

# TROJAN 1979





## A Poem

Turn the pages of another year  
It sailed on by but started here  
But don't stop now quick, turn the pages  
Catch a glimpse of familiar faces  
Play that tune remember the words  
Sing it again till all have heard  
Then add the band to make it grand  
Bring those who build and those strong willed  
Give recognition to the strong and mild  
Take those who lead and draw conclusions  
Looking to others to find resolutions  
Sorting our emotions looking to the past  
Parting with devotion wondering what will last  
Empty rooms, empty thoughts  
We look at gains, take our loss  
Hope somehow will find our way  
See tomorrow but live today  
Not knowing what we're looking for  
But looking back we close the door  
We want some friends and have some fun  
And do the things we've never done  
Being different, trying things  
Flying free pulling strings  
See a vision in your brain  
Don't let go, don't refrain

I know how good you feel today  
But tomorrow it might slip away  
Like notes slip by in a melody  
Your face remains all time with me  
Things are right, but upside down  
Seems my head is spinning round  
Things go by so fast these days  
Sometimes you think it hardly pays  
Seems that all is just a struggle  
We see our hearts reduced to stubble  
But in the end we're stronger for it  
Having put our all into it  
We laugh at life, it's just a game  
Win or lose, it's all the same  
We've seen the bottom, we're now on top  
Don't give up, don't ever stop  
You see us win, you see defeat  
I know this, been up that street  
Pushing ourselves to unknown limits  
All the years seem like minutes  
But don't you know, I'm a simple man  
Doing all that I can  
Remember again, with tears in eye  
We go our way, we say good-bye... Good-bye.

Blue Kunkel

Jay Kraker

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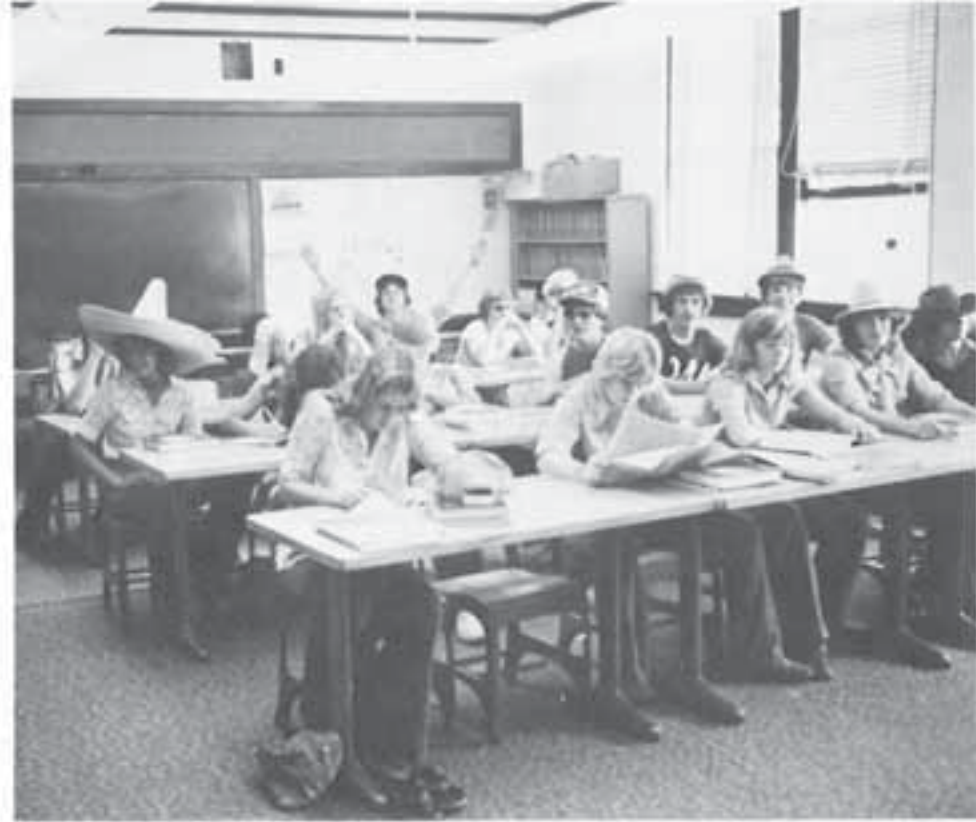
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New students, teachers and administration came in with the new year, as well as the new comedian Steve Martin, the box-office hit "Grease," the rock groups Foreigner, and the welcoming of a new Pope. Anwar Sadat and Menachem Begin were negotiating peace treaties in Israel, while in the United States people were fighting inflation. The end of November brought the news of the mass murder of 913 members of the People's Temple in Jonestown, Guyana. New teachers became acquainted

with the High School students and were no longer looked upon as "new teachers." Last year's mini courses were replaced by semester or year long courses. Big issues throughout the school were the candy machine and more dances. A major concern in the school's departments was the yearly budget. The changes in the student body, teaching staff, and administration brought a new outlook throughout the school for the beginning of a new school year.



*Turn The Pages  
Of Another Year*

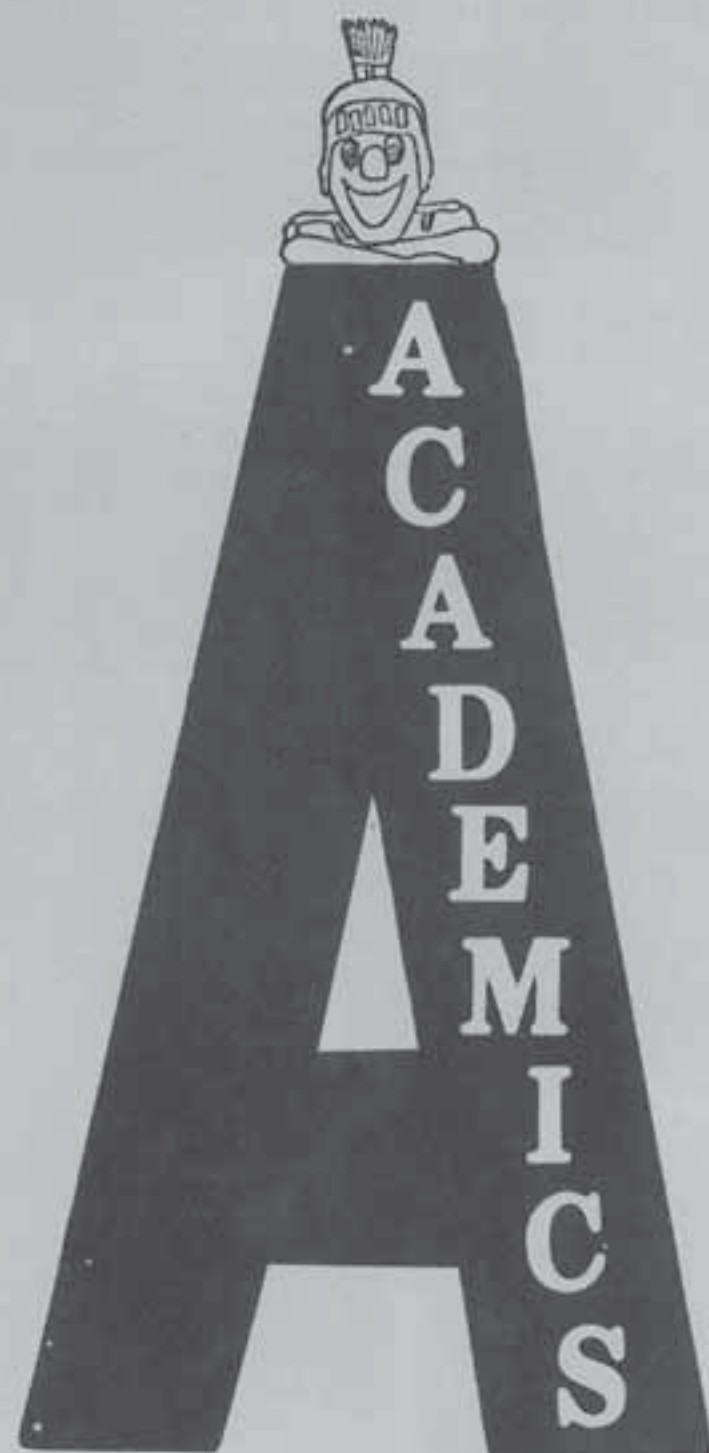




*It Sailed On By  
But Started Here*







*But Don't Stop Now*

## Staff

*Quick, Turn The Pages*

The number of staff has decreased, along with the enrollment. Yet the buildings are looking better than ever, and the food is up to par. The secretarial staff has been busy, even with the help of student aids.



Front: Barbara Klassen, Pete Schmidt. Back: Ethel Bartel, Joyce Hein.



Pearl Koch, Eunice Matz



Darlene Goertz, Carrol Ediger



L. to R.: Lillian Winter, Verna Epp, Bena Stelting.



# FACULTY and ADMINISTRATION

This year has been a year of reorganization for each of us. Room assignments were changed and it was not just the Freshmen who found it difficult to locate their classes but all survived and adjusted well.

Our teaching staff welcomed seven new faces, more of a change than the number of new students who arrived on the scene. There have been many positive changes involved with thirty percent adjustment in staff.

## *Catch A Glimpse*



Louise Balzer  
Cindy Blomquist  
John Craft  
Truman Diener



Brenda Dinsmore  
Paul Epp  
Dawn Erickson  
Harvey Foyle



Ross Friesen  
Joann Good  
James Hein  
Judy Hiebert



Eric Jaderborg  
Jerry Jones  
Kent Latimer  
Connie Norton



Carolyn Penner  
Don Penner  
Robert Sextro  
Beverly Stotts



Jim Stotts  
Glen Suderman  
Jim Vanek  
Jerry Williams



Mr. Vanek shows us his favorite past-time.



Mr. Hein shows the intricate parts of an engine to Max H., Mike A., and Kent F.



Dr. Robert Brown, superintendent of USD 410, shakes hands with Mr. Lee Albrecht.



Mr. James Clark, principal of Hillsboro High School



Mr. Art Balzer, guidance counselor and athletic director



The School Board members are Marlin Janzen, president, Marvin Ratzlaff, Loren Neufeld, Wes Duerksen, Deena Hawkins. Not pictured: Stanley Eitzen and Dalmer Kaufman.

