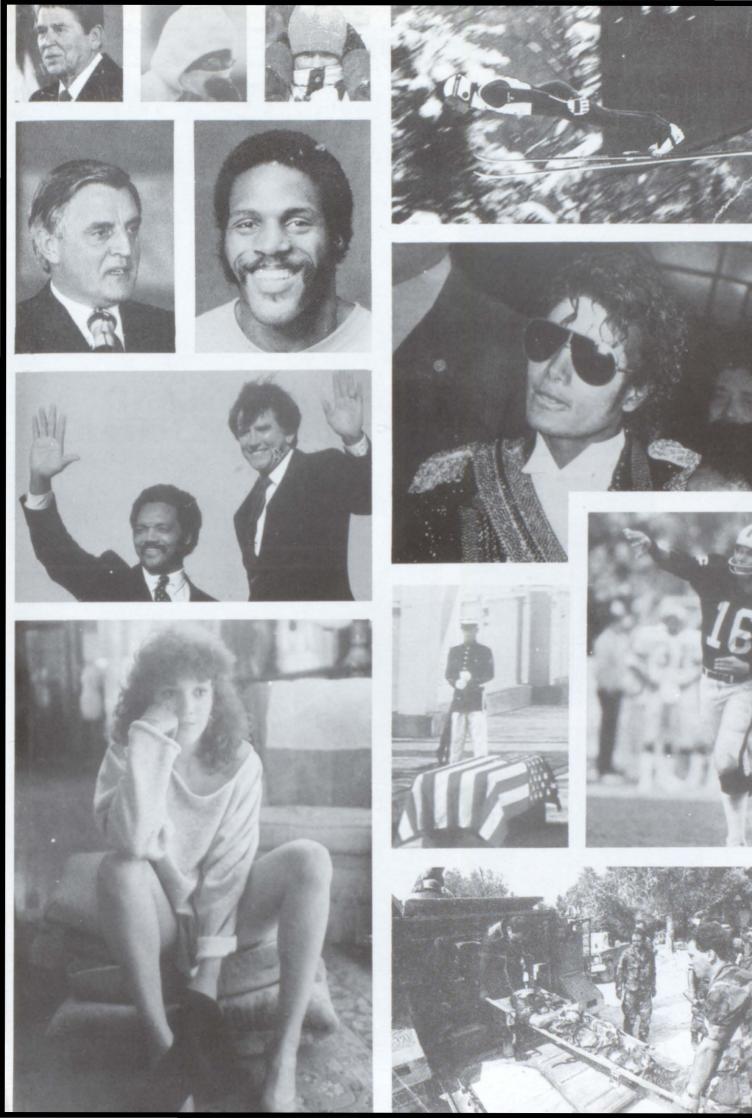
The year was an unforgettable one. It was filled with bloodshed and war, but also victories and a renewal of faith in the American people.











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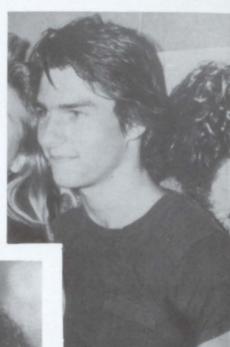














Graduation

Seniors: The final step

To a new beginning



As the seniors reach the end, these items will be treasured for a long time. Photo by Karla Ray.

As the steps came to an end in high school, the seniors looked on to further goals and accomplishments. They will never forget when they were at the bottom and rising to the top.

The senior class had made a lot of accomplishments in the past years. One a lot of seniors will never forget was going in front of the school board to change the class ring tradition and succeeding.

The class decided on orange and black for their graduation colors. The carnation was the class flower. The class motto was:

Don't Walk In Front Of Me I May Not Follow, Don't Walk Behind Me I May Not Lead, Just Walk Beside Me And Be My Friend.



A few of the seniors wait for the commencement practice to begin. Photo by Tim Huck.



The placement director at FHSU, R. D. Jenkins, speaks to the seniors about the future. Photo by Tim Huck.



Deana Schuster shows the excitement of getting a high school diploma. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.



Ricky A., Kevin A., Wanda A., and Wayne A. stand proudly after receiving their diplomas. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.



The senior class of 1984 listens for instructions during their early morning practice. Photo by Paul Patten



Greg Martin was the 1984 salutatorian.



Kristel Weber was the 1984 Valedictorian. Photos by Pat Augustine.



The class of 84 patiently waits and listens during the speech of R. D. Jenkins. *Photo by Trent Halligan*.

Graduation



The seniors practice lining up during commencement practice. Photo by Tim Huck.

The senior Railairre girls sinig "We've Only Just Begun," by the Carpenters to the senior class. Photo by Paul Patten.



The last of the seniors stand to receive their diplomas. Photo by Trent Halligan.



