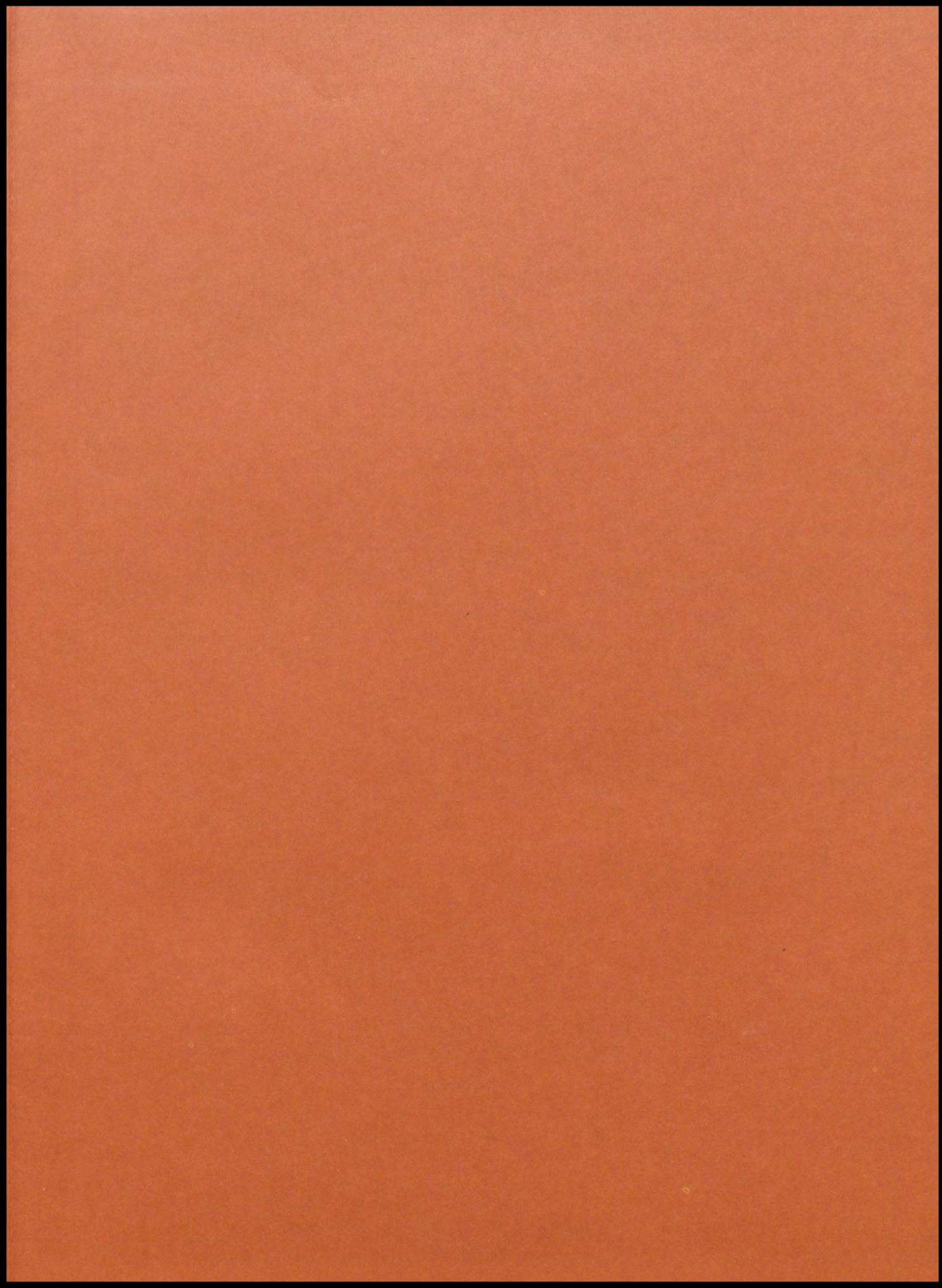
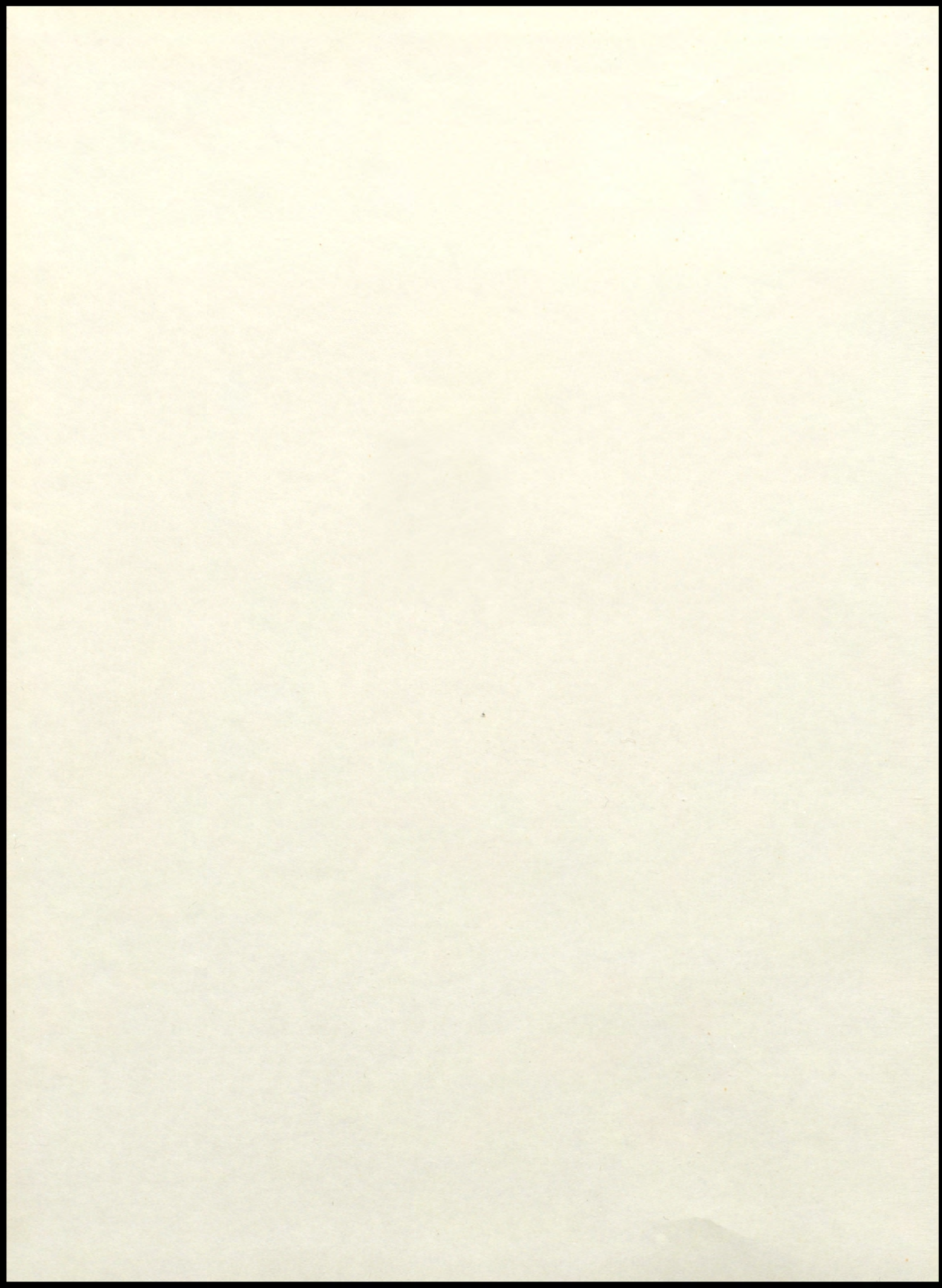


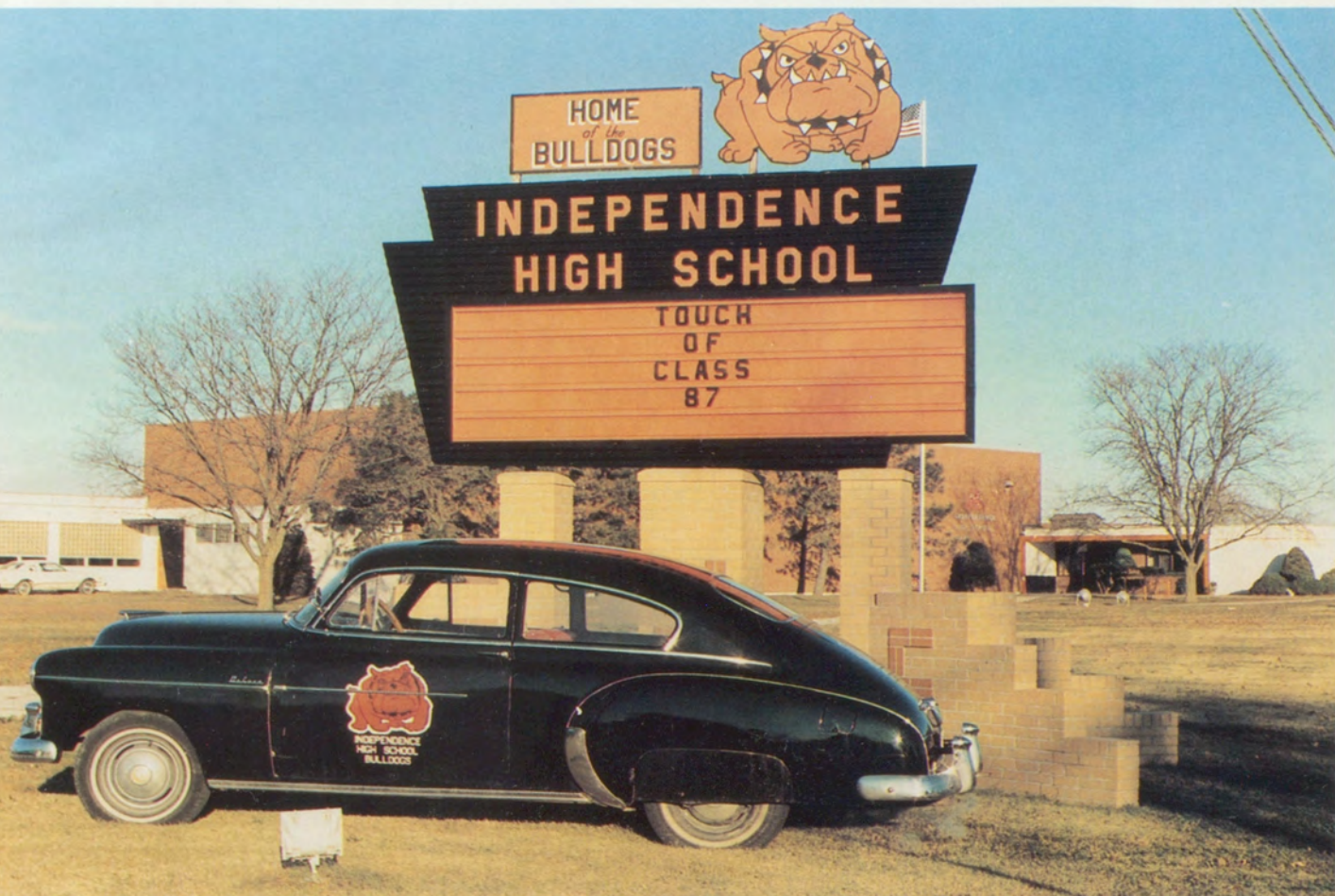
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HAS THE TOUCH

Neewollah 86 *Has The HCUOT*



(Above left) Jennifer Council, senior, concentrates while bowing her cello creating the music of "Le Cygne" in the foreground of her original paintings. (Above right) While looking stunningly handsome, the 1986 Neewollah escorts helped to provide a smooth running pageant. The 1986 escorts were, from left to right, John Fitzpatrick, David Rothgeb, Joel Chambers and Dale Reynolds, seniors.

(Above) The queen and her court show their smiles of excitement after the Neewollah coronation Tuesday night, October 28, at Memorial Hall. The category winners are LaVera Johnson, Miss Congeniality; Stacey Empson, Miss Poise; Janie Hartwig, Coffeyville, Miss Originality and Miss Congeniality; Faith Palmer, second runner-up and Miss Talent; Missy Housel, Queen Neelah XLV; Cindi Burck, first runner-up; Carol Strecker, Miss Beauty; Gina Boulanger, Miss Photogenic; Leigh Miller, Miss Fashion; and Felicia Barbera, Miss Personality.

The classical night for the 33 queen Neelah Neewollah candidates was set with the magical theme of "Could This Be Magic?" on Thursday, October 28. Preparation for the candidates started on September 7, when they each entered a personal biography giving special interests about themselves. The contestants had various socials to help prepare for the magical night. Talent presentations of three minutes each were presented on Monday, October 27.

Pageant activities continued with a motorcade to Memorial Hall for the crowning of Queen Neelah. Mistress of ceremonies, Jill Elmore Patton, conducted the pageant while entertaining the crowd with various musical vocals. Queen Neelah the XLV, Missy Housel, was crowned and her court announced to the audience full of cheers and applause. "I had set out goals when I entered," said Miss Housel.



As the smoke clears and the jaffle stand has packed up, everyone in Independence feels the "touch" of Neewollah.



(Top right) Mistress of ceremonies, Jill Elmore Patton starts off the coronation with "I'm so Excited", as the candidates stand in anticipation (Far left) Missy Housel, senior, feels "sure" as she waves to the crowd during the Neewollah Grand Parade on Saturday, November 1. (Above) Neelah Debs perform "Old Black Magic" during the coronation. (Left) Dana Mills, senior, shows her talent twirling her flag to the pop hit, "Sussudio".

87' Touch



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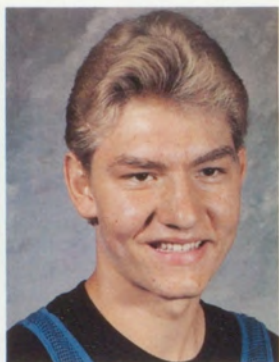
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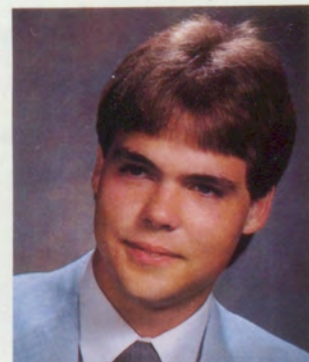
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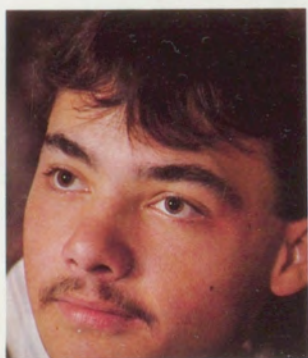




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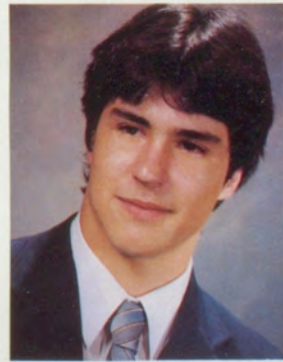
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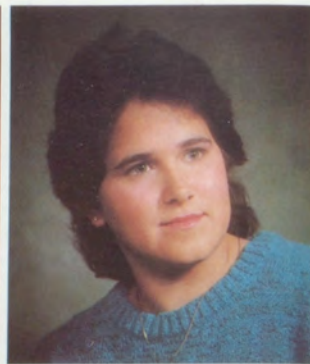
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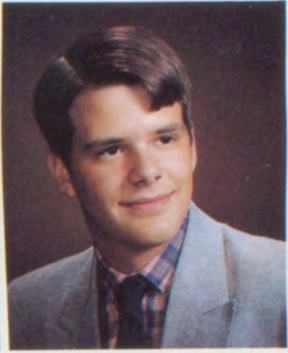


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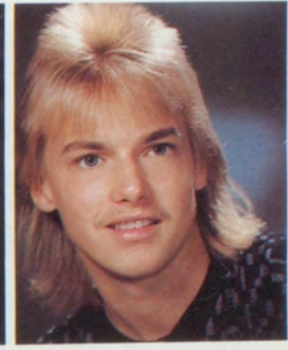




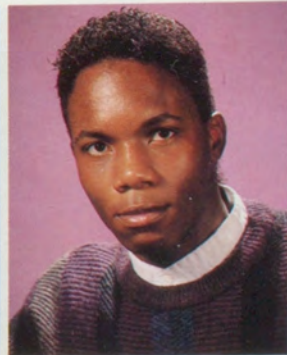
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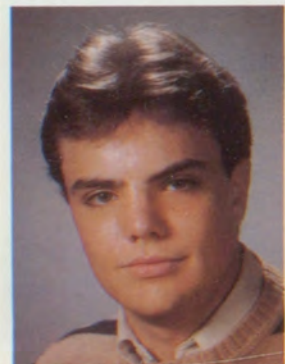
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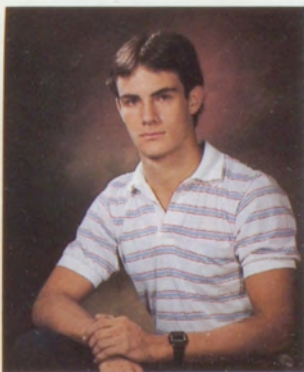




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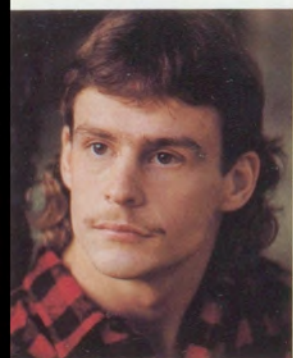
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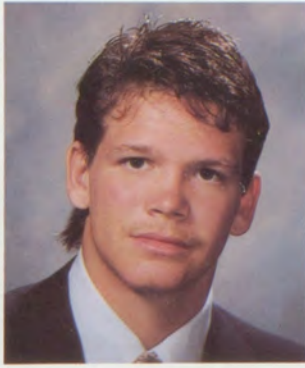


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1. Best Dressed: Joel Chambers and Shari Swearingen. Best Looking: Carol Strecker and Robert Richardson. 2. Most Athletic: Kathy Hellen and Todd Layton. Most Spirited: Bruce Hurford and Cindi Burck. 3. Best Smile: David Davidson and Amy Taylor. Friendliest: Dale Reynolds and Tamara Miller. 4. Straightest Arrow: Kirt Leyda and Dana Beaver. Best Couple: Faith Palmer and Tyler Higgins. Biggest Flirt: John Fitzpatrick and Leigha Hawkins. 5. Best Car: Stacey Empson and Roger Rutland. Worst Driver: Heather Fromong and B.J. Trouskie. Best Cruiser: Dana Mills and Greg Ferguson. 6. Best Personality: Roger Rutland and Michelle Duran. 7. Most Disorganized: Kate Claus and Jim Zemlock. Most Gullible: Sheryl Rood, Guy Earle and Rene Neeley.



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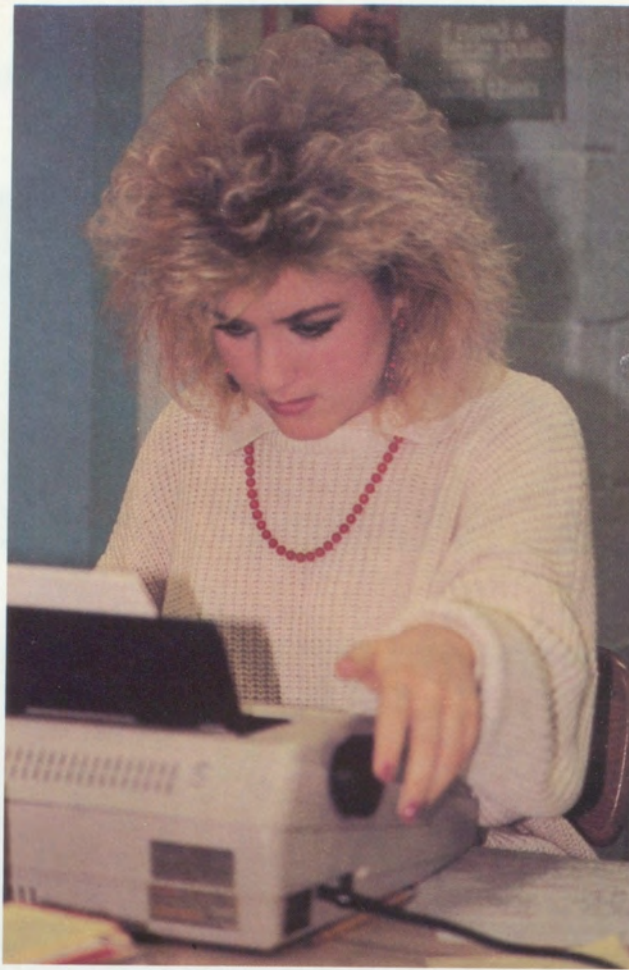


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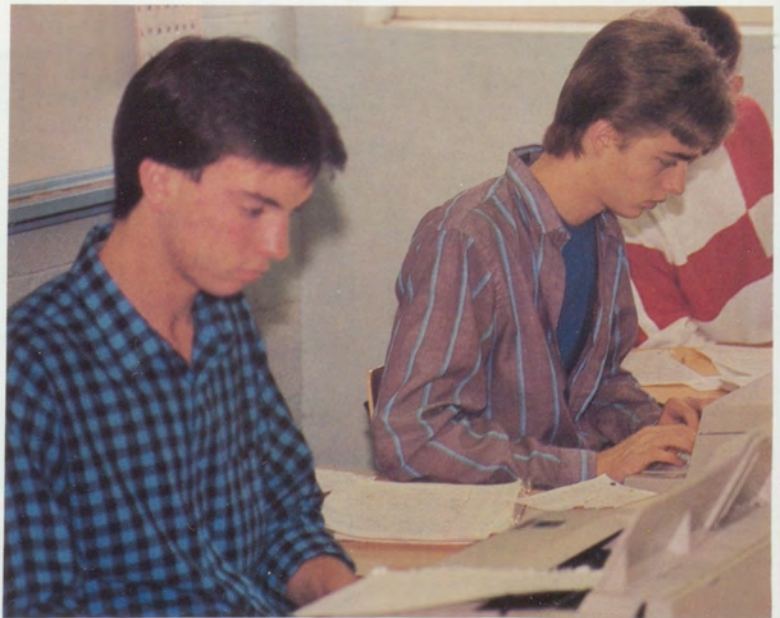




Tyler Higgins jams on his pre-calc problems during Doc's torture class.



