PHASES

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## THE RAIDER '74-75'

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## PHASES OF MR. CARROLL'S DAYS

We, the Annual Staff of 74-75 think that Mr. Carroll deserves the recognition of our dedication. Mr. Carroll came to Wagner High in 1970. Over the past five years we hope he has enjoyed teaching the students as much as they have enjoyed learning from him. We feel he deserves this dedication because of the type of person Mr, Carroll is. He has always been ready and willing to listen to our problems, respect our opinions, and help in anyway possible. He suffered putting up with the Seniors on their Pierre trip this year, and we are thankful to him even though he forced us to eat at the Chuckwagon. Mr. Carroll always had a joke or a story to start the class off. He has taught Senior Government, Modern Problems, and Civics. Whether Mr. Carroll stays at WHS or goes elsewhere we hope good fortune follows him, and he has some good memories of his days here at East Charles Mix.


Howard Bich: 7th Life Science; German 1; Head Basketball Coach.


Rich Carroll: Pol. Science; 8th Social Studies; Am. Gov't; 7th Grade Advisor; Chess Club Advisor.


Elsie Quick: English IV; English II; Junior Class Advisor.


Walt Nedved: Biology; Jr. High Athletics; Head Track Coach; Athletic Director.

Renne Grant: 7th English; Eng. I; Debate Coach; Freshmen Advisor.



Upper Left: Mr. Smith-Superintendent; Bottom Left: Frances Andersh-Art I \& II, Elementary Art, 8th Crafts, 8th Advisor; Dorothy Cuka-7th Soc. Studies, 7th Eng., 7th Health \& Safety, Freshman Advisor.


Upper Right: Pat PetersonGuidance Counselor; Center: Cora Duncason-Librarian, Sophomore Advisor; Bottom Right: Mr. Hall-Principal.


Above Left: Janice Twitero-7th Math, Phy. Science; Above Right: Lori Krier-Eng. II \& III, 7th Advisor, Girls' Basketball Coach; Lorean Schoepf-8th Eng., Eng. I, Speech, Declam Coach, 8th Advisor; Right: Jim Kocer-Business Law, Bookkeeping, Typing I, Shorthand, Gen. Business, Junior Advisor; Don Kaberna-Shop I \& II, Ag. Ed., 8th Crafts, Freshman Advisor; Ben Stepina-Typing I \& II, Sec. Off. Pract., Business Math, Journalism, Sophomore Advisor, Yearbook Advisor: Below Left: Curt AselsonAmerican History, Econ., Sociology, Jr. High P.E., Senior Advisor, Girls Track Coach; Below Right: Vernon Kraft-Boys' Glee, Girls' Glee, Mixed Chorus, 7th \& 8th Music; Norm GravelyJr. High Band, "A" Band.



Above Left: Tom Studeldka; 8th E. Science, Phy, Ed., 7th Health and Safety, Verne Twitero; Physics, 8th E. Science, Mech. Drawing, Chemistry, Senior Advisor, Above Right: Joe Hoff; Phy. Ed., 7th Soc. Studies, 9th Soc. Studies, Jr. High Ath., Dianne Wiechmann; 8th Soc. Studies, W. Hist., Eng. I, Left: Gail Johannsen; Home Ec. I,II,III,IV, Junior Advisor, Glen Schoepf; Alg. II, 8th Math, Sr. Math, Geometry, Senior Advisor Play Director, Myrna Baruth; 8th Math, Alg. I, 8th Advisor, Pep Club Advisor.

Janitors: Left to Right; John Slaba, Bev Gau, Dale Carda, Bob Dvorak, Cooks: Back Row; Left to Right; Lois Barkley, Lillian Soukoup, Marcella Petrik, Helen Andersh, Vlasta Blazek, Front Row; Ruth Roberts, Edna Daily, Olga Peterson, Eleanor Carpenter.


# PHASES OF 

## UNDERCLASSMEN




## JUNIORS

The Juniors had a very exciting year. They worked at the different athletic events, supervised by Mrs. Quick and Mr. Kocer, to earn money for the prom. Everyone pitched in and worked hard decorat ing for the prom and on April 19, 1975, their night was a big success!

Officers leading the Junior class (Left to Right) were Gail Johnson, Business Manager; Todd Doom, Vice-Pres.; Erin McBride, Pres.; and Renee Youngbluth, Secretary. Doug Bertsch and Dawn Daily voiced the Juniors' opinions in student council.

The Juniors took part in graduation by holding the palm leaves forming a tunnel for the seniors to pass through.


Christine Andersh Debra Andersh Gregg Andersh


Ruth Anderson
Sharon Anderson DeElla Bastemeyer Judy Beeson


Doug Bertsch Cynthia Blaha Loyson Carda Kevin Carl


Darrel Link Erin McBride Tony Mach Owen Mart in


Regina Nedved Roberta Novak
Tim Otte
Dennis Permann


Marl is Rehwaldt Becky Roberts David Robertson Jack Robertson


Jodie Schryvers
Nancy Schuurmans
Pam Scott
Don Sieling



## SOPHOMORES

During the summer vacation, those "green" Freshmen of last year were miraculously transformed into knowledgeable Sophomores. As they entered their designated classes, they were ready and able to put that knowledge to work. The daily challenges were provided by English, Biology, and other classes. The various school clubs and the athletic programs kept their schedules active. Not sure of their exact aims, the Sophomores continued their education with new questions and anxieties. They then looked forward to the status of being upper class-men--- Mighty Juniors.

