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We've Always Had It; We Always Will

Registration dates in the *Times Virginian* — the annual and often unwelcomed reminder that another school year is about to begin. Opening day is a mixture of butterflies and excitement. New Freshmen get misplaced and misdirected. Still, they aren't likely to be much later to homeroom than upperclassmen caught up in a whirlwind of first day "Hello's." Within three days all classes have attended the "Handbook Assembly," the main thrust of which seems to be "No Gum Chewing!" And the year is officially launched, Appomattox Style.

As fall approaches, our weeks are punctuated by sporting events, the climax being Friday night football.

Homecoming week allows ACHS to show its true colors as we don hats and dress like Fonzie. Homecoming also means the thrill of class rivalry as we jockey for first place in spirit competitions.

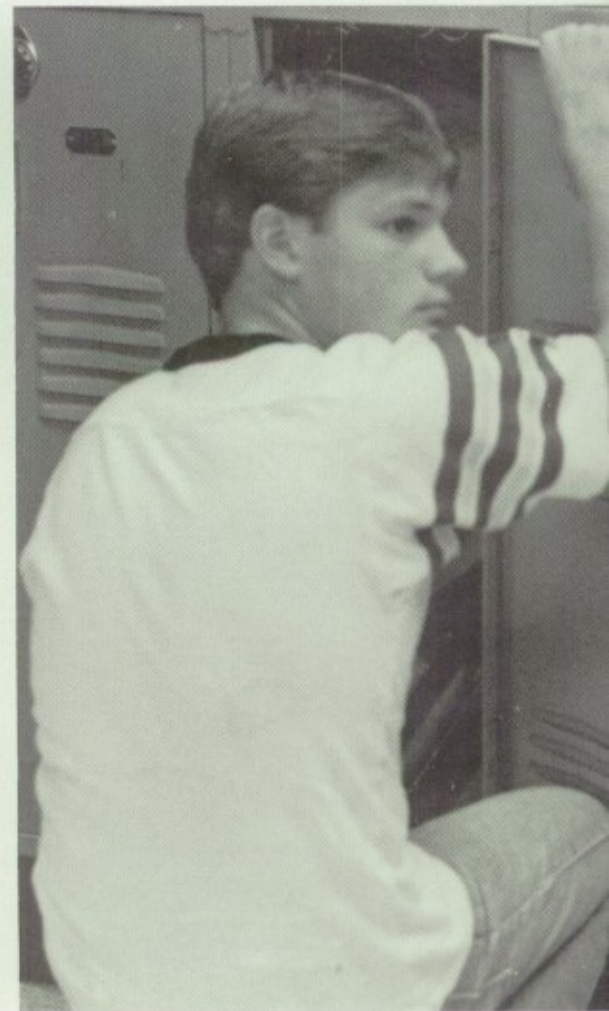
Railroad Day, the annual community event, also involves many ACHS'ers. It serves us faithfully as a weekend ideal for money-making, hard work, and entertainment.

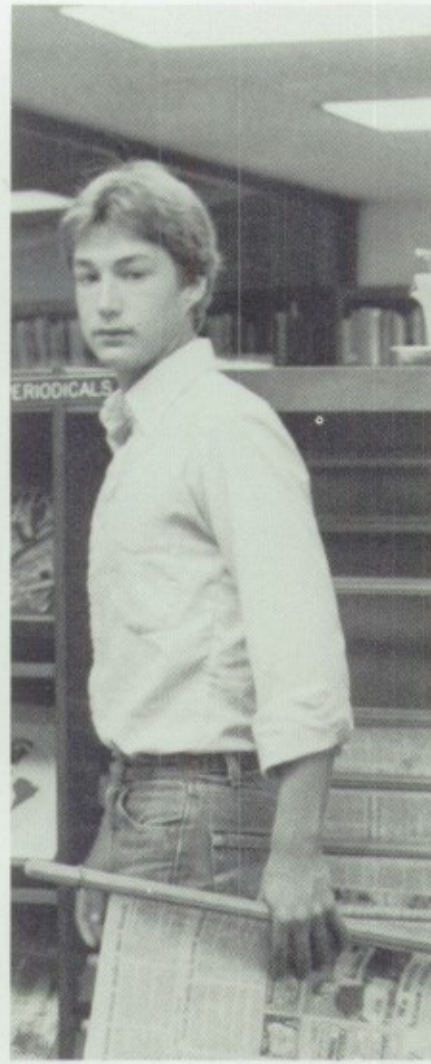
Following the fall festivities, we can count on a period of serious "digging in" as our first major tests begin and six weeks' projects come due. For weeks the Pre-winter . . .

An intensely interested Patty Roach listens as Terri Nash dreams aloud.

Laura Magann, Tommie Robinson & Tambra Hamlett make their debut.

An eye catching incident in the locker alcove distracts Billy Caldwell.





... routine is broken only by the occasional fire drill, mandated by some safety code somewhere (Is it also mandated that they must occur during a unit test, a gym shower, or the most crucial point of a chemistry experiment?) Another "Old Faithful" of this time is good old school picture day.

As the year progresses, our "own thing" becomes more and more "the thing." Many pursue a favorite local hobby, hunting. Club activities also gear up as the Drama Club works on its first annual production. (This year, December's **Portrait of Jennie**.) The Band and Chorus diligently prepare for concerts. (Again, December brought us a special treat as the chorus, band, drama, and home ec. departments combined to give us Appomattox's first **Renaissance Christmas Dinner**.)

As always, Christmas finds ACHS clubs preparing baskets for the needy. Early dismissals set records as students rush to finish up last minute shopping. And the day before Christmas vacation is always highlighted by the Christmas assembly. Santa even visits some "good children" early as gifts are exchanged among friends . . .



Jennie
 Stage Manager - Richard Coover
 Assistant Director - Dan Pitsenberger
 Publicity Director/Scene Designer -
 Donna Layne
 Technician - Carl Jacobs
 M.C.'s
 Mike Knight
 Terry Nash
 Richard Coover
 Connie Krantz
 Lorraine Brennan
 Ben Martin
 Kelly Brown
 Maureen O'Donnell
 Charles Fahr
 Pat. Roach

Please Sign up
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The Varsity Raiders, Appomattox's most faithful fans.

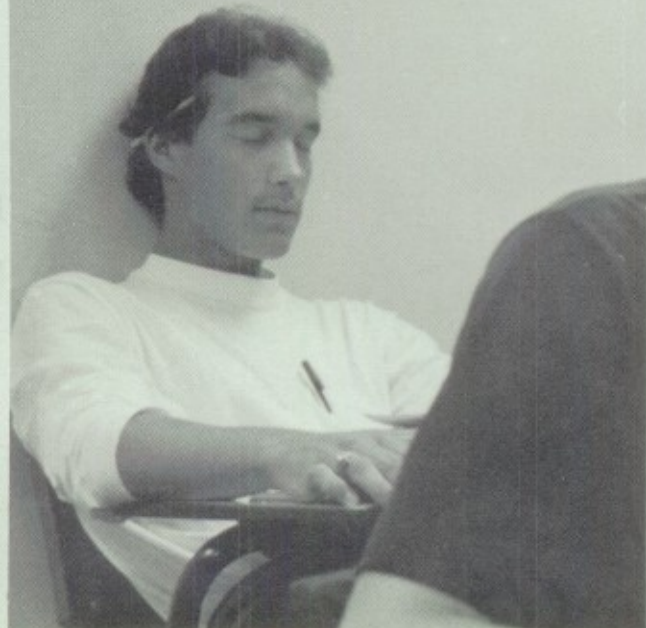
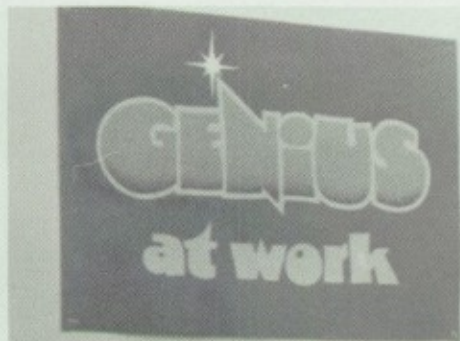
A yearbook camera catches M.J. House taking a break with the daily news.

There is always one ACHS'er like Sandra Doss, catching a few winks on a Monday.

Kristie Mitchell scans the results of play try-outs.

Mike Williams demonstrates a literary device-paradox.

Tom Cobb, Ron Guill, Tony Mann & Kinckle Robinson try their hand at a love letter.



... Always

... New Year's parties precede us back-to-school. As usual, a few of us forget our locker combinations and otherwise find it hard to get back in the swing. But just as many of us are setting to work on New Year's resolutions and we hit the books to prepare for semester exams.

Second semester finds a lot of us a bit less likely to jump out of bed and into the shower as soon as the alarm sounds. Instead, we lie and await WTTX's, "No school in Appomattox today." Nice, but winter snows also mark the time to begin work on the dreaded "term paper."

"Spring Fever" begins early. Students seize their chance to shine in sports, while the Brookville-Appomattox rivalry makes itself felt at the **District One-Act Play Festival**. The never ceasing complaints about science fair projects and too much homework are invariably heard as students become tired of spending too much time at school, and **April Fool's Day** is forever the boost everyone needs, even if it's just the "Your shoe is untied" line.

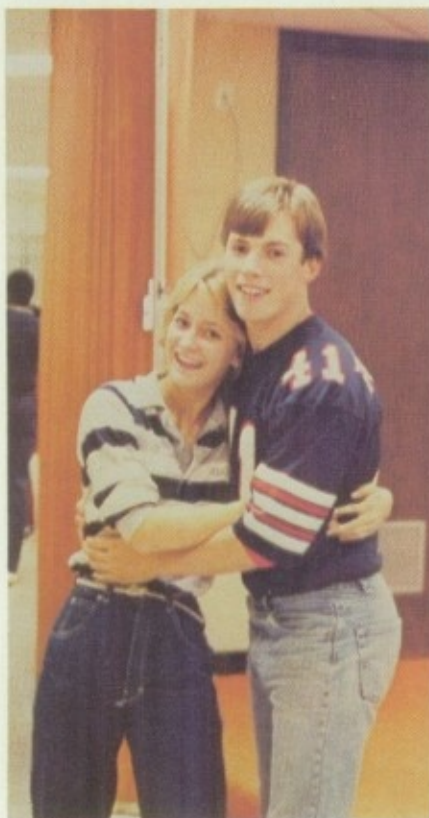
The prom and yearbook signing are traditions, too, that go on and on. All year, every year ...



Sharon Davis keeps Garfield as a reminder she's not the only one who hates Monday.

Heather Williams & Jay Wingfield demonstrate Homecoming spirit.

Chemistry lab claims the attention of Susan Morris and Renee Wells.





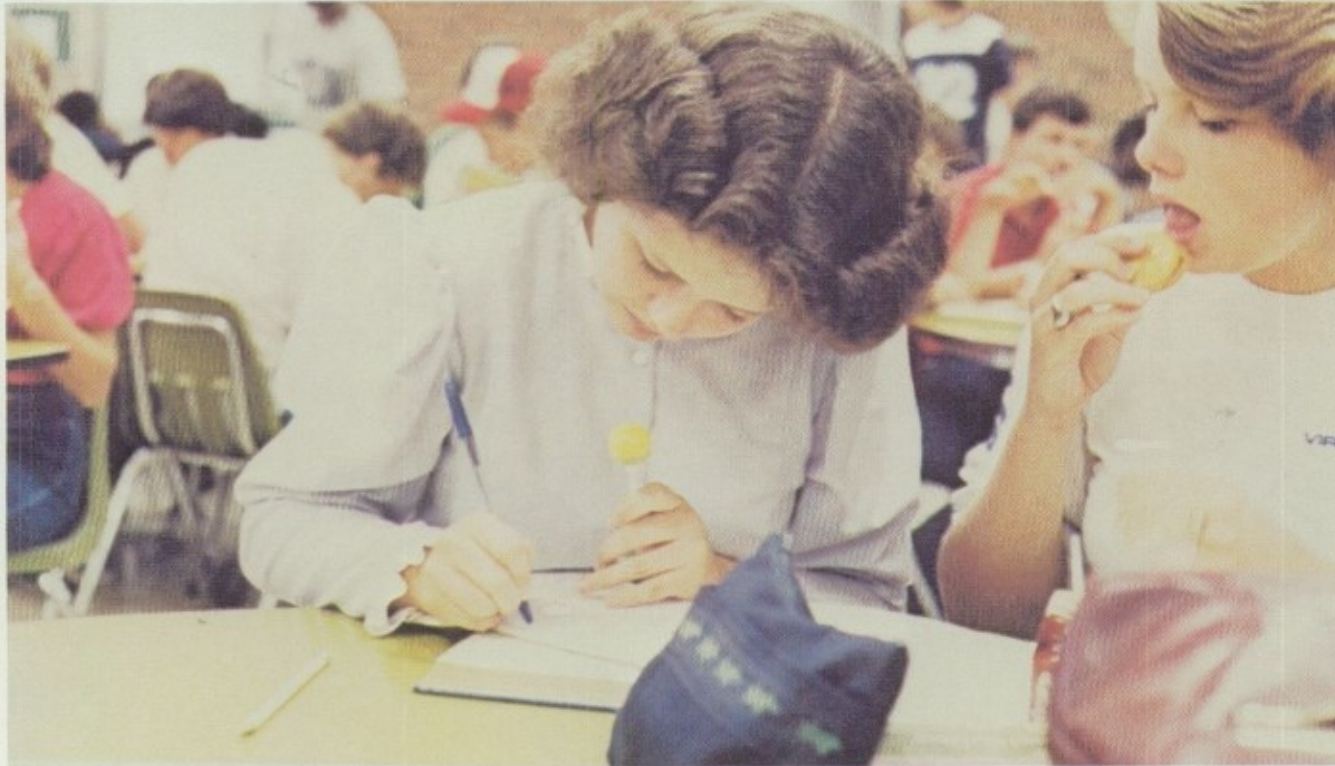
... Had It

... we look forward to these events, and, as ever, there are those caught looking for a last minute date or wishing they'd bought a book.

Exams and library fees herald the end of the year, but they do little to diminish

the high spirits of students and teachers alike. As books are taken up and lockers cleaned out, it is finally realized that "this is it." Triumph is in the air as we discover we are now "free at last." Of course, there are also a few tears, especially from seniors leaving ACHS for good.

So, there you have it — the events that structure our year, every year. Whether good or bad, all these are continuous and essential to life at ACHS. Perhaps it is this very continuity that has created that sense of confidence in ourselves that enables us to look back at our school and say with a smile, "We've always had it, and we always will."



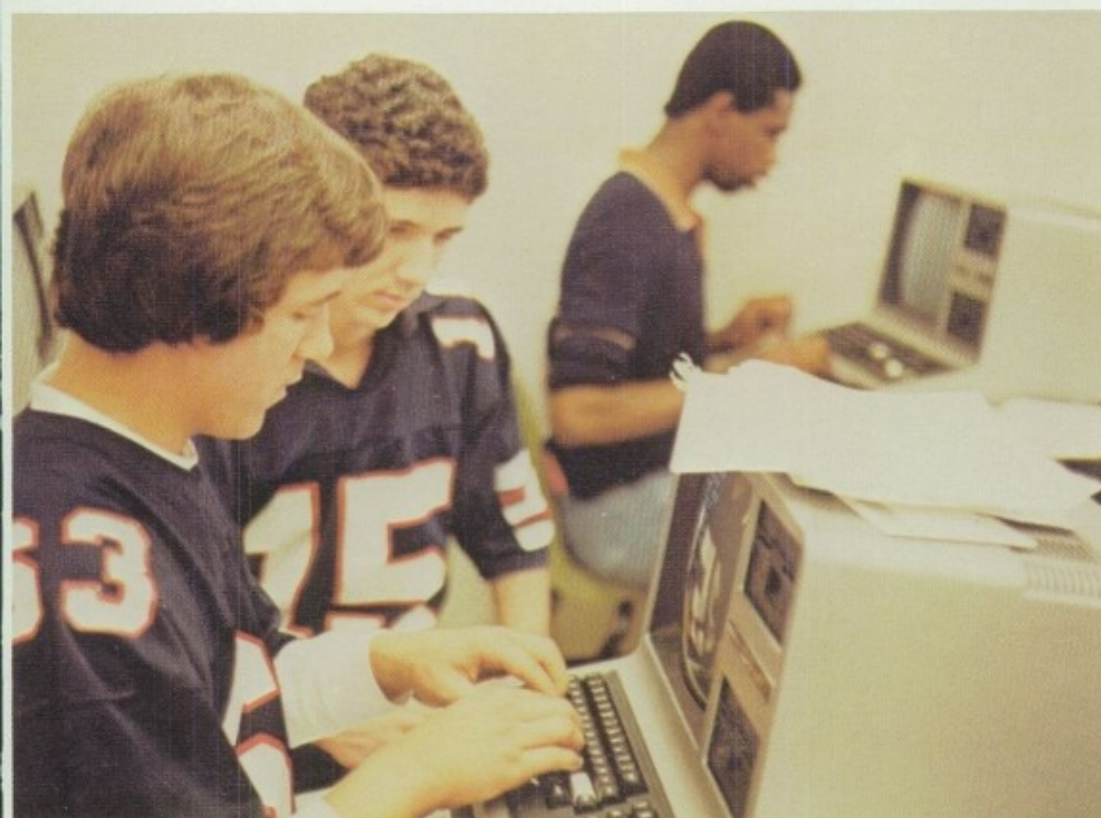
A Spanish test is the number one concern for Lawane Watkins.

Whoever said students didn't eat in class? Ask Denise Langhorne.

Crystal Carter & Mitzi Baldwin snack through last night's homework.

Programmed into the "computer craze," Tim Bennett performs for Phil Agee.

Textbooks don't demand all our time as here Robert Taylor & Todd Sayers read a periodical.



1982 Homecoming Victory

Another Step Toward the District Title

When the date on the calendar read October 4th, Homecoming week festivities began with "Hat Day." Many of mom and dad's ole' used-to-be's could be seen atop some second generation grins. Raider fans spent Monday night shuffling through old trunks as Tuesday was designated "Going Back" day, and Spirit Day and Dress-up Day led us through to the climax of the week. Friday morning we searched our wardrobes for

our red, blue, and gray clothes. However, many of us had to improvise, using buttons, hair bows; and there were even a few bumper stickers walking around on some two-legged bumpers.

When Friday arrived, the Raiders and their fans were ready to "Light Up the Knights." After going from the Pep Rally to the Homecoming parade and on to the ball game, the whole stadium was "up" as the

Raiders continued their winning wave defeating Buckingham 27-8.

At our victory dance on Saturday night, school spirit was practically bouncing off the walls as the Raiders strutted their stuff with an air that clearly said, "Look at us, man. **Always had it; always will!**"

Kim Maxwell, 1982 Homecoming Queen.

Cindy, Jeannice, Jimmy, and Jan participate in 50's Day.





The 1982 Homecoming Court.

Dennis Fleshman chained with the spirit.



Sophomore's "Light Up the Knights."

A flag routine requires Sandy Walton's concentration.



A Victory Dance dedicated to the 1982 Homecoming Court.

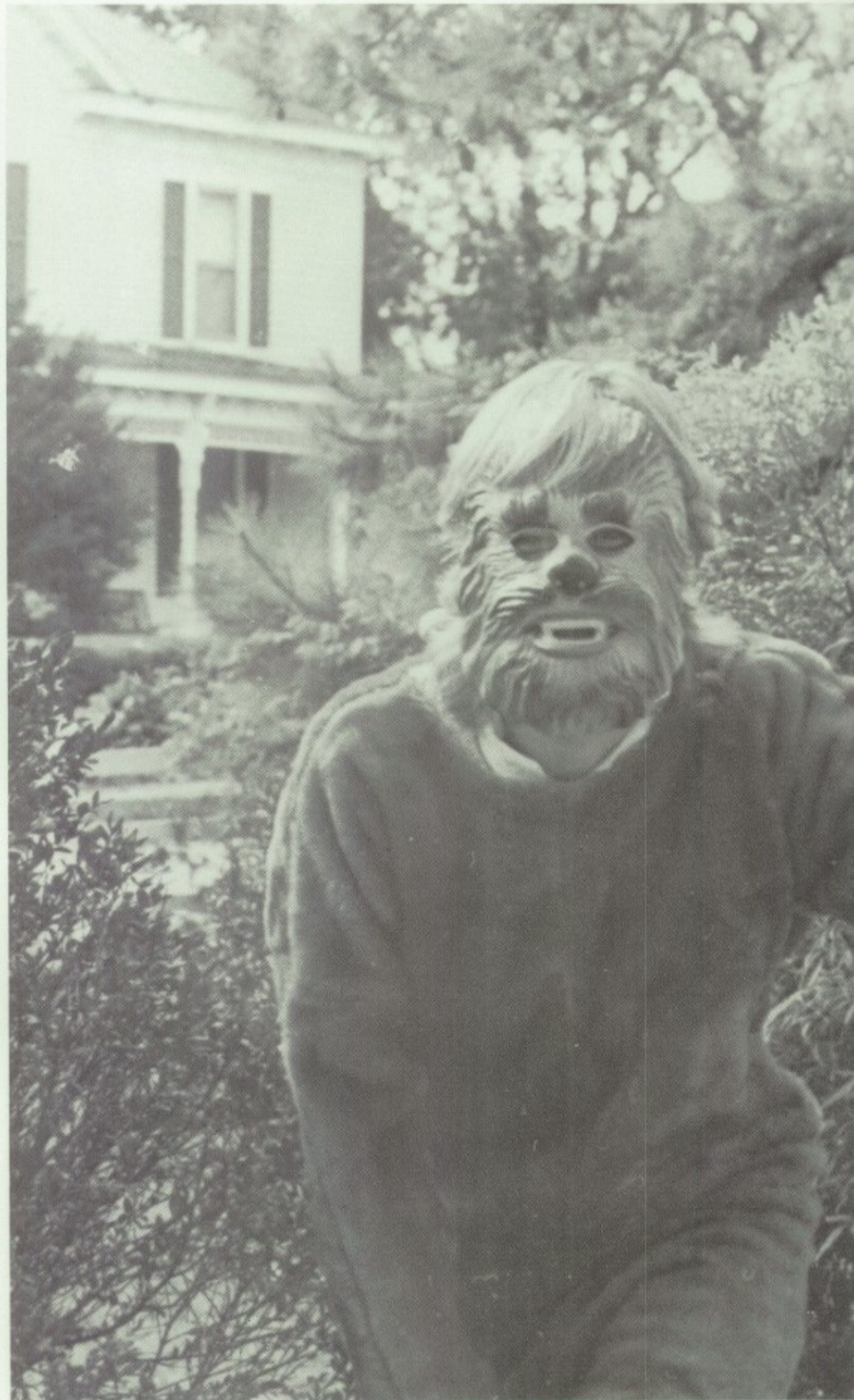
A novel umbrella for princess Heather Williams.

Wanda Mosely gives us a peek at a Christmas gift for her special someone.

Patty Roach is caught sleeping in — a favorite ACHS pastime.

Anne Caldwell feels you're never too old to "trick-or-treat."

The opening of hunting season catches Billy Caldwell in full aim.



Red Letter Days — Mark'em Down, Kid

Christmas, Thanksgiving, Valentine's Day, Birthdays, Anniversaries . . . all days that we consider special. They roll around once every year, giving us a break from every day schedules. Special days are a time for getting together with friends and family, sharing happy moments.

Special days are not only the days that are marked on our calendars, but they are also those days we remember for our own special reasons. Like a first date or a first kiss. And then there are always those special days when we get a bonus vacation during the regular grind, because of an

overnight snow, the opening day of deer hunting season, or for teacher work days. These days are one and the same as far as ACHS students are concerned. However, we suspect that a faculty vote would probably also result in a marked preference for inclement weather.

Whatever the reason may be, there are for every ACHS student days that we mark on our own personal calendars. Days that we feel are worth remembering. Days that are special. These red letter days are the ones we've always had and always will.

Getting There

It's 8:05 and you're on the phone calling a friend trying to bum a ride. Of course, if you strike out you can always resort to Mom and the family Ford. (Talk about always had it, always will!) Oh, well, its got four wheels, and it's not yellow and full of Munchkins from the lower schools. (So you ignore the baby's car seat and your sister's undelivered Girl Scout Cookies, and, hope that Fido will abandon the running board before you hit

727; you're off.)

Sometimes it seems that your whole life revolves around whether a set of wheels revolve. No matter what the activity, first you gotta get there. Look around sometime. You'll see Raiders arriving in a variety of modes. Everything from Dennis' '64 to Glen's four wheel drive to Ben's colorful corvette. We've got 'em all — the jacked-up hot rods, the sports cars, and the trucks that never leave home without the good ole boys who love them. Surprising? Not very. But we did run across an interesting bit of info. regarding what the average student looks for in a vehicle. Looks? Speed? Ruggedness? Flashiness? No, the single most important factor in a student's eyes is that whatever it is, it belongs to him.

Some of us still ride the school bus, but Sandra Doss doesn't seem to mind.

Darrell Mayberry's Chevelle takes on that shine of pride.

A perfect example of the song "I Love My Truck"!

Carpooling with Mom or Dad is another one of our ways of getting there.



Rush Hour All Day Long

Whoever said that the 3:05 bell marked the end of the working day for high school students?

As estimated, 30% of us leave school each day to punch in at regular part-time jobs. A few of us even work full-time night shifts, and many more of us function in the job market on a "catch as catch can" basis. Practically none of us are "off" at 3:05.

Not all our activities are concentrated in the world of work, however. There are long hours of practice for the sports minded and the musically inclined. And certainly, there are countless afternoons and evenings devoted to relaxation and entertainment.

We spend our time in about as many ways as there are different personalities at ACHS. The one thing we don't do is idle it away. (Unless, of course, you're of the opinion that the hour some of us earmark for **General Hospital** is an "idle past time"). Fun can mean anything from going up to Liberty to shoot a few to feeding quarters to Top Treat's video games. Our choices here may not be many, but we're resourceful.

A couple of carloads of kids can be a party just getting together for some laughs at Burger King, or if you feel a yen for a taste of the city, an evening of "mall gawking" at River Ridge.

Robin Phillips concentrates on "Centipede" while T.C. Franklin looks on.

R.L. Waldo attacks "Defender."

A ride in the country is an after school treat for James Beaty.



VIDEO GAMES ● WORKING ● SHOPPING ● SINGING



Tina Hamlett doesn't appear amused at Susan Goggin's Burger King order.

"Checking it out" takes on a whole new meaning for Bonnie Drinkard.

Evening play practices mean an occasional T.V. dinner for Mrs. Sweet's family.

Joe McFadden's part time job finds him doing some sweeping.

Todd Nash, Sheila Roach, & Ronald Thornhill work hard to satisfy Wilbuns' customers.

Liberty Baptist Youth Choir puts on a dazzling performance.

Railroad Festival 10 Years and Rolling All Aboard . . .

This year was definitely a special "10" and was celebrated with Deborah Adair, the stunning star of CBS-TV's popular drama, "The Young and the Restless." On Saturday morning the festival began with a 119 unit parade. For the afternoon enjoyment there was a variety of entertainment, numerous arts & crafts, and delicious

food & drinks for everyone's taste.

The events of the day were summed up by fireworks, a presentation from the Depot Dramatics, and a new edition — the street dance. All activities were immensely enjoyed by all. Appomattox always has had and always will have, the Main Street gathering, the Railroad Festival.



Rick Osborne — Ready! Aim! Shoot!!

Lesia Wynn & Tim Williams have a good laugh while supervising the VICA "Sub Shop."





Vincent Goodman & Chris Tyree stroll towards the festival activities.

Mr. Brizendine & Alan Edmonds take a break from their posts as salesmen.

Rose Christian takes time out to count money.

Talking to customers keeps Ryan Murphy busy.

Mr. Conkwright & Suzan Eye wait patiently for customers to buy Science Club doughnuts.

ACHS Cafeteria — All This & Heaven Too

The Cafeteria . . . what a place to be. The aroma of those scrumptious school lumpches — enough to tingle anyone's taste buds. And what about the sense of high adventure for that furtive freshman who just left his tray on the table for the first time? Yes, the cafeteria is one of the all time great eating establishments.

The cafeteria isn't only for eating, though. It serves as a gathering place in the wee hours before first period for the masses who didn't do last night's homework . . . And what better place to catch up on yesterday's gossip?

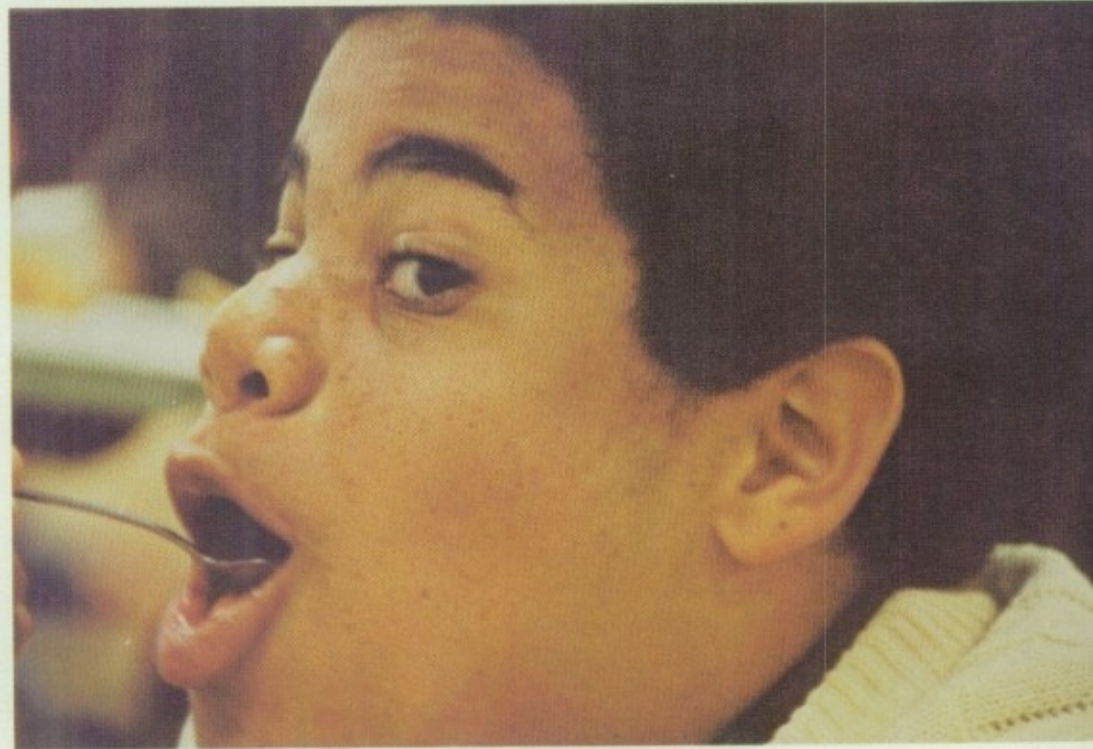
But most of us would be quick to agree that the cafeteria is at its best on Friday nights when it is transformed into Appomattox's answer to Disco City, and we're dancin' to WJJS funk.

Steve Cyrus collects from Kevin Ferguson.

A good laugh and a good lunch mark the halfway point in Mike Davis' day.

Mike McCoy's version of here comes the choo choo.

Cleaning up after the wrecking crew leaves Mrs. Doris Harvey unruffled.



1982: The Year In Review



The year 1982 has departed . . . leaving behind in its wake, memories we will always cherish, and those we would like to forget.

On the national scene, the U.S. economy suffered the longest business slump in over 30 years. Unemployment soared to above 10 percent, yet inflation dropped to below 4 percent.

Overseas, the death of Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev shocked the entire world. The Israeli army

launched an attack on Lebanon, and after a summer long siege of West Beirut, allowed Lebanese militiamen to clear remaining resistance. The deaths of hundreds of Palestine refugees immediately followed.

In medicine, the first artificial heart was implanted in a human being. Cyanide-laced Extra-Strength Tylenol was withdrawn from drugstore shelves when it was found that the tainted aspirin was responsible for the deaths of seven people.

On the entertainment scene, the film "E.T." enchanted the hearts of both young and old across the world. The little alien creature definitely proved that he was "out of this world."

In the world of sports, the N.F.L. strike lasted for weeks upon weeks, as many a football viewer became disheartened.

So ended the year 1982.

TREND SETTERS

In every school year, there are always "fads" to be followed. Whether it be entertainment, fashions, hobbies, or a particular way of talking, something or someone sets the pace which others tend to follow.

Many of the trend setters this year were not even human. Instead of the regular movie, television, and rock star heroes, people's interests have been directed towards such things as the "smurfy" little blue creatures from Saturday morning cartoons. Another big fad of the entertainment industry appeared in cartoons of the newspapers. Garfield provided students at ACHS with a new outlook on life: "Take it easy."

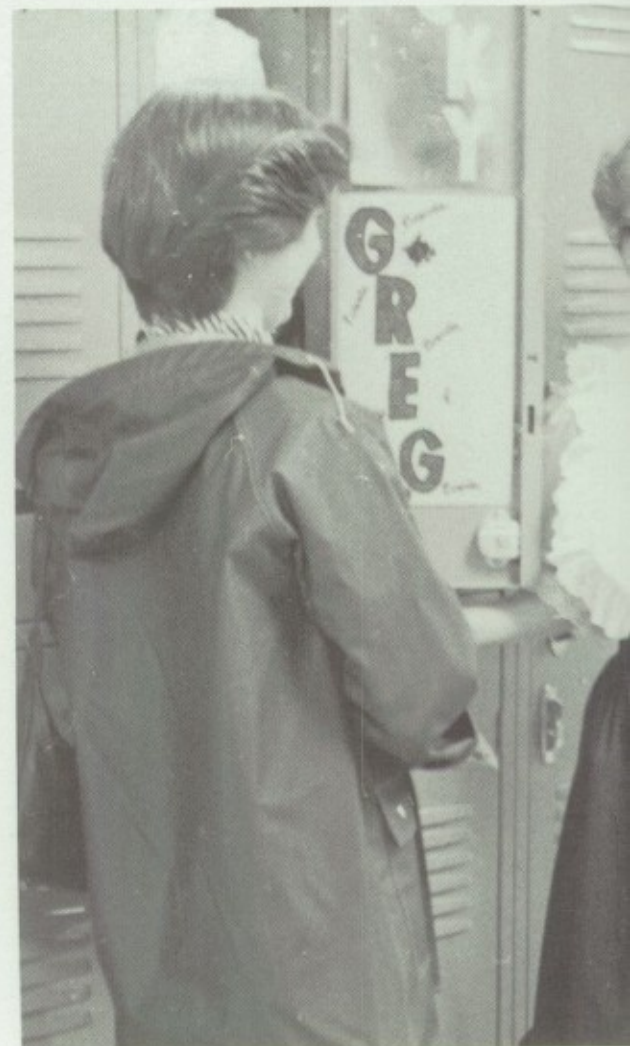
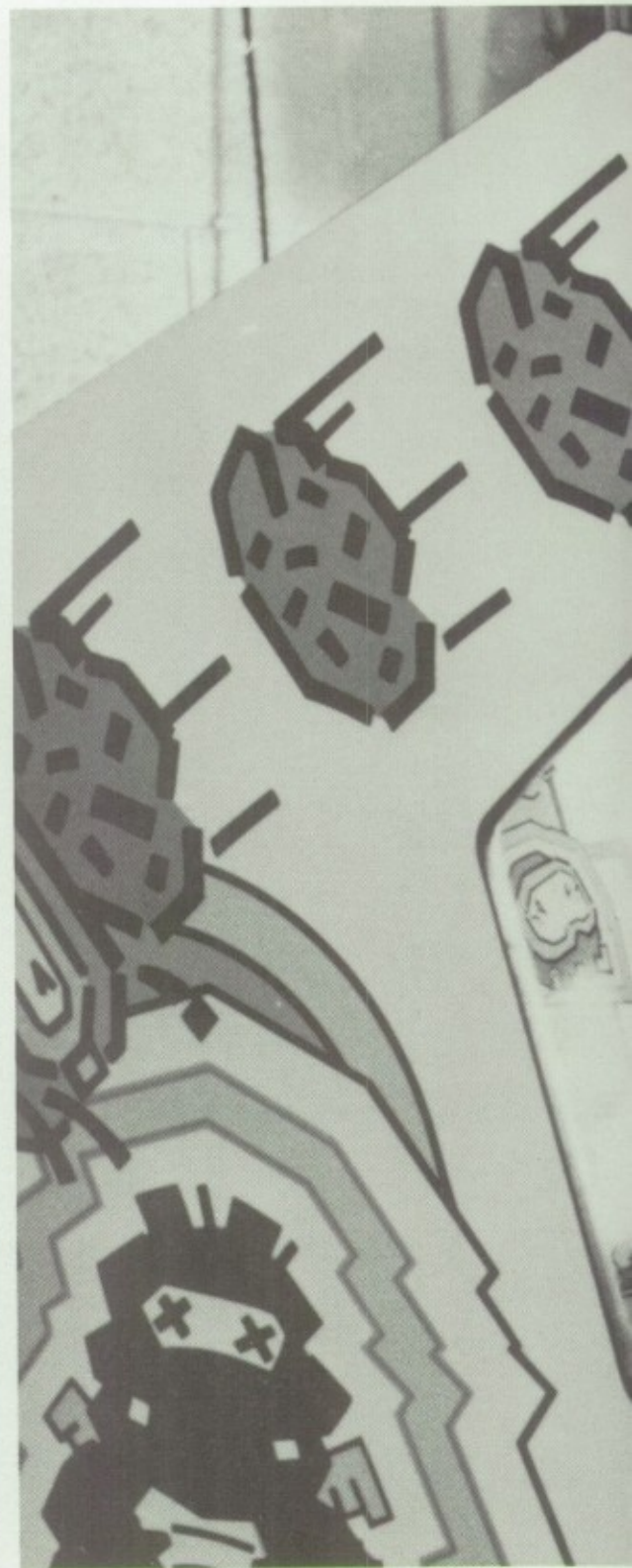
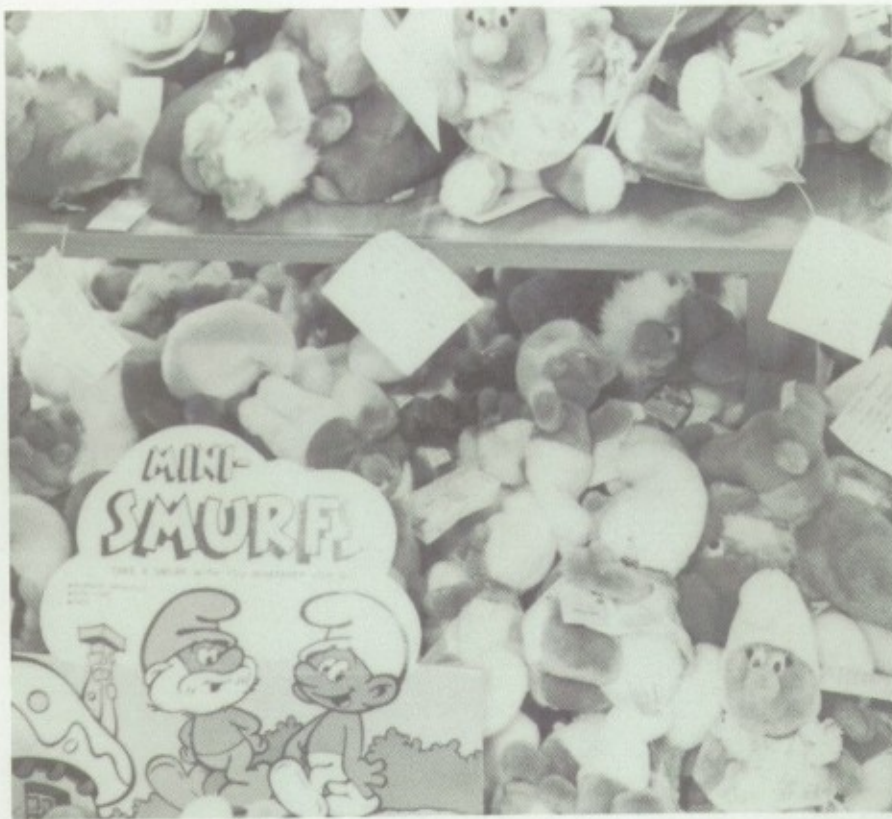
But the biggest fad in the world of entertainment this year was — you guessed it — E.T., The Extra Terrestrial being with the glowing heart, leapt off the screen and into the hearts of all Americans. He arrived at ACHS on buttons, tee-shirts and in the cuddly form of a stuffed animal.