Hey, where's the liquid paper? is yelled many times by Jennifer Wright during Senior English.



LEFT: John Fitzpatrick points out what he thinks is a good idea to Linda Spencer in Senior English. ABOVE: Senior English seems to be the popular typewriting activity for Scott Henderson & David Rothgeb.

The Class Of 1987 Has The Touch

Remember back in our freshman year when we couldn't wait to be seniors? We looked forward to senior pictures, being the oldest in the school, being measured for cap and gown and knowing it was only a matter of time when our diplomas were safely in our hands. Well we made it! But before we reached the stage at Commencement Exercises on May 24, we had a lot of obstacles we had to conquer.

Our first and most difficult was fulfilling the requirements needed for graduation. Every senior needed 21 credits of various classes in order to graduate, with each taking Senior English and Government this school year. However, the scariest part of our senior year is planning for our future. What will we do after graduation? Do we go on to college? Do we go get a job? What we decide to do after graduation will most likely affect us for the rest of our lives. This is a big decision and may take time to be decided. But it doesn't matter if our goal is to attend college, work right after high school or to even become a housewife. All that matters is that we reach the goal we set for ourselves. However, we should not forget the senior year traditions. Sitting in the foyer, wearing our class shirts, showing everyone we're the "best" class to pass through these halls are just some of the senior traditions. So we didn't win the pop soap game. Who cares? We didn't. We got cheated in the hall decorations contest during spirit week, when we only got second place. We didn't want to win anyway. We don't care if we win contests. We, ourselves, know we are a "unique" and "special" class in our own way. Our class is "unique" because each individual in our class is his own person. We like to do things to set us aside from anyone else. We all want to leave a little bit of ourselves behind. We are "special" because we have all made it together. Some of us met back in the first grade, some of us met in middle school and some of us met only just in high school. But in the end, we have all made it together and that's what counts.

We are the class with the touch. We have the touch to do anything we want. We all have the Touch of Class.

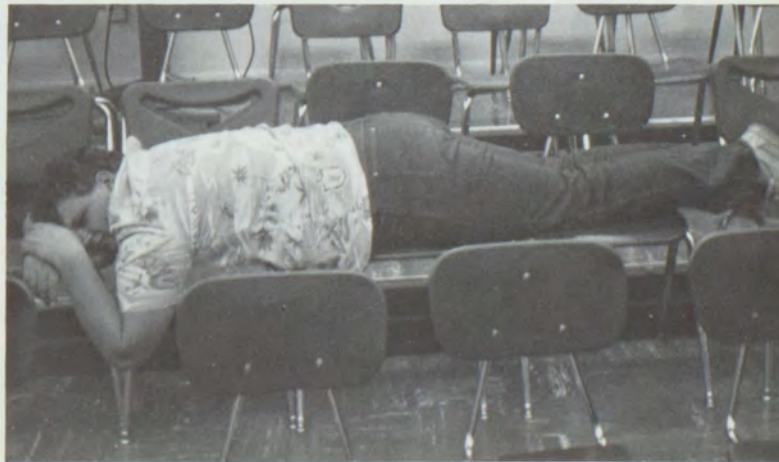


Senior Class officers for the class of eighty-seven are Faith Palmer, Vice-President; Amy Randles, Secretary; Kathy Hellen, Treasurer; Joel Chambers, President.



Left: Is it David or Darling? Senior David Davidson shows he's for Women's Lib as he shows off his latest dress at school.

Right: Senior Rob Fann takes time out of his busy schedule to take a short nap to recover from "Senior Stress."



An Irreverent Look at a Most Colorful Year



TOP FIVE MOVIES

Platoon
Nightmare On Elm Street 3
Color of Money
Lethal Weapon
Top Gun

TOP FIVE SONGS

Livin' on a Prayer
Fight for Your Right (to party)
Lean On Me
Stuck With You
Crush On You

SPORTS

NFL- Giants vs. Broncos
Baseball- Mets vs. Boston Red Sox
NCAA- UNLV vs. Indiana
Sugar Ray Leonard vs. Marvin Hagler
Wimbledon- Boris Becker
Hanna Mandlikova

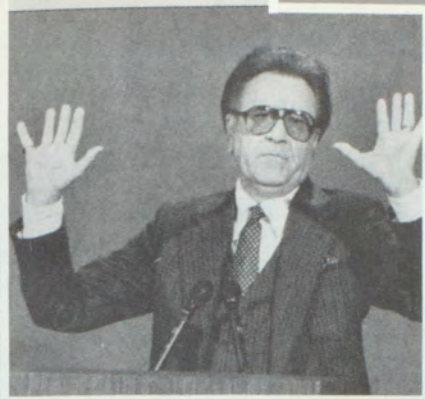
TELEVISION

Cosby Show
Family Ties
Moonlighting
60 Minutes
Joan Rivers Show

1986-87 ECONOMICS

GAS- \$.79/gallon
MOVIE- \$3.75
REEBOK'S- \$45.00
GUESS JEANS- \$48.00
LAZER TAG- \$50.00
Case COORS LIGHT- \$11.00
Large PIZZA - \$12.00
BLIZZARD- \$1.42
COKE- \$.58
BLOW POP- \$.15

PLATOON
Viet Nam... It Really Was



To gain funds for the City of Faith, Oral Roberts fasted in his 200-ft-tall glass and steel spire on the Oral Roberts University campus. He had a week-long deadline and was saved by a 1.3 million dollar donation from Jerry Collins, a dog racer from Sarasota, Florida. Roberts stayed up for a short time to earn the needed eight million dollars. He said that he would have to raise this kind of money from now on to fund his Medical Center and the University.



As the last term of President Ronald Reagan winds down, he was faced with much controversy. At the beginning of the year he thought he wanted to run for a third term. Many thought that it was a terribly wrong idea but a few thought he might be able to pull it off. Until the Iran-Contra ordeal. The President was accused of diverting funds from the sale of nuclear arms to aiding the Contras in Nicaragua. The tower commission was called upon to find out what was actually going on. They published their findings on March 1st for the public to read.



Teen Suicide

Every ninety minutes in America, a young person commits suicide. What's the reason for such a widespread sense of despair? What can we, as teenagers, do to help a friend of ours in trouble?

Teenagers, their parents, and suicide experts are in a hurry to find answers, but research is frustrating because there is no reason why some people take their own lives and there is no "type" of teenager who chooses suicide. To me, suicide is not a disease; it is not contagious like a common cold, although a publicized suicide may nudge an already troubled and suicidal individual over the dark edge. Half of America's teenagers consider suicide by the time they graduate from high school, merely because of a breakup of a lover, the loss of a job, or bad grades.

Suicide is a permanent solution to a temporary problem.



AIDS Becomes a Political Issue

Seniors Need Each Other To Lean On

Hold on to the Moment

*Single file and yet together
We have shared our greatest days
And we carry common memories
In different ways*

*Though we don't know where we're
going
We will cherish where we've been
I want to cry
I want to shout . . .
Want to let this feeling out*

*Hold on to the moment
Let the feeling show
Hold on to the moment
Never let it go.*

*I can picture us together
With my arms around my friends
Just let me hold on to this moment.
Before it ends.
There was laughter. There were
tears.
Through the dozen golden years.*



1) Greg Ferguson, concentrates on his drafting ability during Mr. Knoles' third hour. 2) "Don't take my picture," said Bridgett Kennedy, as she delivers notes for the office. 3) Mike Hare, Kurt Meeks, and Jeff Smith await for the weekend assignment during Linda Spencer's English. 4) Watching her figure. Missy Hoag sips on a diet coke during break, while catching up on the weekend happenings.





1) "Did you hear about?" Cindi Burck, Faith Palmer, and Perri Worminton share the "latest" senior gossip during break. 2) Alex Lamendola is caught without a hall pass and soon finds out she'll be in behavior clinic for the fifth time.



3) David Davidson, Scott Henderson, and Jerry Ledford discuss the plans for spring break and where they are going to set up camp. 4) Lance Rinck, Buddy Grossman, and Gerald Rice listen during an English lecture over vocabulary.

Doughnuts, Pop, And Chips We're Breakin'

"Did you here about John and Mary this weekend? He told her he needed his freedom and dumped her for a blond bombshell from out of town right there in Hardees."

"Well, I heard that she dumped him for Jack. She just passed him a note in English and said she had went cruising with Jack while he was at the game and knew it was over for them."

If this conversation sounds familiar, you've definitely been walking down the halls of IHS. Although, break time is usually associated with doughnuts, pop, chips, and crackers, gossip rules the halls. The latest cars, sports news, haircuts, fashions, and romances are the hottest issues at hand.

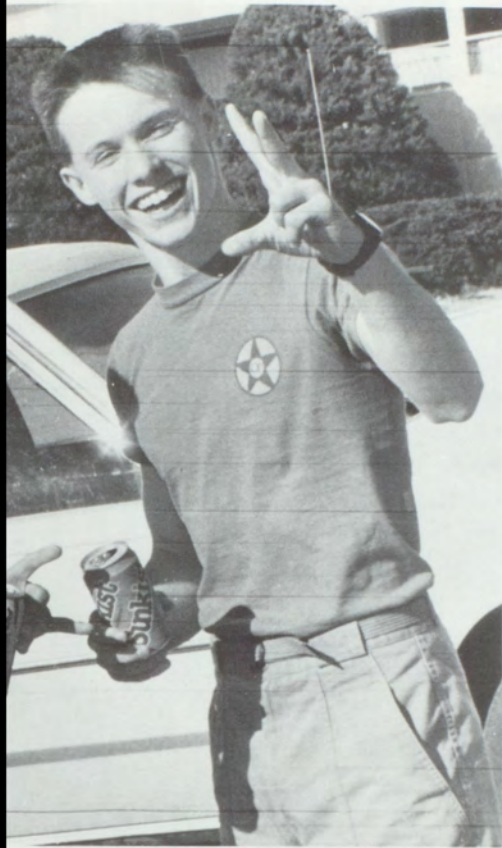


ABOVE LEFT: After making her selection, Jamie Ohl, senior, reaches for her A&W Root Beer during break time. FAR RIGHT: Rob Fann, senior, eyes the doughnut tray before break begins as he prepares to sell doughnuts for SCF. RIGHT: Lonny Hugo, junior, prefers Coke to wash down his chocolate long-john before the bell rings.

BELOW: Jason Clarke, freshman, better known as "Mad Dog", and Neil Barnes freshman, are caught in the parking lot during break conversing over their favorite "soda." LEFT: Twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, is the count made by Corey Lewis, junior, as he finishes up doughnut sales.

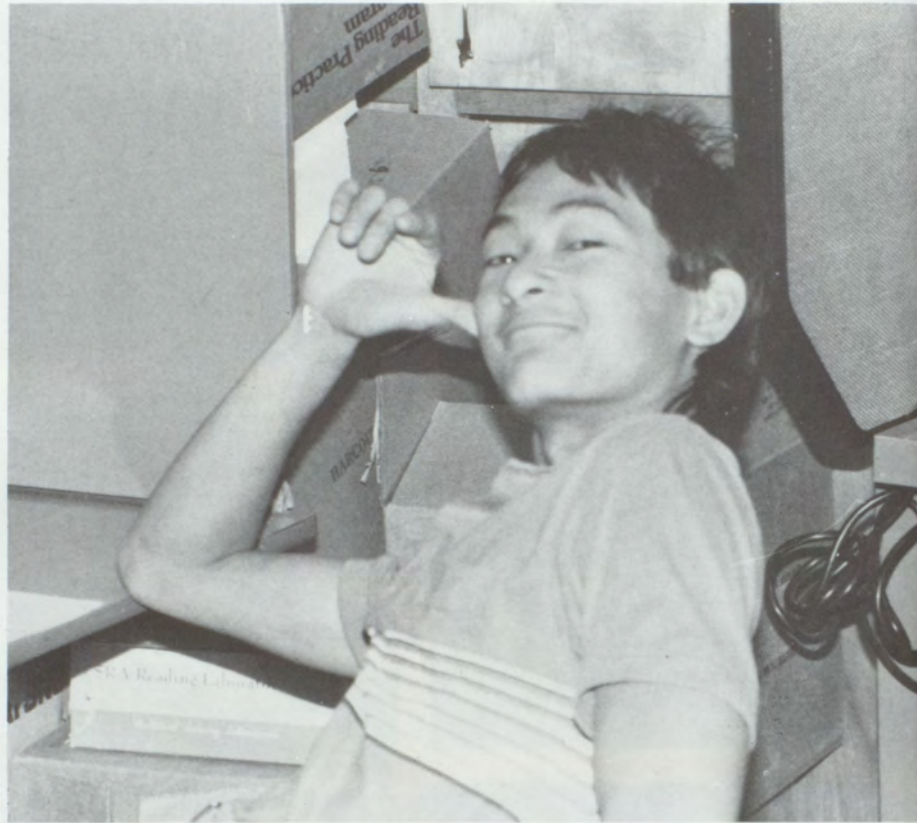


ABOVE: Shelly Nelson, junior, and Matt Weeks, junior, share the responsibility of selling doughnuts together and the money box safely back to the office. LEFT: J.J. Hight, junior, and Gayla Jones, junior, wait patiently in line at the vending machine to get the cheese nips before they are all gone.



Touch Of Class

Seniors Are Unique



ABOVE: Hammering out the dents in his brass bowl, Mark Blumer finishes his project in Bill Trousie's Jewlery II Class. ABOVE RIGHT: Looking smug after receiving the results of his latest reading assignment, Mike Mah, takes a breather in Developmental Reading. RIGHT: Verifying their obvious strength, Leigh Miller and Shari Swearingen arrange tables in the new cafeteria for the French/Latin Club dance April 10.

It is said from individualism comes unity, and no where can one find more individualism than within this year's senior class. Certain standards set the senior class apart from the rest.

Being a senior means . . .

Starving before setting foot inside the Dog House.

Studying a vast amount of vocabulary words, compliments of Mrs. Spencer.

Performing arm-stretching exercises for Mr. Emot's competitive sweepstakes.

Totally dominating the "all school" foyer.

Sweetening demanding class schedule with cooking classes.

Obtaining front row auditorium seats which allow seniors to see the stage without the aid of binoculars.

Wearing shirts that take the faculty awhile to understand.





Enjoying the light refreshing coolness of an I.B.C.
 Being old enough to remember when heat days were used.
 Doing community volunteer logs for the entire semester in one day.
 Laughing at teachers who threaten to retain your diploma when you have enough credits already.
 Graduating with Mr. Sink.
 Causing the extinction of the long lunch hour.
 Having a -"Wild Pig"- not referring to a cheerleader.
 Losing four consecutive years at the Pop Game, creating our class motto-

"We lost AGAIN".
 Learning about the Free Enterprise System, not through JA, but through the selling of notes and tests.

LEFT: Finding his steady hand an essential tool in Jewlery II, Lance Rinck casts wax to construct his ring. CENTER LEFT: Preparing for one of Doc's excruciating physics lectures, Paul Rice kicks back to enhance his listening pleasure. BELOW CENTER, Wearing the latest fashion in safety wear, Warren Satchel zealously forges a brass bowl in Jewlery II. BOTTOM LEFT: Skimming through the pages in search of the answer, Shannon Clark finishes her Botany/Zoology assignment. BOTTOM: Concentrating on the curves, Rick Rigney practices his calligraphy in Design.



Let's Morp

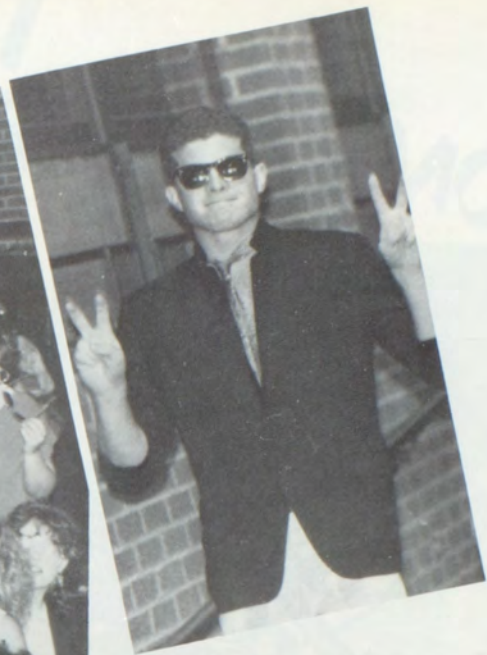


Joel Chambers, senior, Roger Rutland, senior, Shane Schabel, senior, Billy Johnson, junior, and B.J. Trouskie, senior, gather for a moment to show off their Morp outfits. Below: "Hey look at me!" Susan Pierce, freshman, and Matt Gordon, sophomore, prove that underclassmen can catch that Morp spirit too.

Jam's, sunglasses, t-shirts, and boxer shorts filled the gym, as the 1987 Morp dance began. The gym looked its usual Morp self, with toilet paper and trash strung from corner to corner. The air-band contest was heated as always with two jammin' bands competing. Stephanie Norton, Stacey Norton, Geri K. Hart, Wendy Beckmann, Kim Fitzpatrick, Jiffy Humbolt, and Jose Williams entertained the crowd with their version of "Lean On Me" while seniors Michelle Duran, Carol Strecker, Faith Palmer, Leigha Hawkins, and Melody Winford stole the show with their winning "Mony, Mony" dance. Senior Roger Rutland was crowned Morp king while clad in a toilet lid and sombrero. He won this honor after beating out worthy opponents Ben Eastep, freshman candidate; Jeff Lee, sophomore candidate; and Lonny Hugo, junior candidate. King Rutland was given his own song and dance partner as the crowd cheered him and Jennifer Wright, senior, on to their solo dance of "What You Need" by INXS. The annual dance was held Friday, March 27 and was sponsored by Stuco. Versions of "Louie, Louie", "Shout" and other crowd pleasers kept the gym rockin' the whole evening long. Let's Morp!!!



Let the good times rock and roll. Jim O'Shields, sophomore, and Crystal Furnas, a sophomore, enjoy the music, dancing, and each others company at the dance.



Above: King Rutland parades for his fans. Top right: Tyler Higgins, senior, has got it together. Right: David Davidson, senior, Jennifer Wright, senior, Roger Rutland, senior, Leigha Hawkins, senior, Billy Johnson, junior, John Fitzpatrick, senior, Perri Wormington, senior, Gina Boulanger, senior, and Michelle Duran, senior, prove that friendships last. Jenna Rathjen, sophomore, and Amy Begue, freshman, join in on the fun. Seniors Christy Bennett, Mark Melton, and Lara Bobbitt also shown.



Let's Morp

PROM



1987

Steppin' Out on Broadway



The highlight of everyone's high school year was "Steppin' Out on Broadway," the theme for the 1987 prom. The Junior class under Susan Main, sponsor, presented the prom on May 16 from 8:30-11:30 at the Civic Center. The tickets began sale May 4, \$3.00 for single and \$5.00 couple. The senior class was presented with a complimentary ticket along with an invitation.

A new tradition was started this year at prom, the crowning of senior royalty. The senior class selected three king and queen candidates, and each person that attended prom selected their favorite. Joel Chambers, and Michelle Duran were chosen as the first IHS prom royalty. The crowning was finished as they shared a dance together.



Top right- Lara Bobbit and Mark Melton, seniors, take time to decide on the right picture packet. Above- Everyone matched perfectly on the special evening. Right- Bomp Bomp Bomp- King Joel Chambers and Queen Michelle Duran, seniors, prepare for the royalty dance.