## *Of Familiar Faces*



# STUDENT LIFE



*Play That Tune*

## Vocal Music Really "Returns To Music"

Kent Latimer brought a new face and enthusiasm to the vocal music department. It was a very busy year for those involved. In addition to the traditional fall concert, a very special concert was given entitled "Celebrate Life!" which told the Easter story in a very moving way. Two Wichita musicians provided special music and Shelley Friesen, Debbie Helmer, Glen Guhr and Kathy Hamm added a special touch with their vocal solos.

The final concert, Return to Music was a medley of Broadway hits including Oliver, Music Man, Charlie Brown and Sound of Music, and was thoroughly enjoyed by people of all ages. Those featured as soloists in this production were: Beth Hiebert, Danita Funk, David Suderman, Loren Loewen, Randy Ens, Glen Guhr, Karen Deckert, Anita Hiebert, Tim Elias, Dawn Lohrenz, Jody Friesen, and Rudi Hiebert. Mixed

ensemble, boys and girls glee as well as small groups aided the chorus and soloists with special numbers throughout the year.

Everyone worked hard to get ready for league contest and it paid off when everyone received high honors. Our school was well represented at the state honor chorus by Grace Seibel and Glen Guhr.

### *Remember The Words*



Jenny Schroeder, Debbie Harvey, and Dawn Abrahams concentrate on their music.



Snoopy, Rudi Hiebert, is overwhelmed that it's "Super-Duper-Supper Time!"



Musicians wait for their entrance in the cantata "Celebrate Life!"



Mixed Ensemble members are kickin' high cause the number one team is theirs.





Girls Glee: Third row: Judy Upton, Donna Dirks, Colleen Dirks, Shirley Klein, Danita Funk, Debbie Helmer, Diane Bedford, Michon Schroeder, Marcia Reimer, LaVon Schellenberg, Sandy Funk, Marlene Funk, and Eileen Funk. Second row: Anita Hiebert, Darlene Loewen, Margo Albrecht, Melanie Kessler, Denise Shriver, Carol Miller, Christine Duggan, Mitch Rahe, Shelley Helmer, Jenny Schroeder, Cheryl Knaak. First row: Roxanne Ewert, Joyce Schroeder, Sherri Dirks, Marie Miller, Janice Funk, Marla Jost, Joni Ensz, Kris Jantzen, Diane Penner, Jan Wiebe, Kathy Hamm, and Roseann Penner.



Boys Glee: Third row: Gail Funk, David Suderman, Keith Jost, Doug Loewen, David Elias, Lonnie Bartel, Mark Janzen, Rick Schale, and Dallas Jost. Second row: Loren Loewen, Lonnie Funk, Jeff Stotts, Jay Schroeder, Glenn Guhr, Mike Rempel, Mark Unruh, Garth Ediger, and Wendell Funk. First row: David Penner, Ryan Schroeder, Jerold Heide, Mark Schale, Brad Bartel, Bryan Weinbrenner, and Terry Pankratz.



Grace Seibel and Glenn Guhr were the State Honor Chorus members picked from Hillsboro High School.



Mixed Ensemble: Fifth row: Karen Deckert, Mike Rempel, Loren Loewen, and Dawn Lohrenz. Fourth row: Glenn Guhr, Jenny Schroeder, David Suderman, and Denise Funk. Third row: Joni Ensz, Randy Ensz, Michelle Thiessen, and Wendell Funk. Second row: Tym Elias, Denise Feil, Leslie Flaming, and Lynn Isaac. First row: Jeff Stotts, Marcia Plett, Lonnie Bartel, and Anita Hiebert.

*Sing  
It  
Again*



Mixed Chorus: Fourth row: Danita Funk, Debbie Helmer, Diane Bedford, Debbie Ratzlaff, Grace Seibel, Robert Wall, and Mike Rempel. Third row: Cheryl Knaak, Dawn Lohrenz, Carol Wiebe, Tym Elias, Larry McGillivray, and Mark Janzen. Second row: Shelley Friesen, Marcia Plett, Anita Hiebert, Paula Klassen, and Joni Ensz. First row: Carolyn Heide, Shirley Klein, Colleen Dirks, Michelle Thiessen, and Debbie Dalke.

*Till  
All  
Have  
Heard*



First row: Wendell Funk, Glenn Guhr, Leslie Flaming, Loren Loewen, Jody Friesen, Kathy Hamm, and Eileen Funk. Third row: Rick Schale, Lonnie Funk, Jerold Heide, Lynn Isaac, Roseann Penner, and Karen Deckert. Second row: Diedre Reusser, Malvina Schmidt, Beth Hiebert, Marla Jost, Jenny Schroeder, and Tammy Flaming. First row: Donna Funk, Debbie Miller, Denise Funk, Debbie Harvey, and Dawn Abrahams.



Kent Latimer, chorus director, gives the cue to come in in his own unique way.



## High Marks For The Band



First Row: Denise Feil, Michelle Thiessen, Shelley Friesen, Karen Deckert, Carmen Schmidt, Jenny Schroeder, Marla Jost, Joyce Schroeder, Roxann Ewert, Marlene Funk. Second Row: Marcia Plett, Roseann Penner, Joni Ensz, Kim Franz, Paula Klassen, Darlene Loewen, Lisa Jantzen, Janice Funk, Jan Wiebe, Marcia Reimer, Shelley Helmer, Doug Penner, Kathy Hamm, Sandy Funk, Jody Friesen, Melanie Kessler. Third Row: Mr. Epp, Dawn Lohrenz, Bev Just, Tym Elias, Les Flaming, Wendell Funk, Diane Penner, Terry Frantz, Merlin Funk, David Suderman, Jerry Funk, Greg Fiechtner, Lonnie Bartel, Garth Ediger, Randy Ensz. Last Row: Mark Seibel, Robert Wall, Becky Beneke, Leann Funk, Terry Pankratz, Carolyn Heide.



Twirlers: Janice Funk, Joni Ensz.



Contest soloists: Sitting—Roseann Penner, Marcia Plett, Denise Feil, Jody Friesen, Karen Deckert. Standing—Michelle Thiessen, Mark Seibel, Randy Ensz, and Tym Elias.



Jody Friesen performs as soloist during concert.



Majorette: Jan Wiebe.



Sherri Enns hides behind her music.

## Then Add The Band To Make It Grand



Stage Band: Standing—Carolyn Heide, Rudi Hiebert, Kathy Hamm, Jody Friesen, Dawn Lohrenz, Mark Seibel, Denise Feil, Bev Just, Randy Ensz. Drums—Robert Wall. Director—Mr. Epp.

It has been another big year of improvement for the HHS Trojan Band. The band's I rating at State Festival proves the successful year they have had. The student body was fortunate to hear the State Festival selections at a special assembly. The soloists who performed were Denise Feil (flute) I, Marcia Plett (clarinet) II, Randy Ensz (trombone) II, Karen Deckert (flute) II, Roseann Penner (clarinet) II, Tym Elias (trumpet) III, Mark Seibel (snare drum) III. The band shared their talents with the community by performing a Christmas and Spring Concert. Stage Band provided another opportunity for the students to participate in.



## Future Farmers Have Active Year



Front Row: Greg Fiechtner, Brian Weinbrenner, Rick Schale, Brad Bartel, Merlin Funk, Terry Frantz, Mark Rooker, Gail Funk, Jerry Funk, Kevin Dalke, Kim Wiens, Gene Regier. Second Row: Jay Schroeder, Justin Youk, Terry Pankratz, Lonnie Bartel, Mark Unruh, Merle Brandt, Monte Wedel, Keith Jost, David Herbel, Royce Penner, David Penner, Dale Mayfield. Third Row: Loyal Wedel, Alan Weinbrenner, Dennis Franz, Larry Funk, Mike Sommerfeld, Dallas Jost, Gary Slater, Rick Schale, Lonnie Funk, Greg Wiens, Doug Weinbrenner. Fourth Row: Alan Slater, Kirk Thurston, David Suderman, Doug Loewen, Lynn Kessler, Greg Plenert, Kendall Unrau, Max Heinrichs, Steve Unruh, Tom Harmon, Gary Christiansen, Kent Jost, Mr. Diener, sponsor, Not pictured.

FFA members had a busy schedule for this year. They raised money, attended contests and had their yearly Parent-Son Banquet in March. To help raise money this club ran the concession stand at HHS football games and sold magazine subscriptions to the "Kansas Farmer." By being one of the top salesmen, David Suderman, sophomores, sold \$270.00 worth of subscriptions winning a trip to Hawaii.

Members were also kept busy by working on projects and attending contests. A second place rating was given to the team for their booth at the Hutchinson State Fair. In Pratt the A-team and B-team members received two firsts, two seconds, and one fifth in five divisions. Results of the poultry judging contest in Marion gave the A-team which consisted of Tom Harmon, Kendall Unrau, Steve Unruh, Max Heinrichs, and Doug Loewen a second rating; B-team members who were Larry Funk, Rick Schale, Lonnie Funk and Gary Christiansen a first rating.

The annual Parent-Son Banquet was held in a different style this year. Instead of having it in the gym with tables set up in a banquet setting it was a barbecue held out in the new vocational building. Greg Plenert was named Chapter Star Farmer.



Greg Plenert was named Chapter Star Farmer for his work in FFA.

*Bring Those Who Build  
And Those Strong Willed*



A-team Agricultural Mechanics members: Kendall Unrau, Steve Unruh, Max Heinrichs, Doug Loewen, and Tom Harmon.



Junior FFA members hold trophy won at a poultry judging contest.



B-team Agricultural Mechanics: Lynn Kessler, Lonnie Funk, Gary Slater, Lonnie Bartel, and Larry Funk.



FFA Officers: Greg Plenert, reporter; Kendall Unrau, vice-president; Lynn Kessler, president; Max Heinrichs, secretary; Steve Unruh, treasurer; and Tom Harmon, Sentinel.



Kendall Unrau, Max Heinrichs, Steve Unruh, Doug Loewen are true chicken judging experts.



