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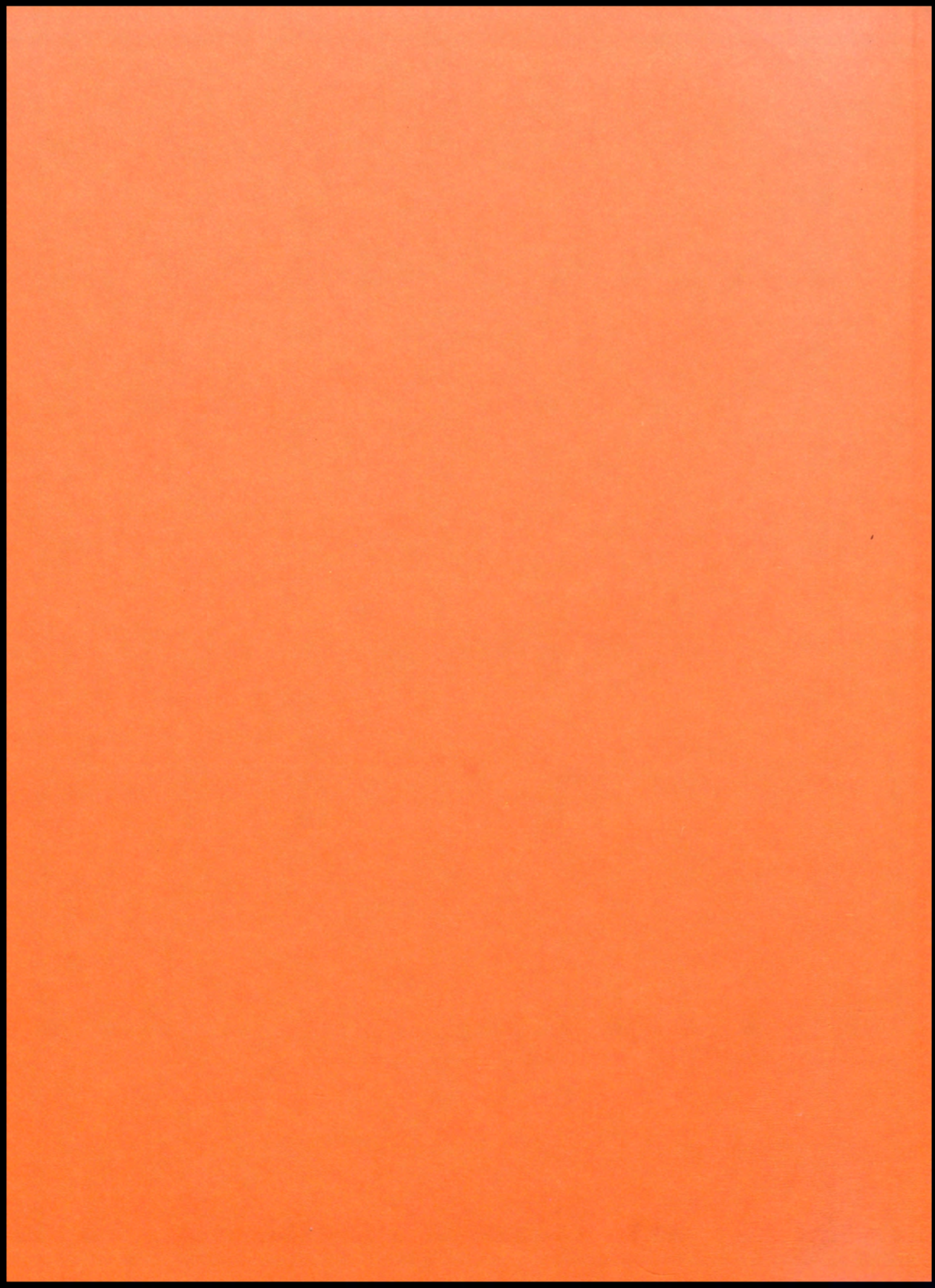
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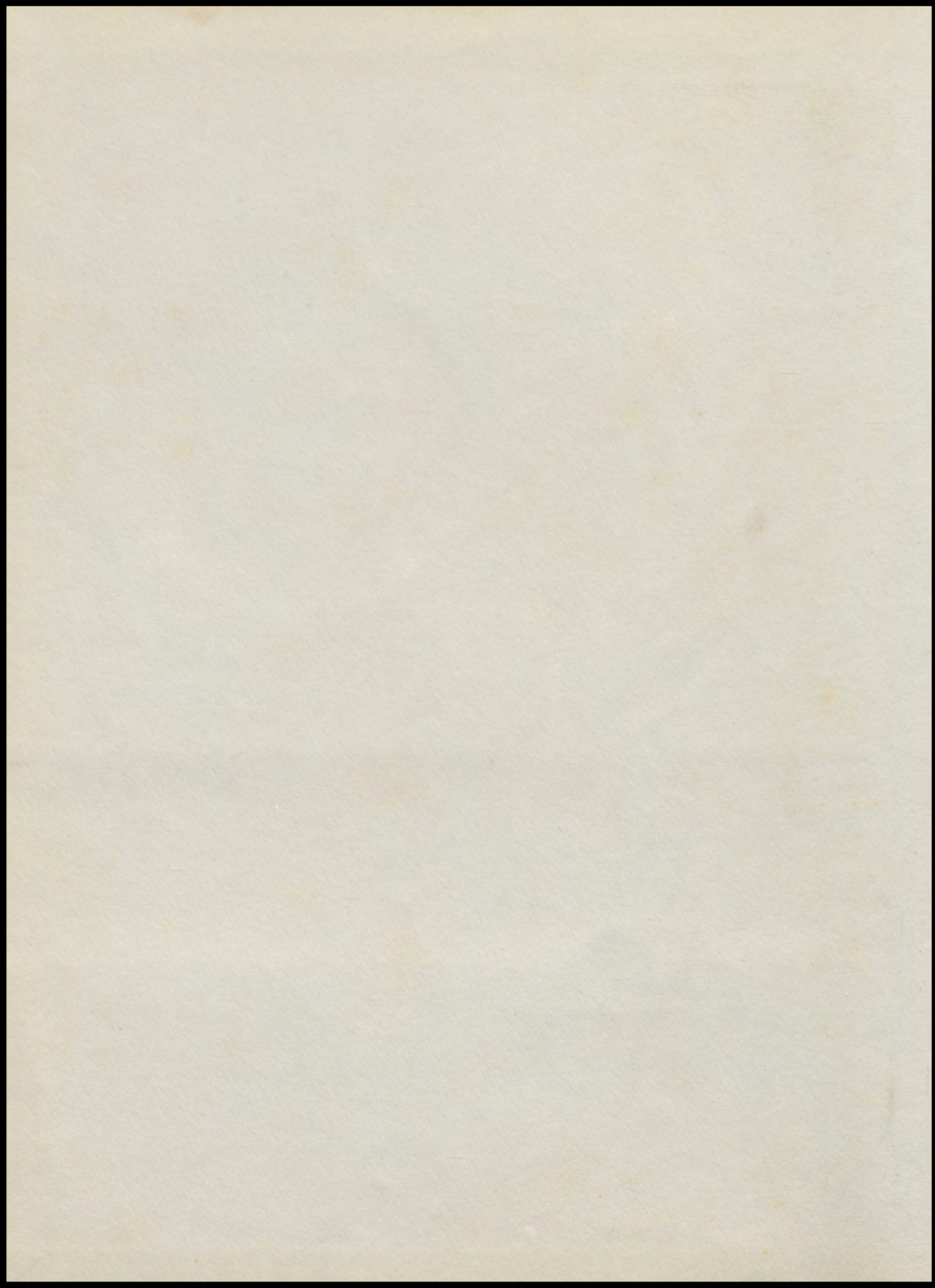
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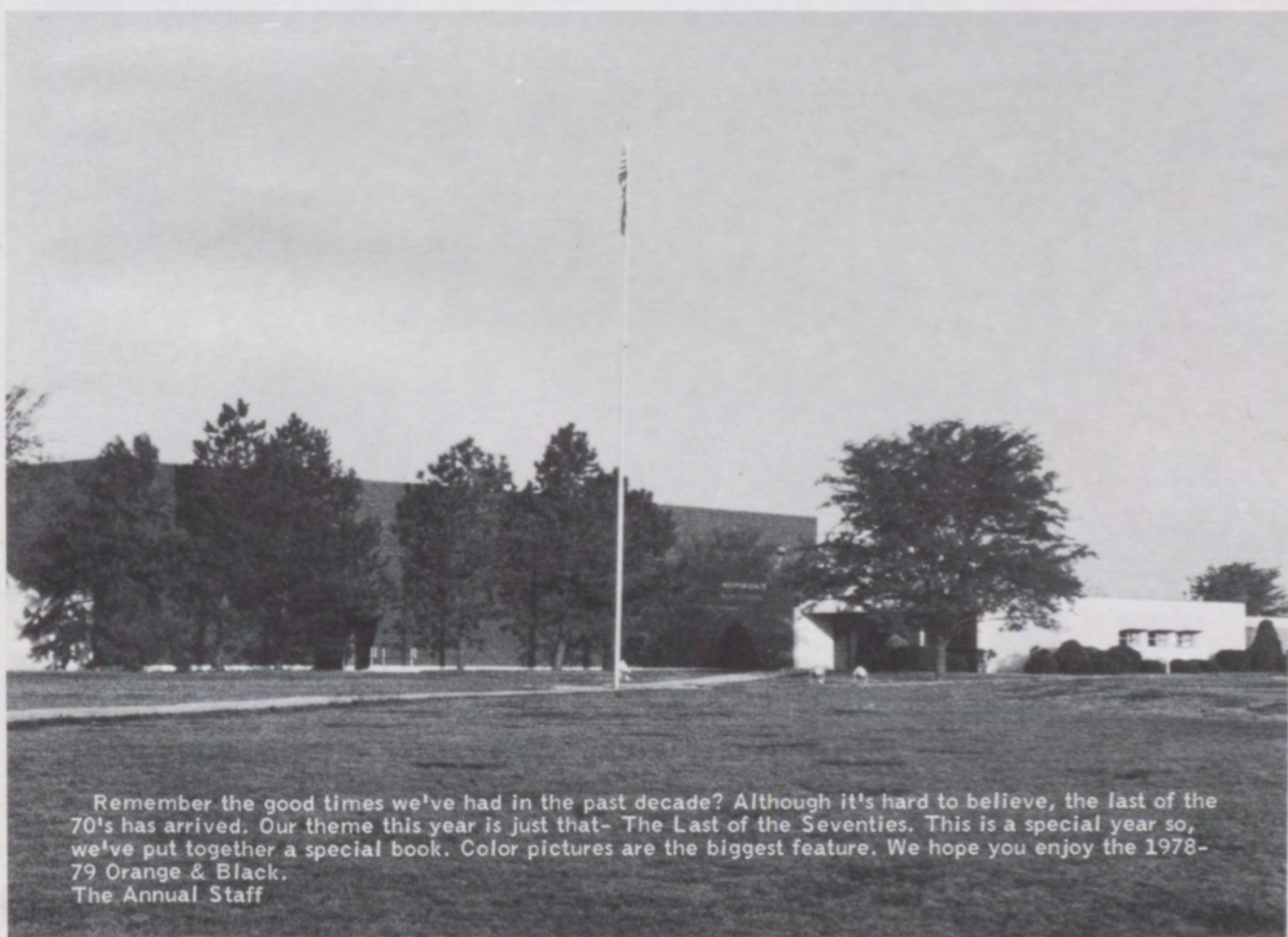


Independence High School

Independence, Kansas

Orange and Black

1978-79



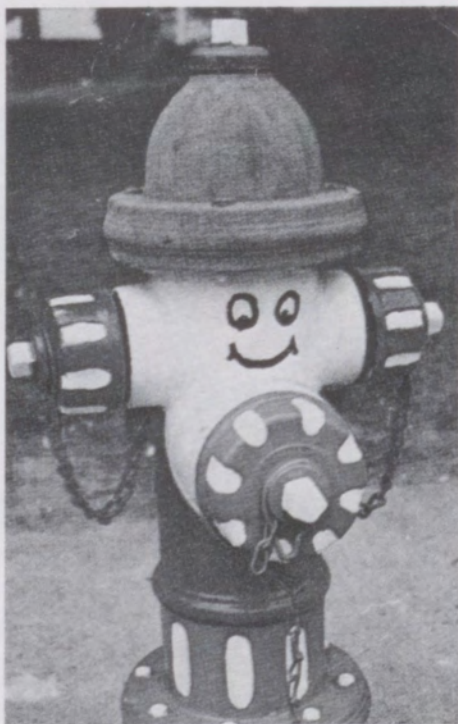
Remember the good times we've had in the past decade? Although it's hard to believe, the last of the 70's has arrived. Our theme this year is just that- The Last of the Seventies. This is a special year so, we've put together a special book. Color pictures are the biggest feature. We hope you enjoy the 1978-79 Orange & Black.
The Annual Staff

**Neewollah
highlights
the year**





The Spirit of the 70's
reflected variety





The 70's were filled with important political figures, new fads, stars, and spirit. The smile of Jimmy Carter shows that an unknown can make it to the top. People rushed to the movies to see yet another 'Jaws' thriller. Raquel Welch stunned audiences with her beauty. American spirit was shown as we celebrated the Bicentennial. Annie Hall created a new clothing fad. Skate-boarding became the latest craze. Carol Burnett had her final show. Patty Hearst's case continued. Steve Martin, what a wild and crazy guy! The Nixon affair threw our nation into tumult. Through all this, we've come to the last of the 70's, wiser for the memories.



Remember the last of the Seventies?



(1) Our "organized" band?! (2) Working hard on Algebra Mike? (3) An "active" day in gym with Louie and Jimmy. (4) You tell 'em Mr. Farthing! (5) A sophomores locker? (6) Shed's got the Beat! (7) Pucker up Bob. (8) Out for the season, huh Raymond. (9) Is it interesting Ginny? (10) Did the Seniors get ya Lisa and Kim? (11) Smile Kent, you're on candid camera. Remember all this? It happened in the last year of the Seventies, 1979! There will never be another 1979, but we'll always remember this one.





KISS

Remember the Stars who made it big?

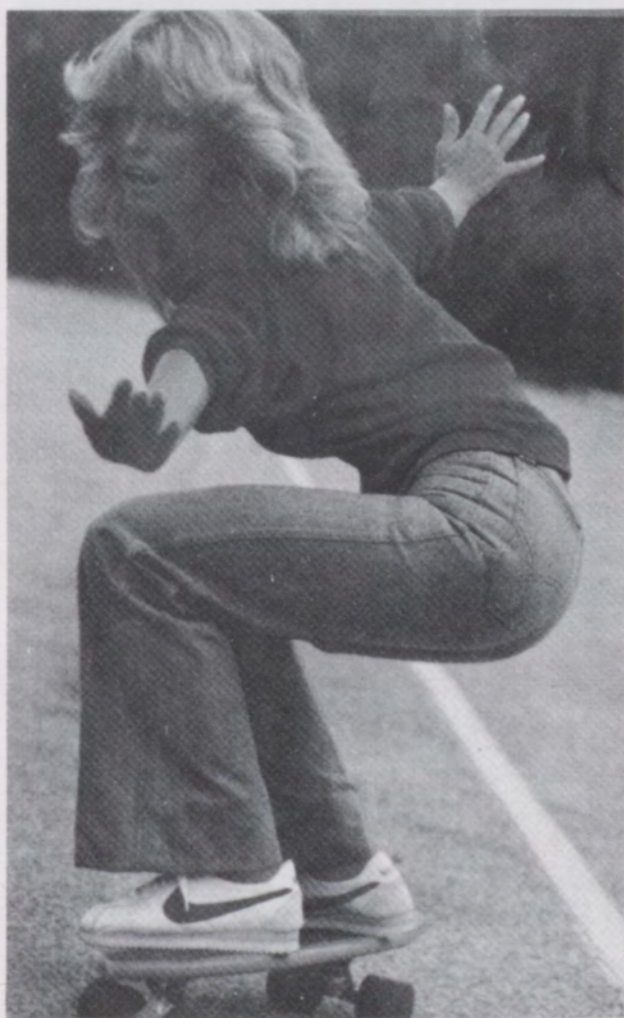


The 1970's are ending. These years were filled with many exciting people. (1) R2D2, the creature from Star Wars won many peoples' hearts. (2) The Bee Gees made many movies and albums. Their new movie is entitled Sgt. Peppers Lonely Hearts Club Band. (3) The musical group KISS became very popular in the late 70's. (4) Muhammad Ali loses fight against Leon Spinks. Is Ali still the greatest? (5) Burt Reynolds' movies included Smokey and the Bandit, The End, and Hooper. (6) Robert Redford's movie credits include The Sting, The Way We Were, Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid, and The Great Waldo Pepper.





(7) Elton John's "Don't go breakin' my heart," "Lucy in the sky with diamonds," "Crocodile Rock," and "Bennie and the Jets" were all top hits. (8) John Travolta portrayed Vinnie Barbarino in *Welcome Back Kotter*. Motion pictures have also been very successful. *Saturday Night Fever* and *Grease* are rising rapidly. (9) Farrah Fawcett became quite an angel in the hit series *Charlie's Angels*. (10) Cheryl Tiegs became a very big teen model for many magazines and for Cover Girl Make Up.

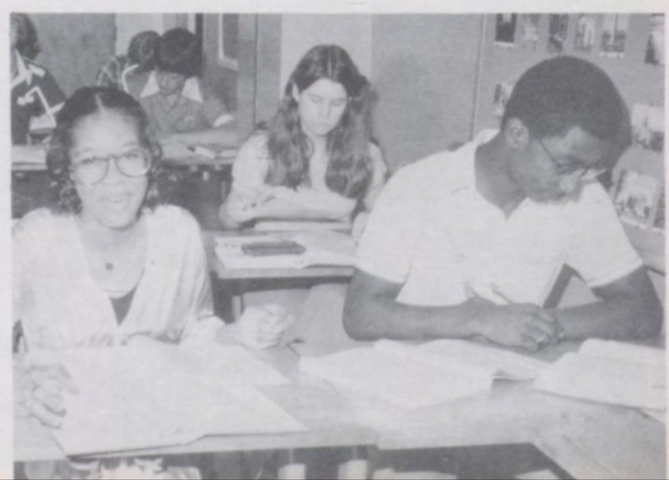


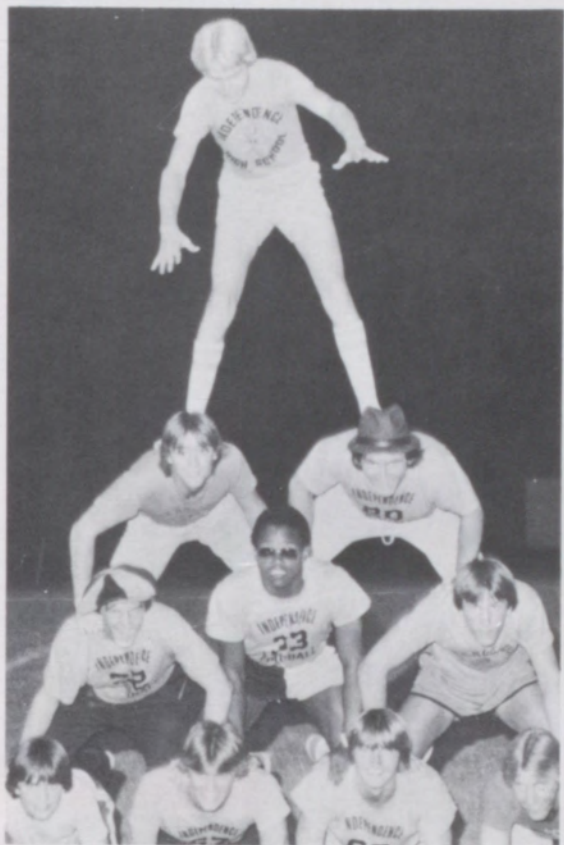
Students get involved at IHS





Students get involved in school activities







Activities add color to school life





Students show their spirit





Junior Achievement

produced a
successful
year



A new and exciting organization was started this year for the students of IHS. It was Junior Achievement, an organization set up to teach the students how to start and manage a business. There were five companies that met on Monday and Tuesday nights. The companies were as follows: Consolidated Achievers of Independence; Excel Products, Inc.; Indeco; SEK Production Company, and Superior Products Company. In April, the first annual Junior Achievement banquet was held at the Country Club. Awards were given to: Best Company- Indeco; Best President- Becky Viets; Best Treasurer - Cindy Mann; Best Salesperson- Gary Beaver.