Prom 87'

Steppin' Out With Class



Above- Broadway couldn't resist these senior girls, bottom left- Perri Wormington, Amy Randles, Cindi Burck, Melody Winford, LeAnn Muse, Leigha Hawkins, Amy Taylor, Top-Faith Palmer, Kathy Hellen, Heather Fromong, Jennifer Wright, Jennifer Paugh, Gina Boulanger, Leigh Miller, Stacey Empson, Vicki Hackett, Michelle Duran, Carol Strecker, and Kate Claus.



Shelly Bechtle, senior, and her date enjoy the evening at fast pace without slowing down to rest their feet.

May
16, 1987



It's king Joel and his court! Left- Drake Day, Scott Henderson, Jeff Farthing, John Fitzpatrick, Tyler Higgins, Randy Rowland, Shane Schable, Jim Zemlock, B.J. Trousie, Guy Earlie, David Davison, and Joel Chambers, crowning the top.



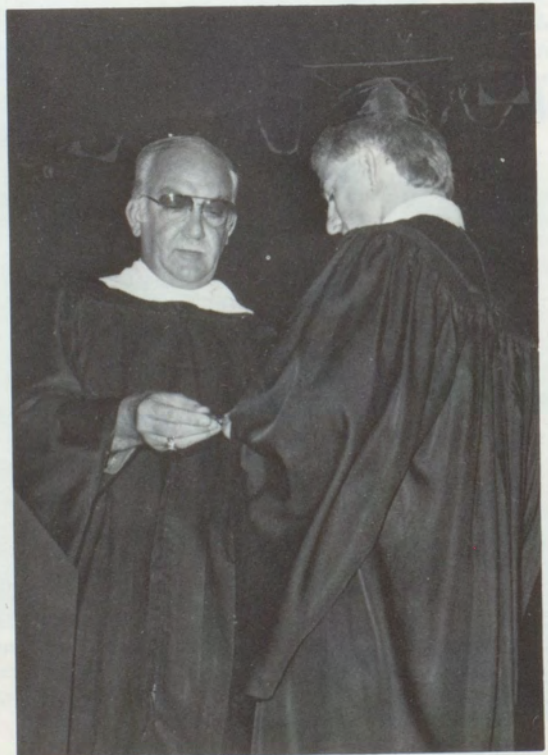
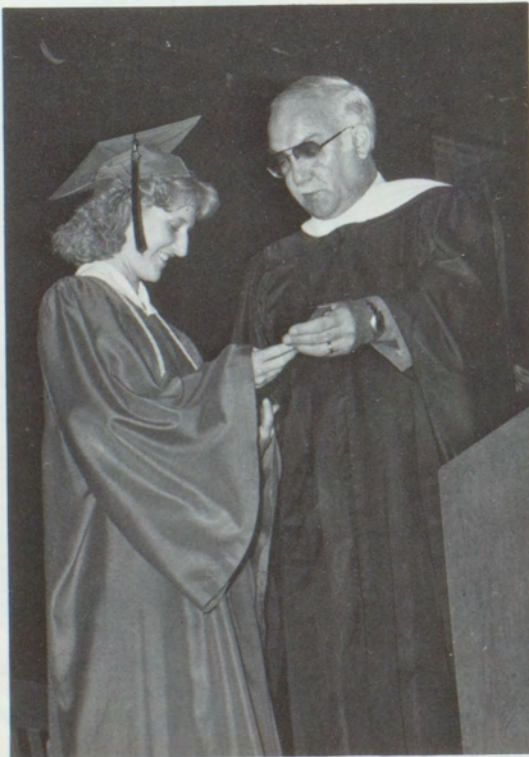
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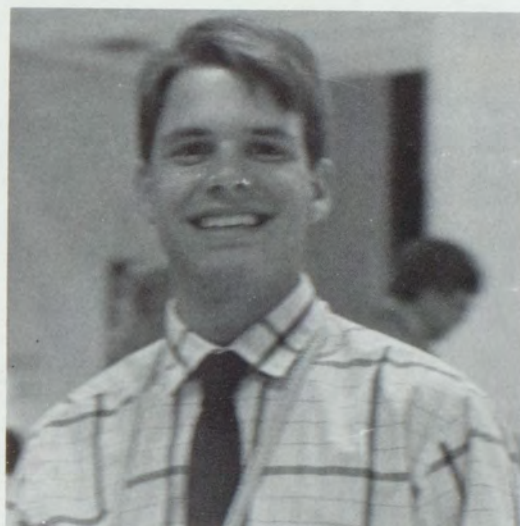
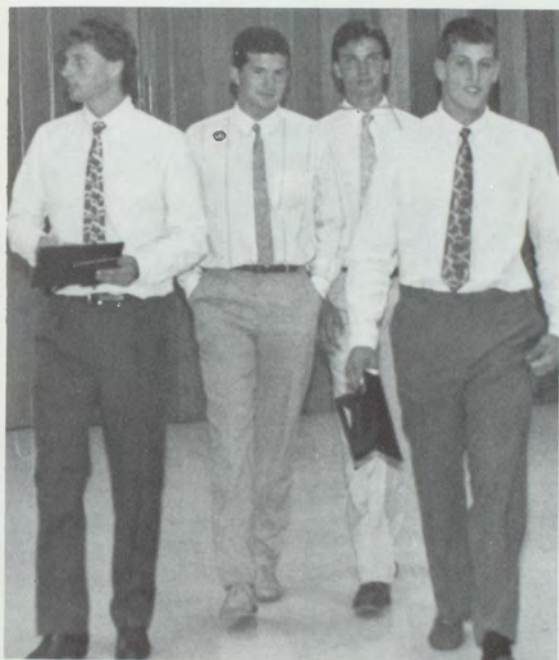
A Touch For The Future

*Co-Valedictorians
Faith Palmer Stephanie Milner*



*Citizenship Award
Kathy Hellen Todd Layton*





Top left: Making his plans for the "after graduation" get together. Jeff Groff talks with Reese Walker in the basement of the Civic Center.

Bottom left: B.J. Trousie, Tyler Higgins, Scott Henderson, and John Fitzpatrick will always stick together. Twelve years of memories and good times don't end with graduation.

Above: Kirt Leyda flashes that pearly grin along with a sigh of relief because it's finally over. An end but also a beginning for a promising future.

After twelve years of schooling and hard work, the Class of 1987 received their diplomas on Monday, May 25, 1987. Graduation ceremonies were held before an overflow crowd at Memorial Hall honoring the 157 graduates. Addressing their classmates were Stephanie Milner and Faith Palmer, co-valedictorians. Milner spoke on the theory of "positive imagining" and realizing goals. "Today a goal has been realized. You looked at the goals you had set, and worked at them. You saw the dream- and made it come true." Palmer followed with her stress being on the need to seek self-fulfillment and happiness. She referred to what her father often said, "Attitude, not aptitude, determines altitude."

The annual Citizenship Awards were won by seniors Kathy Hellen and Todd Layton. The award is sponsored by the Kansas State High School Activities Association and voted upon by the faculty. The 102nd graduating class will long remember their commencement as will the 102nd graduating class long be remembered.



Seniors Stick Together In 87'



"Hey Baby I'm home," Gina Dixon, Jennifer Wright, Heather Fromong, and Gina Boulanger, seniors, come home to show-off their BON JOVI concert shirts.

During the make-up senior breakfast, students express their views and ideas.

Aloha Guy! Senior, Guy Earle, gets into the spirit of decorating the senior class hall during spirit week.



Seniors Seniors Seniors Seniors



Stacey Sherwood and Alex Carpenter, seniors, whisper some good gossip during the awards assembly.

Making it perfect! senior Chris Furnas concentrates on his drawing in Tim Knoles' class.



Friends stick together. Seniors Kari Hernandez and Kathy Moulds enjoy each other's company during break-time.

"We are the seniors the mighty mighty seniors!" Seniors earn their place at the front of the auditorium as they lead the pep rally.

The Senior Class of 1987 found sticking together with close friends brought many memories never to be forgotten. There's the many enrollment days that Roger Rutland had, and the special one when he met "Ralph". Jennifer Wright will never see her light-blue VW bug again after Heather Fromong totaled it on Feb. 1, 1986. Never trust Carol Strecker and Jennifer Paugh together in Mexico, they might get caught in a "Males" room. The business parties that Tyler Higgins held at the "Shop" hold many un-done memories for some. Brian Newton, where's your government notebook? Well, it's in my car that caught fire. What an excuse! Kate Clause recalled crossing her legs in Classical Literature and finding other laundry that got caught in her pant leg. What was that laundry Kate? Cindi Burck liked to take road trips, but to Sue Lane? Jamie Ohl and Sara Blankinship found out they really don't like salad and beer after all. Spring Break has many memories to the campers that attended the fourth annual sleep over at the Reservoir. Did anyone really sleep?? Other good times seniors had were many MORP dances, Who's Stypid Cupid? Prom always brings back high school memories but the Enchanted Evening was something special to all the ones that worked on the balloon tunnel. The biggie of 1987 sure has to be on May 24, 1987, and yes that was "GRADUATION", all the happy faces that say finally, and the tears that were shed by most show that the class of '87" is indeed the class that has the SPECIAL TOUCH!

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Seniors





Well' this is it! We're now SENIORS!! One year left then the real world hits us. We've got one more year to prove that we can make it to state volleyball again. One year to make that awesome Indy football hit the top. A year to study. A year to party, and most of all a year to grow up. A new Queen Neelah and a basketball team that will bring down the house. The prom was a success, the Homecoming Dance too. But gladly we'll send out the old and bring on the new. What's a quote to remember for the year to come? "Reach for the moon and if you miss you'll still be among the stars."

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Cindy Sanborn, president; Zach Unruh, vice president; Tammy Veach, treasurer; (NOT PICTURED, Nicole Grieve, secretary)

Class Of 1988



Scott Allerheiligen



Scott Allison



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Gina Banion



Stephen Barnes



Matthew Bateson



Wendy Beckmann



Melissa Beeman



Tammy Bennett



Shelly Beaver



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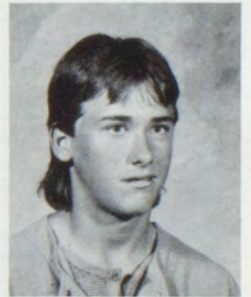
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Billy Cox



Brett Davis



Drake Day



Frank Deering



Alan DeFever



Sonya Delano



Wanda Dennis



Ramona Dodson



Ronda Dye



Kelli Eidson



Karen Ellis



Babs Emert



Jenifer Emert



Helen Eytcheson



Jeff Farthing



Julian Fischer



Cheryl Foster



Michele Foster



Teresa Gartner



Rodney Gay



Dana Glasgow



Matt Goodwin



Larry Graves



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Angie Greer



Jan Grieve



Nicole Grieve



Phillip Groth



Tracy Hambleton



Randy Hare



Geri K Hart



Vickie Heath



Amy Heimburger



Jamie Heimberger



Terry Henson



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Jiffy Humbolt



Laurie Jennings



Billy Johnson



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Thomas Jones



Travis Keal



Brett Killins



Rob Kistler



Dawn Kley



Kyle Knop



Janne Kovanen



Johanna Landsaw



Leigh Lanning



Mark Lasater



Corey Lewis



Catch this double take!! Showing total school spirit and participation, Christy Tucker and Kristin Rorick, juniors, take advantage of the spirit day "Make em' See Double!" while hangin' out in the good ol' foyer.



Deanna Ledbetter



Lucas Livingston



Dawna McAtee



Steve McArthy



Missy McCuiston



Jeffrey McGuire



Larry McManus



Richard McVey



Heather Main



Jay Martinez



Brad May



James Mealey



Brad Medlock



Kevin Mishler



Stephen Mock



Mike Muninger



Jody Musgrove



Angela Nelson



Shelly Nelson



Brian Newton



Alisa Nickel



Linda Nitz



Stacey Norton



Stephanie Norton



Ger Kay Hart, junior, works hard in Doc's third hour class to make her chemistry data as precise as possible.



Toby Osborn



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Tony Pouncil



Shelly Ramsey



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Kristin Rorick



Shawn Rose



Jennifer Rowland



Marty Rutland



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Dwight Schinstock



Shelly Nelson and Aaron Watts, juniors, take time out of their busy American History schedules to smile for our very own IHS photographer.



Carolyn Schlegel



Aaron Schnurbush



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Leslie Sewell



Eric Shire



Kennen Simmons



Kevin Simmons



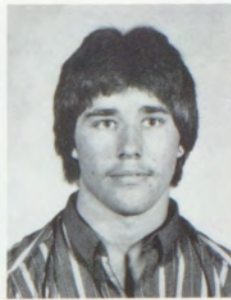
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Gaylan Thompson



Jessica Travis



Christopher True



Christy Tucker



Joy Tucker



Matt Turner



Zach Unruh



Tammy Veach



Brian Walker



Kevin Wallingford



Shannon Wallis



In charge of faculty appreciation, Jan Grieve, junior, listens to feedback at the January Kayette meeting.



Wes Washabaugh



Aaron Watts



Troy Weatherhead



Eric Webb



Matt Weeks



Tina Weimer



Heather Welsh



David Westervelt



Dale Willingham



Gina Wilson



Missy McCuiston, junior, dreams about future English assignments.



Jiffy Humbolt, junior, takes a break from her flag to watch the Dogs play football in the first home game.



Rusty Winebrenner



Wendy Wood



David Woodard



Michelle Woodcox



Karmin Wright



Jody Young



Tony Zamora

NOT PICTURED
Kyra Burnett
James Cude
Jim Eash
Sherri England
Kim Meier
James Packard
June Scott



"Oh! I see!!" Kyle Knop and Andy Stuckey, juniors, have found interest in The Scarlet Letter's intricate sentence structure.



Chad Holt and Bobby Hernandez, juniors, show us how "tuff" a wrestler really is.

The Class Of '88 Touches IHS



We've stuck together this long. We've passed classes, made new friends, and now we have chosen the people we want to represent this eleventh year of the class of '88.

BEST EYES:	Dawna McAtee	Terry Henson
BEST DRESSED:	Alisa Nickel	Drake Kay
BEST SMILE:	Cindy Sanborn	Aaron Schnurbush
BEST LOOKING:	Stephanie Norton	Drake Day
BEST LEGS:	Gina Smith	Billy Johnson
BEST COUPLE:	Tammy Veach	Eric Webb
BEST BODIES:	Tammy Veach	Eric Webb
BEST ATHLETES:	Geri Hart	Drake Day
MOST SPIRITED:	Jenifer Emert	Barton Smith
BEST CRUISER:	Christy Tucker	Robb Romans
WORST DRIVER:	Leslie Sewell	Shane Hoffman
BEST CARS:	Alisa Nickel	Luke Livingston
STRAIGHTEST ARROWS:	Leslie Sewell	R o d n e y G a y t l
FRIENDLIEST:	Amy & Jamie Heimberger	Tony Keal
FUNNIEST LAUGH:	Heather Main	Travis Puncil
MOST GULLIBLE:	J.J. Hight	Jeff Green
MOST DISORGANIZED:	Leslie Sewell	Jay Martinez
BEST PERSONALITY:	Wendy Wood	Zach Unruh
BIGGEST FLIRT:	Stacey Norton	Jeff Farthing
BEST STYLE:	Shelly Nelson	Drake Day
PREPPIEST:	Leigh Lanning	Rob Kistler



LOWER RIGHT: Most Spirited: Jennifer Emert and Barton Smith
LOWER LEFT: Straightest Arrow: Leslie Sewell and Rodney Gay
RIGHT: Best Dressed: Alisa Nickel and Drake Day
LEFT: Most Style: Drake Day and Shelly Nelson
UPPER LEFT: Biggest Prep: Rob Kistler and Leigh Lanning





TOP LEFT: Best Car:
 Luke Livingston Alisa
 Nickel

LEFT: Best Personality:
 Zach Unruh Wendy
 Wood

**TOP RIGHT: Friend-
 liest:**

Jamie Heimberger,
 Travis Keal Amy
 Heimberger

**ABOVE RIGHT: Best
 Looking:**

Drake Day Stephanie
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**RIGHT: Best Couple
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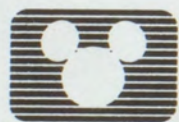
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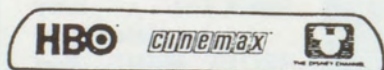


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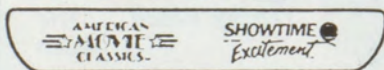
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Clubs



Working Hard, STUCO . . . To Do Their Best.

Student Council faced a change this year with the resignation of Dave Torbett last year, to breaking in a new sponsor Mark Coder. Even though this was a change it did not slow them down one bit. Student Council had a successful year and sponsored many activities at IHS. The MORP dance, one of the biggest hits and probably the most memorable, noted the crowning of Roger Rutland 1987 MORP King, for collecting the most pennies. Michelle Duran, Leigha Hawkins, Melody Winford, Faith Palmer, and Carol Strecker

strutted their stuff to dominate in the Air Band Contest with their rendition of, "Mony, Mony." The Bloodmobile was again a success with 92 units of blood received. And once again the canned food drive was held. Other STUCO projects included Pop Game, and queen coronations.



FRONT ROW: Tamara Miller, Kristi Wilson, Kermit Johnson, Cindi Humbolt, Dina Baker, Susan Pierce. SECOND ROW: Cindi Burck, Michelle Duran, Faith Palmer, Alisa Nickel, Kristie Essig, Jeff Nichols, Geri Kay Hart, Robb Romans, Sondra Adey. THIRD ROW: Missy Housel, Felicia Barbara, Kristin Michaelis, Wendy Beckman, Rob Fann, Kim Fitzpatrick, Kim Zemlock, Lisa Strahm. FOURTH ROW: Christy Tucker, Carol Strecker, Jennifer Paugh, Robin Hester, Stephanie Norton, Stephanie Empson, Todd Layton, Heather Main, Cody Wood.



BELOW LEFT: Wendy Beckman, junior, grins and bears the pain of giving blood during the April 2 bloodmobile held at the IHS gym and sponsored by Student Council. ABOVE: Showing their white streaks at the annual. STUCO sponsored MORP dance. Kim Fitzpatrick, sophomore; Wendy Beckman, junior; and Geri Kay Hart, junior, jam their way to second place in the exciting Air Band Contest.



OFFICERS: Cindi Burck, secretary; Todd Layton, president; Geri Kay Hart, vice-president; NOT PICTURED: Stacey Norton, treasurer.

SCF Promotes Fellowship

The year is now over the SCF has had an exciting year. All activities were headed by committees to get everyone involved. This year new for SCF was a monthly breakfast, a beach party in January and a trip to Bell's Amusement Park in Tulsa in the spring. "The club had a lot of participation from everyone and it was really needed to get the projects off the ground," said Angie Greer, SCF president. The club sponsored birthday cards as usual, and an inspirational message service. The goal that the club is working the hardest to achieve is to make SCF more "person-to-person" in its meetings and activities, "because fellowship is what the club is all about," stated Greer.



SCF members listen to their guest speaker, Father Martin, talk at a monthly SCF meeting.



FRONT ROW: Matt Turner, Jenay Coker, Laurie Jennings, Suzanne Simmons, Sarah Waever, Robin Grimes, Cindy Sanborn, Lara Bobbitt, Lynn Mount, Ben Estep, James Nicholson. **SECOND ROW:** Jenna Rathjen, Melissa Bever (Devotions Chairman), Sondra Adey, Kathy Carrol, Dana Glasgow (Treasurer), Kelli Edison, Alisa Cessna, Mark Melton, Jeff Nichols, Jim O'Sheilds. **THIRD ROW:** Lexie Knuth, Kim Rich, Melissa Rose, Rochelle Mydland, Tracey Wadsworth, Jennifer Rowland, Missy Housel, Missy McCuiston, Leigh Hinthorn, Jenny Mitchell, Lisa Strahm, Rusty Dye. **FOURTH ROW:** Jennifer Council, Maia Moore, Daniel Lapen, Chris True, Debra Crashaw, Rob Fann (STUCO Rep.), Angie Greer (President), Todd Corrigan, Hans Landwehr, Joel Williams, Kristin Rorick, Christie Tucker. **FIFTH ROW:** Angela Meadows, Kim Erickson (Secretary), Darla Stonecipher, Jessica Travis, Verlene Schaffer, Shelly Nelson (Vice-President), LaRon Morgan, Janne Kovanan, Robin Smith, Barton Smith, Jeremy Boyd.

Recognizing Black Heritage
Human Relations Committee
Celebrates
Martin Luther King's Birthday



MEMBERS OF THE 1986-87 HUMAN RELATIONS COUNCIL: Kermit Johnson, Jeff Nichols, Alisa Nickel, Thorton Shelton, Missy Housel.

This is the third year that the Human Relations Committee has been a functioning part of the school activities and a subdivision of Student Council at IHS. The purpose of the Human Relations Committee is to provide the media for improved relations within the student body and to acquaint students with different cultures within the school. Members of the Human Relations Committee were in attendance at all Stuco meetings. The Human Relations Committee was responsible for setting up many displays in the library's display window and the foyer for occasions such as Human Relations Week and Black Heritage Week.