Just as the world of entertainment affects us, so do the ever-changing

Totally Smurfy.

Aigner, an everlasting trend.

Chris Starnier in her gunnisack style outfit, catching up on the latest gossip.





fashions. The styles in ACHS ranged from the punk looks of miniskirts and thin neck ties to the knickers reminiscent of the 20's to the ever-present "preppy look" of Izod, Calvin Klein, and Aigner.

While we were looking the part, we were also playing the part with video games, which all started with the famous Pac Man. Soon this love had grown to such games as Frogger, Centipede, Jungle Search, Donkey Kong, and Space Invaders.

Those who followed the fads of '83 did not ordinarily talk about video games in a "common" way. They spoke "Valley Girl." Such words as "like", "totally", and "lame"; and phrases like "gag me with a spoon", "Agua Velva Geek", and "to the max" became part of our everyday conversation.

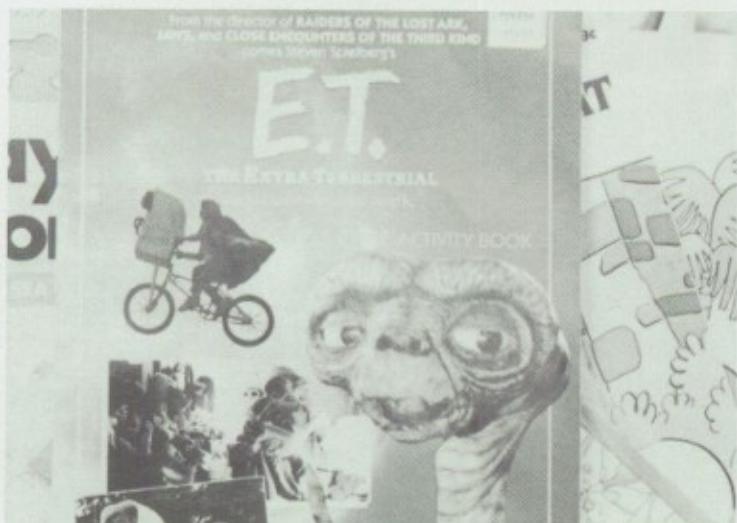
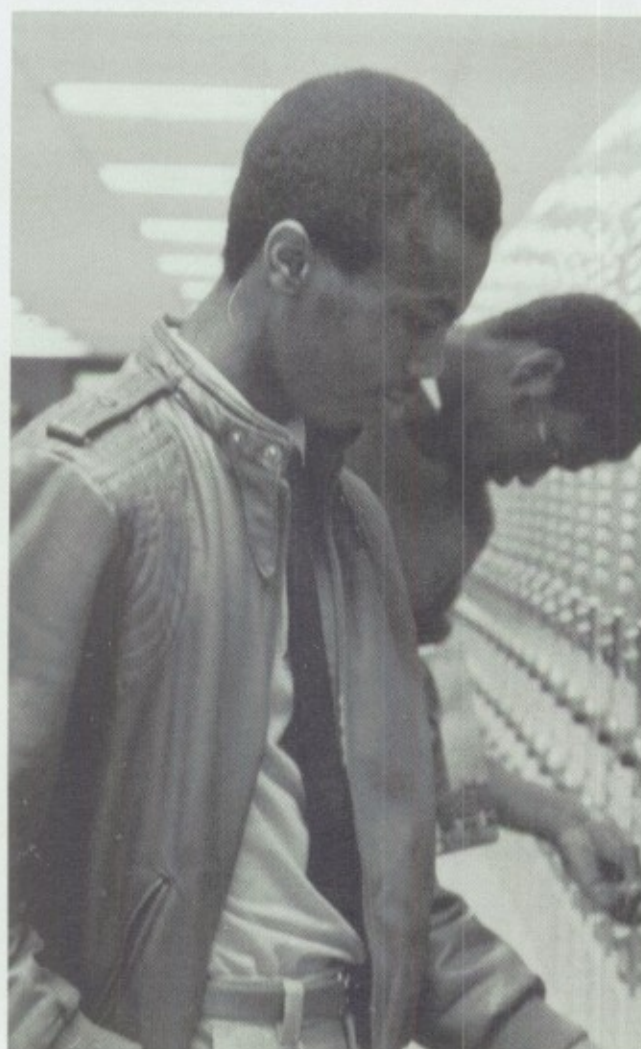
So, it is obvious that the students at ACHS have followed the world-wide trends of 1982-83. And although the trends will leave us as quickly as they came, they will always be a part of this year at ACHS.

John Booker working hard at winning Dig Dug.

Suzi Ranson is right at home in her video craze.

The Reese's Pieces lover, E.T.

Jason Cobbs, a Members Only student.



Additions To ACHS

A major new change at school this year was **homeroom** being put after first period. Many students have complained of the fact that they are often tardy to first period. For example, Senior **Tammy Franklin** says she is sometimes late getting to school and it causes her to lose class time. Some students like the homeroom change because it gives us a break between first and second period.

A new curriculum was the **Computer Class** taught by **Mr. John Clark**. The class is offered to seniors and also to juniors if space is available. All students enjoy the Computer Class and it gives them educational benefits. After taking the class and beginning to learn about computers, many seniors have decided to major in it in college. When asked his opinion about the Computer Class, Senior **Tracy Chernault** said, "It's a lot of fun."

Another new class added this year was the **Adv. Biology/Adv. Chemistry Class** which is offered to seniors. First semester

students take either the Adv. Biology or Adv. Chemistry then switch the second semester to the other. The Adv. Chemistry is taught by **Mrs. Martha Wilson** and the Adv. Biology by **Mrs. Nancy Jones**. Several teachers were added to the A.C.H.S. faculty this year. The new teachers are as follows: **Judy Braswell** — English 10, **Miss Carla Vann** — Gov't & Geography, **Mrs. Mary Carlisle** — Clerk Typing 1, Gen. Business, & Typing 1, **Mr. John McHale** — D.E. 1,11,111, and **Mrs. Shirley Eye** — English 9,10. In the library we have a new librarian, **Mrs. Glover**. And the new face in the office this year belongs to **Mrs. Peggy Staples**.

Students preparing for this school year soon discovered the **grading scale** had been raised. The former scale was: **A** 95-100, **B** 87-94, **C** 77-86, **D** 65-76, **F** 64-below. The present scale is: **A** 95-100, **B** 88-94, **C** 80-87, **D** 70-79, **F** 69-below. Many students do not like the new grading scale because it is somewhat harder to keep grades high. For some

Tim Bennett, Cheryl Cheatham, and Cheryl Williams observe **Tracy Chernault's** unusual computer techniques.

Some senior guys talk it over before homeroom.





Mrs. Hancock takes homeroom roll call.



though, the new scale effects them in no way.

Another new attempt was also made about grades this year. At the middle of the first six weeks interim reports were sent to all parents.

The purpose of the interim report is to let parents know how their child is doing during the six weeks. It also gives students the chance to bring their grades up before the end of the six weeks.

With a mixture of the "old" and the "new" our school is being bettered every year.



Nancy Morris prepares for her experiment.

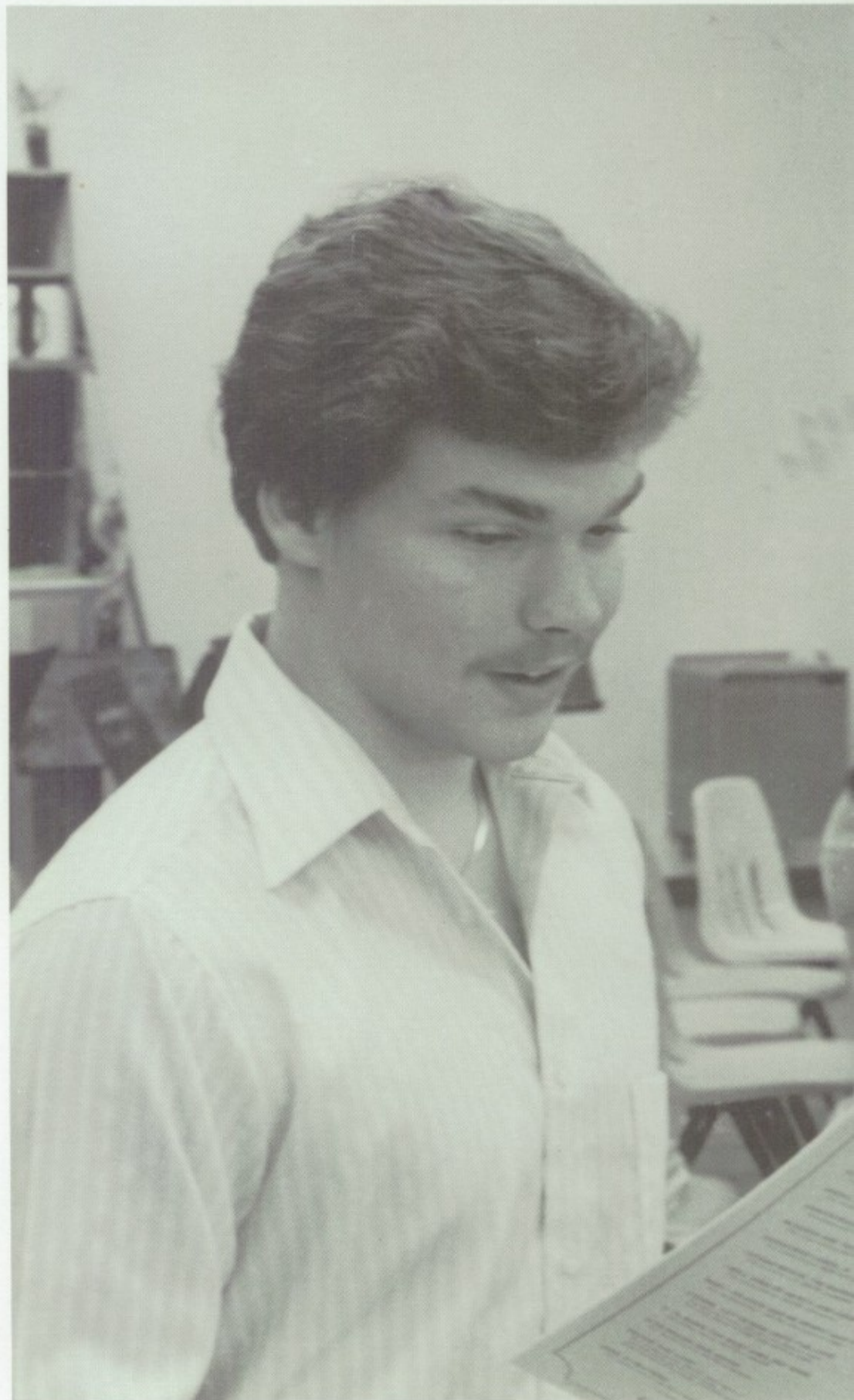
Keeping busy all "adds" up to Mrs. Staples.

Doing her job well — Mrs. Glover.

Derrick and Tim have all eyes on the computer printer.

Donna Layne writes out a formula.





What's It Like Being . . .

Have you ever wondered what it's like to be someone else? Have you ever dreamed of having someone else's abilities? Some students and teachers at ACHS have outstanding traits and/or abilities. We've talked to a few of these people to discover what they are really like.

. . . Dependable?

There is always a dedicated worker who's there whenever work needs to be done, or when someone needs help. These people don't usually get many "thankyou's" for their hard work, but **Nancy Morris** is one of these people. She is National Honor Society Vice President (which means that she plans the programs), club and news editor and typist for the **Raider Report**, and an active worker in her church youth group. Nancy views her dependability as follows: "It's nice to know that my friends can come to me with their problems and depend on me for help."

. . . Organized?

Vivian Seay has it all together. Everything from her room to her school work is organized. At school, Vivian is known for her ability to organize projects for the SCA and the junior class. What is being super organized really like? Vivian says, "It's hectic. I spend too much time on details that probably don't matter to anyone else. It's almost like being a perfectionist." But, organization gets the job done as everyone who has worked with Vivian knows.

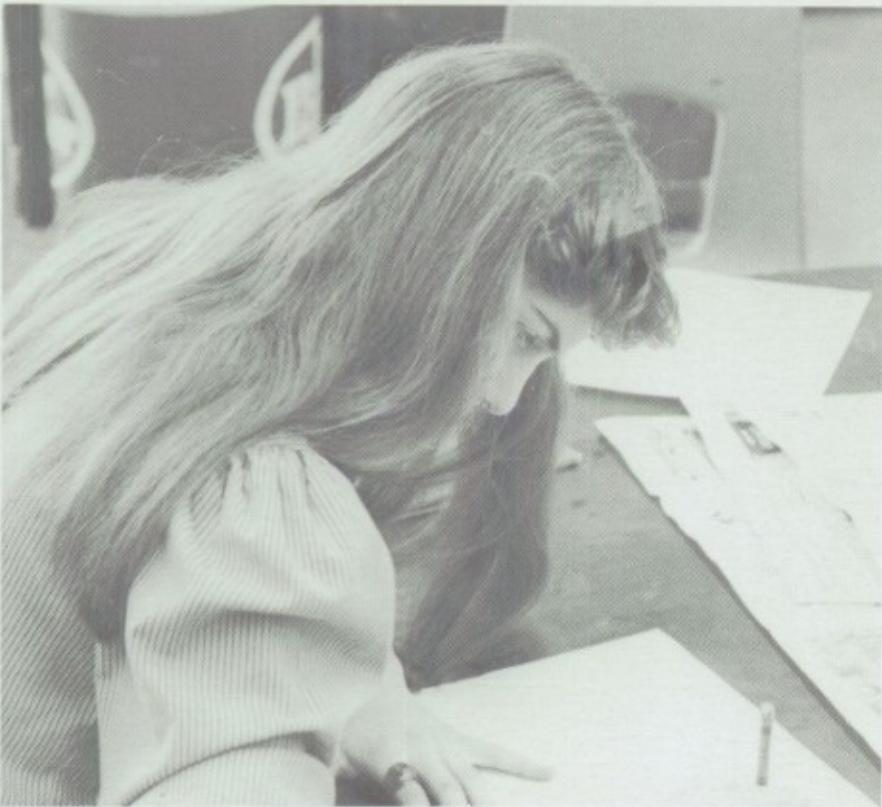
Between classes, Mrs. Beasley and Mrs. Covington catch up on the day's events.

Planning for the Prom, Vivian Seay begins jotting down ideas.

June Jenkins appears ready to begin her tap routine.

Reading Beowulf is an annual occurrence in Mr. Andrews' class.

Tommy Robinson begins practicing his chorus solo in class.



What's It Like Being . . .

. . . Athletic?

Many have dreamed at one time or another of becoming a great athletic superstar. **Ruby Smith** is well on her way. She has scored over 1500 points during her basketball career and been selected "Most Valuable Player" for the past three years. She has also excelled in volleyball and has been selected as a member of the first team all district volleyball team. Her track career is just as impressive as she has competed in the state track meet for the past two years. What does Ruby like most about being an athlete? In her own words, "I get to meet many nice people while playing sports and make new friends. That's the best aspect."

he do it? He says all it takes is "dressing right, being friendly, and speaking to everyone."

Russell Walton views his image a little differently. He says, "It's nice, but you can't let it go to your head. I just try to be myself when around girls." Russell is certainly doing the right thing. Ask any freshman girl and she'll tell you who the "heartthrob" at ACHS is. Yes, they'll say it's Russell Walton.

. . . Studious?

Straight "A" students are envied by everyone at one time or another, but you may be surprised to learn that there are two sides to being studious. "It has its advantages and disadvantages: everyone expects you to always make "A"s and your friends expect you to know all the answers. Now the advantages: you gain a good reputation, your teachers count on you, and your friends respect you," is how **Janet Smith** described being studious.

She spends more than time at school doing schoolwork. Each night, Janet studies at least two hours preparing for the following day's classes. She is a very conscientious high school worker and she will continue moving ahead as her studying pays off.

. . . A Computer Whiz?

When you want a tip about computers or need help with a program, to whom do you go? **Cecil Jacobs** is a consultant for many. How does he feel about this attention? Cecil says, "The whole thing is tedious." However, Cecil enjoys computer work and this is probably why he is so successful. Saving time and getting precise results are the most enjoyable aspects of computer work for Cecil.

. . . A Casanova?

Being popular with the girls is a dream shared by most guys. For **Bobby Booker** and **Russell Walton**, it's reality. The following words from Sir Bobby Booker himself express his ability to attract girls: "It's nice. People say, 'Hello Bobby' in a crowd." Bobby has charm, good taste, and a real talent for attracting girls. How does

Melody Surber applies her artistic talents to cooking.

Pencil sketchings are a favorite of **Jeannice Bartelt**.

Ruby Smith receives yet another sports trophy.

Taking books to class is no chore for **Janet Smith**.

Bobby Booker, always on the lookout for ladies.

What's It Like Being . . .

. . . Musical?

After someone has performed in **Bye Bye Birdie**, **Fiddler on the Roof**, and **West-Side Story**, you might think this person knew something about music, right? **Tommie Robinson** has participated in these and has auditioned to perform with the traveling musical group **Up With People**. Tommie says the following about being recognized for his musical talent, "It gives me great pleasure to know that all the hard work that I put into my music is recognized by my fellow classmates. It's great!" Tommie's ambition is to make a living by using his musical talents not only in performing but also in composing.

A Court Jester?

Not often do you think of teachers as kidders or pranksters, but two teachers at ACHS are known for their "cracks" and their pranks.

Anyone in **Mrs. Beasley's** classes or on the faculty knows what an ability the lady has for making "the joke on you!" If you've never had a chance to be around Mrs. Beasley's wit, just ask the athletic department about her poems and you'll learn that she has a real talent for "crackin' on" her friends. Mrs. Beasley says, "It's just my personality."

Mr. Courtney Andrews is more of a prankster. Just ask any faculty member who has received anonymous letters of complaint and bogus press releases.

. . . Artistic?

The artists at ACHS seem to be quiet behind-the-scene people who work very hard but don't get the attention they deserve. **Melody Surber**

is an ACHS artist and she says, "Art comes easy for me, and people are always asking me questions as if I were a professional artist." Her favorite type of art is drawing, and she is definitely talented. Look a little closer at some of the art work here at ACHS and you may find Melody's signature at the bottom.

Jeannice Bartelt says the following about being artistic, "It's no different than being anything else." Her favorite subject matter is people and she has received awards at the Five County Fair. Jeannice enjoys spending her spare time constructively by exercising her artistic ability.

. . . A Dancer?

What's it like having future plans such as becoming a professional dancer? **June Jenkins** is the person to ask. She has been dancing for eleven years and performs with the **Lynchburg Ballet Co.** June is well on her way to a professional career. In May of 1983, she will audition to perform with the **American Ballet Theatre** in New York. What's life like for June? Her words were: "It feels different because there aren't many dancers here. It's weird because people think I am different. I don't have time to go support school athletics because most of my time is spent dancing. Dancing is life, everything!"

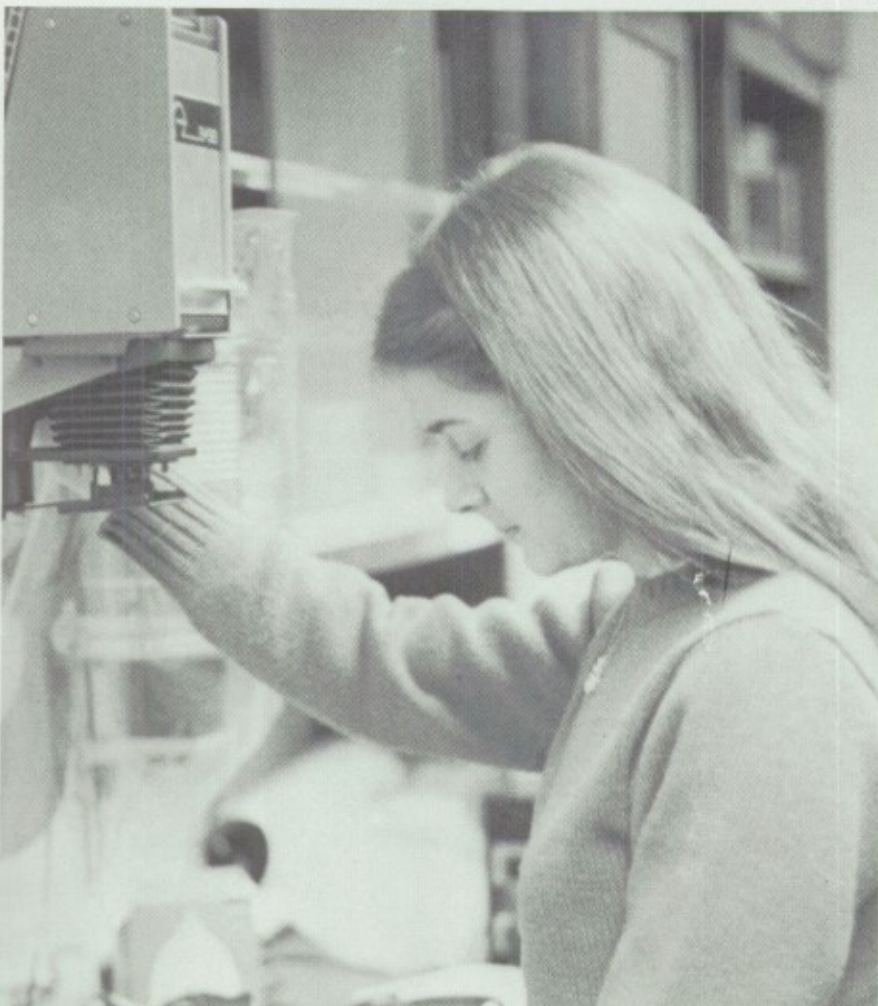
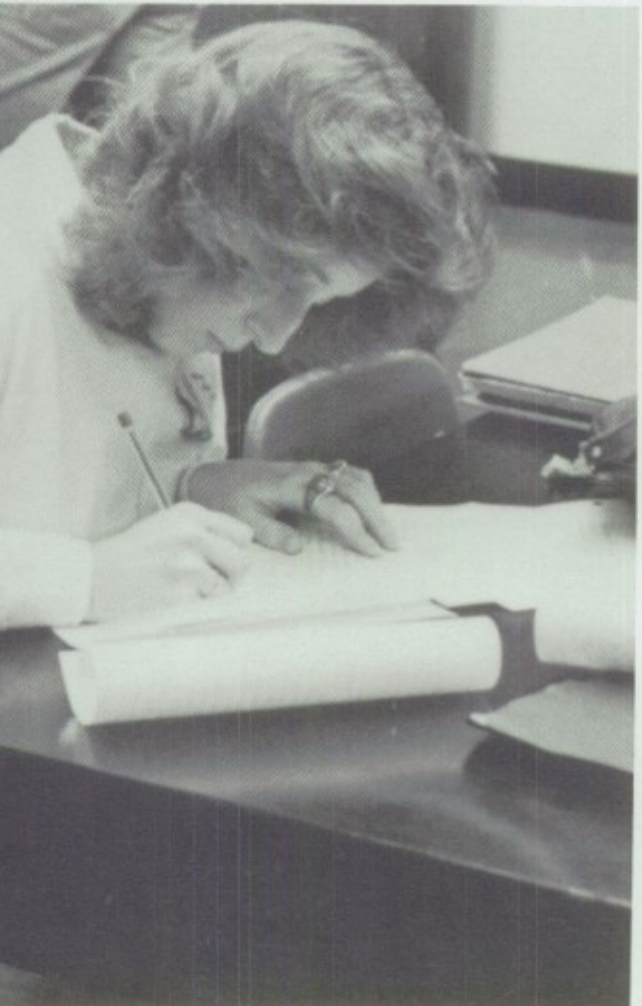
Teresa Austin seems to get a kick out of **Russell Walton's** jokes.

Testing a program seems to occupy all of **Cecil Jacobs'** attention.

Initiating members to the NHS is only a part of **Nancy Morris'** active school life.



Preparing for the Future.



The curriculum at ACHS is one which offers each student a variety of classes on two separate tracks, vocational and academic.

The Vocational area deals with business, agricultural, and trade fields. This teaches us skills that will help us get a job as soon as we graduate. The Vocational Department offers a large array of class opportunities. Agriculture offers as many as seven different courses relating to the Agriculture line, while the business department offers eleven different classes. This is a very good variety which is important because it is preparing students who will enter the real working world right after graduation. A computer class was offered this year and was very popular. The Vocational Department and its teachers work harder than ever to help students reach their highest potential.

Academically, ACHS has a very high standing. The Academic curriculum is very extensive.

There are fifteen required classes including five in English, three in Health and Physical Education, two in Math, two in Laboratory Science, and one each in Virginia and U.S. History, U.S. Government and either World History or World Geography. The curriculum is always expanding and or improving. A dual science class was offered this past school year, advanced chemistry for the first semester and advanced biology the second semester.

James Carrico conducts an experiment in chemistry.

Working the computer is a puzzling situation for Steve Cyrus.

This darkroom procedure is carried out by Suzan Eye.

Doing her homework is an every day chore for Amber Clark.

And When They Shine

Here at ACHS we can't claim any Grammy, Oscar, or Heisman Trophy winners, but we may have some possible nominees.

It wouldn't surprise any of us to see "**Kevin Ferguson — Heisman Trophy Winner**", appear as a future headline in **Sports Illustrated**. Kevin received All District, All Area, All Region, All State, and All South honors upon completion of the 1982 football season, and was the recipient of a four year scholarship to the University of Virginia.

Not only can ACHS profess athletic talent, but we also have our share of "vocational victories". **Glen McClenny** was named the Virginia 4-H Agriculture Achievement Record Winner and won a trip to Chicago.

While few of us profess to be expert writers, **Brett Marston** is an exception to the rule. Brett won \$600 for his essay entitled "Why Is Tobacco So Economically Important?" Brett was a regional winner in this contest sponsored by the Southern Flue-Cured Tobacco Co. His essay is proof that tobacco is a money-crop!

Laura Walton also found a way to turn her talent to good round coin. **Laura** was named the Virginia "Make-It-With-Wool" Contest winner. She received a \$100 bond and a trip to Oklahoma.

Always on the job is

Inflation fighter, Laura Walton, traveled to the Mid-West to model her own fashion.

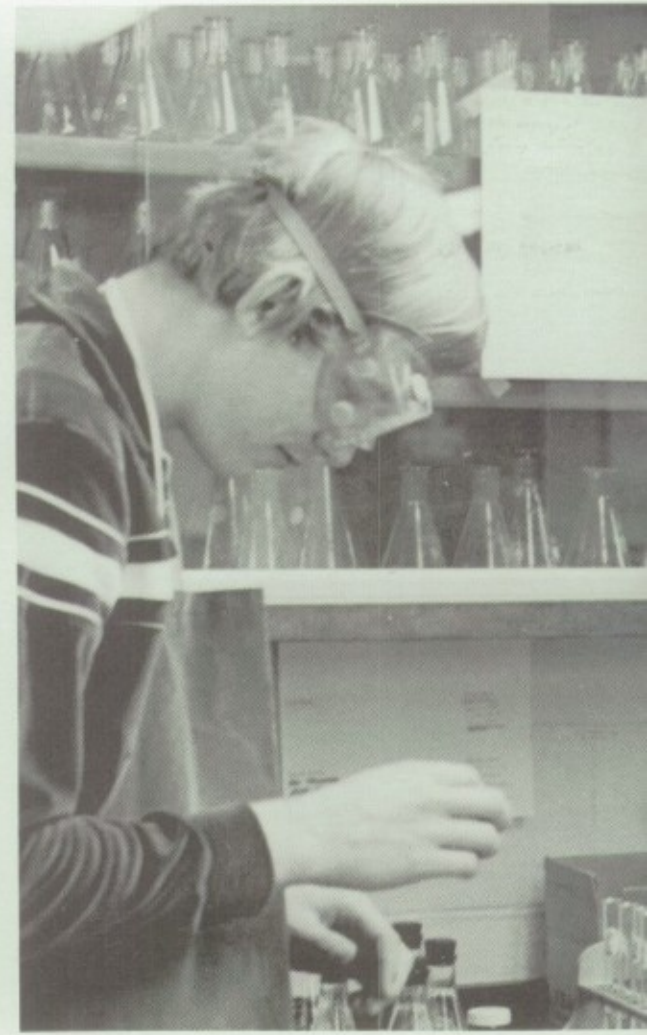
Senior, Glen McClenny, got a taste of urban life as a reward for his hard work.

Laurie Cowan, Laura Walton, and Susan Morris, the 1983 tri-valedictorians.

Teresa Bass spends quite a bit of desk time handling her two DECA offices.

Brett Marston is starting early to make a name for himself as the regional winner of the Tobacco Essay Contest.

Lookout NFL, here comes ACHS quarterback, **Kevin Ferguson!**



They Shine So Bright

Teresa Bass. She was honored with the office of Central Virginia DECA Vice-President. She also has her hands full, serving as the ACHS DECA President.

Musically speaking, ACHS is on top. Seven ACHS students have gotten their names "in print". **Tommie Robinson, Mike McCoy, Dean Hamilton, Bobby Booker, Maureen O'Donnell, Patricia Chandler, and Connie Krantz** were named to **Who's Who in Music**, while **Maureen O'Donnell** was the first ACHS student to be named into the Senior Honors Choir. This qualified her for the Virginia Honors Chorus, which will tour Europe in the coming year.

Grade point average is a concern at ACHS for many. Twenty-eight ACHS honor graduates kept a 3.5 GPA throughout high school. **James Beaty, Shelia Carrico, Rebecca Doss, Teresa Bass, Patricia Chandler, Cheryl Williams, Cheryl Cheatham, Suzan Eye, Anita Harvey, Derwin Harvey, Jennifer Inge, Virginia Marshall, Donna Layne, Nancy Morris, Lisa Moon, Mitzi Baldwin, Glen McClenny, Kim Maxwell, Dawn Pitsenberger, Renee Wells, David Page, Lynee Foster, Patty Roach, Richard Conner, and Darlene Smith** have all received this honor.

Keeping a 3.5 GPA is quite an achievement; however, keeping a 4.0 GPA through four years of college preparatory classes deserves a bit of special recognition. Hats off to **Laurie Cowan, Susan Morris, and Laura Walton** our tri-valedictorians.

We salute you each and every one!

The 1983 ACHS honor graduates.

The 1983 ACHS representatives in Who's Who In Music.



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The Raider Machine Seminole Champs

The ACHS Raider team defeated the William Campbell Generals on November 5 to capture the district crown for the second time in four years.

This group of talented and much-heralded players raced to a 7-0 record before being defeated by an equally tough and eventual Seminole runnerup, Brookville squad in an exciting and well played 20-16 ballgame.

Led by the likes of offensive standouts Kevin

Ferguson, Jody Williams, and Dennis Fleshman, and defensive players Alan Edmonds, Tim Bennett, and the Miller brothers, Ricky & Jeff, the Raiders posted a 9-1-0 regular season on Region III ranking.

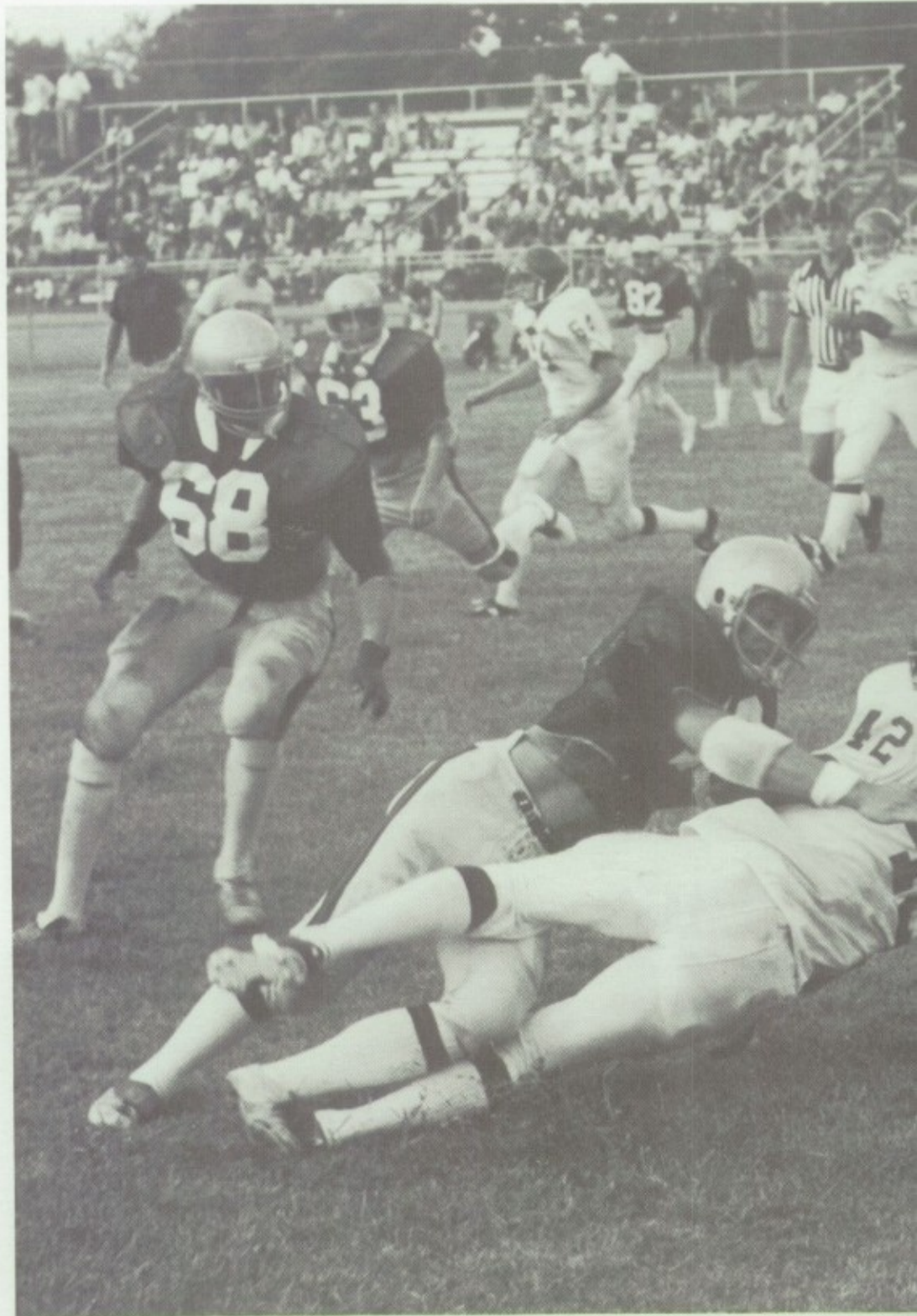
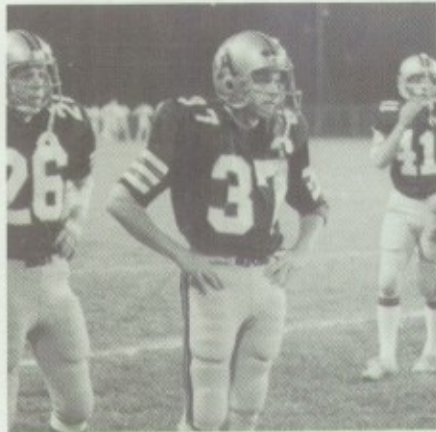
The Raiders ended their season with a tough 6-0 defeat at the hands of Group AA state runner-up, Martinsville Bulldogs, but not before showing that they were one of the toughest teams in the state.

Getting another solo tackle is Gary Ferguson during the Amherst scrimmage game.

Alan Edmonds awaits his turn during pre-game warm-up.

The epitome of concentration is Kevin Ferguson as he watches the developments of the game.

Tim Williams attempts to save the play with his defense.



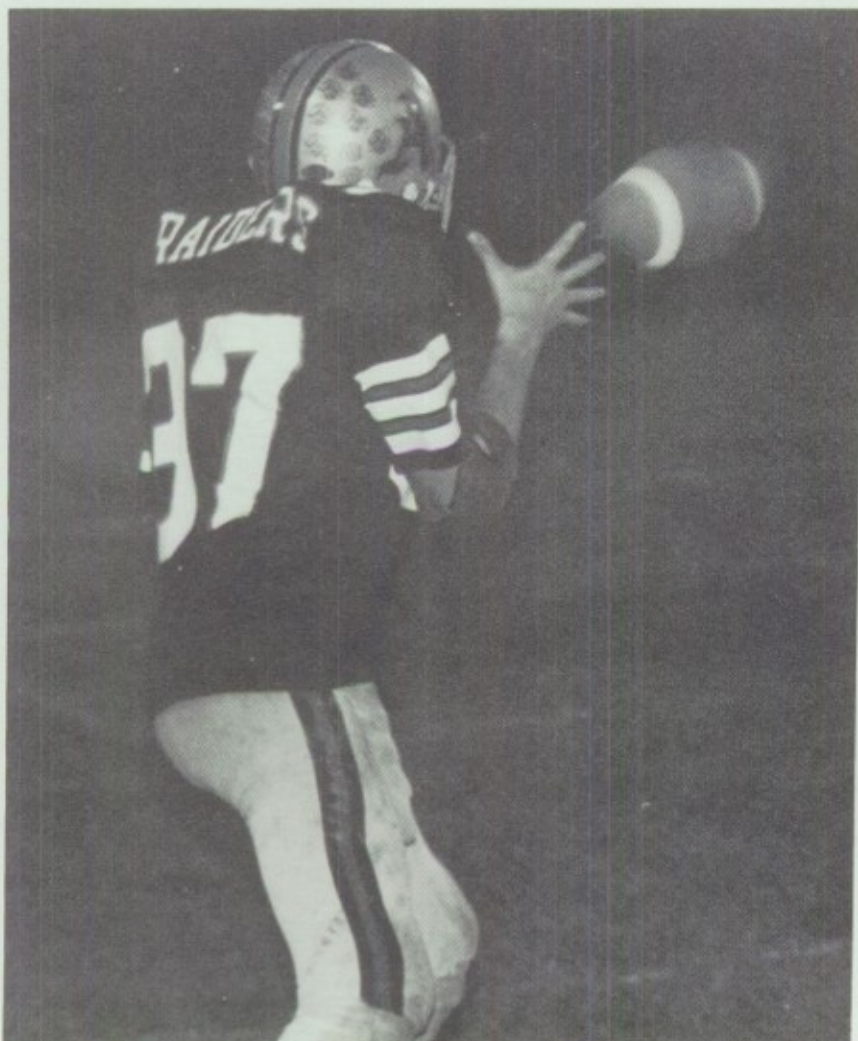


Front L to R: Tandra Hamlett & Lori Coggins (managers). Second Row L to R: Tim Williams, Paul Johnson, Phil Agee, Kevin Ferguson, Ricky Turner, Steve Hamlett, Jody Williams, Harold Vassar, Lewis Moore; Third Row L to R: Dennis Fleshman, Petie McIvor, Alan Edmonds, Jay Wingfield, Rodney Bryant, Gary Ferguson, Allen Hamlett, Scott Almond, Phil Bollinger, Randy Marshall; Fourth Row L to R: Todd Scruggs, Roger Willis, Tommie Robinson, Tim Bennett, Antoine Morgan, J. D. Simpson, Ricky Miller, Robert Paulette, Jeff Miller, Carl Banks; Fifth Row L to R: Coach Gary Cuccio, Coach Charles Wilkeron, Rick Osborne, Alphonso Moore, Jeff O'Brien, Ronald Kelso, Greg Mayberry, Kevin Kendricks, Coach Coty Dickerson, Coach Ray Archer.



