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Someone once said, "High School years are the best years of your life!" As frightened freshmen, perhaps, we might laugh at that statement. However, as time goes on, as we meet new people and make new friends, as we experience the good times, as well as the bad, as we participate and achieve a goal, as we obtain a sense of acceptance, and, as we learn to grow, we recognize all this as a preview of what's to come, and realize that these actually are the greatest years ever!!
We depart from the graduation ceremonies saying, "We'll never forget! A face, a laugh, a teacher, or just a friendly smile, we won't forget! "However, as we go our separate ways, time begins to wear away those memories, the names fade, and those "unforgettable faces" grow more distant with each recollection.
These are the times when a high school yearbook is priceless, a place to look and renew those time-faded memories. And we, the 1972-73 Annual Staff sin cerely hope that we have achieved this purpose. We hope that in the years to come, you will be able to open this book and say, "I remember

Barb Homolka, Editor

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## Class of '73



Charles D. Abdouch


Craig A. Athens


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We, the Senior Class of 1973, have reached one of the goals that seemed would never come. As we think of our futures, we can't help but think also of our past, the little things that have made our class what it is now.
For 17 of us, it all started way back in 1960 with kindergarten at Wagner Public Schools. Those "originals" who will graduate after completing 13 years of school here are Charles Abdouch, Kathy Bren, Russell Brown, Jeanne Bucholz, Jill Dobesh, Jan Frager, Bonnie Frei, Doug Greger, Rod Hartley, Tim Hoffman, Lydia Hollmann, Tim Masur, Ina Miller, Cheri Rezac, Deb Rokuse, and Vie Slaba.

Our real high school career started the night of eighth grade graduation when we each held our precious diplomas in hand. We entered the halls of Wagner High in the fall of 1969 as eager greenies. Unfortunately, the mighty seniors of that year were waiting for us, and although the initiation was unofficial, it was nevertheless thorough. We lived through all the shaving cream, cheap perfume, and eggs, and even had the energy left to elect officers. For the leadership we needed, we chose Duane Juran as President. There to help him out were Dave Birger, Vice-President; Jan Frager, Secretary; and Neil Martin, Treasurer. Our representatives to Stu-

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Russel D. Brown
dent Council were Charles Abdouch and Barb Homolka.
Our advisors were Miss Kennedy and Mr. Kaberna. Hon-
oring the seniors with their presence at coronation were freshman attendants Duane Juran and Jan Frager. The year was not all laughter and happiness, however, for
we all grieved the loss of our fellow classmate, Jackie Peters. Going into our sophomore year we lost seven class-
mates. Coming into our ranks were Donna Ehresmann, mates. Coming into our ranks were Donna Ehresmann,
Roy Johnson, Gretchen McBride, and Terri Woods. Taking over the important class affairs in a definitely mas-
culine way were President Dave Birger, Vice_President Len Koupal, Secretary Duane Juran, and Treasurer Charles Abdouch. Voicing our needs on Student Coun-
cil were Jan Frager and Neil Martin. Helping us along were advisors Mrs. Wright and Mr. Nedved. Homecom-
ing had a special meaning for two members of our class, Jill Dobesh and Dave Birger, because they were
chosen attendants. The juniors picked Jill Dobesh, Pam

Payer, Judy Link, and Cheri Rezac, Dave Birger, Bruce The year ended without too many traumatic experiences, and we entered our special junior year. We were Chosen as our last homecoming attendants were Barb Doty and Roy Johnson. Our goal for the year was an unDiane Bridge, Vice -President Len Koupal, Secretary cheri Rezac, and Treasurer Dave Binger, it was accom-
plished. We ere relieved to have the willing-and-able Miss Baruth, Mr. Carroll, and Mrs. Johannsen as advisors. "Colour My World . ." was chosen as prom
theme, and we worked to make it beautiful and different. As a class, we made almost all of the decorations canopy. We asked Mrs. Brunken, a former Wagner tea cher, to be our speaker, and she did a great job. With "The Symphonians" from the University of South Dakota

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providing music for the dance, we all had an en-
The prom touched on the note of sweetness, but again we felt the deep pang of loss with the death of our classmate Doug Sully. The year ended with our holding the palm branches above the seniors' heads, and we were
officially instated as the senior class of 1973 .
As we entered our last year, we numbered 58 . We had to say goodbye to Lori Sully and Raymond Provost; and
Duane Juran and Donna Ehresmann each married and moved away. To lead us, as seniors, through our busy year, we elected Tim Masur, President; Charles AbTreasurer. Advising us were Mr. Behrend and Mr. Twitcero. Jan Frager and Dean Crisman were our Student Our First big fling was homecoming, with coronation giving us King Doug Greger and Queen Pam Payer.
Other royalty were Dean Crisman, Jan Frazer, Dave Birger, and Barb Homolka.

The class had the honor of being asked to a Rotary supper at which we were asked our opinions on many
key issues. At times the going got tough, but we felt we accomplished something by getting the adults to
realize some of the problems we, as youth, have Finally, we came to the important decisions, those of our class colors and flower. The discussion became
heated at times, but out of it all we arrived at light and dark blue as our colors, and a blue tinted mum as Now, as we look to the end of our high school career and the beginning of whatever is to come, we think of the words of an unknown author:
World, I am Youth, unsettled and searching
Exploring the heights and the plain.
I'm searching your paths for a vision
---Give me your hand.

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Barbara Ans Dory


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Hydia Holmann


Roy D. Sohnson

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Len E. Koupal


Gretchen Mi Bride


William 2. Label


Neil a. Martin

TimR.Masur


Douglas Dean meatman


Ina of. Miller



Pamela Mairs Quyer


Cherylfinn Rezac

Veronica ol deata
Darid F. Slama


Fivhend 2. Soukup



Bertoen Pemeen Thebe

Nancy Qacharias

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Sary Lou Zacharias


SENIOR CLASS OFFFICERS: Tim Masur, President; Barb Homolka, Secretary-Treasurer; and Charles Abdouch, Vice-President.



CHARLES ABDOUCH: L. C. 2; S. C. 1, Class Off. 2,4; F. 1, 2; W. 2; F. Letter 2; Bankers' Seminar 3.
CRAIG AHRENS: S. P. Cast 3; W. 1,2, S. F. 2.
DENNIS ANDERSH: B. $1,2,3,4$; B. C. $1,2,3,4$; M. C. $1,2,3,4$; L. C. 3,$4 ;$ L. C. Off. 4 ; B. E. $3 ;$ P. E. 4; F. B, $1,2,3,4 ;$ B. B. 1,$2 ;$ T. $1,2,3,4 ;$ B. B. Stu. Man. 3, 4; F. Letter 4; T. Letter 4; B. B. Stu. Man. Letter 3, 4; S, F., 1, 2; B. Letter 2, 4.
BETTE BEESON: FHA 1,4; G. G. 1, 2; M, C. $2 ;$ N. C. 1,$2 ;$ P. C. 1; D. C. $1,2,3$.
JOHN BEESON: FFA 4; W. $1,2,4 ;$ F 4
DAVID BIRGER: B, G. 1, 2; M. C. 1, 2; Class Off. $1,2,3 ;$ L. C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ P. C. $4 ;$ S. C. Off. 3; B. E, 2; F. $1,2,3,4 ;$ B, B, $1,2,3,4 ;$ T. $1,2,3,4 ;$ Boys' State; All around Athlete 3; B, B. Hustler 2, 3; F. Most Yards Gained 3, 4; F. All conference 4; B. B. O. E. R. 3; F. Letter 2, 3, 4; B. B. Letter 1, 2, 3, 4; T. Letter 1,2,3,4; Citizenship Award 3; Prom Server 2; Prom Prince 3; Homecoming Attendant 4
KATHY'BREN: FHA $1,2,3 ;$ P. C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ N. C. $1,3,4 ;$ A.S. $4 ;$ G. G. $1,2,4 ;$ M. C. $1,2,4 ;$ D. C. $2 ;$ D. B. 2,4 ; S. P. Crew 3,4 ; N, C. Off. $4 ;$ G. T. $1 ;$ G. B. B. 1.2; Cirls' State; N. H.