☆ "Too Much ☆ Heaven" ☆
Provided ☆ Memorable
☆ Moments ☆

Junior Officers

President- Karen Bussert

V.P.- Tammy Schumacer

Sec.-Treas.- Shelly Miessler

Prom- Jan Slater, Michelle Hayden

Sophomore Officers

President- Lisa Pollock

V.P.- Betsy Daneke

Sec.- Lynn Farthing

Treas.- Sandy Rankin



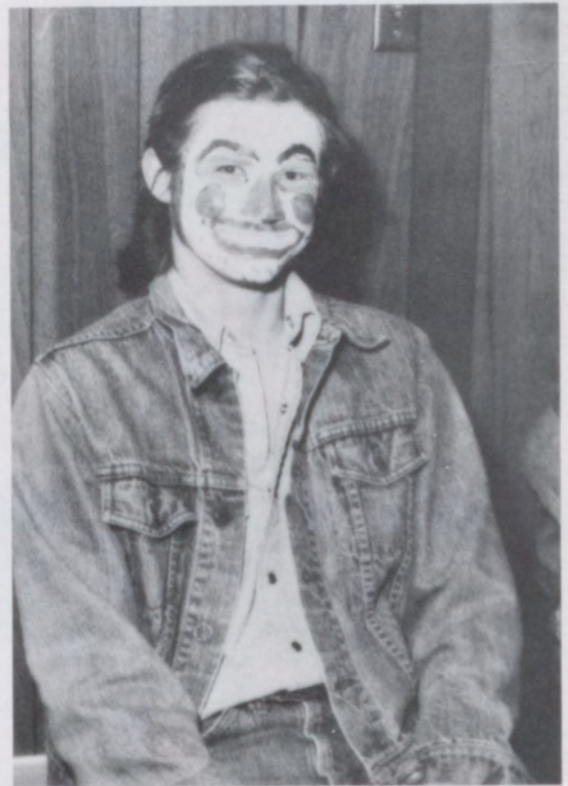


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ORGANIZATIONS

Stuco encouraged energy awareness

Picture 1: Bike Day, Energy Conservation Week.

Picture 2: Mr. Daneke and Jon Horning receiving awards for their participation in Energy Conservation Week.

Picture 3: Tom Cook and Michelle Hayden; officers.

Picture 4: Don Payne, President of the class with the biggest heart.

Picture 5: Jackie Thornberry and Susan Somora, Hat Day.

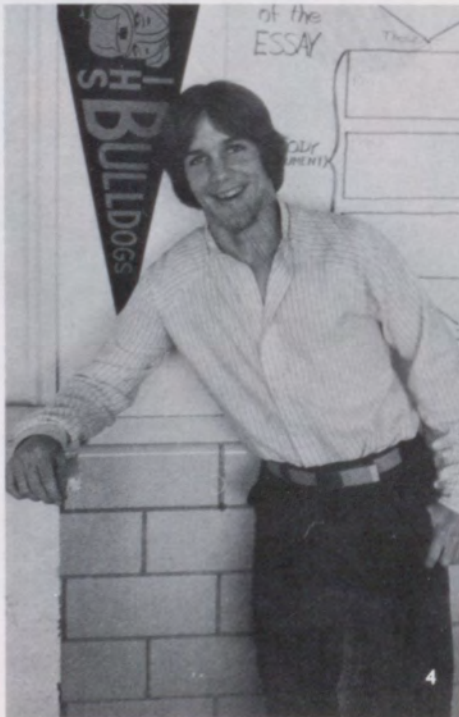
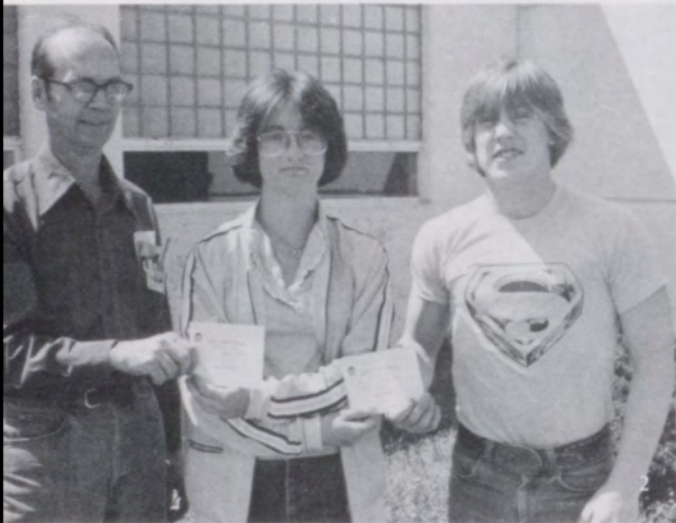
Picture 6: Energy Conservation Week.

Picture 7: Cheryl Kane and Tammy Schumacher, Energy Conservation Week.

Picture 8: Becky Viets, Stuco member.

Picture 9: David Brownlee and Jerry Yates, Hat Day.

Picture 10: Shannon Coffey, President.





The Student Council influenced the life of every student at I.H.S. this past year and throughout the 70's. Their projects were designed to establish better relations with the teachers, other schools, and the students themselves. They started off the year with the painting of the underpass and by selling donuts. To increase school spirit, they held many competitions between classes. These included the po-game and class with the biggest heart contest around Valentine's Day which the Seniors won. They also donated \$100 to the American Heart Association and \$100 to the Cheryl Jones Fund. Stuco conducted the football and basketball elections and coronations. They also sponsored discos and extended school dances from 11:30 to 11:45. To make our campus itself a better place, they coordinated the planting of trees and are looking into adding additional benches and concrete outside. Stuco attempted a Sadie Hawkins Week. Stuco was aware of problems during the 70's and this was proven with one of their projects — Energy Awareness Week. Stuco closed the year by preparing a dinner for the state golf tourney. Stuco had a very good year and this year and throughout the 70's, they have increased our pride and spirit.

This year's officers were: Shannon Coffey, President; Michelle Hayden, Vice President; Kristi Sanders, Secretary; Tom Cook, Treasurer.



National Honor Society recognized top students

The National Honor Society is an organization which was formed to give recognition to students for academic achievements. Membership is based on scholarship, service, leadership and character.

To be inducted into NHS, a student must have a grade-point average of 3.4 or better and be approved by a faculty committee. If a member's GPA falls below 3.4, he is placed on probation for one semester. If his average during the probationary period again falls below 3.4, he is dropped from the group.

Activities of the Honor Society this year included a bake sale and a spring banquet.

NHS officers this year were (below, front to rear) Loretta Buser, Secretary-Treasurer; Sherri Favero, Vice-President; and Jennifer Simmons, President.



Left to Right Front Row: Jennifer Simmons, Karen Bussert, Kim Mowery, Ruth Ward, Teri Nordberg, Dana Arnold, Sonja Schwatken, Jon Callison, Kevin Taylor. Second Row: Cynthia Green, Sherri Favero, Cindy Henry, Debbie Jabben, Melody LeRoy, Kayellen Baden, Steve Babb, Tom Cook, Shannon Coffey, Jim Blumer, Pat McCollam. Back Row: Debby Saunders, Teresa Spradlin, Alan Gleue, Marc Craig, Steve Smith, Raymond Schnoor, Anthony Boggs, John Surber, Jim Cathcart, Stan Gartner, Juan Moya.



New members: Left to Right Front Row: LouAnn Houser, Betsy Daneke, Beth Maxwell, Lisa Pollock. Second Row: Lori Alford, Trish Coder, Lisa Swearingen, Traci Cook, Susan Somora, Patti Patrzykont; Third row: Julie Allen, Robin Wohltman, Dee Dee Reeves, Renee Harper, Mike Gleue, David Brownlee. Back Row: John Lind, Tony Somora, Arlen Briggs, Randy Beeman, Tom Blankinship, Mark Jones.

Debaters practiced critical thought



This year's Debate included (left to right) front row: Susan Stafford, Marlene Kinnard, Susy Wittum, Gina Moya, back row: Ken McDaniel, Everette Swanson, Tom Wittum, Jeff Richardson, Rick Wallace, Eric Sundvall, Mike Purdunn, Jeff Thorne, and Tom Darby. The debate squad faced the energy question in their research and competition in the fall semester. They were deciding the question, "Resolved: That the federal government should establish a comprehensive program to significantly increase the energy independence of the United States." The fifteen members of the squad attended several tournaments including those at Ottawa High School, Chanute High, and F.K.H.S. in Coffeyville. Top right picture: Kejth Confer, Debate Sponsor.



Concert Choir made music at I.H.S.



The Concert Choir kept the school singing as they performed throughout the year. Their annual production of "Lil Abner" was a big success. The choir's performances included a special Christmas program which was presented to the public December '78. IHS was proud to have 8 members in the state choir and 22 members in the district choir this year.



BOTTOM ROW: Stella Relyea, Sonja Schwatken, Lisa Pollock, Kristin Crumine, Tina Myers, Christy Locke, Traci Cook, Tammy Pattison, Debbie Robertson, Dana Arnold, **2nd row:** Trish Coder, Betsy Daneke, Melanie Steinle, Mykka Taylor, Robin Philo, Julie Allen, Patti Patrzykont, Mary Beth Bally, Laura Watson, Sarah Scovel, Loretta Buser, **3rd row:** Mike Gleue, Jon Callison, Laurie Thompson, Gina Tull, Teri Nordberg, Pat Cathcart, Robin Vandyne, Lisa Swearingen, Tom Cook, Randy Linn, **Top Row:** Jim Fitzpatrick, Jim Cathcart, Stan Gartner, John Surber, Troy Byer, Mike Mothershed, Harry Smith, David Brownlee, Randy Beeman, Bob Relyea, Jerry Yates.

Indy Ensemble celebrated in song



Members of the Indy Ensemble are: **BOTTOM ROW:** Dana Arnold, Sonja Schwatken, Laurie Thompson, Gina Tull, Patti Patrzykont, Trish Coder, Teri Nordberg, Mykka Taylor, Robin Philo, **TOP ROW:** Jim Fitzpatrick, Randy Linn, Tom Cook, Harry Smith, Troy Byer, John Surber, David Brownlee, Jerry Yates. Indy Ensemble was very busy this year as they performed many places in the community. Indy Ensemble and Concert Choir are both directed by Mr. Gary Manford.





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PRESENTS

LIL A B N E R

On November 17 and 18 Independence High School presented the play *Li'l Abner* starring John Surber, Laurie Thompson and Tom Cook. This play proved to be a great success at I.H.S. and everyone who had the chance to see it thoroughly enjoyed it. The cast included:

Jeff Thorne, Loretta Buser, Troy Byer, Randy Linn, Teri Nordberg, Harry Smith, Mykka Taylor, David Brownlee, Laura Watson, Jim Fitzpatrick, Jenny Simmons, Debbie Robertson, Trish Coder, Randy Beeman, Jerry Yates, Jeff Thorne, Mike Gleue, Sonja Schwatken, Betsy Daneke, Sara Scovel, Mike McGaugh, Susan Stafford, Susy Wittum, Julie Allen, Lisa Pollock, Amy Wilson, Paula Newmaster, Mary Beth Bally, Tina Myers, Denise Price, Patti Patrzykont, Lou Houser, Traci Cook, Melanie Steinle, Laura Sage, Rhonda Bracken, Cristy Locke, David Bishir, Dwayne Hagan, Todd Kirkendall, Alan Gleue, and Mitch Thomason.

Li'l Abner was directed by Gary Manfred.



FCA brought professional kicker to Indy

Fellowship of Christian Athletes started its second year of existence under the sponsorship of Chuck Smith and Bob Homer. The officers were Alan Gleue, President; Jeff Leiker, Vice-President; Anthony Boggs, Stuco Representative; Donny Payne, Treasurer; Regina Demoss, Secretary. Their main activity was the presentation by professional football kicker Don Cockroft of the Cleveland Browns.



Top Row, Left to Right: Kevin Williams, Monty King, Anthony Boggs, Keith McIntosh, Doug Cox, Steve Smith, Pres Corbitt, Jay Juby, David Brown, Alan Bracken, Scott King. Middle Row: Cheryl Leonard, Regina Demoss, Terri Nordberg, Crystal Goad, Mitch Thomason, Marc Craig, Judi Dennis, Alan Borovetz, Mark Root, Marybeth Bally, Phil Near. Bottom Row: Teresa Lane, Betsy Daneke, Melanie Steinle, Donny Payne, Alan Gleue, Kellv Muse, Shannon Coffey, Curt Horning, Mark Jones, Sheryl Bryant, Mike Gleue.



The French Club tasted French cuisine



Pictured above bottom row L-R: Dee Dee Reeves, Diana Stair, Kayellen Baden, Mike Gleue, Stacy Cook, Tonya Parrett, Sherri Greenwood, Listy Lemon, Loretta Schlegal. Second Row: Robert Daniels, Debbie Hastings, Tim Lopez, Sponsor Mrs. Shire, Tracy Miller, Becky Daniel, Jennifer Marchant, Betty Lynn Harvey, Kristi Near. Third Row: Toni Bruington, Jon Patrzykont, Fran Wilson, Julie Allen, Kelly Muse, Laura Barton, Susan Sloop, LouAnn Houser, Paula Pankey, Lori Alford, Debbie Robertson. Fourth Row: Jaci Hafner, Lisa LaForge, Ronda Goodknight, Joey Pohl, Diane Henson, Betsy Daneke, Sarah Scovel, Julia Leeseberg, Kyrie Debo, Tony Somora, Greg Ashcraft, Alan Bracken, Rhonda Jefferson, Teresa Schreiber. Fifth Row: Everette Swanson, Gerald McDonald, April Burns, John Lind, Charles Thomas, Sheryl Bryant, Todd Kirkendall, Gary Beaver, Beth Snyder, Phillip Fienen, Walter Lyon. Officers pictured to the left: Bottom row L-R: Lori Alford, Treasurer; Greg Ashcraft, Vice President; LouAnn Houser, Secretary. Top row: Mike Gleue, Stuco Representative; Gary Beaver, Financial Advisor; Alan Bracken, President; Mrs. Shire, Sponsor.



The French Club has been very active this year. Their activities included tasting parties, a skating party, and a picnic in the park for their final meeting. They have also attended many competitions. "The French Club is the 'in group'", said Mrs. Shire.



Spanish Club explored Mexico



The Spanish Club with Rocky Shire as sponsor had a spectacular year. The club was headed by Greg Ashcraft as President, Loretta Buser as Vice President, Rhonda Jefferson as Secretary-Treasurer, Sherri Favero as Stuco Representative, and Diana Stair as Program Chairman. One of their main activities was the Spanish Club dance which included a dance contest. Their big event was the trip to Mexico which lasted a week.

From left to right; Joel Risner, Jeff Washburn, Gary Beaver, Steve Smith, Sherri Favero, Loretta Buser, Mark Willard, Vicki Byer, Greg Ashcraft, Pat Cathcart, Mark Hight, Kari Shanks, Cathy Cambell, Rhonda Jefferson, Shari Buel, Rocky Shire, Teresa Tattershall, Nancy Thompson, Tom Stattman, Kelly Henson, Diana Stair, Dolly Burton.



SCF built strength among students



Front Row L to R: Mykka Taylor, Cindy Bechtle, Becky Bever, Stacy Cook, Brenda Watson, Jerry Yates, Diana Stair, Sherri Greenwood, Patti Pittman. Row 2: Paula Newmaster, Christy Locke, Dolly Burton, Teresa Taylor, Vicky Byer, Denise Price, Rene Turner, Susan Sloop, Paula Pankey. Row 3: Beth Snyder, Rhonda Jefferson, Donna Brown, Kate Bross, Teresa Schrieber, Donna Jones, Donny Baker, Jim Fitzpatrick, Terri Nordberg, Rhonda Bracken, Top Row: Dwayne Hagan, Curt Horning, David Brownlee.

SCF Officers above are: Front Row left to right; Diana Stair, Secretary Treasurer; Dwayne Hagan, Sophomore Representative; Brenda Watson, Senior Representative; Sherri Greenwood, Vice-President; Paula Newmaster, Stucco Representative; Vicky Byer, Junior Representative; Mykka Taylor, Division Chairman; Susan Sloop, President.





The main goal of SCF is to provide students the opportunity to have Christian fellowship at the high school. Some of the projects throughout the year have been a chili supper, a hamburger fry, a film festival, nursing home activities, a pizza party, a halloween picnic, and the Rock-a-thon. A spring trip is being planned for the club. There are approximately forty students involved in SCF this year. Larry Murdock is the sponsor.



Band Goes To Phoenix,



Pictured above: Janell Adams, Gale Lowmaster, Terri Carr, Crystal Harvey, Crystal Goad, Dawn Dollison, Belinda Smith, Cheri Speer, Laura Barton, Teresa Lane, Kristi Sanders, Melody LeRoy, Trish Coder, Rhonda Bracken, Denise Price, Teri Norberg, Lisa Harvey, Kari Holloway, Jody Schlotman, Diane Bohr, Debbie Loganbill, Linda Lane, Stella Relyea, Anita Brown, Amy Wilson, Tracy Houser, Keli Shanks, Greg Knoles, Leann Boner, Dwayne Hagan, Kelly Muse, Melanie Steinle, Lynn Harvey, Donna Schad, Terea Schenck, Kathy Foster, Connie Hull, Rene Turner, Leonard Barton, Alan McKenzie, Randy Payne, Darla Cleland, Karla Speer, Jane Jones, Leisa Bishop, Bob Shuey, Tom Wittum, Bob Mills, Gary Shuey, Sonja Toomey, Paul Uttinger, Tina Winebrenner, Martin Harding, Charles Thomas, Bruce Saichompoo, Beth Snyder, Phillip Fienan, Kyle Williams, George Quinn, William Losher, Kirk Carter, Jim Dortch, Jim Gates, Tim Lopez, Rick Wallace, Gerald Stelting, Suzanne Cotner, Debbie Freeze, Everette Swanson, Rodney Schwatken, Greg Bechtle, Jim Stafford, Arlen Briggs, Tom Chism, Doug Crawshaw, Danny Walters, Kevin Taylor, Paula Newmaster, Larry Stewart, Joe Williams, Randy Beeman, Jim Hosack, Brad Steinle, Jeff McCoy, Kyra Doherty, Waddie Dressler, Joe Leon, Mike Moore, Richard Martin, John Adams, Scott Barnhart, Shawn Thompson, Mike Mothershed, Angie Wesley, Lynn Farthing, Becky Bever, Elaine Koger, Judy Blumer, Susan Sloop, Tom Blankinship, Mark Anderson, Cindy Bracken, Karrie Mowery, Brian Rothgeb,

This year's band has been very successful. Their activities included going to Phoenix, Arizona to march in the Fiesta Bowl on December 16. Other activities included marching at all home football games and going to the State Playoffs at Wellington, attending marching contests at Wichita and Springfield where they got ratings of 2. They also played at all the pep rallies and held three concerts. On April 6 and 7 our band participated in the State Music Festival at Pittsburg State. Now there was a slight catch to these two days. If the band got a rating of one, Mr. Farthing would shave his beard. Well the outcome was evident. Mr. Farthing lost his beard the following Monday, and now you know the rest of the story.

