

Above: Bobby Joe Jackson runs for valuable yardage. Right: Central kicks the opening kickoff to start the game.



Junior Varsity ends season with a 1-2-1 slate

People may look at this year's junior varsity record of 1-2-1 as unimpressive. These people don't realize that this year's varsity team had nearly the same record as a junior varsity team.

The junior varsity, under the coaching of Tom Gher, tied their first game with Decatur McArthur 6-6. The junior varsity gridders then lost two games in a row. The first loss was to Decatur Eisenhower with a score of 31-21 and the second to Danville with a 12-6 loss. The game with Bloomington that was scheduled to be played on October 13 was postponed until October 27 due to bad weather. The J.V.'s went into the game winless and came out with a 14-0 margin.

The first two losses were attributed to the difficulty of co-ordinating the offense and defense. The final victory gives promise for a successful varsity squad next fall.

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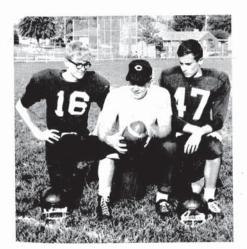
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| 6 | MacArthur | 6 |
| 21 | Eisenhower | 31 |
| 6 | Danville | 12 |
| 14 | Bloomington | 0 |

Sophomore Maroons register perfect season



SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL: FRONT ROW: David Gentille, Benny Brown, Jim Petry, John Pepple, Steve Marikos, Eric Hinds, John Huston, Matthew Woodhead. SECOND ROW: Coach Gene Ward, Chase Leonhard, Andy Dixon, Ken Bode, Greg Massanari, Pat Murray, Gary Berger, John Kinnamon, Jack Moore, Steve Due, Dan Pryor, Mike Sullivan, Coach Don Pittman. THIRD Row: Manager—Steve Malloch,

Billy Bridges, Mike VanMetre, Dennis Cox, Thurman Williams, Clay Robinson, Mark Stevens, Tom Stevart, Tom Lessaris, Dennis Johnson, Ted Miles, Mike Ashby, Rick Hardyman, Manager – Frank DeAtley, FOURTH ROW: Jeff Morrill, Terry Jones, Todd Tennant, Mike Kelly, Mark Galbreath, Gary Gaither, Dan Welch, Randy Burwell, Mike Leeds, Tim Sheahan, Chris Hunker.



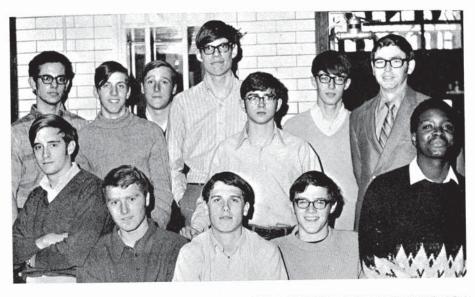
The Sophomore football team gave Central its first undefeated season this year with a 7-0 record. Under the coaching of Gene Ward and Don Pittman, the sophomore football squad gained valuable experience and will certainly help next year's varsity and J.V. teams. It was the first undefeated season for the sophomores since the high schools divided.

The sophomores followed the varsity squad in beating Urbana twice during the season. In the season finale the sophomores beat Decatur 35-0.

The statistics show how good the team was. In the seven games they scored 231 points to the opponents 38. The rushing was an average of 203.6 yards a game for a total of 1,425. The passing averaged 116.4 yards a game for a total 815 yards.

Mark Stevens, Andy Dixon, and Mike Sullivan proved to be the top players and leaders of the team. Andy Dixon led all scorers for a total of 60 points. Mark Stevens passed for 23 completions, and Mike Sullivan led punt returns with a total of 7. Clay Robinson added 22 extra point kicks for the season.

Sophomore quarterbacks Mark Stevens and Tom Stewart discuss the ups and downs of their highly successful season with Coach Ward.



CROSS COUNTRY: FRONT ROW: Charles Wilson, Dennis Horn, Jim Bright, Marc Cutright, Corey Davis. BACK ROW: George Kelley, John

Cobble, Jim Cobb, Pete Nast, Jim Speiser, Robert Scherer, Coach Fred Schooley.