DIANE BRIDGE: B. 1, 2, 3,4, M. C. 1, 2, 3,4; A. 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2-Off. 2; P. C. 1, 2, 3, 4-Off. 3, 4; T. T. 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Off. 3; S. B, C. 1, 2, 3, 4; V.S. 4;
Teen 3,4; Rotary Scholarship 4; Rand Scholarship 4; Honor Student 4; N. H. S. 3, 4; John Phillip Sousa Award 4; M. S. F. B. B. 4; M. S. F. F. 3; Augustana
Band Festival 1, 2, 3; Honor Roll
RUSSELI BROWN: B. G. 1,2 ; M. C. 1,2; D. B, 1,2,3; D. C. $1,2,3$; S. P. Crew 3; W. 1; D. C. Local Contest Winner 2, 3; D. B. 1, 2
DOUG BROZ: B, G.
RON BUUS: FFA 3.
BRUCE CRISMAN: L. C. 2, 3, 4; S. P. Crew 3, 4; B. G. 1; A. S. 4; F. 1,2,3; B, B. 1, 2; T. 2, 3,4; Bankers' Seminar; Boys' State Alt.; O. S. 1; N. H. S. 4; T.

## DEAN CRISMAN: Homecoming Attendant 4; S. C. 4; T. 1, 2; F. $2,3$.

MICHAEL CUKA
JIIL DOBESH: Cheerleading 2, 3,4; M, C. 1, 2, 3, 4; G. G. 1,2,3,4; T. T. 2, 3, 4; P. C. 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2; Homecoming Attendant 2; Prom Princess 3; S. C BARB DOTY: FHA 1, 2, 3, 4-Off 4; 1. 1, 2-Off 2 ; C. G. 1, 2; N. C. 2, 3, 4-Off 2, 4; P. C. 1,2,3, 4; Cheerleading 3, 4; Homecoming Attendant 3; M, C. 1, 2; D. T. 2; Junior and Chapter Degree 2,3; Nurse of the Year 4.

JODI DRESSIER: G. G. 1,2; M. C. 1,2; P. C. 1, 2, 3; Cheerleading 1, 2; Twirling 1, 2; B. 1,2,3.
PAUL A FAUCHENDER: FHA 1,2, 3, 4-Off. 4; N. C. 1, 2; D. B. 1,2, 3, 4; B. 2,3,4; D. C. 2, 3,4-Regional 2, 3; D. C. District 2, 3; M, C. 1, 2, 3, 4; T. T. 4;
PAUL. $A$ FAUCHENDER: FHA 1,2, 3, 4-Off. 4; N. C. 1, 2; D. B. 1, 2, 3, 4; B. 2, 3, 4; D, C. 2, 3,4-Regional 2, 3; D. C. District 2, 3; M, C. 1, 2, 3, 4; T. T. 4; District B. 3, 4; G. T. 2; Speech Excellence Award 3.
EMMA FLYNN: G. G. 1, 2; N. C. 1, 2; L. 1, 2, 3; D. C. 2; American Legion Essay Winner 4.
JAN FRAGER: Class Off. $1 ;$ S, C. 2,$4 ;$ B. $1,2,3,4$; T. T. 3,$4 ;$ M, C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ G. G. $1,2,3$, 4 ; Twirling $1,2,3$; Stage Band $2 ;$ P. C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4; S. P. Crew 3,4; Homecoming Attendant 1, 4; FHA 1, 2; S. F. 2; Augustana Band Festival
BONNIE FREI: P. C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ N. C. $1,2,3$; FHA $1,2,3$; B. $1,2,3,4$; T. T. $2,3,4 ;$ G. G. $1,2,3,4 ;$ M, C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ S, P. Crew $1,2,3 ;$ S. B, G. $1,2,3,4$
MARK GIZIEWSKI: B. $1,2,3,4$; M. C. $1,2,3,4$; B. . . $1,2,3,4$; B. E. $1,2,3,4 ;$ D. B. $1,2,3$, D. C. $3 ;$ S. P. 2,3 ; P. C. 4 ; T. 1 ; All State Chorus $1,2,3,4$;
Augustana Band Festival 3; Bankers' Seminar 4.
JO ANN GOLDHAMMER: P. C. 4; M, C. 1, 2, 3,4; G. G. 1, 2, 3, 4; Citizenship Award 4.
DOUG GREGER: L. C. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. 1, 2, 3, 4; W. 1, 2, 3, 4; T. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. Letter 1, 2, 3, 4; W. Letter 1, 2, 3, 4; Best Defensive Lineman; Outstanding
Wrestler; Quickest Pin; Most Tackles and Assists; F. All-conference; Homecoming King 4.
DEB GUNNARE: M. C. 1, 2; B. 1, 2, 3, 4; P. C. 2, 3, 4; FHA 2; N. C. 4; D, C. 2, 3, 4; S. P. 2-Cast 3-Crew; S, B, G, 1, 2, 3, 4; T. T. 1; District Band 1,2,3,4;
Golf 2; G. B. B. 1, 2; D. C. Awards 2, 3,4; Outstanding Teenager 4; Girls' State 3; N. H. S. 4.
ROD HARTLEY: W. Stu. Man. 3; F. Stu. Man. 3; L. C. 3, 4; FFA 3.
MARK HAWLEY: D. B, 2, 3; B. G. 1, 2, 3,4; M. C. 1, 2, 3, 4; S. P. 3-Crew 4; S, C. 4; L. C. 4; F. 2, 4; B. B. 1, S. F. 1; F. Letter 4; Honor Student; N. H. S. 3, 4; Rotary Scholarship.
TIM HOFFMAN: S. P. 3,4; L. C. 1,2,3,4-Off. 4; F. 1, 2,3,4; Stu. Man. 1, 2, 3,4; F. Letter 3, 4.
LYDIA HOLLMAN: P. C. $1,2,3,4$-Off 4 ; N. C. 1 ; B. $1,2,3,4$; G. G. $1,3,4$; M. C. $1,3,4$; A. S. 1 ; G. T. 1 .
BARBARA HOMOLKA: Cheerleading $1,2,3,4$; FHA 1,2 ; N. C. 1, 2; A. S. 1, 2, 3-Editor 4; P. C. 1, 2,3,4; D. C. 2, 3, 4; D. C. Local Winner 2, 3, 4; D. C. Dis-
 3; Assis. Majorette 4; S. C. 4; Cheerleading Captain 4; G. T. 1, 2; G. B. B, 1, 2; Outstanding Cheerleader 4; Miss Cooking Princess Award 1; Prom Princess 1; T. T. Award 2, 3,4; Business and Prof. Women Award 4; D. A, R. 4; Most Valuable Student Award 4; Youth Leadership Award 4; Outstanding Teenager 4; N. H. S, 4; Speech Excellence Award 4; Junior Degree 1; Conservation Speech Contest Winner 3; American Legion Essay Winner 3; Voice of Democracy Contest Winner 3, 4; All-State Chorus Alt. 3; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; 1 A. P. 3.
EILEEN HRDLICKA: FHA 1,2; M. C. 1. 2; P. C. 4; L. C. 2, 3, 4; F. 1, 2, 3, 4; B, B, 1, 2, 3,4; T. 1, 2, 3,4; All
俗 3; F. All-Conference 4; B, B. Letter 3, 4; T. Letter 2, 3, 4; F. Letter 2, 3, 4; Most Rebounds O. E. R.