A Display the Human Relations Committee was responsible for setting up in the library display window for Black Heritage Week.

NHS Has Academic Excellence



FRONT ROW: Melody Winford, Michele Kettleman, Missy Housel, Kirt Leyda, Mellissa Bever. SECOND ROW: Michelle Duran, Kristie Essig, Stephanie Milner, Lara Bobbitt, Faith Palmer, Stacey Empson, Kathy Hellen. THIRD ROW: Kate Claus, Jennifer Paugh, Carol Strecker, Perri Wormington, Scott Henderson, David Rothgeb, Tyler Higgins, Kristi Holloway.



FRONT ROW: Jody Young, Karen Ellis, Leigh Hinthorn, Kelli Eidson. SECOND ROW: Nicole Grieve, Geri Kay Hart, Harold Smart, Laura Kidwell, Robb Romans, Alisa Nickel, Kelly Rigney. THIRD ROW: Gina Smith, Amy Heimberger, Felicia Barbara, Sushil Patel, Jamie Heimberger, Marli Reick, Dawn Clay, Angie Greer. FOURTH ROW: David Woodward, Jessica Travis, Stephanie Norton, Stacy Norton, Matt Weeks, Shelly Nelson, Tyler Higgins, Christy Tucker.

The National Honor Society was formed to give recognition to those students who excel academically.

To be eligible for membership in the society, students must have attended at least one semester in this school, be classified a junior, must have a cumulative grade-point average of 3.5 or better and must be approved by a faculty committee.

Senior members of the society are recognized at commencement by wearing the Honor Cord with their caps and gowns. This cord signifies their academic excellence and is a symbol of pride to students, families, and friends.

Tulsa Trip Canceled

Rodeo Club Promotes Western Interest



FRONT ROW: Rusty Winebrenner, Aaron Schaub, Lisa Bryant, Adam Bryant, Ricky Eytcheson. SECOND ROW: Beth Lapen, Cindy McGaugh, Kaycia Sutton, Tracy Carroll, Randy Winebrenner, Sammy Price, James Markle. BACK ROW: Teresa Freeman, Melinda Hixson, Bret Bailey, Brandon Payne, Chris Monfort, Chris Edwards, Robert Bowen.

The purpose of the Rodeo Club is to promote an interest in activities relating to rodeoing. On November 15th, fifteen members of the Rodeo Club traveled to Kansas City where they enjoyed watching the American Royal Rodeo. A trip to the International Finals Rodeo in Tulsa was planned for January. However, the weather did not cooperate. Snow made traveling to Tulsa impossible. On May 8th, many members of the Rodeo Club traveled to Worlds of Fun in Kansas City.

Many members of the club purchased jackets, which have their name and the Rodeo Emblem on it. The club ran the concession stand at all of the home football games to earn money.

RODEO CLUB OFFICERS: FRONT ROW: Lisa Bryant, secretary; James Markle, sponsor; Tracy Carroll, vice president; Robert Bowen, treasurer. BACK ROW: Melinda Hixson, scrapbook; Beth Lapen, reporter; Randy Winebrenner, president; Brandon Payne, STUCO Representative.



Science, Chess Challenge The Brain

The Science Club, holding 14 members, basically spent this year in discussion. The club investigated many possible activities to occur in the spring. One such project discussed was a fund raiser to purchase KMOD T-shirts for the members. Among the various projects, several trips were considered, such as: a trip to a Comosphere in Hutchinson and a journey to The Garber Center in Wichita. Serving as officers are Robb Romans, president; Andy Stucky, vice-president; Sushil Patel, secretary/treasurer; Corey Lewis, program chairman; and Kristie Essig, Stuco.



Floor: Robb Romans. Front Row: Rick Rigney, Mike Speer, Sohair Hassan, Harold Smart, Stephanie Milner, Kristie Essig. Back Row: Corey Lewis, Stephen Swope, Andy Stuckey, James Travis, Jeremy Boyd.

CHESS CLUB: The chess club was designed for interested students to gather once a month during activity period to practice their chess strategies. This year fourteen members, led by sponsor Lloyd Harding, spent their free time perfecting their games. Serving as officers: Chad Bright, president; Darin Jones, vice-president; Jeff Chaput, secretary/treasurer; Jeff Green, program chairman; and Robb Romans, STUCO representative.



Floor: Brett Davis, Steve Henderson, Darin Jones, Robb Romans. Front Row: Dana Beaver, J.T. Davison, Jeff Chaput, Rick Rigney. Back Row: Lloyd Harding (sponsor), Stephen Swope, Aaron Brown, Jeff Green.

IAC produces personalized plates



Completing its second year, the Industrial Arts Club proved to be a successful addition to I.H.S. During their regular meetings, members discussed their latest fund raisers. Their biggest project this year was the selling of aluminum plates with personalized writing. They started producing the plates in February and sold them at basketball games. The third annual softball game with the metal shop students against the wood working students was held in May.

Front row: Kevin Helt, Charles Meise, Chris Kelly (secretary), Larry Swanson. Middle row: Kyle Morgan, John Bruce, Brian Pellam (treasurer), Lara Bobbitt (president), Steve Meyer (parliamentarian), Rob Bowen, Shawn Oliphant. Back row: Jim Hogan (instructor), Dana Beaver, Brent Reynolds (vice-president), Eric Gaut, Jerry Ledford (sergeant at arms), Tim Knoles (instructor).

Asked to comment on the Industrial Arts Club this year, Jim Hogan, Industrial Arts instructor, stated, "The club is pretty well self-governed and takes care of itself."

Congratulations Seniors With The "Touch Of Class"

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FHA Hosts Conference

Future Homemakers of America (FHA) continued their tradition of naming outstanding members, hosted a J-West Fall Conference of 600 members in November for the first time in five years, sponsored National FHA Week February 8-14, sent members to State, held a successful March of Dimes bake-a-thon, participated in an Adopt-a-Grandparent program with Colonial Terrace, and held a family covered dish dinner that included Easter egg contests. Their sponsor was Sherry Staton.



FRONT ROW: Tamara Miller, Rene Neeley, Elaine Baldwin. SECOND ROW: Kathy Oliver, Cathy Jewers, Sara Weaver, Kermit Johnson, Wanda Kidwell, JoAnna Kramer. THIRD ROW: Laura Kidwell, Ramona Johnson, Christy Mayes, Karen Goodman, Leigh Hinthorn, Jenny Mitchell, Rochelle Neeley, Michelle Foster. BACK ROW: Athena Coatney, Kim Zemlock, Wencie Agosto, Rob Kistler, Kim Erickson, Donna Reed, Kerry Bateman.



ABOVE: Savoring the pleasant aroma of newly-baked bread, Donna Reed, sophomore, checks a roll for freshness. RIGHT: Contributing to a successful February bake-a-thon, Athena Coatney, senior, removes fresh-baked rolls from the oven.



FRONT ROW: Kerry Bateman, head of marketing; Rene Neeley, president; Athena Coatney, vice-president. BACK ROW: Ramona Johnson, historian; Tamara Miller, secretary/treasurer; Leigh Hinthorn, junior class representative; Rochelle Neeley, freshman class representative; JoAnna Kramer, sophomore class representative; Kermit Johnson, stuco representative. (Not pictured: Guy Earle, senior class representative.)



"Let Him Who Boasts Boast In The Lord" I Corinthians

FCA Shows Fellowship

Fellowship of Christian Athletes showed that they each had that very special touch in both athletics and Christianity. One hundred members kept involved in activities.

The first activity scheduled was the annual car wash to start the motivation. Following the car wash, FCA sent fourteen members to Fall- Mini- Conference, held in Rock Springs Ranch on August 24. Other activities held by FCA besides the regular activity period meetings were a jog-a-thon on November 4th. Members jogged, walked, and even crawled at Riverside Stadium, and then met for roasted hot dogs and hamburgers, and other homemade goodies. "Love In Any Language" was the FCA assembly. Members were dressed in costumes to represent their own country. Guest speakers for the year were Alan and Christie Speicher, Roger Cooper, Graig Nickel, Diana Murphy, and Joe Odum.



In April, twenty members attended mini-conference in Rock Springs. Officers that kept things going were Perri Wormington, President; Faith Palmer, Vice President; Gina Boulanger, Secretary; Shelly Bever, Treasurer; and Ronnie Porter, Devotions. Rachel Wormington was the sponsor.

Right- During the Christmas assembly, Dale Reynolds, senior, portrays Santa Claus Above- Members and guest from Pittsburg and Thayer that attended fall mini-conference. Bottom row: David Davidson, Perri Wormington, Gina Boulanger, Ronnie Porter, Robin Smith. Second Row: Pittsburg member, Andrea Butler, Cindi Burck, Dana Mills, Dave Gassert, Pittsburg member, Shelly Bever, Leslie Sewell, Kim Fitzpatrick, Kelly Robinson, Tamara Baker, Pittsburg member, Pittsburg member, Pittsburg member, Pittsburg member, Thayer member, and Pittsburg member.

Bottom Row: Kathy Bechtle, Shelly Bechtle, Alisa Cessna, Dina Baker, Andrea Butler, Leigha Hawkins, Jennifer Clark, Angie Borders, Angela Blex, Elaine Baldwin, Melissa Bever, Shelly Bever. Middle Row: Rob Fann, Wencie Agosto, Robin Grimes, Michelle Combs, Geri K. Hart, Jiffy Humbolt, Candace Cain, Cindi Burck, Missy Housel, Karen Ellis, Lisa Billingsley, Dennis Barnes, Chris Hall. Top Row: Troy Jesseph, Joel Chambers, David Davidson, Vicki Hackett, Stacey Empson, Gina Boulanger, Stephanie Empson, Guy Earle, Scott Henderson, Robin Hester, Tracy Caroll, Scott Grieve, David Gassert.



Bottom Row: Kaycia Sutton, Rochelle Neeley, Michelle Woodcox, LeeAnn Muse, Juli Paugh, Alisa Nickel, Kyle Maloane, Kelly Robinson, Stacey Stevens, Kim Rich, Tracy Wadsworth, Rochelle Nydland, Lisa Strahm. Middle Row: Leslie Sewell, Carrie Trouskie, Kristin Michaelis, Melissa Rose, Faith Palmer, Tammy Veach, Cindy Sanborn, Wendy Beckman, Kathy Hellen, Travis Barta, Sam Main, Taylor Miller, Hans Landwehr, Kara Woods, Kathy Werner, Eric Lundt. Back Row: Mike Pearson, Aaron Watts, Dale Reynolds, Dana Mills, Jennifer Paugh, Shannon Torrance, Leigh Miller, Perri Wormington, Eric Webb, Ronnie Porter, LaRon Morgan, Jeff Nichols, Brandon Payne, Robin Smith, and Alex Knuth.



Above: Joe Odom, guest speaker for March, speaks to FCA members during the regular activity period meeting.



Junior Achievement Has More Class

Junior Achievement is a fifteen week program for sophomores, juniors, and seniors with the support of local businesses. Students in JA form four companies and have five officers for leadership in each company.

Each company produces and sells different products. Some of the products were YAA-lanterns; Team Co-wreaths; Unlimited Opportunities-gumball machines; Best - mailholders.

A Shareholders meeting was held on February 2, 1987 at the William Inge Theater. The audience voted for the best presentation given by the four companies. BEST and YAA were presented with the honor. The Future Unlimited Banquet was held February 23, 1987, for the best company award. The award was given to BEST and ended a successful year for the company.



The Presidents of the four JA companies give a flower arrangement to Mrs. Nickel District Coordinator for doing a good job.



YOUNG ACHIEVERS OF AMERICA
officers: **FRONT:** Mabelle Farmer, President; **SECOND ROW:** Tracy Carroll, Vice President of Production; Lisa Sutton, Vice president of Finance; **BACK ROW:** Tonya Riedle, Vice President Personnel; and Lori Stockton, Vice President Marketing.



MEMBERS: **FRONT ROW:** Shannon Stafford, Rochelle Mydland, Kim Smith, Lisa Montgomery, and Debra Crawshaw; **SECOND ROW:** Tracy Wadsworth, Tracy Carroll, Tonya Riedle, Mabelle Farmer, Lori Stockton, and Lisa Sutton; **BACK ROW:** Keith Gaylan, Carl Sutton, James Packard, Steve Potter, Chris True, and Jeff Chaput.



BUSINESS EXPERIENCE STARTS TODAY MEMBERS: FRONT ROW: Jenay Coker, Mindy Blumer, Derick Wheaton, and Pam Bergsten; SECOND ROW: Jenna Rathjen, Kirt Woodward, Harold Smart, Kathy Hellen, and Christy Tucker; THIRD ROW: Soli Rice, Daniel Lapen, Zach Graves, and Mike O'Malley; BACK ROW: Paul Taylor, Sam Bennett, Eric

Gaut, Kyle Morgan, and Kristen Rorick. **BEST OFFICERS:** FRONT ROW: Derick Wheaton, Vice President Production; and Jenay Coker, Vice President Personnel; BACK ROW: Mike O'Malley, Vice President Marketing; Zach Graves, Vice President Finance; and Kirt Woodward, President.



UNLIMITED OPPORTUNITIES MEMBERS: FRONT: Michelle Woodcox, Cheryl Foster, Kristi Essig, Laura Young, and Jody Young; SECOND ROW: Mary Ann Miller, Annette Boulanger, Jennifer Rowland, Steve Myer, Rochelle Wilson, Angela Meadows, Tonya Taliaferro, and Wanda Dennis; BACK ROW: Jim Leiker, Kevin Thorpe, Kelly Robinson, LaRon Morgan, Mike Robinson, and Laurie Jennings. **UNLIMITED OPPORTUNITIES OFFICERS:** FRONT: Laurie Jennings, President; and Jennifer Rowland, Vice President Marketing; SECOND ROW: Annette Boulanger, Vice President Personnel; and Kristi Essig, Vice President Finance; BACK ROW: Steve Myer, Vice President Production.



TEAMCO Officers: BOTTOM: Ron Porter, Vice President Marketing; MIDDLE: Ava Garman, President; TOP: Maia Moore, Vice President Personnel. Not pictured: Christy Bennett, Vice President Finance; Rick Rigney, Vice President Production. **MEMBERS:** FRONT: Christy Mayes, Sohair Hassan, Robin Grimes, Lexie Knuth, Sondra Adey, and Cathy Carroll; SECOND ROW: Amy Heimberger, Rusty Dye, Ava Garman, Ron Porter, Dena Baker, and Kathy Smith; BACK ROW: Jamie Heimberger, Dana Beaver, Robin Hester, Bart Smith, Maia Moore, and Cindy Johnson.

¡Que Pasa En Español!

Spanish Club: 30 members strong with a love for the Spanish language through various games and slide presentations. All three levels of Spanish are involved in all of the activities. On February 19 the Spanish Club joined the Latin Club and French Club in an International Festival where they ate foreign cuisine, played games, and ended it all off by the breaking of the pinata. At Christmas time they Caroled with Latin Club and French Club in different languages. The largest activity for the Spanish Club this year is the bi-annual trip to Mexico. They left on March 12 for the lovely city of Mexico and on to visit other cities such as Taxco, and Acapulco. They ended the year with the annual French-Spanish softball game. All in all it was a good year for the Spanish.



Juli Paugh, sophomore, wants no part in the horseplaying of Kelli Edison and Eric Shire as Kelli displays her winning pinata.



STUCO Rep. Jennifer Paugh; president, Michele Kettleman; sec./treasurer, Julian Fischer; vice-president, Eric Shire.

¡Que Un Club!



FRONT ROW: Troy Weatherhead, Juli Paugh, Kelli Eidson, Sheryl Rood, Daniel Lapen, Kurt Woodward, Michelle Kettleman, Lisa Strahm, Marli Reick. SECOND ROW: Sushil Patel, Kate Claus, Travis Barta, Kara Woods, Sam Bennett, Eric Shire, Julian Fischer, Kirt Leyda, Harold Smart, Corey Lewis. THIRD ROW: Carol Strecker, Joel Williams, Verlene Schafer, Stephanie Empson, Zach Unruh, Steve Potter, Jeremy Boyd, Brian Carter, Jennifer Paugh, David Woodward, Mark Lassiter.

Quest-Ce Quil Arrive En France?



FRONT ROW: Cheryl Foster, Jody Young, Dawn McAtee, Robb Romans, Kevin Leesburg, Dana Glasgow, Kristin Boyd, Pam Bergsten, Melissa Bever, Heather Burns. **SECOND ROW:** Angela Blex, Rochelle Neeley, Sondra Adey, Leigh Hinthorn, Kelly Rigney, Brian Allerhilegan, Jan Grieve, Sheryl Rood, Sonya Delano, Michele Kettleman, David Davidson, Felicia Barbera (Vice-President), Shari Swearingen (President), Mrs. Winder, Barton Smith. **THIRD ROW:** Eric Lundt, Diane Borovetz, Kim Rich, Jenny Metcalf, Jiffy Humbolt, Jamie Heimberger, Leslie Sewell, Jennifer Council, Maia Moore, Missy Housel, Kristin Rorick, J.J. Hervas, Nathan Safety, Chris Rannells, Mike Borovetz, Krystal Jackson, Angela Meadows. **FOURTH ROW:** David Rosebrough, Danny Frith, Cindy Farlow, Kellie Milner, Amy Heimberger, Taylor Miller, Terry Henson, Kyle Knop, Bill McGuire, Matt Gordon, Rylan Higgins, Christy Tucker, David Rothgeb, Leigh Miller, Kevin Thorpe, Darrin Drake, Mike Speer, Shelly Nelson, Matt Weeks, Karry Batemen. (Not Pictured), Michelle Duran (Secretary).

For National Junior Classical League "It's All Greek To Them."

FRONT ROW: Stacy Stevens, Sondra Adey, Robyn Marshall, Kristy Wilson, Nathan Safety, Angela Redman, Kristin Boyd. **SECOND ROW:** Wesly Washbaugh, Jody Musgrove, Stacey Empson, Vince Weeks, Kristie Holloway, Ava Garman, Shari Swearingen, Stephanie Milner. **THIRD ROW:** Mrs. Winder, Terry Henson, Leigh Miller, Darla Stonecipher, Robin Hester, Kyle Knop, Andy Stuckey, Stewart Rose, Corey Lewis.

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Kayettes Always Active!



FRONT ROW: Jana Zinser, Vicki Heath, Kathy Oliver, Terri Fultz, Robyn Marshall, Shannon Wallis, Sherri England, Lisa Montgomery, Beth Lapin, Suzanne Simmons. SECOND ROW: Trina Williams, Jennifer Metcalf, Cindy Farlow, Shon Simpson, Tammy Bennett, Jan Grieve, Larà Young, Christine Cornett, Maia Moore, Bridgette Hille, Tonya Burris, Christy Valentin. THIRD ROW: Cindy Hull, Michelle Taylor, Karen Washington, Shari Swearingen, Kim Wilson, Kristi Holloway, Dede LeRoy, Christy Hillyard, Angela Meadows, Stephanie Littlepage, Michele Kettleman.

Kayettes is an organization that serves others rather than themselves. It serves the community, school, nation, and world. While serving others, Kayettes also teaches responsibility to members by placing them in charge of various committees.

A few of the activities Kayettes was involved in are as follows: Visiting nursing homes, parties for Tri-County children, refurbishing girls restrooms, ushering and selling programs for Neewollah, teacher appreciation projects, selling holly at Christmas, selling bubble gum for Care, giving newborn babies stockings at Christmas, lunch for faculty at the end of the semester, cleaning the trophy case in the foyer, and the concession stands at the ball games.

They attended both Unit and Area Conferences held in Caney and Baxter Springs. A Dad-daughter dinner and a Mother-daughter installation banquet brought all of the families out. And in the Spring a club picnic was held to end a great year.

Two interesting activities stand out above them all. Kayettes wrote letters overseas to men in the military services. The letters were sent through the local column of Dear Abby. "I haven't got a letter back yet, but they are pretty busy," said Maia Moore, senior member of Kayettes. And to protect these busy girls a self-defense talk was held. The girls listened to a policeman talk about how to protect yourself from someone you don't know. "If you bite someones lip they'll pass out," said Kristi Holloway.

Miss Willis auctions off a gift in the Kayette White Elephant auction. Michele Kettleman listens to an idea being presented at a monthly Kayette meeting.



Kayette member, Tonya Burris, opens her purchase in the White Elephant auction.



Spirit Board Fires Up Athletes

On the fourth Wednesday of every month, a group of students met to see what should be done to enhance school spirit at IHS. The Spirit Board fulfilled its goal this year to allow more students to participate in school activities and help maintain school spirit. Some of the activities completed by the board were locker decorations for athletes, scenery at stadium for the all sports coronation, and the spirit week which they sponsored in October.

BELOW LEFT: Risking the jaws of death, students brave the third place winning junior hall during October's Spirit Week.

BELOW: Relaxing in the second place winning senior hall. Max the bulldog lounges by the pool during Spirit Board sponsored Spirit Week.