Home		Visitor
26	Gretna	0
49	R. Henry	0
40	Nelson	0
35	Liberty	0
37	Rustburg	6
27	Buckingham	8
41	J. Forest	8
16	Brookville	20
27	Altavista	6
33	Wm. Campbell	8

Region III Semi-Final		
0	Martinsville	6



Hut 1, Hut 2, Hut 3 ... Pop!!!
Alan Edmonds catches a sideline pass.

Going at each other nip and tuck is just a daily practice routine for Alphonso Moore & Ricky Miller.

Gridiron Specialists

With the great season recorded by the Raiders, many of the football players were bestowed honors worthy not only of county and school awards, but also of district, area, region and state recognition.

Among these highly gifted athletes were: **Kevin Ferguson:** Team's Best Back, Seminole District "Back of the Year", Seminole District "First Team-QB", Daily Advance "All-Area-QB"; **Dennis Freshman:** Lions' Club Most Valuable Back, Seminole District "Second Team-RB", Daily Advance "Honorable Mention All-Area-RB"; **Todd Scruggs:** Seminole District "First Team-C", Daily Advance "Honorable Mention All-Area-C", Region III "Second Team-C"; **Robert Paulette:** Lions' Club Most Valuable Lineman, Seminole District "Second Team-DT"; **Jody Williams:** Seminole District "First Team-WR", Daily Advance "All-Area-WR"; **Rodney Bryant:** Lions' Club Most

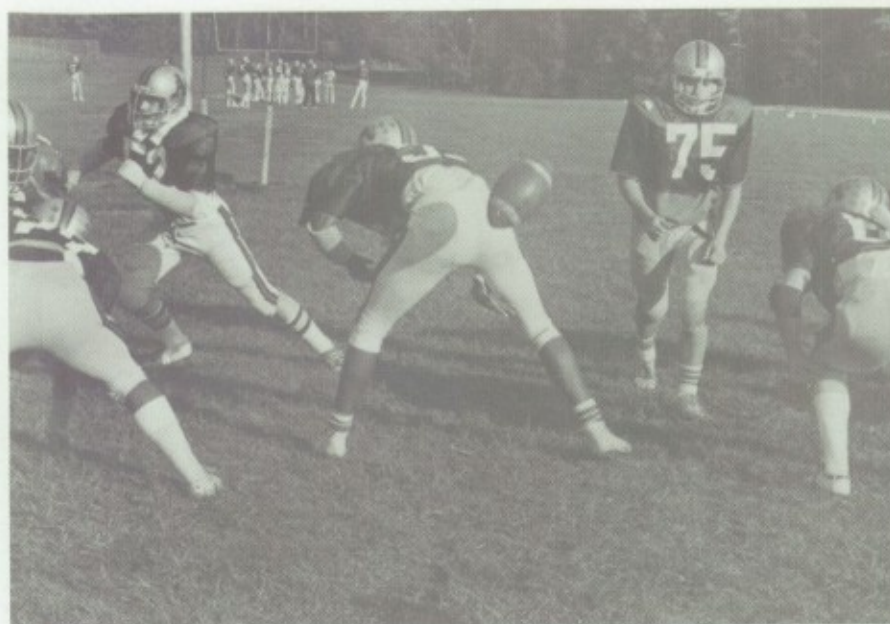
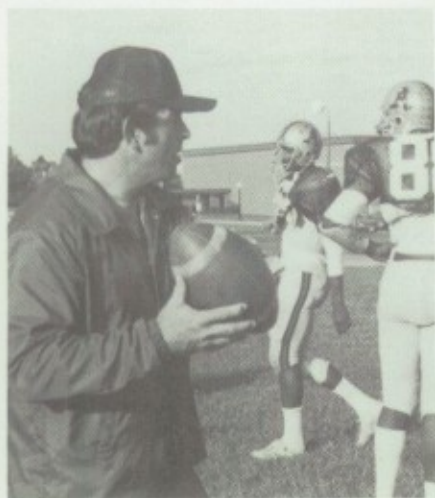
Competitive Player; **Greg Mayberry:** Team's Most Valuable Offensive Lineman, Seminole District "First Team-LB", Seminole District "Second Team-TE", Daily Advance "All-Area-LB", Region III "second Team-LB"; **Tim Bennett:** Lions' Club "Best Little Lineman", Seminole District "First Team-LB", Daily Advance "Honorable Mention All-Area-LB"; **Ricky Miller:** Seminole District "First Team-DE", Daily Advance "All-Area-DE", Region III "Second Team-DE"; **Jeff Miller:** Team's Most Valuable Defensive Lineman, Seminole District "First Team-DE", Daily Advance "All-Area-DE", Region III "First Team-DE"; **Alan Edmonds:** Team's Most Valuable Defensive Back, Seminole District "First Team-DB", Region III "Honorable Mention-DB"; and **Alphonso Moore:** Seminole District "Second Team-OG", Seminole District "second Team-DT".

Todd Scruggs centers the ball while Scott Almond & Rick Osborne go on the attack.

A smooth technique proves successful for Phil Agee.

With a firm grip on the ball Coach Wilkerson leads a drill.

At the snap of the ball Randy Marshall goes for that quarterback.





The Up-And-Comers

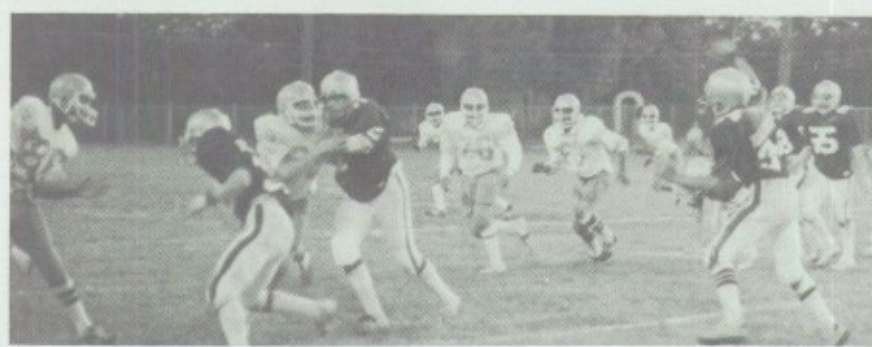
This year's winning season for the 1982 J. V. Football team added to a string of great teams put together by coaches Howard Clabough and John Pettyjohn. This year's team finished with a record of five wins and four losses and one tie.

With Alex Almond at the helm and the likes of Ron Scruggs and Russell Walton in the backfield, this group of fighting young Raiders added to the fact that the football tradition in Appomattox is number one!

A vote of confidence for Andre McCoy from Tim Mullins.

All eyes watch the J. V. action on the field.

Ronald Scruggs delivers the pass while the defense pursues.



Home		Visitor
18	P. Edward	12
8	R. Henry	16
6	Nelson	6
24	Liberty	6
18	Rustburg	29
0	Buckingham	34
0	J. Forest	28
14	Brookville	0
24	Altavista	14
22	Amelia	16



Front Row L to R: Leon Watkins, Jeff Motley, Timmy Turner, Benny Beasley, Ronald Scruggs, Russell Walton, Jeff Drinkard, Marvin Hamlett, David Mason, Ralph Mosley; Second Row L to R: Scott Dawson, Chip Garrett, Anthony Kelso, Gary Wynn, Steve Woods, Travis Ford, Jeff Williams, Alex Almond, Jeff Carwile, Steve Hamlett; Third Row L to R: Kenneth Watkins, Clinton Saunders, Tad Shumaker, Dale Robinson, Chris Dickerson, R. W. Jamerson, Brian Fletcher, Stan Slagle, Barry Phelps, Curtis Moore, Dwuane Patterson; Fourth Row L to R: Andre McCoy, Cleve Jones, Lee Drinkard, Duane Hamlet, Bryant Garriss, Sonny Martin, Tommy Richardson.

One Dynamic Dozen

The 1982 season for the Raiderette basketball team continued the tradition of good-play and good-sportsmanship that has long been a trademark of teams guided by Coach Mary Tolley.

This year's team finished the season with a regular season mark of nine wins and nine losses (10-9 overall) which placed them in the Seminole Tournament as the fifth placed team. They ended the year with a ten and ten

record (11-10 overall) following a tough playoff game against eventual Seminole District and Region III champions, the Liberty Minuettes.

The season was packed full of excitement as senior captain Ruby Smith surpassed the school scoring record by finishing her career with 1572 points, scoring 477 points this season and averaging 22.7 points per game.

Also, senior Robin Paulette set a single season assist record by recording 76 dish-offs to her teammates.

Congratulations go out to Coach Tolley and her dynamic dozen for their accomplishments during a season of good basketball.

Coach Tolley presents Ruby Smith with the school record scoring plaque.

The Raiderettes celebrate another victory.

Coach Tolley advises her team on the game-plan strategy.



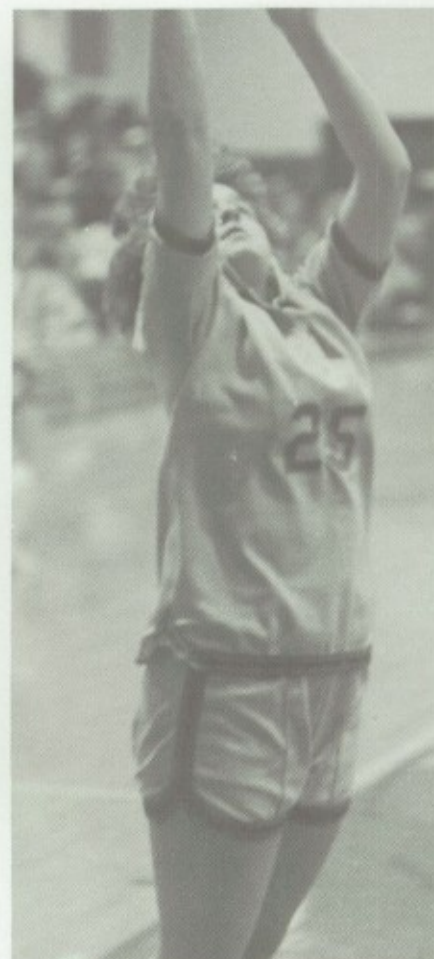
Ruby Smith demonstrates the ideal finger-roll.



Home	Visitor	Our own future Sports Illustrated cover-girl, Ruby Smith.
33 Gretna	56	
58 Wm. Campbell	45	The players look on as Ruby Smith shoots a jumper.
44 J. Forest	41	
63 R. Henry	53	
42 Nelson	37	Kaye Brown anticipates the board.
37 Altavista	45	
35 Brookville	32	
39 Liberty	66	
43 Buckingham	46	
53 Rustburg	52	
36 Gretna	46	
47 Wm. Campbell	38	
39 J. Forest	43	
48 Nelson	30	
33 Altavista	56	
54 Brookville	26	
47 Liberty	62	
33 Buckingham	36	
50 Rustburg	26	
Seminole District Tournament		
42 Buckingham	31	
49 Liberty	58	



Kneeling L to R: Robin Paulette, Ruby Smith & Cheryl Williams. Back L to R: Coach Tolley, Tammy Martin, Donna Dickerson, Delores Smith, Sandra Watkins, Kaye Brown, Sally Coleman, Lisa Pannell, Beverly Bennett, and Kelly Tolley (manager).



Eyes on the goal is a necessity for Tammy Martin as she attempts a jumper.

Robin Paulette hams it up, while the other players take matters seriously.

Robin Paulette & Donna Terry sing the national anthem before the ballgame.





Hudson's Hoopsters

The J.V. Raiderettes began the 1982 fall season with new talent, great potential, and a brand new coach. First year leader Robert Hudson turned a group of excited young hoopsters into a well-conditioned, organized basketball team.

Although they won only two games and finished with a two and eleven record, they demonstrated eagerness to win and spirit which are marks of a team that is on the right path.



Kneeling L to R: Janice Foster, Coach Hudson & Janet Smith. Back L to R: Nina Abbitt, Jewel McCoy, Darlene Ferguson, Flo Fleshman, Nancy Woolridge, Traci Moore, Rhonda Carter, Yolanda Trent, Kathy Jones, Renee Harris & Aretha Johnson.



Home

- 30 J. Forest
- 17 Altavista
- 19 Brookville
- 19 Liberty
- 26 Buckingham
- 36 Rustburg
- 24 J. Forest
- 36 Nelson
- 20 Altavista
- 34 Brookville
- 17 Liberty
- 32 Buckingham
- 31 Rustburg

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Concentrating on the attempted shot Nancy Woolridge & Janet Smith look for the rebound.

The pressure is intense as Nancy Woolridge attempts to pass off.

With a tied ballgame, the team looks at the scoreboard with anticipation.

Janice Foster goes up for the jump ball and they're off.

WHAT A COMEBACK!

The winning tradition which had become customary at Appomattox was continued as the guidance of 3rd year head coach **Coty Dickerson**, had a very interesting and successful season. After a heartbreaking 2-6 start which saw the Raiders lose many one and 2-point games, the Raiders got their act together and finished at 12-6, 12-8 overall, good for a second place finish in what was a tight race at the stretch.

The Raider attack was led by co-captain and senior standout **Kevin Ferguson** who averaged 17.2 pts. per game and 8.3 rebounds per game. His co-captain teammate, **Jeff Miller**, also played a very important role in the Raider success. He led the team in rebounds averaging 10.3 per game and also led the team in blocked shots with 42. Another senior **Rick**

Caldwell, directed the Raider offense while also averaging 12.8 pts. per game to provide one of the best one-two scoring punches in the district.

All of the Raiders fit their roles well and provided a nucleus of players that made their own specialized contributions.

After the regular season ended, the Raiders ended the district tournament seeded second losing in the finals to eventual regular-season and tournament champion Gretna Hawks, but the second-place tournament finish was good enough to give them a berth in the Regional tournament held in Staunton River.

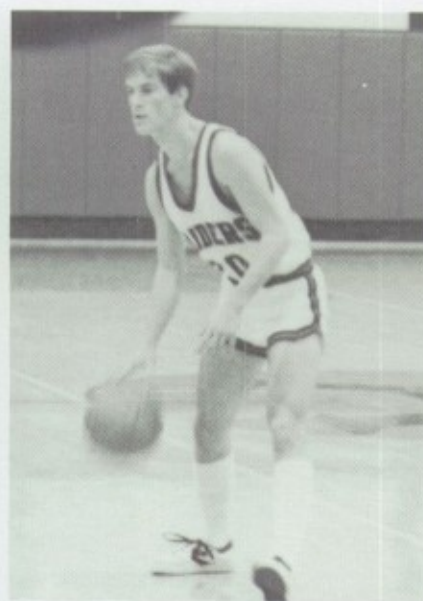
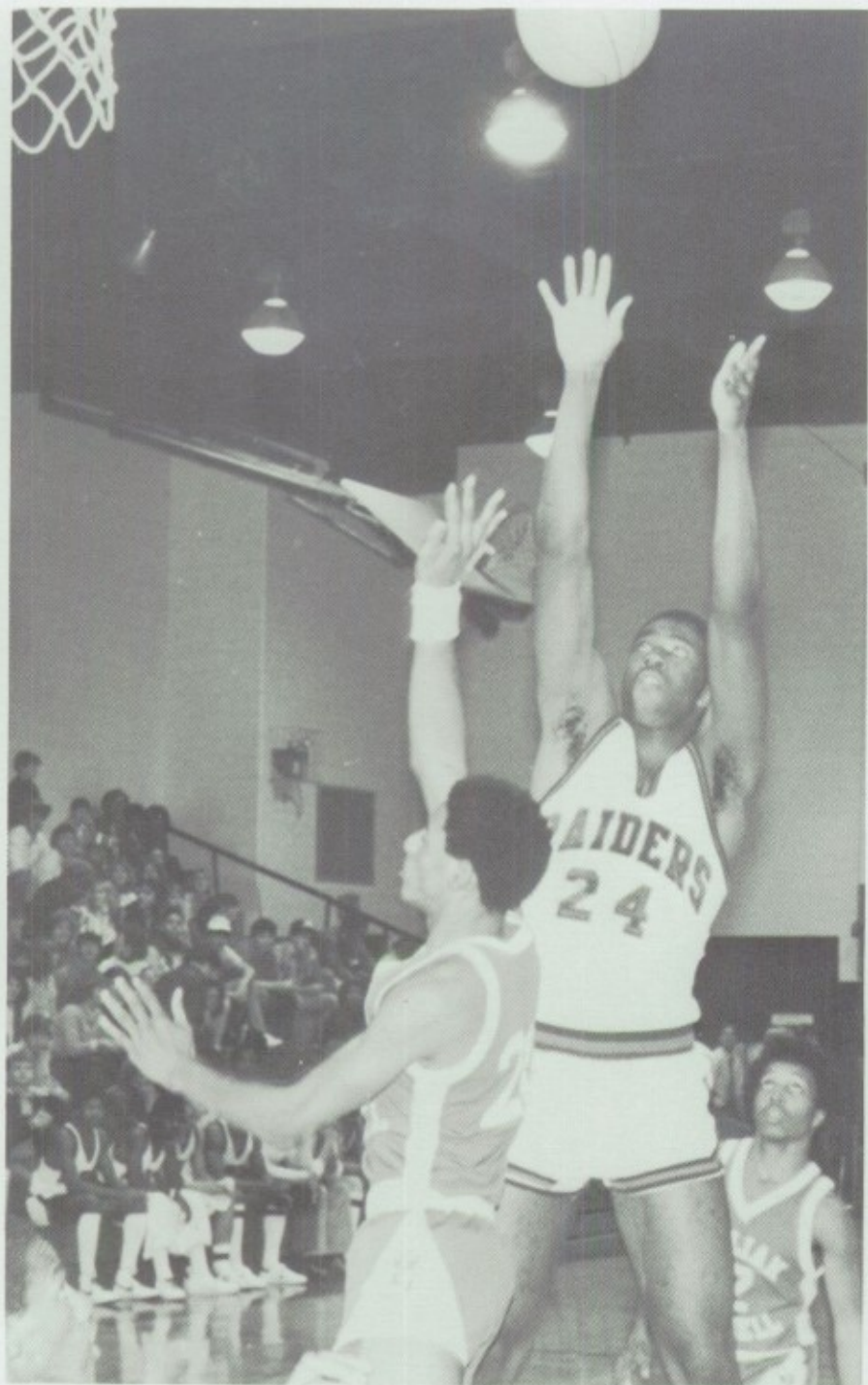
Everybody knows what **Kevin Ferguson** is going to do with this ball!!

Gary Ferguson puts the shake-rattle dippy-doo and roll move on this Altavista player.



Front Row: **Jeff Miller** and **Kevin Ferguson**; Back Row: **Coach Bob Hudson**, **Darrell Conner**, **Gary Ferguson**, **Kinckle Robinson**, **Derwin Harvey**, **Todd Scruggs**, **Mike Jackson**, **Ricky Miller**, **Bobby Carter**, **Tim Austin**, **Rick Caldwell**, **Coach Coty Dickerson**, and **John Hurt**.





Jeff Miller gives out a lesson on the smooth jumper.

Keeping an eye out for the open man is Rick Caldwell.

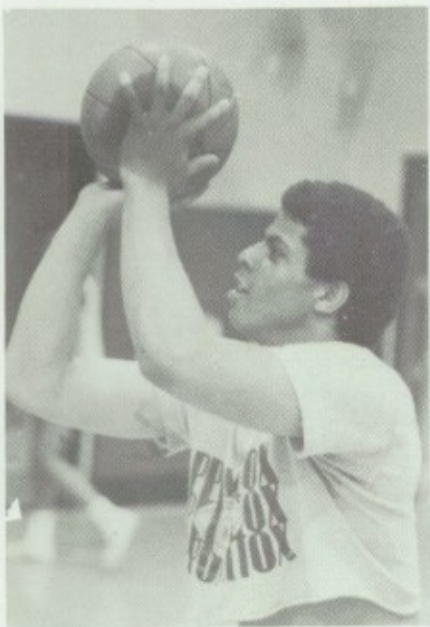
A Raider huddle finds Coach Dickerson checking to see how much time is left.

Todd Scruggs makes this basket FOR SURE!!

Ricky Miller makes the easy two while Bobby Carter and Gary Ferguson look on.



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W Wm. Campbell	L
L Amherst	W
L Jefferson Forrest	W
L Nelson	W
L Altavista	W
W Brookville	L
L Amherst	W
W Liberty	L
W Buckingham	L
W Rustburg	L
L Gretna	W
L Wm. Campbell	W
W Jefferson Forrest	L
W Nelson	L
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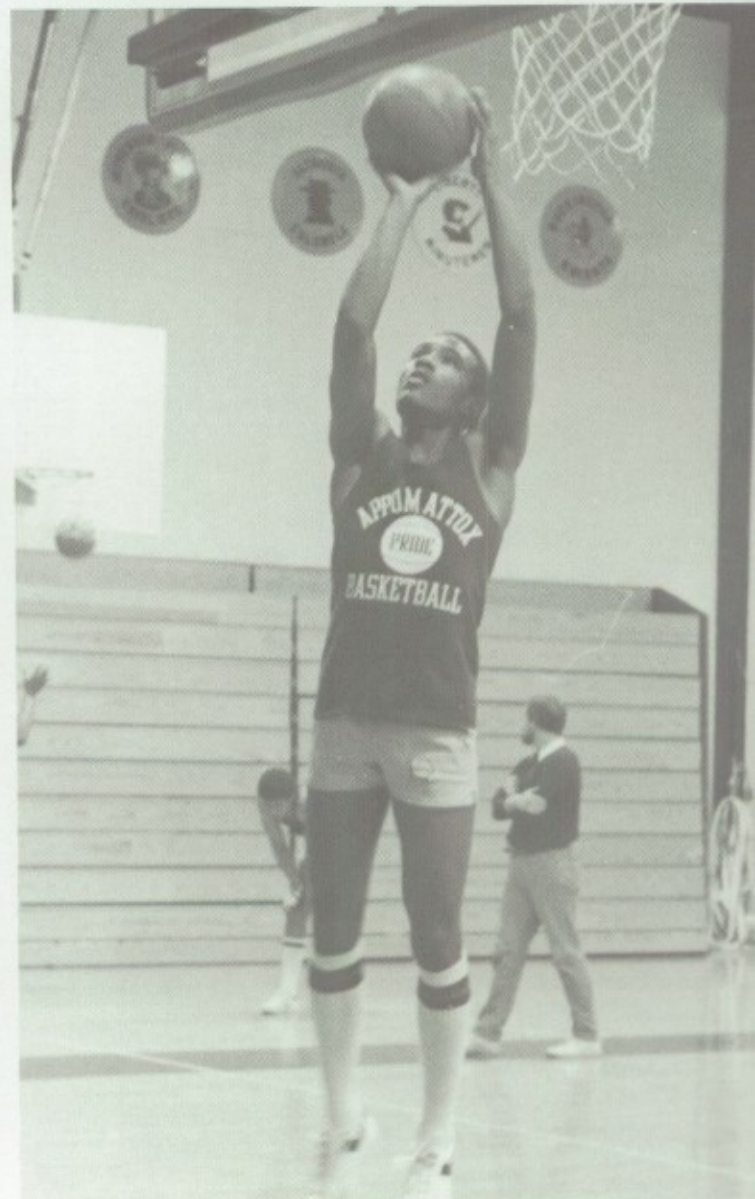
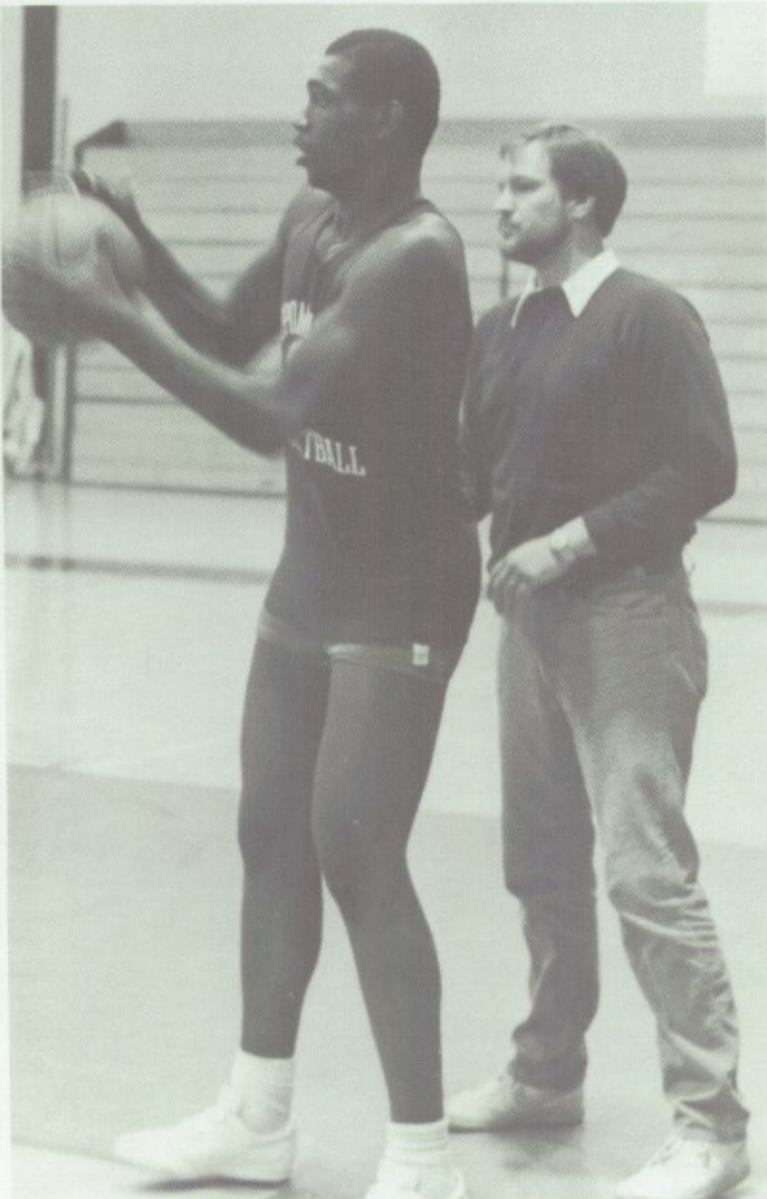


Gary Ferguson — looks for the back door.

Working on his jump shot, Kevin Ferguson concentrates.

Coach Hudson looks at **Ricky Miller's** pivot.

Todd Scrugg's takes it up for two.



The Junior Varsity Raiders Never Gave Up!!

J.V. Raider Basketball Schedule

Gretna
William Campbell
Amherst
Jefferson Forest
Nelson
Altavista
Amherst
Liberty
Buckingham
Rustburg
Gretna
Jefferson Forest
William Campbell
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The Appomattox J.V. Raider Basketball team had another fine season under the leadership of **Coach Pettyjohn**. The J.V. Raiders were sparked by such players as **Charles Ferguson** who led the team in rebounding as well as having a great shooting touch. Another fine shot on the team was point guard **Kinckle Robinson** who led scoring with 220 points. **John Hurt**, also a great scorer, led the

team in steals. **Timmy Austin**, plagued most of the year by an ankle injury, came back to play an important role in some of the final games of the season. The Raiders played well all year, losing a couple of close ones thus hurting their record. But the Raiders never gave up "even when it looked like it was over. They're some of the hardest workers I've ever coached."



The J.V. Raiders from L to R mgr. Jeff Carwile, Anthony Kelso, Mike Ferguson, Tom Cobb, Jack Baker, Charles Ferguson, Darren Tolley, Cleve Jones, Brett Marston, Coach Pettyjohn mgr. Darrell Conner, Captains John Hurt, Tim Austin, Kinckle Robinson.



Mike Ferguson takes the jumper.

Trying to make the one & one Charles Ferguson uses the soft touch.

John Hurt mixes it up at practice.

We've Got Spirit . . .

The job of the 1982-83 varsity cheerleaders officially began after spring tryouts last year. The girls practiced everyday until cheerleading camp.

When the fall season began, they were quickly swallowed up by long hours of hard work. Along with cheering for varsity football, they also had to cheer for most of the girls' basketball games and plan the programs for the pep rallies. After all this, they tumbled head-long into another big season, varsity boys' basketball.

One rather unusual circumstance for the cheerleaders was the repeated change of faces on the squad. Only seven

original squad members managed to finish the season. But anyone watching these spirit-filled girls would certainly have labeled them all veteran performers. Maybe it's time we stood up and gave a cheer for them.

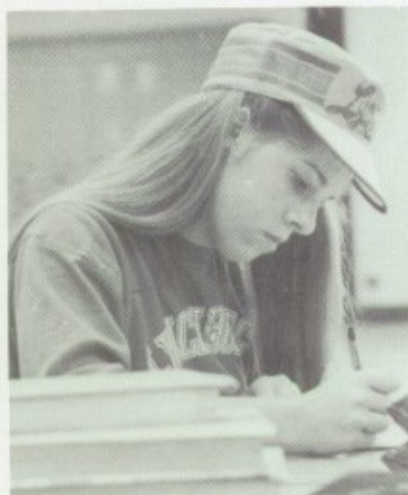
Kim Maxwell watches the play in awe.



Top row: Gina McCormick, Sylvia Trent, and Anne Caldwell; Middle row: Eve Thomas, Lisa Puckett, and Kim Maxwell; Bottom row: Heather Williams, Suzette Ranson, Joanie Canada, and Eileen O'Donnell.

Anne concentrates as Lisa holds her up.

Spare time leaves Lisa to do homework.



Yes We Do!

After spring tryouts, this year's J.V. cheerleaders also went to work, although not at cheerleading camp. And their fall season was almost as hectic as the varsity cheerleaders'. They cheered the J.V. football games along with a few girls'

basketball games. Most of the girls on the squad were freshmen, and for these girls life was a complicated matter of juggling pressures of cheering two and three nights a week with getting used to high school life and all its extra homework. But like their varsity counterparts, the J.V. squad pulled off one super season.

Renee, Leslie, and Anne watch intently.



Clockwise from left: Sherri Wilcox, Angela Banks, Anne Hancock, JoAnn Jamerson, Leslie Ranson, Betsy Wingfield, Lisa Harrison, Renee Simmons, Michelle Romanac, and Norma Richardson.



Anne and Michelle practice their stunt.

The ceiling is a little bit low for this one, Anne.

Got To Have That Teamwork

The Raiderette Volleyball team had a very exciting and successful year, completing their season with a record of 8-0.

The Raiderette's on defeating Liberty for the first time during Mrs. Harris' coaching career, gave us a truly awesome game. The match went into four games with Liberty winning the first game and Appomattox the next three.

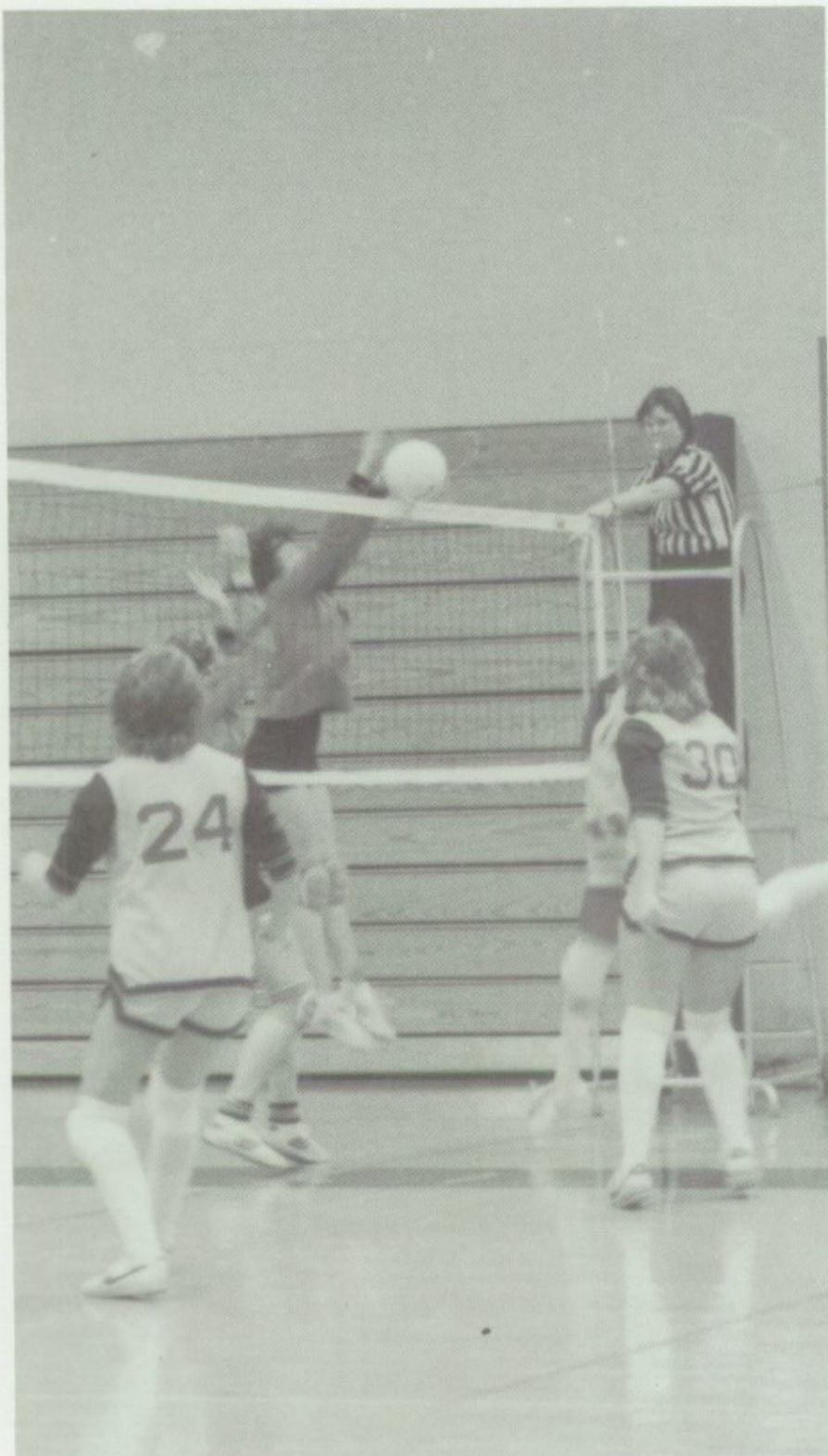
Defeating Altavista required that all five games be played. Appomattox, after losing the first two games and being on the verge of

their first defeat, streaked by the Colonelettes and kept their unblemished season alive.

Probably the most exciting game of the year was when the undefeated Cavaliettes for their final game of the season pulled off yet another victory.

The Raiderette's went to the District tournament undefeated and were guaranteed to play in the Regional tournament.

Congratulations Raiderettes for a job well done.



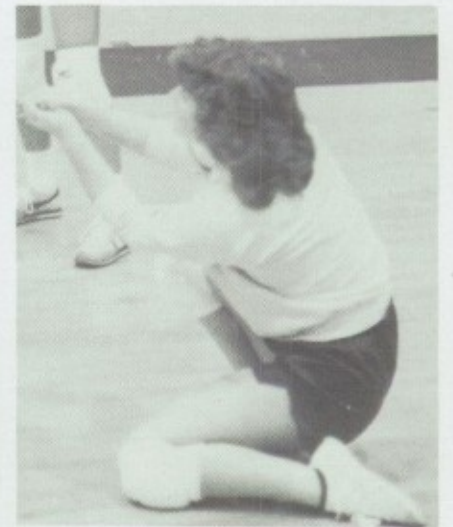
The Raiderette front line waits patiently to see where the ball is going.

Mrs. Harris explains a new strategy between games.





Kneeling L to R: captains; Patty Roach, Ruby Smith & Suzan Eye; 2nd row L to R: Karen Stevens, Janice Campbell, Kim Shupe, Tandra Hamlet, Diann Harvey, Beverly Bennett; 3rd row L to R: Coach Harris, Marcia Cheatham, Delores Smith, Sally Coleman, Kim Shupe, Sheila Mullins, Sherri Purcell.



Home	Visitor
W Gretna	L
W Rustburg	L
W Wm. Campbell	L
W Nelson	L
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W Altavista	L
W Brookville	L
W J. Forest	L

Seminole District Champions

Kim Shupe goes up for another dink.

Patty Roach gets low for a bump.

Hustle, Team, Hustle



"Practice makes perfect" is what Patty Roach says when putting up another set.

Suzan Eye prepares to complete a bump for a bump, set, spike.

Doing what she does best, Ruby Smith puts over another spike.

The Raiderette's huddle up for a pep talk during a time out.

Marcia Cheatham shows her when doing a bump.

The Raiderette's set up for a serve from the opponent.





Fellows Who Swing

The ACHS Golf team experienced one of their best golf seasons in ACHS history finishing the regular season with an eleven and four record leading them into the district tournament seeded second.

Here they had very high expectations of finishing at least second and going on to the regional tournament,

but it was not to be. It was one of those bad days that no one can help.

Doug Marshall, the new golf team coach, had a productive season and looks forward to many more. Although the Raiders didn't have the year they'd anticipated, always remember, we've always had it and always will.



Front L to R: Chris Tolley, Darrell Conner, Freddy Lawson, Johnny Fedison, Ray Richardson, M.J. House. Back L to R: Mike Williams, Jay Stewart, Bobby Carter, Timmy Almond, R.L. Waldo, (coach) Doug Marshall.

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2 Nelson, Rustburg, Brookville	1 M.J. House or the next Jack Nicholas?
3 Nelson, Alleghany, Covington	0 Chris Tolley displays the summer look, complete with a 5-iron.
0 Nelson, Rustburg, Brookville	3 Mike Williams takes a swing with an expression of intense concentration.
3 Nelson, Rustburg, Brookville	0 Taking aim, Freddy Lawson goes for the ace.
3 Nelson, Rustburg, Brookville	0
District Tournament	
3rd Place	

YEAR OF WINNERS

The sports program at Appomattox County High School has done a truly commendable job this year as most all of the sporting teams here have had winning or championship seasons.