## SANDRA KODES: None

BARB KOKESH: M. C. $1,2,3 ;$ G. G. $1,2,3 ;$ N. C. $1,2,3,4$; P. C. 4; G. T. 1,2; 1. 3; Nurse of Month.
KAREN KOKESH: B. $1,2,3,4$; FHA 2; N. C. 3; P. C. 1, 4; G. G. 1, 2; M, C. 1; G. T. 3; Girls' State Alt. 3; S. F. 1,2
LEN KOUPAL: D, B. 1,2,3; All-State Chorus 3,4-Alt. 1, 2; M. C. 1, 2, 3, 4; B. G. 1, 2, 3, 4; S. P. 1, 2, 3, 4; B. E. 1; Boys' State Alt. 3; Class Off. 3, 4; P. C. 4 L. C. 3,4 ; A.S of Ceremonies
WILLIAM LEIBEL: FFA 3,$4 ;$ B, G, 1 .
JUDY LINK: N, C. 3,4-Off. 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; P. C. 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleading 3, 4; Prom Server 2; M. C. 1, 2, 3, 4; G. G. 1, 2, 3, 4; T. T. 4; D. T. 2; Acc. 4;
GRETCHEN MC BRIDE: B. $1,2,3,4$; G. G. $1,2,3,4$; M, C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ N. C. 1; P. C. 2; Honor Student; Pres. Scholarship.
BRUCE MARTIN: L. C. 2, 3,4; T. 2, 3, 4; W. 1; T. Letter 2, 3, 4; Prom Server 2.
NEII. MARTIN: F. 1, 2, 3, 4; B, B. 1, 2, 3, 4; T. 1, 2, 3, 4; T. 1, 2, 3, 4; T. Letter 1, 2, 3, 4; B. B. Letter 3, 4; F. Letter 2, 3, 4; Outstanding Senior Athlete; Most Valuable T. 3, 4; S. C. 2, 3; Class Off. 1; Prom Server 2; B. B. Free Throw Champ 3; Outstanding Athlete at Tyndall Relays 4; Hustler Award B. B. 4. TIM MASUR: L. C. $2,3,4$; P. C. 4; D. C. 2; Class Off. 4 ; F. $1,2,3,4$; B. B. $1,2,3,4$; T. $1,2,3,4$; Golf 2 ; T. Letter $1,2,3,4$; F. Letter 2, 3, 4; B. B. Letter 3, 4.
DOUC MERKWAN: FFA 3,4 -Off 3,4 ; W. 1,$3 ;$ S, F. 1 ; Judging Trips.
INA MIIER: M, C. $1,2,3$; G. G. $1,2,3 ;$ P. C. $2,3,4$; T. T. 2,3 ; B. $1,2,3$; S. B. G. 1,2 ; FHA 1,2 ; S. P. Crew 3 ; S. B. $1 ;$ G. B, B. 1,$2 ;$ S. F. 1,2 .
PAM PAYER: FHA $1,2,3,4 ;$ P.C. 1,4 ; Cheerleading 4; S. C. 2; G. T. 1, 2; G. B. B. 1, Homecoming Queen 4; Prom Server 3.
KAREN PERMANN: P. C. 1, 3; G. G. $1,2,3 ;$ M. C. 1,$2 ;$ L. 4.
PAT PETERSON: FHA 1,$2 ;$ P. C. $1,2,3,4 ; \mathrm{G} . \mathrm{C} .1,2,3,4 ;$ M. C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ A.S. 3,$4 ;$ S. P. Crew 3.
CHERYI REZAC: Class Off. $3 ;$ G. G. 1,$2 ;$ P. C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ M. C. 1,2 ; Cheerleading $2,3,4 ;$ FHA 1,$2 ;$ C. T. 1,$2 ;$ N. C. 1,2 ; Prom Server 2 ; G. B. B. 1. DALE ROBERTSON: M. C. $1,2,3,4$; B. C. $1,2,3,4$; S. P. $1,2,3,4$; P. C. 4 ; A.S. 4 ; S. C. Off $4 ; 1$. C. $2,3,4 ;$ D. C. $2 ;$ B. E. $3 ;$ V. S. $4 ;$ F. $2,3,4 ;$ B. B. 1,2 ; W. 3, 4; T. 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' State 3; Frances Honke Scholarship 4; O. S. 3, 4; F. Letter 4; W. Letter 3, 4; T. Letter 2, 3, 4; Honor Student; N. H. S. 3, 4;
S. F. 1; Senate Youth Candidate 4; Communi-Link Rep.

DEB ROKUSEK: FHA 1, 2; Cheerleading 3, 4; M, C. $1,2,4$; G. G. $1,2,4$; T. T. 4; S. C. 3, 4; S. P. Crew 3; B. 1,2, 3; Twirling 1,2,3; P. C. 1,2, 3,4; S. G. B. $1,2,3 ;$ S. B. 1,2 ; G. T. $1,2,3,4$; G. B. B. $1,2$.
VERONICA SLABA: FHA 1,2 ; P. C. $1,2,3,4$; A. S. 3,4 ; Cheerleading $2 ; \mathrm{M}, \mathrm{C}, 1,2 ; \mathrm{G}, \mathrm{G}, 1,2 ; \mathrm{G}$. T.
DAVE SL.AMA: B, C. $1,2,3,4$; M. C. $1,2,3,4$; B, E, 3,$4 ;$ S. P. Crew 3,4 .
RICH SOUKUP: FFA 3,4 -Off. 4 ; 1. C. $4 ;$ M. C. 1,2 ; B. G. 1, 2 ; W. $2,3,4$; W. Letter 4.
BARB THALER: FHA 1, 2, 3,4-Off. 4 ; P. C. $1,3,4 ;$ B. $1,2,3,4 ;$ N. C. $1 ;$ G. G. $1,2,3,4 ;$ M. C. $1,2,3,4$; G. B. B. 1 ; Augustana Band Festival 3,4 .
JON WIPE: B. 1, 2, 3; M. C. 4; D. B. 3; L. 3 .
MARY ZACHARIAS: P. C. $1,2,3,4$; FHA $1,2,3$; D. T. 3,4 -Cap. 4 ; M, C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ L. 1,2 ; G. T. 1,$2 ;$ Golf 4.
NANCY ZACHARIAS: FHA $1,2,3,4 ;$ P. C. $1,2,3,4 ;$ N. C. 4.
Football-F.; Basketball-B. B. ; Student Manager-Stu. Man; Letterman's Club L. C. ; Future Farmers of America; Daughters of the American RevolutionD. A. R. ; Wrestling W.; Annual Staff A. S. ; Debate-D. B. ; Mixed Chorus-M, C. ; Girls' Glee-G. G. ; Boys' Glee-B. G. ; Special Chorus-S. C. ; Pep Club P. C. ; Drill Team D. T.; Future Homemakers of America-FHA; National Honor Society N. H. S.; Nurses Club-N. C.; Librarian-L., Student Council-S. C. ; Band-B. ; Stage Band S. B. ; School Play-S. P. ; Declam-D. C. ; Triple Trio-T. T. ; Outstanding Student-O. S. ; Small Band Groups-S, B. G. ; Most Spirited Fan-M. S. F. ; Instrumantal Soloist-I. S, ; Vocal Soloist-V. S. ; Boys ${ }^{1}$ Ensamble-B. E. ; One Act Play-1A. P. ; Percussion Ensamble-P. E.

Underclassmen

## Juniors - The Class That's "With It"

The Juniors are a unique class, separated from the others by their situation. The Freshmen are just getting their feet wet. The Sophomores are wading to their ankles. The Seniors already have one foot in the outside world. It's the Juniors that can really swing.

Their main objective this year was to raise enough money for the prom. They sold concessions at the games and matches, sponsored a soc hop, and arranged a cake walk following the Marty/Wagner basketball game. Being a total success, the prom will be remembered by all as a highlight of the school year.


Which One? ! ?!