Lettermen Cutright and LaFoe lead harriers

The 1969 cross-country team tried hard to improve over last year's season. Although the team missed running .500 as they ended up with a 3-4 dual meet record for the season, the Maroons captured third in the conference and district meets.

The team was led by senior lettermen Marc Cutright and Terry LaFoe. The other senior lettermen that contributed to the team effort were Jim Bright, Dennis Horn, Pete Nast, Charles Wilson, and Alan Yordy.

The season had a couple of high points as the harriers captured first place out of an eighteen team field in the Crete Monne Invitational. Captain Marc Cutright led the Maroons with a second place finish. Coach Schooley's runners also ran to a sixth place finish in the Paris Relays.

| MAROONS | | 46 | OP | PONENTS |
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| | | - | ٠. | 39 |
| 20 | Rantoul | | | -577 |
| 30 | Urbana | | | 27 |
| 35 | Danville | | | 24 |
| 26 | Bloomington | | | 30 |
| 19 | Rantoul | | * | 37 |
| 55 | Mattoon | | 100 | 26 |
| 55 | Decatur | | | 52 |
| 29 | Urbana | | | 27 |
| | Conference | | 3rd place | |
| | District | | 3rd place | |



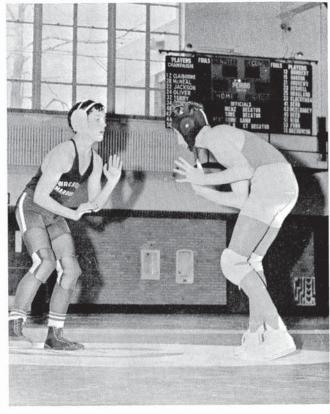
Above: Terry LaFoe, Marc Cutright, Jim Speiser and Coach Fred Schooley proudly display the first place trophy that the cross-country team won in the Crete Monee Invitational meet.

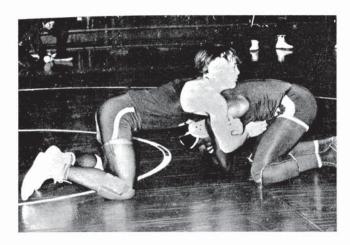
Below: Maroon cross-country runners in action. Barefoot runners Marc Cutright, Terry LaFoe, and Dennis Horn try their best to place well in one of the many grueling cross-country meets.





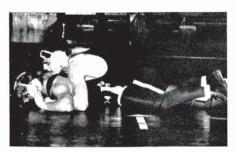


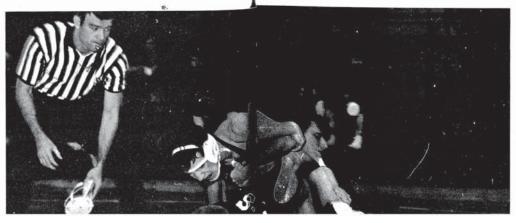




LEFT: Mike O'Connor captures control of his foe from St. Joo Ogden, to gain two points. LEFT ABOVE: Bruce Mast carefully begins his junior varsity match as the starting whistle blows. BELOW: John Diefenbaugh battles to get behind his struggling adversary. RIGHT: Ben Brown rides his Danville counterpart to gain three points toward another Maroon victory.

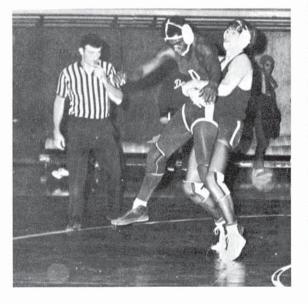
Skill, strategy help to build success



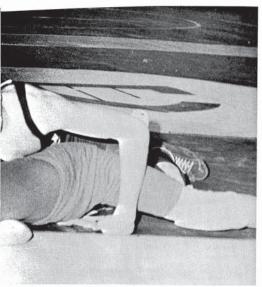


Champaign's matmen sweated off pounds while building the season this year with a 8-3 record for dual meets. The squad practiced hard while they worked off pounds and replaced them with skill and strategy of wrestling. The superb coaching of Don Pittman and his assistants led the team to their record of this season.