Class officers who led the class through the year were Dale Kafka, Pres.; Doug Andersh, Vice-Pres.; and Paula Wiechmann, Sec.-Treas. Student Council representatives were Jerry Greger and Vicky Peters.

Not Pictured Jim Hrdlicka Camilla Morgen Sheri Sully Terry Thaler Paula Wiechmann



Mark Ahrens Doug Andersh Joleen Andersh Connie Bartunek Paula Bastemeyer



Crystal Bettelyoun Pam Bren
Pat Bren
Wanda Brown
Ruth Bucholz



Madge Buus Earl Cournoyer Julie Crisman Diane Cuka Mark Cuka



Mark Cuka
Darrell Cruz
Kevin Davenport Gareth Deal Faron DeLong



Cynthia Doom Scott Doom Matthew Dorsey Bernie Drapeaux Rosie Drapeaux



Robert Dvorak Scott Ellendorf Patrick Flynn Nancy Frager Susan Gollnick



Frank Jandreau Catherine Jussel Dale Kafka Mary Kasal Kenneth Kocer



Daniel Kokesh Diane Kokesh Martha Kostel Julie Kuca Ronald Leasure



Denise Link Elizabeth McBride Michael Mach Debra Merkwan Joseph Payer



Joel Permann Vicky Peters Karen Peterson Daniel Petrik David Petrik



James Podzimek Monica Reuland Douglas Rezac Phillip Ryan Kenneth Schroeder



Roger Schroeder Jaclee Slaba Terry Slama Carmen Smejkal Karen Staudenmier

John Sully Mary Ann Uecker Randall Uecker Julie Vesper Timothy Voge I


Gail Weisser Cathy Weston Wayne Weston Heidi Whetsel Richard White Horse


Loyson Wiechmann Jane Wipf Tammy Woods Denise Youngbluth

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## FRESHMEN

On August 26, 1974, a new class of Freshman students became members of the elite high school crowd. During the year, their inexperience and youthfullness were often put to the test; but, as tradition has it, they eventually pulled through. Although the school activities, games, and the unofficial Senior initiation raids kept them on their toes, they usually found the time to listen to teachers' lectures, and to fill the ir notebooks with their new-found knowledge.

The class chose Julie Staudenmier, Pres.; Mike Spukup, Vice-Pres.; Renee Kafka, Sec.; and Alan Hrdlicka, Treas.; to lead them through that first hectic year of high school life. These officers performed the duty of keeping order in the class structure. Also to lead them on were Barb Roberts and Stan Nedved in Student Council.



Peggy Anderson Tim Bartunek Eugene Beckwith Richard Bertsch Kim Carl



Doris Cooke Doug Cuka Karen Davenport Mary Deal Michael Denker



Syndee Drapeaux Shannon Engel Debra Giedd Jayne Goldhammer Leonard Gollnick



Jan Hall
Joseph Hall
Ronald Holzbauer Carol Homolka
Audrey Honomichl



Kenneth Honomichl Steven Horner Alan Hrdlicka David Ishmael Rebecca Jandreau



Daniel Kafka Renee Kafka Dennis K isch Barbara Kocer Leonard Kocer



Madonna Kocer Terry Koupal Larry Krcil Jacqueline Krcil Karen Krcil



Patty Krcil Robert Krcil Jerald Kreeger Lori Kuca Timothy Leibel



Peggy Mach Laurie Martin Kenny Mazourek Bert Mounders Jim Moysis



Darrell Petrik Dianne Petrik David Reinschmidt Barbara Roberts Karen Seiner



Kathy Slaba Robbin Slama
Jonna Soukup
Karol Soukup
Michael Soukup



Patricia Soulek Julie Staudenmier David Sully Robert Thaler Sandra Thaler



## PHASES OF ... <br> STUDENT ACTIVITY




## SENIOR CANDIDATES

## 74-75 HOMECOMING ROYALTY

KING MIKE McGUIRE AND QUEEN LORI REZAC



Above: CLASS ATTENDANTS: Freshman, Lori Kuca and Dennis Kisch; Sophomores, Diane Homolka and Joe Payer; Juniors, Dawn Daily and Kevin Carl. Below: Peggy Wiechmann was chosen by the seniors to perform the duties of Mistress of Ceremonies.


A week of activities started on Monday, Oct. 7, with each class wearing a different color for Color Day. Crazy get-ups were worn Tuesday for Backwards Day. Everyone took a trlp to the past with 50's Day on Wednesday. Thursday was Over-All Spirit Day. That afternoon the troops were pulled out to the Armory and forced to endure the skit presented by senior class members (actually the best put on in years). Then the voting took place, which ended a week of hard campaigning.
Coronation night arrived and the crownbearers and class attendants led the way for the candidates. Their histories were then read by the respective chair persons. Paula Ryan read Chris Anderson's, Cheryl Broz read Betty Frager's and Kelly Kocer told a little bit about Lori Rezac. For the boys, David Kokesh read for Jay Robertson, Bill Mach for John Hollman, and Don Doty for Mike McGuire. The football team was introduced by Coach Hoff and the cheerleaders led the school song after an inspiring pep talk. Finally, the suspense was broken as Lori Rezac and Mike McGuire were crowned Homecoming King and Queen by the 1973 royalty, Jean Bren and Dennis Blaha. Afterwards, a snake dance and the burning of the ' $W$ ' was held. Friday was Red and White Day and a pep rally completed the day. That night the boys proved that they had pride in their team and soundly defeated Scotland, 22-13. The Homecoming dance took place in the Armory with music furnished by "Sterling".

Homecoming Week is a time that will not easily be forgotten. It is a time when the whole school pulls together to achieve a goal and has a lot of fun in the process.