## StuCo Strives To Improve Student Involvement

Student Council, headed by Debbie Ratzlaff, Krista Pankratz, Kay Bartel, and Pam Delk, kept busy with many activities involving the students. They started the year with a burger bash to welcome the freshmen which included the annual "harass the freshmen time." A new attraction was added involving a tug-of-war between the seniors and the freshmen across the city pond, having obvious results with seniors as victors. The return of the "Coyotes" highlighted football homecoming activities with a successful school dance. The week before was designated as Spirit Week with Cartoon Character Day, Hats and Shades Day, 50's Day, show a movie called "Tales From the Crypt." Christmas passed and vacation ended putting StuCo back to work again. Preparations were made for basketball homecoming which involved getting ready for both the crowning ceremony and the entertainment. StuCo voted to show a movie to involve the entire student body. "The Return of the Pink Panther" got many laughs when it was shown in the auditorium. StuCo added to the year's activities a new event, a Valentine's Sweetheart Dance. With red and white accents decorating the gym, "Shagnasty" provided the music for an evening full of fun. Spring found StuCo on a more serious note—amending the constitution as well as organizing the election for next year's officers. It was found throughout the year that Student Council is much more than just something to be in, but that it involves a lot of hard work and dedication.

### Give Recognition



Front: Debbie Ratzlaff, president; Krista Pankratz, vice-president; Kay Bartel, secretary; Pam Delk, treasurer. Middle: Denise Feil, Malvina Schmidt, Diedre Reusser, Melanie Kessler, Lynn Isaac. Back: David Penner, Doug Penner, David Suderman, Tym Elias, Kendall Unrau.



StuCo works hard at planning student activities.



The freshmen take their crawl into high school at the annual freshmen initiation.

## KHHS RADIO "the great 88"



KHHS D.J.'s—First Row: Brian Weinbrenner, Todd Jost, Krista Pankratz, John Steiner, Rudi Hiebert, Max Heinrichs, Rick Shriver. Second Row: Kendall Unrau, Lonnie Bartel, Bob Wall, Mike Sommerfeld.

### To The Strong And Mild



"Crazy Jake"—Max Heinrichs controls the sound system.



Krista Pankratz gets ready for a "wild and crazy" time on KHHS radio.



Casey Hubble reads the news bulletin for the day.



Bob Wall enjoys being a D.J. for KHHS radio.

KHHS had its third year of radio broadcasting. Mr. Jones was the new sponsor and the radio station expanded with more D.J.'s and a better music format. KHHS had 18 disc jockeys who offered many types of personalities and varieties of music for the listeners. They included Mike Sommerfeld, Larry Funk, John Steiner, Bob Wall, Shaun Thiessen, Todd Jost, Krista Pankratz, Max Heinrichs, Casey Hubble, Lonnie Bartel, Rudi Hiebert, Mark Krotz, Rick Shriver, Kendall Unrau, Doug Weinbrenner, Brian Weinbrenner, Eugene Nagle, and Christine Rooker.

KHHS held an Oldies Contest in which they gave away free pizzas, free records, and small appliances. The purpose of this contest was to promote the station. KHHS also did on a limited basis, a live broadcast of high school basketball games.

KHHS was broadcast during the day from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. every day when school was in session. During second semester it was heard on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday nights on a regular basis.



## Debate Team is full of Energy



Front row: Christine Rooker, Debbie Harvey, Joni Pankratz, and Marcia Plett. Second row: Glenn Guhr, Carol Wiebe, Loren Loewen, Larry Funk, and Mark Seibel.



Mr. Foyle debates with his debaters.

### *Take Those Who Lead*

Energy and all aspects of its use was the topic debated by the nine debaters on the 1978-79 squad. The debaters attended five tournaments and regionals, and hosted their own novice tournament. At the Chapparral and Shawnee Heights Larry Funk and Marcia Plett, one of the teams, came within one round of placing and receiving medals. The debate team was coached by Harvey Foyle. Regionals were a disappointing way to end HHS's good debate season as the two teams lost all of their rounds.



Debbie Harvey gives her argument.



Phillip Martin, Debbie Harvey, and Marcia Plett record scores at a Debate tournament.

## Pep Band Achieves New Sound



Front row sitting: Karen Decker, Michelle Thiessen, Marla Jost, Joyce Schroeder, Roxanne Ewert, and Jenny Schroeder. Second row kneeling: Roseanne Penner, Marcia Plett, Paula Klassen, Robert Wall, Darlene Loewen, and Lisa Jantzen. Third row: Jody Friesen, Janice Funk, Doug Penner, Bev Just, Tim Elias, Mark Seibel, Gary Farquer, Leann Funk, Lonnie Bartel, and Randy Ensz.

### *And Draw Conclusions*

The Trojan Pep Band had a very successful season. The 25-member band performed at all home football and basketball games. They also added spirit to the Adolph Rupp tournament in Halstead, the girls' and boys' sub-state tourney in Hillsboro and Herington, and the girls' state basketball tournament in Buhler and Hutchinson. A new dimension was added with student directors Jody Friesen and Marcia Plett, who took their turns along with director Paul Epp.



Marcia Plett looks up to Doug Penner to find out what song is next.



Pep band plays enthusiastically at a basketball game.



## Publication Staff Strives Towards Perfection

Publications started out the year with a new teacher. Cindy Blomquist came to Hillsboro after graduating from Kansas State University. Because of an illness which occurred during the middle of the year, she was unable to teach for over a month. With a deadline approaching, things got very hectic during this time.

Due to the lack of money, the ORACLE went through some changes. The paper was cut down in size and needed to be photocopied instead of printed as was done in the past. The lack of interest shown caused the paper to stop publication halfway through the year.

Yearbook staff and photographers were kept very busy meeting deadlines and keeping up with picture assignments. Extra hours were put in by everyone.

A highlight for the staff was the annual trip to Jostens-American Yearbook Company. It was enjoyable as well as informative. Elizabeth Upton attended a yearbook camp at Lindsborg during the summer. She received information that helped everyone.



Diedre Reusser works hard to finish the yearbook.



Debbie Helmer showing off her pages.



Yearbook staff, Left to Right: Carol Wiebe, Denise Funk, Debbie Helmer, LaVon Schellenberg, Danita Funk, Colleen Dirks, Diedre Reusser, Bev Reimer, and Pam Delk. Not pictured: Kay Bartel.



Fixing the stapler is one of the many jobs of yearbook editor Danita Funk.



Photographers, Left to Right: Elizabeth Upton, Dawn Lohrenz and Les Flaming.

## Looking To Others To Find Resolutions



ORACLE Staff, left to right: Robert Wall, Tim Brenna, Krista Pankratz, editor, Eric Jaderborg, instructor. Not pictured: Doug Weinbrenner.



Pam Delk working hard???



## Kayettes Have Active Year



Front row: Carol Miller, Mrs. Ediger, Melanie Kessler, Joni Ensz, Colleen Dirks, LaVon Schellenberg, and Debbie Helmer. Second row: Janice Funk, Christine Rooker, Marla Jost, Paula Klassen, Pam Delk, Shirley Klein, Danita Funk, Judy Upton, and Donna Dirks. Third row: Denise Funk, Donna Funk, Beth Hiebert, Tammy Flaming, Malvina Schmidt, Cindy Shields, Bev Reimer, Becky Suderman, Jan Wiebe, and Krista Pankratz. Fourth row: Denise Shriver, Roxanne Ewert, Sherri Enns, Marcia Reimer, Kim Franz, Christine Duggan, Shelley Helmer, Carolyn Heide, Diane Penner, and Kelly Laubhan. Fifth row: Christine Dies, Janet Herbel, Sheri Dirks, Emmie Neuenschwander, Kim Klassen, Jenine Heinrichs, Kay Ediger, Becky Beneke, Tammy Bartel, Carla Jost, and Kris Jantzen.



Kayette members wait patiently for refreshments.



Kayette members discuss the meeting.

*Sorting Our Emotions*

This year, forty-five girls joined Kayettes, a service organization which meets monthly. Activities promoting school service included serving the Board of Education-Faculty dinner, planning football homecoming, having a Halloween party and a Christmas social, decorating and selling Valentine cookies, and showing the film, "The Day I Died."

Activities promoting community service were distributing Christmas and Easter favors to Parkside Homes' residents and providing servers for the Marion County ARC soup and pie supper.

By selling Tootsie Roll banks, HHS Kayettes contributed nearly \$600 to the Kidney Foundation of Kansas.



Mrs. Ediger, sponsor, awaits the club's decision.



Colleen Dirks serves refreshments.



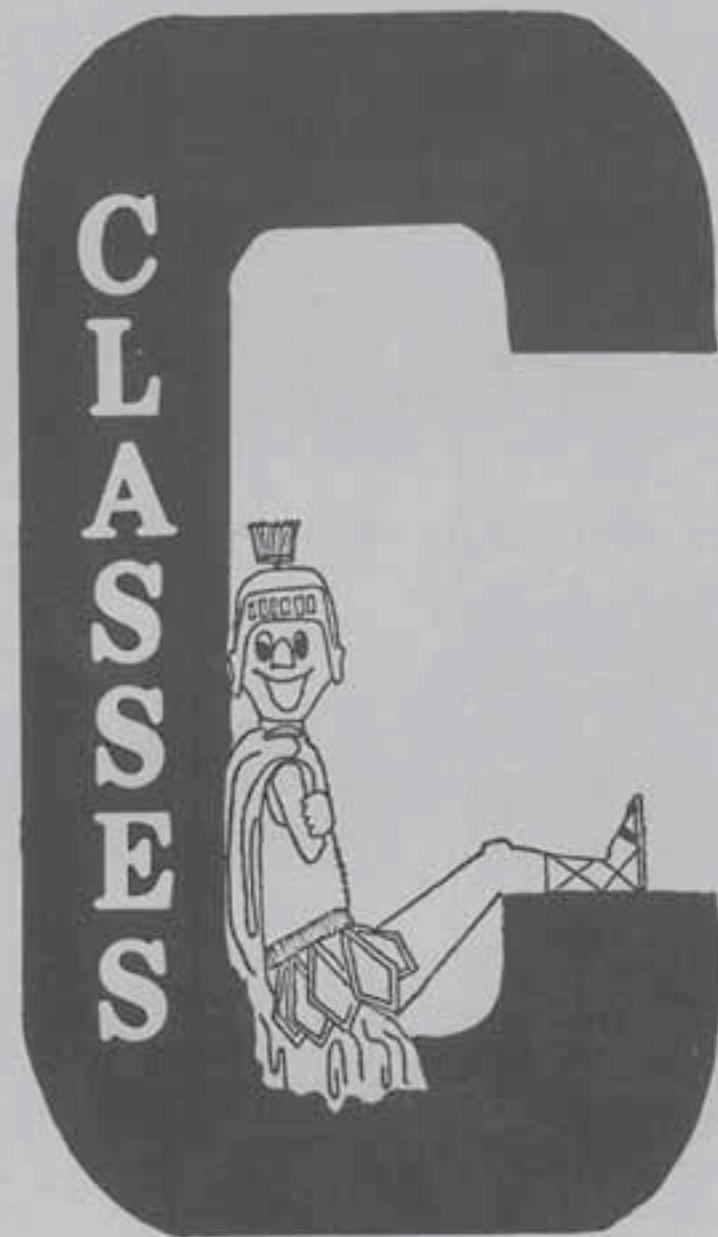
Bev Reimer and Becky Suderman look at their Easter project for Parkside Homes.