Next year's team will be at loss without seniors John Diefenbaugh, Dave Ashby, Zane Zeigler, Mike O'Connor, Mike Petry and Terry Mast. This year's underclassmen will be the keymen to the success of next year's squad. Andy Warner, Tom Murray, Dan Starwalt, Richard Foley and Steve Fernandez will be a few of the keymen for next year's season. With hard work the team overcame many obstacles to maintain the successful record that they inherited from last year's 7-5-1 record.



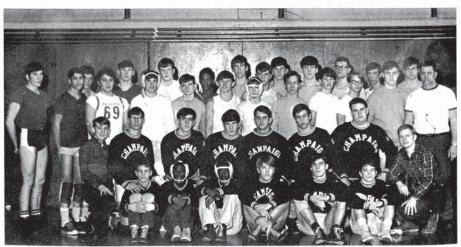




FAR LEFT ABOVE: Jerry Sims lifts his Danville opponent. ABOVE: John Calcagno skillfully controls his helpless Mattoon opponent. LEFT BE-LOW: Dave Thomas pins his Mattoon opponent.

WRESTLERS: FIRST ROW: Andy Warner, Ron Lewis, Gawaine Perkins, Dan Starwalt, Mike O'Conner, Benny Brown. SECOND ROW: Tim Gillis, Rich Foley, John Diefenbaugh, Tom Murray, Dave Ashby, Greg Massaneri, Zane Ziegler, Rick Schonert. THIRD ROW: Tim Murray, John Calcagno, Steve Fernandez, Jim Petry, John Walsh, Terry

Mast, Bruce Mast, Chris Hunker, Rex Richardson, Rick Englehardt, Randy Burwell, Coach Don Pittman. FOURTH ROW: Dan Graham, Rick Clevenger, Jack Moore, Dennis Stratton, Dan Pryor, Mike Ashby, Pat Murray, Mike Kelly, Mark Douglas, Nick Kelly, John Kinnamon.



Wrestlers look forward to district meet

| Central | | Opponent | 2nd | C.H.S. Quadrangular | |
|---------|---------------------|----------|-----|---------------------|----|
| 1st | C.H.S. Quadrangular | | 7 | MacArthur | |
| 31 | Unity | | 13 | St. Decatur | 44 |
| 25 | Rantoul | 24 | 38 | | 34 |
| 37 | Fisher | 9 | | Mattoon | 16 |
| 37 | Danville | | 37 | Eisenhower | 9 |
| 36 | 75.707.007 | 10 | 7th | Conference | |
| | Urbana | 12 | 4th | District | |
| 25 | Lincoln | 16 | | | |
| 6 | Bloomington | 40 | | | |
| | Granite City Tourn. | 073 | | | |



Cagers reach climax with win over Centennial

Coach Lee Cabutti's cagers had a rather poor numerical slate this past season in comparison with preceding seasons. The Maroons had a 13-14 record for the season.

The cagers laid a sound foundation for next year. This past season began with an unskilled team and ended with a team skilled and ready to be one of the toughest squads in the state next year.

CCHS took a first in the Turkey Classic Tournament and a

third in the Centralia Holiday Tournament during their season,

The Maroons took second at the Regional Tournament to end play.

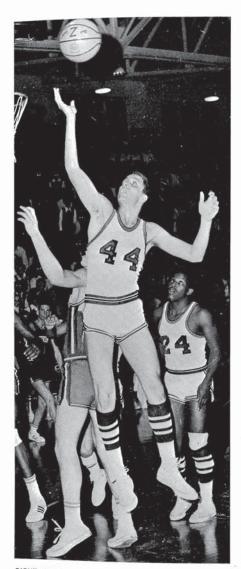
One of the highlights of the year was the CCHS vs. Centennial game with a score of 55-49.

The '69-'70 season was a season filled with great enthusiasm from the crowds. If next year's team is supported like this year's, we are bound to have a magnificent season.