Below Left: First grade crownbearers were Chad Peters, David Gregor, Shelly Twitero, and Sherry Novak. Be low Right: Carefully carrying the crowns were Shelly Twitero and David Gregor.




Front Row (L-R): J. Vesper, P. Wiechman, C. Doom, J. Kuca, M. Buus, L. Wiechmann; 2nd Row: R. Thaler, B. Weber, C. Andersh, J. Soukup, E. McBride, D. Durham, C. Nedved, L. Wiechmann, J. Andersh, N. Smith, D. Kuca, E. McBride; 3rd Row: M. Rehwaldt, D. Daily, F. Homolka, J. Wipf, D. Link, B. Pekas, K. Krcil, M. Soukup, R. Krcil, S. Hall, D. KosteI, J. Crisman, R. Thaler, K. Staudenmier, S. Thaler, R. Slama, P. Wiechmann, D. Andersh, P. Risinger, D. Kafka, D. Krcil, L. Uherka; Standing: Director Norman Gravely, D. Bertsch, D. Kisch, R. Youngbluth, R. Hoffman, B. Roberts, D. Petrik, L. Kuca.

## WAGNER HIGH SCHOOL BAND




Left Above, CLARINET
TRIO: (L-R) Jane Wipf,


Roberta Thaler, Denise Link, Right Above, ACCOMPIANISTS: Becky Roberts, Renee Youngbluth, Nancy Schuurmann, Denise Link. Left: Mr . Gravely leads the band at Homecoming. Left Below, BRASS QUARTET: (Front L-R) Robert Thaler, Erin McBride, (Back L-R) Nancy Smith, Debbie Durham. Right Below, BRASS ENSEMBLE: (Front L-R) Cathy Nedved, Loyson Wiechmann, Robert Thaler, Karen Staudenmier, Mike Soukup, Steve Hall, (Back L-R) Doug Andersh, Debbie Krcil, Dale Kafka, Larry Uherka, Erin McBride.



Boy's Glee: (L-R, Bottom Row) E. Beckwith, D, Kisch, K. Mazourek, R. Thaler, M. Soukup, S. Horner, L. Kocer; 2nd Row: Mr. Kraft, J. Uecker, D. Andersh, E. McBride, D. Kafka, R. Uecker, L. Wiechmann.

## GIRLS GLEE

Girl's Glee: (L-R Bottom Row) Mr. Kraft, E. McBride, J. Andersh, D. Youngbluth, R. Youngbluth, F. Homolka, J. Staudenmier, D. Petrik, J. Wipf, G. Slaba; 2nd Row: L. Kuca, G. Whetsel, K. Staudenmier, J. Goldhammer, B. Roberts, D. Kokesh, J. Moysis, C. Andersh, J. Frager; 3rd Row: B. Roberts, L. Martin, C. Andersh, V. Easterling, D. Link, K. Nedved, C. Smejkal, J. Krcil, B. Reinschmidt, D. Homolka; 4th Row: M. Rehwaldt, B. Kocer, P. Ryan, P. Wiechmann, G. Kostel, P. Risinger, P. Wiechmann, D. Krcil, C. Blaha, D. Kokesh, N. Smith.



## MIXED CHORUS

Above: Ist Row (L-R) Director Mr. Kraft, C. Holzbauer, E. McBride, H. Whetsel, J. Goldhammer, R.
Youngbluth, B. Roberts, F. Homolka, P. Risinger, D. Petrik, K. Kocer, D. Krcil, C. Blaha. 2nd Row; P. Ryan, P. Wiechmann, J. Soukup, K. Peterson, M. Uecker, D. Cuka, D. Youngbluth, N. Schuurmans, J. Frager, D. Juffer, D. Durham, C. Nedved, D. Homolka, C. Andersh; 3rd Row; G. Kostel, C. Andersh, D. Link, L. Wiechmann, P. Wiechmann, G. Slaba, J. Kuca, J. Jussel, D. Kokesh, C. JusseI, P. Nedved, D. Andersh, K. Staudenmier, J. Wipf; 4th Row; D. Kisch, N. Smith, E. Beckwith, S. Horner, R. Thaler, P. Wiechmann, K. Mazourek, L. Kocer, M. Soukup, J. Uecker, D. Anderesh, R. Vecker, D. Kafka, E. McBride, L. Wiechmann.


## ALL-STATE

## CHORUS

Left: Seated (L-R), Donna Juffer, Becky Roberts, Paula Ryan, and Peggy Wiechmann. Standing (L-R), Erin McBride, Loyson Wiechmann, Robert Thaler, and Dennis Kisch. These talented singers represented Wagner at Rapid City.

## ALTERNATES

Right: Eugene Beckwith, Jayne Goldhammer, Jane Frager, and Doug Andersh.



(Above Left, L-R) WRESTLING: Most Improved, J. Uecker; Quickest Pin, R. Horner; Outstanding Wrestler, R. Soukup. (Above Right, L-R) FOOTBA LL: Most Improved, S. Doom; Hardest Hitter, D. Robertson; Best Lineman, J. Hollmann; Best Offensive, C. Weber. (Right) GIRLS BASKETBALL: Hustler, P. Scott; Most Valuable, D. Juffer; Most Improved, J. Kuca; Co-Captains, P. Ryan and M. Morgen. (Below Left L-R) TRACK: Most Improved, C. Weber; Most Valuable, M. McGuire. (Below Center L-R) Valuable Cheerleaders, C. Cimpl and C. Broz. (Below Right L-R) BOYS BASKETBALL: Over-All Efficiency and Most Rebounds, M. Hall; Most Improved, D. Doty; Hustler, J. Hollmann.