Arizona Fiesta Bowl



Pictured at right:
 Top row, L to R:
 Jim Gates, Junior
 Representative; Joe
 Leon, Sophomore
 Representative;
 Tom Blankinship,
 President. Bottom
 row: Trish Coder,
 Vice-President;
 Jane Jones, Fresh-
 man Representa-
 tive; Susan Sloop,
 Senior Representa-
 tive; Rene Turner,
 Secretary.



Pictured above: Dawn Dollison, Sherrie Spear, Crystal Goad, Crystal Harvey, Belinda Smith, Terri Carr. Bottom Right: Janell Adams, Gayle Lowmaster. Bottom: Cristy Sanders, Denise Price, Trish Coder, Melody LeRoy, Rhonda Bracken, Teri Nordberg, Laura Barton, Teresa Lane.



Concert band earned a one



Pictured above are members of the sax ensemble. : Bottom Row from L-R: Tom Wittum, Teresa Lane. Top Row from L-R: Susan Sloop, Judy Blumer.



Pictured above are members of the drum section. From L-R: Scott Barnhart, Shawn Thompson, Gale Lowmaster, Kate Bross, John Adams.



Pictured above are members of the clarinet ensemble. Bottom Row from L-R: Renee Turner, Denise Price, Kelly Muse, Melody LeRoy, Kathy Foster. Top Row L-R: Tom Blankinship, Cherie Speer, Marc Craig, Melanie Steinle, Dwayne Hagan.



Pictured above are members of the brass ensemble. Bottom Row from L-R: Teri Nordberg, Crystal Goad, Second Row from L-R: Gerald Stelling, Rhonda Bracken, Rick Wallace, George Quinn. Top Row from L-R: Brad Steinle, Tom Chism, Randy Beeman.

Members of the concert band pictured to the right include: John Adams, Janell Adams, Scott Barnhart, Laura Barton, Randy Beeman, Becky Bever, Leisa Bishop, Tom Blankinship, Judy Blumer, Diane Bohr, Le Anne Boner, Rhonda Bracken, Arlen Briggs, Kate Bross, Anita Brown, Kirk Carter, Thomas Chism, Patricia Coder, Marcus Craig, Kyra Doherty, Dawn Dollison, Jim Dortch, William Dressler, Lynn Farthing, Phillip Fienen, Kathleen Foster, Jimmy Gates, Crystal Goad, Dwayne Hagan, Martin Harding, Jim Hosack, Betty Harvey, Elaine Koger, Teresa Lane, Linda Lane, Melody LeRoy, Joe Leon, Debbie Loganbill, Tim Lopez, Bill Loshier, Gale Lowmaster, Richard Martin, Bobby Mills, Mike Moore, Mike Mothershed, Kelly Muse, Paula Newmaster, Teresa Nordberg, Shari Price, George Quinn, Stella Relyea, Bruce Saichompoo, Kristi Sanders. Donna Schad.





1978-79 Band Queen Trish Coder.

Members of the Queen's Court pictured above include from L-R: Trish Coder, escorted by Kevin Taylor; Melody LeRoy, escorted by Gale Lowmaster; Renee Turner, escorted by Marc Craig; Denise Price, escorted by Gerald Stelling; Rhonda Bracken, escorted by Brad Steinle.

Coder reigned as band queen

Pictured to the right are members of the french horn ensemble. From L-R: Everette Swanson, Teri Nordberg, Crystal Goad.



Band Director, Mr. Farthing.

Members con.: Teresa Schenck, Robert D. Shuey, Susan Sloop, Belinda Smith, Beth Snyder, Cherie Speer, Melanie Steinle, Brad Steinle, Gerald Stelling, Larry Stewart, Everette Swanson, Kevin Taylor, Charles Thomas, Shawn Thompson, Deborah Turner, Richard Wallace, Danny Walters, Tim Williams, Kyle Williams, Amy Wilson, Thomas Wittum, Leonard Barton, Greg Bechtel, Cindy Bracken, Terry Carr, Darla Cleland, Suzanne Cotner, Doug Crawshaw, Debbie Freese, Crystal Harvey, Lisa Harvey, Tracy Houser, Kari Holloway, Jane Jones, Greg Knoles, Jeff McCoy, Alan McKenzie, Karrie Mowery, Randy Payne, Brian Rothgeb, Keli Shanks, Jody Schlotman, Rodney Schwatken, Gary Shuey, Karla Speer, Jim Stafford, Sonja Toomey, Paul Uttinger, Tina Winebrenner.



Kayettes promoted good relations

Picture 1: Jennifer Simmons, President

Picture 3: Kayette Board- Front Row: Anita Brown, Sonja Schwatken. Second Row: Laura Barton, Melody LeRoy, Trish Coder. Third Row: Ruth Ward, Sherri Favero, Denise Price. Fourth Row: Gina Tull, LouAnn Houser, Susan Sloop. Top Row: Susy Wittum, Jan Slater, Julie Allen

Picture 4: Bottom Row L-R Dana Arnold, Debbie Jabben, Melod LeRoy, Mykka Taylor, Denise Price, Karen Bussert, Angela Shelton, Anita Brown, Sonja Schwatken. Second Row: Kari Shanks, Patti Patrzykont, Cathy Campbell, Laura Barton, Kristi Sanders, Sherri Greenwood, Trish Coder, Susan Sloop, Loretta Buser. Third Row: Toni Bruington, Ruth Ward, Kayellen Baden, Julia Leeseburg, Vicki Byer, Reva Ward, Sherri Favero, Cherie Spear, Regina Swearingen, Donna Brown, Susy Wittum, Gina Tull, Teresa Schreiber, Christy Locke

Picture 4: Miss Willis, Miss Jayne, sponsors



Cheerleaders won grand championship

In the summer of 1978, twelve girls from IHS went to the University of Kansas Cheerleading Camp. It was at this time that the IHS cheerleaders became known as Grand Champions. The girls won ribbons for best execution, best stunts, best pyramids, super spirit, and over-all excellence. Late in the year, Staci Pollock (2), head cheerleader, was chosen as outstanding cheerleader at the Wichita South Tournament. The girls cheered at pep rallies and helped promote spirit at athletic events throughout the year.

Members of the squad were: (1) Bottom Row, L-R: Lisa LaForge, Kim Pollock, Ronda Goodknight, Jaci Hafner, Sarah Scovel. Top Row, L-R: Tina Myers, Lisa Pollock, Staci Pollock, Joni Rodrick, Beth Maxwell, and Jami Taylor. Sponsor: Rachel Torbett.



Spirit Board activated school



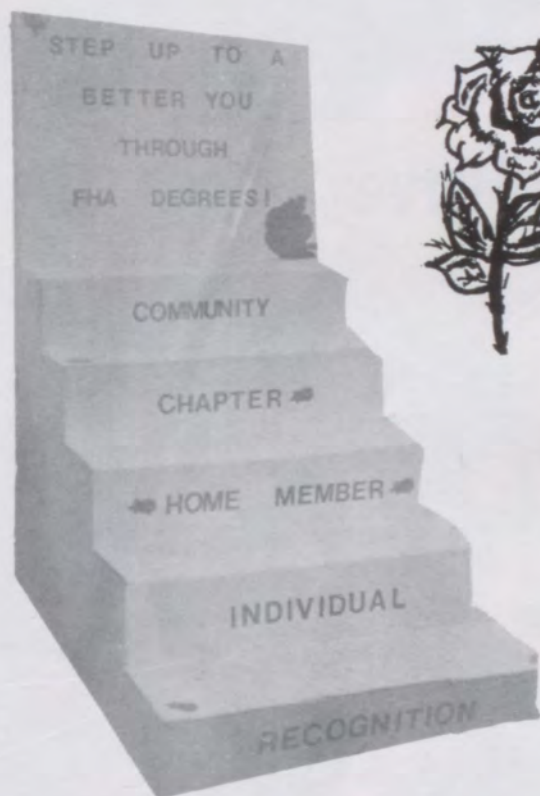
This year members of Spirit Board were voted on by fellow classmates of respective classes. Their goal is to further school involvement and school spirit. The projects Spirit Board sponsored included spirit weeks, competition between classes, poster and dance contests. Bottom row left to right: Robin Wohltman, Ronda Goodknight, Dee Dee Leach, Tammy Schumacher, Teresa Ferguson, Kathy Clark, Traci Cook, Mrs. Lou Ann Marshall sponsor, Back row left to right: Staci Pollock, Alan Gleue, Steve Smith, Shannon Coffey, Lisa Pollock. Not Pictured: Cheryl Leonard, Judi Dennis, Lori Wiles.





F.H.A. looked at 1979

The members of the Future Homemakers of America participated in many activities. Some of these included decorating and selling cakes, having an "old-fashioned" Christmas Party, holding the district elections, going on a "fun trip" to Dallas and attending State meeting. Members of the group include: (1) Bottom Row, L-R; Cynthia Green, Cindy Mann, Lori Alford, Teresa Lane, Laura House, Natalie Franklin, Kathy Foster, Rhonda Bracken, Cheryl Kane, Kathy Bishop. Second Row; Patti Pittman, Jeanie Clay, Linda Foster, Loretta Schlagel. Third Row; Denise Graves, Kim Brooks, Stephanie Kenoly, Staci Pollock, Anita Brown, Debbie Hastings, Melody LeRoy, Debi Lacy, Dana Arnold, Candy Austin, Jan Slater, Toni Bruntington, Julia Leeseberg, Denise Price, Paula Newmaster, Kayellen Baden, Shari Wright, Debi Pittman, Donna Harris. Top Row; Cindy Henry, Teresa Spradlin, Debby Saunders, Leisa Bishop, Angela Shelton, Joan Clark, Debbie Jabben, Robin Philo, Debbie Jones, Linda Davis, Chris Lewis, Sherri Hernandez, Nancy Thompson, Anita Prather, Susan Sloop, Shirlene Turner; Advisor, Peggy Courtney; Advisor, In tree; Sheryl Bryant and Joan Rockers. Officers (2) Bottom Row; Sandy Pendelton- Sophomore Representative, Kim Brooks- Stuco Representative, Melody LeRoy- Historian, Debbie Jabben- President, Patti Pittman- Degree Chairman, Laura House- Reporter, Top Row; Cynthia Green- Secretary, Teresa Lane- Treasurer, Cindy Mann- 2nd Vice-President, Lori Alford- Points Chairman, and Joan Rockers- 1st Vice-President.



Science Club experimented for the future



Members of the Science Club were: Bottom Row, L-R: Marty Harding, Norman Garman, Mark Willard, Randy Beeman. Top Row, L-R: Raymond Schnoor, Larry Clubine, David Bishir, Eric McCarty, Arlen Briggs, Sponsor Lloyd Harding.

"Harvey" seen as a big success!



"Harvey", by Mary Whit Chase, was presented by the IHS Drama Department on March 23 and 24. Members of the cast were: Seated: John Surber, Becky Viets. Standing, L-R: Laura Watson, Shari Wright, Dee Dee Leach, Steve Rankin, Raymond Schnoor, David Brownlee, Sarah Scovel, Susan Sloop, Larry Clubine. The play was directed by Rachel Torbett.

Journalism class had the write idea

The journalism class of Independence Senior High, sponsored by David Torbett, consisted of Julia Leeseburg, Rhonda Jefferson, Robin Hapner, Angela Shelton, Gina Tull, Marybeth Bally, Shari Wright, Trish Coder, Sonja Schwatken, Mykka Taylor, and Tom Cook. This class had two responsibilities. The first was a preliminary and introductory look at the word of journalism from both the practical and theoretical aspects. The other responsibility had to do with production of the high school paper — The Student. This student-oriented newspaper was written and edited by members of the class. For the first time in several years the members of the class entered into state competition. Of the seven categories entered IHS students captured two first places and three second places in the competition.



The Student



Yearbook gathered the 70's together

This year the yearbook class tried something new ... a summer delivery so more of the school term could be covered. The juniors had a little extra work to do since the seniors left a week early. Our staff had a memorable personality. Our Advisor, Connie Baird, spent most of the year in hysterics over meeting the deadlines. Joel and Susan spent their time discussing the latest problem with Cenogenesis and Pre-Calculus. Lori and Cindy usually had to spend yearbook time trying to do their Algebra. Kim Taylor and Tammy always had something to gossip about. Cheryl and Kim Faulkner always had the latest bridal magazines to look at. There was hardly a day when Tom didn't walk in but 10 seconds before the bell rang and then opened his eyes to see if he was in the right room. Lisa goofed during class but went crazy working on her layouts during study hall. Last but not least, there was J.D., who took six months doing the wrestling page.

Pictured at the right is the entire yearbook staff. On next page- Picture 2: Ms. Baird-Advisor, Picture 3: Tom Stattman, J.D. Clark-Photographers, Picture 4: Kim Taylor, Tammy Schumacher-Staff, Picture 5: Lisa Graham-Staff, Kim Faulkner-Artwork, Staff, Picture 6: Cheryl Kane-Layout Editor, Advertising Manager, Joel Risner-Editor, Cindy Mann-Assistant Editor, Business Manager, Picture 7: Susan Somora-Cenogenesis, Staff, Lori Alford-Staff.

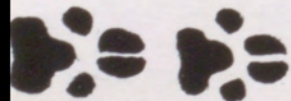
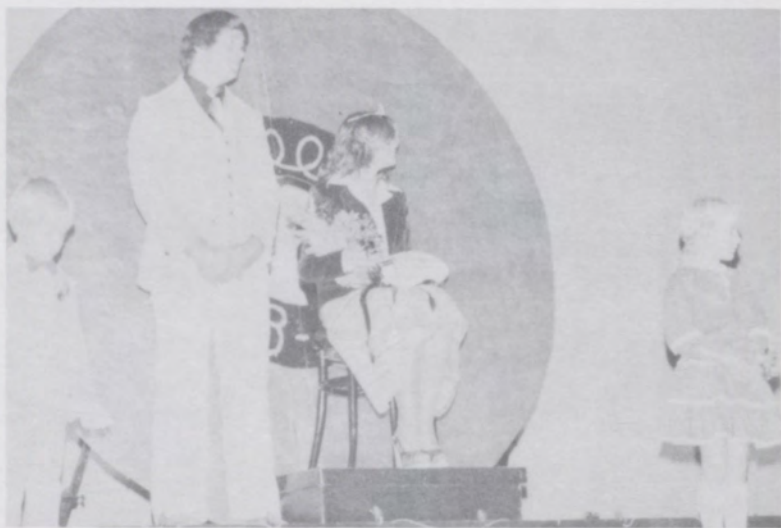


Additional Photography: Ron Marx, Donna Rothgeb, Everett Swanson.



Jaci reigned under disco lights as Football Queen

Jaci Hafner reigned as our last Football Queen of the 70's. Jaci was crowned in a disco setting by her escort Chris Tindle. Her attendants were Robin Wohltman, Staci Pollock, Melony Arnwine, and Ronda Goodknight. Their escorts included Bill Thomison, Doug Rinck, Kent Van Buskirk, and Marc Craig.



Robin crowned as last Basketball

Queen of the 70's



Robin Wohlman was chosen as our 1979 Basketball Homecoming Queen. Robin's escort for the occasion was Anthony Boggs. Beth Maxwell, Ronda Goodknight, Melony Arnwine, and Kim Pollock were members of the Queen's court. Escorts for the court included Jeff Leiker, Steve Smith, Doug Rinck, and Brad Steinle. Robin's escort for the evening was Chris Tindle.



Human Relations showed pride in our heritage



The Human Relations club for 1978-1979 included (seated left to right) Peter Mah, Betsy Daneke, Sherry Hernandez, Beth Maxwell, Stephanie Kenoly, Ron Davis, Anita Brown, Dee Dee Reeves; (standing) Mike Armstrong, Thornton Shelton, sponsor, Shannon Coffey, Tracy Miller.



Gail Johnson was crowned as our 1979 Black Heritage Queen. Gail's escort for the occasion was Tracy Miller. The Queen's court included Anita Brown, Terri Mothershed, Linda Davis, and Dee Dee Reeves. Escorts for the court were Keith McIntosh, Mike Mothershed, Richard Martin, and Curtis Hunter.

Gail crowned in Soul City



Agri-Business held annual rodeo

Agri-Business held its annual rodeo on Saturday, April 27. Winners of various awards included: Chris Schicke-Sr. Barrel Race, Sr. Calf Roping, Ribbon Roping, Sr. Flag Race, Sr. Cow Riding; Chris and Steve Schicke-Pick Up Race; Steve Schicke-Jr. Barrel Race, Jr. Flag Race, Jr. Cow Riding; Jeff Fowler-Jr. Calf Roping; Mark Hunington-Team Roping.



Officers of Agri-Business include: Shawn Wallis, Rodeo Committee; Sheryl Bryant, Reporter; Chris Schicke, President; Marc Chandler, Stuco; Steve Schicke, Vice-President; Brian Schuler, Sgt. of Arms; Stan Gartner, Secretary Treasurer; Steve Preston, Reporter; Rick Wallace, Sgt. of Arms.



Members of Agri-Business include: Front row-Cindy Bryant, Becky Bever, Crystan Crumrine, Angela Fobian, Terri Weimer, Sheryl Bryant, Teresa Lane, James Markle, Sponsor. 2nd row-Sherrie Spear, Laura Barton, Kyra Daugherty, Mark Lopez, Matt Housel, Shawn Wallis, Tim Lopez, Steve Schicke, Chris Schicke, Phillip Fienen, 3rd row-Belinda Smith, Robin Augustine, Lori Weeler, Elaine Evans, Steve Preston, Curtis Jabben, Kyle Smith, Kyre Debo, Ben Young, Brian Schuler, 4th row-Pam Griffin, Beth Snyder, Janell Adams, Elaine Koger, Tom Wittum, Del Shepard, Stan Gartner, Vernon Shaffer, Sherrie Main, Tom Chism, Tom Darby, 5th row-Becky Daniels, Jim Gates, Mark Milacek, Jim Surface, Rick Wallace, Jeff Evans, Doug Borovetz, David Bonde, Jack Martin, Brad Sherwook, Marc Chandler.



NIKE contributed and business social experiences



The NIKE club is a career-service organization. Its goals are: To develop initiative and leadership, to give service to school and community, and to study vocations and prepare for careers. This year the club participated in basketball concessions and donut sales. Nike planned a trip to Tulsa at the end of the year to learn more about businesses. Members. Top Row: Donna Brown, Susy Wittum, Natalie Franklin, Reva Ward, Paula Newmaster, Kari Shanks, Denise Price. Bottom Row: Rhonda Bracken, Dee Dee Reeves, Terri Mothershed, Linda Davis, Gina Moya. Not pictured: Cindy Henry. Officers. Left to right: Kari Shanks - Secretary, Paula Newmaster - Treasurer, Dee Dee Reeves - President, Denise Price - Student Council Representative. Not pictured: Cindy Henry - Parliamentarian. Juliana Wetter sponsored the club.





Back Row: Judy Kaiser, Linda Smith, Gina Tull, Kayellen Baden, Tammy Schumacher, Elaine Koger, Doris Conteras, Ruth Ward, Mary Byrd, Juanita Pouncil, Jeanette Clark, Shari Buel, Lisa Swearingen, Cheryl Whitson, Front Row: Jaci Hafner, Kathy Quinn, Kathy Foster, Renee Turner, Shelly Miessler, Debbi Pittman, Teresa Lane.

Office girls assisted secretaries AA Club drew the 70's to an end

The purpose for Art Club was to appreciate art better. This year they hoped to go to an art gallery in Kansas City. The members are: Back Row: Chuck Bayless, Mike Linn, Lou Ann Houser, Joey Pohl, Sherri Favero, Patti Patrzykont, Jody Long, Pam Bockover, Larry Clubine, Cammie Boorigie, Tracy Miller, Rob Shawger, Trecea Cotner. Front Row: Bob Clark, Fred Savage, James Teats, Craig Callison, Kevin Conner, Curtis Hunter.