LEFT TO RIGHT: FIRST ROW: Bobby Joe Jackson, Willie Claiborne, Ron Oliver. SECOND ROW: Mike Porter, Ken Bode, Jessie McNeal, Coach Lee Cabutti, Artice James, Steve Due, Bob Britton. THIRD

ROW: William Newborn, Mac Turner, Mark Stevens, Coach Charlie Due, Doug Allen, Tom Geissler, Ronnie Terry.



RIGHT: Willie Claiborne battles to maintain control of the ball. ABOVE: The Lincoln game was filled with action. Senior Doug Allen jumps for a rebound during the first quarter.



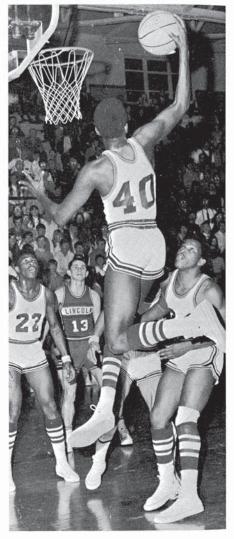
ABOVE: Tom Geissler prepares strategy with Coach Cabutti before going into action during the Urbana game.



VARSITY SCOREBOARD

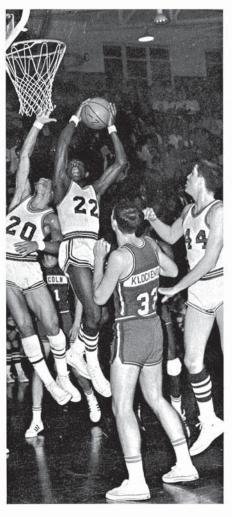
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| 47 | Rantoul | 43 |
| 61 | Springfield | 52 |
| 52 | Salem | 50 |
| 45 | Lincoln | 59 |
| 59 | Danville | 46 |
| 60 | Decatur | 63 |
| 22 | Urbana | 43 |
| 42 | Bloomington | 52 |
| 72 | Mattoon | 61 |
| 41 | Lincoln | 56 |
| 53 | Danville | 59 |
| 60 | Decatur-MacArthur | 62 |
| 2 | Decatur | 0 |
| 60 | Batavia | 47 |
| 35 | Urbana | 50 |
| 42 | Mattoon | 67 |
| 39 | Bloomington | 40 |
| 44 | Springfield | 46 |
| 1st | Turkey Classic Tournament | |
| | at Blue Island- H. L. Richards | H. S. |
| 3rd | Centralia Holiday Tournament | |
| 2nd | Regional Tournament | |





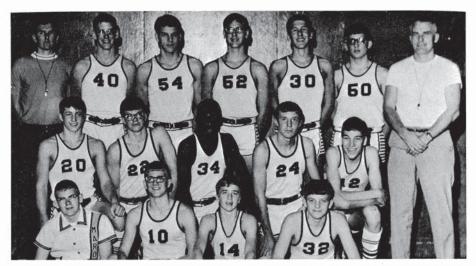
ABOVE: Mack Turner goes in for a layup during the Lincoln game. LEFT: Bobby Jo Jackson is caught in the act of shooting.





LEFT: Ron Oliver catches a pass while closely guarded by Danville defense. ABOVE: Bobby Joe Jackson and Jesse McNeil battle for control of a Maroon rebound during the Central-Lincoln game.

Sophomores brighten prospects with record



Coach Charlie Due's sophomore cagers brought hopes for next season's success. The team ended their year with a 19-4 season slate.

The team was led by Gary Gaither, Andy Dixon, Steve Due, Ken Bode and Mark Stevens.

With a squad like this coming up, the season to come will be a great asset to Central's record.



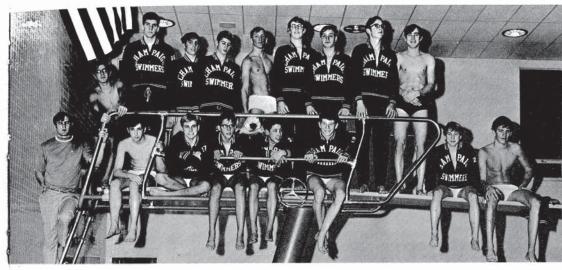
SOPHOMORE CAGERS: FIRST ROW: Robert Britton, Mark Stevens, Andy Beach, Eric Hinds. SECOND ROW: Andy Dixon, Mike Sullivan, Jim McFarland, Dan Welch, Kent Seaman. THIRD ROW: Student Teacher Jim Jost, Steve Due, Ken Bode, Gary Gaither, Jim Cantrell, Tom Lessaris, Coach Charlie Due.