Floor: Heather Fromong, Stacy Sherwood, Tamara Miller (stucco rep.). Front row: Alisa Cessna, Cindi Burck (president), Amy Randles (secretary/treasurer), Dana Mills, Shannon Clark. Second row: Jamie Heimberger, Jennifer Rowland, Karen Ellis, Ramona Johnson, Jeff Nichols, Kathy Carroll. Third row: Laurie Jennings, Zach Graves, Christi Mayes, Wencie Agosto. Back row: Kim Wilson, Kathy Werner, Angie Borders (Not pictured Michael Speer (vice-president)).



Youth And Business Had Busy And Successful Year

Youth and Business training students had a busy and successful year with their new sponser, Diana Hellen. The students had the opportunity for hands on experience in actual work situations and listened to many prominent speakers. They were also interviewed by community business members and some of the interviews actually led into the hiring of some of the students. Youth and Business is to help young people learn how to get a job after high school.



A prominent business man interviews youth and business member, DeAnna Childers as one of the many experience activities done in the group.



Front row: Tamara Miller, Donna Childers, Tina Sloniker, Terry Mills, Mecca Weatherhead. Second row: Kathy Oliver, Laura Kidwell, Tracy Carroll, Dede Leroy, Wanda Dennis Third row: Diana Hellen, sponser, Trinna Williams, DeAnna Ledbetter, Johanna Landsaw, Chris Hall, DeAnna Childers, Derrick Williams, Michelle Woodcox. Top Row: Chris Shanklin Roger Linn, Kevin Parker, Jim O'Shields, Dean Arie, LaRon Morgan, Jose Williams, Bobby Mitchel, Billy Welch.

Lady Ensemble



Activities



Choir: *That Class Makes Music!*



CONCERT CHOIR MEMBERS: FRONT ROW: Director, Jodie Russell, Cathy Bechtle, Kathy Carroll, Michelle McCullough, Sara Weaver, Elaine Baldwin, Rodney Gay, Brett Killins, Dave Gassert, LeAnn Muse, Melissa Beaver, Angela Redman, Lori Boggs, Kelli Eidson, Jennifer Emert; SECOND ROW: Julie Thomas, Michelle Kettleman, Cathy Jewers, Leigh Lanning, Alisa Nickel, Chris Hall, Matt Turner, Chris True, Scott Grieve, Joel Williams, Missy Housel, Dee Fann, Stacy Sherwood, Karen Ellis, Leesa Billingsley; THIRD ROW: Kathy Smith, Marli Rieck, Mona Johnson, Tina Drake, Faith Palmer, Mark Melton, Paul Jones, Bill Elsworth, Ron Porter, Mark Taylor, Rob Fann, Deborah Crawshaw, Shelly Beaver, Missy McCuiston, Angie Greer, Kristin Rorick, Jennifer Rowland, Reena Abbott; BACK ROW: Shannon Torrence, Kim Erickson, Jennifer Teehee, Perri Wormington, Jeff Nichols, Jim O'Shields, Brandon Payne, Alan DeFever, Jeff Farthing, Drake Day, Rob Kistler, Zach Unruh, Andy Stuckey, Carol Strecker, Kathy Hellen, Kristi Holloway, Christy Tucker, Ava Garman, Christy Garr.

The Concert Choir had many new voices this fall but they blended together and formed an award winning choir. Under the direction of Jodie Russell, the choir had many outstanding performances. The choir sang for the Union Thanksgiving Service, the IHS Christmas Concert, and various other seasonal programs. The choir also participated in the State Music Festival. Their last performance was at the commencement of The Class of '87.

State and district auditions were in Altamont on November 16. District participants were Faith Palmer, Alisa Nickel, Leigh Lanning, Michelle Kettleman, Amy Beque, Sopranos; Missy Housel, Angie Greer, Melissa Beaver, Lessa Billingsley, Ava Garman, Altos; Rob Fann, Rodney Gay, Joel Williams, Tenors; Jeff Nichols, Andy Stuckey, Mark Melton, Jim O'Shields, Ron Porter, Bass. State members: Faith Palmer, Soprano; Angie Greer, Alto; Jeff Nichols, Andy Stuckey, Mark Melton, Bass.



These male vocalists are using the proper posture to acquire the perfect sound in the third hour class of Concert Choir.

Indy Ensemble: *Their Music Has Class*



BACK ROW: Jim O'Shields, Carol Strecker, Andy Stuckey, Angie Greer, Mark Melton, Tina Drake, Melissa Beaver, Ron Porter. **FRONT ROW:** Faith Palmer, Chris Hall, Alisa Nickel, Jeff Nichols, Missy Housel, Rob Fann.

Meeting fourth hour every day keeps the Indy Ensemble in "tune". Although it's a lot of responsibility it too can be fun and rewarding. The yearly schedule consists of about forty performances. This doesn't include extras that might suddenly come up.

They attended the Coffeyville Swing Choir Clinic in early September, and competed in the Regional Music Festival in March. The student body got the chance to see the Ensemble perform at both the Fall and Winter Sports Coronations.

Ms. Russell, director, said "I was very pleased with the talent of this years ensemble. They worked well together to produce a high quality sound."

BELOW: As a group, the Indy Ensemble can work, play, laugh, and pose together as a whole because their musical message is love. BELOW LEFT: Faith Palmer, Joel Williams, Rob Fann, Alisa Nickel, and Jeff Nichols perform the selection "Happy Feet" for Ms. Russell during their fourth hour class.



Orchestra, Strolling Strings Bow With Class



The Orchestra students are as follows: FRONT ROW-Susan Pierce, Elaine Baldwin, Tammy Taylor, Andrea Andres, Brian Council, Dee Dee Abshier, and Mindy Blumer. SECOND ROW-Shelly Bever, Gina Mavers, Tessa Lybarger, Jammie Vega, Robyn Marshall, Melissa Rutter, Suzanne Simmons, Kelly Rigney, and Leonda Morrison. THIRD ROW-Gina Smith, Bridget Hille, Maia Moore, Jennifer Council, Cindy Johnson, Jenna Rathjen, Stacey Stevens, and Laverna Anderson. BACK ROW-Chris Hall, Danita Cotner, Mark Lasater, Lexie Knuth, Verlene Schafer, Darla Stonecipher, Kate Claus, Joel Williams, Christina Russell, Soli Rice, and John Martin. Not pictured, Judy Jones, instructor.



ABOVE-Cindy Johnson, sophomore, and Tammy Taylor, freshman, are practicing music for contest. UPPER RIGHT-Leonda Morrison, sophomore, and Jammie Vega, freshman, play with determination.





Strolling Strings is a group out of the Orchestra that take their time outside of class to perform at various functions. This year they played for the following dates: October 11-String Extravaganza; Oct. 28-Neelah Coronation; November 12-Chamber of Commerce; Nov. 18-Agri-Business Banquet; Dec. 2-K.U. Honors Banquet; December 4-Shakle Christmas Dinner; Dec. 9-Lion's Club Ladies Night Banquet; Dec. 14-I.H.S. Christmas Concert; January 20-District Honor Orchestra; February 26-28, State Chapter of the American String Teacher's Association; March 26-Performed for the I.M.S. student body; April 4-Regionals at Independence; April 7-State Orchestra, Band Choir Festival; April 11-Oratorio Society's presentation of the "Messiah"; April 25-State Solo and Ensemble Festival; May 18- USD #446 Instrumental Program.



TOP: Bridget Hille, freshman; Lexie Knuth, sophomore; and Robin Grimes, sophomore; look intently at their music during a class.

STROLLING STRINGS STUDENTS: FRONT ROW: Tammy Taylor, Susan Pierce, Andrea Andres, and Elaine Baldwin. SECOND ROW: Brian Council, Mindy Blumer, Jammie Vega, Tessa Lybarger, Kelly Rigney, Suzanne Simmons, Robyn Marshall, Mark Lasater, Robin Grimes, Jenna Rathjen, Verlene Schafer, and Darla Stonecipher. THIRD ROW: Soli Rice, Jennifer Council, Gina Mavers, Melissa Rutter, Bridget Hille, Joel Williams, Stacy Stevens, and Cindy Johnson. BACK ROW: LaVerna Anderson, Shelly Bever, Gina Smith, Maia Moore, Danita Cotner, John Martin, Lexie Knuth and Christina Russell.

Gina Maver, freshman; and Elaine Baldwin, freshman; work hard for the right notes.

IHS Band Marches With Class



The 1986-87 Marching Band members are: Amy Beque, Robert Bowen, Angela Byler, Tricia Carr, Dodi Corn, Danita Cotner, Brian Council, Doug Cunningham, Dan Frith, Scott Grieve, Carol Hall, Cindi Humbolt, Wanda Kidwell, Jake McMaster, Michele Ortiz, Mike Pearson, Linda Reed, Lisa Reed, Doug Rothgeb, Ryan Schmitz, Kent Sewell, John Turner, Becky Walker, Karen Washington, Pam Bergston, Doug Burnett, Tonya Burris, Kendal Cottrell, Kim Foster, Crystal Furnas, Ann-Marie Gibson, David Hicks, Ramona Johnson, Hans Landwehr, Dede LeRoy, Angela Meadows, Steve Meyer, Lisa Montgomery, Lynn Mount, Christy Muller, James Nicholson, James O'Shields, Donna Reed, Melissa Rose, Kim Smith, Tonya Taliaferro, Joel Williams, Richelle Wilson, Laura Young, Wendy Beckman, Melissa Beeman, Tammy Bennett, Jennifer Council, Sherri England, Jan Grieve, Geri Hart, Wilma Henson, Shelly High, Leigh Hinthorn, Shane Hoffman, Dana Houser, Jennifer Humbolt, Rob Kistler, Mark Lasater, Corey Lewis, Angela Nelson, Stacey Norton, Stephanie Norton, Kelly Rigney, Kennon Simmons, Barton Smith, Michael Speer, Jessica Travis, Joy Tucker, Michelle Woodcox, Jody Young, Mark Blumer, Lara Bobbitt, Alex Carpenter, Alisa Cessna, Kristie Essig, Rob Fann, Chris Furnas, Kristi Holloway, Mark Melton, Tamara Miller, Dana Mills, Stephanie Milner, David Rothgeb, and Stacy Sherwood. Instructor, Don Farthing.



ABOVE. Flag Corp and Auxiliaries: Angela Nelson, Tricia Carr, Kristie Essig, Michelle Woodcox, Shelly High, Laura Young, Stacy Sherwood, Tammy Bennett, Ann Gibson, Jan Grieve, Jiffy Humbolt, Donna Reed, Dede LeRoy, Joy Tucker, Wilma Henson, Angela Meadows, Richelle Wilson and Kristi Holloway.



ABOVE. Twirlers: Angela Nelson and Tricia Carr. LEFT. Drum Majorette: Kristie Essig.

The IHS band has already had a busy start this year. They performed in Kansas City October 11 and received a 2 rating. In Wichita they received a 3 rating. District Honor Band Auditions were held at Altamont on November 15. Students from IHS selected were Tonya Burris, Kelly Rigney, Mike Pearson, Corey Lewis, Jan Grieve, Kristi Holloway, Mark Lasater, and Jim O'Shields. The students did perform with the honor band in Iola on January 10. A Christmas concert was held Sunday December 14. The concert choir, brass choir and orchestra also performed. The band also gave a concert before the end of the first semester.

Jazz Band, Ensembles Plays For State

Jazz Band is a group of students that are chosen through auditions and practice during the year. A lot of these practices are held before school starts in the morning. The following are the JAZZ BAND MEMBERS: FRONT ROW: Kenneth Simmons, James Nicholson, Lara Bobbitt, Carol Strecker, Tonya Burris, and Mark Lasater; SECOND ROW: Don Farthing, director; Mike Pearson, Alissa Cessna, Angele Meadows, Leigh Hinthorn, Missy Beeman, and Linda Reed; BACK ROW: Doug Rothgeb, Scott Grieve, Mike Speer, Bart Smith, Jim O'Shields, Mark Melton, and Daniel Frith.



ABOVE: PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE, VARSITY BAND: FRONT ROW: Lara Bobbitt, Geri Hart, and Kristi Holloway; BACK ROW: Melissa Rose, James Nicholson, and Kenneth Simmons.



ABOVE RIGHT: BRASS ENSEMBLE, FRESHMAN BAND: FRONT ROW: Daniel Frith, Cindy Humbolt, and Jake McMaster; BACK ROW: Doug Rothgeb, Scott Grieve, Rob Bowen, and John Turner. RIGHT: CLARINET CHOIR: FRONT ROW: Dede LeRoy, Jan Grieve, Laura Young, Dana Mills, Tammy Bennett, and Kelly Rigney; BACK ROW: Melissa Rose, Stephanie Milner, Richelle Wilson, Jessica Travis, Kristie Essig, Tonya Taliaferro, and Dana Houser.





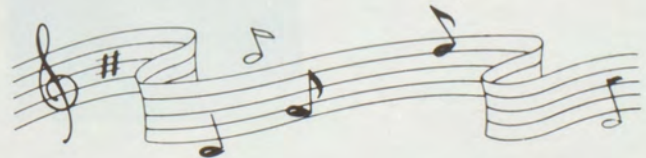
LEFT: CLARINET QUARTET, VARSITY BAND: Stephanie Milner, Kristie Essig, Jessica Travis, and Kelly Rigney. **ABOVE: FLUTE QUARTET:** Tonya Burris, Lisa Montgomery, Pam Bergsten, and Donna Reed.



LEFT: BRASS ENSEMBLE: FRONT ROW: Dodi Corn, Carol Hall, Mike Pearson, Lisa Reed, Wanda Kidwell, and Michele Ortiz; **BACK ROW:** Trisha Carr, Amy Begue, Becky Walker, Linda Reed, Scott Grieve, and Angela Byler. **ABOVE: FRESHMAN PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE: FRONT ROW:** Neal Barnes, and Doug Cunningham; **BACK ROW:** Kent Sewell, and Ryan Schmitz.



BELOW: FLUTE ENSEMBLE: FRONT: Tonya Burris, and Jody Young; **SECOND ROW:** Lisa Montgomery, and Pam Bergsten; **BACK:** Donna Reed.



Tamara Miller Crowned Band Queen

Tamara Miller, senior, was crowned Band Queen on Monday, May 6, 1987. The Queen and the Court are as follows: Left to right: Lara Bobbitt, Kristie Essig, Tamara Miller, Kristie Holloway, and Dana Mills.



Right: Kristie Essig, senior, is one of the members in the court. Her escort for the evening was Corey Lewis. Bottom right: Lara Bobbitt, senior, is another member of the court. Her escort for the evening was Mark Melton. Far right: Tamara Miller, Band Queen, gives a winning smile and her escort is Mark Blumer, senior. The Band members nominate and choose a Band Queen every year. The girls not picked as Queen are members of the Queen's Court and are in no particular order.





*Left: Band Queen, Tamara Miller, senior;
Above left: Court member, Dana Mills, senior. Her escort was Jim O'Shields; Above right: Kristi Holloway, senior, also a court member and her escort was Rob Kistler.*



Above: The I.H.S. Concert Band members are: Jody Young, Tonya Burris, Pam Bergsten, Donna Reed, Tonya Taliaferro, Mona Johnson, Stephanie Norton, Jessica Travis, Kelly Rigney, Lisa Montgomery, Tamara Miller, Angela Nelson, Michelle Woodcox, Candra Drake, Michelle England, Rochelle Wilson, Lara Young, Wendy Beckman, Stephanie Milner, Dede LeRoy, Alex Carpenter, Dana Houser, Melissa Rose, Kristie Essig, Mark Blumer, Angela Meadows, Ann Gibson, Kim Foster, Leigh Hinthorn, Joel Williams, Shelley Bechtle, Kristi Holloway, Alissa Cessna, Melissa Beeman, Jan Grieve, Tammy Bennett, Dana Mills, Crystal Furnas, Rob Fann, Mark Lasater, Danita Cotner, Geri Hart, Kendall Cottrell, James Nicholson, Lara Bobbitt, Kennen Simmons, Mike Speer, Lynn Mount, Rob Kistler, David Rothgeb, Corey Lewis, Mark Melton, Jim O'Shields, Bart Smith, Hans Landwehr, Steve Meyers, and Instructor, Don Farthing.

The Band's last performance was May 18, 1987, the District #446 Band and Orchestra concert at Losey.

Lil' Abner

Introduces The Hicks Of '86

The 1987 spring musical arrived early this year. It got here just in time for Thanksgiving. Lil' Abner was presented November 21 and 22 in the IHS auditorium. Director Jodie Russell made the decision to schedule the musical in the fall to avoid student conflicts in the spring. Auditions were held September 15 and 16. Accompanists were Dana Atken and Juanita Atkisson. The stage crew consisted of Michelle Kettleman, Deborah Crawshaw, Kathy Smith, and Carolyn Bryant. Rachel Wormington also helped backstage.



Lil' Abner, the musical, was based on a cartoon by Al Capp. Lil' Abner (Andy Stuckey) has taken Yokumberry Tonic ever since he was born. Daisy Mae (Alisa Nickel) has been tryin' to catch Abner on Sadie Hawkins Day ever since she could remember. She was sure she'd catch Abner this year. Well, Dogpatch is the most unnecessary place in the U.S. and is now the best spot to test atom bombs. Sadie Hawkins Day will be history. Since Earthquake McGoon (Jeff Farthing) has claimed Daisy for purposes of marriage, everyone tries to find something that will make Dogpatch necessary. Mammy Kokum (Carol Strecker) wumps her special Yokumberry Tonic from the berries of her Yokumberry tree. This body building tonic saves the town. Abner goes to Washington to give the rights of the tonic to the government. General Bullmoose (Ron Porter) tries to get the tonic by putting a suicidal whammie on the gullible Yokum. Little do they know that the tonic unromanticized Abner. Thanks to Pappy (Leigh Lanning) and Jubilation T. Cornpone's romanticizin' potion, they romanticized Abner. Dogpatch is saved! President Lincoln leaves a message in the statue of Jubilation declaring it a national shrine. And everyone knows you can't bomb a national shrine!



UPPER RIGHT: "Just look at them muscles!" Pappy Yokum (Leigh Lanning) informs everyone that Abner (Andy Stuckey) got his muscles from taking Yokumberry Tonic all his life. ABOVE: Daisy Mae, Alisa Nickel, hopes and prays that Abner will let her catch him on Sadie Hawkins Day.



TOP LEFT: Mayor Dogmeat, (Chris Hall) explains to Earthquake McGoon, (Jeff Farthing) that there isn't going to be "no more Sadie Hawkins Day."
 TOP: Our three scientists, Julie Thomas, Angie Greer, and Kathy Hellen, along with Professor Finsdale, (Jeff Nichols) tell us that happy days are here ever since Yokum Berry Tonic.



LEFT: Available Jones, (Jim O'Shields) and Abner, (Andy Stuckey) contemplate their "druthers" while fishing.

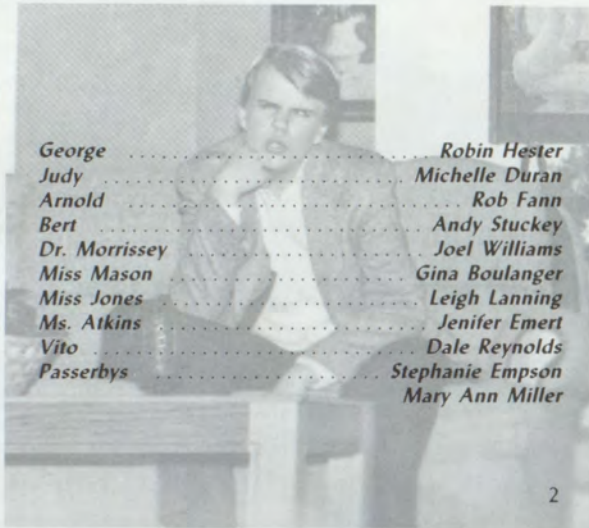
UPPER LEFT: Gen. Bullmoose, (Ron Porter) tells us "What's Good for General Bullmoose is Good for the U.S.A."
 ABOVE: The Government Man, (Robin Hester) test drinks some Kick-a-poo Joy Juice that Hairless Joe, (Dennis Barns) whipped up.

Send Me No Flowers



The 1987 School Play was *Send Me No Flowers*. It was presented on April 24 in the IHS Auditorium. "The crowd was small but responsive," said Michelle Duran. The play was another success for director Rachel Torbett.

The story line was based around a hyochondriac who by mistake thought he was dying. George Kimbal (Robin Hester) overheard Dr. Morrissey (Joel Williams) telling another doctor about a patient who was dying. George planned out his funeral, cemetary plot, and even tried to set his wife, Judy (Michelle Duran), up with another man. When Judy found out, she accused George of having an affair. Judy found out the real truth, she offered George a proposition. She would forget about the little affair if he promised to never complain about his aches and pains again.