Troy Schoenthaler smiles as he receives his diploma. Photo by Trent Halligan.



Rhonda Kuhn is presented her diploma. Photo by Trent Halligan.



The seniors listen attentively to the commencement speaker. Photo by Trent Halligan.

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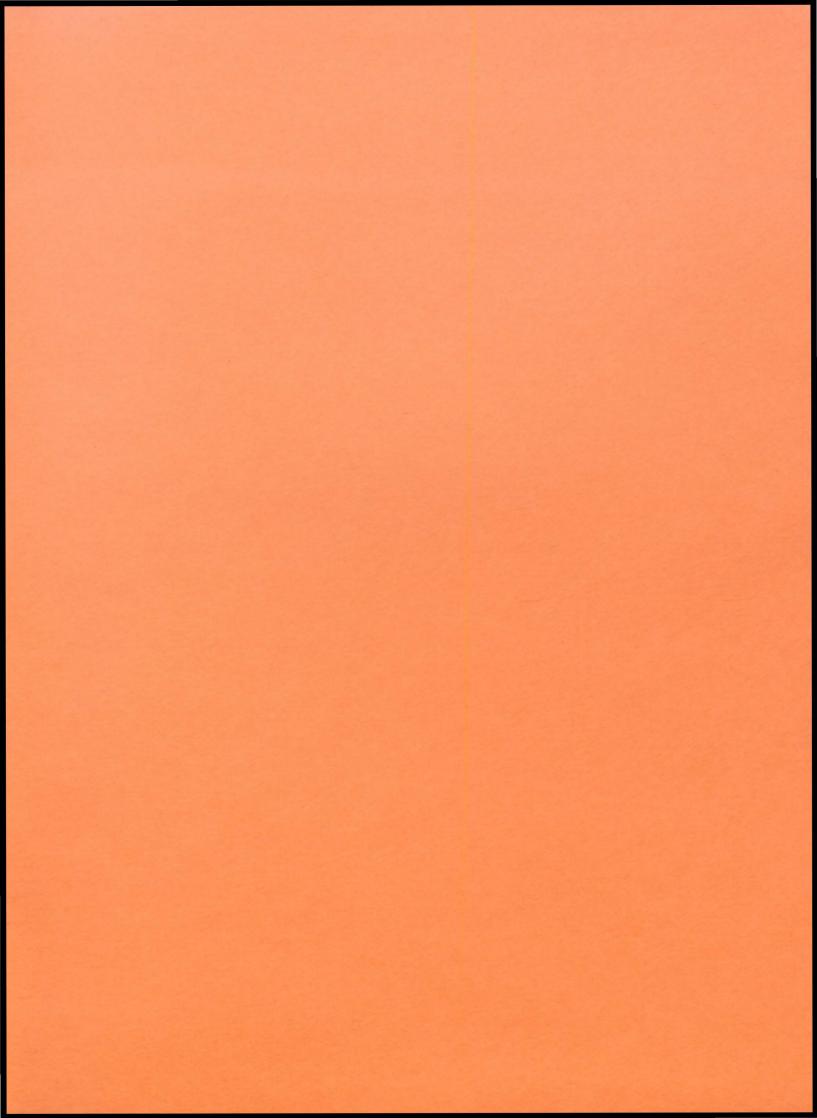
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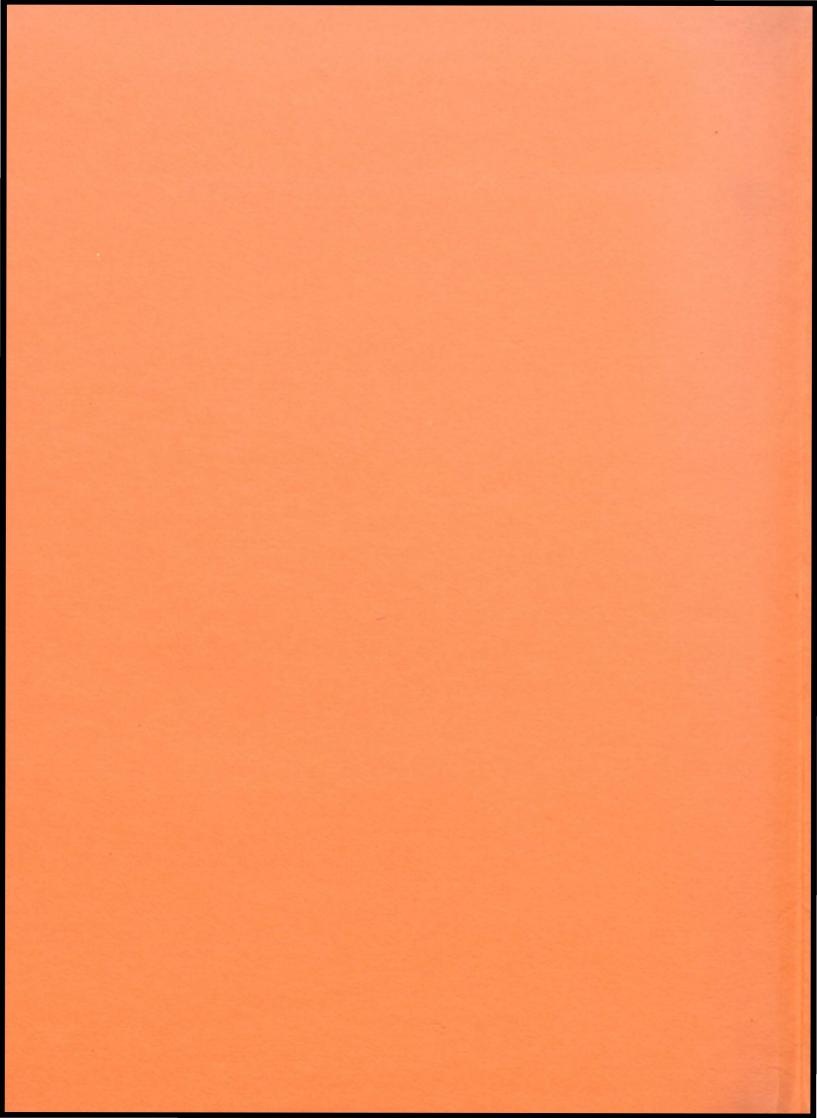
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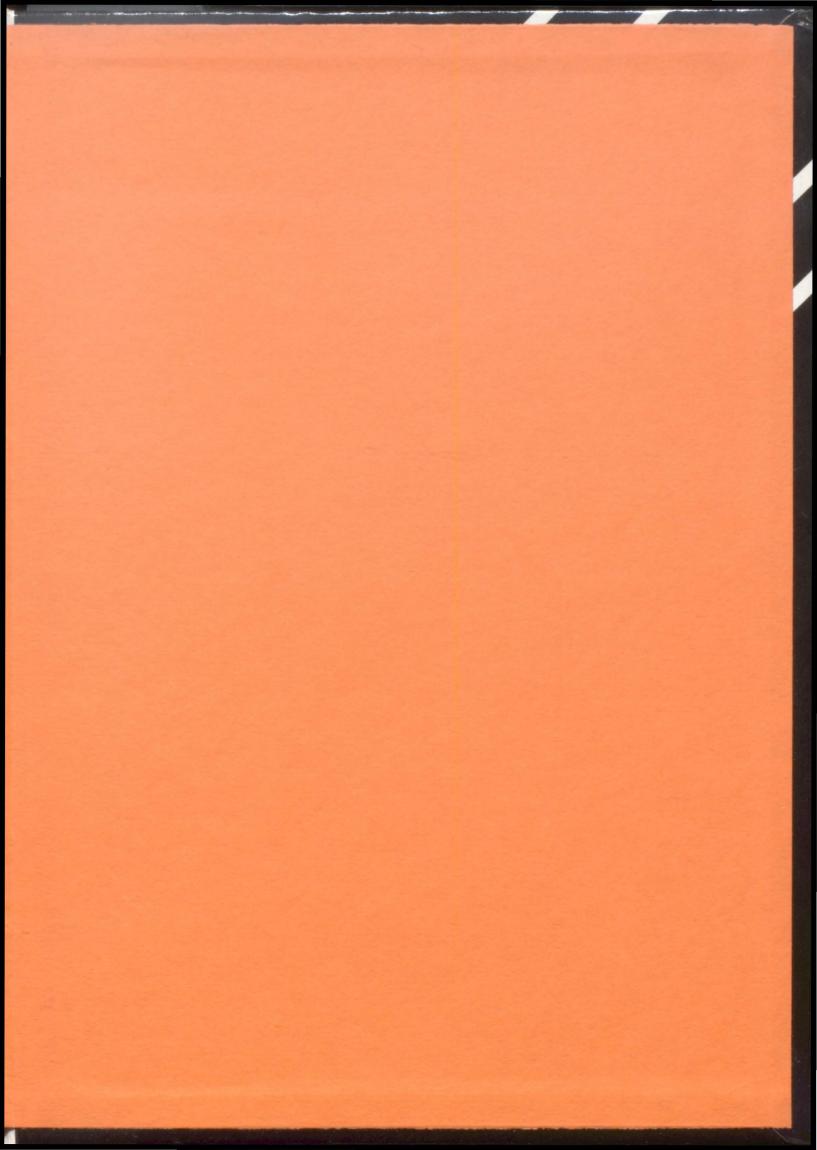
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