SOPHOMORE SCOREBOARD

| CCHS | | | OPPONENT |
|------|------------------|-----|----------|
| 56 | Rantoul | | 44 |
| 52 | Springfield | | 41 |
| 44 | Salem | | 36 |
| 52 | Lincoln | | 41 |
| 45 | Danville | 160 | 34 |
| 62 | Decatur | 20 | 40 |
| 62 | Urbana | | 37 |
| 63 | Bloomington | | 30 |
| 48 | Mattoon | | 52 |
| 49 | Lincoln | | 46 |
| 43 | Danville | | 45 |
| 43 | Macarthur | | 33 |
| 62 | Decatur | | 48 |
| 50 | Batavia | | 39 |
| 80 | Urbana | | 40 |
| 51 | Mattoon | | 54 |
| 55 | Bloomington | | 38 |
| 69 | Springfield | | 59 |
| 55 | Hillcrest | 1.0 | 45 |
| 37 | Lockport Central | | 43 |
| 52 | Schlarman | | 37 |
| 60 | Gibson City | | 37 |
| 51 | Oakwood | | 44 |
| | | | |

Left: Gary Gaither and Ken Bode look on after a referee's call.

Tankmen continue to build a sturdy foundation



SWIMMERS: FIRST ROW: Coach Trigger, Kevin Corbett, Jack Watson, Tim Wilson, David Keeling, Don Barry, Don Delbert. SECOND ROW: Tim Beaulin, Doug Wilson, Peter Skaperdas, Bill Johnson, Rich Lore, Dave Henderson, Steve Hays, Jeff Arvidson, Brad Arvidson.

In his first year as swim coach, Jeff Trigger led a season in which the Maroon tankers had a chance to build themselves up. The tankers strived to set new marks with senior lettermen Don Delbert and Jeff Arvidson leading this year's squad. Next year's team will be led by upcoming underclassmen Rich Lore, Steve Hays, Doug Wilson, Clayton Pope, Pete Skaperdas, Brad Arvidson and other qualified tankers. The team finished a 3-7 dual competition looking forward to next season.



SWIMMING SCOREBOARD

| CCHS | | OPPONENT |
|------|-------------------------|----------|
| 20 | Danville | 75 |
| 35 | Springfield | 60 |
| 52 | Urbana | 43 |
| 45 | Bloomington | 50 |
| 53 | Springfield South East | 43 |
| 15 | Danville | 80 |
| 31 | Urbana | 64 |
| 43 | Bloomington | 52 |
| 24 | Normal Community | 71 |
| 43 | Normal U, High | 52 |
| 7th | Centennial Invitational | |
| 6th | Kankakee Invitational | |
| 5th | Conference | |
| 6th | District | |

Clayton Pope touches and begins his turn during his backstroke,

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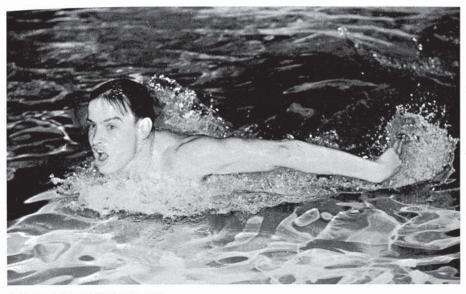


D. Berry leads divers in strong building year.



ABOVE: Don Barry begins his dive with a smooth approach, BELOW: Steve Havs stretches for water at the start of a race.