The Raider Football team, with a 9-1 season record, and the Raiderette Volleyball team, with an 8-0 record, each won Seminole District

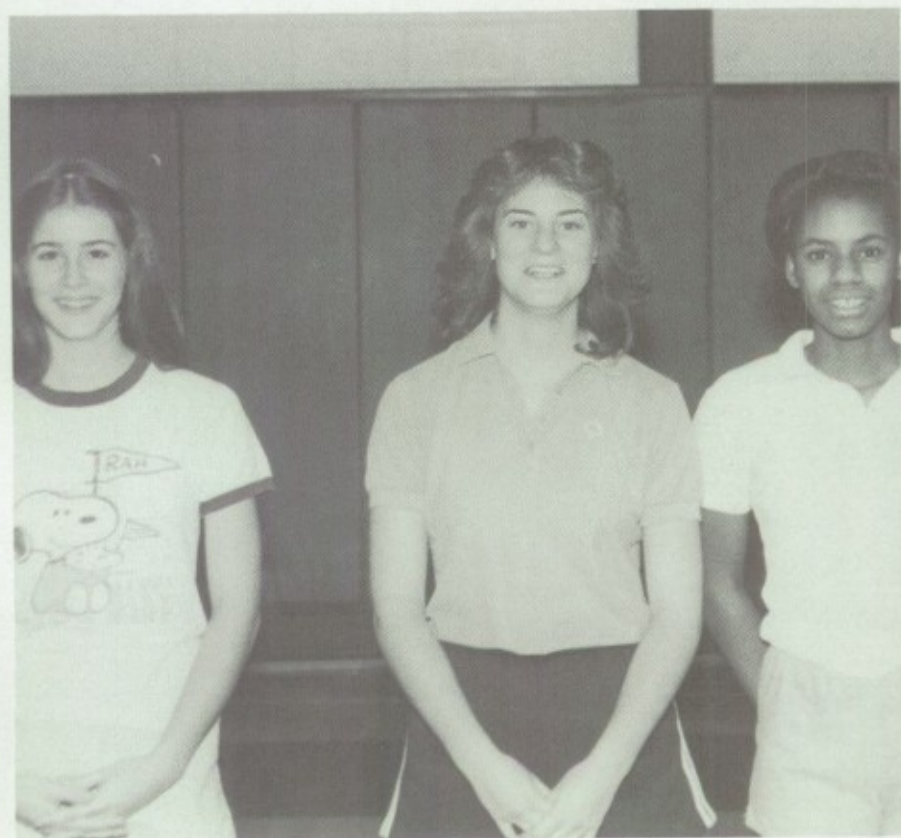
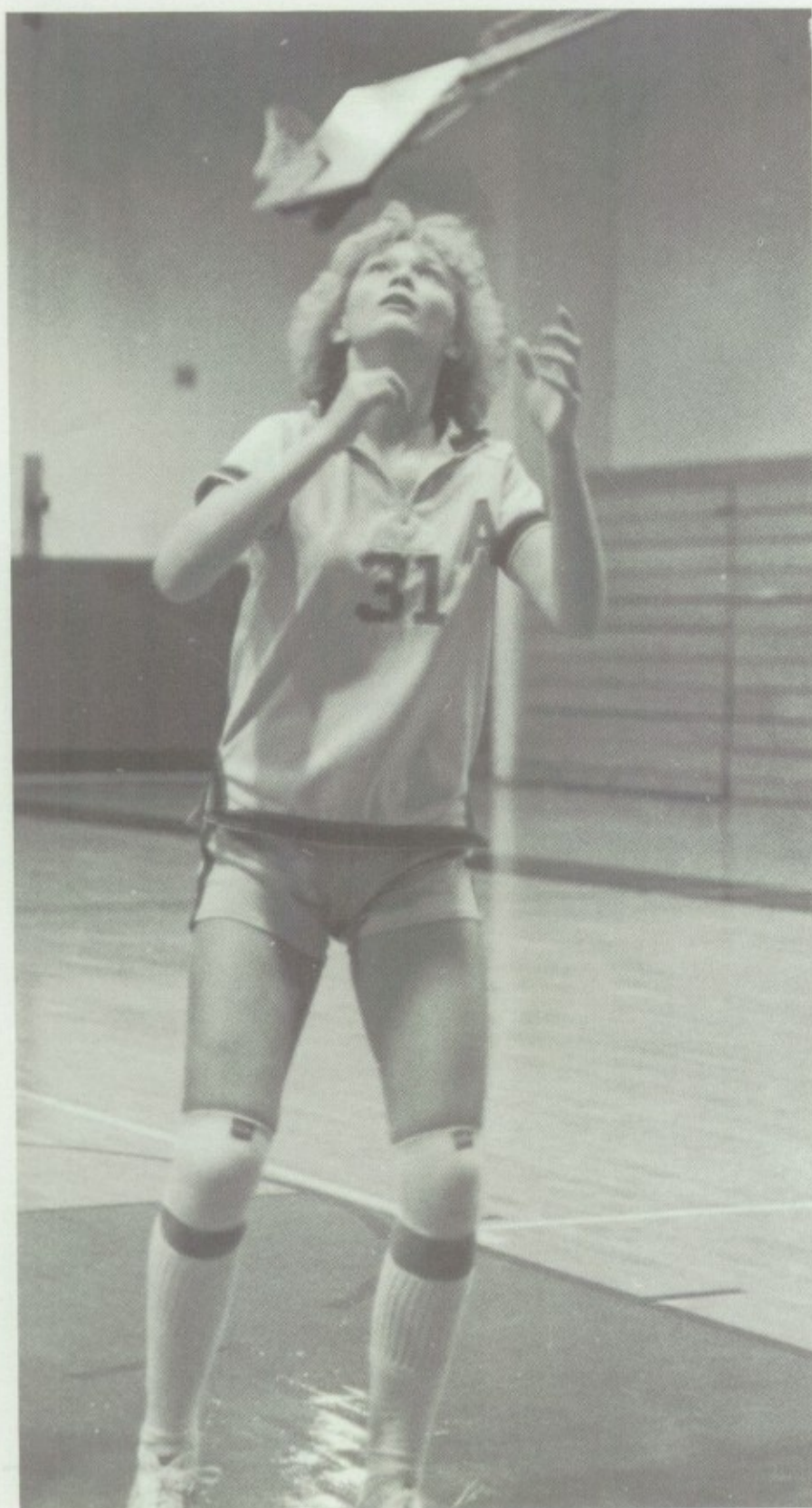
titles along with berths in the Regional championships. Also, the Raider Basketball team placed in regional play with a second place season and tournament finish. Along with these teams, Raider Golf finished tied for first in the regular season championship, while the Girls' Basketball team and J.V. Football teams each finished with winning records also.

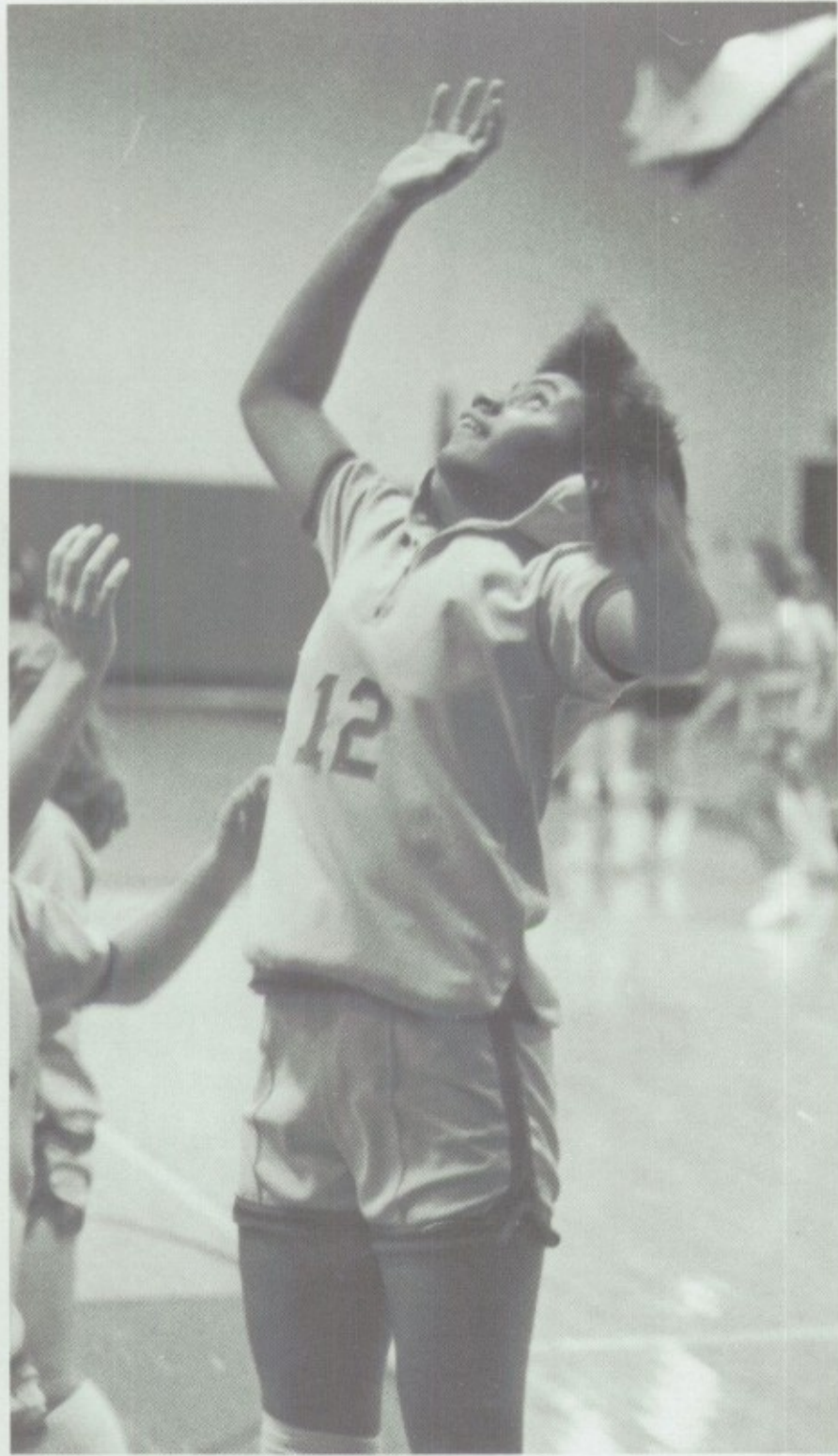
We should all stand up and give a cheer for the athletes, coaches, parents, and fans who have made a year to be proud of in sports.

Alan Edmonds receives award from Coach Cuccio at awards banquet.

Awaiting rebound is Traci Moore during Girls' J.V. game.

Raiderette Volleyball tri-captains: Suzan Eye, Patty Roach, and Ruby Smith.





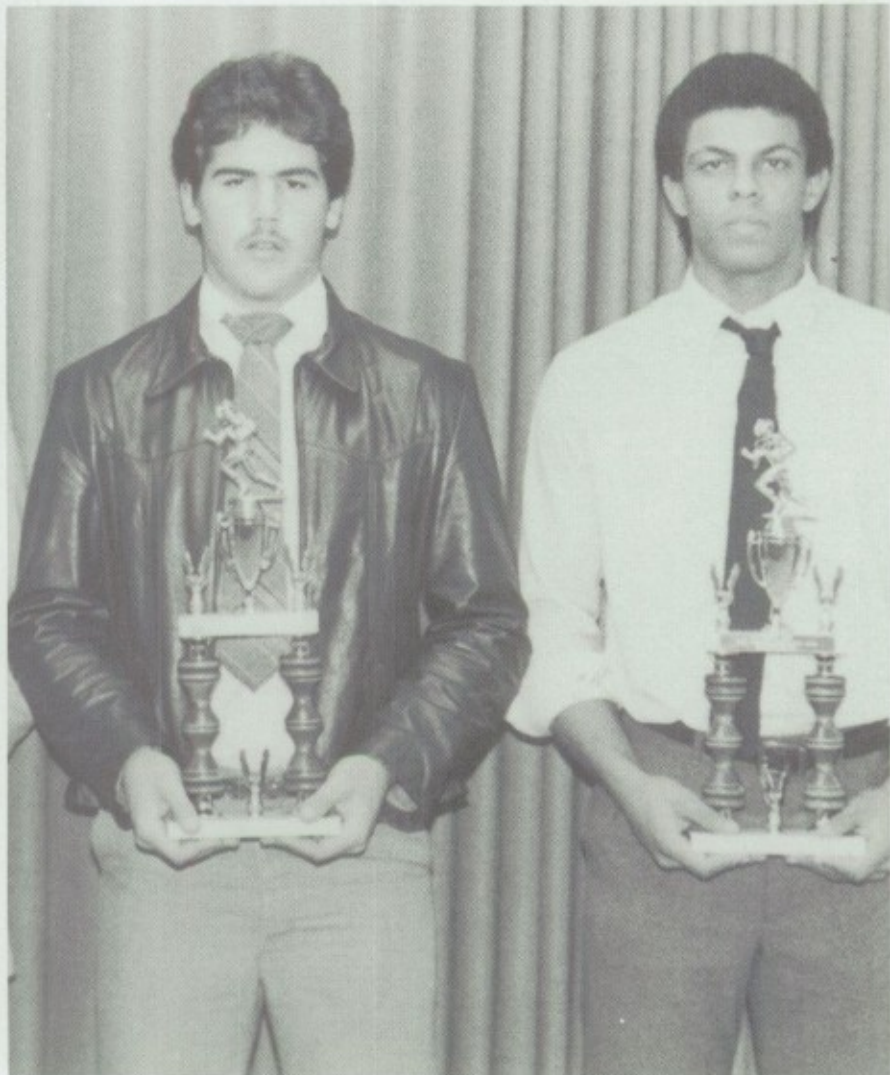
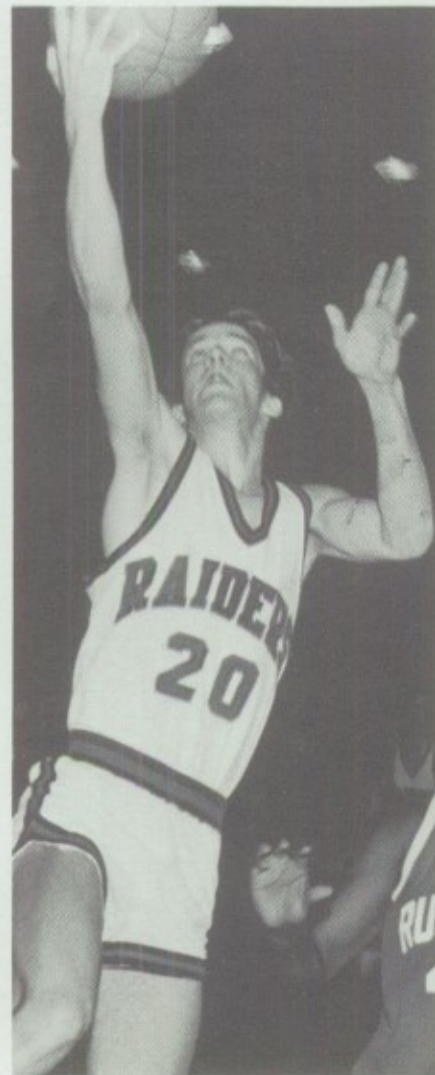
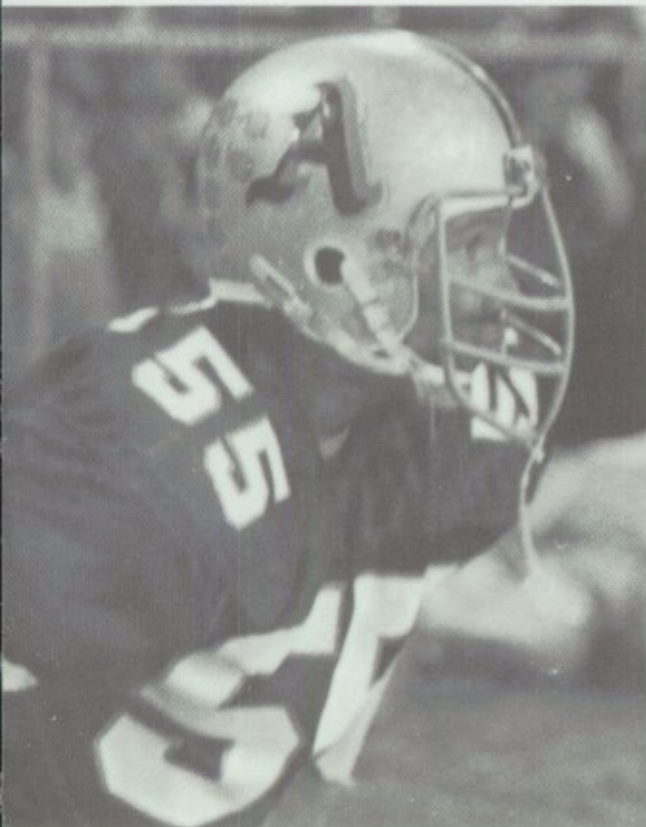
Ruby Smith anticipates the ball off of the board.

Demonstrating that championship swing is Bobby Carter.

Todd Scruggs watches the action on the field with great attention.

Another easy two for Rick Caldwell.

Trophy winning football performers Greg Mayberry and Kevin Ferguson.



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Heads Of Their Class

The ACHS National Honor Society almost doubled its size as 30 new members were inducted this year. Students were chosen on the basis of their demonstration of the qualities of scholarship, service, leadership, and character.

Starting off the year was a career program involving four community members. Then donning their newest fashions, NHS members modeled their versions of the 1983 Vogue winter fashions at their November gathering.

Shortly thereafter, the annual NHS banquet, perhaps the highlight of the scholars' year, took place on November 30th. Inducting new members and awarding bars and letters to those members who maintained a 3.5 or better cumulative average topped the agenda.

While anxious thoughts of Santa Claus and Christmas break filled everyone's mind, they didn't overshadow the social consciousness shared by NHS members as they served as sponsors to a welfare family.

Our NHS members, easily can be characterized as those who "always have and always will" strive to serve their school; and their community.

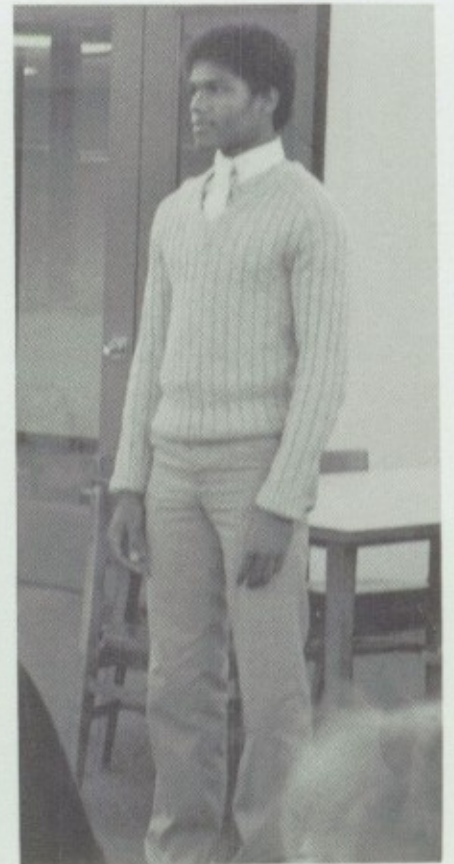


The NHS officers attend a before school meeting with sponsor, Emilia Racer.

Lloyd, Walton, guest speaker at the 1982 NHS banquet, feasts along with his family.

The 1983 NHS officers: Emilia Racer (Sponsor), James Beaty (Pres.), Susan Morris (1st-VP), Nancy Morris (2nd-VP), Kim Maxwell (Sec.), Laura Walton (Treas.), Patty Roach (Reporter), and Donna Layne (Chap.).





Patricia Chandler adds canned goods to the gifts donated for the NHS welfare family.

Socializing and snacking occupy Janice Abernathy and Jennifer Inge at the reception for new members.

Modeling his own winter fashion for 1983 is senior, Derwin Harvey.

Timmy Almond signs the NHS pledge at the induction ceremony.

Our Entertainers In The Limelight

A play at ACHS begins with a variety of students sitting in the first few rows of the auditorium nervously anticipating Director Sweet's voice calling you to center stage to "try out". After a shaky reading in front of at least twenty people, you go home sure you didn't get a part. Finally, it's time to go to school "the morning after". You dread seeing the cast list on Director Sweet's English room door; but you head in that direction anyway. There, all the names of the cast and crew members appear and rehearsal is ready to begin.

This past fall, *Portrait of Jennie* came alive at ACHS in this exact manner. The following were given a chance to show off their acting ability. **David Williams** became Eben Adams, a young artist in search of success, and **Richard Hamlett** was his source of encouragement in the role of Gus. The mysterious young girl, Jennie, who

became Eben's means of success was portrayed by **Susan Morris, Maria King** and **Renee Harris** brought comic relief to the drama as they played the respective roles of Mrs. Jekes, the nosy landlady, and Anna, her dreamy-eyed daughter. The art gallery buyers, Mr. Matthews and Miss Spinney, received a breath of life from **J.C. Rogers** and **Kelley Bowen**. Brother and sister, Arne and Britta, were given life as **Ray Goode** and **Lydell Wright** acted as sibling rivals so aptly. **Dawn Pittsenburger**, assistant director, **Richard Connor**, stage manager, and **Donna Layne**, publicity director, all worked to keep things running smoothly. **Director Sweet** helped bring the story of a young artist and a mysterious girl from two worlds into reality.

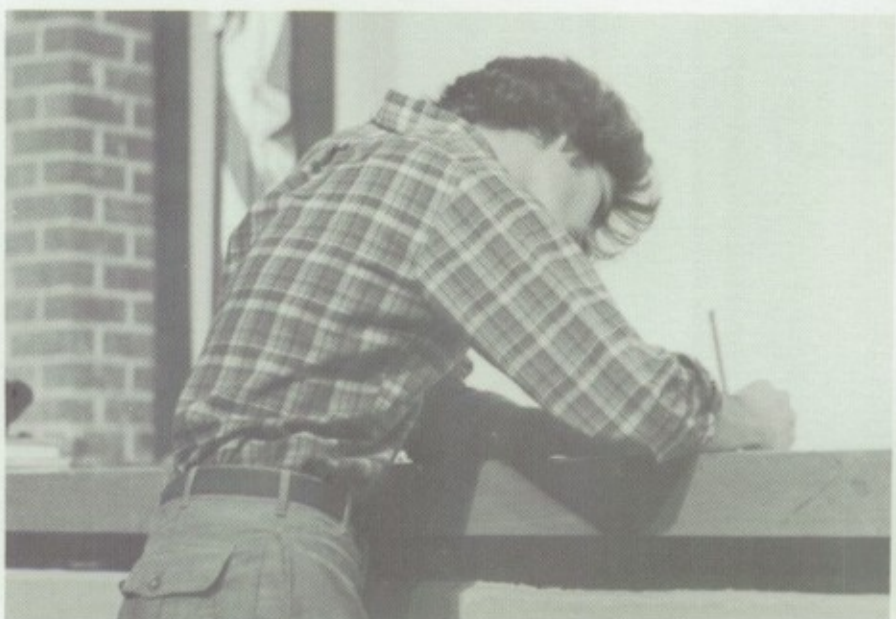
The one time the club receives formal recognition for their hard work is with the One Act Play Festival. This year, the district and regional competition was held at Rustburg High School. ACHS entered *The Ugly Duckling* by A.A. Milne. This play was a bit of a change as **Director Sweet** chose a comedy over a drama. The cast and crew did a marvelous job and are congratulated for making ACHS among the best once again.

With help from Gus (**Richard Hamlett**), Eben gets his first break when Miss Spinney (**Kelley Bowen**) comes to visit.

Moving up in the art world requires long hours at the easel for Eben (**David Williams**).

Ben Martin takes the first step — he fills out a casting sheet.

Drama Club officers: Pres. — **Susan Morris**, V. Pres. — **Ben Martin**, Sec. — **Dawn Pittsenberger**, Tech. — **Cecil Jacobs**, Pub. Dir. — **Donna Layne**.





Jennie (Susan Morris) tries to make Eben (David Williams) understand that she must go.

Arne (Ray Goode) and Mrs. Jekes (Maria King) show contrasting views of Eben.

Gayle Pugh makes sure that she gets Emily's points across.

It took an assorted cast of rising amateurs to make Portrait of Jennie a success.



Working To Get The ACHS Scoop

In October, December, March, and May, students and faculty members got the real scoop concerning the life and people of ACHS. No, **People** magazine didn't have us in their headlines, but the **Raider Review** definitely did. And **Phillip Agee** and **Jennifer Inge** also kept the county filled in on ACHS happenings by writing the weekly "Raider Review" for the **Times Virginian**.

Under a new sponsor, **Mrs. Edwina Covington**, the staff continued working hard and used tips received from the judging of last year's paper (which won second place in the VA High School League's Newspaper Division) to improve this year's issues. Comparing the **Raider Report** to other high school newspapers also gave the staff more ideas for improvement. All of us at ACHS certainly agree that the **Raider Report** staff has done a good job of keeping us up-to-date and will do so for years to come. Our paper is number one this year, at least in the eyes of ACHSers.

The 1982-1983 Newspaper Staff.

Preparing the **Raider Review** is a weekly duty for **Jennifer Inge** and **Phillip Agee**.



Typist **Nancy Morris** works to meet the deadline.

Mrs. Covington gives **Lydell Wright** another helpful tip.

Reviewing the last issue of the **Raider Report** helps **Terri Nash**.





Oh, Those Deadlines!

Layouts, cameras, and deadlines were terms added to the working vocabularies of nine new members of the 1983 **Traveler** staff, who along with four veterans, quickly became accustomed to the pressures and headaches involved in producing a yearbook.

After the initial "breaking in," the staff conferred to come up with this year's **Traveler** theme, "Always had it, always will."

Approaching the first deadline, nerves were on edge as layouts were completed, pictures cropped, and copy fit; while the thought "Did I do it right?" passed through every mind.

Producing a yearbook is

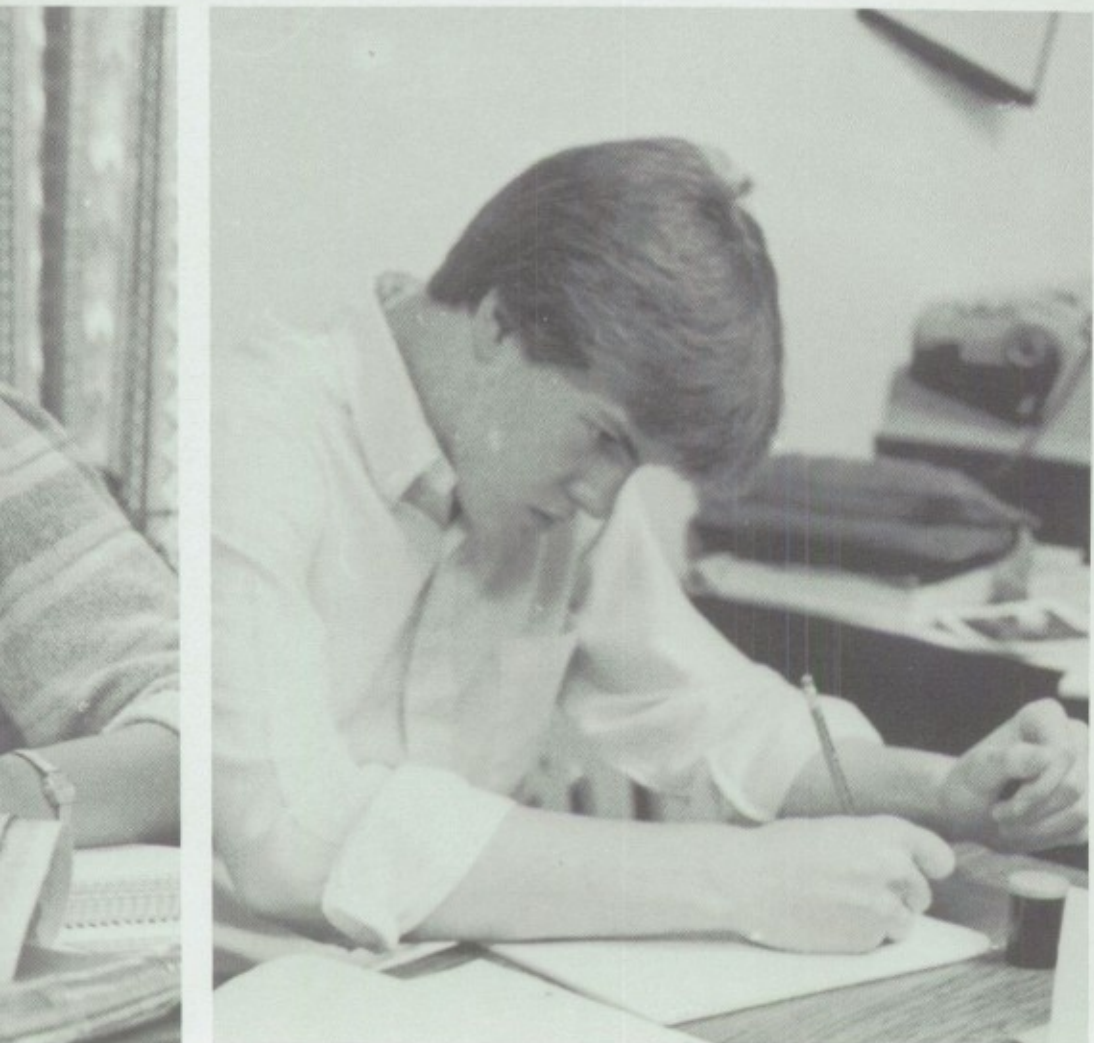
never easy and it was no different for the 1983 staff. We've had our share of mixed-up deadlines, misplaced layouts, and ruined film. Despite these minor hang-ups, with the guidance of **Brenda Waldron**, the staff succeeded in its effort to produce the 1983 **Traveler**. We, as a staff, have only one feeling to express, "We've done our best, hope you like it!"

While finalizing the deadline, Laurie Cowan sights a possible problem.

Kevin Kendrick finds out that writing copy sometimes requires intense thought.

The yearbook clutter and the camera drawer capture **James Beaty's** attention.

The 1983 **Traveler** staff.



Still Going Strong

At the beginning of the school year the very existence of the Forensics club looked very questionable. But thanks to **Mrs. Linda Archer** (sponsor) and **Mrs. Joyce Sweet** (coach) the club was put back on its feet.

In November, club members sold cookies for a fund raiser. On January 5 the club held its first

in-school competition to determine the students who were to enter the district competition held at Brookville on February 24. The students sent to district to represent the Forensics club were the following in these categories: Poetry — **Karen Stevens, Ben Martin**; Prose — **Kathy Parsons, David Williams**; Spelling — **Kelly Bowen**.

Thinking it through about the competition — **David Williams**.

Ben Martin reciting a poem.



Library Club

Purpose — To encourage more use of the library by students.



1982-83 Library Club Officers: Sponsor — **Mrs. Glover**, President — **Maria King**, Vice President — **Teresa Austin**, Secretary — **Susan Booker**, Program Chairman — **Ronald Thornhill**, Reporter — **Jeff Fanny**



Tiffany Royal and **Lisa Daubenspeck** trying out for the spelling competition.



1982-83 Forensics Officers: Sponsor — **Mrs. Linda Archer**, President — **Kathy Parsons**, Vice President — **Jill Noble**, Secretary — **Todd Nash**, Treasurer — **Karen Stevens**, Reporter — **Jeff Miller**.

A Stroke of Genius



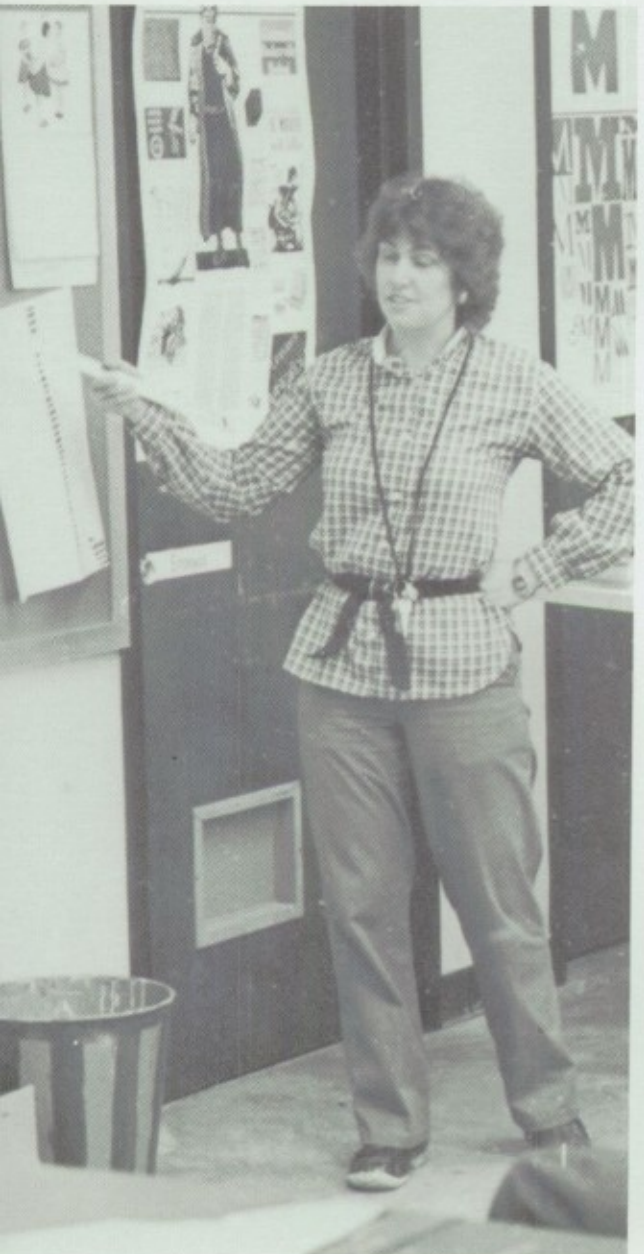
It has been another interesting year for the A.C.H.S. Art Club. Their itinerary was lined up from the beginning of the year to the end. They began their activities by participating in the annual Railroad Day Parade, where they raised money with their successful picture taking booth. They also took part in the homecoming Parade and the Art Show, which are presented yearly.



The main project undertaken by this active club was their involvement with the children in the Elementary School. During each holiday season, several members would take art work pertaining to that particular holiday and show the students how to make each project.

This club had many fund raising activities to help them raise money for a trip to Richmond. Here, they would have a full day of both educational and enjoyable activities.

The Art Club of A.C.H.S. has always displayed a great talent and pride in their work, and will continue to do so in the future.



The 1982-83 Art Club.

Jeannice Bartelt and Charlene Lewis think team work is the best way.



President Cindy Clark prepares for the next meeting.

Mrs. Richardson tells how it's done.



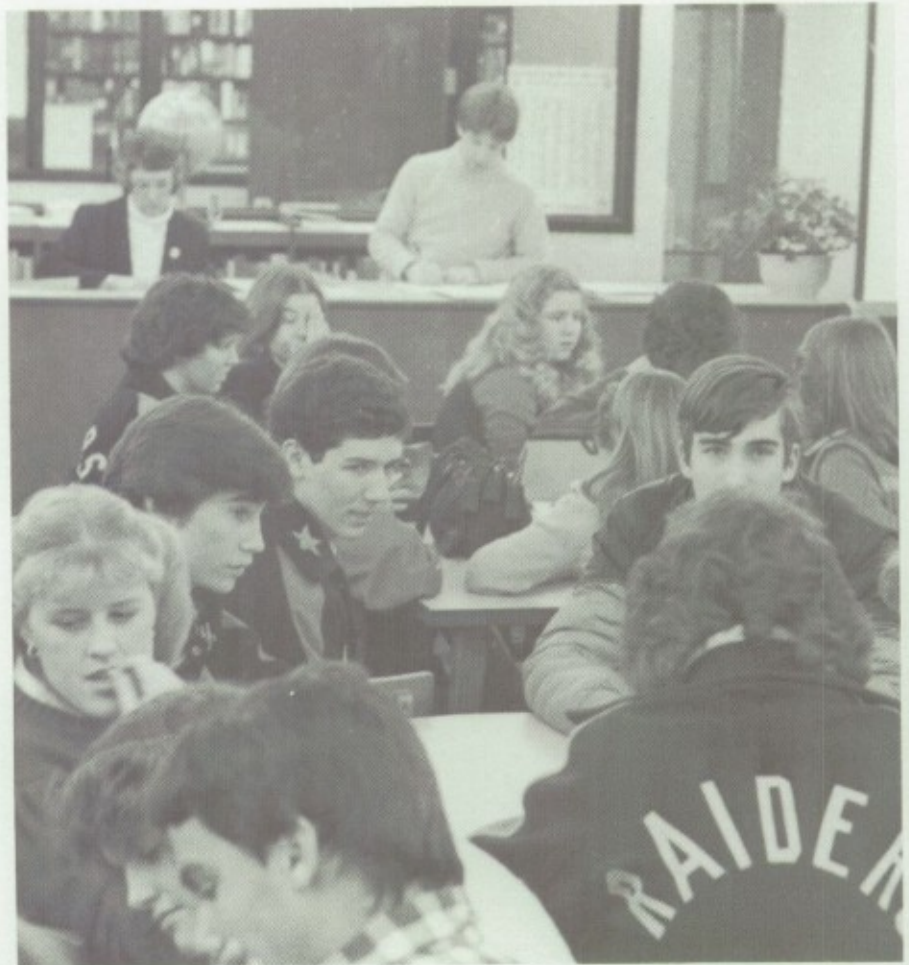
Walter Hurt takes a few pointers from the sponsor.

Inveniamus Viam

The members of the 1982-83 Latin Club had an eventful, as well as educational school year. The club, sponsored by **Mr. Thomas Terry**, studied ancient Rome cultures, the history of Roman architecture, and cities of ancient Rome. In addition, the Latin Club participated in Homecoming float competition and sponsored a fund-raising bake sale during Railroad Day. The International Dinner provided club members a chance to demonstrate their culinary

creativity, as each member prepared a European dish. The year's last meeting, the Latin Banquet, brought with it the installation of new officers.

Latin Club officers for the 1982-83 term: President, **Blair Smith**; Vice-President, **Sylvia Trent**; Second Vice-President, **John Booker**; Secretary, **Renee Wells**; Treasurer, **Phillip Agee**; Parliamentarian, **Kevin Ferguson**; Chaplain, **Beverly Bennett**; and Historian, **Sally Coleman**.



The masses of Latin Club members assemble in the library once again.

Mr. Terry shows a slide presentation on ancient Rome.

Beverly Bennett laughs it up during a recent club meeting.

The 1982-83 Latin Club.





Español Ahora

The Spanish Club had several activities during the first semester. Their major activity of the fall was the fund raiser, selling cheese and suasaage, and the event was a very big success. The Spanish Club also attended a ballet of Mexican Dancers in Rustburg, which all students who attended enjoyed very much.

With the coming of the

new year also came the main event of the club year, Foreign Language Week. Included in the Foreign Language Week activities were a tea, a banquet, and a dinner at a Mexican Restaurant.