(Below Left, L-R) GIR LS STATERS: P. Nedved, R. Youngbluth. Alternates were D. Juffer and K. Kocer. (Below Center L-R) BOYS STATERS: R. Hoffman, D. Bertsch, S. Hall, M. Frederick, Alternates were G. Andersh, D. Perman, E. McBride.(Below Right) GIR LS TRACK: Outstanding, S. Weber.


The entire crew and Director Mr. Schoepf are Pictured at the Left. They all did a good job of presenting the play on May 1. A lot of work went into this production, but a lot of fun too. It will be remembered by those involved and by those it entertained.


## REBEL WITHOUT A CAUSE

| Director . . . . . . Glen Schoepf | Mrs. Davis. . . Peg Wiechmann |
| :---: | :---: |
| A Man . . . . . . . Don Kuca | Ray . . . . . . . Gerrit Juffer |
| Buzz Gunderson . . Tom Dorsey | Mrs. Stark . . . Barb Reinschmidt |
| Jim Stark . . . . . . Erin McBride | Helen-. . . . . Julie Staudenmier |
| Officer Mullen . . . Don Kuca | Millie. . . . . . Gretel Whetsel |
| Judy Brown . . . . . Madge Buus | Lecturer . . . . Jayne Goldhammer |
| Plato . . . . . . . . . Dale Kafka | Mr. Brown. . . Terry Slama |
| Mr. Stark. . . . . . . Bill Mach | Mrs. Brown . . Nancy Frager |
| Grandma . . . . . . . Nancy Smith | Police Officer. Terry Slama |
| Belle . . . . . . . . . Jonna Soukup | Extras. . . . . . Vicki Peters |
| Miss Hanington. . . Becky Roberts | Cindy Doom |
| Crunch . . . . . . . Steve Hall | Diane Homolka |
| Goon . . . . . . . . Rich Hoffman | Kim Carl |
| Moose. . . . . . . . Todd Doom | Mike Fredrich |



## STUDENT COUNCIL

Above: (Seated) R. Youngbluth-Sec. Treas., D. Robertson-V. Pres., P. Wiechmann-Pres., Miss Peterson-Advisor, (Front Standing), T.

Ramsdell, B. Roberts, C. Semjkal, C. Marshelek, N. Smith, V. Peters,
D. Daily, N. Crisman, (Back Standing) Mr. Hall-Advisor, D. Bertsch,
S. Nedved, D. Kafka, B. Mach, D. Kokesh.

## BLACK KNIGHT'S CHESS CLUB

Right: (Front) S. Hall, G. Kafka, D. Kokesh, D. Robertson-Pres., (Back) D. Kuca, Mr. CarrollAdvisor, D. Gunnare, D. Soulek, G. Juffer, R. Hoffman-Bus. Man., E. Beckwith, R. Thaler.



## FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

FHA: 1st Row) A. Honomichl, B. Tolliver, M. Nuehse, J. Beeson, C. Petrik, 2nd Row) P. Mach, P. Anderson, M. Kocer, C. Holzbauer, D. Cuka, D. Youngbluth, D. Kokesh, S. Weber, 3rd Row) Mrs. Johannesen, Advisor, C. CimpI, E. Cuka, J. Andersh, M. Deal, P. Krcil, K. Kocer, K. Peterson, M. Uecker, G. Slaba, E. McBride, K. Slaba, R. Slama, P. Wiechmann, D. Link, K. Kocer, 4th Row) C. Petrik, J. Moysis, B. Mach, B. Weber, C. Marshelek, L. Rezac, P. Wiechmann, C. Soukup, B. Kocer, 5th Row) C. Smejkal-S.C., C. Andersh-Reporter, R. Thaler-Sec., C. Anderson-Pres., P. RisingerHistorian, P. Ryan-Treas., P. Wiechmann-V-Pres,

A wide variety of activities were planned and carried out by the local FHA chapter. The main one was the in-depth project concerning the Public Health Hospital. Members made stuffed toys, sewed clothing, and knitted booties for the pediatrics center. Other activities included a chili supper, selling "smile" candles, carmel apple sale, style show, "fifties" dance, and the annual Snowball. It was a very successful year for the FHA and their work was greatly appreciated.


At Left Are Pictured the FHA Chapter Mothers for Wagner. Seated are Mrs. Robert Link, Mrs. Paul Wiechmann, Mrs. Wilbur Slaba, Mrs. Dick Anderson, and Mrs. Wallace Risinger. Standing are Mrs. Charles Thaler, Mrs. Ed Weber, Mrs. Fred Kocer, and Mrs. Gail Johannesen.

## FHA WEEK

FEBRUARY 10-14
Monday
Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

Red \& White Day Mr. Irresistible Day Dress Up Day Childrens Day Valentines Day


Above: Mary Jo Nuehse talked her way into a Miss Blabbermouth award, while Len Kocer proved to be Mr. Irresistible. Left: Being recognized as best dressed on Wednesday are (L-R) Tom Abdouch, First; Cindy Cimpl, Second; Gary Kafka, Second. Not Pictured is Julie Vesper, First.

## DEGREE WORKERS

The FHA Degree Workers are Pictured at the Right. Seated are (L-R) Cheryl Smejkal, Mary Ann Uecker, and Jaclee Slaba who are working on a Chapter Degree. The first four girls standing. Barb Kocer, Denise Youngbluth, Diane Cuka, and Diane Kokesh, have started their Junior Degrees. Chris Anderson and Paula Ryan, Standing at the Right, are working on their State Degrees.



## FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

FFA: (Standing) Mr. Kaberna, Advisor, (1st Row) J. Nedved, K. Wiechmann, D. Link, T. Otte, T. Mach, R. Kisch, (2nd Row) G. Kafka, R. Kokesh, L. Uherka, D. CimpI, D. Permann, G. Andersh, C. Weber, R. Horner, D. Woods, (3rd Row)D. Soulek, R. Slaba, R. Soukup, M. HalI, D. Kuhlman, J. Havranek, (4th Row) L. Carda J. Uecker, B. Mach, D. Kokesh, T. Andersh, J. Robertson, R. LeibeI, J. Robertson, T. Thaler. Not Pictured: D. Sieling.

The Snowball was held on Saturday, January 18, and was $c 0-$ sponsored by the FHA and FFA. Pictured Below Left are the honored guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gravely Mr. and Mrs. Krier, and Mr. Kocer and his date. Pictured Below Right are the Snowball Prince and Princess, Dale Kafka and Gayle Slaba.


Above: (Standing L-R) Mrs. Schoepf; Coach, S. Thaler, D. Petrik, B. Reinschmidt, B. Roberts, B. Pekas, (Sitting L-R) K. Kocer, P. Wiechmann, M. Buus, P. Soulek, J. Soukup. Below: (Standing L-R) Mrs. Grant; Coach, P. Wiechmann, E. McBride, D, Kafka, D. Bertsch, J. Gregor, (Sitting L-R) M. Buus, B. Roberts, J. Beeson, W. Brown, H. Whetsel.

Debate teams again joined the Southern Forensic Conference, and participated in three S.F.C. tournaments. The novice team took two seconds and a third. The varsity squad won third place. Two separate Armour tournaments produced first and second place trophies. A final highlight of the season was acceptance into the National Forensic League. Becky Roberts, Dale Kafka, Wanda Brown, Madge Buus, and Judy Beeson are lifetime members and have the Degree of Honor. Those in declam who placed first in the local contest were Madge Buus, Poetry; Barb Reinschmidt, Oratory; Kathy Kocer, Dramatic; Peggy Wiechmann, Humorous. Barb and Peggy also won at the District contest, enabling them to go on to the Regionals in Madison. Local second place winners were Kathy Kocer, Poetry; Becky Roberts, Oratory; Diane Petrik, Dramatic; and Sandy Thaler, Humorous. These winners traveled to USD/S for the Seconds Contest.


## JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET AND PROM IMAGINE



The 1975 Prom, "Imagine", was dedicated to the Senior class on April 19. Amid the decorations at the Armory a delicious meal was served for the Banquet. Reverend McBride gave the invocation. Todd Doom was Master of Ceremonies. Mr. Schmida, a former Guidance Counselor, gave the main address. Betty Frager read the Senior class history. Mike McGuire presented the Senior Will and Donnie Sieling answered with the Prophecy. "Chateaux" played excellent music for the dance. The Sophmore servers were Chris Bettelyoun, Denise Link, Denise Youngbluth, Vicki Peters, Scott Doom, Roger Schroeder, Doug Andersh, and Joe Payer. Crowned as Prom Prince and Princess were Dennis Kuhlman and Gail Johnson. The two main colors were light and dark blue, set off by a fountain.

The Prom will be remembered as a special night for many years to come. When looking back on fond memories, all can say - "Imagine".

Top Left: Gail Johnson and Dennis Kuhlman were Prom Princess and Prince. Bottom Left: ( $L-R$ ) C. Bettelyoun, D. Link, D. Youngbluth, V. Peters, (Back) J. Payer, D. Andersh, R. Schroeder, S. Doom. Bottom Right: Mr. Schmida and Rev. McBride.






## ANNUAL STAFF



Above: (Sitting) D. Sieling, B. Frager, (Standing) Mr. Stepina-Advisor, B. Mach, K. Kocer, M. Morgen, J. Frager, E. Cuka, (Top) C. Broz, B.
Reinschmidt. Not Pictured: G. Johnson, D. Doty.

Mr. Stepina-Advisor
Betty Frager-Editor and Ads Barb Reinschmidt-Faculty Bill Mach-Photographer

Melanie Morgan-Activities Cheryl Broz-Seniors Don Doty-Sports Eileen Cuka-Classes

Gail Johnson, Donnie Sieling, and Jane Frager-Assistants


## PHASES OF . .

## ATHLETIC EVENTS



## Red Raider Football



Front Row: (Left to Right) T. Doom, J. Hollmann, S. Hall, J. Robertson, D. Cimpl, R. Hoffman, D. Kuhlman, T. Otte, C. Weber. Second Row: G. Juffer, R. Horner, D. Robertson, M. Cuka, M. McGuire, K. Carl, D. Petrik, S. Doom, D. Soulek, E. McBride. Third Row: K. Mazourek, R. Honomichl, J. Podzimek, R. Uecker, T. Thaler, M. Mach, R. Schroeder, W. Weston, J. Payer, Fourth Row: R. Thaler, S. Neved, T. Bartunek, J. Uecker, A. Hrdlicka, D. Andersh, D. Reinschmidt, J. Uecker, D. Sully, Top Row: Coach Hoff, J. Robertson, D. Ishmael, P. Novak, B. Maunders, D. Doty, Assistant Coach Nedved.

Our season wouldn't be complete without our faithful assistants, our statisticians. Left to Right: Barb Weber, Peggy Wiechmann; Jean Andersh, and Barb Reinschmidt.