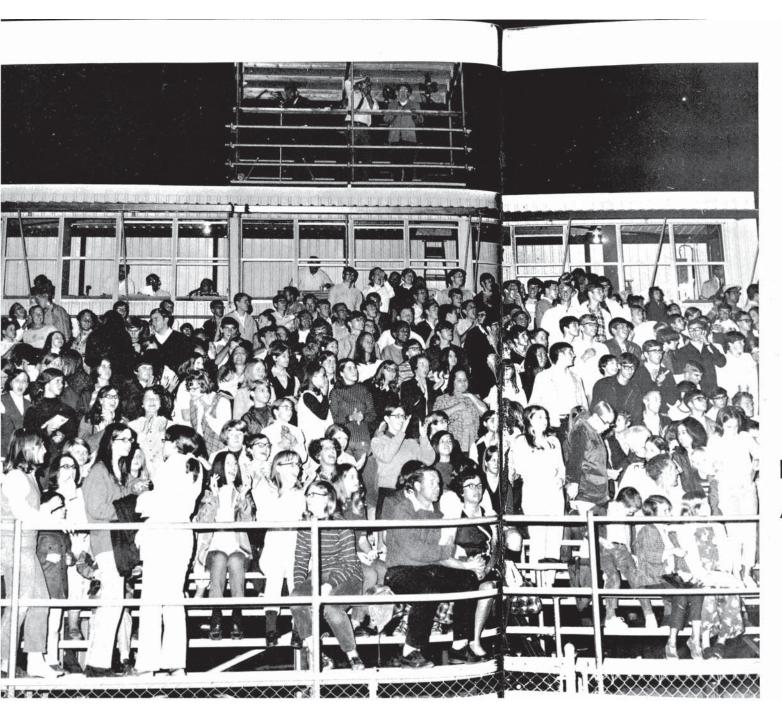


Steve Hays shows his powerful stroke in the butterfly.

Swimmers improve during 69-70 season

In lanes 5 and 6, Don Delbert and Dave Keeling begin the freestyle event in the win against Springfield Southeast.





People

A Time To Become



The enthusiasm and high hopes of the sophomores were reflected in their selection of class officers: Diane Talbott, secretary; Sue Haley,

treasurer; Marc Galbreath, vice-president; and Tim Leonberger, president.

Sophomores receive welcome from CCHS.



Summer ends and high school begins with registration day.

The Sophomores soon . . .

- ... tried to adapt to 70 minute classes
- ... learned the traditions of CCHS
- . . . devoured 5,000 ice cream sandwiches
- ... wished for an elevator to third fooor
- ... forgot the sixth hour schedule
- ... enthusiastically supported their team
- . . . became involved in class competition
- ... formed new friendships
- ... were proud to be the new Maroons



Patricia Abel Bruce Adams Patty Alblinger Karen Alexander Arnold Allen Mary Allen Brenda Anderson

Vicky Anderson Sandy Arbuckle Tracy Armstrong Gail Arnsdorf Mike Ashby Sharon Bailey Autumn Baker

Robin Baldus Tom Barbercheck Katie Barenberg John Barham Linda Batstone Andy Beach Ron Beldon

Susan Benn Gary Berger Denise Bian Anne Blackmon Ave Blackwell Carol Blackwell Jackie Blue

Ken Bode Richard Bogan Barbara Bonnell Debra Bradley Teresa Brewer Bill Bridges Chuck Bright

Robert Britton Wynemia Brize Karl Broadrick Becky Brown Benny Brown Chester Brown John Brown

Paul Brown Tom Brown Vicky Brown John Bruns Pearl Buchanan Sue Buffington Bob Burke

Sandy Burnett Kathy Burtis Randy Burwell Scott Byerly Debbie Campbell Linda Campbell Lettie Canaday

Jim Cantrell Steve Carns Chris Carr Debbi Carr Patricia Carter Otis Chambers Karen Christie

Marilyn Clapp Vivian Clark John Cobble Rose Cobbs Ruth Coggins Jenny Cole Carline Conner Eugene Cook Bonnie Coon Kevin Corbett Mary Ann Costley Sara Cottrell Dennis Cox

Cheryl Crabtree Patricia Cross Mike Cruzan Pam Cummings Deborah Cutright Brenda Davis