The Spanish Club Officers for the 1982-83 school year were:

President, **Jeff Miller**; Vice-President, **Vivian Seay**; Secretary, **Anne Hancock**.



Maria King admires one of this year's better Pinatta.

Vice-President Vivian Seay consults with Mrs. McKay on an upcoming Spanish activity.

LaDell Wright, Todd Nash, Gail Pugh and **Kris Winters** check over Spanish sales records.

The 1982-83 Spanish Club.



Strike Up The Band

It was another busy year for the Appomattox County High School Concert and Marching Band, led by **Mr. Frank Coffey**. Parade participation included the Appomattox County parades as well as South Boston's Christmas parade from which they marched off with a second place award. The band also received a fourth place award in the Christmas parade in Farmville. The annual Christmas concert on December 20th rounded out the season's activities.

This year four select band members participated in the District III All Regional Band Concert. Those students were: **Dean Hamilton**, playing the electric bass guitar; **Tracey Trent**, playing the clarinet; **Tim Lawson**, playing the trumpet; and **Tina Campbell**, playing the

Tina Campbell and Tracey Trent working hard at playing right.

The 1982-83 Marching Band

Pied piper **Cathy Robinson** playing her flute.

clarinet.

The 1982-83 marching band had 65 members including the flag and rifle corps, the majorette, and drum major. **Vivian Seay** served as the 1982 drum majorette and **June Jenkins** as the majorette. **JoEllen Garrett** and **Cynthia Johnson** served as flag corp co-captains and **Corrine Hubbard** as the rifle corp captain.

The 1982-83 band officers were as follows: President — **Dean Hamilton**, Vice-President — **Vivian Seay**, Secretary/Treasurer — **Ann Hancock**, Reporter — **Tracey Trent**, and S.C.A. Representative — **James Bohannon**.

Jan Armentrout taking time out to take a break.

Multiple talents. **June Jenkins** not only twirls baton, but also plays the clarinet.

Dean Hamilton and James Bohannon concentrating on playing just the right notes.



ACHS Chorale "Going Places"

The A.C.H.S. Chorale, combining a lot of hard work, dedication, knowledge, good leadership, and the simple joy of singing, began the year with preparations for the annual fall variety concert. This performance was preceded by an appearance at Railroad Festival in October.

A new tradition at Appomattox provided a winter highlight for what proved to be a memorable year for the Chorale.

This Christmas, for the first time ever, the Chorale, along with the Drama Club and Home Economics Department, presented a Renaissance Dinner. The dinner, sometimes referred to as the Boar's Head feast was a tremendous success and will almost certainly

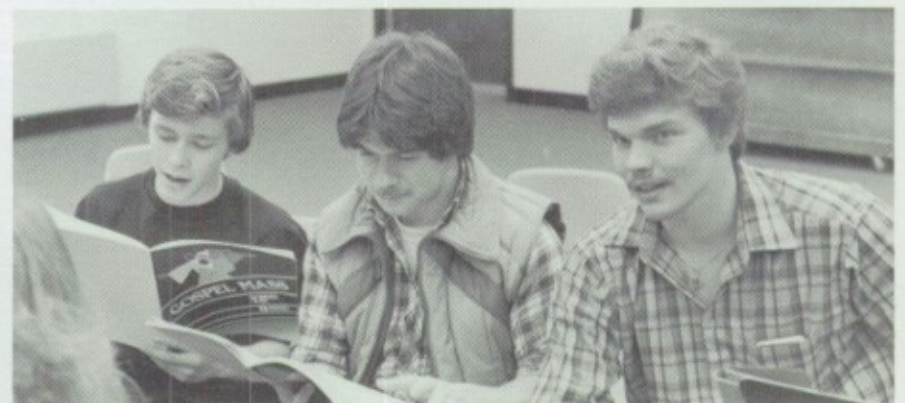
become one of A.C.H.S.'s most honored traditions in years to come.

After Christmas, the group appeared at the United Memorial Methodist Church and other surrounding churches performing its annual sacred concert. Then, in April, all of the hard work paid off as the Chorale earned a trip to Florida for a choral judging at Disney World. They held many fund-raisers, including candy sales and a booth at Railroad Festival. Each member participated in the events together adding to the fun and joy of the work.

The year came to an end for the Chorale with their final show concert in May, another huge success to top off one of the most successful years ever experienced by any A.C.H.S. musical group.

The Boar's Head in all its glory.

The Appomattox County High School Chorale.



Singing is Mike Roach, Dean Hamilton, and Tommie Robinson's forte.

Laura Baker sings with enthusiasm in her chorus class.



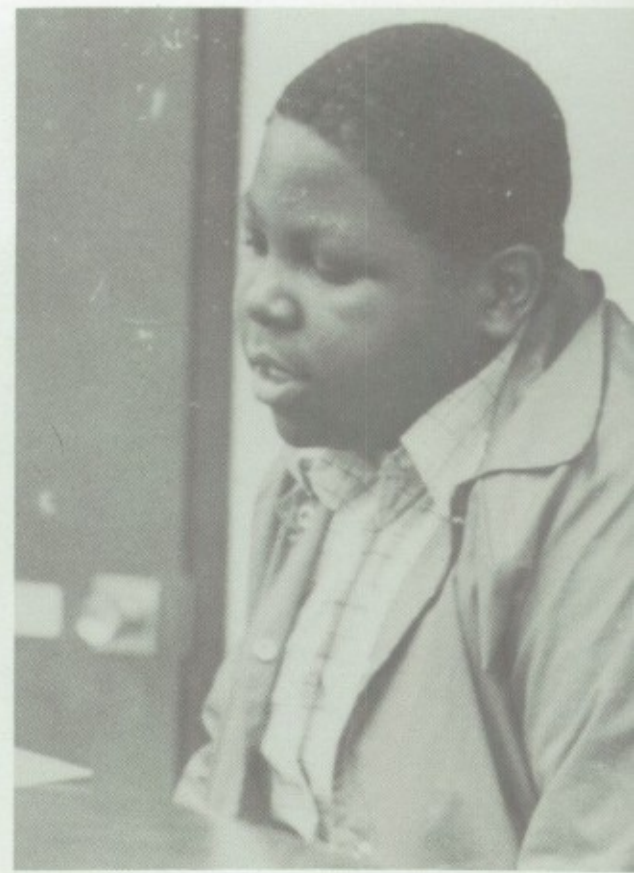
I Pledge my Head to Clearer. . .

The 4-Hers of A.C.H.S. were busy again this year. They began the new year with several members participating in the Share-the-Fun Competition. Judging teams began their evaluations of such items as: soils, eggs, and forestry.

This group of individuals also entered various areas of the Five-County Fair. Soon thereafter, these 4-Hers geared up for Public Speaking Competition, in which they displayed their oratorical skills masterfully.

These students were actively involved in the club in the summer, as well as throughout the school year. They attended 4-H Camp, and State 4-H Congress. This summer our 4-Hers will be hosting 4-Hers from Texas in Appomattox as a part of the Interstate Exchange Student Program. These club members are to be commended as they lead a very active club life.

Todd Nash Listens for all the details.



Tony Bailey gets in a last minute practice before his Share-the-Fun act.

Vivian Seay and Sally Coleman talk about Public Speaking after school.

Melissa Randolph diligently takes the minutes at the 4-H meeting.





A Christian Way of Life

The Co-Ed Hi-Y is a club affiliated with YMCA organizations all around the United States. Its purpose is to create, maintain, and extend the high standards of a Christian way of life.

This year's Co-Ed Hi-Y was constantly busy. Its year's activities included such things as attending the Virginia Model General Assembly in Richmond during the spring. MGA is a mock session of the Virginia State General Assembly in which members of the Co-Ed Hi-Y, Tri-Hi-Y, and Hi-Y discuss and debate self-made bills. Those who attended were Nancy Jones, the club sponsor; Dawn

Pitsenberger; and Jill Noble.

One way in which the Co-Ed Hi-Y helps to uphold its purpose is by doing community projects. One such project was the handmade bedside assessories for the use of the residents at Babcock Manor Nursing Home and other similar projects for other local nursing homes.

The 1982-83 club officers were as follows: President — **Jill Noble**, Vice President — **Ben Martin**, Secretary/Reporter — **Dawn Pitsenberger**, Chaplin — **Anita Harvey**, Treasurer — **Sylvia Trent**, Historian — **Tim Bennett**, and Club Advisor — **Nancy Jones**.



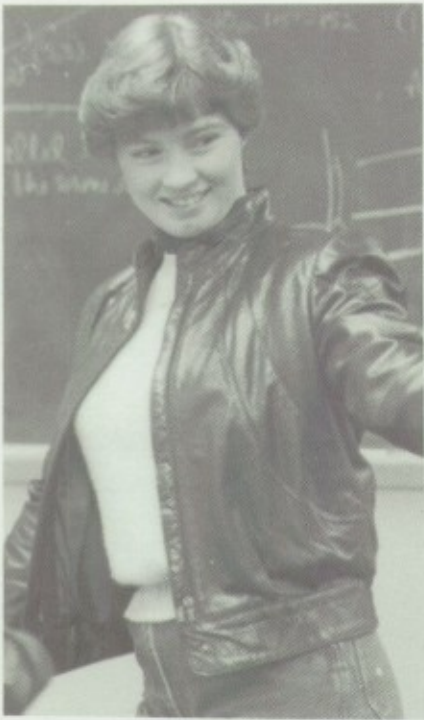
Ben Martin and Dawn Pitsenberger work on bill for M.G.A.

Anita Harvey adds her opinion to the club discussion.

The 1982-83 Co-Ed- Hi-Y Club.

The club officers going over the day's agenda.

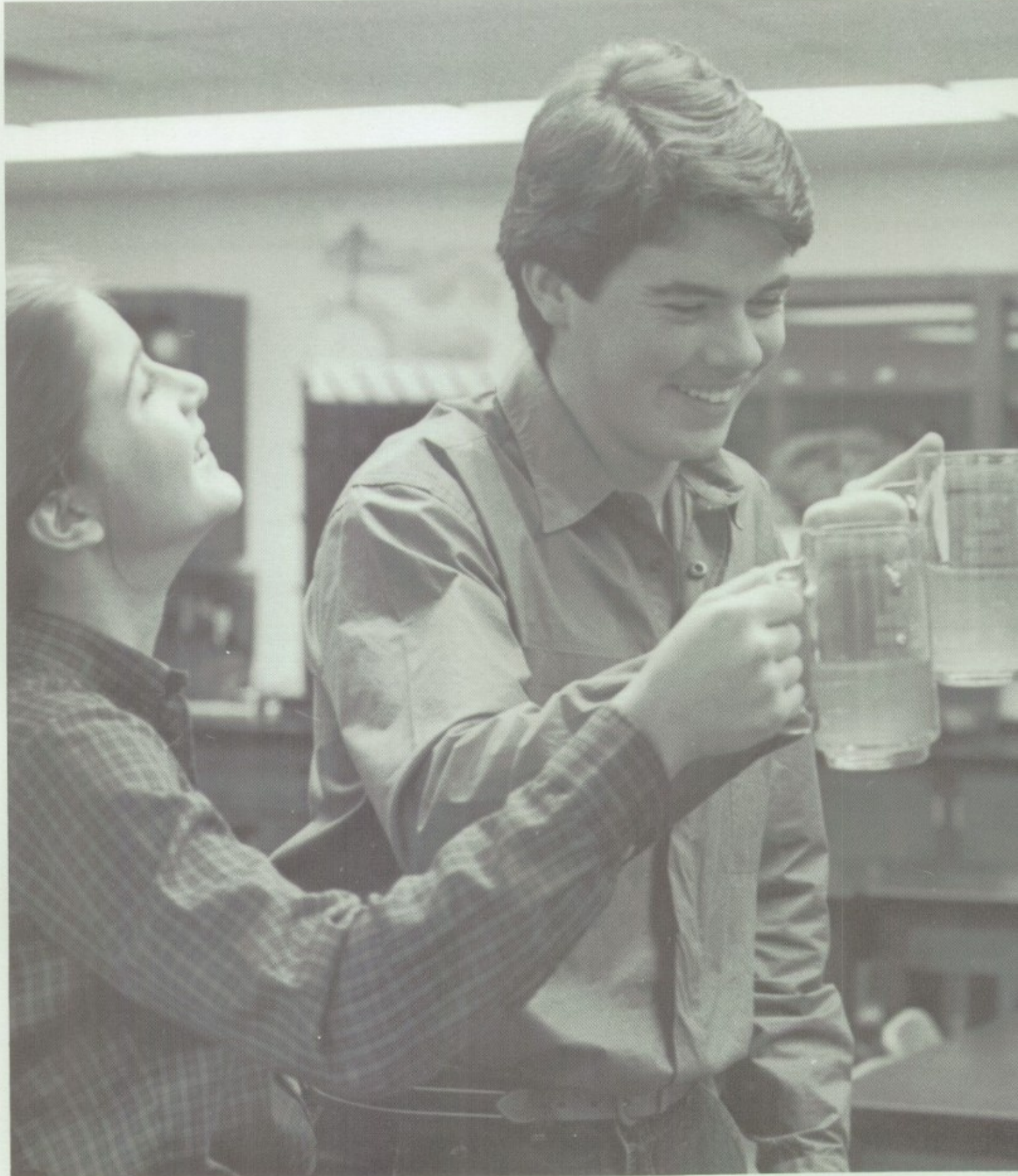




Brenda Smith volunteers to miss school and pick up the doughnuts.

Sponsor Conkwright contemplates eating 200 dozen doughnuts if it rains on Railroad Day.

Suzan Eye, James Beaty, and Renee Wells toast the sale of the last Raider mug.



The Supercharged Science Club

Members of the Science Club began a productive year researching the opportunities of various fields in science.

Fund raising proved to be fun for the members when they sold doughnuts at the Railroad Festival and Raider mugs to toast our 1982 District Champion Football Team. The successful fund

raising efforts provided money for a Spring trip to the Langley Air Force Base.

During the latter part of the school year, students spent many hours preparing projects for the Science Fair.

Science Club Members were great in their support of the officers: James Beaty, President; Joanie Canada, Vice-President; Maureen O'Donnell, Secretary; and Renee Wells, Treasurer.





SCA: Service — Conduct —

Action

Of all the clubs at A.C.H.S., the Student Council Association has the not-so-easy job of pleasing everyone all the time; since everyone, in one way or another, is involved in the activities planned by them.

As the school year began, so also did the SCA's responsibility of preparing and organizing Homecoming activities. They planned Spirit Week and the Banner Contest, and they organized the parade and half-time activities for the Homecoming game.

Then plans were made for the Homecoming court to kick off their reign at the

Homecoming Dance.

This busy beginning was hectic for the club and for the officers, representatives, and sponsors who had to contend with the pace, but the year did not end here.

Immediately after Homecoming, plans commenced for the Christmas Dance and the Christmas service Project. The SCA collected canned goods and donations to send to needy families in the community.

Then they organized the election of the Snow Queen and King which is based on

service to the school.

The SCA then planned their school service project. They, among others, purchased a plaque which was placed in the office in the memory of those students who died while attending A.C.H.S.

After these many activities were finally done, the SCA made arrangements for the new year. They conducted tours for incoming freshmen and then held school-wide elections for the coming year.

So went the year of one busy club: The SCA!!

The 1982-83 Student Council Association.



Jeff Miller discusses dance plans with sponsor, Mary Tanner.

Officers: Pres. Jody Williams; V. Pres. Mike McCoy; Sec. Vivian Seay; Rep. James Cash; Treas. Ruby Smith; Chap. Darlene Hix; Parl. Laurie Cowan

Vivian Seay writes up minutes from the last meeting.

FFA — A Club Devoted To Its Community

The Appomattox Senior FFA Chapter has had another very active school year working in both the school and community. FFA traditionally participates in a large number of events such as crop judging, speaking contests, dairy judging, and parliamentary procedure. Also, every year several of the FFA members send canned goods as well as other crops to the Five County Fair to be judged, and there are always numerous winners. The largest yearly

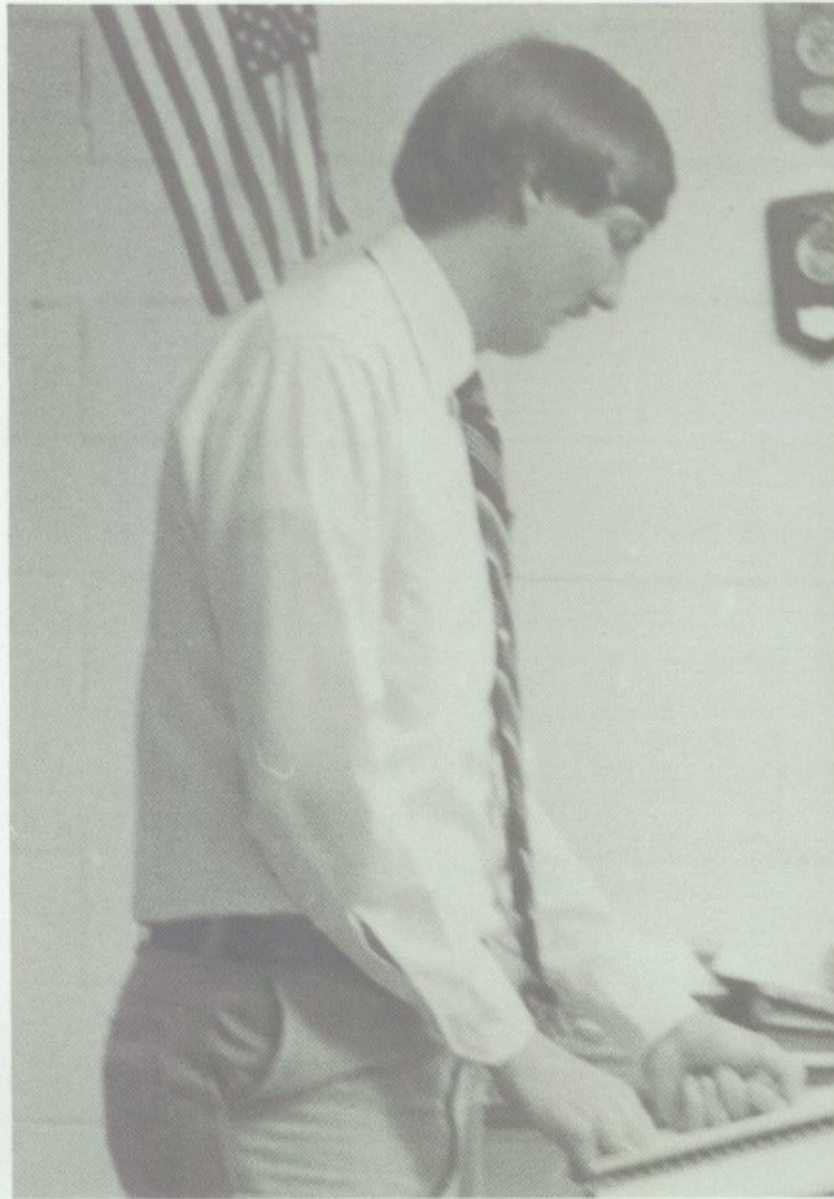
fund raiser is the sale of citrus fruit. This year's top salesman was **Derwin Harvey** with receipts in excess of \$2,000. The FFA also involves itself in other activities such as feedpatch contests, game law contests, and a hunter safety course for freshmen. Obviously the FFA is an organization devoted to school and community service.

The 1982-83 senior FFA Chapter members.

FFA officers front row; **Lisa Coleman**, reporter, **Cat Ballowe**, secretary, **Lynn Padgett**, sentinel, **Glenn McClenny**, president, **Connie Krantz**, 2nd vice-president, **Richard Conner**, 1st vice-president.

Mr. Talbert prepares for his next class.

Just another day in shop for **John Scruggs**.





Mr. Carter shows Stuart Cheatham and Ronald Gallier what to do.

John Goin looks over the shop.

In Ag. class Kevin Mitchell, Rick Stratton, Jay Stewart, and Dean Jamerson, apply themselves.

Ron Guill prepares to weld.



Delores Mosely showing her talent at baking.

Serena Anderson helps prepare a dish with Mrs. Smith.

The class looks on as Mrs. Smith prepares a dish.

Home Economics Plus

1982-83 Officers: President — **Patricia Flood**, Vice President — **Brenda Haskins**, Secretary — **Mary Scott**, Assistant Secretary — **Andrea Haskins**, Treasurer — **Pauline Lovelace**, Reporter — **Lisa Bailey**, Parliamentarian — **Francis Harris**. The sponsor of the HERO Club is **Mrs. Velma Elliott**.

Each month, from August to June, the HERO club was involved in many activities, which included the following: a work demonstration, a prepared lunch for guests during National Vocational FHA/HERO Week, participating in the HERO Culinary Proficiency Week, and attending the FHA/HERO Conference. In May, a banquet was held to present degrees and awards. In June, they attended a leadership conference.

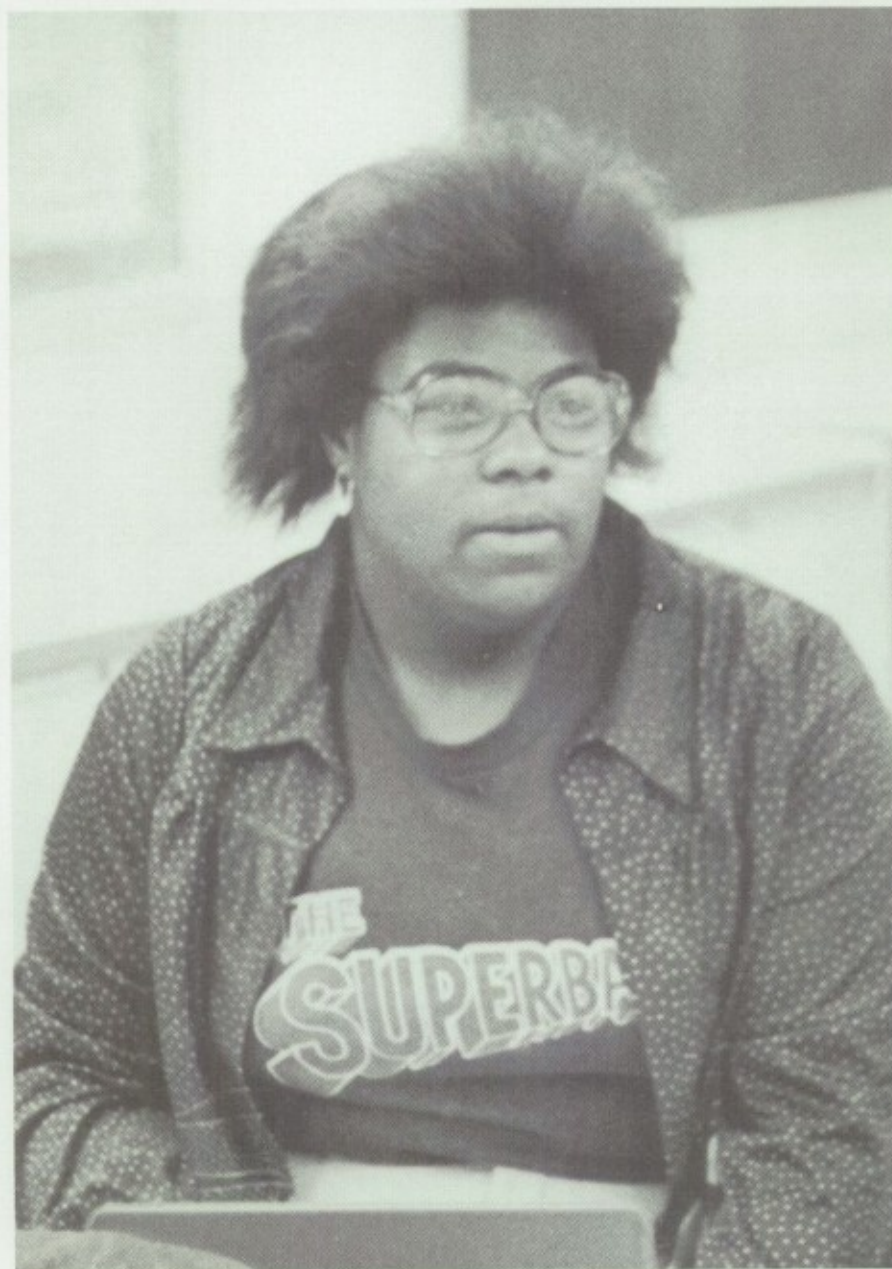
Each HERO member, with the help of **Mrs. Elliott**, was very much involved in the club's activities. The club hopes to have equal success in 1983-84.

The 1982-83 HERO Club

Pauline Lovelace listening to the HERO program.

President Patricia Flood presiding over the meeting.

Virginia Crews, Peggy Jones, Ann Watts, and Connie Webber — all observing the month's activity.





Technology and Advancement

VICA's goal here at ACHS is to promote growth and understanding in Trade and Industrial Education. With new technology rapidly on the move, programs in Auto-Mechanics, Drafting, Electricity and Electronics and Masonry are well equipped to train our future leaders in industrial growth.

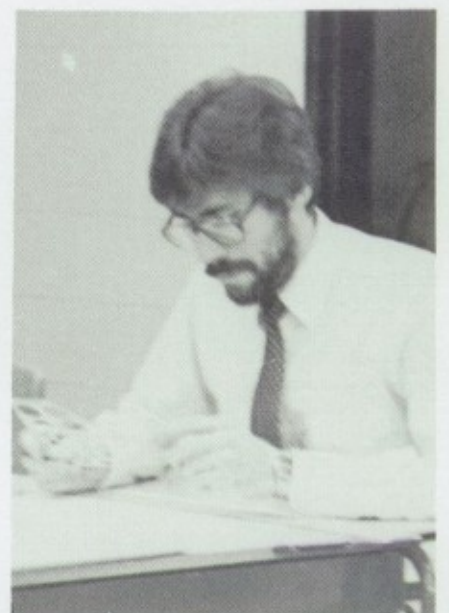
A number of events happening for the club this year were the Sub Shop's participation in the annual Historic Railroad Festival, the many district meetings held for election of new district officers, and planning for the 1982-83 school year.

Many students took part in

the car seminar held by the Auto-Mechanics department and a slide presentation on last year's state contests held in Lynchburg.

VICA participated in district and state competitions again this year. The time and preparation put into them proved very beneficial.

The 1982-83 officers were, President, Pat Page; Co Vice-Presidents, Gary Moore; and Kevin Mitchell; Co-Secretaries, Bonnie Ayers and Alan Edmonds; Treasurer, Robert Paulette; Chaplain, Steve Cyrus; Reporter Tim Williams; Parliamentarian, David Page.



Dennis Guill and Mr. Maxey make sure they are welding the right parts.

Steve Cyrus shows he is skilled with the blueprint machine.

Mr. Brizendine practices what he preaches.

Alan Edmonds makes sure he's not missing anything.

1982-83 VICA Club

Tomorrow's Workers

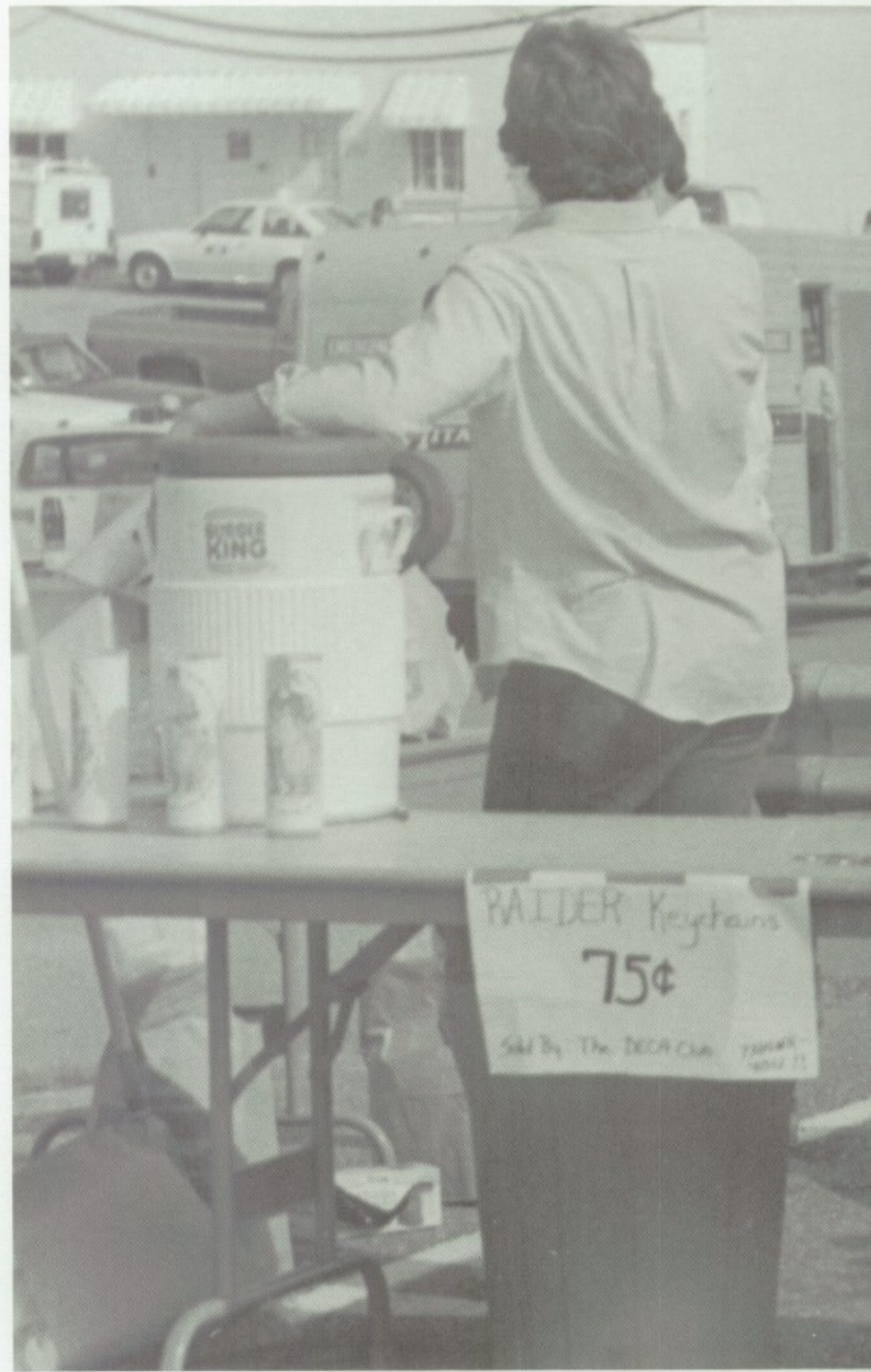
The Distributive Education Clubs of America really worked hard this year, but one never expects any less from them. DECA participated in many projects and fund raising activities this year. On October 12, there was the officer training conference for district 6 at Brookville High School. On November 11, the fall event for district 6 was hosted by Amherst High School and Quality Foods. One project that took a lot of time was conducting a survey for the Appomattox County Chamber of Commerce. The project was done to put together a directory of the Business' in the Appomattox area.

The fund raising projects consisted of selling candles, and ceramic smurfs. DECA also participated in the annual Railroad Festival, by selling chili beans and drinks.

The DECA club meets every first Wednesday of the month. During the year many guest speakers from the area come and talk about their business'. Two of this year's guest speakers were **Bob Monigold** from Burger King and **Jim Nolen** of Jim Nolen Assoc., Inc.

Under the sponsorship of **Mr. John McHale** were President, **Teresa Bass**; Ex. Vice-President, **Rebecca Doss**; 1st Vice-President, **Rose Fitch**; 2nd Vice-President, **Kim Shupe**; Secretary, **Kim Gunter**; Treasurer, **Jack Williams**; Historian 1, **Sheila Carrico**; Historian 2, **Lisa Doss**; Parliamentarian, **Sandra Giles**; Reporter, **Susan Goggin**.

DECA has been a very hard working club, always striving for the best. ACHS has always and always will be proud to have DECA as a part of us.



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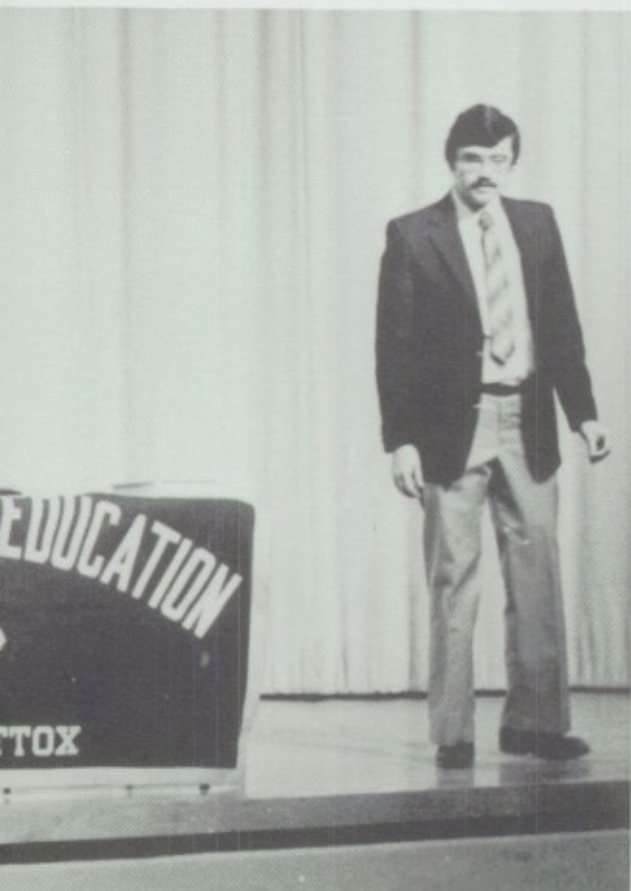




Darlene Smith, Rose Fitch, and F.C. Carter have a slow day selling chili beans.

DECA president, Teresa Bass, poses with Pepe to wish everybody a happy Valentine's.

Mr. Mchale is asked for his intelligent advice.



"It's Our Business."

When one thinks of FBLA, one usually thinks of business. This year our Future Business Leaders of America meant just that.

Programs of the year included a fashion show, various product sales to raise money, a speaker from the March of Dimes, and several skits and games for

the whole club. FBLA members also got a visit from who else but Santa himself. FBLA participated in work shops and the Regional Competition in the spring.

Going strong, the Future Business Leaders of America had a very busy and prosperous year. This

year officers are as follows:

President: **Mitzi Baldwin**,
Vice-Presidents: **Sheila Roach**, and **Terri Nash**,
Secretary: **Brenda Smith**,
Treasurer: **Jeff Miller**,
Reporter: **Cindy Covington**,
Chaplain: **Tammy Carter**,
Historian: **Crystal Carter**, and
Parliamentarian: **Anita Harvey**.

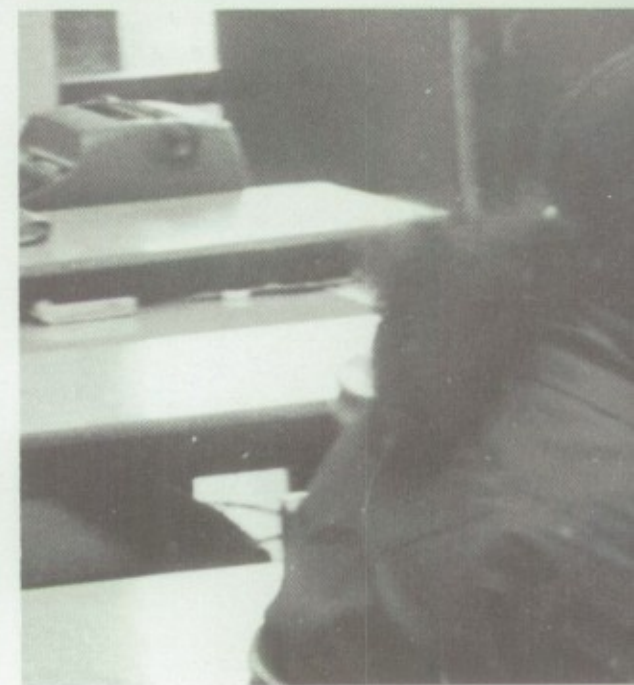


Connie Clifton concentrates on her typing.

Lost in thought, Karen Stevens tries to find her mistakes.

Mrs. Holt is amused at some of her students.

Debbie Walker takes her time to make sure that she doesn't make any mistakes.





The 1982-83 Future Business Leaders of America club.

Charlene Lewis proofreads her typing to make sure she has no mistakes.

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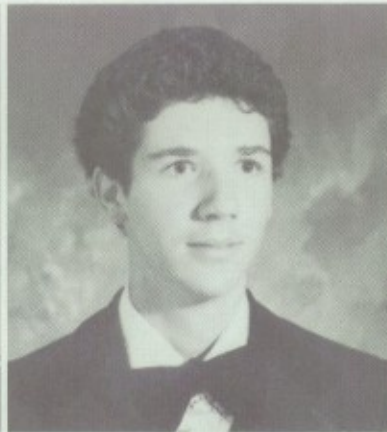
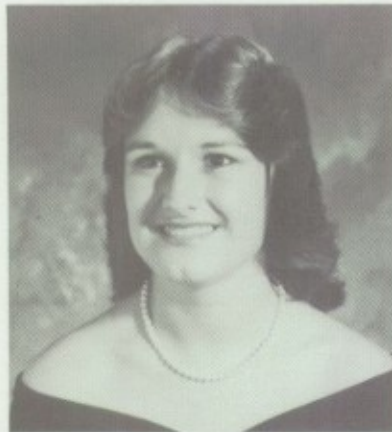
Seniors, at Long Last.

The march across the field at Bragg Stadium marks for each graduating class the end of its educational career in Appomattox. The class of 1983 is no different. But while it is customary for

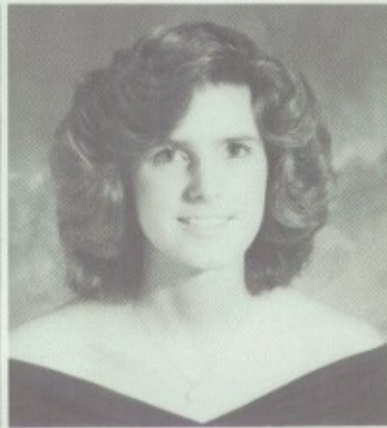
seniors to recall the "trials and tribulations of the past years," we look back and see the triumphs and celebrations. We remember proms that were magic and trips that were fun " to the max." We

remember rings and portraits and caps and gowns. We are lucky; we have a whole store of happy, positive memories that will stand in good stead when we may need recall a "better day."