THE LAST OF THE 70S

SPORTS

Bulldogs reached sub-state playoffs

The year of 1978-79 was without a doubt the "Year of the Bulldogs" with respect to football. Independence posted a magnificent season record of seven wins and two losses, which earned a second place tie ranking in the very highly competitive South East Kansas League. The team went to the Sub-State playoffs for the first time of its entire existence. The season opener for the Bulldogs began with a loss to Pittsburg 6-13, but the following week they jumped back with a 34-12 victory over Fort Scott. Indy went on to defeat Chanute, Parsons, and Iola, which put their record at a respectable four wins and one loss. Then they lost a heart breaker to Columbus in overtime with a score of 6-12. They were quickly back on their feet by defeating the highly ranked Carthage, Missouri team 19-9. The Bulldogs then smothered Altamont with a 23-0 shutout. One game was left-against the Coffeyville Tornados. If we won, it would be a State playoff birth. If we lost, there would be cold, frustrated sweat in the locker room. Regulation time ended with a 7-7 tie. Now it meant full team work. In the second overtime the Nado led by three points, and a touchdown was needed by the Bulldogs. Quarterback Bill Thomison threw a do-or-die pass to Mark Jones who made a leaping catch to Victory. Independence lost in Sub-State to Wellington 14-26, but they proved that while the other teams were taller, there were none tougher than the Bulldogs.



Top Row, Left to Right, Coach Singleton, Coach Gill, Jay Cooper, Mitch Thomason, Tim White, Chris Jackson, Doug Rinck, Chris Tindle, Ron Davis, Brad Steile, Kevin Williams, Monty King, Anthony Boggs, Scott King, Robert Dunham, Coach Homer, Coach Smith, Coach Shelton, Jeff Washburn; Middle Row, Kent Naegle, Mike Armstrong, Alan Gleue, John Smoot, Greg Elliott, Bill Thomison, Doug Donnelly, Matt Housel, Shannon Coffey, Darryl Stromberg, Marc Craig, Alan Bracken, Todd Kirkendall, Jeff Leiker, Mark Root, Gary Turner, Alan Borovetz, Doug Borovetz, Don Payne, Kevin Botts, Ozell Pouncil, Jim Miller, John Lind, Randy Kelley, Kevin Conner, Brian Schuler, Phil Near.





Above, Offense, Left to Right, Top Row, Shannon Coffey, Ron Davis, John Smoot, Greg Elliot, Bill Thomison, Chris Jackson; Bottom Row, Mark Jones, Brad Steinle, Marc Craig, Darryl Stromberg, Kent Van Buskirk, Todd Kirkendall, Chris Tindle.



Right, Defense, Top Row, Left to Right, Jeff Leiker, Don Payne, Tim White, Doug Rinck, Shannon Coffey, Anthony Boggs; Bottom Row, Mitch Thomason, Alan Gleue, Alan Bracken, Brad Steinle, Mike Armstrong, Doug Borovetz, Doug Donnelly.



VARSITY SCORES

OPPONENT	US	THEM
Pittsburg	6	13
Fort Scott	34	12
Chanute	31	20
Parsons	29	27
Iola	13	9
Columbus	6	12
Carthage, Mo.	19	9
Altamont	23	0
Coffeyville	13	10
5A State Wellington	14	26

JUNIOR VARSITY SCORES

OPPONENT	US	THEM
Pittsburg	18	14
Bartlesville	14	12
Chanute	40	34
Parsons	6	0
Iola	6	12
Columbus	6	8
Coffeyville	22	6
Altamont	24	0

Bulldogs squeezed win over Nados







Back Row, L to R; Terri Bryant, Lisa LaForge, Lou Ann Houser, Loretta Buser. Middle Row: Belinda Smith, Lisa Martin, Dee Dee Reeves, Judy Blumer, Cherie Speer, Kathy Clark, Front Row: Kristi Sanders, Kaellyn Baden, Teresa Lane, Sheryl Bryant, Amy Wilson, Debbie Hastings, Linda Davis. Not Pictured: Regina DeMoss, Jeanine Thompson.

The 1978-79 volleyball season had mixed scores throughout the season. Coach McMillin was very pleased with the team this year.

The Bulldogs ended the season successfully by making a trip to the state tournament at Newton, Kansas, even though their record for the season was on the losing side.

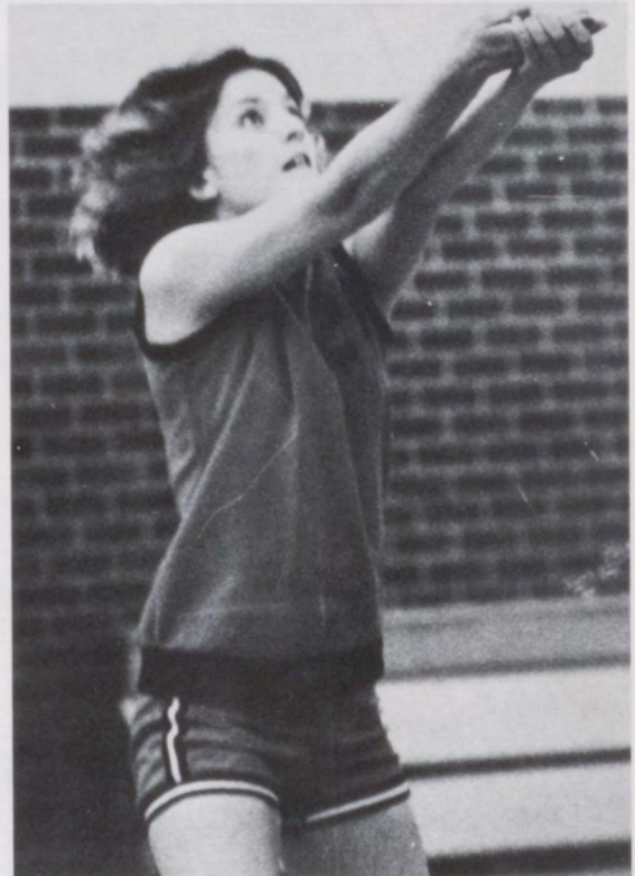
They went to the sub-state tournament here in Indy with a record of 4-6 and swept their matches to even their record at 6-6. Newton was then the next site for the girls as they proceeded to the state championship playoffs. In their first round, they were paired up against Shawnee Heights of Topeka and came out on the short end of the deal as they dropped both games 15-5 and 15-2.

The varsity ended the year at 6-7 and the junior varsity finished up at 6-1.

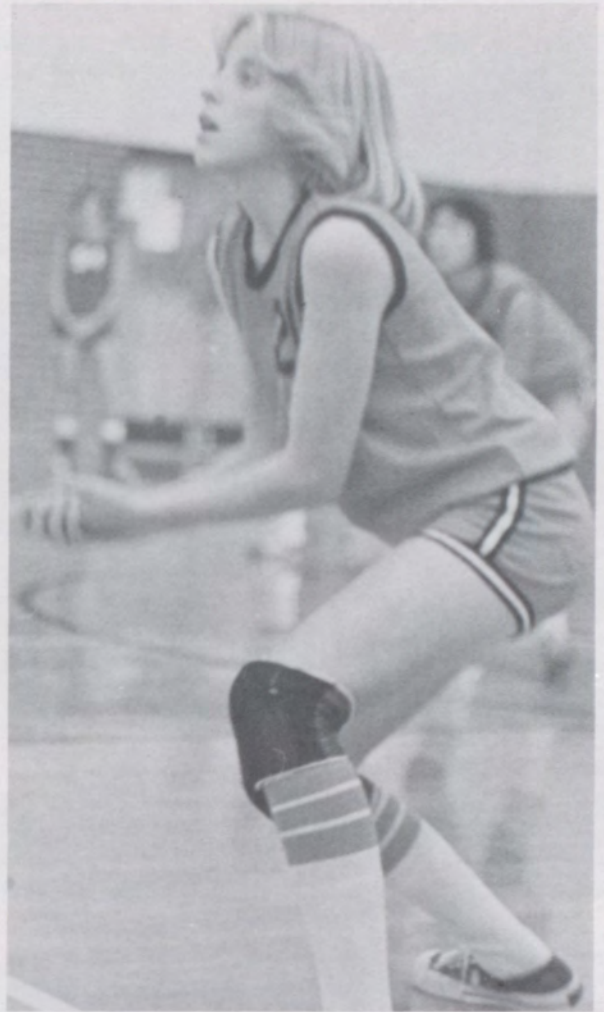
The team members all agreed they all could have improved mostly upon talking together out on the court. When asked what they were looking forward to the most regarding next year, they all agreed sub-state, and all the way to state.

PARSONS	Won
CHANUTE	Lost
SEDAN	Lost
PITTSBURG	Won
CHANUTE	Won
BLUE VALLEY	Lost
GARNETT	Lost
PITTSBURG	Lost
PITTSBURG*	Won
PARSONS*	Won

*Sub-State Games



Volleyball won twice at sub-state



Girls netted successful season



This year, the girls won seven dual matches in a row, bringing their winning streak to 38, which is a state record. The team placed 1st in the S.E.K. Tourney, (4th year in a row), 3rd place in the Ark City Tourney; 3rd place Winfield Tourney — 1st place doubles, Regional Tourney, Cheryl Leonard and Marybeth Bally qualified for state. Leonard and Bally won 4th place in State Tourney.

Coach King said about his team, "The girls had an outstanding and very successful season. From girl to girl, this year's team would be as good as any team in Kansas. In girl's tennis, IHS ranks among the top. As a coach, I couldn't be happier or prouder of this year's team. Not only are they good tennis players, they are outstanding young ladies and I wouldn't trade them for anything."

Members of Varsity team- above- Marybeth Bally, Cheryl Leonard, Betsy Daneke, Sherri Favero, Kim Pollock, Traci Cook. Members of Junior Varsity team- right- Jan Slater, Kelly Muse, Kyrie DeBo, Teresa Ferguson, Joni Rodrick. Not pictured: Julia Leeseberg. These girls are to be congratulated for their effort and accomplishments.



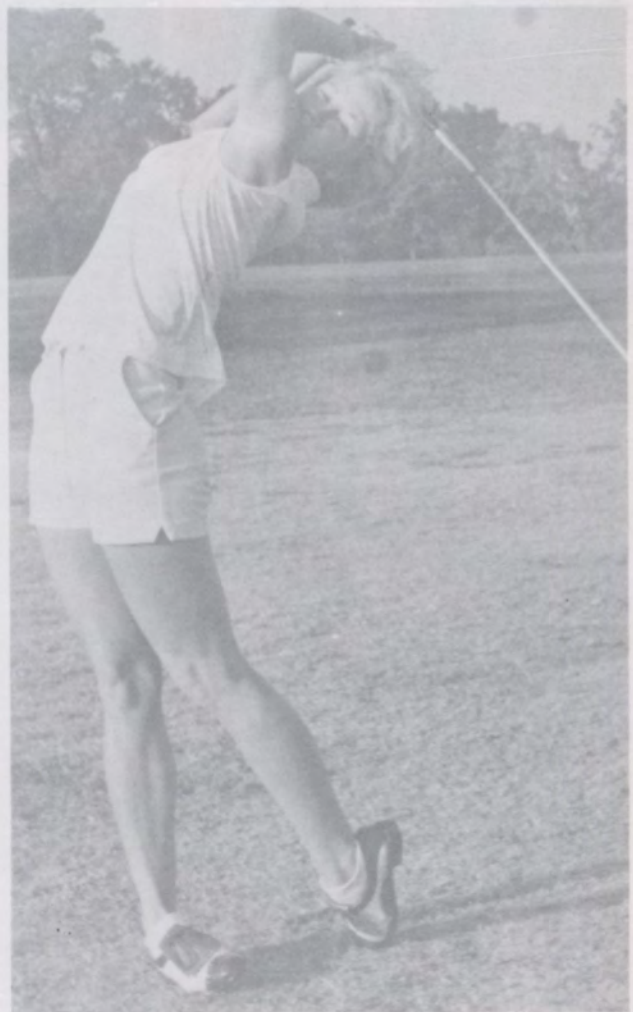
Golf team placed Second in State 5A Playoffs

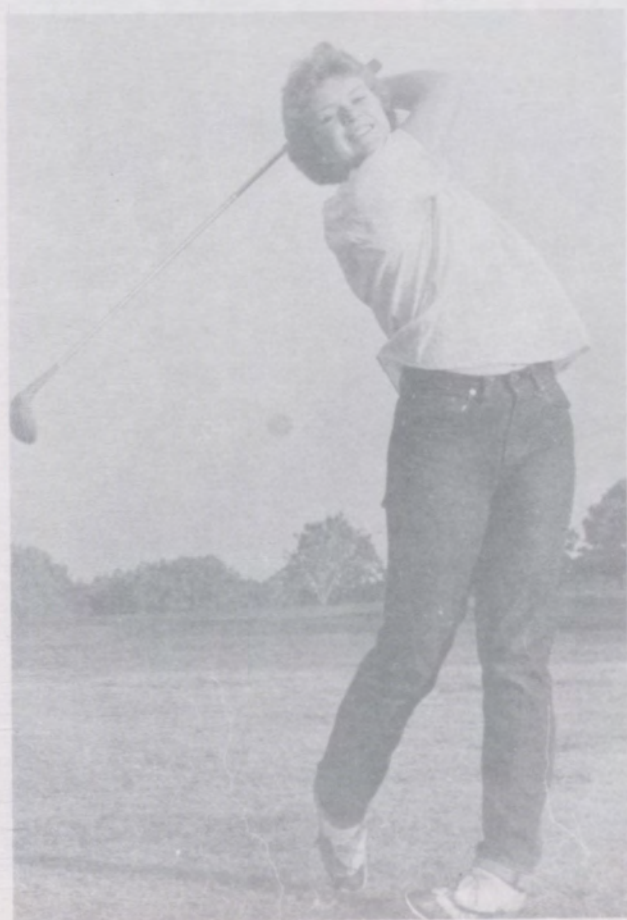
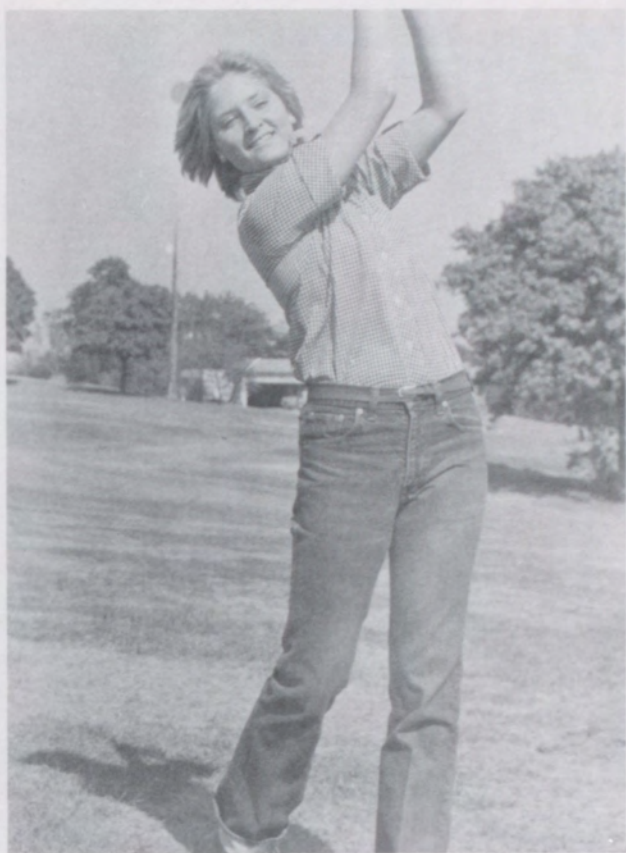
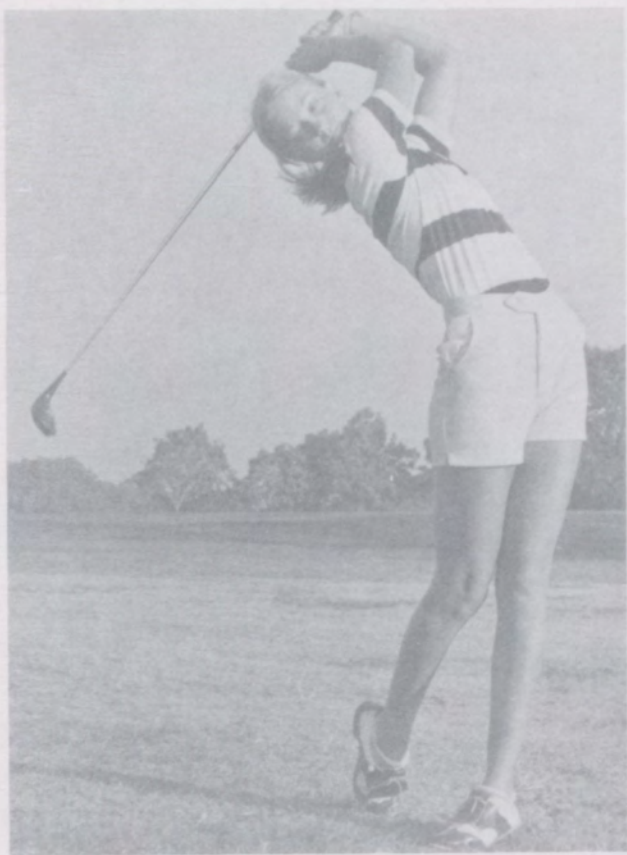


The 1978-79 Girls' Golf Team had a very successful season. The four-girl team won all their meets except one. The two-girl team placed either first, second, or third in all their meets. They also won the regional tournament. They placed second in State 5A. Robin Wohltman was third Medalist in State, and Judi Dennis was fifth Medalist. In Emporia our four-girl and two-girl teams both placed second. Out of approximately twelve teams, both of our teams placed the highest.

Mrs. Spencer, the golf coach, said, "Each of the girls is very talented, and it was an honor to coach such a team individually and teamwise."

Team members include, left to right, Ronda Goodknight, Lynn Rodrick, Staci Pollock, Robin Wohltman, Judi Dennis, Lisa Pollock, Janelle White. Linda Spencer was the coach.