Carlita Davis Corey Davis Nora Davis Frank DeAtley Ronda Dees Nanci Delmore

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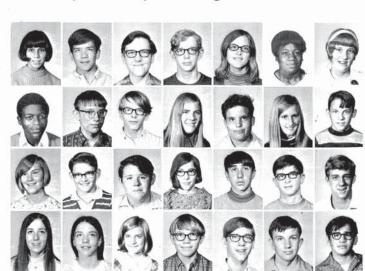
Students find ways of expressing themselves

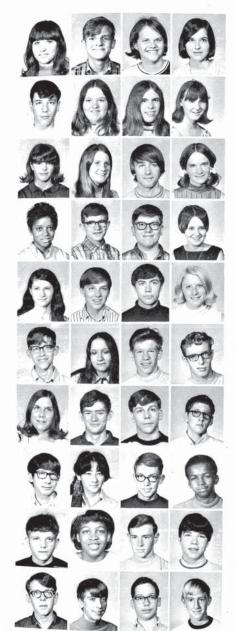
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Jody Francis Teresa Francis Joan Frisbee Marty Frith Gary Gaither Mark Galbreath Michael Gardner





Rita Garrett Alan Garth Cindy Gates Susan Gaumer David Gentille Linda Gherr Susan Gelvin

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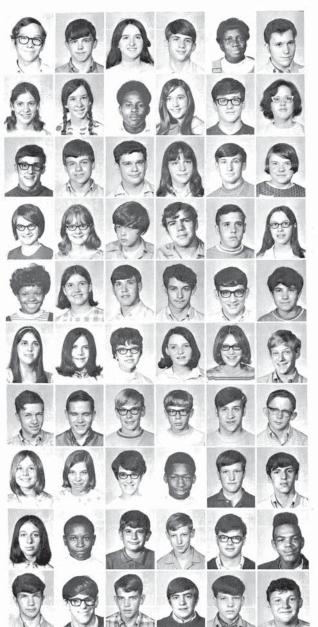
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Steve Holy Mike Hosier Charles Huber Glenn Hummel



Roland says, "But what can I say?"



Chris Hunker John Huston Debbie Jackson Bill Johnson Debbi Johnson Dennis Johnson

Laurie Johnson Becky Jones Terry Jones Ann Kaczkowski Mike Kelly Paula Kesler

Paul Kimpton John Kinnamon Thomas Kinsel Betsy Kirby Robert Kmetz Mary Knoke

Nancy Krolick Carol Langdon Eric Langebartel Joe Laughlin Mike Leeds Mary Leming

Shirley Lenoir Mary Leonberger Tim Leonberger Chase Leonard Tom Lessaris Ethan Levine

Jerri Lingher LuAnne Lippold Sharon Lofton Karen Lowry Sheila Lowry Casey Machula

Steve Malloch Mike Manwaring Steve Marikos Richard Martin Greg Massanari Bruce Mast

Ann McCulley Susie McDonald Vickie McDonald James McFarland Kevin McGill Mike McKinney

Linda McMahon Charles McMullen Ken McWethy Mike Melvin Ted Miles Harold Miller

Tom Miller William Miller Charles Millis Richard Mingee Travis Mingee Kurt Mitchell



Spirits are high and glasses are raised as sophomores celebrate with song and pizza after their first victorious Friday night game.

Sophomores have their fun on Friday night

Don Moehlenkamp Jack Moore Sherry Moore Bill Moore Mike Moran Cindy Morgan Pat Morgan

Sandy Morgan Jeff Morrill Sherry Moss Rose Moyer Ellen Mulcahey Rick Mullen Mary Munhall

Pat Murray Patricia Musson Julie Nachtmann Bob Nadarski Traci Nally David Neff Jerry Nelson

Carol Newman Debbie Norwood Bobby Orwick Janet Osterman Nancy Paterson Wilma Peat Connie Pece

John Pepple Nancy Peshkin Jeff Peterson Jim Petry Diana Phelps Larry Phelps Danny Phillips

Deborah Phillips Roland Phillips John Pingry Mark Pittman Becky Plotner Vincent Powell Patti Primmer