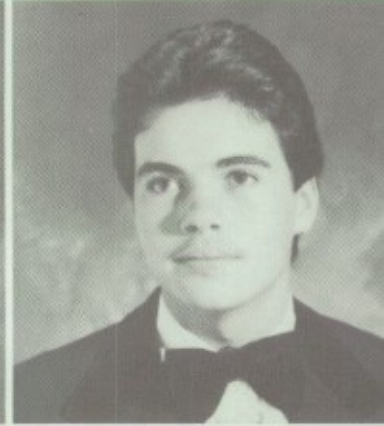
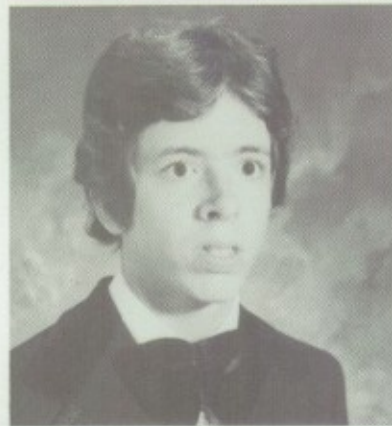
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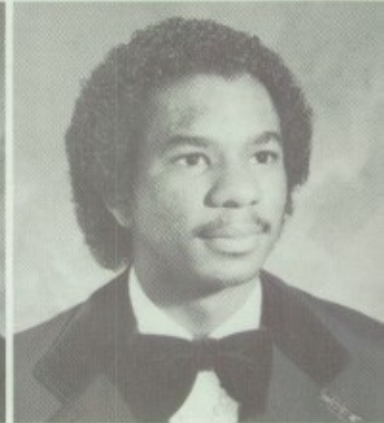
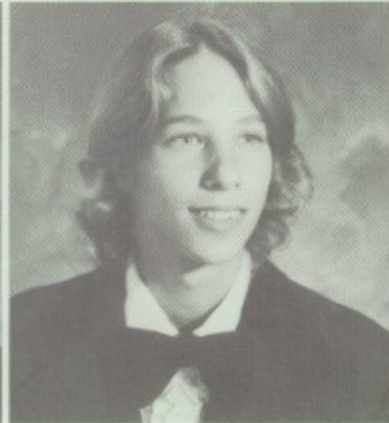
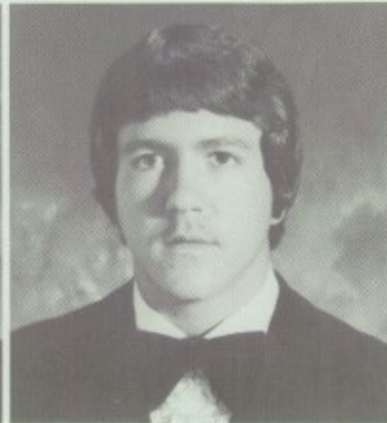
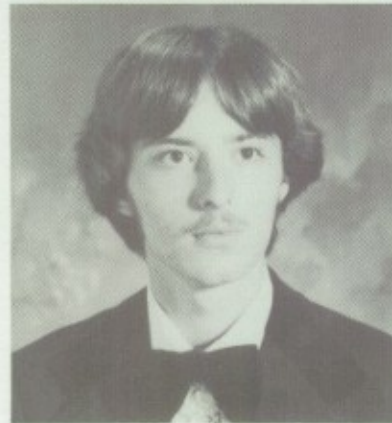
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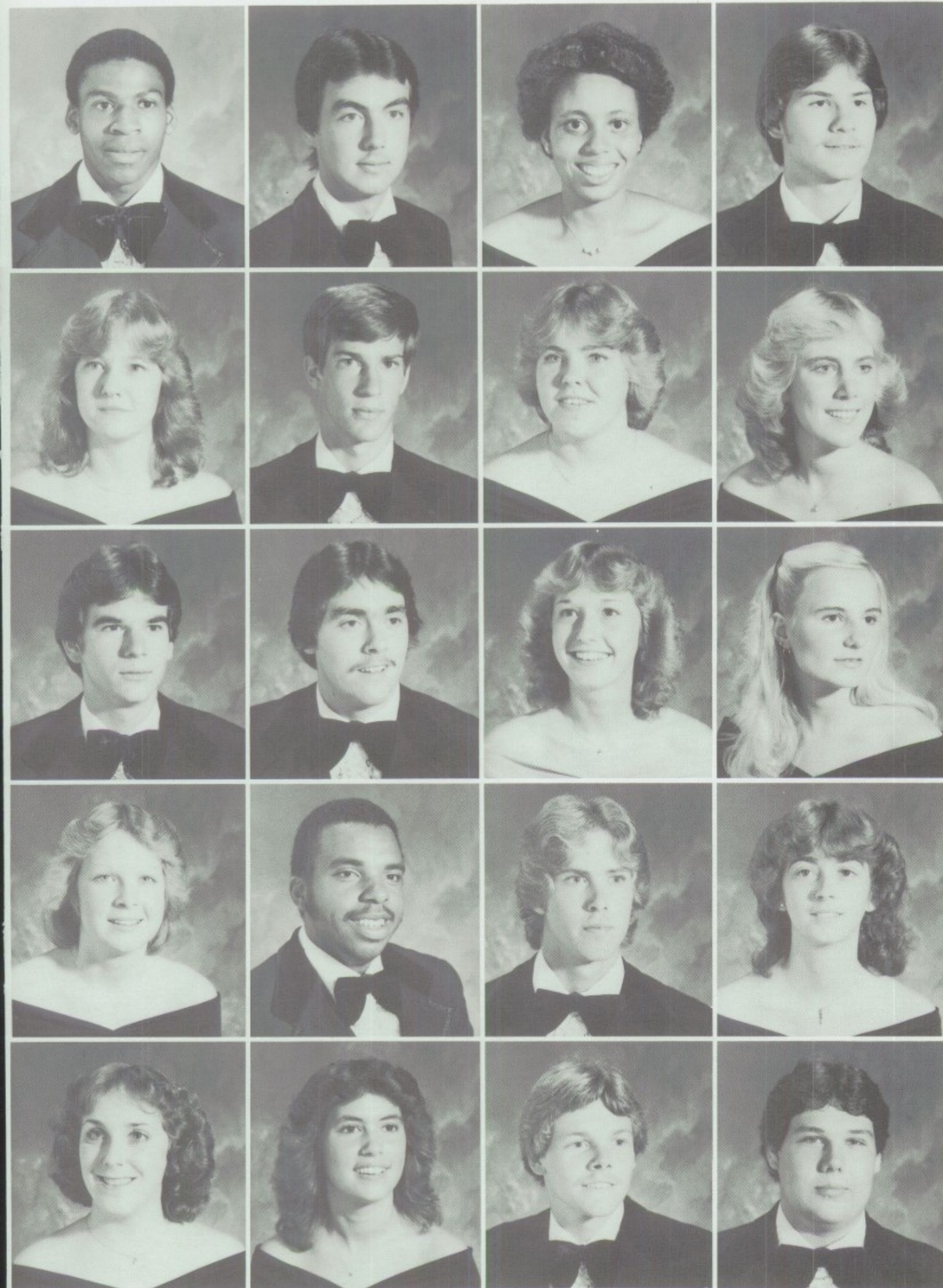


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Booker, Bobby Lloyd



Agee, Phillip Lee — Band 9, Latin 11-12 (Historian, Treasurer), Newspaper 11-12 (Editor-in-Chief), Varsity Football 10-12, Class Treasurer 11. Abernathy, Janice Leigh — FHA 9, 4-H 9-10, Track 9, Junior Varsity Cheerleading 9, Latin 9-10, Volleyball, Class Chaplain 9-10, FBLA 10, Science 12, Forensics. Almond, Carrel Rudell — II — 4-H 9, Latin 9-12 (Chaplain), Library 10, Science 11. Austin, Teresa Devonne — FBLA 9-11, HERO 11-12, Newspaper 12. Ayers, Bonnie Gaye — FBLA 9-10, HERO 11-12, VICA 11-12 (Co-Secretary). Ayers, Connie Raye — FBLA 9-10, Flag and Rifle Corp 9-10, DECA 11-12. Bailey, Lisa Joanne — 4-H 9-10, Art 9-12, FHA 9-12, HERO 11-12. Baldwin, Carolyn Jane — FHA 9-10,12, DECA 10-12. Baldwin, Ken David — DECA 10, VICA 11-12. Baldwin, Mitzi Dawn — Spanish 9, 4-H 9-11 (Historian), FBLA 9-12 (V. President, President), Track 10. Bass, Teresa Mae — FHA 9-10, DECA 10-12 (Second V. President, President), NHS 11-12. Beaty, James Albert, III — 4-H 9, NHS 11-12 (President), Science 12 (President), Spanish 9, Tennis 9-12, Who's Who Among American High School Students 12. Bennett, Kevin Wayne — DECA 11, FFA 9-12, 4-H 9-11, VICA 12. Bennett, Timothy Leroy — Tri-Hi-Y

12, FBLA 11-12, FFA 9-11, Spanish 9-10, SCA 9-12, Junior Varsity Basketball 10-12, Junior Varsity Football 9, Varsity Football 10-12, Varsity Basketball 11, Baseball 9-10, Class Parliamentarian 9,11-12. Blankenship, Johnny Darryl — FFA 9-12, 4-H 10, VICA 11-12. Booker, Bobby Lloyd — Band 9, DECA 11-12, Junior Varsity Basketball 9-10, Choral 11-12. Booker, Gary Edward — VICA 11-12, Junior Varsity Basketball 10. Booker, John Robert, Jr. — FFA 9-12, 4-H 10, Latin 10-12, Class Treasurer 12. Branch, Angela Rose — FBLA 9-10, HERO 11, FBLA 11-12. Bryant, Rodney Douglas — FBLA 10-12, FFA 9, Spanish 9, VICA 11-12, Junior Varsity Football 9, Varsity Football 10-12, Junior Varsity Basketball 9-10, Baseball 9-12. Caldwell, William Rodrick — FBLA 12, FFA 9, Latin 9-10 (President), NHS 11-12, Newspaper 11, Science 11, Junior Varsity Basketball 9, Varsity Basketball 10-12, Tennis 11-12, Cross Country 9. Campbell, Janice Marie — Spanish 9, Junior Varsity Cheerleading 9-10, Drama 10, FBLA 10-12, SCA 10-11, Varsity Cheerleading 11, Volleyball 11-12. Canada, Joanie Danette — Drama 9-11, FHA 9-10,12 (Historian, Reporter), 4-H 9, Latin 9-11 (V. President), NHS 11-12, Science 12 (V. President), Spanish 11, SCA



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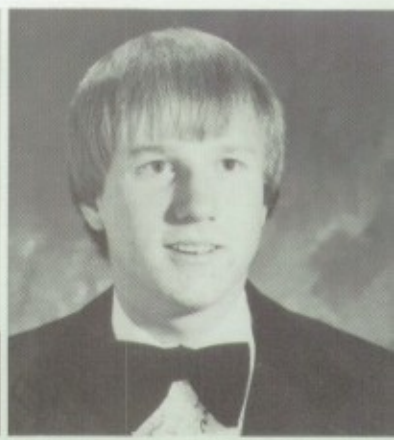
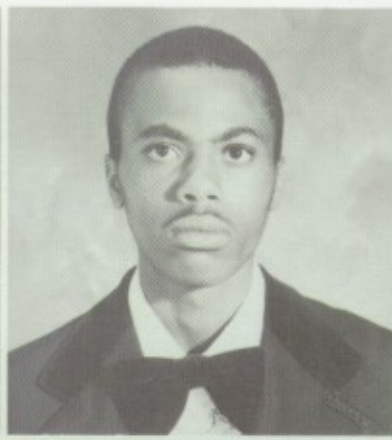
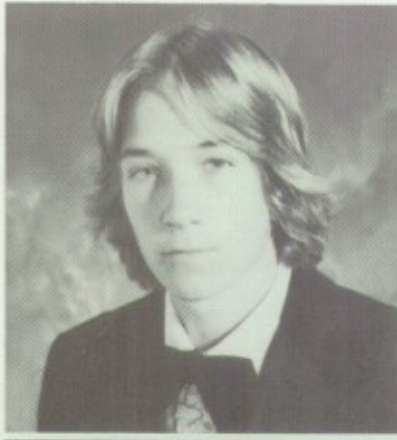
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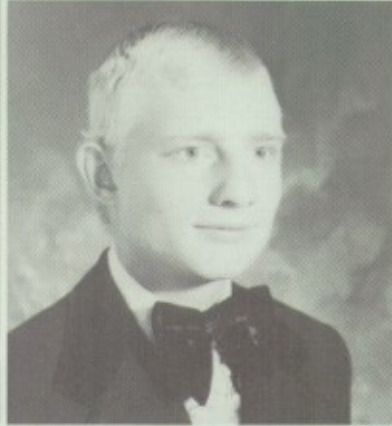
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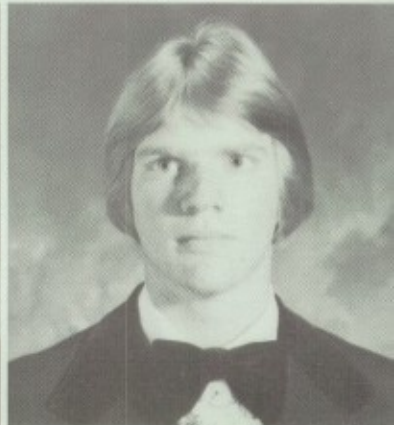
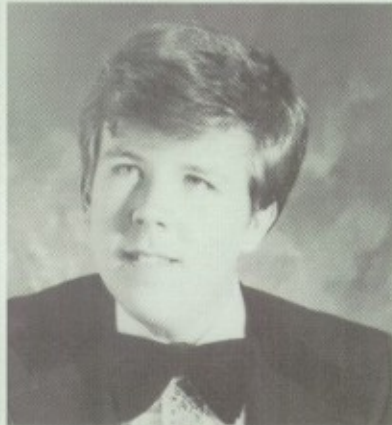
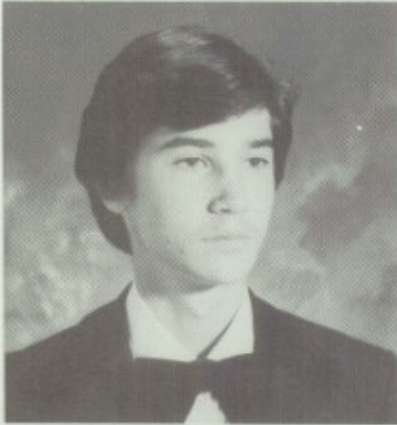
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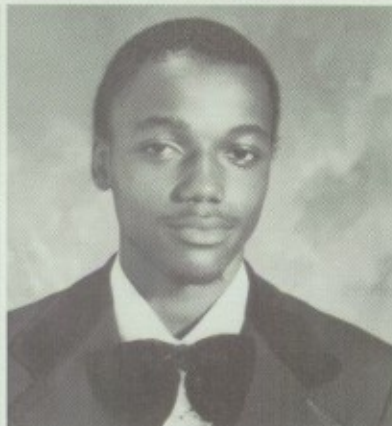
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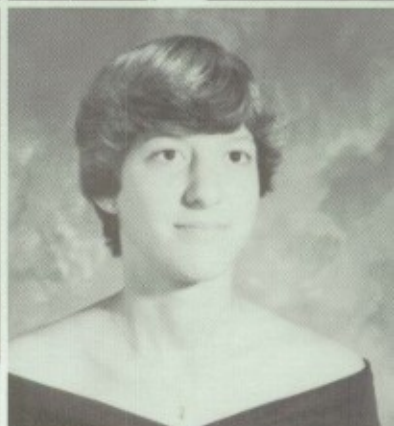
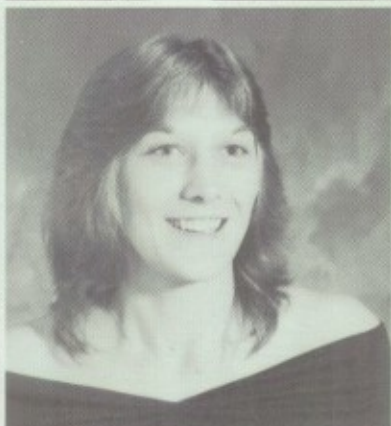
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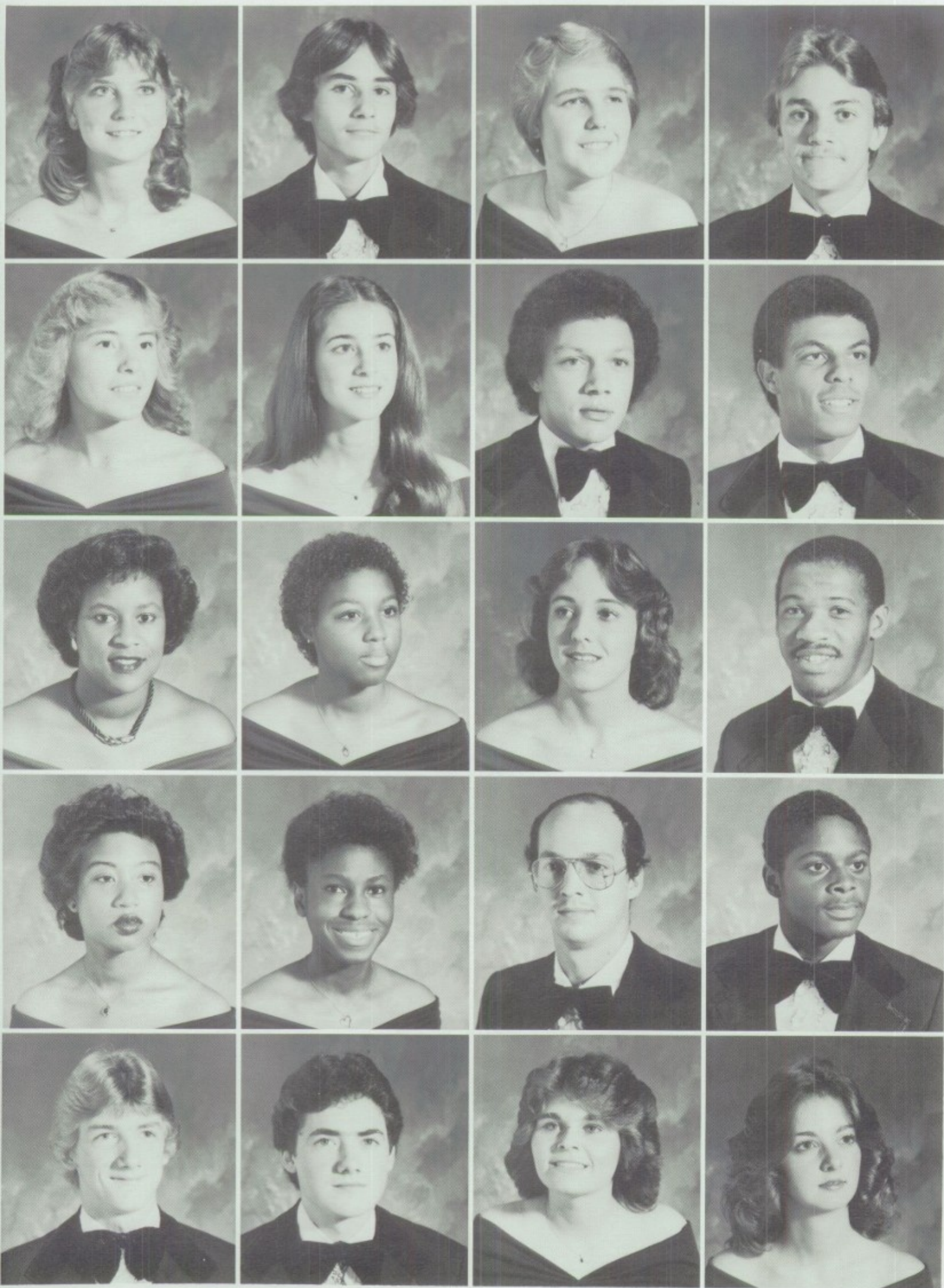
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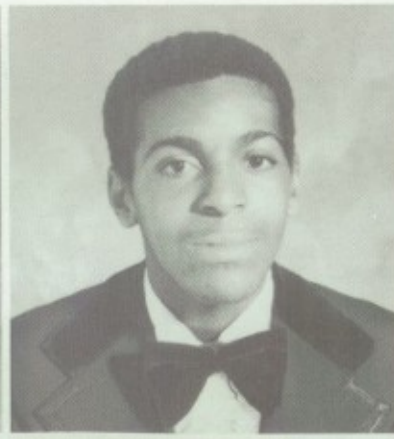
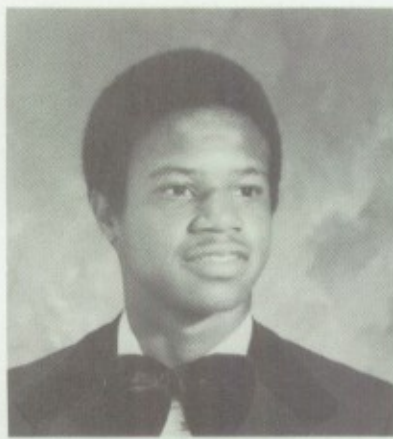
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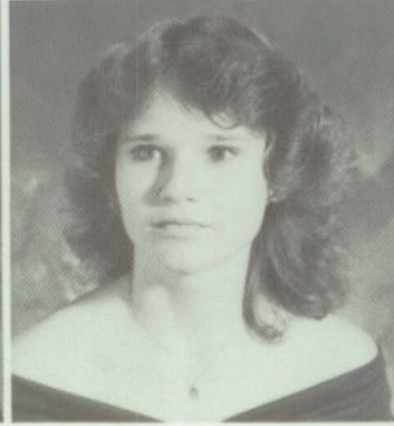
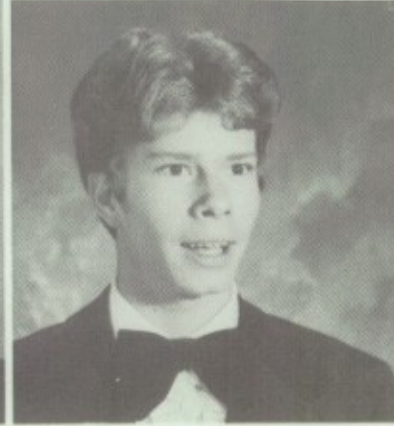
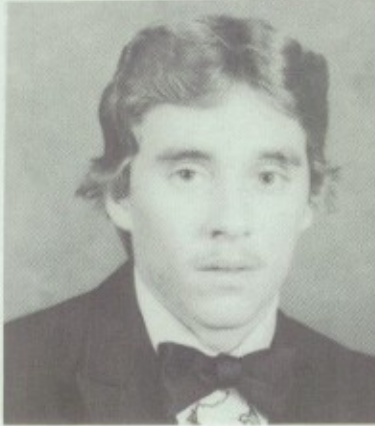
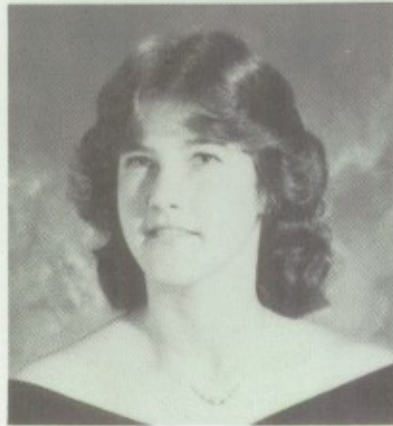
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Marching and Concert Band 9-10, FBLA 11-12, 4-H 9, Forensics 10-11. Hamlett, Allen Hugh, Jr. — FBLA 11, FFA 12, 4-H 10-11, Newspaper 9, VICA 11-12, Junior Varsity Football 9, Varsity Football 10-12. Hamlett, Teresa Gayle — FBLA 10-12. Hamlett, Tina Marie — FBLA 9-12, FHA 9-11. Hamilton, Dean Street — Band 9-12 (President), Drama 12, FBLA 12, Science 11, Track 12. Harris, Frances Marguerite — HERO 10-12, Chorus 9. Harris, Jacqueline Darnell — FBLA 12, FHA 9-10, 4-H 10-12. Harvey, Anita Marie — Tri-Hi-Y 12, FBLA 9-12 (Secretary, Parliamentarian), FHA 9-11, NHS 11-12. Harvey, Derwin Lyndell — FFA 9-12, NHS 11-12, SCA 9-12, Junior Varsity Basketball 9-10, Varsity Basketball 12. Haskins, Brenda Ann — Art 11-12, FHA 10-12, 4-H 10 (Secretary), HERO 11-12 (V. President), SCA 10-12, Tri-Hi-Y 10, Forensics 10

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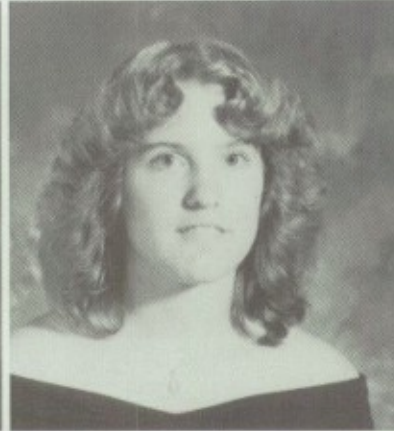
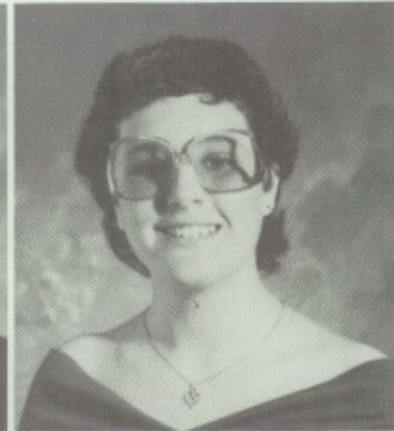
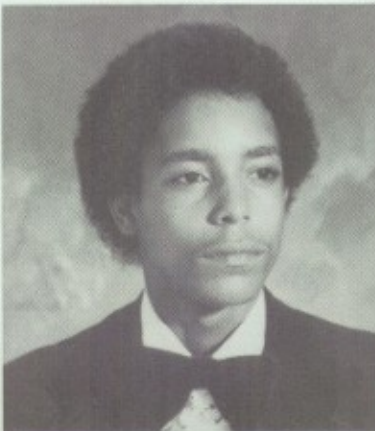


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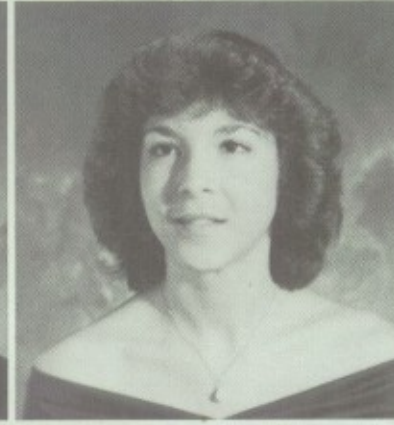
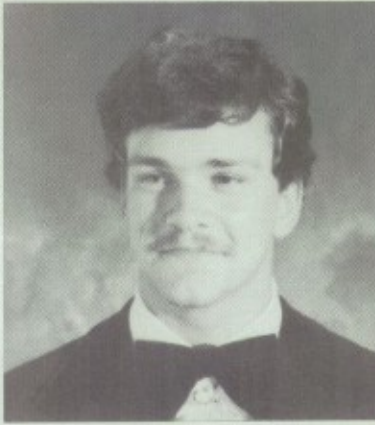
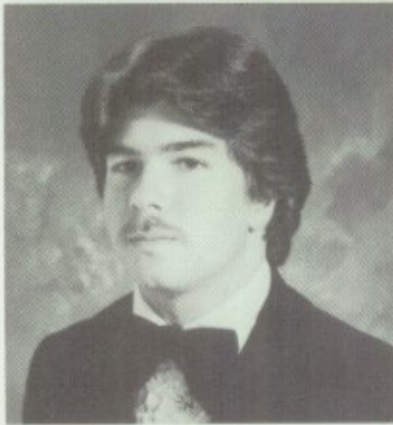


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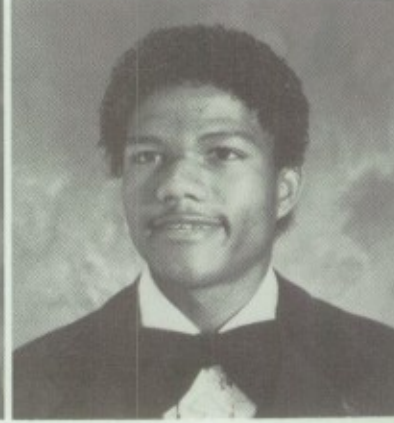
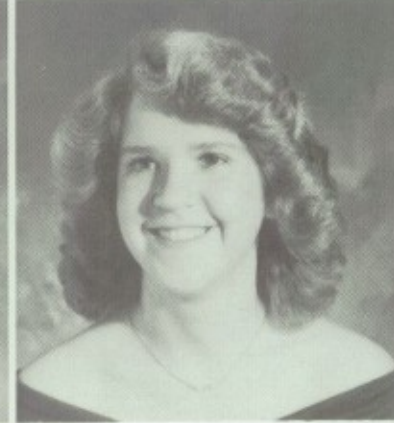
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Harris, Jacqueline Darnell
Harvey, Anita Marie
Harvey, Derwin Lyndell



(Secretary). Hawkins, Timothy Wayne — DECA 11-12, FFA 11-12. House, Marvin Joseph, III — FFA 9-11, Spanish 9, Junior Varsity Basketball 9-10, Varsity Baseball 10-12, Golf 12. Hubbard, Corrine Doretha — FBLA 9-12, Flag and Rifle Corp 9-10,12 (Co-Captain, Captain), SCA 12, Class V. President 12, Junior Varsity Basketball 9-10, Track 9-12. Hudson, Donald Ray — Spanish 9, Baseball 9-10. Hurt, Walter Lewis, Jr. — Art 12, FFA 9-12, Track 11-121
Inge, Jennifer Lynn — 4-H 9-12 (Treasurer), NHS 11-12, Newspaper 11-12 (Co-Editor, Business Manager), Spanish 9-10, SCA 9-11, Track 10. Jackson, Robert Michael, Jr. — Band 12, Drama 10-11, VICA 12. Jamerson, Richard Dean — Band 9, Tri-Hi-Y 11, Drama 12, FBLA 12, FFA 9-12 (Treasurer), 4-H

10-11, Library 12, Science 9-10, VICA 11. Johnson, Angela Diane — Drama 11-12. Johnson, Cynthia Harriett — FBLA 10, Flag and Rifle Corp 12 (Captain), Latin 9-10, VICA 11, Chorus 12. Johnson, Larry Houston, Jr. — FFA 9-10, 4-H 10, VICA 11-12. Jones, Peggy Sue — FHA 9,11, HERO 11-12, Chorus 10-11. Jordan, John Scott — FFA 9-10. Kitt, Darrell Wade — DECA 9-10, FFA 9-10, 4-H 9. Krantz, Connie Marie — G&T 12, Drama 11-12, FFA 9-12 (Chaplain, Secretary, V. President), Tri-Hi-Y 12, Chorale 11-12, All Regional Chorus 10-11. Lawson, Michael Robert — FHA 12, VICA 11-12, Golf 9-10. Layne, Donna Gail — Drama 11-12, Latin 9-10, NHS 11-12 (Chaplain), Spanish 11, SCA 11-12, Track 9. Layne, Kevin Dale — FFA 9-12, FBLA 10, VICA 11-12.



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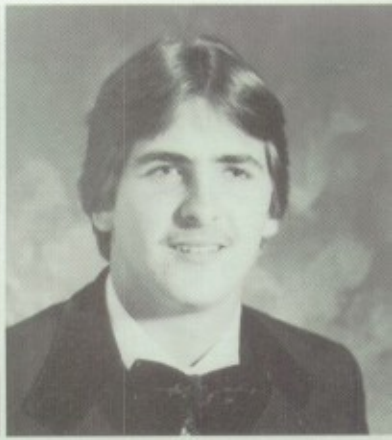
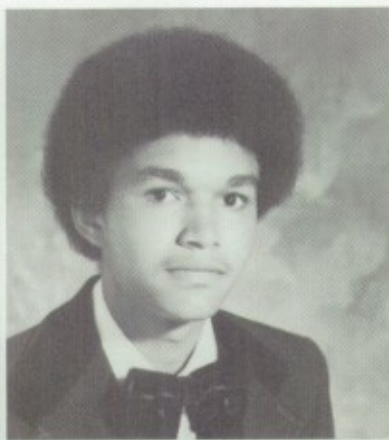
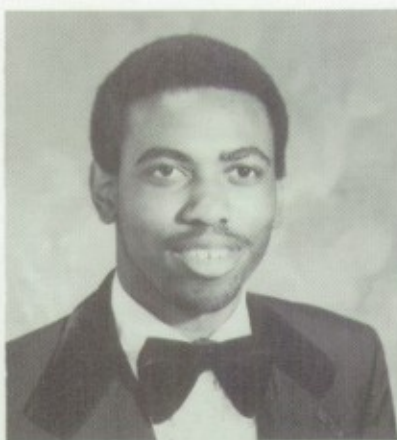
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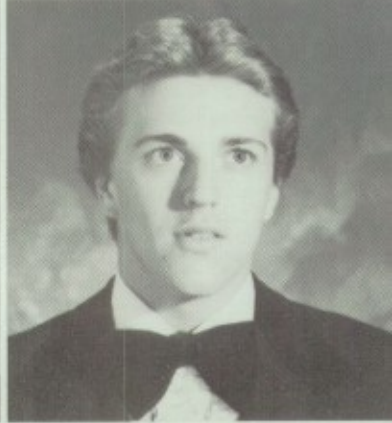
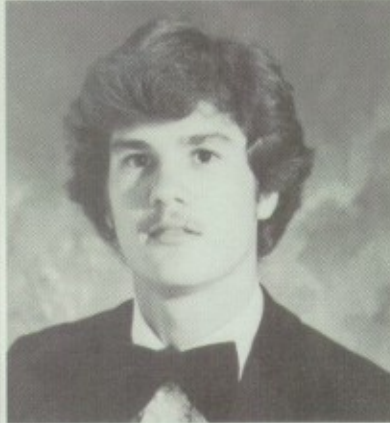
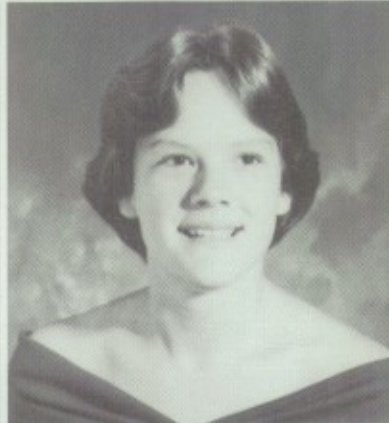
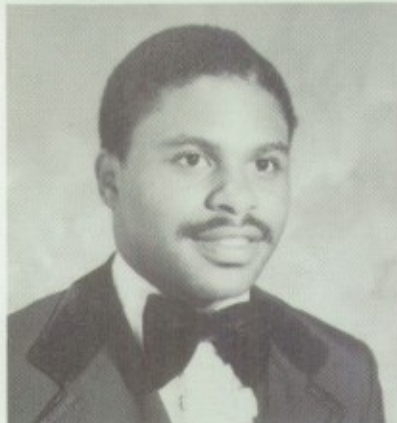
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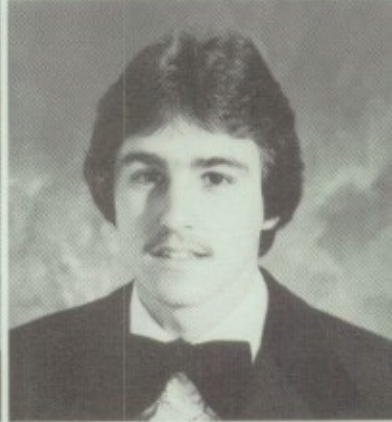
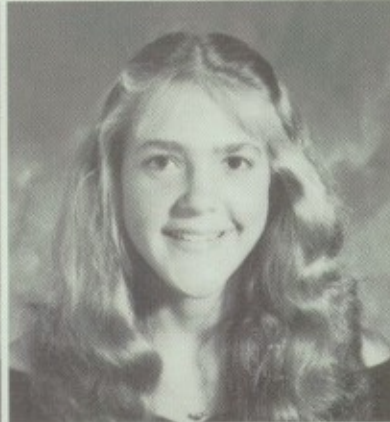
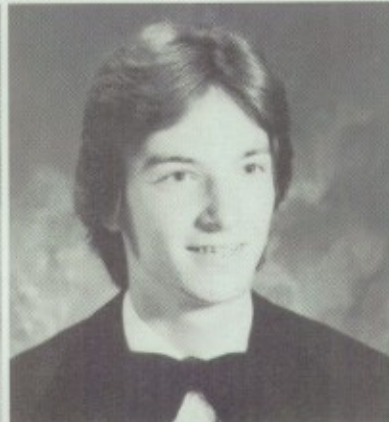
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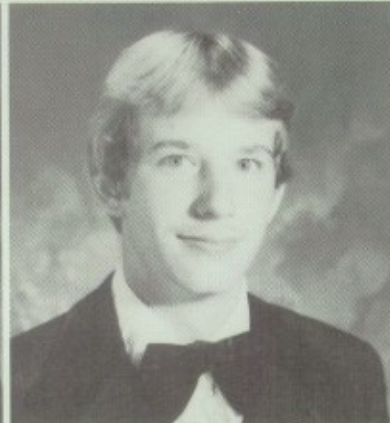
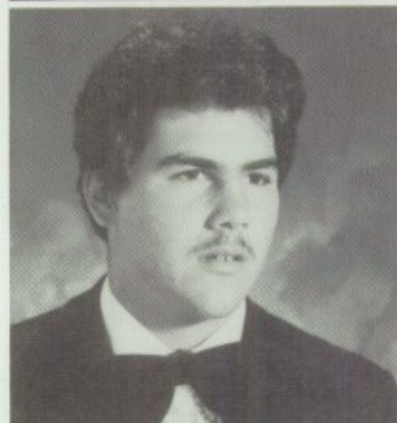
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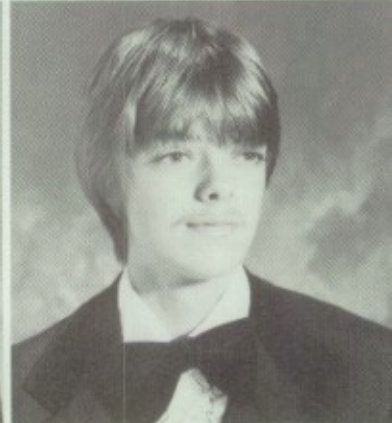
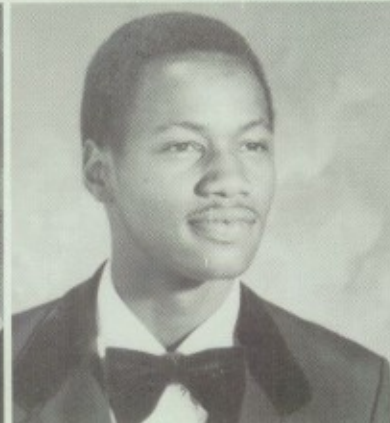
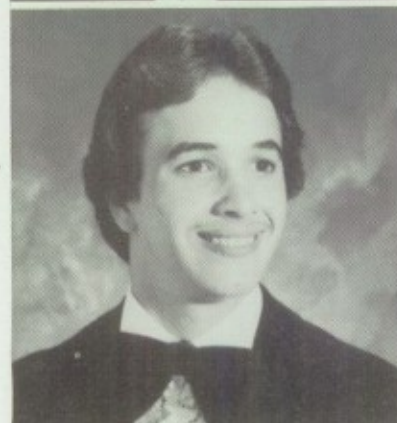
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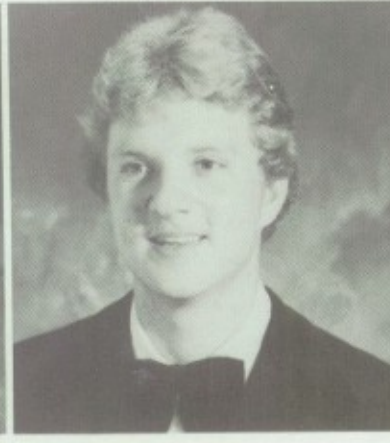
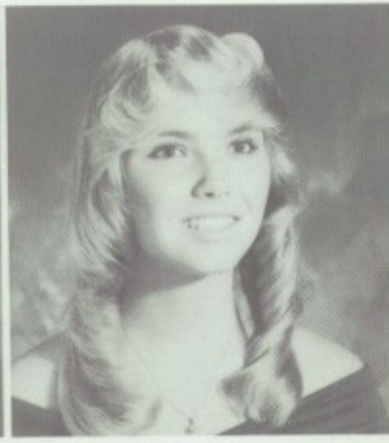
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Tri-Hi-Y 9-12 (Historian), Drama 11, FBLA 12, 4-H 9-11, Latin 9-10, Science 11, Spanish 11, Forensics 10-12 (President). **Patrick, Joseph Andrew** — DECA 10, FFA 9, VICA 11-12. **Paulette, Robert Daniel** — FFA 9-11, Spanish 9, VICA, Junior Varsity Football 9, Varsity Football 10-12. **Paulette, Robin Adair** — Band 9-11, Tri-Hi-Y 9, Drama 10, Newspaper 9, Science 11-12, VICA 11, Junior Varsity Basketball 9, Varsity Basketball 10-12, Softball 9-12, Volleyball 9. **Pennix, Sherrí Diane** — FBLA 9-12, FHA 9-10, 4-H 11, HERO 11-12. **Pitsenburger, Claudia Dawn** — Drama 9-12 (Secretary), 4-H 9, Latin 9-10, NHS 11-12, Spanish 11-12, Tri-Hi-Y 9-12 (Reporter, V. President, Secretary), Annual Staff 11, G&T 9-12, Track 10 (Manager). **Preston, Derrick Craig** — Band 9, DECA 10,