Bulldogs ranked first in state

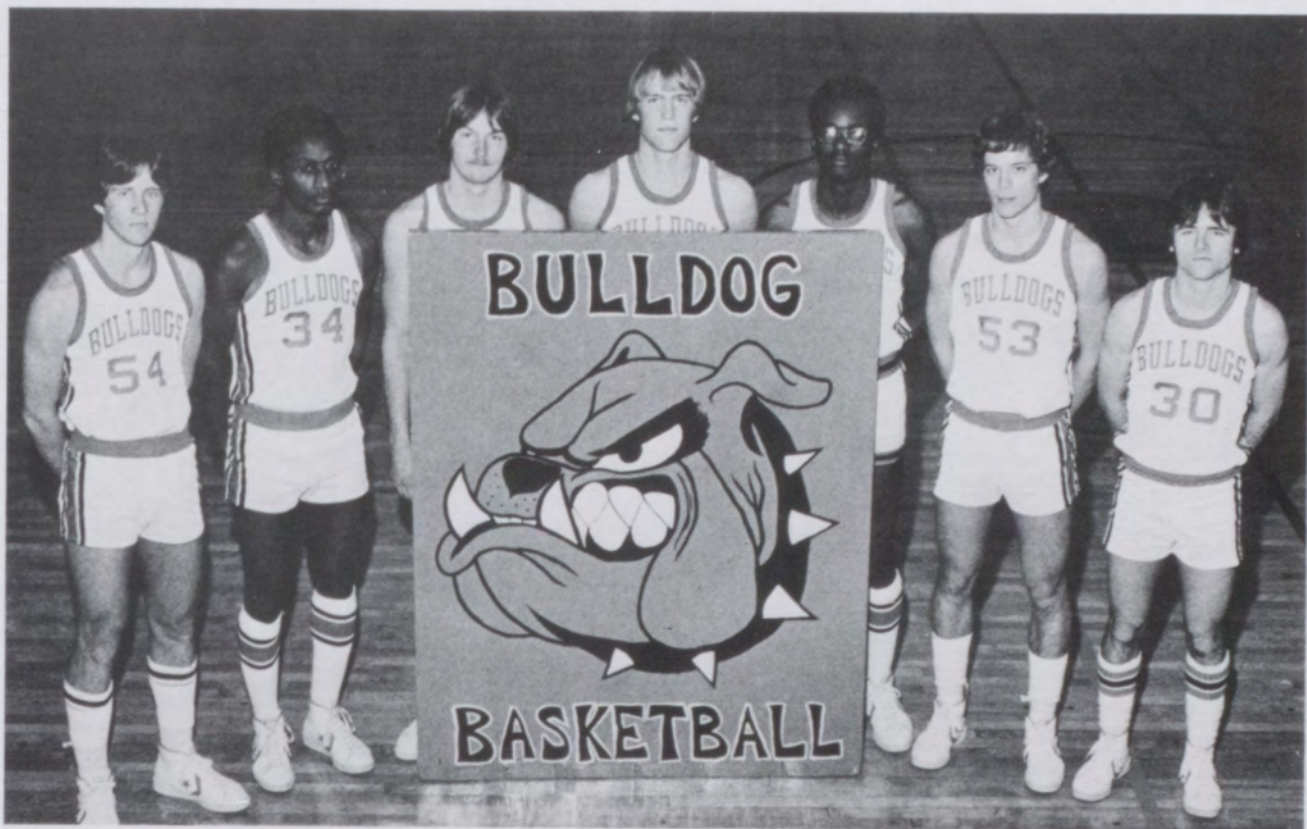


Front Row, Left to Right: Coach Chuck Smith, Jay Juby, Keith McIntosch, David Brown, Jay Cooper, Alan Borovetz, Head Coach Jerry Hart. Middle Row: Mike Mothershed, Steve Templin, Doug Rinck, Steve Smith, Brad Steinle, Anthony Boggs, Ron Davis. Back Row: Jeff Leiker, Frank McCabe, Mark Jones, Shannon Coffey, Mike Armstrong, Mike Moore, James Teats, Charles Thomas, Manager Ron Mott. Statisticians Laura Watson, Debbi Wright, below.



OPPONENT	US	THEM
Pittsburg	72	67
Altamont	63	49
Columbus	67	50
Ft. Scott	61	53
Parsons	77	65
Iola	68	50
Chanute	69	50
Coffeyville	57	43
Pittsburg	64	67
Altamont	70	58
Kapaun-Mt. Carmel	80	66
Winfield	84	60
Wichita South	68	78
Ft. Scott	77	49
Columbus	85	62
Parsons	79	69
Iola	84	45
Chanute	62	49
Coffeyville	57	45
Ark City	76	51
Coffeyville	66	55
Atchison	66	74

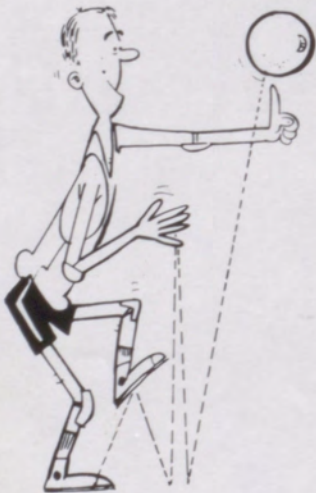
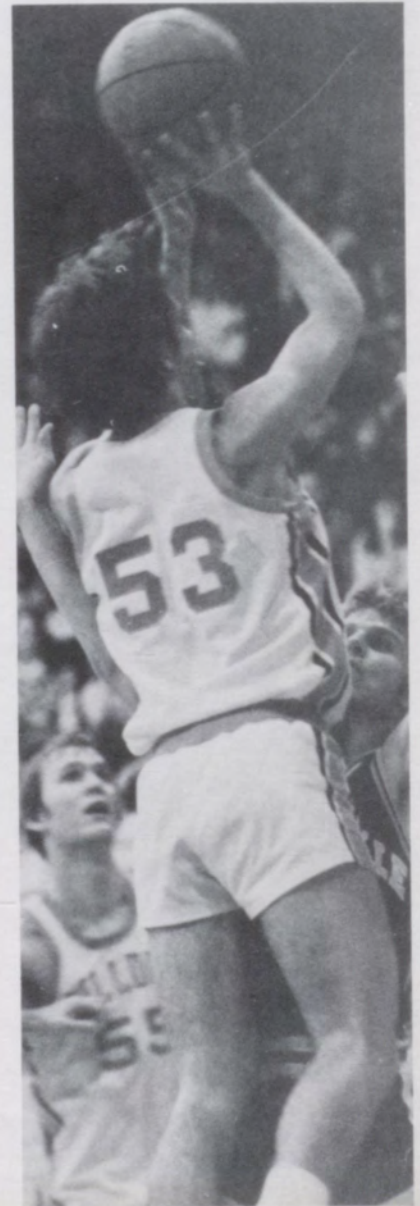




Seniors; L. to R.: David Brown, Ronnie Davis, Doug Rinck, Steve Smith, Mike Mothershed, Jay Juby, Shannon Coffey.



Bulldogs swished through successful year





The basketball season began with a victory over the number one ranked Pittsburg, 72-67. The Bulldogs went on to win seven more victories. By this time they were recognized as one of the top teams in the state. Indy then lost a heart-breaker to Pittsburg 64-67, ending a twenty-six game winning streak carried over from the year before. The Bulldogs earned second place in the Wichita tournament. Steve Smith and Anthony Boggs were selected all tournament players. The Bulldogs went undefeated for the rest of the season. They went on to win in regionals and were ranked number one in state. Although we lost in the first round, Steve Smith was selected first team all state, and Anthony Boggs second team all state.

Girl's Basketball Team played in state tournament



Members of the 1979 Girl's Basketball Team included: Bottom row, left to right: Debbie Hastings, Kristi Sanders, Cheryl Leonard, Teresa Lane. Second row: Kelly Muse, Terri Bryant, Betsy Daneke, Robin Wohltman, Sheryl Bryant, Lisa Pollock, Natalie Franklin. Back row: Thorton Shelton-coach, Michelle Hayden, Judi Dennis, Kyrie Debo, Dee Dee Reeves, Crystal Goad, Linda Davis, Lisa Martin, Melanie Steinle, Annette McMillian-coach.



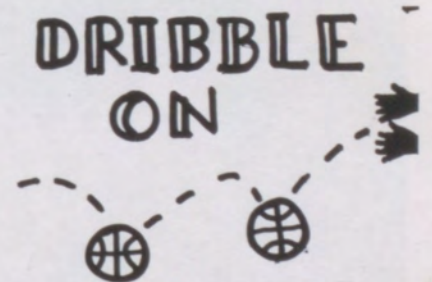


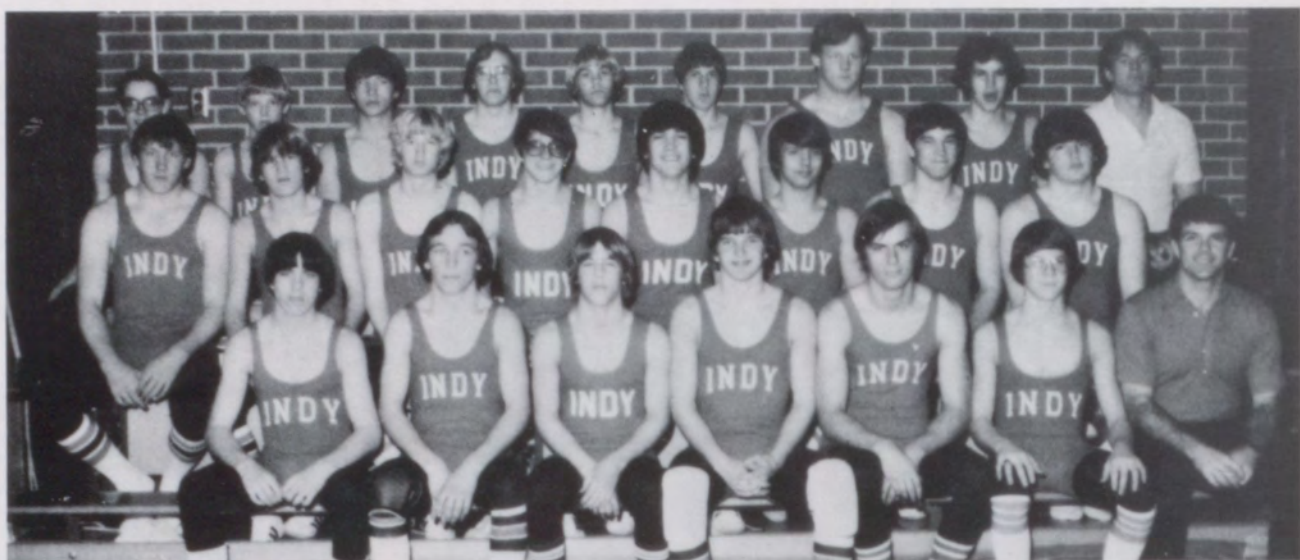
1978-1979 SCORES

OPPONENT	US	THEM
Pittsburg	37	32
Altamont	37	38
Columbus	32	48
Ft. Scott	47	46
Parsons	45	46
Iola	28	57
Chanute	35	43
Coffeyville	82	30
Pittsburg	48	46
Altamont	41	40
Winfield	34	25
Ark City	45	32
Ft. Scott	45	39
Columbus	56	38
Parsons	57	39
Iola	62	33
Chanute	46	54
Coffeyville	58	45
Winfield	57	31
Ark City	47	40
McPherson	41	49



Some of our girls won honors this season. Robin Wohltman was named to the All Tournament Team and Most Valuable Player of the Indy Invitational. She was top vote getter All SEK. Robin was also named to the First Team All State by the Kansas City Star and received Honorable Mention to the All State Team by the Wichita Eagle. Robin was also honored for having more than 10 free throws without a miss twice in the season. Dee Dee Reeves received Honorable Mention to the All Tournament Team of the Invitational and All League Honorable Mention in SEK. Cheryl Leonard was also All Tournament Honorable Mention and Judi Dennis All Tournament Team at the Indy Invitational.

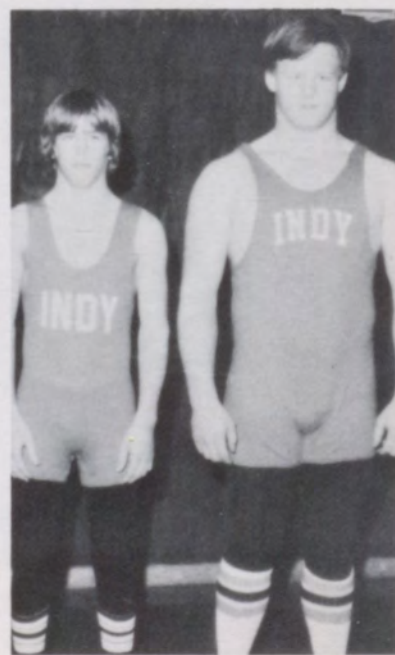
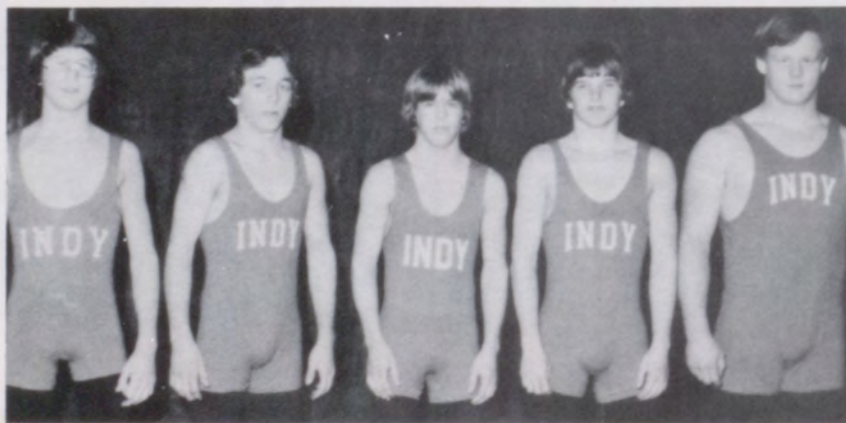




Wilson placed second at state

TOP ROW: Doug Crawshaw, Keith Prather, Todd Barager, David Bishir, Mike Lynn, Ryan Knop, Chip Schuler, Rick Estenson, Coach Vince Gill. MIDDLE ROW: Brian Schuler, Bob Estenson, Kevin Pankey, Rusty Shaffer, Terry Daniels, Shawn Wallace, Robert Daniels, Russell Davis. BOTTOM ROW: Mike Gleue, Chris Schicke, Kevin Wilson, Steve Watson, Jeff Evans, J.D. Clark, Coach Bob Homer.

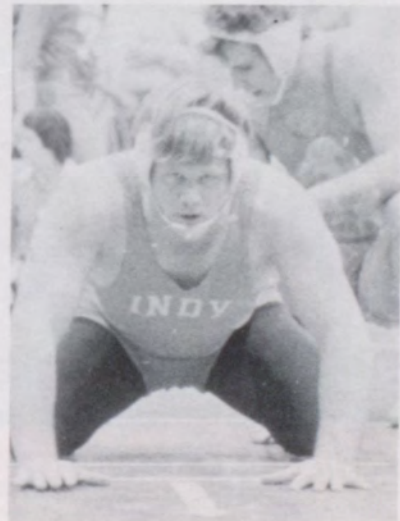
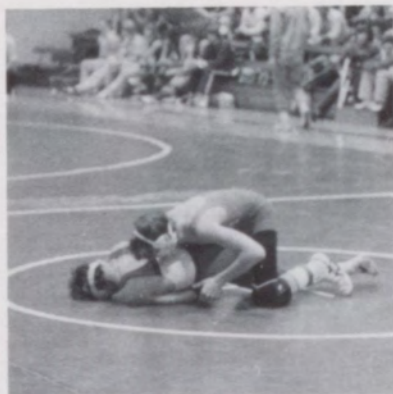
The IHS matmen had a very successful season this year. Their achievements included taking third place as a team in the Kansas-Oklahoma Classic tournament at Caney, a third place at the SEK League tournament held in Parsons and taking five men to sub-state and two men to state. IHS had two outstanding matmen this year: Kevin Wilson, a Senior; and Chip Shuler, a Freshman; these two wrestlers competed at State with Kevin placing second and Chip placing sixth. Pictured below left are the five matmen who participated at Sub-State: J.D. Clark, Chris Schicke, Kevin Wilson, Steve Watson, and Chip Schuler. Pictured below right are the state competitors: Kevin Wilson, and Chip Schuler.



Wrestlers took third at Caney

	WtoL
*98 lb. Kevin Wilson	20-4
105 lb. J.D. Clark	8-7
112 lb. Chris Schicke	14-6
119 lb. Steve Watson	13-9
126 lb. Leland Cline	3-9
132 lb. Rick Estenson	13-2
138 lb. Jeff Evens	7-9
145 lb. Terry Daniels	2-10
155 lb. Robert Daniels	7-9
167 lb. Brian Schuler	3-11
185 lb. Russell Davis	3-12
HWT Chip Schuler	18-6

* NOTE: Kevin Wilson placed second at 5a State competition.

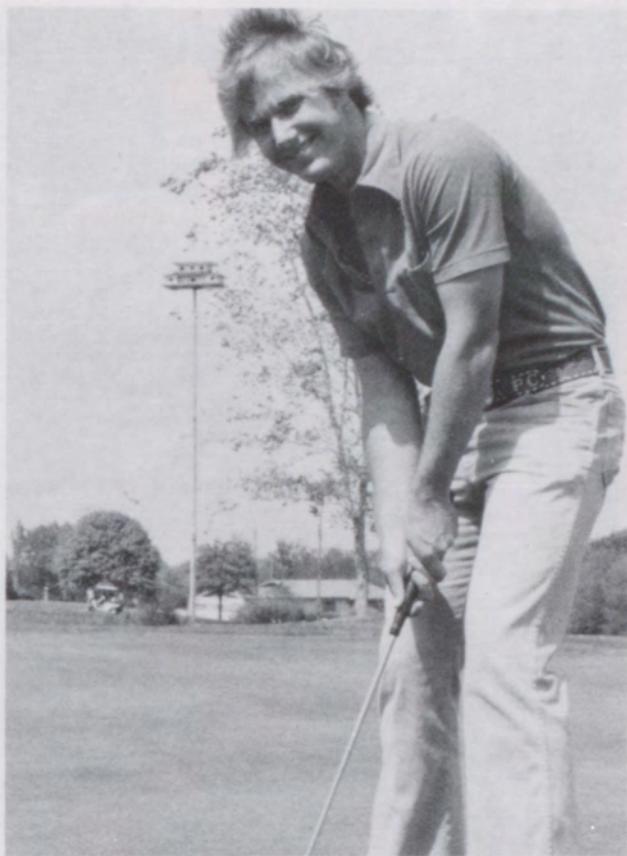
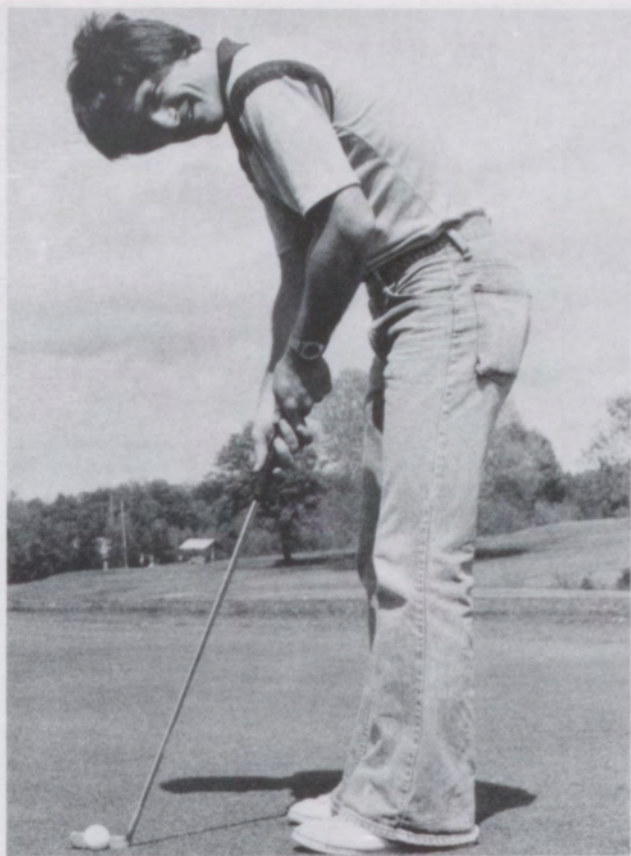


Corbitt-Palmer won two-man state golf



The golf results for the 1979 golf season are as follows. Iola, Coffeyville, Capital City, Independence, Columbus, and Regional, first in the 2-man. Pittsburg, second in the 4-man, and SEK, second in team. The golf team consisted of Shannon Coffey, Tim White, Pres Corbitt, Ron Marx, Steve Babb, Steve Rankin, Danny Walters, Jeff Palmer, Kyle Wright, and Mike Lewis. Pres Corbitt and Jeff Palmer won the 2-man state golf competition with a score of 304.