Connie Amundson Mark Bastemeyer Jeanne Bren



Dave Andersh Ruth Beeson Dan Carda



Gary Andersh Dennis Blaha Tom Carda



Kevin Andersh Doug Blaha John Cihak



Randy Andersh Jeanette Bren John Crisman



Tom Cuka Mark Gau Wanda Jones Barbara Kodes

Brenda Davenport Leslie Gunnare Donald Kafka Bernadette Kokesh



Nancy Denker Douglas Hill Jackie Kisch David Kuhlman


Robert Durham Don Hrdlicka Charles Kocer Alice Link


Sam Fousek Jim Jaeger Debbie Kocer Charles Loudner


Joe McBride Nancy Otte
Randall Rezac Joe Soukup


John Mach David Payer Sheila Roberts Ruby Thaler


Ron Mazourek Edie Primeaux Donna Robertson Susan Uecker


Norena Novak Julie Ptak Marilyn Roth Larry Vesper


Dan Orton
Rhonda Reuland Debbie Schuurmans Ken Weber


Raleigh Whetsel


Cheryl Woods


Terri Woods


Joni Youngbluth


Martha Montgomery


Juniors hard at work!


Junior Class Officers: Jean Bren, Sec. ; Doug Hill, V. Pres.; Jan Bren, Bus. Mgr.; and Dan Orton, Pres.


Distraction
comes easily.



As the end of the school year approaches, the class realizes that they will soon take their places as Seniors. Perhaps it is a little frightening, but excitement erases the fear.


Don't tell me they're STUDYING!



## The Water Gets Deeper

SOPHOMORES - what an apt name. For that they are. That is - wise fools. Wise in many ways because of their experiences as Freshmen. Fools, because they have more to learn, don't know it, and wouldn't believe it.
As the water gets deeper, they realize that it is not anywhere deep enough - they are still waiting to reach the other side of the pond.
Near the beginning of the year, the entire Sophomore class got together and chose Peggy Weichmann as their president. At that same meeting, Mike McGuire was picked as their vice-president, and Dave Kokesh was elected as the secretary-treasurer. Melanie Morgen and Richard Kafka were to represent the Sophomores at the student-council meetings, and Eileen Cuka and Mike McGuire attended homecoming.



Connie Andersh Madonna Blaine Bob Crosby


Jean Andersh Terry Blaine Angela Cuka


Vicki Easterling Mike Hall Courtney Hyde Kathy Kocer


Marjorie Eggers John Havranek Madeline Jeunesse Dave Kokesh


Kellyn Faughender John Hollmann Garrit Juffer Ronnie Kokesh


Bette Frager Linda Homolka Richard Kafka Grace Kostel


Evelyn Gullikson Terri Honomichl Josephine Kasal Dennis Kuhlman


Mike McGuire Jeanne Moysis Cynthia Petrik Paula Ryan


Bette Mach Mary Permann Vera Provost Carrie Schroeder


Bill Mach
Debra Pesicka
Barb Reinschmidt Cheryl Smejkal


Melody Manley Alan Peters Lori Rezac Nancy Smith


Roberta Thaler


Larry Uherka


Barb Weber


Kendall Wiechmann


Petty Wiechmann Bernadette Zephier


ABOVE LEFT: "How does your finger taste ?" ABOVE LEFT: "Rich, get to work."


ABOVE RIGHT: "Don't tell anyone. " BELOW RIGHT: "Well, we have to work sometime."

## Filled With Apprehension . . .

Filled with apprehension, another group of Freshmen took their first step into Wagner High School, as one would "tip-toe" into a pond when he felt like wading. These have a similarity, and may be compared since the water gets deeper and deeper all the time, as does ones involvement in education.
They struggled through a difficult year of adjustment and came out none-the-worse, and wiser.
Leading their class, was: Pres., Erin McBride; Vice Pres., Craig Weber; Treas., Don Seiling; and, Sec. Marlis Rehwaldt. (Pictured at right)

Roberta Novak and David Robertson represented the class at Student Council. Craig Weber and Lety Puerto were Freshmen homecoming attendants.


Tom Abdouch Ruth Anderson Doug Bertsch


Mark Ahrens Denise Barta Cymthia Blaha


Christine Andersh DeElla Bastemeyer Loyson Carda



Debra Andersh Ricky Bastemeyer Kevin Carl



Greg Andersh Judy Beeson Dan Cimpl




Debbie Krcil Owen Martin Regina Nedved Marlis Rehwaldt Jack Robertson


Donald Kuca Sally Moysis Roberta Novak Doug Rezac Nancy Schuurmans


Darrell Link Jean Nedved Tim Otte Pam Risinger Pamela Scott


Erin McBride Jim Nedved Dennis Permann Becky Roberts Donnie Seiling


Tony Mach Patty Nedved Leti Puerto David Robertson Patty Sip



Gayle Slaba Carol Thornton


Robert Slaba James Uecker Pamela Weichmann


Ronald Soukup Craig Weber Doug Woods


Danny Soulek
Robbie White Shield Rence Youngbluth


Terry Thaler Laura Weichmann Luanne Zephier

Grrirrrrm! !




UNDERCLASSMEN, 4th ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: J. McBride, D. Andersh, D. Blaha, D. Carda, J. Jaeger, R. Mazourek, K. Weber, D. Hrdlicka. 3rd ROW: D. Blaha, J. Robertson, J. Hollmann, D. Kokesh, M. McGuire, B. Mach, L. Vesper. 2nd ROW: D. Soulek, D. Robertson, D. Doty, C. Weber, O. Martin, R. Horner, T. Doom. 1st ROW: D. Cimpl, E. McBride, D. Seiling, T. Mach, T. Otte, M. Frederick, R. Hoffman.


DEFENSE, LEFT TO RIGHT: R. Johnson, D. Blaha, L. Vesper, J. Jaeger, D. Blaha, D. Greger, D. Birger, D. Carda, D. Andersh, T. Masur, J. McBride.


OFFENSE, LEFT TO RIGHT: D. Andersh, M. Hawley, N. Martin, D. Blaha, T. Hoffman, R. Johnson, D. Greger, D. Blaha, D. Birger, J. Jaeger, T. Masur.


COACHES: Mr. Studelska, Mr. Hoff (head coach), Mr. Bich, and Mr. Nedved.


Somethin' wrong Mr. Nedved?


First touchdown of the season, scored against Platte.

Wagner ended up the season with a win over Tyndall with the score at right, 12-8.


ABOVE: Wagner recovers a Springfield fumble. RIGHT: Doug Gregor, Dan Carda, Roy Johnson, Dennis Blaha, and Dave Birger were chosen all-conference.


Coach's Comments:

DAVE BIRGER. (top left) Gained over 1300 total yards for the Raiders. Was the leading ball carrier and also handled the punt and kick-off returns.

NEIL MARTIN. (top middle left) Very small, but with his speed was very dangerous. Played wingback and was a threat to score on every play.

TIM MASUR. (middle top right) Played end on offense and a halfback on defense. Tim was the leading pass receiver on the team, with several clutch catches and interceptions throughout the season.

ROY JOHNSON. (top right) Handled the QB chores for the ball club. Played end on defense and did an outstanding job at this position the last four games.


DENNIS ANDERSH. (left) Played a very steady linebacker all season. Very solid performer who just went out and played good ball every Friday night.

DALE ROBERTSON. (right) An all around performer who was the leader of our kick-off team all year. He filled in for Neil the last game as wingback and did an excellent job.



TIM HOFFMAN. Handled the offensive center duties for the second consecutive year. Made up for lack of ability with his desire and competiveness to play football.

MARK HAWLEY. Mark played both offensive and defensive tackle for the Red Raiders. He showed great improvement throughout the season and was one of the blockers who was responsible for the yards the backs gained.

DOUG GREGER. Doug was the blocking back in our offense and did an excellent job. He played defensive tackle and linebacker and was credited with over 90 tackles.