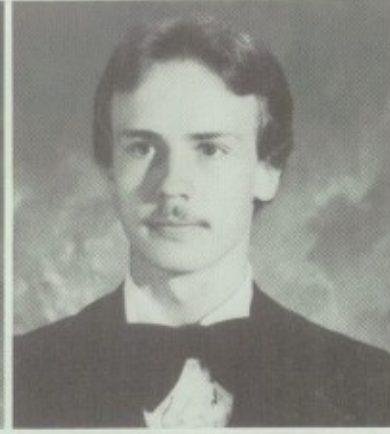
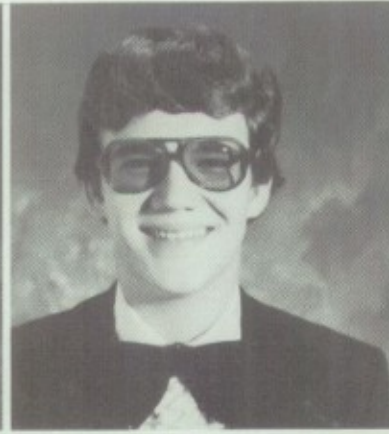
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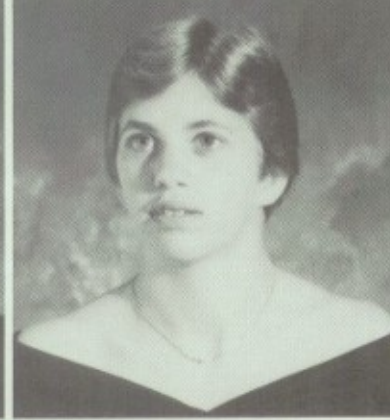
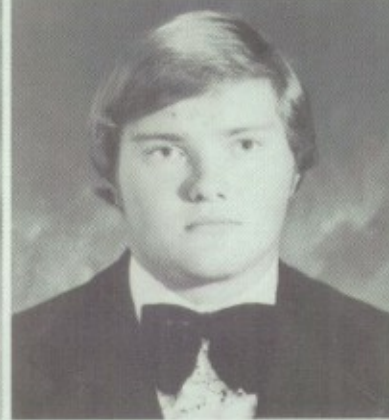
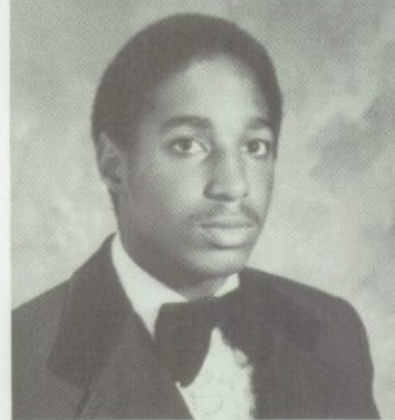


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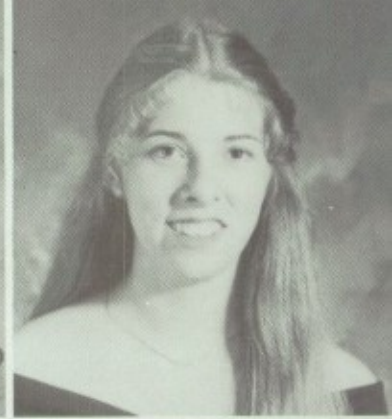
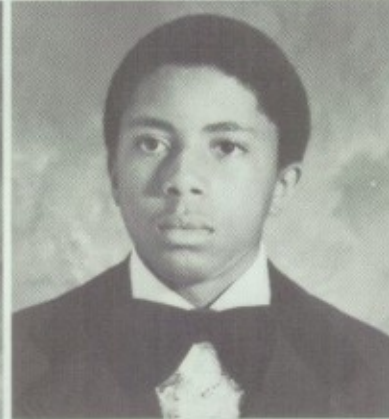
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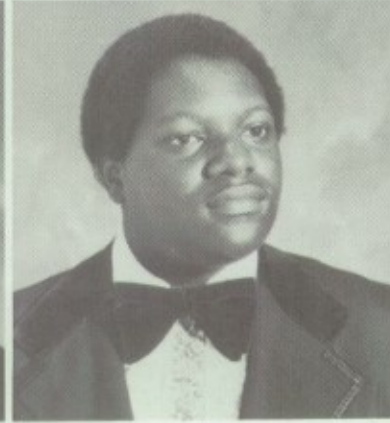
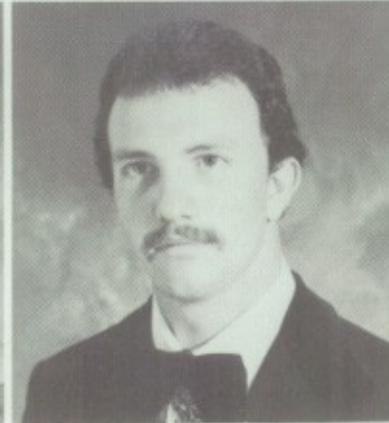
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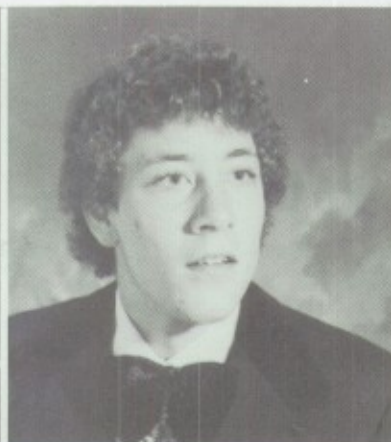
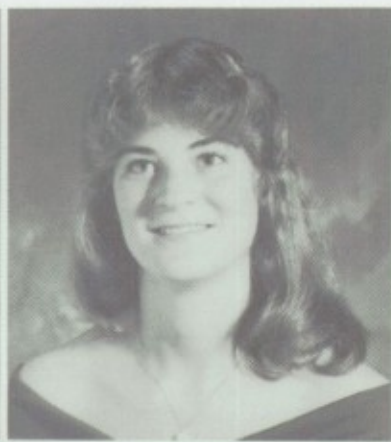


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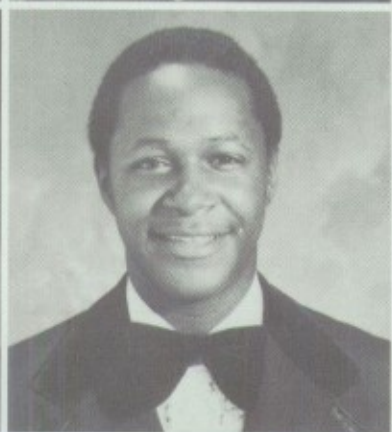
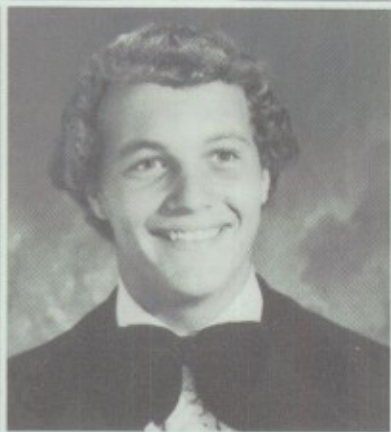
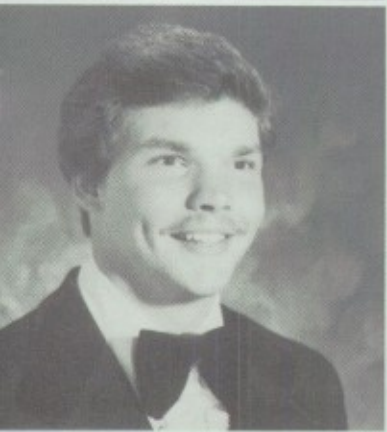


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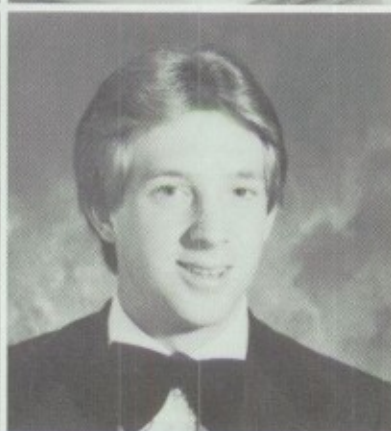
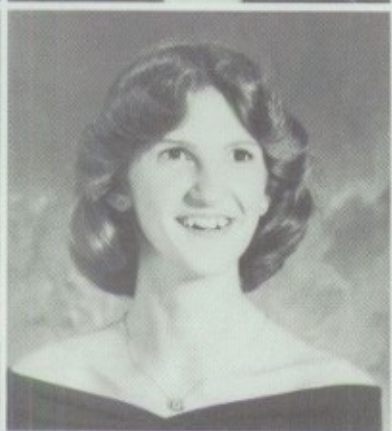
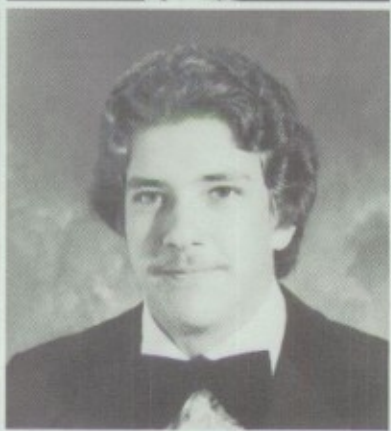
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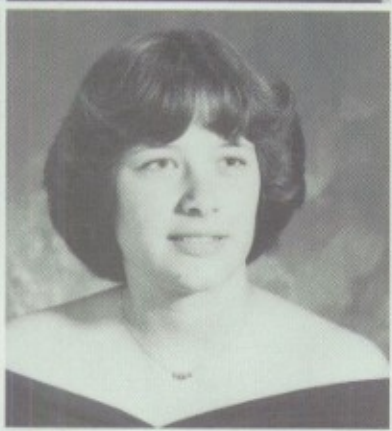
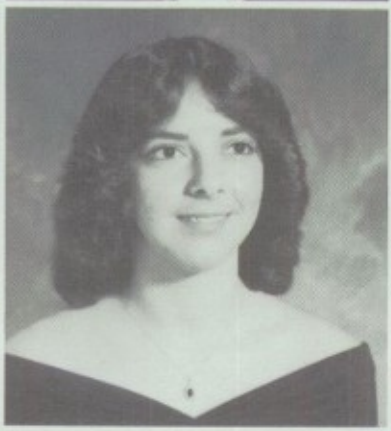
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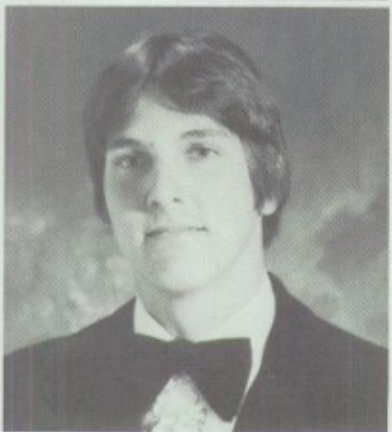
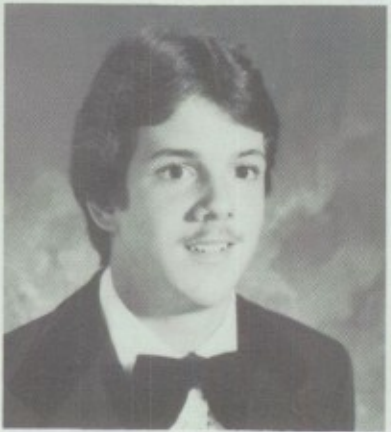
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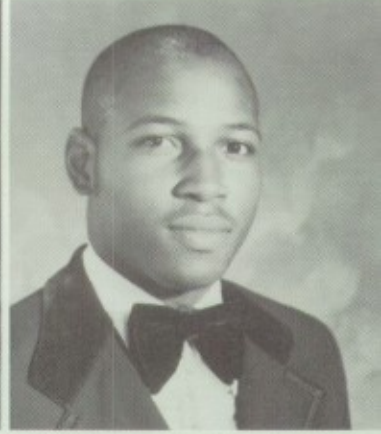
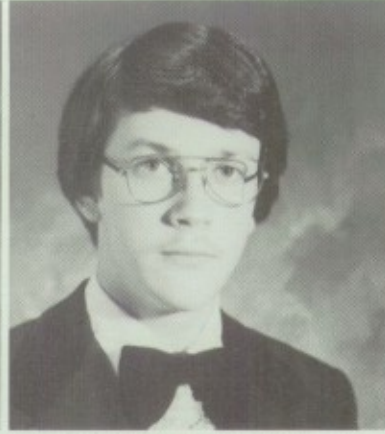
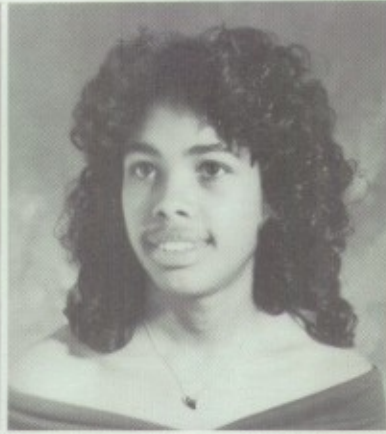
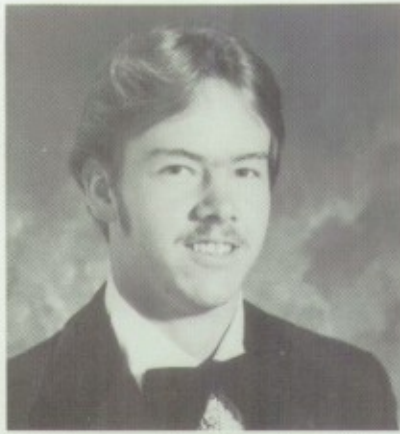
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President), NHS 11-12, Spanish 10. **Smith, Lori Ann** — Band 11-12, DECA 9, FBLA 10, FHA 9-12. **Smith, Ruby Ann** — Band 9-10, 4-H 9-10,12 (President, V. President), Science 11, Spanish 9-11, SCA 9 (Treasurer), Varsity Basketball 9-12, Track 9-12, Volleyball 9-12, Class V. President 9. **Steinkamp, Emily Jane** — Band 9-12, FBLA 12. **Stewart, Christopher Jay** — FFA 9-12, Latin 11-12, Spanish 9, J.V. Football 9, Varsity Football 10, Baseball 9,11-12, Golf 10-12. **Stratton, Richard Douglas** — FBLA 12, FFA 9-12, Spanish 9. **Surber, Melody Ann** — DECA 10, VICA 10, FBLA 10, FFA 9, FHA 9. **Totty, David Allen** — FFA 9-1, Science 11-12, Track 12. **Trent, Sylvia Denise** — Annual Staff 10-11, Tri-Hi-Y 12 (Treasurer), FHA 9 (V. President), 4-H 9-12 (Secretary), Latin 10-12 (V. President), NHS 12, SCA 9-12 (Chaplain), Junior Varsity Basketball 9-10 (Score Keeper), Track 10, Varsity Cheerleading 11-12 (Co-Captain), Class Reporter 11-12. **Tucker, Darryl Wayne** — VICA 12. **Turner, Norman Lee** — DECA 10, FHA 9, SCA 12, VICA 12, Junior Varsity Football 9, Varsity Football 10, Junior Varsity Basketball 9, Varsity Basketball 10-12, Baseball 9. **Vannoy, Betty Louise** — Art 11-12, FBLA 11-12, FHA 11. **Walker, Charles O'Neal** —

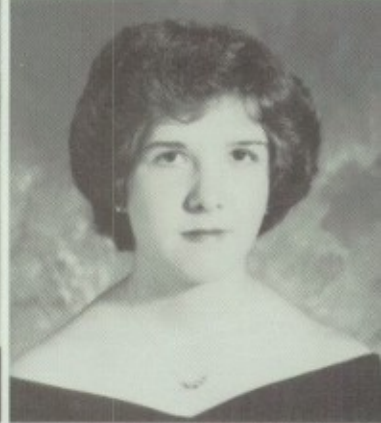
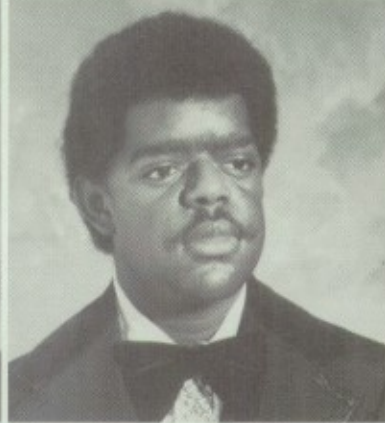
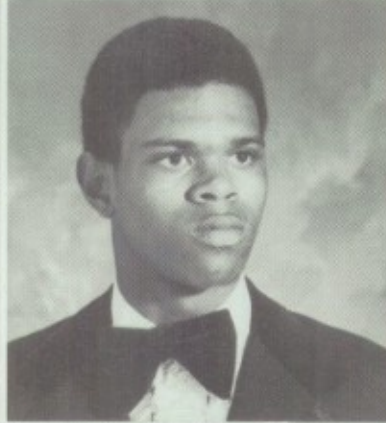
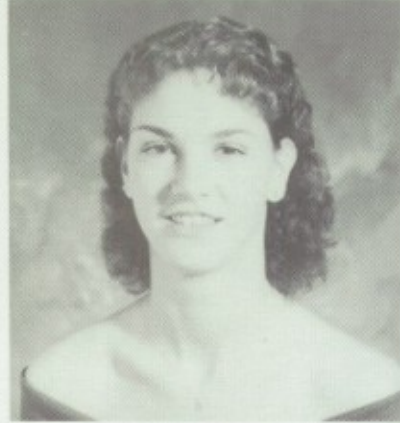
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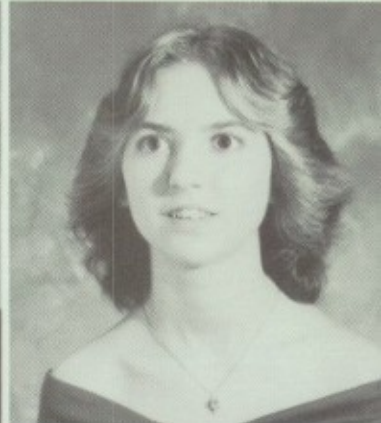
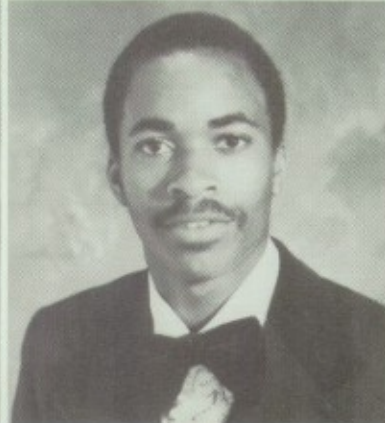
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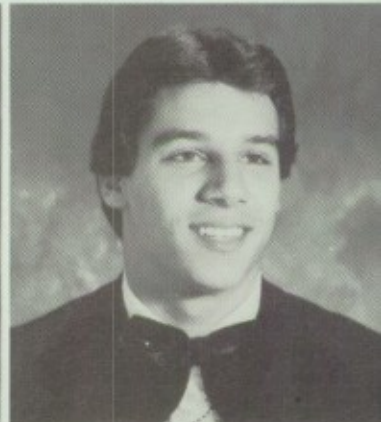
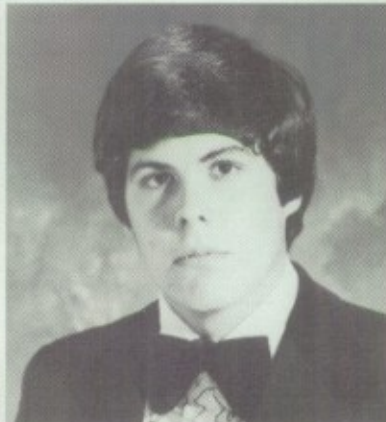
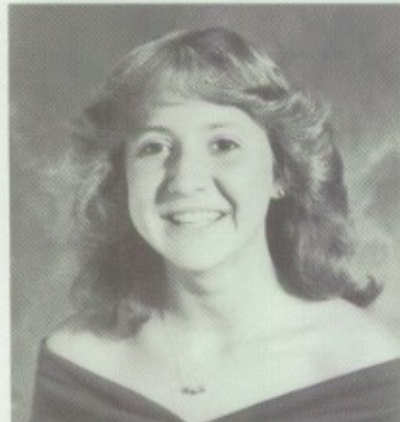
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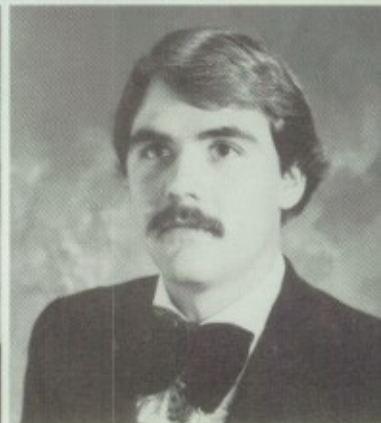
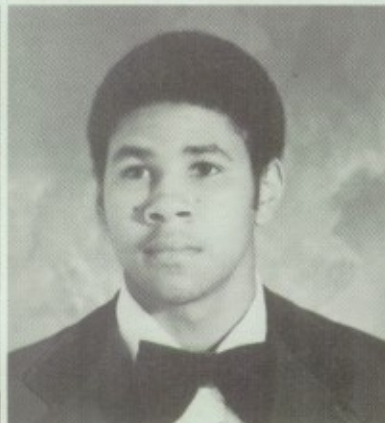
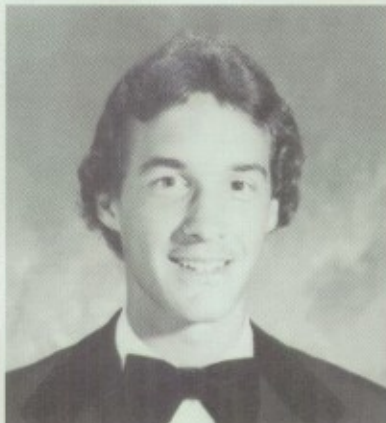
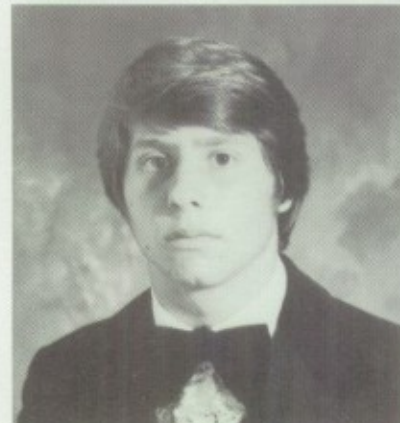
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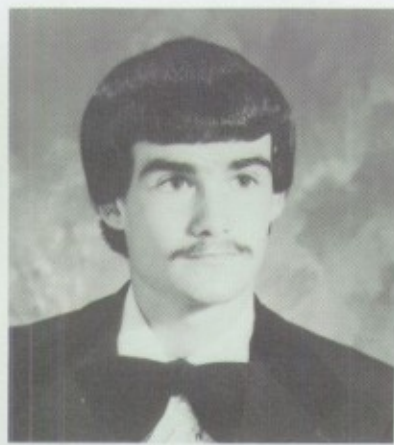


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Williams, Michael Elliott
Womack, Charles Grant, Jr.
Woods, Dewey Albert, Jr.



FFA 9-10, 4-H 10, VICA 11-12, Varsity Football 11. **Williams, Cheryl Kaye** — FBLA 12, FHA 9, Latin 10 (Chaplain), NHS 11-12, Junior Varsity Basketball 9, Varsity Basketball 10-12, Volleyball 10-12. **Williams, Jody Lee** — Band 9, FBLA 12, FHA 12, Spanish 9, SCA 11-12 (President), Junior Varsity Football 9, Varsity Football 10-12, Junior Varsity Basketball 9, Varsity Basketball 10-12, Class V. President 11. **Williams, Michael Elliott** — FFA 9, Latin 9-12 (Parliamentarian), Science 11-12, Junior Varsity Football 9, Varsity Football 10, Junior Varsity

Basketball 9, Baseball 9,11-12, Golf 10,,12. **Williams, John Timothy** — FBLA 12, FFA 9-10, Spanish 9-10, VICA 11-12 (Reporter), Junior Varsity Football 9 (Statistician), Varsity Football 10-12, Track 9-11. **Womack, Charles Grant, Jr.** — FBLA 10,12, FFA 9, 4-H 10, Latin 12, VICA 11, Junior Varsity Basketball 10. **Woods, Dewey Albert, Jr.** — FFA 9, VICA 11-12. **Wooten, Gregory Allen** — FBLA 12, FFA 9-12, Latin 10, VICA 11-12.



Wooten, Gregory Allen
Wynn, Lesia Lee

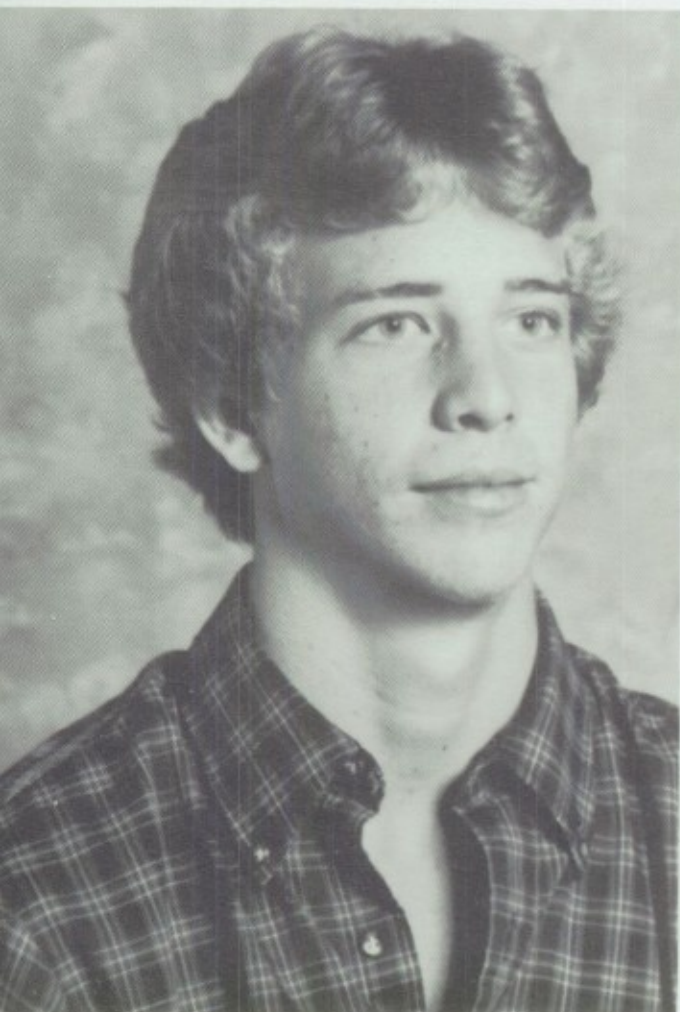


After Executing his computer program, Rick Caldwell reads the printout.

Setting new trends in dress is Laurie Cowan's job.

Licking his lips, Blair Smith concentrates on his candy stick.

Wanda Mosley and Patricia Flood explain the "brain eater" to Coach Cuccio.



In Memory of . . . James Allen Woody, Jr.

Again this year a tragic accident took the life of one of A.C.H.S.'s students.

James Woody, known as "Hooty" to his friends, was a special part of A.C.H.S. His smile and easy-going manner will be intact in our minds forever. Hooty had a special way of

making you laugh when laughter seemed impossible and would "do anything for a friend." He was a person who will never be forgotten. James was a lover of all sports, especially hunting. The Class of '83 will graduate without James Allen Woody, but our memories of him will live forever.



Sonja Hancock finds the camera more interesting than the ball game.

Timmy Almond is caught off guard by a quick camera man.

While working hard Elizabeth Watts gives the camera a look.



No Longer Underclassmen



In the course of a school year, juniors encounter quite a few "big events" including things like receiving class rings, planning a prom, and the real "biggie" — shedding the title "underclassmen."

This year's junior class participated like never before. Pep rallies for the juniors were truly a unique experience. (How's that for diplomacy?) Class rings were a bit late, but "better late than never." And despite a rather "unimpressive" magazine sales campaign, the prom turned out to be a smashing success. You really do come "a long way baby," in your junior year, so far that the pole has only one last spike to the top. Unquestionably, being a junior is good, but being a senior is . . . !

The difficulty of this work has **Sheila Woodson** angered.

CHRIS TOLLEY concentrates on his putting.

A puzzling moment for **Scott Drinkard** and **Todd Nash**.



Abbitt, Anthony
Allen, Dale
Almond, Scott
Almond, Timmy
Armentrout, Jan
Arrington, Teresa
Austin, Curtis
Baker, Janet

Baker, Janice
Baldwin, Pete
Baldwin, Thomas
Baldwin, Wesley
Baxter, Richard
Blanks, David
Brennen, Lorraine
Brown, Kaye

Caldwell, Beth
Campbell, Charles
Carter, Bobby
Carter, Crystal
Carter, F. C.
Carter, Tammy
Chandler, Tony
Cheatham, Charlotte

Chenault, Jay
Christian, Rose
Clark, Steve
Clifton, Connie
Coggins, Lori
Coleman, Lisa
Cousins, Lisa
Crews, Joe

Class Rings — "Better Late Than Never."

F.C. Carter laughs one off in history class.



Crews, Virginia
Daulton, Gwyn
Daye, Wanda



Doss, Lisa
Doss, Marie
Doss, Thomas



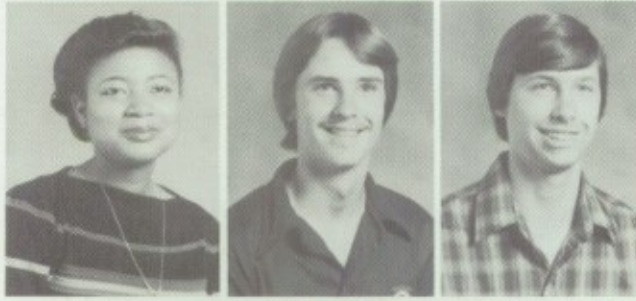
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Edwards, Phillip



Evans, Lonnie
Faney, Jeff
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Fields, Haven
Fillingame, Dwane
Fitch, Keith



Flood, Margretta
Garrett, John
Garrison, Ricky
Garrison, Timmy
Giles, Sandra
Goggin, Susan
Goin, John
Guill, Dennis



Hamlett, Barry
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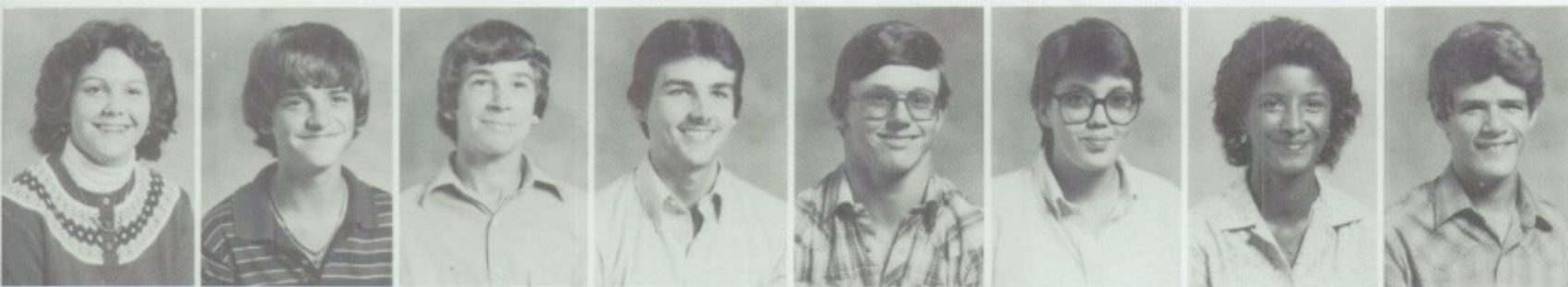
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Hopkins, Billy
Hudson, Kim



Irvin, Lisa
Jacobs, Cecil
Jaggars, Jeff
Johnson, Jesse III
Johnson, Terry
Jones, Diane
Jones, Otis
King, Maria



One More to the Top



Lann, Mary
Lawson, Freddy
Lee, Tyree
Leonard, Neal
Letterman, Mark
Lewarne, Brenda
Lewis, Charlene
Long, Allan



Long, Jeri
Lovelace, Anthony
Lukehart, Carol
Magann, Laura
Mann, Larry
Marshall, Rita
Martin, A.C.
Martin, Cindy



Looking on, Marie Doss receives a bit of extra help from Mrs. Racer.



Martin, Darryl
Martin, Roxanne
Mayberry, Kenneth
Mayberry, Hejen



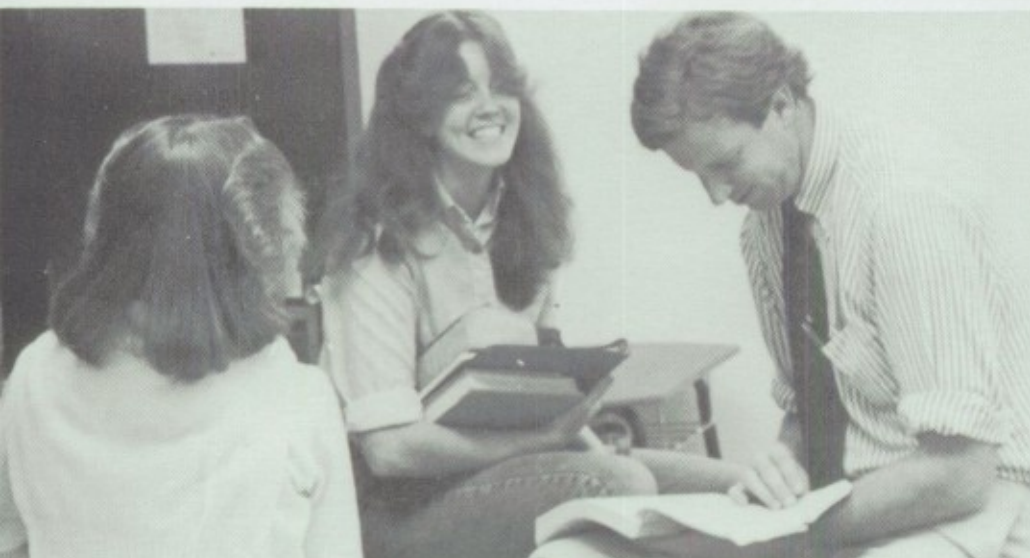
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McCormick, Keith
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McCoy, Michael
McFadden, Thomas



Megginson, Roslyn
Miller, Malcolm
Mitchell, Wanda
Moore, Alphonso
Moore, Charlotte
Moore, Tina
Moore, Tony
Morgan, Antione



This workbook page puzzles Mr. Pettyjohn as it amuses Trudy Harris and Lori Coggins.



Sandra Watkins and Tyree Lee intent on Mrs. Wilson's chemistry quiz.

Low on Volume, High in Spirit!

Relaxing in the cool comforts of the mountains are Neal Leonard and Joanie Canada.



Pannell, Lisa
Morgan, George
Napier, Lewis
Nash, Todd



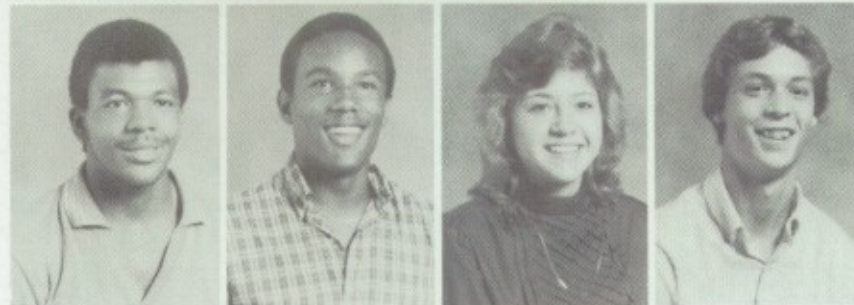
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Scruggs, Donnie



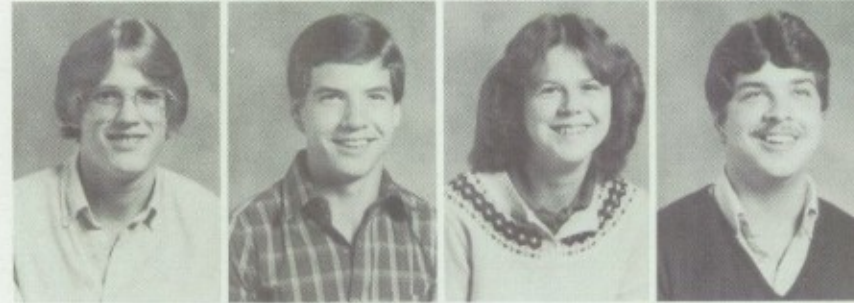
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Simpson, J.D.
Smith, Tammy



Spradlin, Wayne
Stevens, Karen
Thomas, Eve
Thomas, Janet
Thompson, Chuck
Thompson, Gene
Thompson, Helen
Thompson, Todd



Thornhill, Ronald
Tolley, Chris
Tucker, Lisa
Tuggle, Brian
Vassar, H.T.
Walker, Debbie
Watkins, Sandra
Watts, Anne



Weakley, Rhonda
Webb, Mary
Webber, Connie
Wells, Tammy
Williams, Charles
Williams, Jack
Wingfield, Jay
Woods, Em



Woodson, Sheila
Woodson, Tim
Woody, Richard
Woody, Troy
Wooten, Cindy
Worley, Robert
Wright, Brenda
Wright, LaDell



SOPHOMORES: MOVING ON UP



Becoming a sophomore: finally, no longer at the bottom of the ladder. Along with moving up comes added responsibilities. For many, the "totally awesome" part of this year is the chance to get "behind-the-wheel" in driver's training. After all, this is the year that your sixteenth birthday finally rolls around, and everybody knows what that means. Your driver's license, man! For the lucky few, it also means being able to buy a car of their own and driving to school.