Larry Prough Deborah Pruett Terry Pruett Dan Pryor Tonya Rasner Jackie Rawdin N. P. Ray

Bonnie Reed Anita Reifsteck Judy Reis Christin Render William Render Rex Richardson Penny Riddell

Jack Roberts
Debbie Robertson
Clay Robinson
Steve Rogers
Sheila Rominger
Earl Roppel
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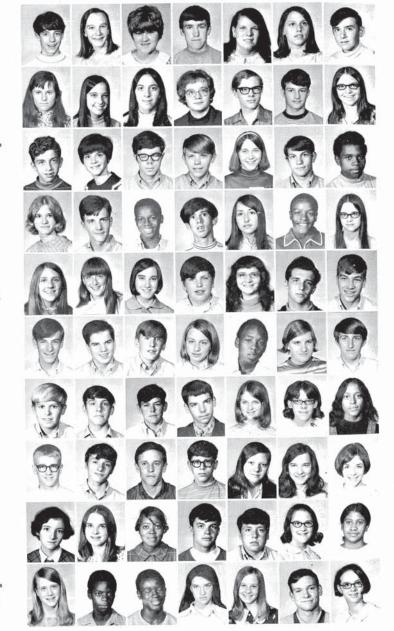
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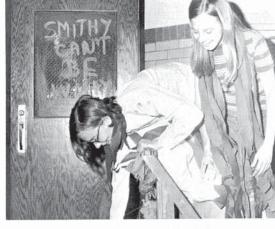
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Alice Stucker Marilyn Stuff Juanita Stroud Mike Sullivan Tom Swift Diane Talbott Donna Tanner

Melinda Tate Melvin Terry Leonard Thomas Kathy Tufte Linda Valentine Mike VanMatre Susie Vaughn







Looks like Susie Vaughn and Linda Valentine are a little carried away with decorating the halls for Beat Urbana Week.

What teacher wouldn't want the concentration of Jim Haig?

Changes appear as old and new interests merge



Georgia Vriner Bill Wade Nancy Walker Terry Wallace John Walsh Bruce Warren

David Warren Vickie Warren Tim Wassom Ken Watson Marilyn Webber Dan Welch

John Weldon Pat Wells Greg West Richard Whitton LuAnne Widloski Bonita Williams

Cheryl Williams Thurman Williams Rick Willms Jim Wilsky Kathy Wilson Robert Wilson

Tim Wilson Matthew Woodhead Danny Woods Patty Worden Jim Wright Diana York



The statue in the park takes on added charm when visited by the junior class officers Peggy Schroeder, secretary; Nikki Broadrick, treasurer; Liz

Kelley, president; and Cindy Widloski, vice-president.

Juniors become involved in a variety of activities



These Juniors had . . . the ingenuity to

- . . . the ingenuity to steal the senior bench
- . . , the energy to paint curbs and sell magazines
- ... the courage to face the PSAT and ACT
- . , , a hunger for post-game pizza
- . . . miles of fun with a driver's license
- . . . the best decorated car at Homecoming
- . . . countless hours of studying
- . . . committees, committees, committees
- ... time to look to the future.

With stars like these to back the team, how can they lose?



Cindy Abbott Cathy Abolt Cheri Adkins Kathya Alexander Vickie Alkire Candy Allen James Allen

Robin Amsbary Dave Anderson Cyndi Andert Steve Applegate Brad Arvidson Peggy Atkins David Atwood

John Ayers Steve Ayers Karen Bailey Gloria Baker Pam Baker Jeff Baldwin Calvin Banks

Cathy Barbercheck Susann Barker Myrna Barr Rich Barrett Don Barry Mary Bartholomew Mike Bartko

Sue Basler Cathy Bayne Tim Beaulin David Becker Carolyn Beckett Janet Bennett Jessie Bigham

Jan Birge Bob Blackwell Bonnie Blaford Janice Blair Debbie Bloomer Paul Bluhm Steve Bode

Mike Bodecker Ken Bradley Faith Bresnan Julie Bridges Nikki Broadrick Jack Brosius Gary Brown

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