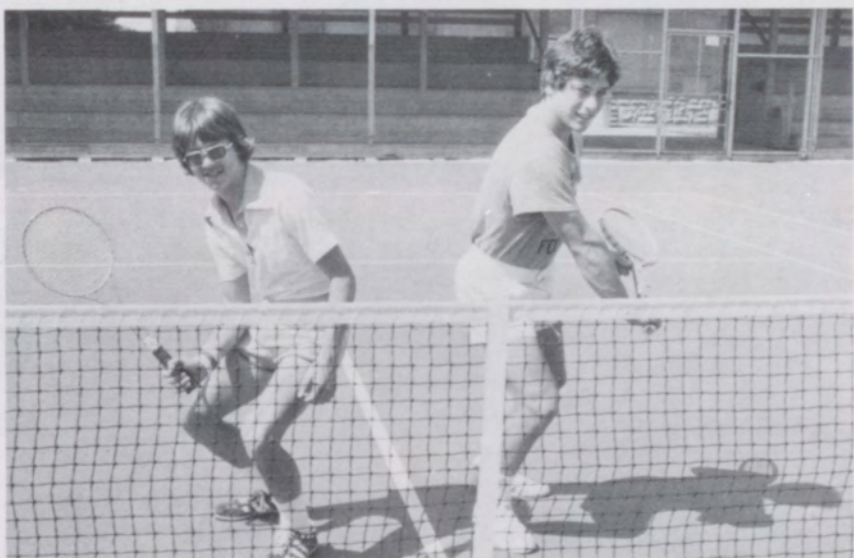
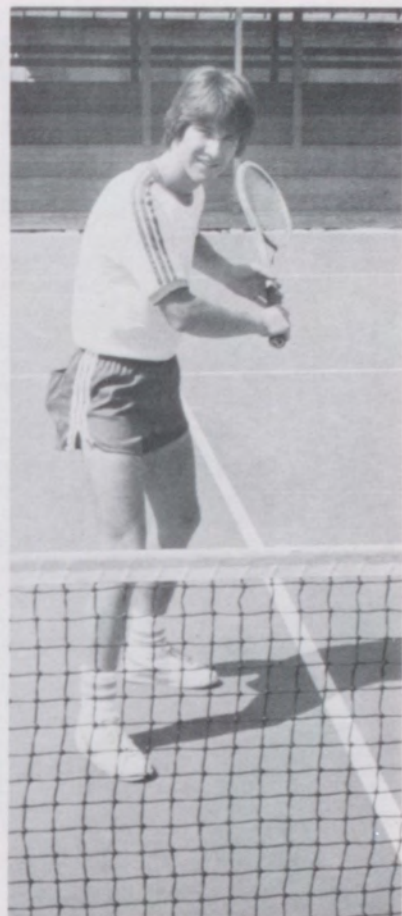
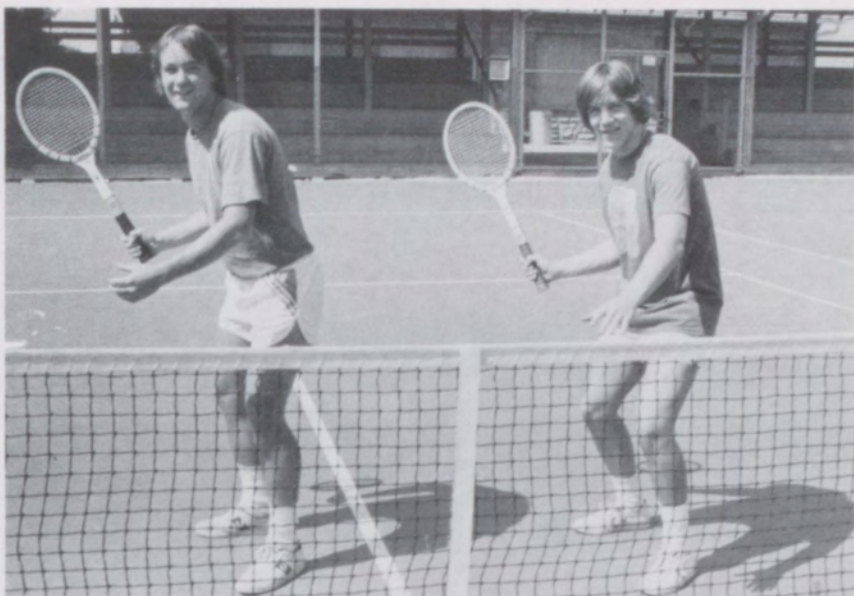
Tennis team achieved second place in S.E.K.

The 1979 Tennis season proved to be another successful year. Under the leadership of Coach Jack King and team captain, Tom Cook, the Bulldogs achieved second place in S.E.K. Brad Daughtery earned a second place in men's two singles, while Tom Cook and Donny Payne were fourth in regionals, and fifth in State.



Above, Varsity Team from left to right, Coach Jack King, Tom Cook, Rob Shawger, Mike May, Brad Daughtery, Ken McDaniel, Donny Payne. Below, Junior Varsity, from left to right, Tom Stattman, Mike Lynn, Randy Kelly, Randy Carr, Bob Clark, not pictured, Steve Roark.





Boys track placed second in state



I.H.S. MEN'S TRACK SQUAD; Front row, left to right: Curtis Hunter, Chuck Bayless, Mitch Thomason, Juan Moya-Manager, Mike Armstrong, Todd Barrager, 2nd row: Kent Neagele-Manager, Jeff Washburn, Steve Preston, Keith Jabben, Marty Harding, Jeff Leiker, Bill Edington, Jay Graves, Bruce Saichompoo, Curt Horning, David Newbold, 3rd row: Brad Steinle, Steve Smith, Anthony Boggs, Danny Williams, Mike Mothershed, Ron Davis, Steve Templin, Robert Wuerdeman, John Adams, Phil Near, Tony Thomas, Not pictured: David Brown, Scott King, and Monty King.



Parsons Invitational	Won
Independence Triangular	Won
Independence Invitational	Won
Coffeyville Invitational	Won
Chanute Invitational	Won
Labette Cnty. Invitational	Won
Pittsburg Triangular	2nd
SEK (League)	3rd
Ark City (Regional)	3rd
Wichita (State)	2nd



At State Danny Williams placed first in the 110 meter dash, with 11.0, and second in the 200 meter dash with a 22.7. Anthony Boggs finished second in the hurdles with 15.19 and 39.51. The 440 relay team of Williams, Boggs, Ron Davis, and Mike Armstrong finished third. Curtis Hunter finished sixth in the long jump at 21 feet, 1¼ inches. IHS placed second in the meet with 41 points.



Girls won first in SEK



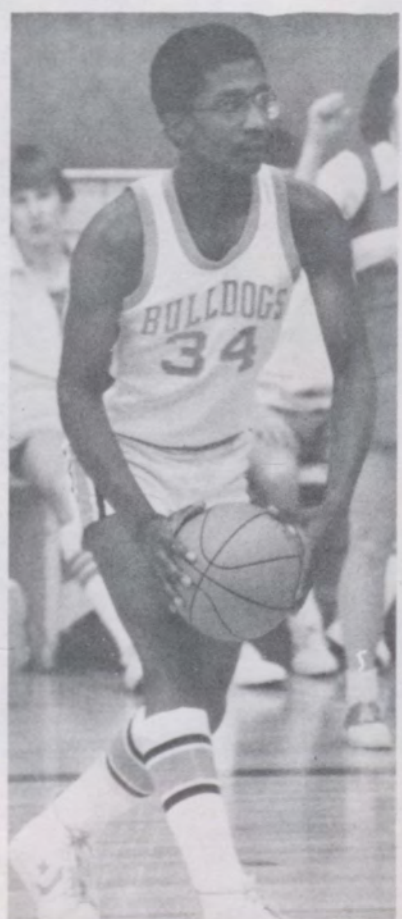
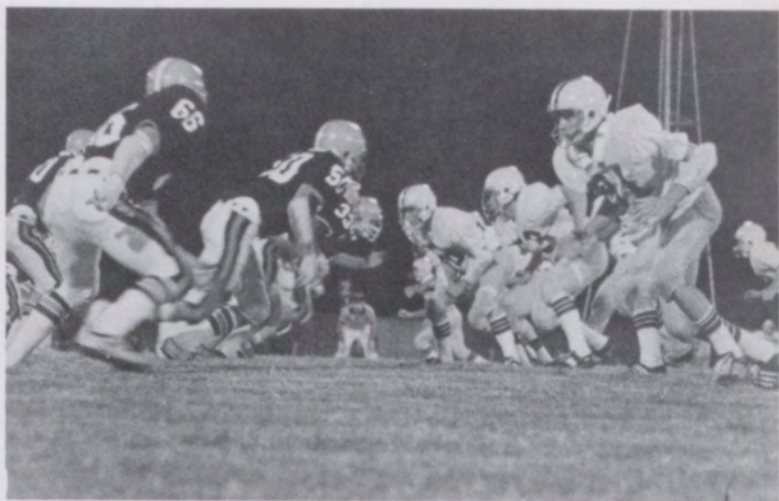
Eighteen girls participated in track this year and two managers: Denise Graves, Teresa Lane. This year only four girls qualified to go to state. They were Terri Nordberg, Kathy Linn, Amy Wilson, and Dee Dee Reeves. The girls were also invited to Ark City Regionals. Out of the Chanute meet only two girls received two medals apiece: Lisa Pollock and Terri Nordberg. The team has not been able to go to too many meets, due to bad weather conditions. The girls won first at the Altamont meet, second at the Coffeyville, eighth out of fifteen at the Ft. Scott meet, fifth at the Chanute meet and second at our triangle.





Back row: Coach Charles Gann, Teresa Lane, Tamela Harp, Denise Graves, Crystal Goad, Terri Nordberg, Dee Dee Reaves, Lisa Martin, Belinda Akins, Jackie Thornberry, Front row: Lisa Pollock, Kathy Linn, Amy Wilson, Kim Pollock, Belinda Smith, Angie Timmons, Susan Stafford, Becky Beaver, Coach Chuck Smith.

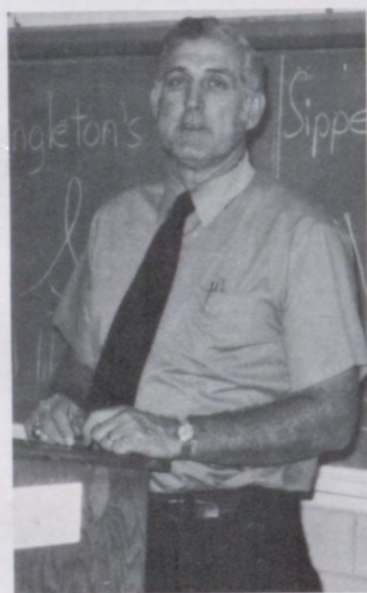


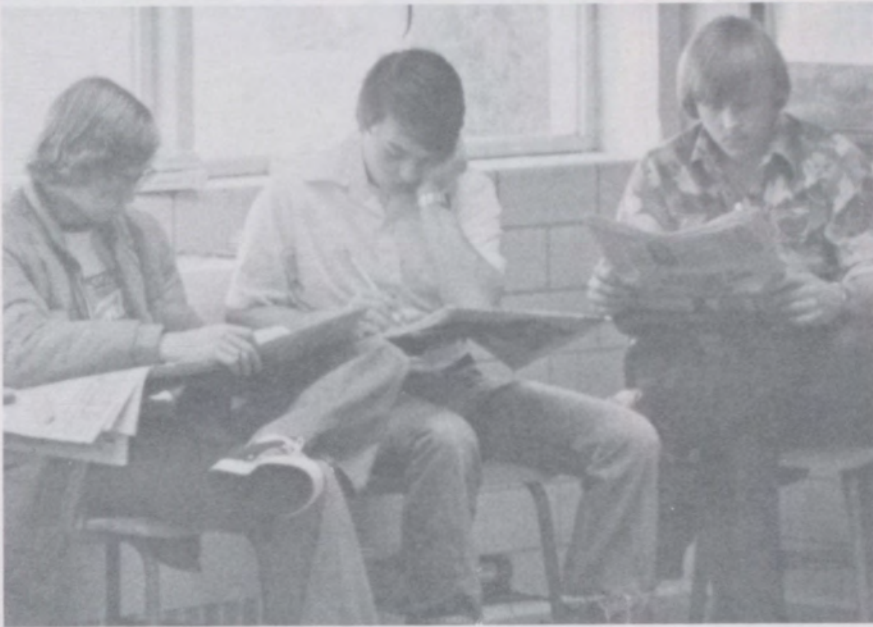


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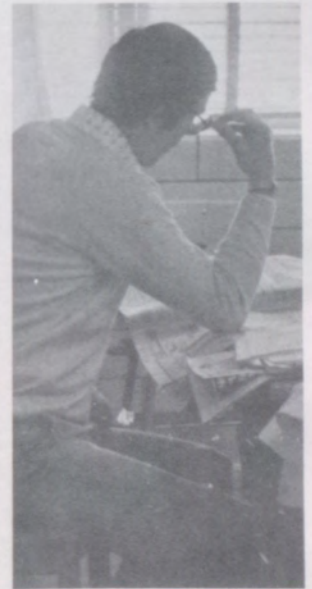
Social Science prepared students for life





The Social Science classes, under the direction of Jack King, consisted of Kansas Civil and Criminal Law, World History, Current Events, Occupations, People, Places and Things, Minority Groups Study, Psychology, Sociology, and the two main courses, American History and American Government.

American History primarily is the developing of skills for participation in the democratic process and developing the ability to communicate ideas. The three areas American Government concerns are legislative, executive, and judicial powers of our government. State and local governmental issues, current issues, and government problems are also included.



English classes shared ideas

This year there have been many changes in the English department. Some of the more innovative mini-courses have been dropped and some traditional classes have been added to the curriculum. Sophomores are now required to take a full year of English, and Junior English has been added as a requirement for graduation.



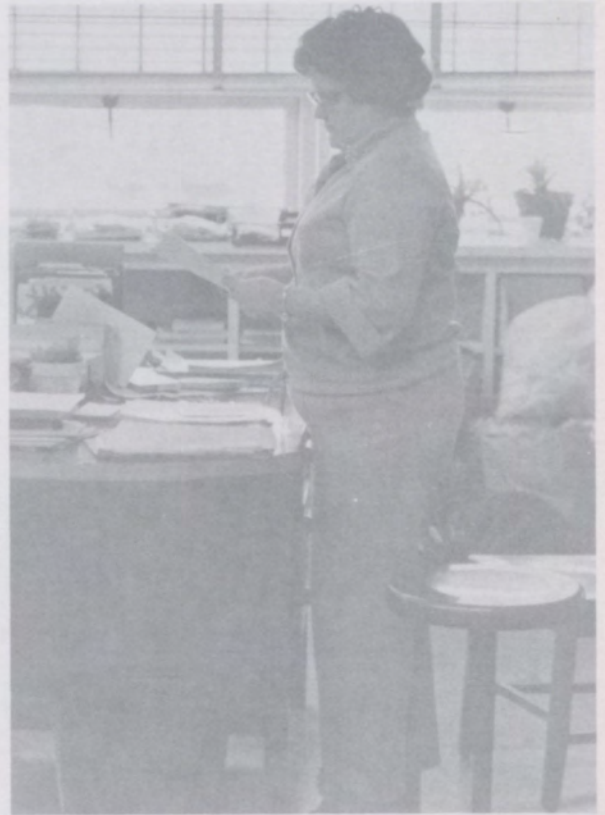
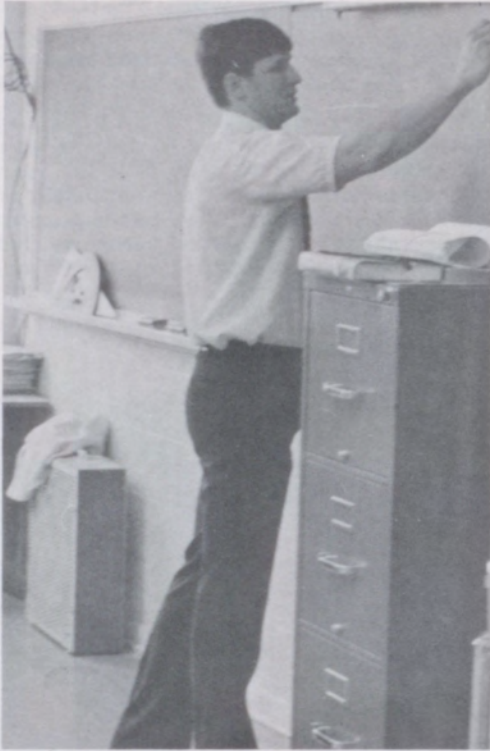
Students enjoyed foreign languages



Foreign language classes have a triple purpose. These classes provide competence in grammar and speaking. They also introduce the students to the Spanish, French, or Latin cultures and the basic philosophy of the peoples. Each country's religion, the way the people make a living, and the favorite sporting events are studied. This is the second year of Latin classes. According to Mrs. Shire, "Latin is going very well. This class consists mostly of all A students."



Math students figured the future

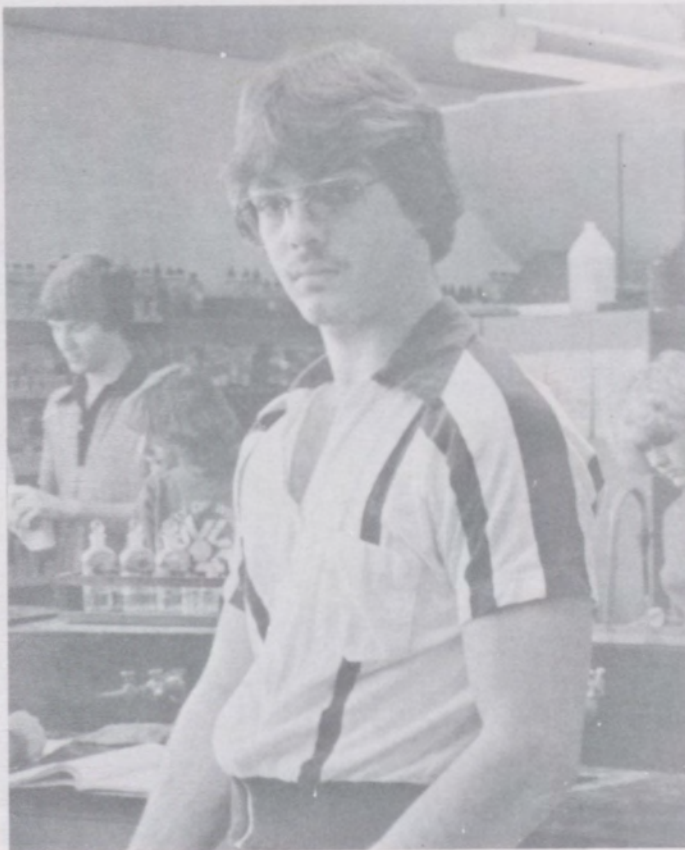
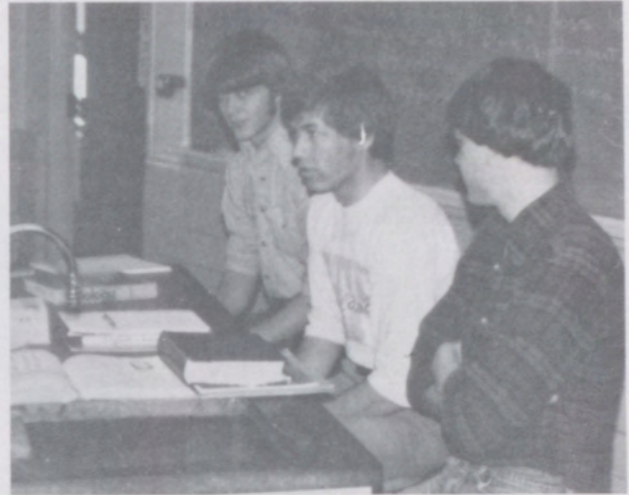


The math department offered courses in Career Math, Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, and Pre-Calculus. The courses were set up to prepare the student for mathematics used in everyday life or to give them the basic knowledge needed to go into advanced studies of science and mathematics.