George	Robin Hester
Judy	Michelle Duran
Arnold	Rob Fann
Bert	Andy Stuckey
Dr. Morrissey	Joel Williams
Miss Mason	Gina Boulanger
Miss Jones	Leigh Lanning
Ms. Atkins	Jenifer Emert
Vito	Dale Reynolds
Passerbys	Stephanie Empson
	Mary Ann Miller

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1. Bert (Andy Stuckey) and Judy (Michelle Duran) catch up on the old college days.
2. Dr. Morrissey (Joel Williams) thinks about his life if he was a shrink instead of a medical doctor.
3. "I'll never leave you!" exclaims Judy (Michelle Duran) as she comforts George (Robin Hester).

4. Arnold (Rob Fann) heals his sorrow about George's death with a handy bottle of whiskey.
5. Miss Atkins (Jenifer Emert) explains to George the position of his cemetary plot in his final resting place, Eternal Gardens.

National Forensics League A Top Notch Group

National Forensics League met every second Wednesday of the month this year. To qualify for the club one had to earn 25 NFL points through debate or forensics events. The members enjoyed each others' company along with games during their meetings. Sponsor of the club this year was Ellen Ross. "This has been a satisfying season, but we expect it to be better next year."



Front row: Tamara Miller, Chris Stephens, Leigh Lanning, Ben Eastep. Second row: Cindi Burck, Marli Rieck, Michelle Duran, Angela Blex, Rick Rigney, Lynn Mount. Third row: Amy Heimberger, Felicia Barbera, Carol Strecker, Anthony Hill, Kirt Leyda, Mark Lasater. Top row: Joel Williams, Shelly Nelson, David Rothgeb, Robin Smith, Alan DeFever, David Woodard, Mark Blumer

NFL Officers: Shelly Nelson, president; Joel Williams, secretary; Kurt Leyda, vice-president; and Felicia Barbera, historian. During an NFL meeting, Lynn Mount, sophomore, presents her informative, "Rock Around the Clock", to the club.



Orange And Black Staff

Produces The Touch

Working with their own special touch, twelve students, three photographers, and one advisor worked nine months to produce the 1986-87 Orange and Black yearbook.

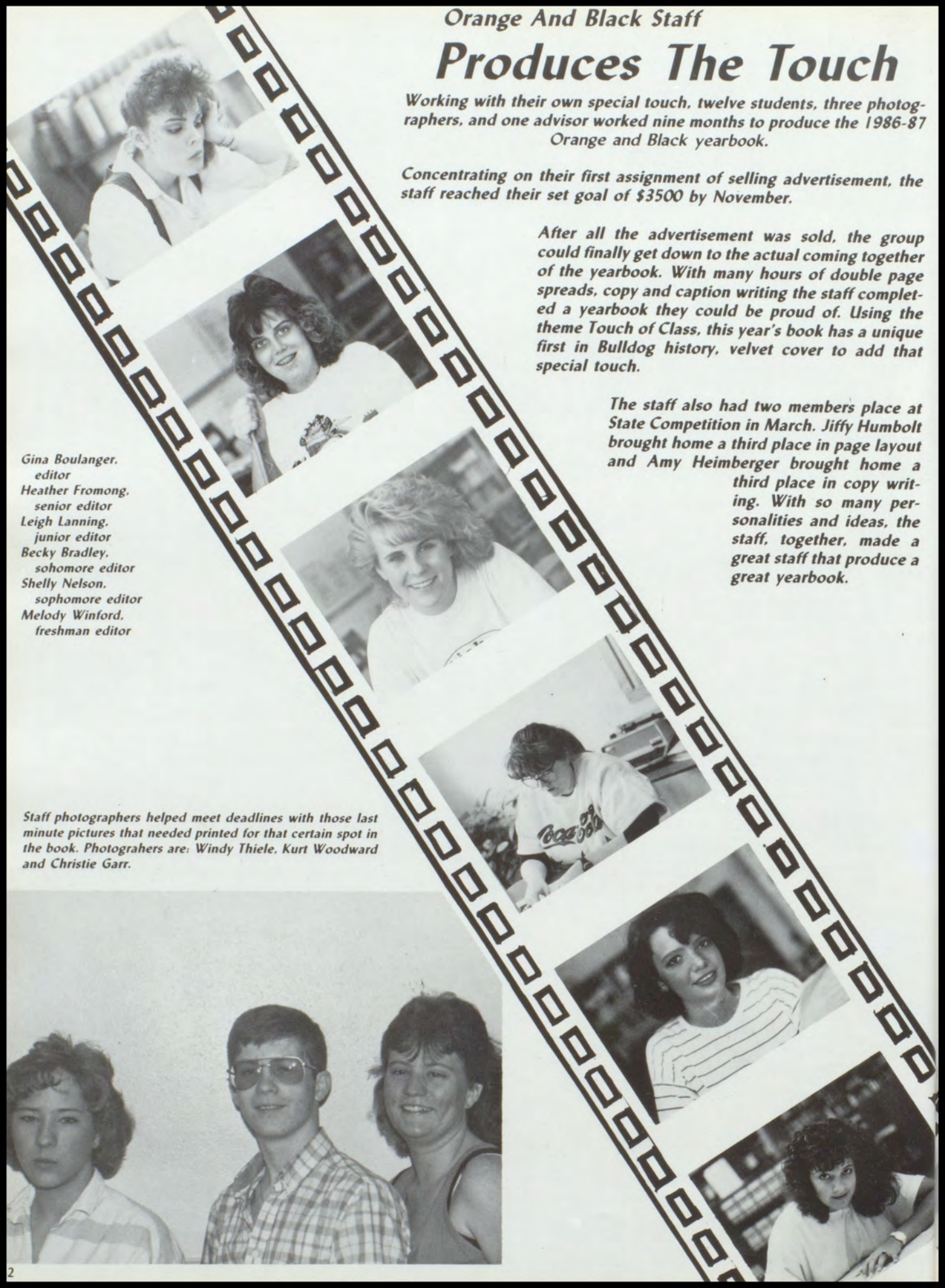
Concentrating on their first assignment of selling advertisement, the staff reached their set goal of \$3500 by November.

After all the advertisement was sold, the group could finally get down to the actual coming together of the yearbook. With many hours of double page spreads, copy and caption writing the staff completed a yearbook they could be proud of. Using the theme Touch of Class, this year's book has a unique first in Bulldog history, velvet cover to add that special touch.

The staff also had two members place at State Competition in March. Jiffy Humbolt brought home a third place in page layout and Amy Heimberger brought home a third place in copy writing. With so many personalities and ideas, the staff, together, made a great staff that produce a great yearbook.

*Gina Boulanger,
editor
Heather Fromong,
senior editor
Leigh Lanning,
junior editor
Becky Bradley,
sophomore editor
Shelly Nelson,
sophomore editor
Melody Winford,
freshman editor*

Staff photographers helped meet deadlines with those last minute pictures that needed printed for that certain spot in the book. Photographers are: Windy Thiele, Kurt Woodward and Christie Garr.





The Orange and Black staff for the 1986-87 school year:
 Bottom row: Leigh Lanning, Jiffy Humbolt, Melody Winford.
 Second row: Rene Neeley, Becky Bradley, Heather Fromong.
 Third row: Maia Moore, Jennifer Rowland, Curtis Andres, LeAnn Muse. Top row: Kurt Woodward.



Jiffy Humbolt,
 sports editor
 Maia Moore,
 activities editor
 Rene Neeley,
 faculty editor
 LeAnn Muse,
 clubs editor
 Jennifer Rowland,
 business manager
 Curtis Andres,
 freshman editor
 Amy Heimberger,
 student life editor.
 (Not pictured)



With the leadership of advisor Connie Harding, below, the yearbook met many deadlines and got through many rush jobs.



Journalism Students Publish In Style

During the course of the year, The Student staff has kept the student body informed of school news and happenings. The staff worked hard this year to get out a total of 15 issues of the paper. "I think we have had a great year and a good staff to work with and the progress in the paper showed," commented newspaper editor, Heather Fromong.

On top of getting out the school newspaper three staff members placed highly at the Regional Journalism contest at PSU on March 12. Placing in the competition were Heather Fromong, first place in newspaper make-up; David Davidson, third place in advertising design; and Jamie Heimberger, third place in editing. All three participated in the state contest.

The Journalism staff sponsored a Computer Fun project in February which they sold compatible list to the students. The project was a good fund raiser for journalism expenses. "There has been some ups and downs this year but overall the year has been good. The quality of the paper has really gone up from previous years and we're proud of that," said Fromong.



Second Semester Journalism Students, Front Row: June Scott, Cheryl Foster, Anita Shelton. Second Row: Kurt Woodward, Heather Fromong. Back Row: Jamie Heimberger, David Davidson, Gina Boulanger, Mrs. Connie Harding, advisor.



First Semester Journalism, Front Row: Cheryl Foster, Anita Shelton, Kathy Hellen, Amy Randles. Second Row: Heather Fromong, Jamie Heimberger, J.J. Hight, Kurt Woodward. Third Row: Windy Theile, Joel Chambers, Dale Reynolds, Gina Boulanger.



Editor, Heather Fromong pauses as she corrects a mistake on one of the many stories published this year.



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As the auditorium was harvested in bright orange, pumpkins mixed with corn stocks and hay bales set the setting on October 12, awaiting the crowning of the Fall Sports Queen. With Andy Stuckey, junior, as the announcer, the members of the court were named and Faith was then crowned queen by her escort, Tyler Higgins. Members of the court and their escorts for the assembly and presentation at the football game against Ottawa were, below, Vicki Hackett, escorted by Bruce Hurford; Cindi Burck, escorted by John Fitzpatrick; Tamara Miller, escorted by Thomas Jones; and Stacey Norton, escorted by Terry Henson. Mindy and Michelle Thompson carried the flowers and served the crown.

After the nominations were made by the fall sports teams, the student body then voted on five candidates each. From the votes, the top five were announced. The football team then made the final decision. Following the Homecoming Game, a dance was sponsored by Student Council in Faith's honor.

Faith Palmer Crowned Fall Sports Queen



Taking her seat in the queen's chair, Michelle Duran, senior, was crowned 1987 Winter Sports Queen on January 27.

"I was really excited about getting on court because all the other court members were my close friends. Then when I won I was so surprised and truly honored."

At the coronation assembly John Fitzpatrick, senior, escorted Michelle. The members of the court included Carol Strecker, senior, escorted by Jeff Farthing, junior; Vicki Hackett, senior, escorted by Joel Chambers, senior; Geri K. Hart, junior, escorted by Guy Earle, senior; and Leigha Hawkins, senior, escorted by Todd Layton, senior. The crown bearer was Fabion Hernandez and the flower girl was Jordan Paugh. The queen and her court were treated to a reception after the coronation sponsored by Sherry Staton, home economics teacher, and her students. The girls received charm necklaces from Stuco and basketballs painted by Rachel Wormington, art instructor. Michelle also received a crown and a bouquet of flowers.



Michelle Duran Wins Winter Sports Queen



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Annette Boulanger



Jeremy Boyd



Kristin Boyd



Bonnie Bradley



Chris Bretches



Kurtis Brewster



Todd Brooks



Trala Bruner



Barbara Bryant



Carolyn Bryant



Doug Burnett



Tonya Burris



Andrea Butler



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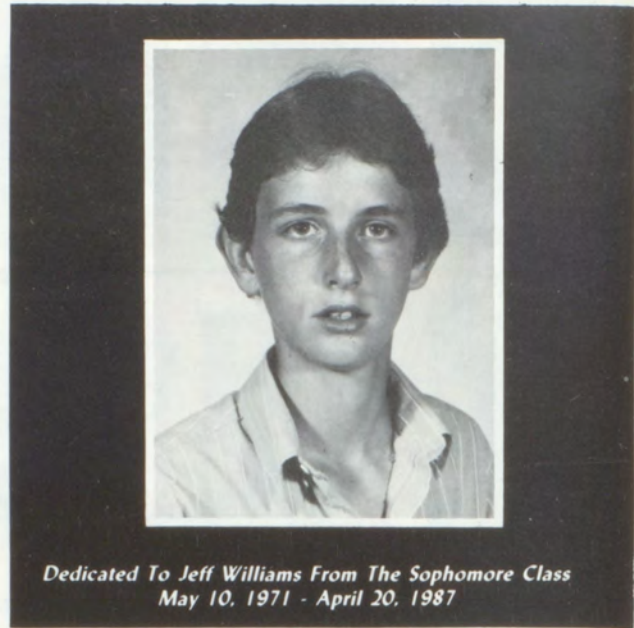
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*Dedicated To Jeff Williams From The Sophomore Class
May 10, 1971 - April 20, 1987*



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Sam Main



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John Martin



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Christy Mayes



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Mary Ann Miller



Jennifer Mitchell



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Kelly Robinson

Dee Fann

Friendliest
Jeff Nichols

Kim Fitzpatrick

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Darrin Botts

Dana Newmeyer

Best Body
Chad Strange

Dana Newmeyer

Cutest Couple
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Ann-Marie Gibson

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Julie Paugh

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Jimmy Leiker

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Best Dressed
Chad Strange

Julie Paugh

Best Legs
Jeff Nichols

Kim Fitzpatrick

Most Likely To Succeed
Ty Borders

Lisa Strahm

Most Obnoxious
Kyle Morgan

Donna Childers

SONG- "Walk This Way"

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COLOR- Blue

NFL TEAM- Bears

MOVIE- Ferris Buller's Day Off

FOOD- Pizza

COLLEGE- KU



Lynn Mount



Christy Muller



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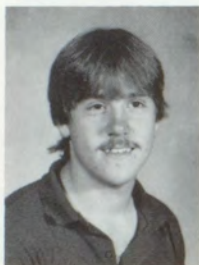
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Kathy Smith



Kim Smith



Tracy Smith



Shannon Stafford



Stacy Stevens



Lori Stockton



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS: Back row left: Kermit Johnson, President; Jeff Nichols, Vice President; front row Lisa Strahm, Treasurer; Ann-Marie Gibson, Secretary.

The sophomore class had a more relaxing year this year than last. They found their lockers, successfully mapped out IHS, and finally stopped shaking. 1986-87 was a time of change for the Class of '89.

It was a time of being in the middle: no longer the babies, and not quite an upper-classman. For the first time, they experienced cruising town legally and enjoying a little more respect, and the Class of '89 is definitely a group that should be respected. There's outstanding speech students, varsity football and basketball players, state-qualifying golfers, and forensicators; incredible musical talent, track stars, and of course, many, many sincerely nice people.



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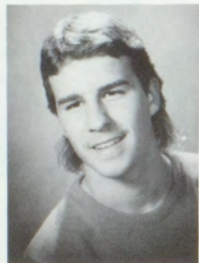
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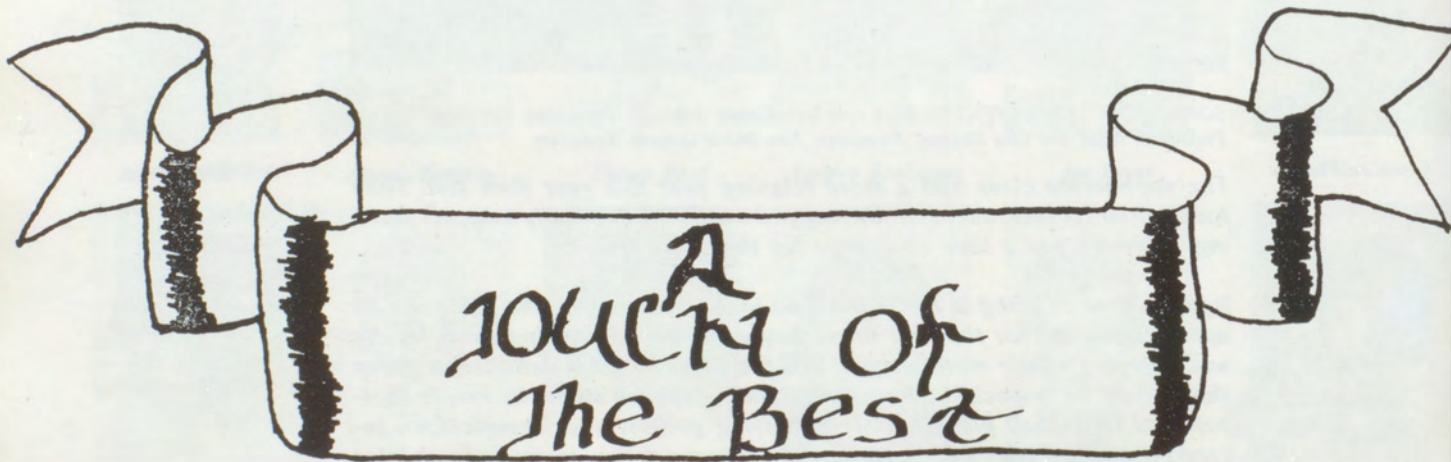


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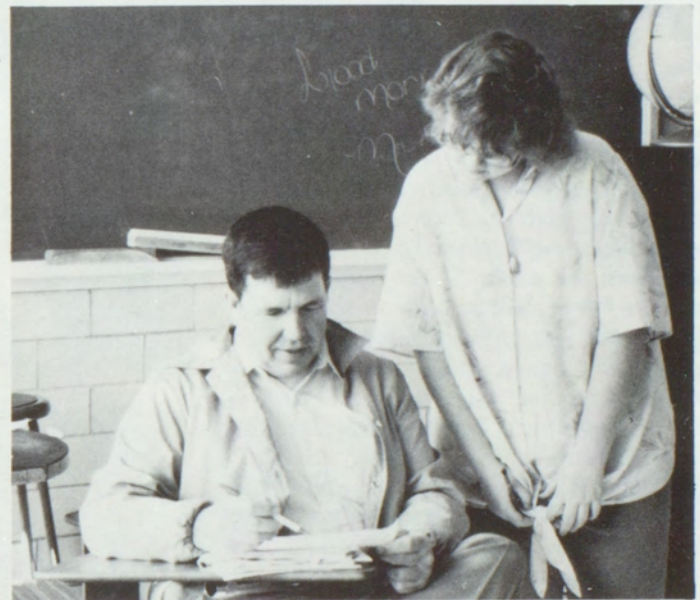


Darrin Botts

NOT PICTURED
 Michelle Curtis
 Jeremy Davis
 Ramona Johnson
 La Tonya Jones
 Dana Neumeir
 Robert Nolen
 Chad Strange
 Tonya Taliaferro
 David Westervelt



Academics



Eleven years ago he walked through the doors of IHS and walked into a challenge. But now he's walking out the same doors to move himself on to another challenge in his career. Sitting in his office, Ed Sink says, "This office holds a lot of memories." Eleven years filled with memories, however, to Mr. Sink it seemed just like yesterday when he stepped into his job here at IHS.

If a person were to ask anyone how IHS was 11 years ago they'd probably answer with a laugh. Discipline was weak, attendance was down and break time looked like the fighting ring in a Rocky movie. When asked what was his first reaction to IHS, Mr. Sink said, "The first month I didn't know if I made the right move because everything was so unsettled." Mr. Sink met the challenge that was knocking on his door as he entered his job as principal at IHS. "One person can't make a difference. I had a good staff and board to work with," replied Mr. Sink and he also commented they took a new approach toward discipline and did what was needed to be done. Consistency was the most important thing in his term as principal, he felt.

Moving on to a new job isn't always the easiest move. When asked what he'd miss the most about his job here, Mr. Sink said without hesitation, "the student body and the staff. The student body is the best I've ever been associated with and the staff is a great group of professionals." Leaning back in his chair, he adds, "I am really sincere when I say I take a lot of pride in the student body. I'm not just blowing a lot of smoke."

So who will replace "Big Ed" as principal of IHS? Jo Brookshier, current vice-principal, became new principal. Mr. Sink felt the board picked the best replacement for him. When asked what the last thing he would tell that replacement, Mr. Sink said he'd tell her she had a good group of individuals to work with, but "there isn't anything that can't be improved upon or done better." He felt it's a good job for anyone to step into. For the light side of the situation for all the nights spent worrying about what will happen to all his orange and black ties and jackets Mr. Sink has accumulated through the years, he will leave them for the next person who comes along. "However, they'll have to be altered. They would be a tent for someone else," he replied with a laugh. As we walked into the school's office, the door on the right will no longer be Mr. Sink's office; someone new will replace him and he will move on to another challenge of his career. For 11 years, Mr. Sink has dedicated his time to making IHS a better place for students to be educated in. Now that he's moving on to the next challenge in his career, it's Independence's loss and Oswego's gain.



In Special Recognition



Mr. Sink Top Dog At IHS



Principal, Edwin Sink makes his selection. Below: Mr. Sink carries the disciplinary action by pointing the finger at Dale Reynolds.





Doug Lee, Athletic Director



Top Row: Robb Fann, Paris Blake, Kirt Leyda, Shawn Rose, Shelly Nelson, Shawn Simpson. Middle Row: Kermit Johnson, Joel Williams, Todd Layton, Stephanie Milner, Felicia Barbera, Yona Brown. Front Row: Kathy Smith, Troy Weatherhead, Dawn McAtee, Beth Lapen.



Joanne Brookshier, Assistant Principal.



Paul Fairbank, Director of Guidance.