Kay Bartel, treasurer, Melanie Kessler, Stuco rep., Joni Ensz, secretary, LaVon Schellenberg, president and Colleen Dirks, vice president work hard at planning the next meeting.

*Looking To The Past*





*Parting With Devotion*



*Mike Albrecht*



*Kay Bartel*



*Tammy Bartel*



Front row: Denise Fell, StuCo Rep., Marcia Plett, Secretary, Elizabeth Upton, Treasurer. Back row: Tom Harmon, Vice-President, Tym Elias, StuCo Rep., Grace Seibel, President.

For fifty-two seniors, 1979 meant taking on different responsibilities, making many difficult decisions about what to do after graduation, and making the best of their last year in high school.

The seniors enjoyed being homecoming kings and queens, watching and participating in different sports, plays, and musicals, being part of the clubs, viewing the films shown throughout the year, attending dances that were held, getting together with friends, and having fun.

Another activity for seniors was the senior sneak, which was spent at the Marion Lake. Seniors were excused at noon and then drove to the lake for a steak fry, and a friendly game of frisbee.

As the year ended, tensions were relieved as decisions were made and deadlines met. Excitement and reluctance were felt as seniors went their separate ways in their search for tomorrow.

**seniors, Seniors, SENIORS!!**

*Wondering What Will Last*





*Dabra Bedford*



*Becky Benetke*



*Jim Brennan*



Lynn Kessler, Jeff Schmidt, and Kendall Unrau talk over last night's happenings during study hall.

## *Empty Thoughts*



Debbie Helmer gets an energy spurt after realizing only two hours of school are left.



A typical Monday morning in Senior Hall.

Hop-a-long Schroeder.



*Carla Calam*



*Colleen Dirks*



*Elaine Duggan*



And Tym Elias says, "Don't worry my dear, I'll protect you."

## *Empty Rooms*



*Pam Delek*



*Kay Ediger*



*Tym Elias*



*Randy Enos*





*Denise Feil*



*Les Fleming*



*Vivian Fleming*



*Jody Friesen*



*Danita Funk*



Debbie Harvey and Randy Ensiz study hard for American Government.



Robert?! Really now, in school?



A wild and crazy morning in Senior Hall.

*We Look At Gains  
Take Our Loss*



*Eileen Funk*



*Kent Funk*



*Lyle Funk*







*Terry Hamm*



Tammy Bartel and Karla Schmidt, listening to one of Kay Ediger's "usual jokes."



Max Heinrichs feeding his face.



*Tony Hammon*



*Debbie Harvey*



*Marty Jansen*



*Lisa Jansen*



*Lynn Kessler*



*Shirley Klein*



*Max Heinrichs*



*Debra Helmer*



Kendall Unrau, sweet and innocent??? Ha!

*Hope Somehow*

## *We'll Find Our Way*



Krista Pankratz and Max Heinrichs relax while waiting for class to begin.



Seniors give their "full" attention at an assembly.

Kay Ediger attacks Danita Funk with the blob.







*Donald J. Mcarty*



*Brad Neueneschwander*



Seniors show enthusiasm over class.



*Judy L. Redger*



*Bev Reimer*



Senior sophistication?  
*See Tomorrow*



*Krista Pautratz*



*Suz Plouet*



*Lalton Schellberg*



*Karla Schmidt*



Pam Delk and Kay Bartel study hard for shorthand.



*Marcia Plett*



*Debbie Ratzlaff*



Debra Bedford, Becky Suderman, Grace Seibel, and Eileen Funk are put behind bars for being the best suckers in the world.



*Jeff Schmidt*  
*But Live Today*



## Not Knowing



Debbie Helmer, Debbie Ratzlaff, LaVon Schellenberg, Danita Funk, Shirley Klein, Colleen Dirks, and Pam Delk pause a moment to show us their smiling faces.



*James Schroeder*



*Rick Shriver*



*Shaun F. Schissen*



*Grace Seibel*



*Bucky Anderson*



*Kendall Unrau*



*Steven Unruh*



*Elizabeth Upton*



*Blerst Wall*

## What We're Looking For



Tom Harmon shows us his real personality.



Lady Dracula (Bev Reimer) strikes again.



Debbie Helmer feeding LaVon Schellenberg her afternoon snack.



## Not Pictured:

*Kathie Harder*



*Doug Weinheimer*





*But Looking Back*



*We Close The Door*







A dedicated student.

## *We Want Some Friends*



Abrahams, Dawn



Albrecht, Margo  
Barkman, Brent



Beisel, Cindy  
Brandt, Julie  
Buller, Jon



Christiansen, Gary  
Dalke, Debbie  
Duggan, Jim  
Ediger, Garth



Flaming, Tammy  
Foth, Gary  
Frantz, Dennis  
Funk, Donna  
Funk, Denise



Funk, Larry  
Funk, Leann  
Funk, Lonnie  
Funk, Wendell  
Guhr, Glen

## *And Have Some Fun*

The juniors broke the record in magazine sales this year and survived all the traumas and fun of planning the banquet.

Janzen, Jakie  
Janzen, Mark

Hiebert, Beth  
Hiebert, Matthew  
Isaac, Lynn

Hamm, Kathy  
Heide, Jerold  
Herbel, Diana  
Hiebert, Anita



Officers: Loren Loewen, Malvina Schmidt, Denise Funk, Anita Hiebert, Lynn Isaac and Bev Jost.



*And Do The Things*



Just, Bev



Klassen, Gayle



Klassen, Sheldon  
Knaak, Cheryl



Krotz, Mark  
Laubhan, Kelly  
Loewen, Douglas



Lohrenz, Dawn  
McGillivray, Larry  
Martin, Linda  
Meinen, Lisa



Miller, Debbie  
Miller, Marlene  
Nagle, Eugene  
Pankratz, Joni  
Rahe, Mitchelyn



Redekop, Ben  
Rempel, Mike  
Reusser, Diedre  
Rooker, Christine  
Schale, Ricky



Schmidt, Malvina  
Schroeder, Jenny  
Slater, Gary  
Sommerfeld, Mike



Steiner, John  
Thurston, Kirk  
Weinbrenner, Alan



Wiebe, Carol  
Wiebe, Wade



Wiens, Greg

Not pictured  
Dick, Michelle  
Funk, Linda  
Kliwer, Ken

*We've Never Done*





Officers: David Suderman, Melanie Kessler, Carolyn Heide, Rosann Penner and Lonnie Bartel.



Innocence or guilt?



Abrahams, Brad  
Bartel, Lonnie  
Bartel, Lori  
Bedford, Diane  
Beisel, Tom

Brandt, Merle  
Brenneman, Lawrence  
Calam, Rick  
Deckert, Karen

Dennis, Linda  
Dirks, Donna  
Duggan, Christine

Elias, Dave  
Ensz, Joni

Flaming, Cheryl

## Being Different



Typists work hard to get assignments done.

The sophomores had a lot of fun throughout the year. As usual, many enrolled in everyone's favorite class: biology. The sophomore's sold light bulbs to make some extra money.



Franz, Kim

Friesen, Denise  
Friesen, Shelley

Heide, Carolyn  
Helmer, Michelle  
Helmer, Shelley

Herbel, David  
Hiebert, Rudi  
Jost, Keith  
Jost, Marla

Kessler, Melanie  
Klassen, Paula  
Martin, Phillip  
Mayfield, Dale  
Mickey, Elmer

## Trying Things





Schroeder, Ryan



Schroeder, James  
Schroeder, Michon



Miller, Carol  
Pankratz, Terry  
Penner, Doug

Penner, Roseann  
Penner, Royce  
Redekop, Fred

Reimer, Marcia  
Schmidt, Carmen  
Schmidt, Marilyn

## *Flying Free*



Some day we'll be seniors.



Brad is amazed at how much can really be learned in school.



Slater, Alan



Stotts, Jeff  
Suderman, David



Thiessen, Michelle  
Unruh, Mark  
Upton, Judy

Wedel, Loyal  
Wedel, Monte  
Winter, Kevin

Youk, Justin  
Funk, Annette

## *Pulling Strings*



Are these the "macho" men of the sophomore class?





Bartel, Bradley  
Blackwell, Kevin  
Dalke, Kevin  
Dies, Kristine  
Dirks, Sheri

Enns, Sherri  
Ewert, Roxann  
Fiechtner, Greg  
Frantz, Terry  
Funk, Gail

Funk, Janice  
Funk, Jerry  
Funk, Marlene  
Funk, Merlin  
Funk, Sandy

Harms, Mike  
Hein, Brenda  
Heinrichs, Jenine  
Herbel, Janet  
Hubble, Casey

Jantzen, Kris  
Jost, Carla  
Jost, Kent  
Jost, Todd  
Klassen, Kim



Legg, Jo  
Loewen, Darlene  
McMinn, Ricky

Memmelaar, Mary  
Miller, Marie  
Neuenschwander,  
Emmy —

Penner, David  
Penner, Diane  
Regier, Gene

Rooker, Mark  
Schale, Mark  
Schroeder, Jay

Schroeder, Joyce  
Seibel, Mark  
Shriver, Denise



Not pictured  
Clegg, Kevin

Left: Future Chefs of  
America.

Right: Officers, Kent  
Jost, Terry Franz, Kris  
Jantzen, Jan Wiebe, Gene  
Regier and David Penner.



*See A Vision*

*In Your Brain*



The highlight of the fall for freshmen and everyone else was the annual burger bash. A tug of war across the pond, calisthenics, readings by some freshmen couples and playing leap frog around the park contributed to the fun.



Walter, Tim      Wiens, Kim  
Weinbrenner, Bryan      Farquer, Gary  
Wiebe, Jan

*Don't Let Go*



Gene seems to be having a happy day at good old HHS.