Under 1st year coach, Joe Hoff, the Wagner Red Raiders compiled a 5-3 record and a third place tie in the SESD Conference. The Red Raiders opened the season with an impressive victory over Platte, but then lost three succesive games and were 1-3 at midseason. The squad continued to show improvement and with a stubborn defense and strong running offense the Raiders became a formidable opponent. The team finished the season by winning the last four games and defeating Tyndall (their only other loss to Burke) in the final game.

A strong defense, ball control offense, and a never-give-up attitude by the players provided the ingredients for a successful football season.

Scores

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| :--- | ---: | :---: |
|  | WE | THEY |
| Platte | 32 | 0 |
| Gregory | 6 | 31 |
| Parkston* | 22 | 26 |
| Burke | 6 | 48 |
| Springfield | 38 | 0 |
| Scotland | 18 | 6 |
| Andes Central | 6 | 0 |
| Tyndal | 12 | 8 |
| * Homecoming Game |  |  |
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LEN KOUPAL and GARRIT JUFFERS were managers for the Raiders and did an outstanding job, or as you might say, "Above and beyond the call of duty."

## Wrestling

## 'A' Squad



TOP, LEFT TO RIGHT: M. Bastemeyer, D. Gregor, D. Hill, R. Soukup, D. Blaha, D. Blaha, and Mr. Studelska. BOTTOM ROW: D. Payer, D. Robertson, C. Kocer, T. Carda, K. Andersh, and L. Carda.

## ‘B' Squad

TOP, LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. Nedved, D. Carda, R. Kafka, M. Cuka, J. Robertson, R. Liebel, B. Durham, and Mr. Studelska. MIDDLE ROW: L. Uherka, J. Soukup, T. Otte, R. Horner, L. Vesper, D. Link, T. Cuka, and D. Kafka. BOTTOM ROW: R. Soukup, R. Kisch, R. Rezac, D. Cimpl, D. Permann, and A. Peters.


## Senior Stars

Coach's Comments on the Seniors

DOUG GREGER. Doug did a very fine job of wrestling all four years of his high school career. He finished his year by placing fourth in the state tournament. I hope that Doug's placing in the state tour will show our young 'wrestlers that we can place in top competition.

DAIE ROBERTSON. Dale, our converted basketball player did an outstanding job for the amount of experience and training. One of the highlights of Dale's last year as a wrestler was to tie the state champ in our dual meet with Parkston.

RICH SOUKUP. Rich; a very hard worker and leader set a good example for our young boys in the practice room, showing them hard work pays off on the mat.

MIKE CUKA. Mike, a late comer to the squad had a lot of enthusiasm. I only wish he would have started wrestling as a freshman.


Our busy looking wrestling managers, Jim Nedved and Ron Mazourek.


Our wrestling statisticians. Cindy Cimpl and Kathy Kocer.

Scores


The Raider wrestling squad ended up their dual match season with ten wins and four losses under the second year direction of Coach Tom Studelska. The squad was ranked 9th and 10th in the poll ratings throughout the state during the season.
The team placed fourth in the S. E. S. D. conference, third at the Beresford tournament, and surprisingly collected 83 points to come out second, only being beaten by second rated Bruke in the Regions.

Seven Raider wrestlers came out of the Regionals to lead the Wagner team to the State tournament. At Regions, three wrestlers went into the consolation round; Kevin Andersh at 105 placed third, Tom Carda at 112 placed fourth, and Doug Blaha at 145 placed fourth. Four wrestlers, undefeated in preliminary rounds, went to the championship with only one coming out as champion, Dave Payer at 132. The other three wrestlers were only beaten by a few points; and placing second were: Dale Robertson at 126, Dennis Blaha at 138, and Doug Greger at 185.

Although the Raiders did well at the Regionals, they could only manage to place one at the state which was Doug Greger, earning fourth place. The wrestlers took $13 \frac{1}{2}$ points to tie for 13 th in the state tournament.


## Basketball

## ‘A' Squad



Coach Bich, LEFT TO RIGHT: N. Martin, L. Gunnare, J. McBride, G. Andersh, K. Weber, D. Birger, D. Kuhlman, J. Jaeger, T. Masur, R. Johnson, D. Andersh, and M. Hall.

## 'B' Squad

TOP ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: D. Doty, K. Carl, D. Kuca, D. Robertson, R. Hoffman, C. Weber, G. Juffer, and M. Fredrich. MIDDLE ROW: D. Kokesh, B. Mach, S. Hall, J. Hollmann, T. Andersh, M. McGuire, J. Crisman, and Coach Hoff. BOTTOM ROW: R. Kezena, J. Robertson, D. Soulek, D. Rezac, E. McBride, G. Andersh, T. Mach, and D. Seiling.



Coach Bich with A squad starters. L. TO R. : G. Andersh, D. Birger, N. Martin, M. Hall, R. Johnson, T. Masur, and J. Jaeger.

## Wagner Shares LMVC Title

The Wagner Red Raiders compliled a very impressive record of 15 wins and 7 losses including the Holiday Tournament and the District 25 Tournament. The veteran team with four senior starters dominated L, M, V. C. conference play with only one loss, and that going to the co-holder of the title, Parkston. The Raiders also shared second with Parkston in the S. E. S. D. conference, the title going to Burke.

Behind the team are the hard-working student managers, Dennis Andersh and Tim Hoffman.



Statisticians: Keeping the game charts are Diane Bridge and Nancy Smith.


## Senior

## Stars

## Coach's Comments

DAVE BIRGER - Dave was an extraordinarily defensive player and hustler. If everyone that played would put forth the effort that Dave did, we would have an abundance of good basketball players. Dave played some excellent games over the past three years and will be missed next year.

NEIL MARTIN - Neil was an excellent defensive player especially on the full court press. Being limited by size for basketball, he made up for it by hustle and hard work. Neil started for two years and also will be missed next year.

TIM MASUR - Tim played a good deal of ball for us this year. He was not as experienced as some other seniors out played good defense and won several games for us with his clutch field goal and free throw shooting.

ROY JOHNSON - Roy was our leading rebounder and played some outstanding all-around games for us.


Coach Bich bids farwell to senior players: LEFT to RIGHT, Tim Masur, Neil Martin, Dave Birger, and Roy Johnson.

AT RIGHT: Tyndall proved to be a tough match in the semi-finals of the District 26 Tournament.
We lost by one point.

BELOW RIGHT: In the finals of the District 25 Tournament, we took third by defeating Avon.



Chalk talk in Room 6!



## Boys' Track



JUNIOR-SENIOR TRACK, BACK ROW: B. Crisman, D. Blaha, L. Vesper, T. Masur, J. Jaeger, D. Andersh, D. Blaha, D. Birger, R. Mazourek, and J. McBride. FRONT ROW: K. Weber, R. Johnson, N. Martin, D. Andersh, T. Carda, G. Andersh, and D. Robertson.


FRESHMAN AND SOPHOMORE TRACK, BACK ROW: G. Juffers, D. Robertson, M. McGuire, S. Hall, M. Halland, J. Hollmann. FRONT ROW: C. Weber, E. McBride, D. Kuca, D. Soulek, and L. Carda.

Our track team took five championship team trophies home out of the nine track meets we entered, although some team championships were won only by a few points, even coming down to the final event. Some of the championships, like the SESD and the LMVC have never been won by Wagner before, but the 1973 track team changed all that. We also took the Tyndall Relays and the Bonesteel Invitational with quite a fight.
We put everything into the Regionals and came out way ahead of everyone else to take the championship trophy leading by over 20 points.
Although our team was well balanced, we were lead primarily by sprinter, Neil Martin, and by long distance ace Gary Andersh.

Wagner sent eleven tracksters from the Regionals to the State Track Meet, however, we came out in thirteenth place with only ten points. Neil Martin gave Wagner the only real points with his second in the long jump, third in the 220, and fourth place finish in the low hurdles. On the second day of the State Meet, torrents of rain made the track very muddy and wet. After Saturday was over, everyone who ran had a good taste of the track.