Marolyn Hardy, Counselor.



Charles Mock, Superintendent.

Joanne Brookshier has been at IHS for three years. She came here from a 2A high school called Moundridge, where she was principal. In her spare time she enjoys running, aerobics, camping, gardening, and other outside activities. Besides being the first female principal at IHS, she was also the first female vocational director in Kansas. "Being a woman has never stopped me before," says Mrs. Brookshier. Mrs. Brookshier has three children - two sons and a daughter. Her eldest son, Mike who graduated from K-State with a double major in architecture, and finance, lives in California and work at an architecture firm.

Her daughter Jody, is a seventh grade science teacher in Pheonix. Her youngest son, Matt is now in the Army. Mrs. Brookshier is to be taking the position as Principal next year. "I'm looking forward to one positive aspect of becoming Principal."

Board of Education: Cindy Empson, President; John O. Palmer, Vice President; Jay Coffee, Assistant Superintendent.



Steward Crow, Sue Woods, Tim Emert, Donna Rothgeb, Public Relations; Clarence Smith.



Special Education Has Special Class



The Special Education room at IHS is filled with warmth that a person can feel as he nears the door. Crossing the threshold one can see the time clock which is used to promote job skills. These students are taught in the Special Education class as well as being mainstreamed into such classes as industrial arts, ceramics, physical education, vocal music, typing, and drawing. They are required to have at least two semesters of special home economics. They participate in group work in English, history, and job skills.

Dorothy Rockers has taught at IHS for nine years. In commenting on teaching special education Mrs. Rockers said, "The Special Education class has given me an opportunity to enjoy teaching in a way I never had before as an English or biology teacher or as a full time substitute. I love having students who try so hard and enjoy their success as no other students I have ever taught. This is a labor of love for me."



1. Paraprofessional Lois Mount and teacher Larry Holandsworth.
2. Teacher Dorothy Rockers and paraprofessionals Olga Garcia, Chris Johnson, and Gloria Price.
3. Juniors Ramona Dodson, Carolyn Schlegel (student assistant) and Senior LaVera Johnson pass the time by collating paper for IHS teachers.
4. Babbs Emert, junior, and Kim Noley, senior, determine what angle to place the Christmas decoration settled between them.
5. Frank Bronson searches for his assignment folder to begin his daily procedures.
6. Tri-Co students, Tim Duby, Tracy Foster and Mike Burns, seniors NOT PICTURED Thomas Dunn, David McRoberts, Russ Peyton, Lee Shoaf, and Mike Wilson.

Students Prepare For Outside World



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This year the Community Volunteer Program carried 160 hours of students. Some of the most popular sites are Sam's Mens Wear and Mercy Hospital. Diana Helen took over Job Service (Youth and Business) this year. Youth and Business helps students make the change over from school to work. Many students receive permanent jobs through this program.

1. Diana Helen, Job Specialist
2. Shirley Slater, Librarian
3. Independence High Q team, alternate, Benjamin Schmickle, freshman, David Rothgeb, Captain Shari Swearingen, senior, Marli Rieck, junior, and Kristie Essig
4. Patti Nichols, Alternative Learning Center.
5. Janette Thompson and Mary Lou Palmer, Library Clerk, Extended Learning, Front Row: Angie Borders, Angela Blex, Laurie Jennings, Robb Romans, Alisa Nickel, Marli Rieck, Middle Row: advisor, Valerie Sullivan, Chris True, Heather Adams, Machel Farmer, Stephanie Milner, Eric Lundt, Sohari Hassen. Third Row: Joel Williams, Benjamin Schmickle, Stacy Norton, Robin Smith, Kyle Knop, Shelly Nelson, Perri Wormington, Kristie Holloway
7. Shirlene Turner, Community Volunteer Program.



Foreign Language Improves Communication



Gloria Winder, French and Latin teacher. Rocky Shire, Spanish. J.J. Heaves and Janne Kovanen IHS foreign exchange students.



There are three foreign languages taught at IHS. They are French, Spanish, and Latin. The French and Spanish classes consist of first, second, and third years with the fourth year being Independent Study. Latin is a one year class only. It is focused on pre-law and pre-medicine. Latin can increase a student's English vocabulary about 3,000 to 4,000 words. Students are able to join the club of the language that they choose to learn. There are a French, Spanish, and Latin club at IHS.



Diane Borvetz, Angela Blex, Rochelle Neeley, freshmen, take notes in third hour French class.

Home Economics Prepares For The Future



Peggy Courtney and Sherry Staton Home Economics teachers.

Amy Randles, senior, begins the hour by arranging the pattern pieces on the table in front of her. Senior Shannon Clarj begins sewing after completing the cutting of her pattern pieces.



Lori Stockton, freshman, receives a loving goodbye hug from Jessie Clubine, a student in Mrs. Courtney's Bulldog Preschool.

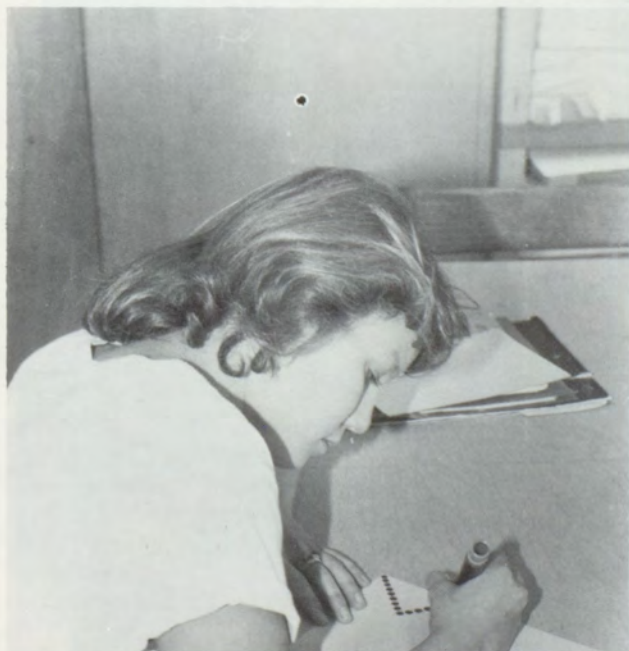
Home Economics classes enrollment has not only increased it has increased in male enrollment. A class that a person may enroll in is Sewing For Me which is the first step in the three classes of sewing. Gourmet Cooking is the top cooking class offered at IHS besides Independent Study. In this class the student can experience the feel of Mexico, France, and the USA, via their cuisine. They also learn how to prepare fancy desserts such as Baked Alaska, Chocolate Mousse, and the very popular Crepe.



Fine Arts, A Step Into The Future

Rachel Wormington, art teacher helps Guy Earle, senior, with his art project.

2. Judy Jones, Orchestra teacher 3. Jodie Russell, Choir Director 4. Don Farthing, Band Director 5. Bill Trousie, Ceramics and Jewelry teacher 6. Lisa Winebrenner, Freshman, concentrates on her dot design for Design class.



The Fine Arts Department consists of Drawing, Painting, Ceramics, and Jewelry.

In the Drawing I class you learn the basics of drawing that you can use for all the other fine arts classes. You use many materials such as, ink, hard and soft pencils, watercolors, and many others.

Taking Care Of Business



ABOVE Ron Sheets, Business. MIDDLE Carole King, Business. Larry Maskus, Business..



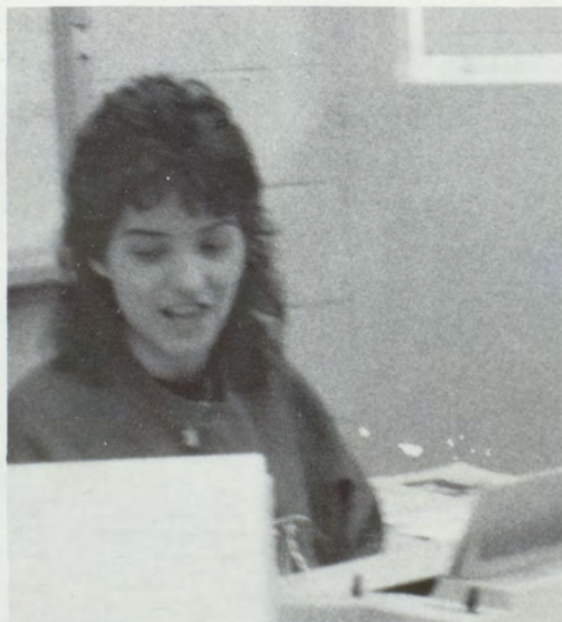
LEFT Steve Swope, senior, concentrates on his computer assignment for the day. BELOW Miss Wetter's first hour computer class works to complete their assignments.



About 80 percent of all jobs are business related. We are told that computers are a thing of the future but, for students at IHS, it's just another class during the day. There are many business related classes available such as, Introduction to Computers, Computer Programing, Short hand and Typing classes I through IV.



ABOVE Juliana Wetter, Business. RIGHT Miss Wetter helps student Darin Jones, senior, complete his computer program.



Kathy Moulds, senior, types a letter in her first hour Typing IV class.

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Above: Jackie McKenzie, english
Left: Linda Spencer, english
Below: Rachel Torbett, english
Right: Lea Shepard, english, speech



Freddie Jayne, english



The English department offers courses ranging from basic, being the simplest form of English to general, being a moderate English course then to advanced and for those seniors there is a college preparatory class available for those college bound students. There are drama, forensics and debate for those outgoing individuals. Journalism and yearbook courses are also available



David Torbette, english

Connie Harding, English, Journalism. Susan Main, English.



Freddie Nell Jayne's third hour class works diligently to complete their assignment for the day



Ellen Ross, english, debate, forensics



Sharpening industrial skills

Being able to take a raw material and make it into a finished product is quite an accomplishment. The industrial arts class students have been working very hard on various projects this year, accomplishing this goal. The classes include Materials and Processes I, Machine Woodworking Technology, Advanced Metals, Mechanical Drawing, Architectural Design, Power and Energy, Advanced Cabinet and Furniture Making, and Introduction to Industrial Arts.



Jim Hogan, shop instructor

Top: Billy Johnson, Junior, and David Westervelt, Sophomore, change blades on a dade machine. Afternoon Vo-Tech- BACK ROW: Kurt Meeks, Randy Hare, Gerald Rice, Kent Spellman, Buddy Grossman, Kent Augustine, Kennen Simmons, Mike Robinson. MIDDLE ROW: Roger Linn, Jamie McManus, Mike Hare, Leo Gullick, Jeff Smith, Dale Willingham. FRONT ROW: Mike Quinn, Jeff Newman, Mike Munniger, Larry Graves, Chris Hoffman, Kevin Simmons. Morning Vo-Tech- FRONT ROW: Tom Holeman, Philip Groth. BACK ROW: Jim Cude, Albert Austin, Russell Ballew.



Tim Knoles, shop teacher, mechanical drawing



Math Department

19 + 87 = Class



Heather Main, Junior, and April Leib, Freshman, exchange looks as each seeks help from Mr. Hoose.



Todd Layton, Senior, finds that Doc's pre-calc tests leave him on the edge of his seat.

Students are involved in many different aspects of school, but all are involved with some class of mathematics. There are nine classes of math offered at IHS. Examples include Career Math, Algebra, Geometry, and Precalculus. Students must pass two units of math to graduate along with passing the Kansas Competency Test as sophomores.



Kent Gant, Mathematics, Physical Science.



Don Collins,
Algebra.

Beverly Willis,
Algebra,
Geometry.



Richard Hoose,
Algebra.

Jean Lundt,
Algebra,
Geometry.



Jim Markle,
Mathematics,
Physical Science.



IHS MAKES HISTORY WITH social science



Boys' and Girl's State: Sarah Blakenship, Carol Strecker, Kathy Hellen, David Rothgeb, Scott Henderson, Chris Furnas, Kirt Ledy.

*Top Left- Ray Emmot, current events, government, criminal law
Bill Ferguson, american history, world history I&II*

Mark Coder, psychology, Kansas history, advanced citizenship, citizenship

*Above left- Bill Singleton, citizenship, american history
above right- Wayne Landwehr, consumer survey*

The Social Science department offers freshman an encounter with Citizenship; then as a sophomore, it's off to Consumer Survey. Juniors take American History and the student reaches the top when American Government is completed.



MODEL U.N.: FRONT ROW: Angela Blex, Laurie Jennings, Stephanie Milner, Harold Smart, Felicia Barbera. MIDDLE ROW: Alisa Nickel, Kirt Leyda, Kellie Milner, Carol Strecker, Rodney Gay, Joel Williams. BACK ROW: Jiffy Humbolt, Heather Adams, Benjamin Schmickle, Perri Wormington, Shelly Nelson, Kristi Holloway, Shari Swearingen.



Shelley Swyers, senior, and Joel Chambers, senior, found dissecting the dog fish shark in Mr. Shelton's Botany-Zoology class a blast.



Bottom left- Larry Rutter, Biology, above: Lloyd Harding, Chemistry, Physics, Top left- Thornton Shelton, Biology and Botany-Zoology.

Exact Science At IHS

The Science classes of the 1986-87 school year had great success. In Thornton Shelton's Botany-Zoology class the students were guided in the process of dissecting a dogfish shark and a fetile pig, and let's not forget the twelve inch earthworms and the overgrown bullfrog. "It was interesting to observe the creatures and know how they function." Anita Shelton.



Larry Rutter's biology classes had time to learn about their ancestors by making a pedigree chart for a nine weeks project. Rutter's classes also experienced some dissecting of amphibians to help get a better knowledge of how the human body functions.

The Physical Science classes kept up a steady pace studying light waves and ohms.

The chemistry class stayed busy concocting chemical potions and calculating moles of KSCN in the lab. The physics class experienced a basic study of shock absorbing. In all one would gain a great deal of knowledge by partaking of the IHS science courses.



Trish Carr, Freshman, double checks her work before handing it in.



Top: Ron Schwatken, Physical Science.
Bottom: Charles Daneke, Physical Science.



Jim Austin, Junior, works hard for his grade in Larry Rutter's Biology class.



First and second semester office assistants, LaVerna Anderson, Vicki Hackett, Adam Watts, Michelle Taylor, Second row Shelly High, Joy Tucker, DeAnna Childers, Kristi Essig, Jan Grieve, Bottom Row Shelley Bechtle, LaVera Johnson, Shelly Ramsey, Shannon Wallis

Physical Education Gets Physically Fit

The Physical Education offered this year was Boys and Girls P.E. I and Health and Boys and Girls P.E. II. Both teach the student the importance of a healthy body and how to keep it that way. These classes teach first aid procedures and helpful ways to prevent accidents. P.E. II concentrates on sports such as basketball, tumbling, badminton. Students are required to have one unit of Physical Education.



Top: Cindi Burke returns the Volley ball to the other team and scores a point. Below: Kristi Speicher and Mike Boyd Physical Education teachers.



Annette Boulanger scores the winning point for her team in her second hour P.E. class.



School Personnel And Food Service



Donna Payne, Guidance counselor secretary, Ann Schwatken, bookkeeper, Sandra Craig, Principal's Secretary, Juanita Carpenter, Vice Principal's Secretary, not pictured, Jan Allison.

Mavis Jones, school aid, makes copies for IHS teachers as part of her daily routine.



Front Row: Hilda Clem, Minnie Sumner, and Carlyn Spoonemore. Second Row: Leola Adams, Helen Bryant, Cheryl Schaub, and Mary Tarrant. Back Row: Anthony Sprague, Jamie Bateman, Amy Brooks, Linda Graham, Helen Verge, Peggy Harlan, Peggy Oliver, Beverly Spears, Emma Cain, Ginny Littlepage, and Earline Foster.

The food services is now in a new location. It now takes up the commons area. Earline Foster has been employed with IHS for seven years. She is the Director of Food Service. She can usually be seen in the Food Service building surveying the lines of students all ready to eat the prepared food.

IHS janitors are often seen sweeping the colorful floors of the high school. Ron Taylor, head custodian, is always busy whether it is cleaning floors or cleaning out cluttered closets. What would we do without them?



Left: Ron Taylor, head custodian. Bottom: Glen Sutton, Wilbur Eifler, Jim Shelby, not pictured-Sherrion Green (custodian)



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Freshmen



Kara Woods: president
Stephanie Empson: vice-president
Wencie Agosto: secretary
Angie Borders: treasurer



The members of the freshmen class underwent a variety of emotions during their first few weeks at high school during the autumn of 1986. Fear, frustration, anxiety, and relief were all felt by the freshmen in September. Such fears and frustrations include congested halls, brown tardy slips, confusing locker combinations, non-sympathetic teachers, impossible homework assignments, unfriendly upperclassmen, indescribable Dog House food, and revealing gym showers. However, they found relief by October as they grew accustomed to the new surroundings and gained the security to just be themselves.

When asked what makes the freshmen class unique, Mike Osborn replied, "We all have a lot of different personalities and that helps us function as a class." Cindy Humbolt said, "Our whole class really participates in sports; they have a lot of spirit and they support all of the teams."



Above: Kim Zemlock, freshman, improves her accuracy in Typing I, but finds herself reaching for her liquid paper after smiling for the camera. Right: After spending much time graphing in Industrial Arts, Jeff McManus and Steven Henderson, freshmen, anxiously await the results of their work.



Heather Adams
Wencie Agosto
Diane Allen
Brian Allerheilgen
Andrea Andres
Toni Asher



Bret Bailey
Elaine Baldwin
Randy Ballew
Pamela Barker
Travis Barta
Heather Belt



Amy Beque
Leesa Billingsly
Angela Blex
Ryan Bliss
Karin Bock
Philip Bohr



Ronnie Bohr
Angelyn Borders
Diane Borvetz
Robert Bowen
Frank Bronson
Kenneth Brown



Greeting the photographer with an enthusiastic wave and a friendly smile, Melissa Rutter, freshman, the Greeter, and Monica Mah, freshman, get into the Neewollah spirit.

Yona Brown
Richard Bruce
Adam Bryant



Derek Bryant
Michael Bryant
Sandi Bryant



John Burck
Angela Byler
Chris Carpenter



Christine Carr
Tricia Carr
Kristin Clover





*Dwight Coda
Dodi Corn
Danita Cotner
Brian Council
Doug Cunningham
James Davidson*



*Shelly DeVore
Jason Dick
Buddy Drake
Melvin Duke
Thad Duke
Ben Eastep*



*Tony Edwards
Danny Edwards
Shawn Eidson
Stephanie Empson
Ricky Eytheson
Cindy Farlow*



*John Favero
Buddy Finney
Teresa Freeman
Daniel Frith
Teri Fultz
Tim Garoutte*



*Johnna Garr
Brian Gentry
Audrey Gidney
Paula Gillespie
Sheldon Gillespie
Steven Godinez*



The photographer catches Kim Wilson, freshman, concentrating on her first semester English final.



*Karen Goodman
Scott Grieve
Stacy Guinn*



*Carol Hall
Joshua Hardy
Cynthia Harvey*



*Travis Hefley
Kevin Helt
Steven Henderson*



*Jason Henry
Alvin Hill
Gregory Hill*



*Bridget Hille
Melinda Hixson
Christina Holt
Rex Horning
Cynthia Humbolt
Todd Hyatt*



*Brian Jabben
Krystal Jackson
Catharine Jewers
Philip Johnson
Buddy Jones
Mike Jones*



*Paul Jones
Wanda Kidwell
Richard Kilgore
Mark Lair
Melissa Landsaw
Beth Lapen*



*Famie Ledbetter
Raquel Leon
Laura Lewis
April Lieb
April Liming
Brenda Liming*



After preparing for a Spanish I test, Travis Barta, freshman, confidently puts his books underneath his desk.



Derek Bryant and Stacy Guinn, freshmen, prove that a nice hug definitely brightens breaktime.



Jenny Metcalf
Taylor Miller
Kellie Milner



Shane Miner
Daniel Moody
Steven Murch



Rochelle Neeley
Jennifer Neises
John Nowak



Shawn Oliphant
Angela Oliver
Lisa Oliver



Eric Lundt
Tessa Lybarger
Zoedy McGaha



Michelle O'Malley
Michele Ortiz
Mike Osborn



Cindy McGuagh
Jeff McManus
Jake McMaster



Kelly Owen
Scott Owen
Cameron Palin



Monica Mah
Robyn Marshall
Gina Mavers



Mike Pearson
Brian Pellam
Gary Peyton



August Meise
Stacie Mellon
Shane Melton



Susan Pierce
Scott Plisek
Melissa Pontious





*Lisa Potter
Jennifer Ramey
Tyler Randolph*



*Linda Reed
Lisa Reed
Ricky Reynolds*



*Jimmy Riedle
Jay Risner
Marlene Robinson*



*David Rosebrough
Doug Rothgeb
Michael Rutledge
Melissa Rutter
Bryce Saia
Tyge Sanborn*



*Tisha Scannel
Aaron Schaub
Benji Schmickle
Ryan Schmitz
Chris Schnurbusch
Darin Scott*



*David Scott
Leann Selby
Mike Seller
Kent Sewell
Robin Shoat
Barry Shull*



*Suzanne Simmons
Shon Simpson
Stephanie Skinner
Michelle Stevens
Brian Sullivan
Roger Sullivan*



*Kaycia Sutton
Larry Swanson
Tammy Taylor
Dacia Thiele
Kim Trotter
Chris Turner*

While finishing off his doughnut, Rick Bruce, freshman, listens attentively to Chris Schnurbusch, freshman, during breaktime.