Stripes are forever.

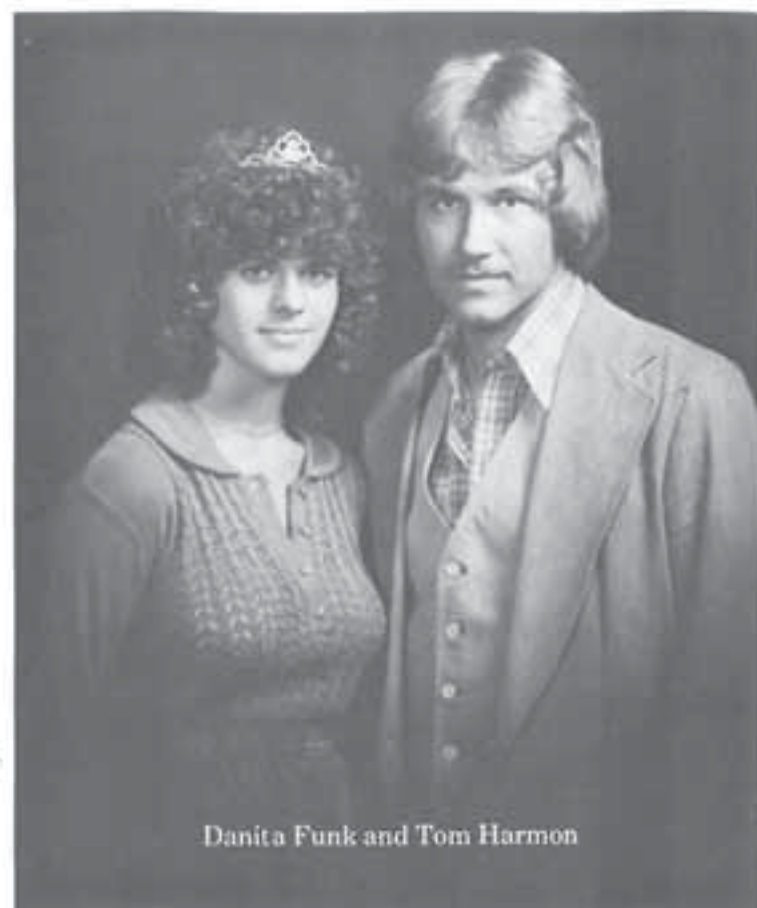


'79 basketball games will be well remembered.



*Don't Refrain*

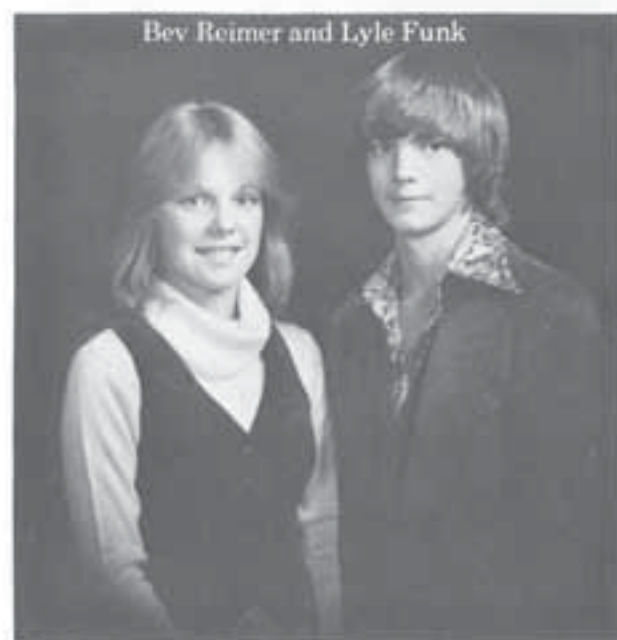




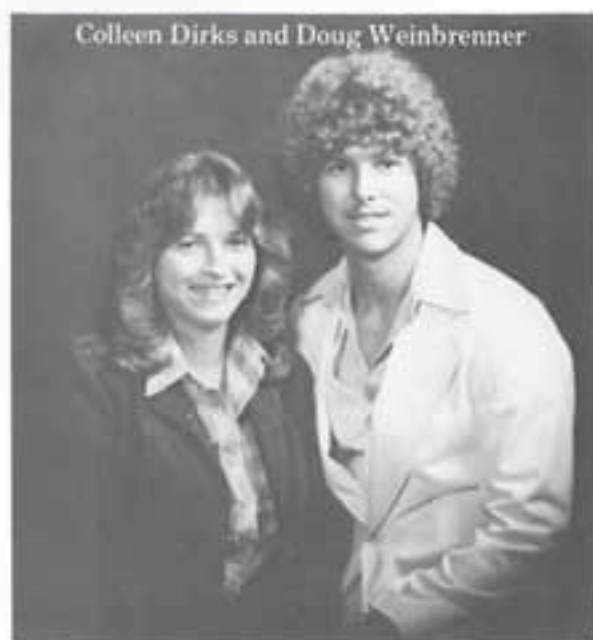
Danita Funk and Tom Harmon

## *I Know How Good*

Amid the excitement, Danita Funk was crowned HHS Football Homecoming Queen. The other candidates and their escorts were Bev Reimer and Lyle Funk, Liz Upton and Tim Elias, Colleen Dirks and Doug Weinbrenner and Debbie Ratzlaff and Kendall Unrau. Stephanie Friesen and Adam Kleiber served as the little King and Queen. The air was warm, spirits high with anticipation as HHS students watched the parade, voted for their choice for Homecoming queen, and danced to the sounds of Coyote.



Bev Reimer and Lyle Funk



Colleen Dirks and Doug Weinbrenner

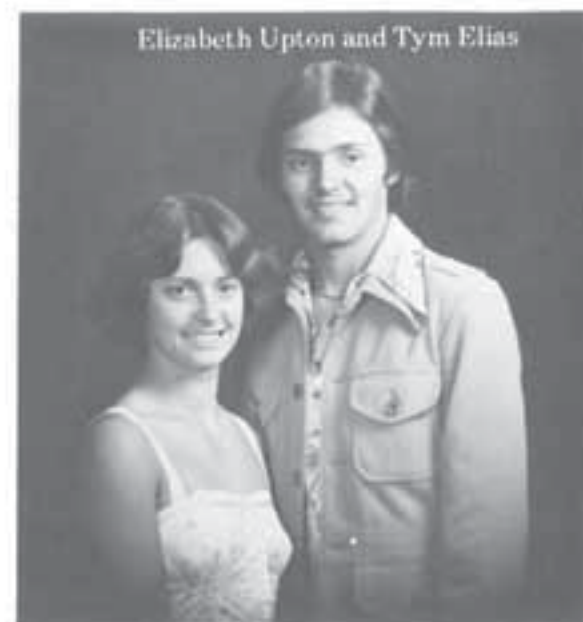


HHS Football Homecoming Queen, Danita Funk

Old traditions as well as new provided for a successful homecoming even though the Trojans fell to the defeat of the Moundridge Wildcats.

During the week an Olivia Newton-John and John Travolta, "GREASE" look-alike was held. Also included in the special days were Hat Day, Cartoon Day, and the annual Dress-up day.

All in all, the HHS students thoroughly enjoyed the 1979 Football Homecoming.



Elizabeth Upton and Tym Elias

## *You Feel Today*



Debbie Ratzlaff and Kendall Unrau





HHS Trojan Marching Band



One of the class floats is perfected for the parade.



LaVon Schellenberg helps Stephanie Friesen and Adam Kleiber present the crown to Tom Harmon and Danita Funk, the 1978 King and Queen.



Attendants: Denise Funk, Marcia Reimer, and Sheri Dirks.



Candidate Liz Upton

*But Tomorrow*

## Awards Prove Hard Work



Debbie Ratzlaff and Carla Calam receive a "did something" basketball award from the Pride Committee.



Robert Wall receives music award from Mr. Epp.



Mrs. Dinsmore presents the drill team with charms.



Greg Plenert, Kendall Unrau, Steve Unruh, and Max Heinrichs receive awards for FFA.

*It Might Slip Away*

Mr. Balzer hands out certificates to the honor students.

May 21 brought the fourth annual awards night to HHS. Awards for achievement and excellence were given to students involved in various school-related activities. The Outstanding Citizens Awards was given by Mr. Clark to Marcia Plett and Kent Funk and the announcement of Valedictorian and Salutatorian was made. The first annual Paul Rundstrom Memorial Scholarship was given and other scholarships were announced. Awards were given in Journalism, Debate, student librarian, Typing and Shorthand. Awards were also given in Vocational Agriculture and FFA was recognized for their outstanding work. Cheerleaders, drill team members and athletes were also recognized. Competition merits were given to instrumental and vocal music achievers.



# Spoon River Anthology

"Spoon River Anthology," written by Edward Lee Masters was given November 16, 17, and 18. It included an eight member cast and the mixed ensemble.

The setting of the play was a small rural town in Illinois. It told about some people who had lived in the town, had died, and then had come back to life. They told about things they had done and learned in their past life. It was a play made up of small vignette lines of poetry.



Glenn Guhr: "All, are sleeping on the hill."



Tim Elias and Krista Pankratz put feeling into their parts.



Debbie Ratzlaff: "And what did we talk of?—sky and water, Anything most, to hide our thoughts . . ."



"The earth keeps some vibration going There in your heart, and that is you."



Dawn Abrahams: "It takes life to love life."

## Like Notes Slip By

Cast  
 Tim Elias  
 Carol Wiebe  
 Jeff Stotts  
 Krista Pankratz  
 Glen Guhr  
 Debbie Ratzlaff  
 Rudy Hiebert  
 Dawn Abrahams  
 Director—Eric Jaderborg



Krista Pankratz: "Back of every soldier is a woman!"

## In A Melody



Rudy Hiebert: "It was bad enough to run a clothing store in this town, but to be buried here? Ach!"



Carol Wiebe: "... yield to the fire of you Till the fire is nothing but light!"



Mixed Ensemble provided music for the play. Front Row: Joni Ensz, Denise Funk, Second Row: Marcia Plett, Michelle Thiessen, Karen Deckert, Jenny Schroeder, Kathy Hamm, Jody Friesen. Third Row: Wendell Funk, Loren Loewen, Lonnie Bartel, Les Flaming, Randy Ensz, Mike Rempel, David Suderman.



Jeff Stotts: "I was the first fruits of the Battle of Missionary Ridge."