HURDLERS: R. Mazourek, R. Johnson, L. Vesper, and N. Martin.


440 YD. RELAY: N. Martin, T. Masur, R. Johnson, and D. Birger.


LONG DISTANCE: B. Crisman, M. McGuire, D. Andersh, D. Blaha, G. Andersh, D. Kuca, D. Robertson, J. McBride and D. Andersh.

## Girls' Track

The girls' track team had a fair season with individual performances which placed them around third and fourth in the overall rankings at several trackmeets. The girls' effort payed off at the regional track meet; they sent their 880 yd. relay team to compete at the State Track Meet by placing second in the regionals.


The 800 yd. Relay team with Coach Holmes: L. Rezec, S. Weber, J. Bren, and C. Woods.


## Letterman's Club



FROM LEFT: M. Bastemeyer, J. Robertson, T. Carda, D. Robertson, C. Weber, J. Crisman, J. McBride, R. Rezac, L. Carda, D. Doty, K. Andersh, J. Nedved, B. Crisman, R. Soukup, D. Blaha, C. Kocer, D. Payer, D. Carda, Mr. Nedved (Faculty Advisor), D. Andersh, D. Robertson, J. Jaeger, B. Martin, D. Greger, R. Johnson, D. Andersh, D. Birger, N. Martin, T. Hoffman, T. Masur, G. Andersh, K. Weber, R. Mazourek, L. Vesper, M. McGuire, D. Blaha, and G. Juffer.

## Raiders Pep Club

TOP, FROM LEFT: P. Ryan, D. Daily, D. Robertson, J. Frager, K. Kokesh, C. Amundson, N. Novak, B. Thaler, A. Link, and M. Zacharias. SECOND ROW: F. Homolka, G. McBride, E. Cuka, P. Risinger, C. Andersh, K. Kocer, D. Hrdlicka, and P. Peterson. THIRD ROW: D. Kocer, D. Kostel, R. Thaler and V. Slaba. FOURTH ROW: D. Bastemeyer, J. Andersh, B. Weber, and R. Reuland. FIFTH ROW: N. Smith, N. Otte, C. Woods, and I. Miller. SIXTH ROW: P. Wiechmann, M. Permann, B. Frei, K. Bren, B. Reinschmidt, T. Woods, S. Uecker, L. Homolka, and D. Gunnare. SEVENTH ROW: W. Jones, C. Smejkal, M. Hawley, D. Robertson, G. Johnson, D. Schuurmans, B. Kokesh, J. Kisch, and B. Mach. EIGHTH ROW: J. Goldhammer, K. Kocer, C. Rezac, J. Link, D. Birger, and L. Rezac. NINTH ROW: R. Novak, P. Scott, B. Homolka, P. Payer, L. Masur, and M. Morgen. TENTH ROW: D. Juffer, J. Ptak, J. Dobesh, D. Doty, R. Johnson, and C. Broz. ELEVENTH ROW: B. Roberts, L. Koupal, Miss Baruth (Faculty Advisor), D. Rokusek, J. Bren, M. Giziewski, and B. Frager. TWELFTH ROW: L. Hollman, D. Bridge (President), J. Youngbluth, J. Frager, and J. Bren.

Cheerleaders
And Drill Team


RIGHT, FRONT: M. Zacharais, Captain; N. Otte, Co-Capt. ; P. Scott, C. Smejkal, R. Beeson, P. Risinger, N. Novak, J. Kisch, D. Schuurmans, B. Kokesh, C. Woods, and P. Ryan. BELOW: Wrestling Cheerleaders, J. Link, P. Payer, J. Bren, J. Bren, and B. Doty.


ABOVE: "A" Squad Cheerleaders. TOP: J. Frager. L - R. : C. Rezac, B. Homolka, J. Dobesh. BOTTOM: D. Rokusek. LEFT: "B" Squad Cheerleaders, L. Rezac, M. Morgen, C. Broz. SEATED: B. Frager.


Yearbook Staff


Barb Homolka, Editor and Senior Class Section.


Dan Orton, Co-Editor, Advertising, and Subscription
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Len Koupal, Photographer.


Pat Peterson, Activities and Organizations; Veronica Slaba, Faculty.

Bette Frager, Underclassmen Section Edi-

STANDING: Kathy Kocer, Activities; Mary Permann, Faculty. SEATED: Mel Morgen, Activities; Eileen Cuka, Copy Editor; Linda Homolka, Faculty.

tor.



Bruce Crisman, Asst. Sports; Dale Robertson, Sports Editor.

NOT PICTURED: Kathy Bren, Ads; Gary Andersh, Asst. Photographer.



September 11 began the weeklong campaign for Senior candidates, Barb Homolka, Dave Birger, Jan Frager, Dean Crisman, Pam Payer, and Doug Greger, who were chosen by their class. Skits were performed, and speeches made, followed by the big decision of the student body.

All of this lead up to the coronation program, held Sept. 14. The class attendants were: Jrs. : Rhonda Reuland and Doug Hill; Soph. : Eileen Cuka and Mike McGuire; and Frosh. : Letica Peurto and Craig Weber. The crown bearers that evening were Lynette Kostel, Kyla Carroll, Sheldon Kamanu, and David Ahrens. Tim Masur was Master of Ceremonies and Coach Hoff
introduced the football team. J. Link, D. Rokusek, J. Dobesh, M. Giziewski, R. Johnson, and L. Koupal read the histories of the candidates. The awaited moment finally came and Pam and Doug were an.nounced as Homecoming Royalty for the year 1972-73. Receiving the football from the queen was co-captain of the football team, R. Johnson. The festivities were followed by the burning of the "W" and the pep rally.
The following evening, a good game was played but the Raiders were beaten by Parkston 26-24. Following the game was a dance, featuring the "Whitewing", held in honor of the first big moment of the year.

## Attendants and Royalty



ABOVE: Freshmen - Leticia Puerto and Craig Weber. BELOW: Juniors - Rhonda Reuland and Doug Hill.


ABOVE: Sophomore - Eileen Cuka and Mike McGuire. BELOW, (From left to right) SEATED: David Ahrens, Sheldon Kamanu, Doug Greger, Pam Payer, Lynette Kostel, Kyle Carroll. STANDING: Dean Crisman, Dave Birger, Barb Homolka, and Jan Frager.


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Director: Mr. Gravely. FRONT ROW: R. Thaler, D. Daily, K. Kostel, N Novak, J. Youngbluth, J. Bren, G. McBride, L. Wiechmann, D. Schuurmans. SECOND ROW: M. Rehwaldt, F. Homolka, C. Broz, B. Weber, J. Bren, J. Frager, D. Bridge, D. Gunnare, N. Smith, J. Andersh, D. Koc© er, D. Durham, D. Rokusek, N. Otte.

THIRD ROW: L. Hollman, R. Reuland, C. Andersh, B. Thaler, D. Kuca D. Kostel, S. Hall, R. Whetsel, B. Frei, J. McBride, P. Faughender, P. Wiechmann, E. McBride, D. Hrdlicka, P. Risinger, D. Krcil, L. Uherka. STANDING: M. Giziewski, D. Andersh, J. Ptak, R. Hoffman, B. Roberts, G. Johnson.


## 1972-73 A Band

LEFT: Percussion Ensemble: B. Roberts, D Andersh, R. Hoffman, M. Giziewski. RIGHT: Soloists: D. Durham, P. Risinger D. Schuurmans, D. Bridge.


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Augustan Band Festival: D. Andersh, B. Thaler, J. Frager, J. Youngbluth, J. McBride.


Clarinet Quintet: J. Youngbluth, N. Novak, R. Reuland, D. Daily, J. Bren.


Clarinet Quartet: ABOVE: R. Thaler, B. Weber, C. Andersh, B. Thaler. BELOW: Sax Trio: J. Andersh, P. Wiechmann, N. Smith.