## Offense

Front Row; Left to Right: J. Robertson, T. Doom, D. Robertson, D. Cimpl, T. Otte, D. Petrik, J. Hollmann. Back Row; Left to Right: K. Carl, S. Hall, C. Weber, M. Cuka.

Under the leadership of Coach Joe Hoff, a young and inexperienced team withstood injury and defeat without losing the team spirit. Although the record shows the Raiders on the losing end, the coaching staff and the student body consistently showed their enthusiasm for the young team. The team made up for lack of size and experience by hustle and determination. Next season with experience and determination the team should produce a winning season. Good Luck!


## Defense

Front Row; Left to Right: J. Robertson, J. Hollmann, D. Petrick, D. Kuhlman, T. Doom, S. Hall; Back Row; Left to Right: S. Doom, D. Robertson, M. McGuire, C. Weber, E. McBride.

Defenseive action against Tyndall.



Dennis KuhIman


John Hollmann

## SENIOR STARS

The 1974-1975 All Conference team are Dave Robertson, John Hollmann and Craig Weber. These People were chosen from this year's squad. These players had a very fine season leading the team with their efforts.


Mike McGuire


Jay Robertson


Gerrit Juffer



Above: 'A' WRESTLING; (Kneeling L-R) R. Schroeder, T. Vogel, J. Robertson, D. Kokesh, R. Soukup, L. Carda. (Standing L-R) J. Uecker, J. Robertson, D. Link, R. Horner, D. Kokesh, T. Doom, Coach Tom Studelska. Absent: Assistant Coach, Curt Aselson.

## WRESTLING 74-75

Below: 'B' WRESTLING; (First Row L-R) J. Thornton, R. Slaba, D. Cuka, R. Holzbauer, L. Kocer, J. Permann, D. Kisch, J. Cuka, (2nd Row) J. Podzimek, J. Payer, T. Thaler, M. Mach, D. Andersh, R. Kisch, T. Leibel, D. Sieling, (3rd Row) Coach Studelska, W. Horner, D. Permann, S. Ellendorf, J. Sully, D. Soulek, D. Cimpl, W. Weston. Absent: Assistant Coach, Carl Aselson.


# Grapplers Open With Win Over Mustangs 



Ron Soukup Gets Quickest Pin



Wagner Matmen Capture District Championship


Starting the season with only two lettermen returning made it look like we were in for a long season.

Now looking back, I'm very proud of this young team and I'm looking forward to next year's season. Coach Studelska

Pictured at Left are the wrestling staticians for 1975. Eileen Cuka and Peggy Wiechmann are both seniors and enjoyed their last year.

Right: Coach Studelska and Assistant Coach Asleson with Ist place District Trophy.



Richard Leibel


Jay Robertson


Dave Kokesh
 Robertson and Ron Soukup for doing a fine job in the State Wrestling Tournament held in Huron.

For the ir fine efforts they each brought home fifth place medals.

Ron Soukup, 105 lb . wrestler from Wagner, got the fastest pin in the SD State B Wrestling Tournament when he flipped Scotland's Randie Hansen in 51 seconds.

Wagner had five men entered in the event held at the Huron Arena, Feb. 14-15. Soukup and Jay Robertson, 145, finished in fifth place. Loyson Carda, 98, Jack Robertson, 119, and Tim Vogel, 126, didn't place.

The Raiders wound up with 16 team points-in a tie with Willow Lake for 17 th place in the tourney.

Individual title winners from Region 3 were George Gubbs, Gregory, 119; Steve McCance, Gregory, 145; and Loren Sch-1 aeder, Burke, 155.

Webster won the tournament and retatined their state B crown.

"A" Squad (Left to Right). Don Doty, Kevin Carl, Danny Petrik, Mike McGuire, Dennis Kuhlman, Steve Hall, Coach Bich, Mike Hall, John Hollmann, Mike Fredrich, Craig Weber, Dave Robertson, Scott Doom.

## WAGNER BASKETBALL

"B" Squad (Left to Right). First Row: Mike Denker, Robert Thaler, Robert Krcil, Mike Soukup, Mike Weddell, Alan Hrdlicka, Timmy Bartunek, Terry Koupal, Back Row: Mark Cuka, Stan Nedved, Dale Kafka, Erin McBride, Tony Mach, Dave Sully, Jeff Uecker, Dwight Gunnare, Coach Hoff.




Scores

|  | "A" |  |  |  |  |  |  | "B" |  |
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|  |  |  | We | They |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | We | They | We | They |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bonesteel | 72 | 45 | 47 | 23 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Armour | 71 | 43 | 35 | 26 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Springfield | 78 | 51 | 41 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Scotland | 51 | 54 | 41 | 44 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Avon | 59 | 54 | 37 | 38 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gregory | 82 | 59 | 40 | 27 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Holiday Tournament |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lake Andes | 63 | 42 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Platte | 65 | 53 | 40 | 29 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Geddes | 72 | 65 | 40 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Scotland | 63 | 52 | 41 | 43 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Parkston | 65 | 59 | 37 | 43 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Corsica | 83 | 66 | 51 | 49 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tyndall | 66 | 55 | 45 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Menno | 70 | 38 | 45 | 32 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lake Andes | 44 | 41 | 36 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Marty | 73 | 56 | 50 | 41 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Burke | 51 | 40 | 45 | 28 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Stickney | 62 | 58 | 49 | 45 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Platte | 80 | 58 | 52 | 39 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tripp | 61 | 60 | 33 | 42 |  |  |  |  |  |
| District 25 | Tournament |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Avon | 61 | 64 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Springfield | 44 | 46 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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D istrict 25 Tournament
Springfield
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The Wagner Raiders ended their season with a very respectable record of 19 wins and 3 loses. After losing the 4th game of the year, we won 15 straight games until losing to a very good A von team in 2 overtimes in the District Tournament. Throughout the year, we were ranked in the top 20 teams in the state and in the final poll we were rated 6th.