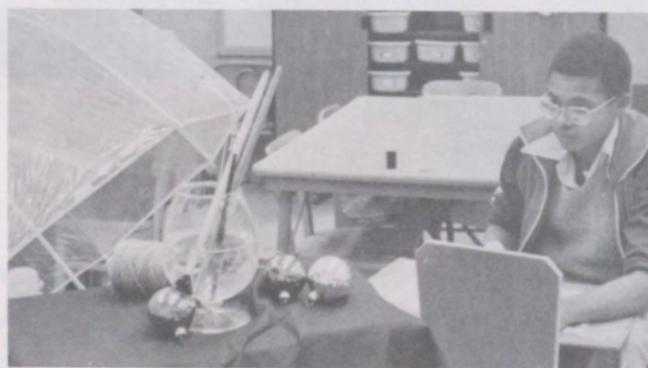
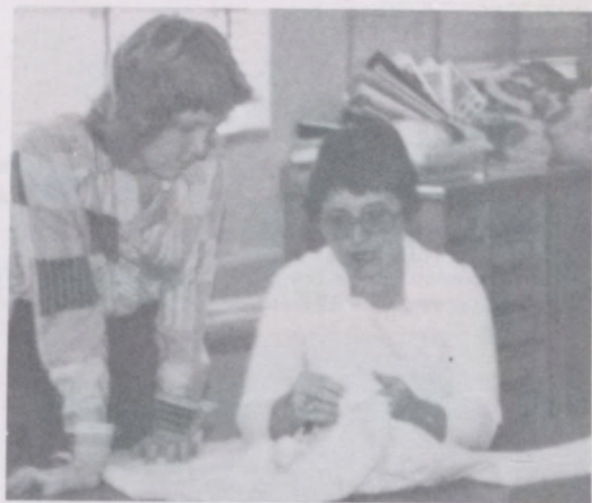


This year's Science Department consisted of the Chemistry, Physics, Biology, and Physical Science classes. The main goal of this department was to increase the student's knowledge in science and to prepare them for careers in that field.

Science students analyzed our world



Students showed
talent in
Fine and Practical Arts





The 1979 Fine Arts Department consisted of Concert Choir and Indy Ensemble, both with a very successful year; the Independence High School Band, which brought home some nice trophies; and all the art classes, which entries to State Competition. The young men of I.H.S. proved that they are as talented as the women by getting involved in the cooking and sewing classes of the Practical Arts Department.

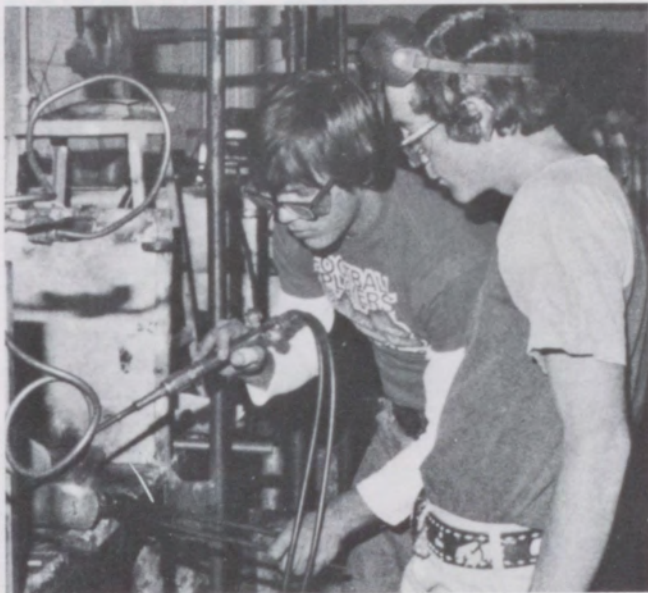


Business students prepared for the future

A new class, "Making Your Money do More," was added to the business curriculum this year. The department also includes four semesters of Typing, four of Accounting, two of Office Procedures, two of Shorthand, one of Business Machines, one of Record Keeping, and nine week courses in Business Careers, and Personal Money Management. These courses will prove valuable in future years, Business courses have a three-fold purpose: good general education, college preparation, and good vocational courses. Enrollment is up, and the teachers are glad to see more students taking part. This year, we had several students place at the ICJC Competition Day. Cindy Henry, 1st in Machine Transcription; Debby Saunders, 1st Miss Future Business Employee, and 1st in Typing 11; Debbie Jabben, 1st in Office Machines; Jim Blumer, 4th Mr. Future Business Employee; Teresa Spradlin, 5th in Shorthand 11; Cheryl Kane, 5th in Telephone Techniques; Joel Risner, 5th in Typing 1.



Industrial Arts taught students to build a future



The Industrial Arts classes this year were set up to give all students, boys and girls, a basic introduction into shop activities. The classes were more avocational than vocational. They gave the student an understanding which he can later use in a job or just in his home. This year the teachers were pleased to find more girls entering the classes and getting involved in Industrial Arts.



Physical Education classes shaped up the seventies

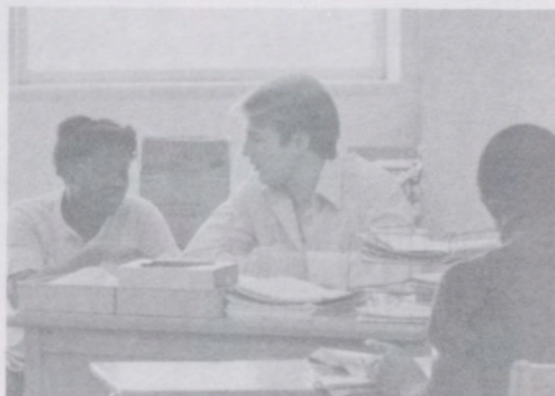
The head of the Physical Education Department is Coach Bob Homer. Annette McMillin also teaches the classes. Class activities include learning rules, skill building, officiating, and competition.



Special Education classes aided students in developing skills



Vince Gill and Dorothy Rockers, Special Education teachers, enjoy working with "their" kids. Their classes also learned cooking and how to do dough art.



Students worked for their community

The Community Alternative Education program has students working off campus. This year 132 juniors and seniors were enrolled in the class. There are sixty-two different fields ranging from child care to floral work. Students spent 11,000 hours at their off campus sites this year. Alternative Education provides an on-the-job training experience. Some students spend one hour at their site, other students spend two hours. This work is all volunteer and provides a full class credit for the students enrolled.



Students earned while they learned

How would you like to earn money and school credit at the same time? The work experience program, now in its sixth year at IHS, makes this possible.

The program is open to juniors and seniors. They work for one hour a day at a job of their choice. Once a month they meet at school for discussions and some oral and written work.

The program has shrunk from 115 participants the first year to only six now. This is largely due to the alternative education program. Although students in alternative education don't receive a salary for their work, they receive full credit for the hours worked. Work experience participants receive only one-half credit.

Students participating in work experience this year are: Sam Batman, Reed and Widick Feed Store; Ken McCullough, Otasco; Marla Friend, Friend Cleaning Center; Tom Posch, Brian Toomey, and Bob Relyea, Independence Reporter.



Library facilities aided students

The library is a place where students can both learn and relax. There are many non-fiction and reference books in which information on a vast number of subjects can be found. For those who wish to read for pleasure, there are over 11,000 books from which to choose. The library also has current and past issues of many magazines, some dating back sixty years.

Pictured below are library clerks (1) Mary Lou Palmer and (2) Joyce Bever.



THE LAST OF THE 70S

FACULTY AND
ADMINISTRATION

Administration guided education



Board Members include, seated: Dr. Leonard Steinle, Beverly Hudson, James Arnwine, and John Pittman. Standing are Robert Wesley, John Stroble, Tim Emert, and Linda Linn.

Left: Dr. Leonard Steinle, Superintendent.

Right: Jay Coffey, Elementary coordinator.





Edwin L. Sink says, "No day at IHS is ever the same." Mr. Sink feels being in charge of approximately 670 students and forty-two faculty members is a challenge. This is why Mr. Sink thinks being principal of IHS is "the greatest job in the world."

Before coming to Independence, Mr. Sink was a principal for six years, a vice-principal for three years, and a social science teacher for twelve years. When taking over as principal in 1976, Mr. Sink changed the way IHS was run greatly. His philosophies of running a school include maintaining high attitude levels, treating students consistently, and practicing a strict discipline policy. The students respect Mr. Sink for this and on the most part, are happier with the change at IHS.



Orlin Milner, Vice-Principal of IHS is the man who "applies the rules." Mr. Milner's job consists of handling discipline and attendance problems and sponsoring activities. Although Mr. Milner wishes students understood him better, he enjoys his job because of the association with the students.

Mr. Milner came to IHS because it was a new challenge. Before his move to Independence, Mr. Milner taught social science classes and coached for fifteen years. Mr. Milner enjoys watching, coaching and participating in sports. So, the next time you see a familiar face flash by you, it's our Vice-Principal, Orlin Milner, on his daily five mile jog.



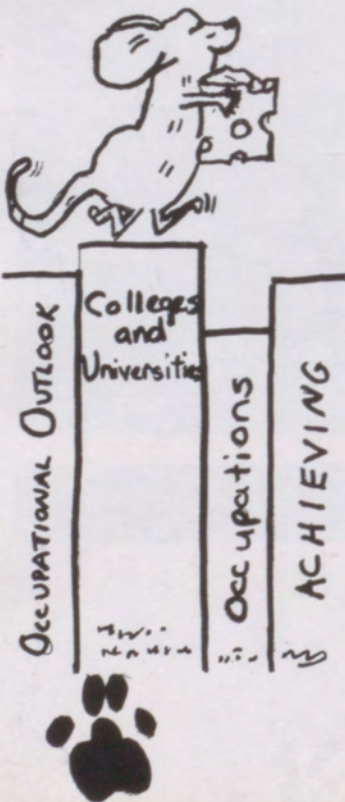
Mr. Frank Sicks, Athletic Director.

Guidance Counselors aided students



The Guidance Counselors at Independence High School, Paul Fairbank and Marolyn Elliot, are very helpful dealing with enrollment and class scheduling. The variety of activities and the kids are what they seem to enjoy most about their jobs. This year they are going to contact more students on academic problems. The hardest problem they have to deal with is when students and parents have conflicts.

Mr. Fairbank received his education at Dodge City Community College, Fort Hays State University and Emporia State University. Mrs. Hardy attended Missouri Southern and Pittsburg State University.



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McGuire (2)
Juanita Car-
penter (3) Ann
Schwatken (4)
Sandra Craig
(5) Mavis
Jones (6)
Donna Payne





Mr. Tom Stockebrand retired from teaching this year to pursue a new career. Mr. Stockebrand has been in the Independence school district for thirty-one years as a teacher. Stockebrand graduated from Kansas State University and received his Masters degree from Pittsburg State University. He has done additional graduate work at Emporia State University, Colorado State and Indiana University.

His college career was interrupted by the second World War. Mr. Stockebrand was a pilot in the war and was involved in combat operations in Europe. Following the war, he remained in the army reserves until just a few years ago when he discontinued this work. Stockebrand has been working in the area of biology at the high school level for many years. Prior to this, he taught in the area of agriculture. This biology teacher hated to leave his position because he did enjoy teaching and found it to be rewarding. Mr. Stockebrand and his wife, who teaches at the junior college, live south of Independence. They are the proud parents of two children. Mr. and Mrs. Stockebrand enjoy traveling—having recently gone to Hawaii, Europe, and last summer to Greece. Mr. Stockebrand is enjoying his present occupation. He was ready for a new challenge. I.H.S. is grateful to Mr. Tom Stockebrand for always providing us with the finest education possible.

I.H.S. gives special recognition

Mr. Frank Sicks retired this year after being in the education field for thirty-seven years. In 1940 Mr. Sicks started his teaching career in Osborn Kansas. He taught biology and boys' and girl's physical education. He was also the coach of all sports at Osborn. Sicks then left Osborn and traveled to Hiland Park in Topeka where he coached football, basketball and track. Mr. Sicks' next assignment was to be a P.E. teacher at Kansas State for one year. After Kansas State Sicks went into the Army Medical Corps for two years.

In 1946 Mr. Sicks came to Independence and held the following titles over the years:

1. Head basketball coach
2. Assistant Junior College coach.
3. Head golf coach for college and high school.
4. Head Junior College football coach.
5. Head Junior College track coach.
6. Physical Education teacher
7. Athletic Director for the high school and Junior College.
8. Taught all men's P.E. for the high school and Junior College.
9. Vice Principal for the high school.
10. Activity Director for the entire district.

In his many years here in Independence and his many occupations, Sicks enjoyed teaching Physical Education the most. He found self-satisfaction in seeing students improve and being in close contact with the students. He felt proud when students would come back over the years to thank him for the help and development he gave them. Sicks is grateful to be a part of I.H.S. and is proud of the national and state honors the school has received over the years. Mr. Sicks and his wife, who is a social worker, have three children, David, Allan and Rosemary, who attended school in Independence. Sicks plans to travel and spend time with his children and grandchildren. Frank Sicks is quite a special man. He will be missed at I.H.S. and will always remain in our fondest memories.



Connie Baird - English. The exciting Science Fiction movies, Star Wars and Close Encounters of the Third Kind.

Peggy Courtney - Home Economics. The changing styles and rock music.

Charles Belt-Printing. The birth of my granddaughter Mindy.

Charles Daneke - Industrial Education. Peaceful desires as illustrated by ending the Vietnam War and settling Arab - Israeli differences in the Middle East, although 79' will decide whether the 70's were successful.

Keith Confer-English and Debate. I remember 400 cubic inch engines.

Walter Emmot - American Government. Dealing with school - students seemed to demonstrate less discipline. Dealing with the state - industrialization of South East Kansas has helped the unemployment problem.

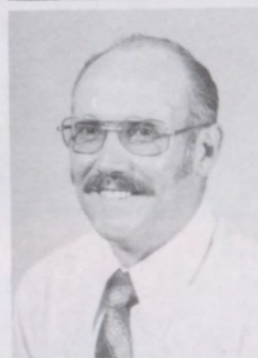


Teachers were a special part of IHS



Don Farthing, Instrumental Music
"The dust storms; the good times"

Charles Gann, Science
"The olympics, going to Vietnam, the eclipse"



Vince Gill, Special Education
"Coffeyville vs. Independence, double overtime"

Lloyd E. Harding, Chemistry and Physics
"Coming here in '69, and working with the students. It has been very enjoyable"



Jerry Hart, Social Science
"Winning the State Championship"

Jim Hogan, Industrial Education
"The good times, like when Dave Torbett was a teacher and I was a student"

Teachers remembered their food



Teachers remembered their good times of the Seventies



Bob Homer - "In 1970, my first son was born, in 1974 my second son was born, and #3 in 1976."

Freddie Nell Jayne - "Saw both oceans, and moved out to the High School."



Kathryn Kidd - "Inflation!"



Carole King - "High School Bicentennial activities rained out."

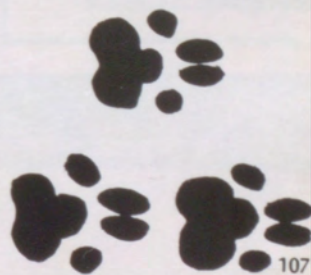


Jack King - "Tennis team won 7 S.E.K. championships in the '70's. Jeff born in 1975."



Wayne Landwehr - "Moved to Independence in the 1970's and have taught here ever since."





Teachers looked back as seventies ended

Time for a

 break!

Gary Manford-
 Chorus. "The little
 kids singing. The
 DeFrancos and the
 Osmond Family."

James Markle-
 Math. "The Agri-
 Business Rodeo."



Lou Ann Marshall-
 Art. "The drastic
 changes in Fashion.
 From one extreme
 to the other. Re-
 member mini
 skirts?"

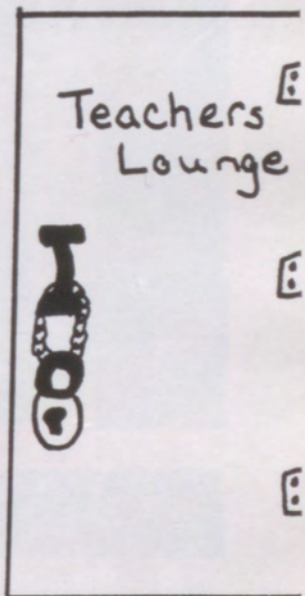
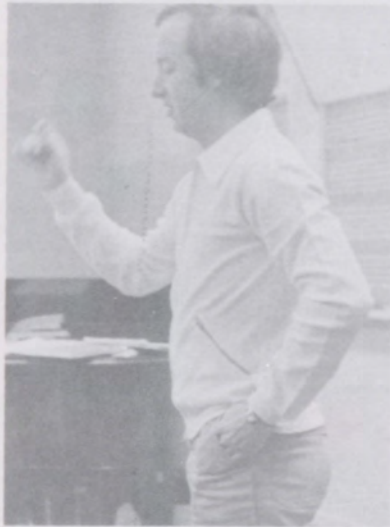
Larry Maskus-
 Business. "Definet-
 ly cheaper gas
 prices!"



Jackie McKenzie-
 Language Arts.
 "Proms!"

Annette McMillan-
 Physical Education.
 "Cheap gasoline in
 the early 70's. My
 college days."





A teacher's day is always something new



Larry Murdock Al-
ternative Education.
"I got married."



Dorothy Rockers
Special Education
"It's twice as fast
and has been twice
as much fun."



Donna Rothgeb
Work Experience
"It recalls for me
Nixon and Water-
gate, the birth of a
second son, the
move to Indepen-
dence, the solar ex-
clipse of the cen-
tury."



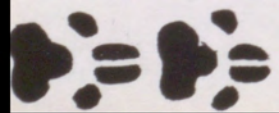
Thornton Shelton
Biology "Values and
Inflation"



Gloria Shire French
"My son, Eric, was
born."



Rocky Shire Span-
ish "The day I
stopped teaching
Russian to college
students and the day
I started teaching
Spanish to Junior
High students."





Teachers looked back on the 70's

Bill Singleton - Social Science. "Bulldogs winning State Championship. Oklahoma University winning two National Championships in a row."

Shirley Slater - Librarian. "Winning the State Basketball Championship."



Charles Smith - Mathematics. "My brother's fighting in the Vietnam War."

Linda Spencer - English. "The most important things in my life happened. I graduated from college, got a job, got married, and had two children."



Jack Thompson - Industrial Education. "Bulldogs winning state championship."

David Torbett - English and Journalism. "Vietnam War ending, Watergate, Nixon proving the constitution works, and President Ford restoring faith in American governments."





Students of the 50's became



Rachel Torbett -
English and Speech.
"Watergate."



William Trousie -
Art. "Watergate,
Nixon not quite im-
peached, and the
State Champion-
ships."



Shirlene Turner -
Home Economics.
"Moving from Los
Angeles to Indepen-
dence."



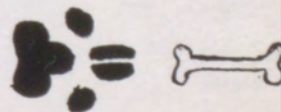
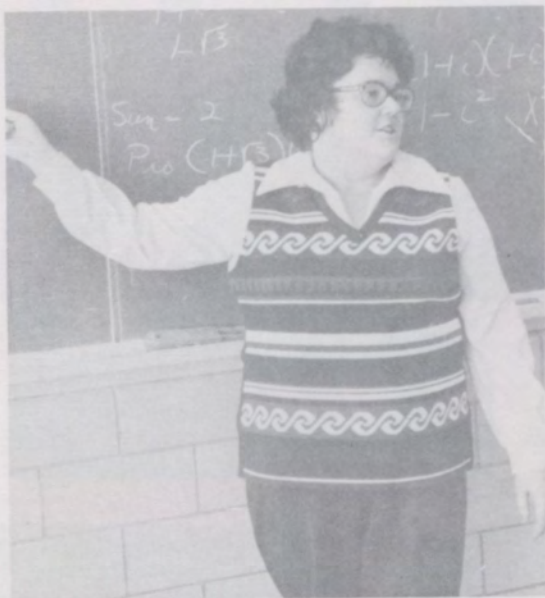
Juliana Wetter -
Business Education.
"Schoolwise, the
70's were years of
change and frustra-
tion."