Brass Quartet: ABOVE: D. Hrdlicka, D. Bridge, B. Frei, J. McBride. BELOW: Sax Duet: D. Gunnare, N. Otte.



## Boys' Glee

TOP: Mr. Banek. 2nd ROW: M. Giziewski, D. Andersh, M. Hawley. 3rd ROW: D. Robertson, D. Slama, J. Wipf, J. McBride. BOTTOM: L. Koupal, J. Robertson, D. Hrdlicka, D. Permann, D. Seiling.


## Soloists

 And AccompanistsSOLOIST: D. Hrdlicka, M. Giziewski, D. Slama, L. Koupal.


ACCOMPANISTS: D. Schuurmans, J. Ptak, D. Bridge, J. Link.


## Girls Glee



TOP FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: R. Reuland, T. Woods, J. Kisch, C. Anderson, B. Davenport, G. Johnson, J. Link, I. Miller, K. Bren, B. Frei, B. Homolka, J. Dobesh, J. Bren, and B. Thaler. SECOND ROW: C. Woods, B. Kokesh, A. Link, D. Cuka, P. Sip, L. Hollman, P. Ryan, P. Weichmann, D. Schuurmans, C. Andersh, N. Novak, N. Otte, G. McBride, and J. Goldhammer. THIRD ROW: D. Robertson, L. Weichmann, P. Faughender, C. Amundson, M. Rehwaldt, P. Reisinger, J. Nedved, D. Daily, J. Frager, D. Bridge, W. Jones, J. Bren, and D. Juffer. BOTTOM ROW: Director Mr. Banek, D. Durham, B. Roberts, D. Kocer, D. Kostal, P. Peterson, D. Rokusek, J. Frager, J. Youngbluth, N. Zacharias, F. Homolka, D. Youngluth, and J. Ptak.


LEFT: Soloists, STANDING: P. Risinger, P. Sip. SEATED: D. Bridge, L. Koupal. BELOW: Triple Trio from LEFT to RIGHT, P. Faughender, D. Schuurmans, D. Rokusek, J. Link, B. Homolka, B. Frei, D. Bridge, J. Dobesh, and J. Frager.



## Mixed Chorus

TOP ROW: L. Koupal, J. McBride, D. Slama, J. Wipf, M. Giziewski, M. Hawley, D. Robertson, D. Andersh, D. Hrdlicka, D. Seiling. 2nd ROW: C. Thornton, R. Reuland, T. Woods, J. Kisch, C. Anderson, B. Davenport, G. Johnson, J. Link, I. Miller, K. Bren, B. Frei, B. Homolka, J. Dobesh, J. Bren, B. Thaler, P. Nedved. 3rd ROW: J. Jussel, C. Woods, B. Kokesh, A. Link, D. Cuka, P. Sip, L. Hollmann, P. Ryan, P. Wiechmann, D. Schuurmans, C. Andersh, N. Novak, N. Otte, G. McBride, M. Goldhammer, P. Payer. 4th ROW: P. Thaler, D. Robertson, L. Wiechmann, P. Faughender, C. Amundson, M. Rehwaldt, P. Risinger, J. Nedved, D. Daily, J. Frager, D. Bridge, W. Jones, J. Bren, D. Juffer, N. Schuurmans. BOTTOM ROW: Mr. Banek, K. Kocer, D. Durham, B. Roberts, D. Kocer, D. Kostel, P. Peterson, D. Rokusek, J. Frager, J. Youngbluth, M. Zacharias, F. Homolka, R. Youngbluth, J. Ptak, R. Novak.

## All-State Chorus

All-State: J. Ptak, D. Bridge, L. Koupal, M. Giziewski. Alternates: J. Bren, J. McBride, J. Bren.


## FHA In Action



Freshmen: L. - R. : J. Frager, R. Novak, K. Kocer, D. Bastemeyer, D. Krcil, G. Slaba, C. Andersh, F. Homolka, D. Andersh, P. Sip, P. Risinger.


Sophomores: L. - R. : T. Honomichl, R. Thaler, P. Ryan, D. Cuka, C. Petrik, M. Morgan, C. Smejkal, N. Smith, L. Rezac, B. Reinschmidt, C. Broz.

Sophomores: L. - R. : C. Petrik, K. Kocer, B. Mach, J. Andersh, E. Cuka, C. Andersh, B. Weber, M. Eggers, P. Weichmann, C. Anderson, C. Cimpl, Mrs. Johannsen.



LEFT: FHA Juniors LEFT to RIGHT are, A. Link, S. Uecker, J. Ptak, J. Kisch, N. Novak, D. Robertson. BELOW: Seniors and officers LEFT to RIGHT, B. Beeson, B. Doty, C. Andersh, B. Thaler, P. Payer (Pres.) C. Smejkal, S. Uecker, J. Link, P. Faughender.


Prince and Princess crowned at the Snowball on Dec. 2, are Robert Horner and Christine Andersh.


Serving in an advisory capacity are the Chapter Mothers. LEFT TO RIGHT: Mrs. Payer, Mrs. Link, Mrs. Faughender, and Mrs. Kocer. They assist the FHA Club by helping with money-making projects and chaperoning parties.



AT LEFT: D. Kocer, C. Smejkal, P. Ryan, P. Risinger, C. Anderson, and N. Novak. FHA Degree Workers. They have been working on special projects to earn their degrees in the local chapter, state and national.


As a group, the FFA attended the annual Livestock Judging School in Sioux Falls, and participated in the annual four-state Livestock Judging Contest in Sioux City, Iowa. The FFA sponsored the building and burning of the "W" at homecoming. They also co-sponsored the Snowball.

## FFA

FFA members from LEFT TO RIGHT: R. Andersh, D. Blaha, K. Andersh, J. Beeson, R. Durham, Mr. Kaberna (Faculty Advisor), R. Soukup, K. Weber, D. Kuhlman, T. Cuka, R. Mazourek, J. Soukup, S. Fousek, D. Merkwan, and D. Blaha.


## "The Curious Savage"

Florence
Hannibal
Fairy May
Jeffrey
Mrs. Paddy
Titus
Samuel
Lily Belle
Ethel P. Savage Miss Wilhemina Dr. Emmet. Director

Nancy Otte Joe McBride Debra Andersh John Mach Peggy Wiechmann Len Koupal Tim Hoffman Nancy Smith Paula Faughender Janette Bren Dale Robertson Miss Loxi Laber Bruce Crisman


ABOVE, CAST MEMBERS: L. Koupal, B. Crisman, T. Hoffman, N. Otte, J. Mach, J. Bren, D. Robertson, and J. McBride. SEATED: P. Wiechmann, D. Andersh, Miss Laber, P. Faughender, and N. Smith. BELOW, CREW MEMBERS: J. Bren, D. Slama, B. Crisman, M. Hawley, B. Davenport, M. Morgen, and B. Reinschmidt. KNEELING: D. Bridge, B. Weber, D. Hrdlicka, and J. Andersh.

"Why don't you leave Jeff alone?"

"I don't like you!"


I hate everything .

ENCORE

## Student Council



STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES, SEATED LEFT TO RIGHT: Kavin Andersh, Susan Uecker, Len Koupal, Jan Frager, Dean Crisman, Julie Ptak, Sec. -Treas; Dale Robertson, V. Pres.; and Joe Mc Bride, Pres. STANDING: Alan Hrdlicka, Barb Roberts, Pat Bren, Jim Podzimek, Roberta Novak, Melanie Morgen, Mr. Hall, Advisor; Jim Jaeger, Rich Kafka, and David Robertson.


Lety Puerto, foreign student from Mexico City, was sponsored by Student Council. Lety lived with three families during her year in Wagner, the Don Rehwaldts, the Ed Cukas, and the Dr. M. A. Schuurmans. Her main objective was to learn to speak English.