From a sports' point of view, all junior varsity sportsmen are moving up to varsity players status, finally leaving behind all ties with AMS and totally supporting ACHS endeavors.

Responsibilities also extend to the scholastic rung of the ladder. Sophomores break away from their past routine schedules and add new electives, like journalism, family living, and typing.

The sophomore year of high school is exciting and one not to be forgotten.

Brenda Burns is certainly not camera shy.

Biology class holds the interest of JoAnn Wooding and Sharon Almond.

Billy Caldwell obviously is not paying attention to the game.



Allen, Ursula
Almond, Sharon
Austin, Timmy
Banks, Carl
Barksdale, Tina
Bass, Rebecca
Beane, Jeff
Bennett, Beverly

SOPHOMORES WIN SPIRIT STICK

Bohannon, James
Bollinger, Phil
Broggin, Jesse
Browder, Anthony
Brown, Kelly



Bryant, David
Bryant, Lisa
Burns, Brenda
Caldwell, Anne
Caldwell, Billy



Kandy Driskill's attention is momentarily diverted by antics going on behind her.



Caldwell, Sonny
Campbell, Tina
Carnefix, Carolyn
Carter, Rhonda
Cashwell, Frances
Chambers, Daisy
Cheatham, Carolyn
Cheatham, Marsha



Cheatham, Stewart
Childress, Tammy
Christian, Debra
Christian, Yolanda
Clark, Cindy
Cobb, Tom
Coker, Troy
Coleman, Sally



Covington, Don
Crews, Thomas
Davis, David
Davis, Neal
Dawson, Dawn
Daye, Darlene
Dickerson, Donna
Drinkard, Steven



Driskill, Kandy
Eagle, Terry
Elder, Lewis
Ferguson, Charles
Ferguson, Lloyd
Ferguson, Mike
Ferguson, Monte
Ferguson, Serena



Ferguson, Sherry
Ferguson, Tammy
Fitch, Tracey
Fleshman, James
Fleshman, Joe
Fleshman, Wanda
Ford, Michelle
Franklin, Brenda



Franklin, Donna
Franklin, Mark
Franklin, Pam
Franklin, Shelly
Gagneur, Norman
Gallier, Ronald
Garrett, Jo Ellen
Glover, Renee



TWO TIMES IN A ROW



Sophomore Roger Steinkamp wonders which one's Maureen and which one's Eileen.



Godsey, Tammy



Goodman, Vincent



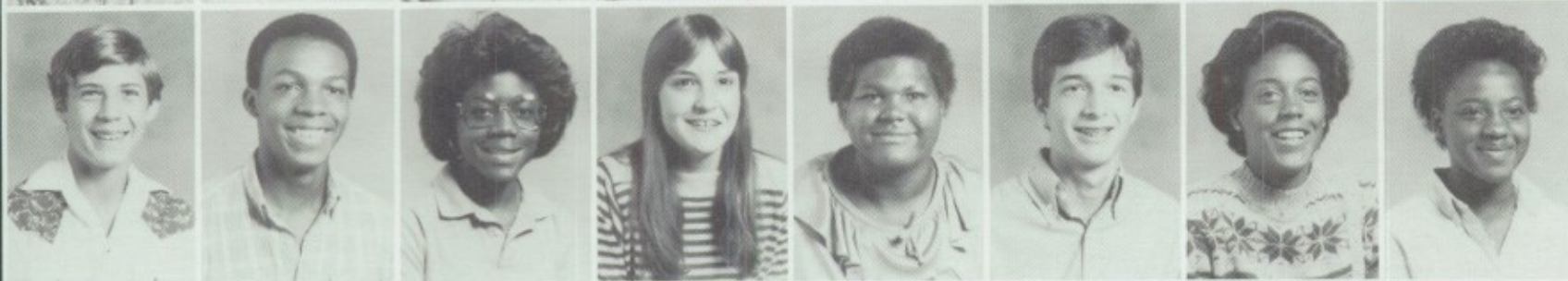
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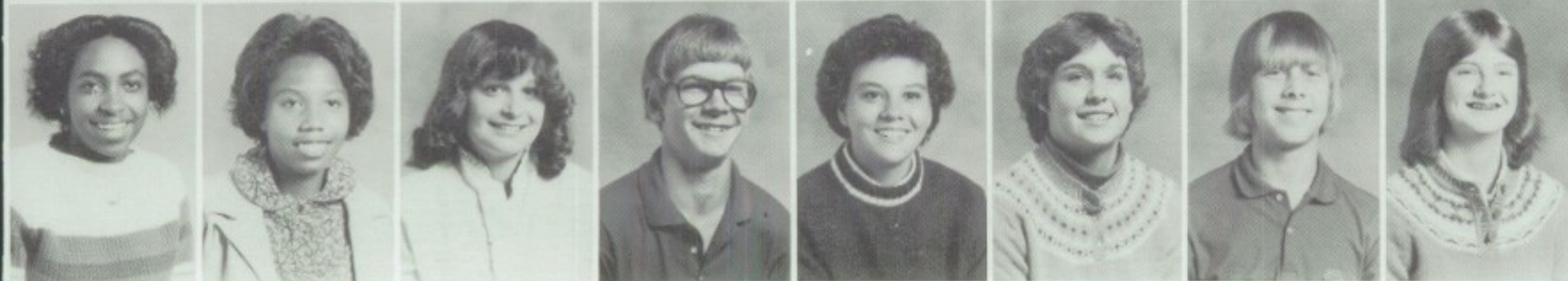
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Hodges, Tony



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Jenkins, June
Jennings, Carol
Jones, Mary
Johnson, Paul
Kelso, Debra A.
Kelso, Debra D.



Kelso, Karen
Kelso, Ronald
Kendrick, Kevin
Kidd, Tony
King, Troy
Knight, Mike
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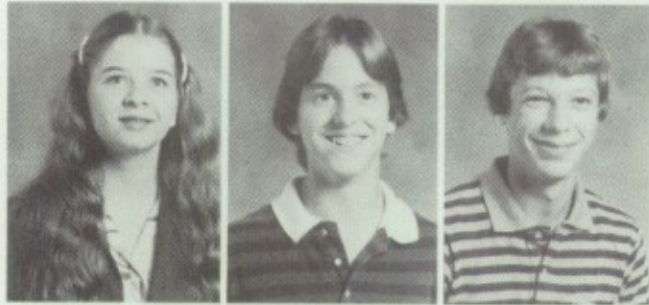
SOPHOMORE SLUMP: FACT OR FICTION

Mayberry, Dennis



It takes concentration to type and Tracey Fitch has it.

Mayberry, Maggie
McClary, Bruce
McClenny, Kenneth



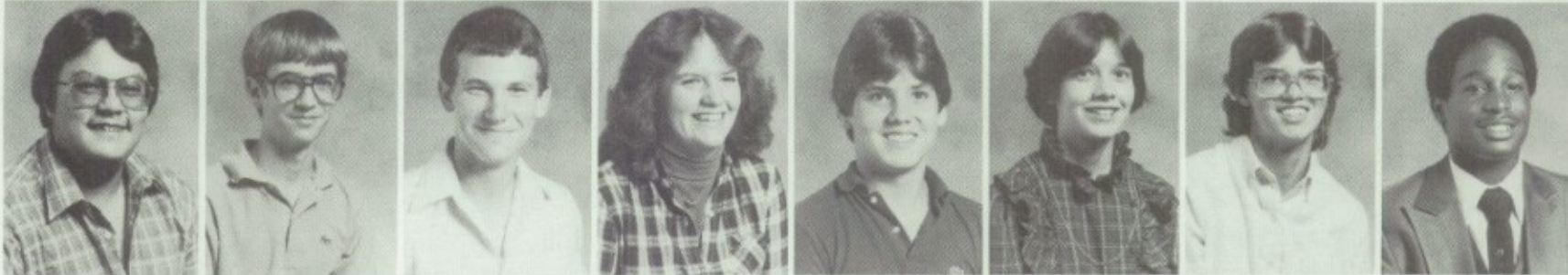
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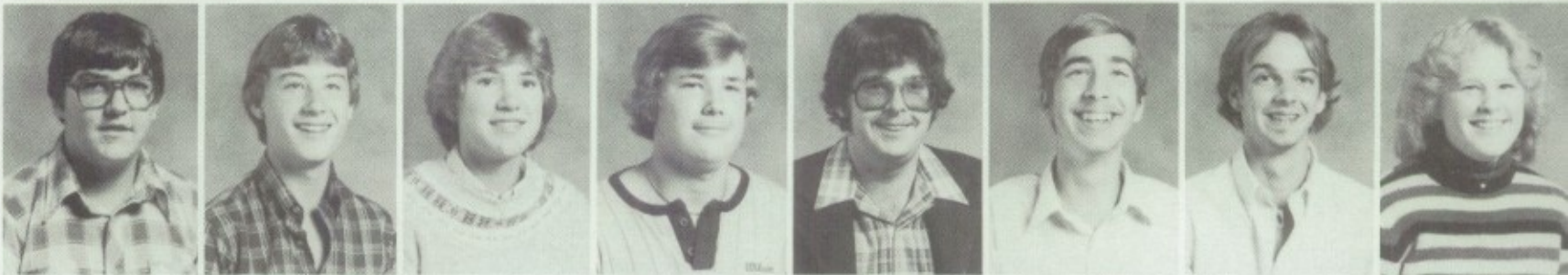
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O'Brien, Jeff
O'Donnell, Barbara
Osborne, Rick
Padgett, Lynn
Page, Sharon
Patrick, Carroll



Paulette, Darrell
Pearson, Curtis
Pennington, Carrie
Phelps, Randy
Pierce, Mark
Pillow, James
Pollard, Gary
Ranson, Leslie



Ranson, Suzi
Reed, Charlene
Richardson, Kenny
Richardson, Norma
Richardson, Ray
Richardson, Terry
Roach, Darrell
Roach, Mike



Robertson, Cathy
Robertson, David
Robinson, Chris
Robinson, Fontella
Robinson, Kinle
Robinson, Lynn
Romanac, Michelle
Rosser, Barbara





Like most Sophomores, Kelly Brown begins her day with a ride on the school bus.



A roving yearbook photographer just is not all that impressive for some — like Debra Kelso and Marsha Cheatham.



Sandidge, Dwane
Saunders, Percy
Sayers, Todd
Schmutz, Traci
Scott, Patricia
Scott, Randy
Shelton, Rodney
Scruggs, Deirdra

Simmons, Renee
Smith, Delores
Steadman, Richard
Steinkamp, Roger
Taylor, Robert
Thomas, Warren
Tolley, H.R.
Trent, Jackie

Trent, Tracey
Tyree, Chris
Walton, Sandy
Watkins, Lawane
Watkins, Regina
Watson, Robert
Webber, Frankie
Wheeler, Alfreda



Beverly Bennett shoots for two.



Wheeler, Herman
Williams, David
Williams, Denise
Williams, Heather

Williamson, Mike
Willis, Roger
Winters, Kris
Wooding, JoAnn

Woods, Troy
Woody, Monica
Worley, Victoria
Wright, Maggie

It's Tough On Top . . . Right Rough On Bottom Too

The most difficult year in high school to characterize is the Freshman Year. In order to get a true picture of what the Freshman Year is all about, we went to the Freshmen.

When Traci Moore was asked what being a Freshman meant to her, her comment was, "Only three more years to go." For all Freshmen, entering high school is a giant step towards adulthood and independence. Freshmen are quickly faced with decision-making as they realize that graduation isn't really so far away.

Yolanda Trent had a different view of the first year in high school her comment was, "There are more people." Freshmen face not only more, but older and bigger people. It takes awhile to adjust to being "low man on the totem pole" at ACHS.

What about the average Freshman male, how does he view high school life? According to Russell Walton, Darrell Conner, Tim Mullins, and Darren Tolley, "More fun and more girls" are how males see it.



Good piano playing doesn't just happen. Here, April Archer works toward that end.

Abbitt, Sharon
Abbitt, Sheila
Almond, Alex
Anderson, Howard
Archer, April
Atkins, Ronnie
Austin, Cheryl
Austin, Teresa



Baker, Jack
Baker, James
Baker, Laura
Baldwin, David
Banks, Angela
Banks, Anthony
Bartelt, Jeannice
Beasley, Benny



Bohannon, Tina
Booker, Susan
Bowen, Kelley
Brennen, Roy
Bryant, Priscilla
Campbell, Lisa
Carter, Billy
Carwile, Jeff



Cash, James
Cashwell, Shirley
Christian, Lucy
Christian, Pierre
Christian, Sandra
Clark, Candice
Cole, Nancy
Conner, Darrell





Covington, Gary
 Croner, Shirley
 Cunningham, Toby
 Curd, Nancy
 Daubenspeck, Lisa
 Davidson, Judson
 Davis, Donna
 Daye, Isiah



Diggs, Hersey
 Dillard, Henry
 Doss, Edward
 Doss, Lisa
 Doss, Sherri
 Drinkard, Lee
 Elder, Shannon
 Elliott, Wilton



Everton, Teresa
 Ferguson, Cecil
 Fillingame, Jimmy
 Fitch, Tina
 Fleshman, Flo
 Fleshman, L. D.
 Ford, Travis
 Foster, Charles



Foster, Janice
 Franklin, Carroll
 Franklin, Russell
 Franklin, T. C.
 Fulton, Jeff
 Gallier, Kevin
 Garrett, Bernadine
 Garrett, Valerie



Garriss, Bryant
 Gaynor, Chrissy
 Gilliam, Nancy
 Glover, Wendy



Godsey, Teresa
 Goode, Angel
 Goode, Jacqueline
 Guill, Roger



Gunter, Bobby
 Haley, Martha
 Hamilton, Carl
 Hamlet, Duane



Hamlett, Larry
 Hamlett, Marvin
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 Hamlett, Richard

Jimmy Fillingame takes a last, long look at his notes.

Renee Harris makes her stage debut.

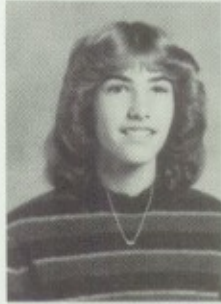
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Hancock, Anne



Harris, Doug



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Hoffman, Kelly



Hudson, Leon
Humbles, John
Hunter, Ada
Jamerson, JoAnn
Johnson, Edward
Johnson, Jeannine
Johnson, Walter
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Justis, Jason
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Key, Tonya
King, Sheila
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Lanne, Ray



Lewis, Pat
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Maddox, Michael
Mann, Brad
Marcus, Ronda
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Martin, B.J.





Martin, Donald
 Martin, Mike
 Martin, Randall
 Martin, Stephanie
 Mason, David
 Mayberry, James
 Mayberry, Katie
 Mayberry, Mark

McCormick, Molly
 McCoy, Sheila
 Megginson, Angela
 Megginson, Margaret
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 Pollard, Angie
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Preston, Greg
 Purcell, Sherry
 Reynolds, Dennis
 Richardson, Tommy
 Robinson, Dale
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 Royal, Tiffany



Feeling Frosh

The most common Freshman response for those who were asked what being a Freshman means was "More freedom." Freshmen realize the first week of high school that they can choose what to do and how to do it (well, half-way, or not at all). Betsy Wingfield says, "You grow up quick."

Social activities give Freshmen a chance to meet many new people and help them find high school life rather exciting. Pep rallies, dances, clubs, and sports make the Freshmen Year a busy one. The youngest and newest kids on the block are proud, and Jeff Carwile says, "Fresh is better than the rest!"

Charlene Scruggs and friends don't have to worry about having their seats taken.

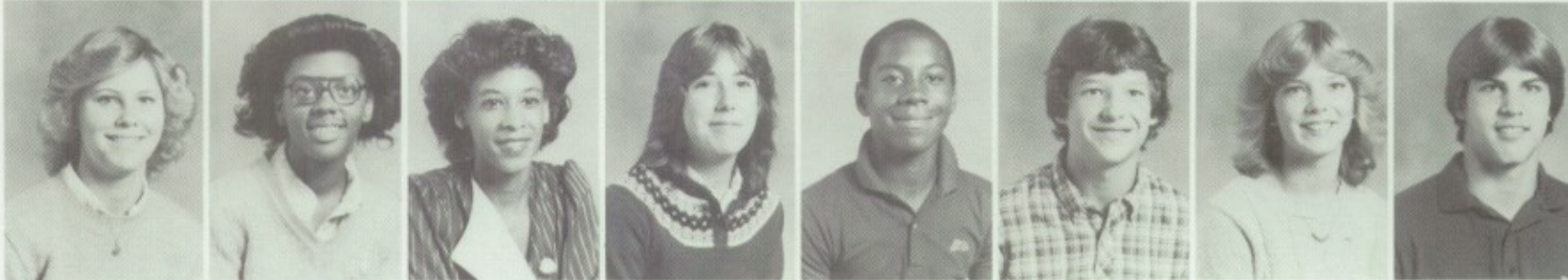
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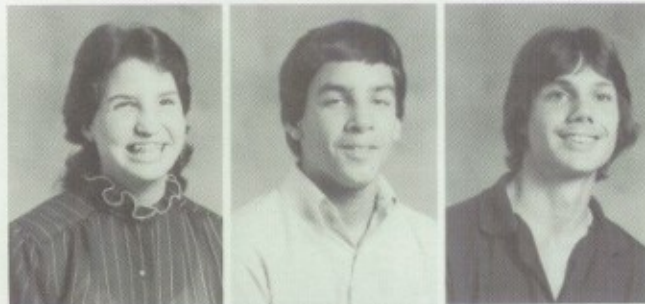
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 Woods, Steve



Woody, Laura
 Woolridge, Nancy
 Wright, Pattie



Nancy Cole listens patiently, while Cheryl Wilcox gets the story straight.





Donald Armentrout
John McLean
Richard Carter
Lloyd Walton



Faculty Facts

Most of us have rather stereotyped ideas of what teachers and administrators are like. They are the people who think and feel in rhyme, formulas, and equations, right? Not so.

We tracked down the majority of the faculty and cornered them with some rather prying questions in our effort to find out who they really are. To let you see another side of the educators here at ACHS, we are going to share with you some of their answers.

Our first question was a bit of an attempt to look into the past — "Characterize

yourself in high school." As you might expect, many of the faculty said they were studious and had an A-B average. But, you might be surprised to learn that **Miss Tanner** was a "giggler." **Mr. Clabough** described himself as "lean, mean, and wearing jeans," while **Mrs. Beasley** couldn't "remember anything" about herself in high school.

Then our questions turned to the out-of-the-ordinary — What is the most unusual thing you have ever done? The only unusual things **Mrs. Elliott** has ever done are to descend from a cargo airplane by means of a rope ladder, and to see a volcano erupt in Hawaii! Rattlesnake hunting was a rare opportunity for **Mrs. Eye**, and **Mrs. Archer** found living with a French family unusual

Mr. McLean hard at work in the school's office.

Upcoming SCA activities are discussed by **Mr. Armentrout** and **Jody Williams**.

Patricia Chandler receives an academic award presented by **Mr. Walton**.



TEACHERS TELL ALL . . . AND EVEN MORE

"What is the most exciting thing that ever happened to you?" Mrs. Glover says eloping topped it all, while canoeing over rapids was breath-taking for Mrs. Jamerson. A drive through a blizzard provided Mrs. Carlyle with excitement. Mrs. Braswell spent two years in Brazil after college graduation as a Journeyman (a two year missionary), and Mr. McHale spent a New Year's Eve in New York City!

"What is the most interesting thing that you have ever done?" Our faculty found the land, sea, and air, very interesting. Mr. Waddell says getting up to go duck hunting at 4:00 in the morning was very "interesting." Cruising the Mediterranean to Spain, France, Italy, and Greece as a member of the U.S. Navy, Mr. Burcher found was an interesting expedition, and Mrs. Wilson used to fly with an airline as a stewardess.

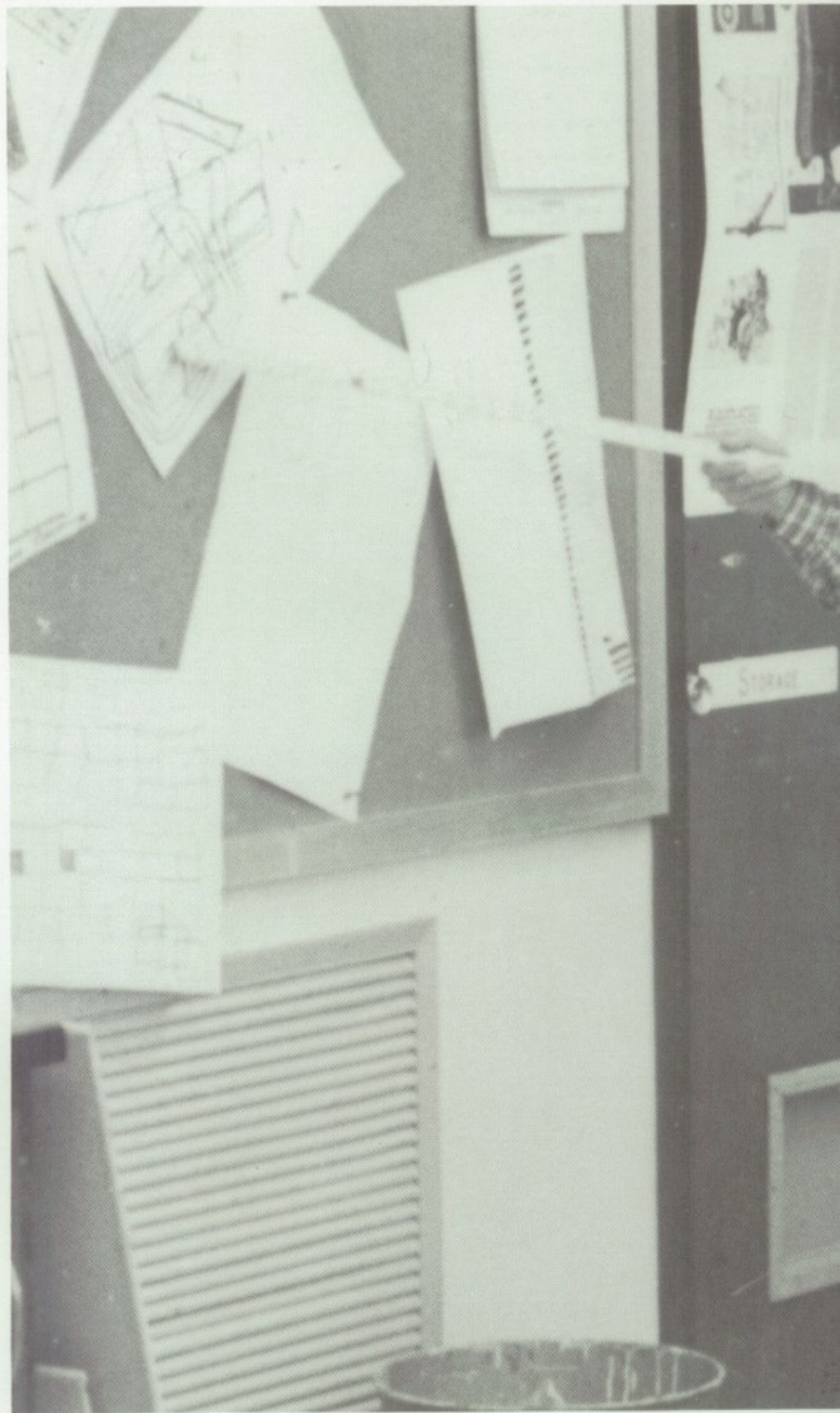
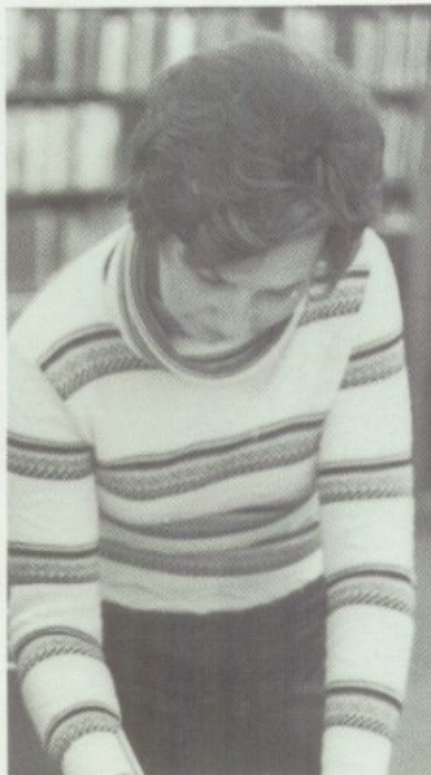
Now for a little closer look into who or what has impressed our faculty.

Catching up on student's plans is Mrs. Archer's full-time responsibility.

Mr. Clark helps Steve Cyrus find the "error" in his program.

"First, "Who is the most impressive person you've ever met?" For our school principal, Mr. Armentrout, Sonny Jergensen, "the number one quarterback for the Redskins" fits into this category, and for Mrs. Jones, poet Robert Frost was most impressive. Mrs. Racer was impressed not by a world famous person, but by someone much more familiar to all of us "fledgling actress Joyce Sweet."

Secondly, Where is the most impressive place you've ever been? Quite logically, Mrs. Turner who is the Physics teacher . . .



Joyce Jamerson
Linda Archer

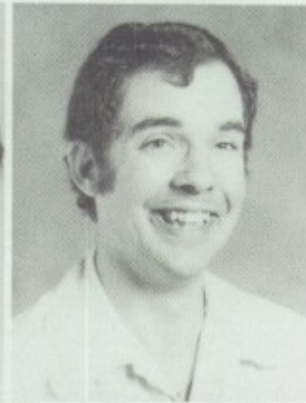


Harriet James
Margaret Glover





Wendy Richardson
Steve Lawrence



Betty Williams
Courtney Andrews



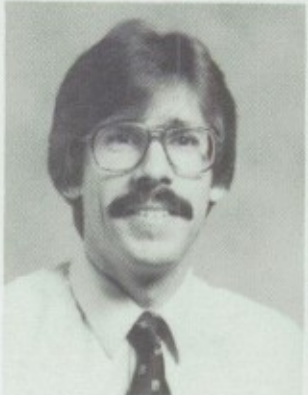
Gloria Humbles
Sandra Frye



Cathy Carlisle
John Clark



Joan Holt
Dexter Andrews



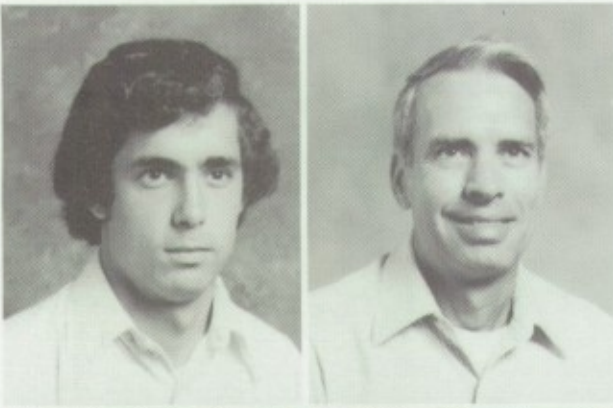
Harold Brizendine
John McHale



Mrs. Richardson uses the ruler and the "hand-on-hip" method to stress proper art techniques.

Hovering over his music is where Mr. Lawrence seems happiest.

Keith Maxey
Pete Almond



Albert Carter
Jesse Morgan



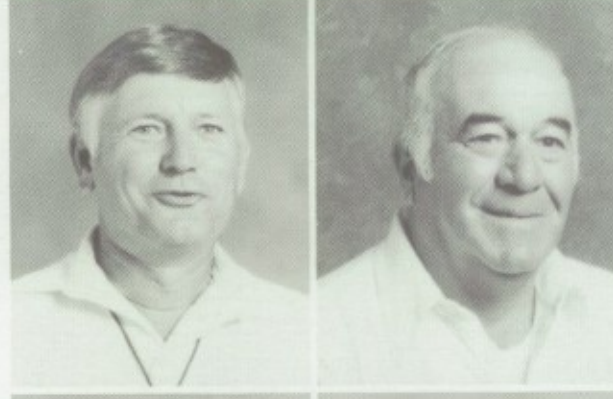
James Burcher
Bobby Waddell



Velma Elliot
Betty Jo Smith



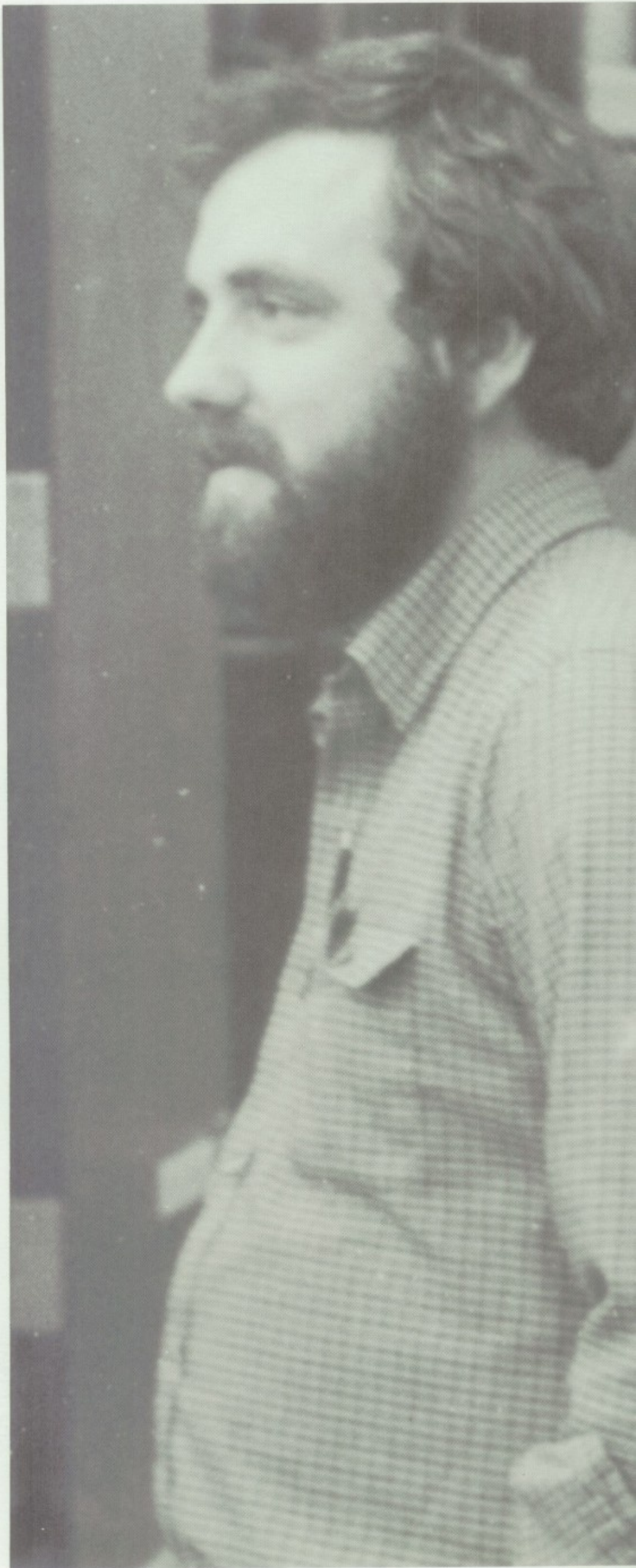
Howard Clabough
Gordon Bragg



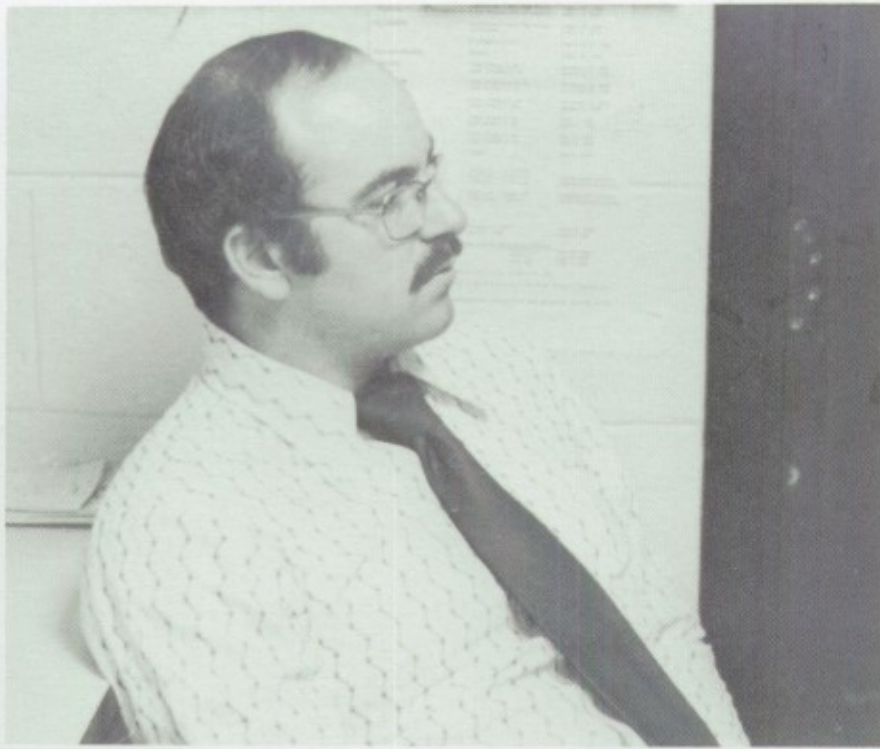
Mary Tolley
Lucy Harris



Unknowingly profiling for the camera, Mr. Morgan is lost in thought.



Much More Than Teachers



... was most impressed with the Smithsonian Institute, and Government teacher **Miss Vann** by Washington D.C. where the entire government is controlled.

Maybe you would like to know how and why some of our teachers developed into the people they are today. The answers to the next few questions may give you a clue. "What was your biggest decision?" Deciding to commit his life to the Lord was a major decision for **Mr. Cuccio**, and one that he says brought about the most significant change in his life. **Mr. Brizendine's** answer was as follows: "to lead and not just to follow; to make a new trail rather than to follow an old one."

Our second question in this category was who or what was the major influence on your life? Dancing influenced **Miss Frey's** life in many ways. It helped her to mature, and it opened up many new

pursuits for her and also new ways to earn money. This is how **Mrs. McCraw** put it: "People along life's way; and among these people, I can recall many strict and dedicated teachers as well as my childhood Sunday School teacher."

To learn exactly what some of our teachers actually did in their past look at the answers to these questions. What other jobs have you held besides teaching? We found that **Mrs. Huff** knows a lot more than high school nursing. She's been a traffic police worker, a dental assistant, and a short order cook! Ask **Mr. Lawrence** about the excitement of working at VA TECH. He informed us that he typed a book on the diseases of Elm trees for the department of Plant Pathology and Physiology for VPI and SU.

What are your greatest achievements? The greatest of **Mr. Coffey's** achievements is playing with the world famous **Primavera** stringed quartet. Finishing college may not seem such an outstanding achievement, but doing so after marriage and having two children probably does! It was, **Mrs. Richardson** says, her greatest ...

In his office, Coach Cuccio is always ready with a listening ear.

Yes, Mrs. Harris finally got those papers graded!

Coach Bragg doesn't know what to think of a cameraman interrupting his lunch.

Mmmm, food demonstrations are Mrs. Smith's best.



Scott Conkwright
Nancy Jones



John Hudson
Marie Dillon



Betty Hancock



Mrs. McCraw knows a teachers work is just beginning when she leaves the classroom.

Typing government mid-terms is no more fun for Miss Vann than taking them is for her students.

Mrs. Racer tries to get James Beaty to relax before the NHS Banquet by telling him one of her "quick jokes."



Life After 3:30

... Mr. Conkwright received many wrestling honors among which were his being proclaimed Jr. Olympic Wrestling Champion in 1972 and being ranked seventh in the nation in NCAA Wrestling Championships. Mrs. Sweet has had dual lifetime achievements. First, she began the Drama Club program at ACHS and secondly, she "learned the names of her students before the end of the first semester one year."

Enough of the past, the answers to the next questions will tell you what some of our faculty members are like today.

"What is the most interesting thing that you do now?" Mr. Terry tells us that he is now in the process of studying his family history. Mrs. Covington doesn't do just one interesting thing but three, and all out-of-doors. She enjoys farming, hunting, and fishing.

The faculty had to examine themselves closely to answer our next question. "What do you like the most and what do you like the least about yourself?" Mrs. McKay likes being bilingual but doesn't like her lack of patience. Getting along with others is one of Mrs. Hancock's finer qualities while she finds being short disfavorable. Repair work on automobiles is a satisfying part of Mr. Hudson's life.

The answers to the next two questions share a few of their fantasies.

"If you could be anyone, who would you be?" A life in London as Princess Di appeals to Mrs. Dillon. She likes the idea of having a respected position and a life of leisure. Does being the sole heir of Howard Hughes' estate sound good to you? Well, it certainly does to Mr. Courtney Andrews, and if he could be anyone that is who he would most definitely be ...





Only Miss Tanner gets a "kick" out of U.S. History.

After a nice, quiet lunch break, Mrs. Doss must face study hall once again.

Mr. Hudson has his grade sheets ready for his "buddies" box.



Mary Turner
Emilia Racer
John Pettyjohn
Carla Vann
Mary Tanner



Ray Archer
Estaline McCraw
Shirley Eye
Judy Braswell
Joyce Sweet

Edwina Covington
 Harriet Beasley
 Brenda Waldron
 Tommy Terry
 Marce McKay



If You Could . . . What Would You . . .

. . . Mrs. Holt would be Burt Reynold's wife if she could be anyone. Mr. Walton answered "myself" and explained, "I have to live with myself and I want to be fit for myself to know."

Now, what would you do if you could do anything? Traveling and visiting the Holy Lands is Mrs. James' dream, while Mrs. Humbles would like to just, "be a better me." And, Mrs. Harris says she likes her life just the way it is.

Finally, we want to let you know what some of our

teachers would teach if they could teach us only one thing.

Self-discipline and making good use of time are points Mrs. Doss feels everyone should be taught. Mrs. Smith puts it simply, "be ambitious." "The beginning foundation for any achievement is self-esteem and self-respect," says Miss Williams. And Miss Waldron put it this way: "To be able to recognize and respect the human and spiritual dignity of every individual, including himself."

We hope you've seen another side of most of our faculty members and you'll realize that they are much more than just "teachers". Yes, they're humans too — they always have been.

Being annual staff advisor brings Miss Waldron to her knees at times.

Collecting papers day after day does get monotonous for Mrs. McKay.

The ACHS Cafeteria Staff

After working with figures all day, they eventually become funny for Mrs. Stapleton.