## Basketball Sweetheart Crowned



*Your Face Remains  
All Time With Me*



Debbie Helmer was crowned the 1979 Basketball Sweetheart by her escort Rick Shriver. The crowning took place inbetween the Junior Varsity and the Varsity game on January 19.

Other candidates and their escorts were Kay Bartel and Steve Unruh, Krista Pankratz and Mike Albrecht, Becky Suderman and Shawn Thiessen, LaVon Schellenberg and Greg Plenert. The little king and queen were Lena Leppke and Justin Hiebert.

The entertainment after the game was the movie, "The Return of the Pink Panther," sponsored by STUCO.







Basketball Sweetheart Debbie Helmer and her escort Rick Shriver.

The Basketball Homecoming activities included: Sock 'em Day—students wore different colored socks; Lick 'em Day—sucker sticks were sticking out of everyone's mouth; Make 'em sweat Day—sweat shirts and pants were seen; Stomp 'em Day—anything from high-water rubber boots to cowboy boots were worn; and the traditional Dress-up Day concluded the week's activities.



Danita Funk announces the sweetheart candidates at pep rally.



Little king, Justin Hiebert and little queen Lena Leppke, pose for a picture.



Colorful socks showed spirit.



Look at those suckers!  
Left to Right: Kendall Unrau, Steve Unruh, Rick Shriver.

*Things Are Right*

## "Don't Look Back!"



Junior class advises the seniors to look toward the future.



The junior and senior guys wait for the lemon awards to be given away.

Martians invaded HHS on May 5, 1979, at 6:30 p.m. Those present were escorted through a transporting room and told "Don't Look Back." Upon reaching their destination, the seniors were honored by the juniors to a scrumptious meal and an evening of dancing or a movie.

Many hours of planning and preparation were spent by the juniors in order that the seniors would have a banquet and prom they would always remember. A large mural which depicted the theme, looked very impressive under the stars. This theme was chosen because it was a way to tell the seniors to look to the future and wish them success in their new endeavors.



Mitch Rahe put the finishing touches on the winding staircase.

*But Upside Down*





Eugene Nagel shows his new disco step for the prom.

## *Seems My Head*



Class members of '79 and '80 relax and wait in anticipation for the prom.



Mr. Jaderborg and Mr. Latimer converse over dinner.



Kent Funk, Dawn Lohrenz, and Tim Elias sit in concentration.



Jim Duggan hangs the stars in heaven.



Debbie Miller, Mitch Rahe, and Lisa Meinen wait patiently to be served.

## *"Looks Like We Made It"*

Commencement for the class of '79 was held on May 22, 1979, in the HHS gym.

Valedictorian was Marcia Plett and the Salutatorian was Kent Funk. Tim Elias played a trumpet medley. After the senior speakers, Grace Seibel sang a solo. Jody Friesen played a solo on her saxophone. Then the Mixed Chorus sang two numbers, "The Hands of Time," and "You'll Never Walk Alone."

Then came the moment they were all waiting for. Perhaps a little sacred, they reached up with their right hand and moved their tassels over to the right.

Alas, they had finished twelve years of schooling.

Fifty-two seniors received diplomas, and seven students received honors. Those receiving honors were Robert Wall, Shaun Thiessen, Debbie Ratzlaff, Danita Funk, Marcia Plett, Kent Funk, and Denise Feil.

## *Is Spinnin' Round*



Kendall Unrau attempts to escape ceremonies while Tom Harmon keeps lookout.



Doug Weinbrenner, Max Heinrichs and Lyle Funk look forward to graduating.



Seniors pause for a brief moment to reflect about the past.



Last-minute adjustments are made before their final appearance as HHS students.





Grace Seibel puts a little enthusiasm into her song.



Denise Feil enchants the audience by playing her flute.



Tim Elias provides a special number.



Valedictorian Marcia Platt recalls moments at HHS.



Kent Funk, Salutatorian, addresses the audience.



The senior girls have second thoughts about leaving HHS.

*Things  
Go  
By*



*So Fast These Days*



Pre-season predictions for the Trojans football team were exceptionally good by receiving a sixth place rating in the league. After two wins for the Trojans, people began to realize that the Trojans were very serious.

Excitement filled the minds of the football players giving them enthusiasm and spirit, which soon filled the student body.

They went up against the tough team of Moundridge, pushing and striving to win. However, the Trojans were not able to get by the Wildcats, losing the first game of the season. This did not stop the mighty Trojans. The next three games were won against Remington, Inman, and Fairfield. The flu hit a few of the fine football players, consequently, the following two games were lost to Hesston and Halstead. To end the season, the Trojans had a victorious win over the Peabody Warriors.

The football players had a lot of unity and team spirit. The weather conditions contributed to fewer injuries. Although the Trojans had a weak offense, the strong defense helped give them many victories.

The three co-captains were Mike Albrecht, Brad Neuenschwander, and Max Heinrichs. The two most valuable players were Mike Albrecht and Lynn Kessler.

### *Sometimes You Think*



First row: Lonnie Bartel, Mark Janzen, Ryan Schroeder, David Herbel, James Schroeder, Max Heinrichs, Lawrence Brenneman, Kirk Thurston, Wendall Funk. Second row: Randy Ensiz—Manager, Lynn Kessler, Lonnie Funk, Gary Christiansen, Ricky Schale, Brad Abrahams, Merle Brandt, Tom Beisel, Elmer Mickey, Doug Penner—Manager. Third row: Don Penner—Coach, Shaun Thiessen, Kent Funk, Garth Ediger, Brad Neuenschwander, Sheldon Klassen, Jerold Heide, Mike Albrecht, Brent Barkman, Rick Shriver. Fourth row: Dallas Jost, Keith Jost, David Penner, Todd Jost, Mark Schale, Bryan Weinbrenner, Terry Frantz, Jerry Jones—Coach. Fifth row: Kent Jost, Jay Schroeder, Mark Rooker, Gail Funk, Merlin Funk, Jerry Funk, Joe Legg.



Max Heinrichs makes a good cut for the Trojans.



Trojans scramble over football with the Moundridge players.



Trojans have a huddle to talk over the next play.



Trojan player kicks for three extra points.

### Varsity

HHS	Opponent
3 SE of Saline	2
22 Herington	8
0 Moundridge	13
12 Remington	7
14 Inman	(OT)13
33 Fairfield	0
0 Hesston	13
0 Halstead	29
9 Peabody	0



Trojan player gets cornered by the opposing team after making some yardage.

## TROJANS Have Quality Football Team



Max Heinrichs gains yardage as the Trojans block.

### *It Hardly Pays*



# JUNIOR VARSITY Has Successful Season



Brad Neuenschwander congratulates Lynn Kessler after a first and ten for the Trojans.



The Trojan defense sets up to stop their opponents.

## *Seems That All*



David Herbel carries the ball for extra yards.



Jerold Heide talks over the play with Coach Penner and Coach Friesen.



Gary Christiansen dodges the opposing team, gaining yardage.



Brad Abrahams finds a hole in the defensive line.



Front: David Penner, Gail Funk, Mark Rooker, Mark Schale, Merlin Funk, Jerry Funk, Brian Weinbrenner, Joe Legg. Middle: Lonnie Bartel, Keith Jost, David Herbel, Tom Beisel, Brad Abrahams, James Schroeder, Lawrence Brenneman, Elmer Mickey, Doug Penner, manager. Back: Todd Jost, Kent Jost, Jay Schroeder, Ryan Schroeder, Merle Brandt, Terry Frantz, and Ross Friesen, coach.



Trojans score a touchdown.



Terry Frantz blocks for Ryan Schroeder as he runs for a touch-down.

## Freshman-Sophomore

HHS	Opponent
26 Peabody	22
16 Moundridge	8
36 Remington	6
44 Inman	14
20 Fairfield	6
28 Hesston	14
8 Halstead	12

## *Is Just A Struggle*

Junior Varsity had an outstanding football team. The key to the team's winning season was their offense. The score proves that their defense was also an asset to the team. Team unity developed into a winning season resulting with a record of six to one.



## Volleyball Team Improves

*We See Our Hearts  
Reduced To Stubble*



Debbie Ratzlaff returns the ball.



Gayle Klassen bumps the ball to the setter.



Front: Judy Upton, Carolyn Heide, Leann Funk, Marlene Funk, Jan Wiebe, Diane Penner, Back: Roseann Penner, Jody Friesen, Shelley Friesen, Diedre Reusser, Carla Calam, Glenn Suderman, coach, Eileen Funk, manager, Gayle Klassen, Sandy Funk, Danita Funk, Debbie Ratzlaff, Kim Franz.



Marlene Funk bumps the ball up to Diedre Reusser for a set.



Carla Calam keeps a careful eye on the ball while setting it.

The volleyball team improved with the help of their new coach, Glen Suderman. They started out with a good season by placing second in the pre-season tournaments. The varsity volleyers ended league play with a 4 and 3 record. The team then traveled to Herington for Sub-State, with the hopes of going to State. Unfortunately, they lost their first round. All in all they had a great season.

B-Team		A-Team	
Opponent	HHS	Opponent	HHS
15, 3, 15	4, 15, 11	Halstead	11, 8
		Remington	7, 15, 13
		Halstead	12, 16, 12
		Moundridge	15, 15
15, 14, 9	10, 16, 15	Peabody	11, 9
15, 15	9, 7	Moundridge	15, 8, 15
5, 15, 13	15, 9, 15	Remington	2, 15, 3
9, 3	15, 15	Inman	2, 16, 10
15, 5	10, 9	Fairfield	15, 15
15, 3, 2	5, 15, 15	Hesston	15, 12, 15
		Silverlake	11, 15, 10
B-Team 4-3 League		(sub-state)	
		A-Team 4-3 League 6-5 Overall	



Coach Glenn Suderman ponders team strategy for an upcoming game.



Danita Funk: Don't tell me that, I don't believe it.



Letterwinners for volleyball were, Front: Danita Funk, Debbie Ratzlaff, Shelley Friesen, Middle: Leann Funk, Jody Friesen, Back: Diedre Reusser, Carla Calam, Gayle Klassen.



## Drill Team's Debut Was A Hit!

This was the first year Hillsboro High School has had a Drill Team. It was a new experience for the crowd and the members.

To get them started they went to a clinic in Salina where they learned Boogie-Oogie-Oogie, which helped them in making up all their other routines.