Beverly Willis -
Algebra and Geom-
etry. "I finally got
my Masters."



Teachers of the 70's



Many worked behind the scenes



Each day the custodians and cafeteria workers provide indispensable services at IHS. The custodians are (1) Clarence Moore, (2) Ron Taylor, (3) Bill Dewey, and (4) Head Custodian Vernon McPheeters. The cafeteria workers are: Left to Right Front Row: Charlotte Winebrenner, Hatti Britt, Mary Taylor, Roger Wilson, Becky Bohr. Back Row: Leola Adams, Peggy Oliver, Helen Verge, Helen Bryant, Edna York, Peggy Harlin, Sallie Baret, Carol Loganbill, Alice Sundquist.



THE LAST
OF THE
70S

SENIORS



Kirk Aemisegger
Danny Andres



Charles Akins
Dana Arnold



Lori Alford
Melony Arnwine



Royce Altendorf
Greg Ashcraft



Kim Augustine
David Benhett



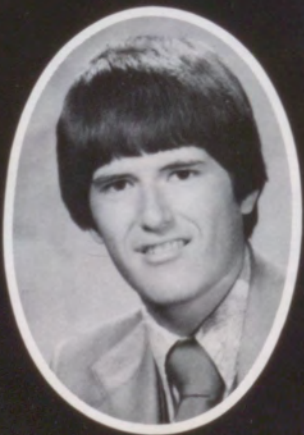
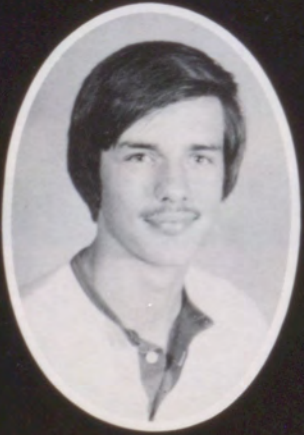
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Tom Blankinship



Sam Batman
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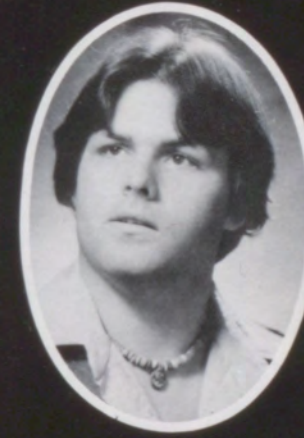
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Cathy Byrd



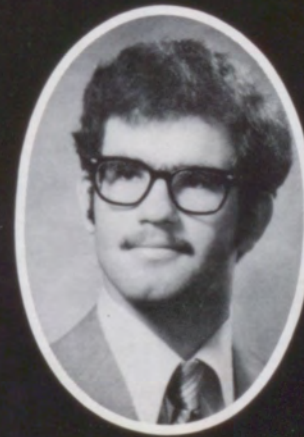
Loretta Buser
Jon Callison



Linda Bustos
Alan Carlyle



Troy Byer
James Cathcart





Jennifer Chambers
Debbie Cleland



Terry Chaput
Larry Clubine



Keith Clark
Tim Coats



Guy Clarkson
Trish Coder



Shannon Coffey
Bill Corle



Dora Contreras
Marc Craig



Jock Lynn Cook
Jan Daugherty



Tom Cook
Donna Davidson





Marla Davis
Rodney Duke



Ronnie Davis
Danny Dustman



Regina DeMoss
Ginny Dye



Judi Dennis
Kim Edgerle



Jeff Evans
Joe Foreman



Ken Evans
Kathy Foster



Sherri Favero
Stanley Gartner



Kirby Ferrell
Alan Gleue





Mike Gleue
Cynthia Green



Amy Goodman
Linda Griffin



Marty Grabham
Jaci Hafner



Jay Graves
Steve Harder



Jim Hare
Jon Herrmann



Garry Henderson
Becky Hester



Cynthia Henry
Joyce Hey



Diane Henson
George House





Lou Ann Houser
Debbie Jabben



John Huffman
Tammy Jackson



Shelly Hughes
Kent Jarvis



Connie Hull
Rhonda Jefferson



Gail Johnson
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Jay Juby
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Judy Kaiser
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Brian McGuire
Lisa Martin



Dena McKinney
Jack Martin





David Martinez
Dale Meadows



Ron Marx
David Meadows



Dennis Matthews
Becky Miessler



Mike May
Mark Milacek



Tracy Miller
Lisa Murray



David Mills
Frank Musgrove



Phillip Mills
Paula Newmaster



Mike Mothershed
Teri Nordberg





Paula Pankey
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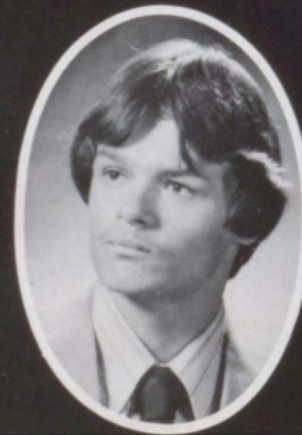
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Jeff Richardson
Joan Rockers



Lynn Rodrick
Greg Royse



Debbie Root
Laura Sage



Pat Routh
Rick Sargent



Jeana Ross
Debby Saunders





Steven Schenck
Rob Shawger



Chris Schicke
Lisa Sherwood



Sonja Schwatken
Doug Shobe



Nancy Scott
Jennifer Simmons



Debbie Sitton
Steve Smith



Susan Sloop
Victor Smith



Tim Smading
Wesley Smith



Linda Smith
John Smoot





Tony Somora
Gerald Stelting



Teresa Spradlin
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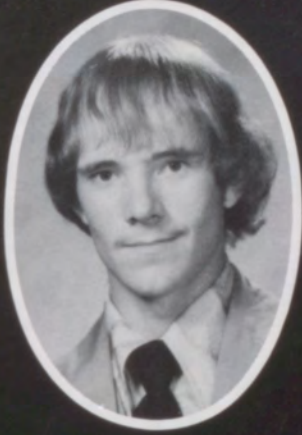
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Tom Wittum



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Barbara Martin
Jeanette Fontes
Alvina McCoy
Susan Potter
Joe Redman
Blanche Robinson
Mary Spalding
Karla Waggoner
Carla Waggoner



Joan Rockers "Fizzy" Lari Axford "Wizzy" Marcus G. Craig
 Cindy Mann "Dizzy" Jill EVANS Jan Williams Kathy Foster
 Mary Ann John Rodrick
 Eric "Worshiping" Doug Ashcraft John Steve "Ed" Smith
 "Rudy" Rhonda Blacken (Rizzo) Rene Dunman (Sandra Dee)
 Rebecca Z. Hertz Melody LeRoy Rick Sargent "Moon" Alan (Hulk) Lynn Rodrick
 Miss Paula Newmaster Mike May
 Rhonda Stew Roark Debbie Palmer Mike
 Cheryl Leonard Denise Price Carlisle
 "Shirley" Tracy Miller Debi (dimples) Don
 Tracey David Brown Ron Mary
 "Sunball" Gracy Miller Tom Paul
 Paula Newmaster Robin Wahlenman Becky Viets
 Mike May Staci Pallock Henry
 Debbie Palmer Darryl Stromberg Juanita Pouncil Debby Saunders Tom A. Blumharts Chris Reddy Douglas Kinch #60
 Mike Cindy Henry

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Alvina McCoy

Cindy Bechtle

Judi Dennis "Darla"

Del Meadows USMC

Linda

John Dunbar

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Cheryl Pollock

Susan Sloop

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Chris Schilo (SHWLP)

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Steve Wilson (Toga)

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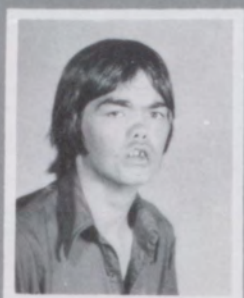
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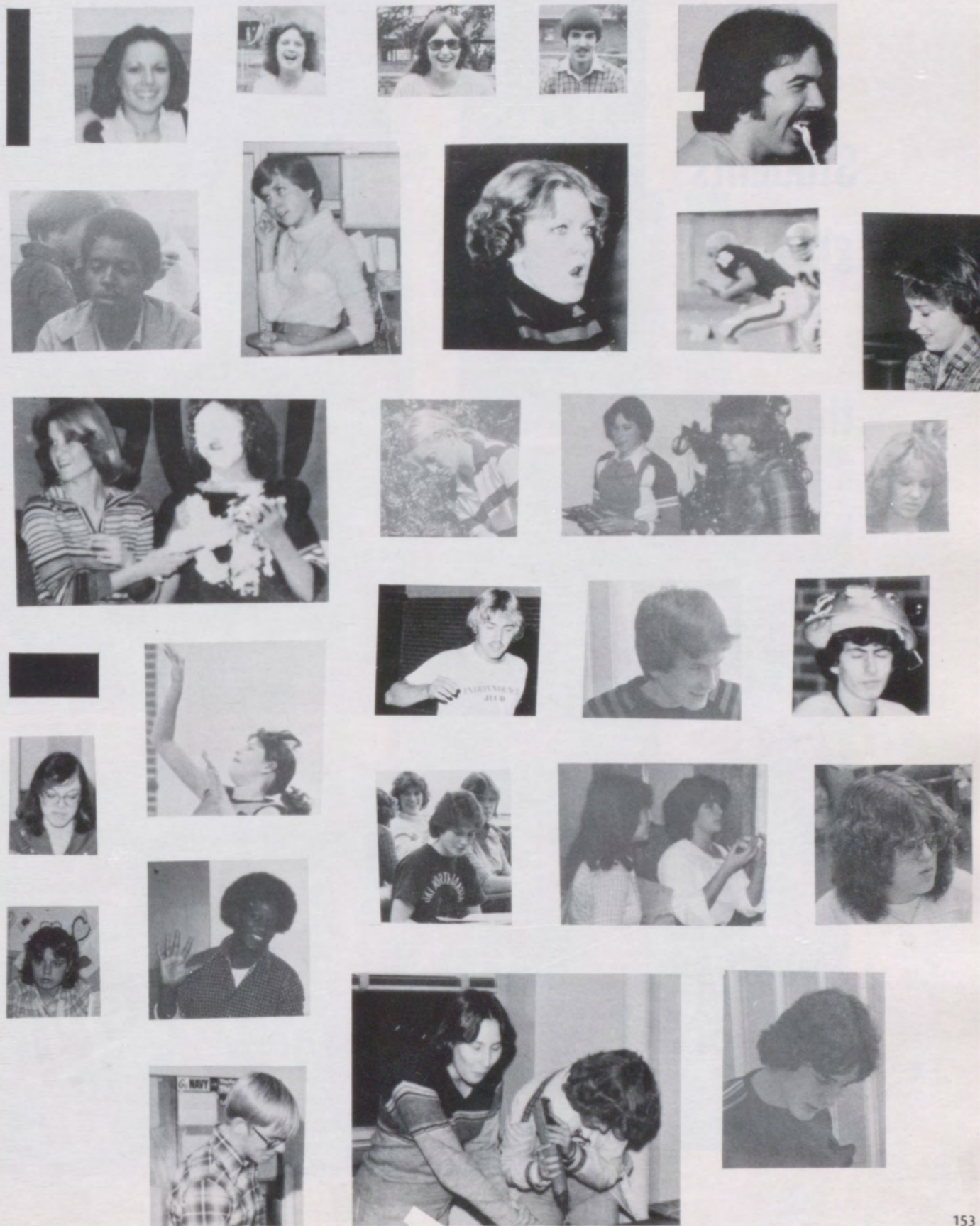
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The Faces of 1979 looked like this



Students
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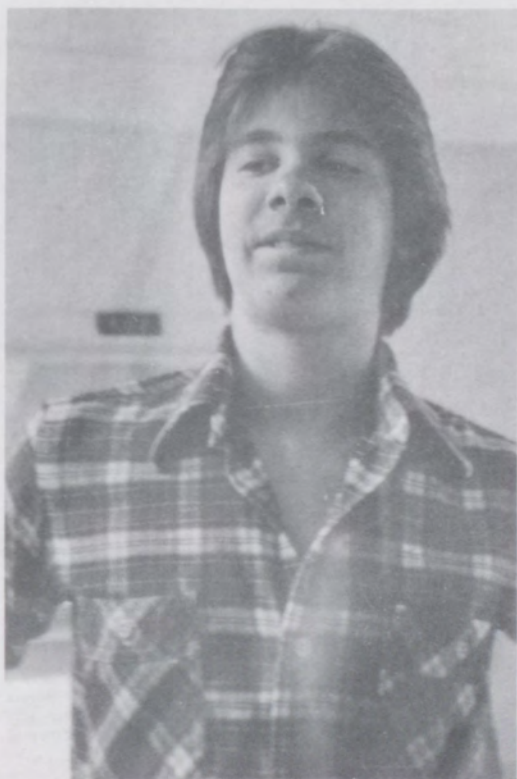


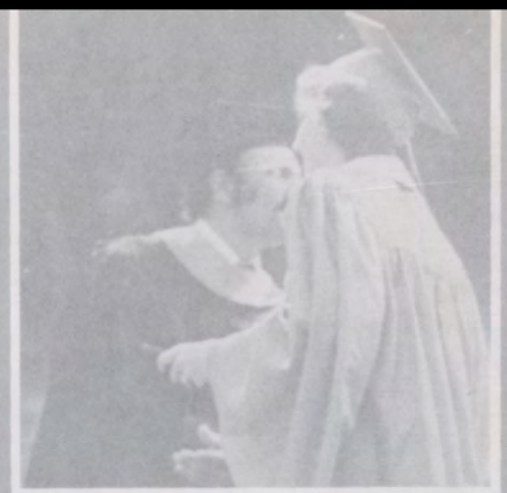
Students busy on the



Students hung on till Friday







Seniors said good-bye

Valedictory Addresses-

Lisa Martin-

"We can conquer ... First know where the rocks are and second, prepare for life's experiences When your tassel has been moved, you're on your way."

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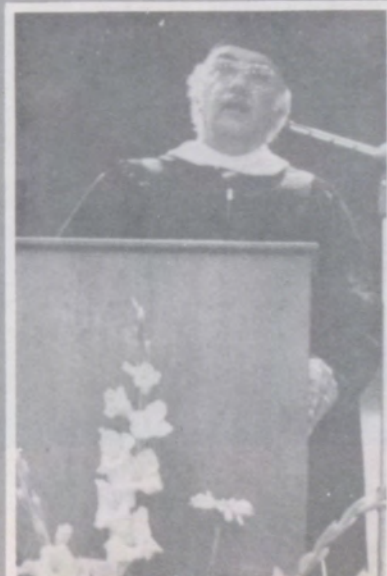
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Life comes, like the sunrise,
slowly but surely bringing with it
the dawn of a beautiful new day.

Life's moments pass with each
tick of the clock as the hands of
time turn past love, life and
friendship.

Birds sing, children play, flowers
bloom and the sun, bright and
magnificent, shines on all God's
creations.

All too soon the day ends and
the sun sets, but only to rise again
in another place and time.

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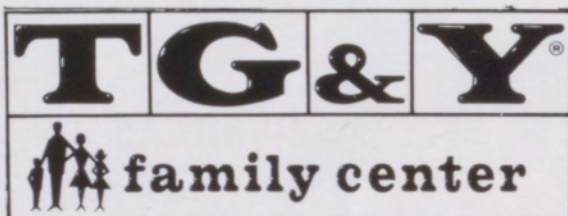
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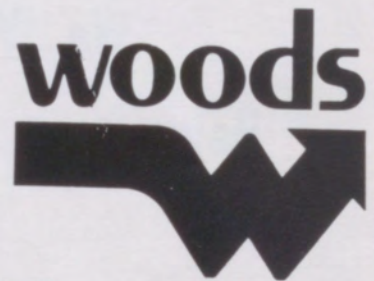


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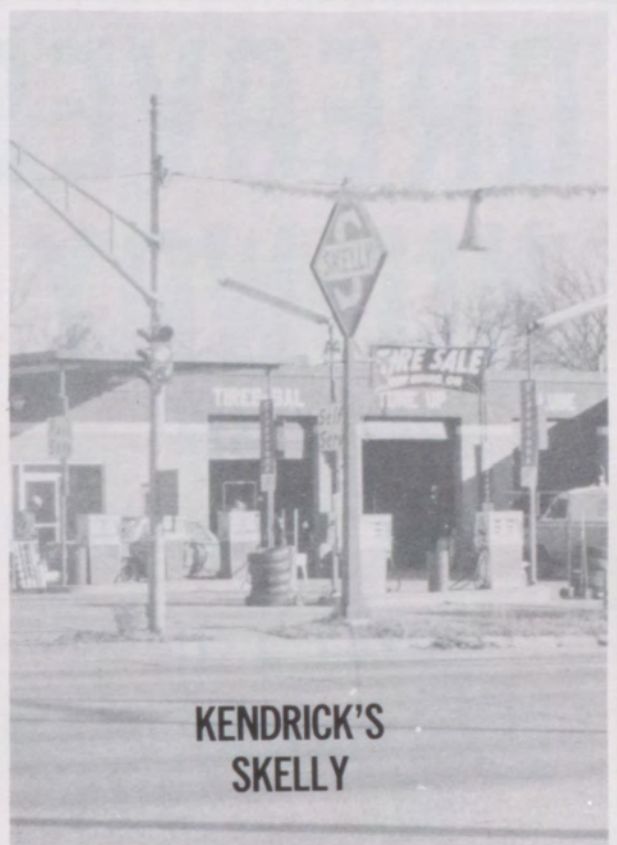
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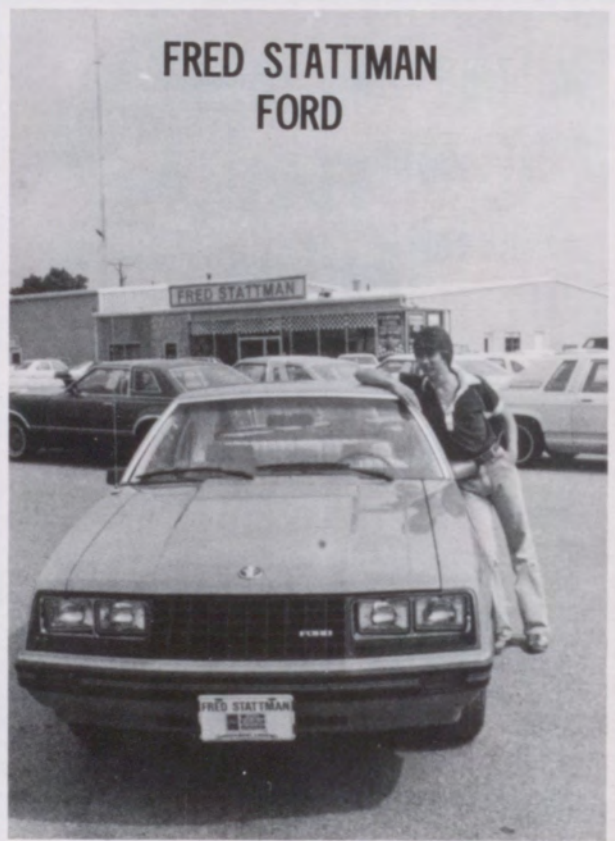
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The 1979 school year — the last of the seventies — has drawn to an end. Another class has graduated; another will move up to take its place. We have shared many experiences together — some good, some not so good. We hope that this yearbook will help you retain those memories.

The Yearbook Staff