Three trophys were earned during the past season. We won the Fort Randall Holiday Tournament. We were 1st in the LMVC Conference with a 7 and 0 record and tied for first place with Tyndall in the SESD Conferende with a 7-1 record.

With a even balance in the team efforts. And good student backing and crowd support. The team behind the fine coaching staff, ended with a winning season.


## GIRL'S BASKETBALL


'A' Squad: (Standing) P. Wiechmann, C. Doom, B. Weber, P. Ryan, M. Morgen, C. Morgen, G. Johnson, P. Wiechmann, and Coach L. Krier. (Kneeling) B. Frager, K. Davenport, D. Daily, B. Reinschmidt, P. Scott, and D. Juffer.

Girl's Basketball
"A" "B"

|  | W | 0 | $W$ | 0 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Delmont | 36 | 24 | 22 | 9 |
| Armour | 32 | 41 | 18 | 16 |
| Springfield | 25 | 26 | 8 | 16 |
| Scotland | 20 | 44 | 22 | 16 |
| Andes Central | 19 | 31 | 23 | 24 |
| Delmont | 26 | 31 | 14 | 16 |

'B' Squad: 1st Row: B. Tolliver, H. Whetsel, R. Slama, M. Nuehuse, P. Krcil, K. Slaba, S. Weber, 2nd Row: N. Nedved, R. Novak, D. Kostel, C. Smejkal, J. Wipf, L. Kuca, K. Staudenmier, D. Homolka, B. Roberts, C. Smejkal, 3rd Row: D. Cooke, D. Weston, P. Soulek, D. Petrik, B. Kocer, K. Soukup, M. Rehwaldt, B. Mach, D. Kokesh, J. Vesper, P. Mach, and Coach L. Krier.


## Senior Stars



Betty Mach


Paula Ryan


Barb Reinschmidt


Mary Nuehse


Cheryl Smejkal


Betty Frager

Coach Krier, Mel Morgen, Barb Weber



Left to Right, Back Row: L. Rezac, Coach Aselson, J. Slaba, J. Crisman J. Wipf, J. Andersh, P. Bren, M. Uecker, D. Cuka, C. Smejkal, Front Row: A. Cuka, E. Cuka, D. Kokesh, D. Pesicka, B. Mach, C. Andersh.


Left to Right, Back Row: L. Petrik, Coach Aselson, S. Weber, R. Slama, C. RamsdelI, D. Petrik, S. KosteI, J. Woods, K. Kocer, L. Uecker, T. Ramsdell, J. Picotte, N. Gullickson, T. Redlightning. Front Row: G. Kostel, J. Novak, T. Bartunek, P. Soulek, B. Tolliver, K. Slaba, D. Petrik.


Above: Susan Weber was Wagner's only girl to travel to the state track meet. She ran in the 220 yard dash.

This year the girls track team attended the following track meets:
Springfield Invitational Freeman Invitational S.E.S.D. Conference L.M.V.C. Conference Regional Track Meet Girls State Track Meet

The season was successful for many individual place winners. Susan Weber was credited with setting new records in the 100 and 220 yard dashes.

I feel it was a building year for several young girls and as the season progressed we became stronger and more successful in our competing.

Coach Aselson



Left to Right, Back Row: M. Hall, M. McGuire, J. Hollmann, R. Hoffman, S. Hall, G. Juffer, D. Kuca, Front Row: T. Doom, J. Robertson, D. Doty C. Weber, K. CarI, D. Robertson, E. McBride.


Left to Right, Back Row: J. Uecker, D. Andersh, M. Cuka, E. Beckwith, D. Sully, S. Doom, D. Kafka, Front Row: J. Perman, M. WeddeI, A. Hrdlicka, J. Sully, D. Ishmael, M. Denker.

The track season was cut short with all the bad weather. Each track meet had rain or wind. Some of our best times were:
Kevin Carl, 100 yard dash, 10.4
John Hollmann, 440 yard dash, 57.2
Mike McGuire, Mile Run, 4:35.1
Mike McGuire, 2 Mile Run, 9:57.5
Mark Cuka, Low Hurdles, 22.1
Freshmen:
David Sully, 100 yard dash, 11.1
D. Sully, D. Ishmael, M. Denker, M. Weddell- 440 Relay, 50.4
D. Sully, D. Ishmael, M. Denker, M. Weddell- 880 Relay, 1:44.7
(New L.M.V.C. Record)

## Coach Nedved

Raiders who entered the state track meet at Huron, May 23-24, placed as follows: Kevin Carl, 100 yard dash, 4th place, 10.7
Mike McGuire, Mile Run, 5th place, 4:35.1
Mike McGuire, 2 Mile Run, 5th place, 9:57.5 (New school record)
Although the medley team of Kevin Carl, Craig Weber, John Hollmann, and Mike McGuire, ran its best time of the year at the state track meet (3:47.2) it did not qualify.


LONG DISTANCE RUNNERS: (Back Row, L-R) Gerrit Juffers, Don Kuca, John Hollmann, (Front Row, L-R) John Sully, Erin McBride, Mike McGuire.


HURDLERS: (L-R) Scott Doom, Mark Cuka.