They performed at the halftime of both football and basketball games and also at pep rallies. They not only performed with the band, but also with records. Their routines consisted of: Jive Talkin', Hawaii 5-O, Jump Shout Boogie, Rocky, and La Freak. Some of the routines were done with pom poms while others were done with gloves.

As money-making projects, they served concessions at the Arts & Crafts Fair and girls basketball games.



Diedre Reusser and Donna Funk perform the mirror image in one of their routines.



Kick 'em high, Melanie K., Donna F., Diedre R., LaVon S., Debbie R., Shelley F., Shelley H., Elaine D., Carmen S., and Colleen D.



Left to Right: LaVon Schellenberg, Debbie Ratzlaff, captain, Shelley Friesen, Diedre Reusser and Shelley Helmer.

*But In The End*



Debbie Ratzlaff and Shelley Helmer "Freakin' out?"



Carmen Schmidt and Shelley Friesen clap to Boogie Oogie Oogie.



Left to Right: Elaine Duggan, Donna Funk, Carmen Schmidt, Melanie Kessler, and Colleen Dirks.

*We're Stronger For It*



Elaine Duggan and Melanie Kessler end their routine with a smile.



LaVon Schellenberg and Colleen Dirks are all worn out after a hard performance.



Well, that's the end of that!  
Melanie K., Donna F., Diedre R., LaVon S., Debbie R., Shelley F., Shelley H., Carmen S. and Colleen D.



Thirteen enthusiastic girls made up the Hillsboro High School cheerleading squads. A-Team consisted of: Head cheerleader Danita Funk, Debbie Helmer, Elizabeth Upton, Beth Hiebert, and Joni Ensz. B-Team consisted of: Head cheerleader Kim Franz, Malvina Schmidt, Debbie Dalke, and Carolyn Heide. Freshman cheerleaders were Jan Wiebe, Kris Jantzen, and Diane Penner. Tammy Flaming was the substitute.

At the beginning of the school year all of the squads went to a one day clinic in Salina. This consisted of learning cheers, chants, and a routine.

During football and basketball season the cheerleaders made cookies, cakes, and decorated the locker rooms to help create enthusiasm among the players.

## Cheerleaders Have Wild and Crazy Year



Front row: Diane Penner, Jan Wiebe, Kris Jantzen. Back row: Carolyn Heide, Debbie Dalke, Malvina Schmidt, Tammy Flaming, Kim Franz, Debbie Helmer, Danita Funk, Joni Ensz, Beth Hiebert, Elizabeth Upton.

Carolyn Heide yells her heart out.



Tammy Flaming was kept active this year being an alternate for Varsity and Jr. Varsity squads.



B-team members create enthusiasm at HHS basketball game.

*Having Put  
Our All Into It*



Freshmen cheerleaders yell the basketball team on to victory.



Danita Funk, Debbie Helmer and Liz Upton, senior cheerleaders, always add a little "something" to the games.



Danita Funk stirs crowd support during a football game.



A-team shows off their physical abilities.



Kim Franz starts sideline chant.



Beth Hiebert and Joni Pankratz show their expertise in a two-man stunt.



The Trojan Varsity team had an outstanding year. They had a win-loss record of 17-5. The Trojans set a school record of 100 points against Peabody and went undefeated at home. One of the most exciting games of the year was when the Trojans beat Hesston, the #1 team in the state. Beating three of the teams that went to state tournament proved to their fans that the Trojans were a great team. They came within one game of going to the state tournament. Achieving the second-highest scoring in school history was another highlight of the season.

Seniors will have fond memories of their final high school basketball season. Doug Weinbrenner set three school records and was chosen for All-League and Honorable Mention—All-State. James Schroeder was chosen for Honorable Mention—All-League and tied the score record for one game.

## Trojans Have Outstanding Year



Left to Right: Fred Redekop, Garth Ediger, Jim Schroeder, Gary Christiansen, Loren Loewen, Lawrence Brenneman, Sheldon Klassen, Max Heinrichs, Kendall Unrau, Doug Weinbrenner, Lynn Kessler, and Jerold Heide.

HHS	Opponent	
77	Berean	50
45	Remington	44
71	Halstead	56
93	Fairfield	87
58	Moundridge	51
61	Hesston	60
100	Peabody	67
66	Inman	62
55	Garden Plain	50
56	Haven	58
59	Cheney	58
58	Remington	54
57	Halstead	56
79	Fairfield	85
31	Moundridge	84
61	Hesston	60
78	Marion	75
52	Peabody	39
47	Inman	67
61	Hesston	60
78	Marion	75
52	Peabody	39
47	Inman	67
61	Blue Stem	30
74	Marion	62
69	St. Mary's	79



The varsity team warms up before the game.



With "perfect" form, Doug Weinbrenner shoots for two.



Lynn Kessler reaches out for the ball.

## *We Laugh At Life It's Just A Game*



Sheldon Klassen waits anxiously to rebound the ball.



Fred Redekop, Jim Schroeder, and Lynn Kessler catch a breath while waiting for the game to resume.





Fred Redekop "hustles" with opponent while Max Heinrichs takes a shot.



Lawrence Brenneman makes a fast break down the court while Jim Schroeder and Fred Redekop follow close behind.



Team members make good use of the time-out to plan strategy.

*Win Or Lose  
It's All The Same*



Sheldon Klassen reaches up to tip the ball.



Fred Redekop shoots for two as Gary Christiansen and Lynn Kessler look on.



Loren Loewen shows his guarding ability against a Fairfield teammate.



Max Heinrichs puts up two for the Trojans.



Coach Jones and his favorite fan.



Lynn Kessler, Garth Ediger, and Jim Schroeder watch to see where the ball goes.



## JVs Win League For Second Year



Jerold Heide passes the ball to Wendell Funk.



Gary Christiansen concentrates as he dribbles the ball down the court.

### *We've Seen The Bottom*

The Trojan Junior Varsity team had a very successful year. Their season record of 15-3 reflects their victorious efforts. The Trojans won league for the second year in a row. The team put forth all their efforts and worked together well. Garth Ediger led the team in scoring and rebounding. Wendell Funk and Wade Wiebe were the most improved players on the team. According to some players, one of Coach Friesen's favorite sayings was, "If your head isn't in the game, neither is the rest of you." The players said that the coaching had a lot to do with the team winning.



Front row: Phillip Martin, Tom Beisel, Brad Abrahams, Lonnie Funk. Second row: David Suderman, Wendell Funk, Wade Wiebe, Rick Calam, Jeff Stotts.

HHS	Opponent	
68	Berean	61
55	Remington	39
49	Halstead	55
55	Fairfield	54
45	Moundridge	36
82	Hesston	78
51	Peabody	66
53	Inman	54
71	Halstead	59
71	Hesston	73
55	Remington	46
59	Halstead	53
56	Fairfield	46
68	Moundridge	49
64	Hesston	59
75	Marion	69
63	Peabody	45
68	Inman	48

## Frosh Team-Good To The Last Second

Glenn Suderman's freshman basketball team had a very competitive year. Most of the games were close and ended up in overtime. They had a win-loss record of 7-4. The freshmen placed second in the tournament and took third place in league. The team progressed throughout the season. Casey Hubble, Terry Frantz, and Kent Jost played to the best of their ability. There are some promising players who will be helping the Junior Varsity and Varsity squads next season.



Front row: Mark Rooker, manager, David Penner, Todd Jost, Mike Harms, Brian Weinbrenner, Gary Farquer, Tim Walter, and Glenn Suderman, coach. Second row: Gail Funk, Terry Frantz, Gene Regier, Kent Jost, Casey Hubble, Kevin Dalke, and Kim Wiens.

### *We're Now On Top*



David Penner looks for someone to pass the ball to.

HHS	Opponent	
46	Remington	51
60	Goessel	59
60	Halstead	56
53	Fairfield	38
43	Moundridge	48
46	Hesston	48
50	Peabody	39
51	Inman	39
69	Goessel	38
62	Halstead	41
49	Moundridge	53



Kent Jost looks for open man.



# Albrecht's Angels Take Third In State

Mr. Lee Albrecht's first year of coaching has proven that with alot of talent and a little bit of luck, you can go a long way. This year each member of the team worked to achieve an even better season than last year. The results of this hard work was a win-loss record of Varsity 20-5 and Jr. Varsity 10-5.



Leann Funk tries for two points.



Carla Calam shows her style.

*Don't give up*



Albrecht's Angels receive a plant from the City of Hillsboro.

The season brought many highlights. Among them was the winning of the Berean Invitational Tournament. Also this year the girls basketball team won sub-state and took third place in state.



Lynn Isaac reaches over her opponents head for a basket.

Gayle Klassen's attempt to score is foiled by opponent.



Front row: Michelle Helmer, Gayle Klassen, Lynn Isaac, Bev Just, and Debbie Ratzlaff. Second row: Sandy Funk, Eileen Funk manager, Carla Calam, Leann Funk, and Coach Albrecht.

The girls basketball team was working hard this year, and it paid off. They had a win-loss record of 20-5. Winning third place in the state tournament was the highlight of the season.

Since it was Coach Albrecht's first year, both he and the team had to work together and adjust. All of the team members strived for improvement. They evidently reached their goals, because Carla Calam was named for the All-State team.

With only five girls on the Junior Varsity, four of the Varsity girls helped out by playing a quarter of every game. This helped to pull all the girls together into one team. There was a strong bond among members that showed in their playing and helped them get to be one of the top teams in the state.

## Varsity



Dr. Robert C. Brown congratulates Coach Lee Albrecht.



Debbie Ratzlaff loosens up for the "Big Game."



Gayle Klassen concentrates on hitting the hoop.

*Don't ever stop*

HHS	Opponents	HHS	Opponents	
39	Berean	37	55	
48	Remington	40	35	
51	Fairfield	71	47	
72	Halstead	49	59	
41	Moundridge	47	55	
38	Hesston	33	46	
64	Peabody	34	44	
50	Remington	46	45	
60	Marion	39	45	
43	Goessel	34	41	
67	Hesston	61	49	
42	Halstead	40	50	
47	Fairfield	61		
			Inman	53
			Moundridge	29
			Hesston	51
			Marion	39
			Peabody	36
			Inman	43
			Alma	31
			St. Mary	43
			Bluestem	40
			Sabetha	38
			Lindsborg	57
			Yates Center	38





Front row: Michelle Helmer, Joni Pankratz, Gayle Klassen, and Lynn Isaac. Second row: Sandy Funk, Marlene Funk, Sherry Enns, Kelly Laubhan, and Coach Albrecht.