Student Council had a productive year concerning themselves with major and minor school activities. On Oct. 11, Mr. Stabbe, Joe McBride, and Julie Ptak attended the Student Council Leadership Conference in Yankton. The Council also made posters supporting the school bond issue to be placed in downtown businesses. Raising money was easily done; the Council sponsored a high school dance.


## Debate and Declam



ABOVE: Paula Faughender, standing. FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: J. McBride, R. Whetsel, K. Bren. SECOND ROW: J. Robertson, D. Gunnare, M. Hawley, B. Roberts. THIRD ROW: D. Seiling, R. Brown, C. Schroeder, P. Wiechmann, Advisor Mrs. Rasmussen.

The Wagner debaters joined the Southern Forensics Conference this year. The team of Larry Vesper and Joe McBride, affirmative and Kathy Bren and Raleigh Whetsel, Negative, tied for fourth place at the Mt. Vernon Tournament.

Declam had a busy year with entries in three different contests. Second place winners in the local contest in Wagner were: Barb Reinschmidt, Oratory; Barb Homolka, Poetry; Ruby Thaler, Humorous; Betty Frager, Dramatic. First place winners went to the District contest in Avon where Rugh Beeson had a good rating in Poetry, Paula Faug hender rated excellent in Humorous, Barb Homolka had an excellent in Oratory, and Deb Gunnare rated excellent in Dramatic. At the Region Contest in Madison, Barb Homolka rated excellent in Oratory, and Deb Gunnare had an excellent in Dramatic.

SEATED FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: N. Otto, R. Beeson, D. Hrdlicka, B. Roberts. STANDING: D. Gunnare, C. Ander sh, P. Faughender, R. Whetsel, R. Thaler, B. Reinschmidt, B. Homolka, B. Frager, P. Risinger, P. Wiechmann, Advisor, Mrs. Schoepf.


## Stairway to Heaven

The night that the Juniors and Seniors were waiting for finally arrived! After months of planning and preparations, money-making projects and several class meetings, the Juniors, under the direction of Mr. Carroll, Mr. Schoeph, and Mrs. Johannsen, chose blue and yellow to carry out the theme, "Stairway To Heaven" for the 1972-73 Prom.
The evening began with Mr. Haugland, guest speaker, at the Methodist Church. After a delicious meal, served by the Ruth Circle, he gave encouraging words to the Juniors and Seniors.

Then it was off to the armory for the dance! Through
the canopy entrance was found a star-covered stairway and a bubbling fountain. Punch was served by Eileen Cuka, Nancy Smith, Sheryl Smejkal, Roberta Thaler, John Hollmann, Dennis Kuhlman, Don Doty, and Jay Robertson, to the gayly decorated tables. Hand-made candles, sitting on puffs of angel-hair added to the chosen theme.
A variety of music was provided by "Flight". Later in the evening, Deb Schuurmans and Ron Mazourek were crowned 1972-73 Prom Princess and Prince. Being a unique and beautiful experience, the Prom will be remembered always as highlight of the year.


## Banquet And Prom



Mr. Haugland, STANDING, was the guest speaker at the banquet. SEATED IEFT TO RIGHT: Barb Homolka, Tim Masur, Gary Andersh, Joni Yungbluth, Rev. McBride, who gave the invocation, and Mrs. McBride.

Seated at the head table were: Barb Homolka, Tim Masur, who read the class Will. Reading the Junior Class Prophecy was Gary Andersh. Joni Yongbluth was chosen by the Senior Class to be Mistress of Ceremonies. Also at the head table but not pictured were Len Koupal who read the Senior Class History, and Dale Robertson who gave the Welcome.

Everyone enjoyed the delicious meal prepared by Ruth's Circle and served by Sophomore Class members.
"Flight" played a variety of music to please everyone, young and old.

Sophomore waiters and waitresses for the Banquet were: Dave Robertson, Cheryl Smejkal, Don Doty, Nancy Smith, Dennis Kuhlman, Roberta Thaler, John Hollmann, and Eileen Cuka.



ABOVE: Betty Frager, Jim Jaeger, and Dennis Kuhlman look into the fountain. AT RIGHT: The 1973 Prom Prince and Princess, Deb Schuurmans and Ron Mazourek.

## Awards



Jo Ann Goldhammer: Citizenship Award.


Dale Robertson: Frances Honke Scholarship Award.


Diane Bridge: J. P. Sousa Award, Betty Crocker Homemaker Award.


Mark Hawley and Diane Bridge: Rotary Scholarship Awards.

## Personality Poll

Best Dressed: Cutest Couple: Cutest:
Favorite Teachers: Most Talented: Most Mischievous: Most Intellectual: Most Athletic: Biggest Flirts: Most Bashful: Best Personality: Most Dependable: Most Likely to Succeed: Best Dancers:

Barb Homolka Jean Bren Jean Bren Miss Laber Diane Bridge Deb Rokussek Diane Bridge Lori Rezac Paula Faughender Gretchen McBride Pam Payer Diane Bridge Diane Bridge Bette Beeson

Neil Martin Randy Rezac Gary Andersh Mr. Carroll Joe McBride Tim Otte Dale Robertson Neil Martin Roy Johnson Dave Slama Dean Crisman Dale Robertson Dale Robertson John Mach


Neil Martin: Outstanding Senior Athlete.


Barb Homolka: D. A. R. Award, Business and Professional Women's Award, Speech Excellence, Most Valuable Student (Elks), and Youth Leadership (Elks), Outstanding Teenager.

NOT PICTURED: Bruce Crisman: Outstanding Science Student. Joe McBride: Outstanding Math Student. Honor Students: Diane Bridge, Gretchen McBride, Mark Hawley, and Dale Robertson. National Honor Society: Kathy Bren, Diane Bridge, Mark Hawley, Dale Robertson, Deb Gunnare, Ruth Beeson, Bruce Crisman, Barb Homolka, and Joe McBride.

## Graduation 1973

Baccalaureate was held on Sunday, May 20, 1973, with Pastor Gies in charge of giving the address. The Senior Triple Trio sang "Courage to Be" and "Get Together.

Then on Thursday, May 24, after 13 years of studying, waiting, getting to know each other, and making friends, the "big night" was here! The Senior Class of 1973 was to graduate! The evening proceeded with Reverend McBride giving the invocation; Mark Hawley, the Welcome; Kathy Bren, the Class History; and Diane Bridge, the Address. The Senior Triple Trio sang "Friends" and "Catch Another Butterfly.

The decorations at the event displayed blue mums as
the class flower; light blue and dark blue as the class colors; and the class motto: "Yesterday is experience; tomorrow is hope; today is getting from one to the other as best we can. "

With mixed emotions, the Seniors received their diplomas, one by one, and couldn't help thinking of the years that led up to this glorious night, remembering all the days of learning, planning, waiting, getting to know each other, and making friends. But at the same time they were wishing for a bright tomorrow, one of love, happiness and success, for the entire class. we can


Above: The Juniors wait patiently to do the ir part right: The Seniors stand excitedly but nervously.

The Juniors lead the procession.



The Seniors ending the ir long walk toward graduation.



Mark Hawley gave the Welcome.


Triple Trio, nine Senior Class members, provided the music.


Kathy Bren read the Class Highlights.


ABOVE: Diane Bridge gave the Address. AT LEFT: Parents, friends, and relatives came for this memorable event.


Bonnie Frei receiving her diploma.


Karen Permann receiving her diploma from Wilbur Meyer, School Board President.


After each Senior had received his diploma, all tassels were turned to the right side as a gesture of their graduation.

AT RIGHT: Wilbur Meyer, School Board President, who presented diplomas to the Class of '73; Mr. Jim P. Smith, Superintendent, who assisted Mr. Meyers; Rev. McBride who gave the Invocation and Benedition; and Mrs. Theol Gravely who played the Processional and Recessional.



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