440 YARD RELAY: (L-R) Don Doty, Kevin Carl, Craig Weber, Mark Cuka.



## 'A' SQUAD

## WRESTLING SQUAD




## DRILL TEAM

Above" 'B' Squad (L-R) Kim Carl, Vicki Peters, Nancy Frager, and Diane Homolka. Left: Drill Team (Front, T-B) Paula Ryan (Captain), Madge Buus (Co-Capt.), (2nd Row) Chris Anderson, Julie Vesper, Denise Link, Martha Kostel, Grace Kostel, Donna Juffer. (3rd Row) Mary Ann Uecker, Angie Cuka, Debbie Andersh, Robbie Novak, Franc is Homol ka, Julie Staudenmier.

The ' $B$ ' Squad cheered throughout the year for Junior Varsity football and basketball games.

The Drill Team worked hard all year and performed beautifully at many games and matches. The highlight of the year came when the Raiderettes did a routine at State ' B 's. They did a great job and represented WHS very well.

Miss Baruth served as advisor and counselor for all cheering squads and the drill team. She was at all practices, helping by criticizing and praising. Miss Baruth helped set up pep meetings and gave many helpful suggestions as to improving school spirit.


Above (1st Row Kneeling) K. Carl, B. Pekas, A. HonomichI, B. Roberts, N. Nedved, P. Mach, M. Kocer, B. Tolliver, J. Krcil, S. Engel, V. Peters (2nd Row Kneeling) A. Cuka, R. Novak, B. Reinschmidt, J. Andersh, S. Weber, P. Soulek, S. Hyde, D. Youngbluth, C. Doom, K. Staudenmier (3rd Row Standing) C. Smejkal, K. Kocer, D. Homolka (Sec.) K. Kocer, F. Homolka, C. Andersh, S. Anderson, C. Smejkal, C. Homolka, K. Slaba, D. Kostel, J. Goldhammer, G. Whetsel, P. Wiechmann, E. McBride, K. Krcil, N. Frager, P. Scott, M. Morgen, (4th Row Standing) P. Risinger, G. Weisser, D. Link, D. Bastemeyer, J. Vesper, D. Petrik, M. Permann, J. Wipf, J. Crisman, D. Daily, C. Morgen, J. Staudenmier, B. Weber, R. Slama, M. Rehwaldt, D. Krcil, B. Roberts, D. Kokesh, P. Weston, P. Wiechmann, G. Kostel, R. Thaler, L. Homolka, (Back Row Standing) D. Pesicka, C. Cimpl, C. Betteyoun, Miss Baruth (Advisor), N. Smith (S.C.), P. Ryan (Treas.), P. Wiechmann (Pres.), G. Johnson (V-Pres.), C. Broz, B. Frager, L. Rezac.

Below (Starting at Top Left); M. Hall, R. Horner, D. Cimpl, J. Uecker, L. Carda, D. Andersh, D. Soulek, D. Robertson, R. Leibel, J. Permann, G. Juffer, S. Doom, R. Hoffman, K. Carl, C. Weber, Mr. Nedved (Advisor), S. Hall, M. McGuire, J. Nedved, T. Doom, D. Kokesh, K. Wiechmann, D. Kuca, J. Robertson, D. Link, D. Kokesh, R. Soukup, J. Robertson, R. Schroeder, T. VogeI, R. Kafka.


PHASES OF...

## LEADERSHIP





Jim Crisman


Donald Doty



Michael Hall


Courtney Hyde



Dennis Kuhlman


Richard Leibel



Betty Mach
Betty Mach




Melanie Morgen

Jeanne Moysis


Debra Pesicka


Jay Robertson


Paula Ryan



Kendall Wiechmann


The big year of hard work and a lot of fun had finally arrived for the class of ${ }^{175}$. We all seemed to enjoy taking the oath and title of being the Seniors of East Charles Mix. The year holds many memories, both bad and good, as the Seniors completed their high school careers.

Leading the class in their final year was Chris Anderson, Pres. (Left); John Hollman, V. Pres. (Center); and Paula Ryan, Sec.Treas. (Right).

The big day finally arrived on May 21, 1975, when the Seniors bid their last farewells to all their classmates. It will be a long-lived memory for the class of ${ }^{1} 75$.



Roberta Thaler


Carrie Marshalek


Melanie Morgen

## GRADUATION 1975

Wednesday, May 21, marked the end of High School for 56 graduates in the class of '75. Baccalaureate and Commencement were both held on this night in the auditorium of the new school. Mirs. Quick played the processional and the senior class walked in under the arch of palms held high by the junior class. Father Anderson then gave the Invocation. After the song, "Friends With You", by the Madrigal singers, Father gave the Baccalaureate Address on Principles of Life. Senior girls then sang "Time In A Bottle". Melanie Morgen presented the Main Address. The Senior class then received their long-awaited diplomas. Father Anderson gave the Benediction and members of the class of ' 75 walked out with a sense of accomplishment. Yet even as we were filled with excitement, pride, and happiness, room for sadness was left. The seniors marked the end of four years that were full of good times and goodbyes would have to be said to close friends. It is only natural that sadness should be felt when leaving an important part of life behind. With the knowledge that bright futures lie beyond and that each will be doing their best, this sadness can be put aside. We have our whole lives in front of us. GOOD LUCK CLASS OF '75! Class Colors: Mint Green and Silver. Class Flower: Light Blue tinted Mum. Class Motto: Today We Follow; Tomorrow We Lead. (The Madrigal Singers and senior class members who sang are pictured on page 73 on the two top left pictures.)


Below: Father Anderson.




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