Although there were only a few girls on the Jr. Varsity basketball team, they made up with enthusiasm and a willingness to learn. The season win-loss record of 10-5 showed everyone what they could do. Some of the Varsity girls helped out in games because of the small number on the Jr. Varsity. This united the girls into one team instead of two.

HHS	Opponents	
34	Remington	41
34	Fairfield	30
41	Halstead	33
39	Moundridge	47
14	Hesston	26
54	Peabody	29
34	Remington	28
45	Halstead	33
36	Fairfield	25
40	Inman	35
26	Moundridge	30
21	Hesston	56
40	Marion	29
23	Peabody	8
48	Inman	35



Sandy Funk tries for another point.



Four points?

## Jr. V.



Sherri Enns dodges opponent.



Marlene Funk shoots as Kelly Laubhan watches.

*You see us win*



Sandy Funk and Kelly Laubhan move in for the rebound.



Sign shows students' support.



Marlene Funk and Shelley Helmer watch from the sidelines.

*You see defeat*



Coach Albrecht cheers for his team on!



Bev Just reaches for two points.



Marlene Funk tips off for Hillsboro.



Coach Albrecht discusses team strategy.



## Girls Tennis Team Expands



A team—First row—Lynn Isaac, Denise Feil, Shelley Helmer. Second row—Krista Pankratz, Joni Ensz, Marcia Reimer.



Carmen Schmidt concentrating on her hit.

Girls tennis had a big season for its third year. Fourteen girls were out for tennis which made it possible to have both A and B teams. The A-team showed improvement since last year with more playing experience. The B-team lacked experience but improved as the season progressed.

Denise Feil, senior, played number one singles, finishing with a 19-3 record. Krista Pankratz, senior, and Lynn Isaac, junior, played number one doubles with a record of 11-13. Denise, Krista, and Lynn went to state. Shelley Helmer, sophomore, played number two singles with a 6-13 record. Joni Ensz and Marcia Reimer, sophomores, played number two doubles ending with a 4-15 record. For the first time in Trojan history, the A-team won a 2nd place trophy at the last Circle Invitation at which eight schools participated.



B team—Dawn Lohrenz, Carla Jost, Denise Funk, Kay Bartel, Donna Funk, Bev Reimer, Carmen Schmidt, Melanie Kessler.

The B-team girls had four meets. Each girl was given a chance to play both singles and doubles because the B-team was used as a training ground for future A-team members.

*I Know This*



Denise Feil eyes the ball.



Joni Ensz and Marcia Reimer in action.



Denise Funk shows backhand form.



Shelley Helmer finishes her serve.

*Been Up That Street*



Melanie Kessler follows through on a forehand shot.



## Tennis Season Had It's Ups and Downs



Left to Right: Kevin Dalke, Loren Loewen, Tim Walters, Wendell Funk, Mark Janzen, Casey Hubble, Kim Weins, Not pictured: Todd Jost, Eric Jaderborg.

### *Pushing Ourselves*



Loren Loewen gets ready to serve.



Wendell Funk flashes a quick smile at the camera.



Casey Hubble showing tennis form?

### *To Unknown Limits*



Todd Jost works on his forehand.



Kim Weins and Kevin Dalke are ready for action.



Tim Walters gets ready to return the ball.



Mark Janzen practices his tennis skill.

Eric Jaderborg began his first year of tennis coaching with the Hillsboro team. The team lacked experience as there were only two returning lettermen. However, the younger players gained experience for next year's squad.

Loren Loewen played the number one singles position for the Trojans. Loren had a 10-7 record for the season. At number two singles was Wendell Funk. He recorded a 8-7 season. Playing number one doubles were Kim Weins and Tim Walters who produced a 2-11 record. Mark Janzen and Kevin Dalke completed the season with a 2-3 record. Casey Hubble and Todd Jost alternated throughout the season, each playing with different partners to gain in experience.



## Girls Track Team Shows Dedication



Joni Ensz strives for first.



Kim Franz runs hard in a 220-yard race.



Melanie Kessler runs the hurdles.

Despite a tough year the girls track team showed a lot of dedication and hard work. The team was mainly made up of underclassmen. Leading scorers for the Trojans were Marlene Funk with a score of 33, Kim Franz with a score of 31 $\frac{1}{4}$ , and Melanie Kessler with a score of 21. This was also Mrs. Dinsmore's first year at coaching. She was pleased with the effort the girls put forth at meets as well as at practices.



Coach Dinsmore and Joni Ensz relax before the next race.



Front: Melanie Kessler, Diane Penner, Carolyn Heide, Joni Ensz, Brenda Dinsmore, coach. Back: Kris Jantzen, Marlene Funk, Kim Franz, Eileen Funk, Diane Bedford.



Kim Franz relaxes after a hard track meet.



Kris Jantzen cheers on the girls track team.



Coach Dinsmore talks to Eileen Funk before she throws shot-put.

*All The Years*

*Will Seem Like  
Minutes*



## Track Team Small But Mighty

The boys track team consisted of mostly underclassmen, with only one senior on the team. The track team this year was small, yet they were determined to win in their individual events. Brad Neuenschwander, who was the only senior, worked on his discus to make it to regionals, and a hopeful state meet. Freshman Terry Frantz had a successful season running the 880-yard run in which he won firsts, seconds and thirds throughout the season. Although the team this year was young and inexperienced, Coach Penner felt that they all had outstanding potential.

Meet	Rank
Centre Quad	3rd
Lindsborg Invitational	11th
Berean Quad	3rd
Halstead	11th
Hillsboro	3rd
Marion Quad	4th
MKLSA	5th



First row: Phillip Martin, Doug Penner, Randy Ensz, managers, and Rick McMinn. Second row: Ryan Schroeder, Terry Frantz, David Penner, Mark Rooker, and Royce Penner. Third row: Dallas Jost, Brad Neuenschwander, Kent Jost, David Herbel, Tom Beisel, Joe Legg, and Merlin Funk. Fourth row: Coach Balzer, Keith Jost, James Schroeder, Garth Ediger, Sheldon Klassen, David Suderman, Elmer Mickey, and Coach Penner.

*All The Years Will  
Seem Like Minutes*



Sheldon Klassen leaps over hurdles.



Senior Brad Neuenschwander was voted Most Valuable Player by his teammates.



Ryan Schroeder relaxes between races.



Elmer Mickey pulls hard to win race.



David Penner snacks in-between events.



Left: Doug Penner and Coach Penner talk over strategy plans.





Left to right: Coach Jones, Greg Fiechtner, Bryan Weinbrenner, Jeff Stotts, Tim Brennan, Jay Schroeder, Mike Albrecht, Brad Abrahams and Mike Harms.



Mike watches with a concerned look.

Tim Brennan, Brad Abrahams and Jeff Stotts earned their way to the State meet at Hesston. The other players showed much promise for future years.



Jay Schroeder tees off

*Doing All-*

## GOLF



Brad Abrahams and Jeff Stotts are real "swinging" guys.

Place held  
Hillsboro  
Remington  
Herington  
Hesston  
Centre  
Osage City  
Marion  
MKL (Hesston)  
Regionals (Ellsworth)  
State (Hesston)

Placing  
4-man—3rd  
4-man—3rd  
4-man—2nd  
4-man—2nd  
6-man—2nd  
4-man—3rd  
4-man—1st  
4-man—2nd  
4-man—3rd  
4-man—4th



Will a smile help Tim's golf game?



Mike and Tim practice to perfection.

*That I Can*



## VOLLEYBALL

Although the makings for intramural volleyball teams didn't get off the ground last year, there were a total of six fired-up teams this year. The teams were a combination of both boys and girls so it wasn't a battle between the sexes—just to be number one. And the Super Six did just that, followed by the Six Desperado's, who finished in second place.

Glenn Suderman was the coordinator for the intramural activities this year. When asked whether or not he enjoyed this position he said, "Yea, it's fun, but it can really get crazy sometimes."

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Left to Right: Kevin Dalke, Jan Wiebe, Janet Herbel, Emmie Neuenschwander, Gene Regier, Tim Walter.



Left to Right: Brad Abrahams, Shelley Helmer, Terry Frantz, Kim Franz, Merrill Brandt, Carmen Schmidt.



Tim Brennan gives his fans a cheesy grin.



Front: David Penner, Mark Rooker, Ryan Schroeder. Back: Shelley Friesen, Marcia Reimer, Carolyn Heide.



Left to Right: Kay Bartel, Mike Albrecht, Bev Reimer.

## INTRAMURALS: Monday Night's Main Attraction



Team members give all they've got in a fight for the ball.



Brent Barkman watches closely for a way out.



Glenn Suderman reviews the rules of the game.

## BASKETBALL

Monday nights in the Hillsboro High School gym were definitely not dull when the basketball intramural teams stepped out onto the court. There were five boy's teams and two girl's teams. In the tournaments, Marcia Reimer's team played Rick Shriver's team for consolation. Playing for first and second place were Brad Neuenschwander's team and Tim Brennan's team. Consolation went to Rick Shriver's team, second place to Tim Brennan's team and first place went to Brad Neuenschwander's team.



Krista Pankratz tries to stop Brent Barkman from scoring.



Krista Pankratz shows the other team what they're up against.





Highlights of the spring of 1979 included such events as the nuclear accident at Three-mile Island and the arrival of peace between Egypt and Israel which brought a thirty-year war to an end. Rising gas prices affected everyone, including those who usually spent many nights cruising around. On the lighter side of things, Thursday night came to be no ordinary night with Mork "Nanu-ing" his way into everyone's living room on "Mork and Mindy." Favorite movies included: Superman, Love at First Bite, Midnight Express, and Halloween. Rock concerts were very popular among high school students, with a variety of groups coming to Wichita. The Boston concert was a sell-out; the Doobie Brothers, David Gates and Bread, Head East and Billy Joel also brought large crowds.

The 1978-79 school year came to a close with the Junior-Senior Banquet, the Sports Banquet and the Talent Show. All Juniors and Seniors seemed to enjoy the first prom at Hillsboro High School which featured a Disc Jockey and light show. Along with these events and the coming of spring came the realization that another school year was about to end. For some this brought signs of relief and fun-filled plans for summer, but for others it meant making important decisions for future careers.



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