John Turner
Jammie Vega
Kim Vineyard
Becky Walker
Karen Washington
Jason Weaver



Sarah Weaver
Eric Webb
Vince Weeks
Kathy Werner
Kye Williams
Stephanie Williams



Kim Wilson
Kristi Wilson
Heidi Windsor
Lisa Winebrenner
Cody Wood
Kara Woods



Jennifer Youngberg
Toni Ysusi
Kim Zemlock
Lori Jackson

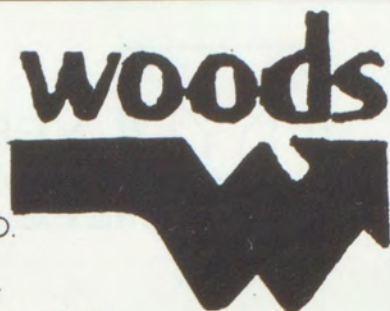


Not Pictured
Lamont Boyd
Dawn Clark
Brian Culp
Melvin Duke
Doug Hackett
Michelle Haynes
Carl Johnson
Kathy Kettleman
Bobby Mitchell
Chris Monfort
Matthew Moody
Mike Sayers
Wade Smith
Paul Solis
Russ Sumner
Christopher Thomas

BELOW: Christy Carr, freshman, giggles at a humorous joke while Ben Eastep, freshman, finds his doughnut more interesting during breaktime.

BELOW-RIGHT: Using breaktime to share a friendly chat, Kerry Henson, sophomore, and Dacia Thiele, freshman, pause to pose for a photo.





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JoAnn Brookshier, vice principal and senior Heather Fromong share a joke as they enjoy one of the many senior breakfasts given to the graduating seniors.



Sophomores get down to the study of the frog's functions and body parts in Larry Rutter's biology class.

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Sports



Showing 'Class'

While Tackling Tough Season



FRONT ROW: Dwight Schinstock, Aaron Watts, Stephen Mock, Thomas Jones, Lawrence Reece, Tony Pouncil, Jay Martinez, Toby Osburn, Kelly Robinson, Travis Keal. **SECOND ROW:** Duane Small, Rylan Higgins, Chad Strange, Jeff Nichols, Steve Morrison, Scott Henderson, Brian Barrager, Jim Leiker, Terry Henson, Frankie Deering, Billy Welch. **THIRD ROW:** Bill Ecret, Doug Burnett, Robert Richardson, Bill Cox, Todd Layton, Jim Zemlock, Bill Johnson, Tyler Higgins, John Fitzpa-

trick, Shane Schabel, Chad Holt. **FOURTH ROW:** Hans Landwehr, Bill Ellsworth, Darren Newton, Jeremy Main, Kerry Henson, Kurtis Brewster, Jeff Green, Zach Unruh, Jeff Farthing, Drake Day, Eric Webb. **BACK ROW:** Marty Rutland, Shane Hoffman, Bill McGuire, Kyle Knop, Matt Gordon, Matt Weeks, Alan DeFever, Dale Reynolds, Randy Rowland, Adam Watts, Bruce Hurford, Brent Reynolds.

Head coach, Doug Lee worried about the lack of experience as his charges headed into the season opener against Carthage, Mo. His worries were confirmed at the end of the game. "In the first half we kept stopping ourselves with mistakes. In the second half they took the ballgame to us and we could not get untracked." This was a typical feeling for the Bulldogs as explained by the head coach.

And so the 'Dogs went. They failed to top their next three opponents. Homecoming came. It was against the Ottawa Cyclones on Oct. 10, 1986. A win, the first of the season. Doug Lee was definitely pleased as were the players. Homecoming Queen, Faith Palmer and her court cheered with the student body as well as the community.

Off they went again, actually three more times, again without winning a game. The 'Dogs were unable to cap-

ture a win from the opponents. But they came close. "In every game that was lost, we were one step from winning, one big mistake that hurt us. But we always played hard in the second half." This was the feeling of junior Shane Hoffman.

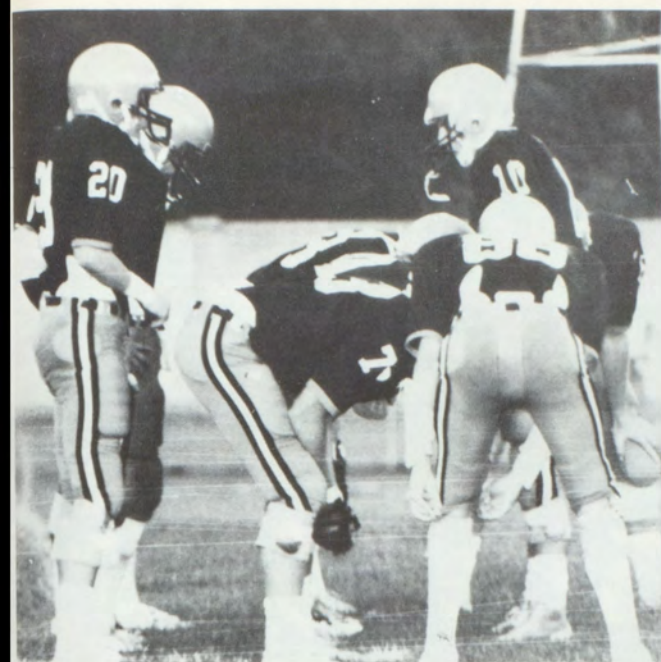
The last game of the season. The Coffeyville Tornados, in Coffeyville. Were Doug Lee's charges ready yet? The final test was yet to come. "Our kids know they lost the game," Lee continued, "but they also know they played well. I am particularly happy with our senior players. This has been a difficult season for them and to know they gave a good effort in their last high school game is something that will stay with them."

During the awards banquet, Coach Lee had this to say about his players. "The season wasn't what we expected when we started out — but that's life. But we were still playing hard when the clock ran out in the final

game, and that exemplifies the type of character this team had." That character was most definitely the class the team had. They had the touch and it showed through the entire season.

Year-end awards for the team included both team selected ones and SEK honors. Todd Layton and Bruce Hurford shared co-captain honors. Bruce was also voted both outstanding defensive back-lineman and the Mark Tindle Award winner. Adam Watts earned the outstanding offensive back and Bill Johnson received outstanding offensive lineman for the year.

SEK honors included first team defense: Brent Reynolds, tackle; Bruce Hurford, linebacker; and Todd Layton, defensive back. First team offense: Adam Watts, running back. Honorable mentions: Dale Reynolds, tight end and defensive end; Bill Johnson, center.



IHS 'Dogs' find time to discuss their strategy against their Chanute opponents.

Above: Although dropping the game to the Grizzlies, Dale Reynolds, senior, holds fast to the ball.

Left: Senior quarterback Todd Layton hands off to senior Adam Watts for more IHS yards.

Below: IHS fans cheer on their team at Riverside Stadium.



VARSITY SCORES

IHS	0	Carthage	23
IHS	6	Chanute	7
IHS	8	Ft. Scott	29
IHS	20	Winfield	24
IHS	13	Ottawa	6
IHS	6	Pittsburg	33
IHS	0	LCHS	32
IHS	12	Parsons	49
IHS	8	Coffeyville	21



JV Football

Takes Their Best Hit

Right: Coach Speicher gives the 'Dogs' a before-game pep talk to give them that extra fight.

Below: Adam Watts, senior, shows us how the game is played as he carries the ball for IHS. Below right: Darrin Newton, sophomore, and Brent Reynolds, senior, look on as their teammates tackle their way through another game.





FRONT ROW: Chris Thomas, Tyge Sanborn, Kent Sewell, Darrin Scott, David Scott, Jason Henry, Brian Pellam, Shane Miner. **SECOND ROW:** Vince Weeks, Tony Ysusi, Jake McMaster, Doug Rothgeb, Mike Osburn, Alvin Hill, J.T. Davison, Eric Lundt, Todd Hyatt, Shawn Eidson. **THIRD ROW:** Rex Horning, Tony Edwards, Taylor Miller, Travis Barta, Tyler Randolph, Scott Grieve, Brian Jabben, Derek Bryant. **FOURTH ROW:** Steve Henderson, Bryce Saia, Jason Weaver, Benji Schmicle, Rick Bruce, Shane Melton, Philip Johnson, Aaron Brown, Cody Wood. **BACK ROW:** Coach Ron Sheets, Richard Kilgore, Chris Carpenter, Scott Plisek, Chris Turner, Mike Rutledge, Greg Hill, Coach Mark Longacre.



Freshman football gave it their best shot one more time. The team lost some games by a large margin, but came very close in a few. Playing Chanute, LCHS, Caney JV, Parsons, and Coffeyville, the team was unable to pull off a win and ended the season with a 0-6 record. Taylor Miller had this to say about the year. "We tried hard but were just unsuccessful."

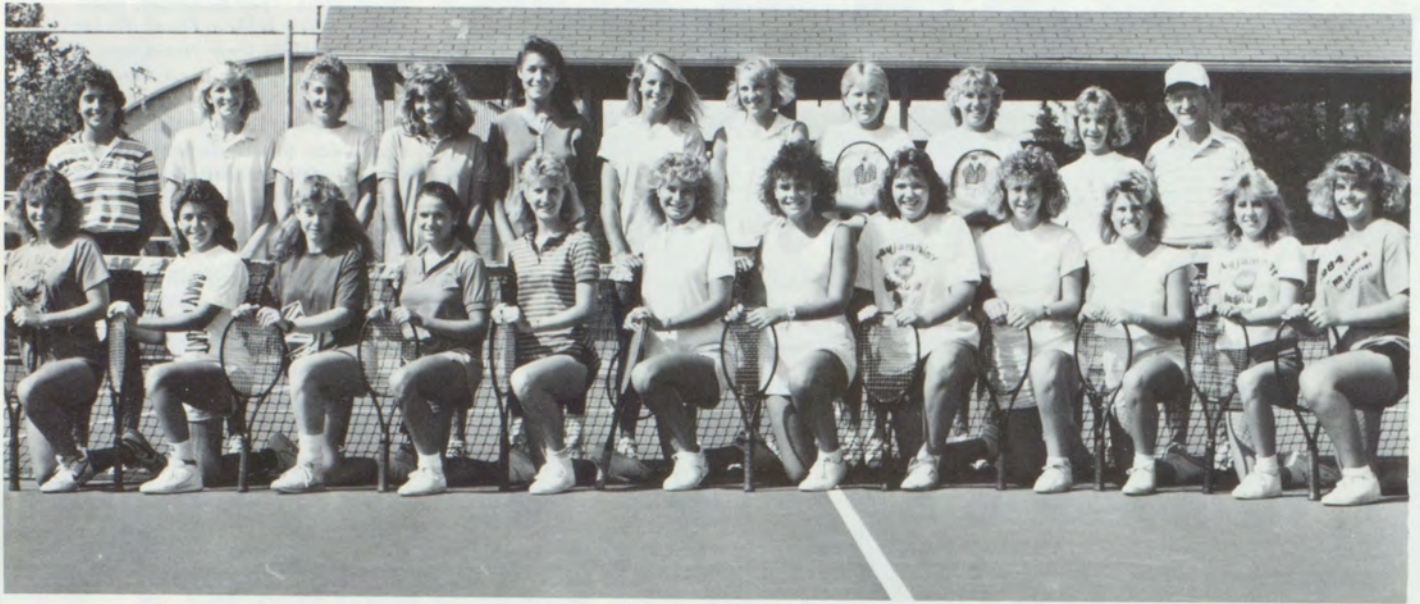
FRONT ROW: Coaches Jeff Leiker, Doug Lee, Mike Boyd. **BACK ROW:** Ron Sheets, Ray Emmot, Alan Speicher, Mark Longacre.



Managers and trainers: Jim Cude, Brandon Payne, Jennifer Clark, JoAnna Kramer.

An Even Dozen

Girls Tennis Captures 12th SEK Title

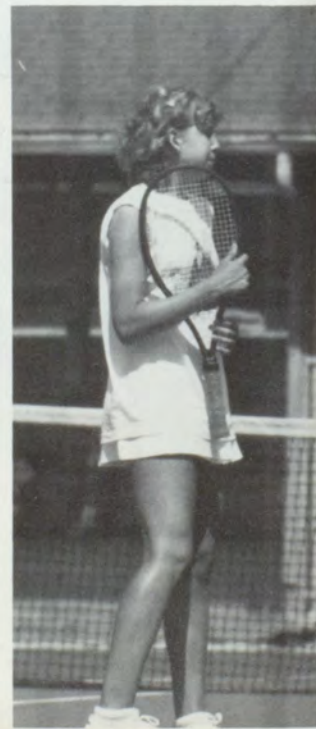


FRONT ROW: Stacey Guinn, Angela Nelson, Leigh Hinthorn, Leigha Hawkins, Kathy Hellen, Perri Wormington, Gina Boulanger, captain: Stephanie Empson, Bonnie Bradley, Amy Taylor, Kendall Cottrell, Cindy Sanborn. **BACK ROW:** Assistant Coach Sue Saia, Amy Heimberger, Gina Smith, Wendy Wood, Angie Cain, Kim Fitzpatrick, Jamie Heimberger, Kelli Milner, Stephanie Milner, Angie Borders, Head Coach Bill Ferguson.

1. Coach Ferguson congratulates Gina Boulanger, senior, and Amy Heimberger, junior, after winning first place doubles at the Independence Invitational.
2. Stephanie Milner, senior, and her partner-sister, Kelli Milner, freshman, talk over a play during a doubles match.
3. Perri Wormington, senior, returns a hit while she plays in a singles match.
4. Gina Smith, junior, dries herself off after a grueling match of three sets and a tiebreaker which she won.
5. Wendy Wood, junior, congratulates a competitor that fell along her path to the state tourney.
6. Kathy Hellen and Leigha Hawkins, seniors, contemplate what is wrong with Leigha's hand but really worry about who they will meet in the state tourney.
7. Amy Taylor, senior, shows an awe-inspiring face while returning a ball in one of her singles matches.

Tournament

Chanute	1st
Parsons	1st
Indy Invitational	1st
Ark City	3rd
SEK	1st
Regionals	1st
State	3rd



Accomplishment and pride were the two main terms associated with the 1986 girls' tennis team. Bringing home numerous medals and trophies match after match was only a portion of the girls' success.

"Winning is the best feeling! But there is something equally fulfilling. It is seeing your teammates do the same," said Jamie Heimberger, junior, "It's really an honor to be part of such a winning group of girls."

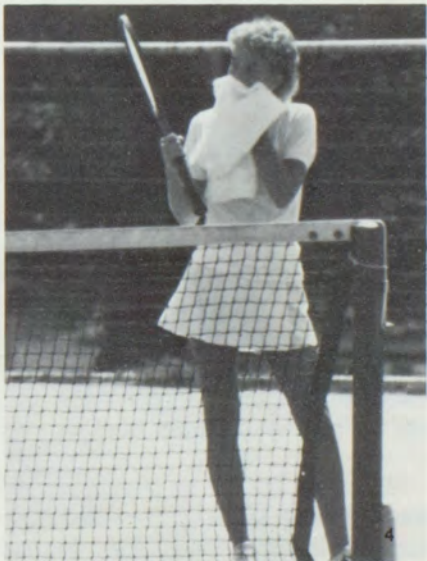
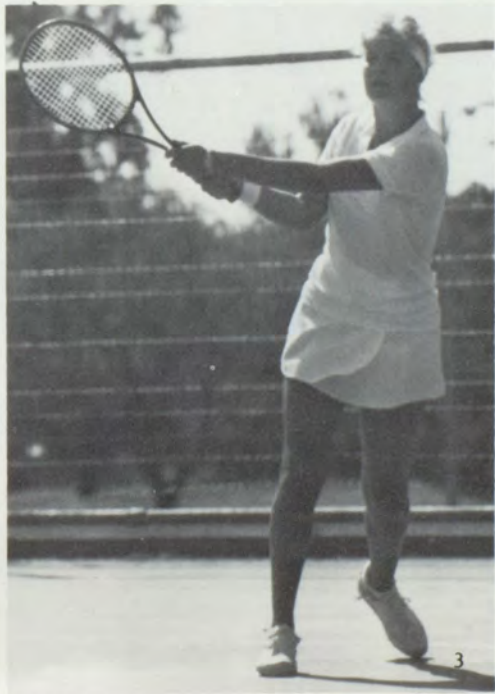
Showing off their style in front of a home town crowd, the team swept their 12th consecutive SEK crown in easy fashion. Once again we saw

seniors Kathy Hellen, Leigha Hawkins, and Stephanie Milner take their divisions, while Kendall Cottrell, sophomore, and newcomers Gina Smith and Wendy Wood, juniors, added their first places. Gina Smith commented, "Being part of an awesome team is one thing. But being able to participate and win a title that has been our schools for 12 consecutive years is truly an honor."

The girls' awesome performance at regionals saw 5 of the netters becoming state bound. The long trip to Newton was definitely worth it as the girls came home with a proud third place finish. Hellen and Hawkins

took an impressive second place finish in doubles while Milner and Smith captured the sixth place spot. Wood made her first state tournament appearance.

The junior varsity squad showed their strength and up-and-coming talent by beating squad after squad with winning ease. The players definitely broadened their team pride as together they finished the season undefeated. Bonnie Bradley, sophomore, summed up the girls' feelings on the year. "Our tennis season this year was a very successful one. All the girls contributed to the success. We're losing a lot of girls, but I feel with our determination and strength our future holds many more winning seasons."



Spikers Win SEK



"We made it to state!" This was the most popular saying of any volleyball player for the year 1986-1987. With a second place tie in the SEK with Parsons and Coffeyville, the lady spikers finished third in the SEK tourney. Traveling to El Dorado for a new sub-state site, the spikers downed Ark City to land a place in the championship match. Playing El Dorado for the second time this year and failing to top them the first time, the Lady Bulldogs were put to the test. Topping the Wildcats in three games, the lady spikers qualified for the class 5A state tournament that took place in Newton, Kansas on Saturday, Nov. 8.

FRONT ROW: Anne-Marie Gibson, Melody Winford, Kelly Rigney, Tamara Miller, Jeri Ann Ferrell, Michelle McCullough, Jiffy Humbolt. SECOND ROW: Mona Johnson, Kathy Smith, Michelle Duran, Jenni Mitchell, Lisa Strahm, Karen Ellis, manager Laura Young. THIRD ROW: manager Dee Dee Abshier, Geri Kay Hart, Wilma Henson, Richelle Wilson, Stephanie Norton, Wendy Beckmann, Tonya Taliaferro.

Awards and honors bestowed upon the volleyballers include third place, at the Ark City tourney, third place at the Garnett tourney with Geri Kay Hart making all-tournament team. Second place tie in the SEK and third in SEK tourney. A unanimous All-SEK selection went to Geri Kay Hart with Stephanie Norton also earning a spot on the elite squad. Melody Winford gained an honorable mention for her efforts through the season.

Although the Bulldogs dropped all three of their state matches, they finished the season with a very respectable record of 16-12. As a team, the volleyballers had an average of 72 per cent on bumps, 90 per cent on sets, and 66 per cent on serves.

"The girls should be proud of the big accomplishment winning the substate then advancing to state." That was the feeling of head coach Kristi Speicher. Being only the fourth team from IHS to make the trip to the volleyball finals, this team was most definitely touched with class, as were the rest of the athletic teams at the school.

VARSITY	
Indy vs.	
Fredonia	8-15, 12-15
Iola	7-15, 15-9, 16-14
Caney	15-9, 15-8
Coffeyville	12-15, 16-14, 11-15
Mulvane	15-7, 8-15, 15-13
Ark City	15-5, 15-13
Douglas	15-10, 15-9
Ark City	15-10, 14-16, 15-13
Caney	15-3, 15-12
El Dorado	4-15, 5-15
Oswego	13-15, 3-15
Ft. Scott	15-8, 15-11
LCHS	15-10, 15-13
Baldwin	15-12, 15-5
Spring Hill	15-13, 15-7
Iola	15-5, 15-5
Pittsburg	15-7, 15-7
Parsons	15-10, 16-14, 10-15
Coffeyville	5-15, 11-15
Garnett	5-15, 10-15
Santa Fe	2-15, 13-15
Chanute	8-15, 10-15
Iola	15-10, 15-6
Chanute	7-15, 7-15
LCHS	15-8, 15-3
Ark City	15-10, 15-13
El Dorado	15-11, 10-15, 15-9
Miege	7-15, 1-15
Hayes	4-15, 2-15
Parsons	1-15, 15-10, 10-15

Melody Winford, senior, prepares to start the 1st game vs. Pittsburg, Oct. 21 at Losey Gymnasium. The spikers went on to win the match 15-7, 15-7.





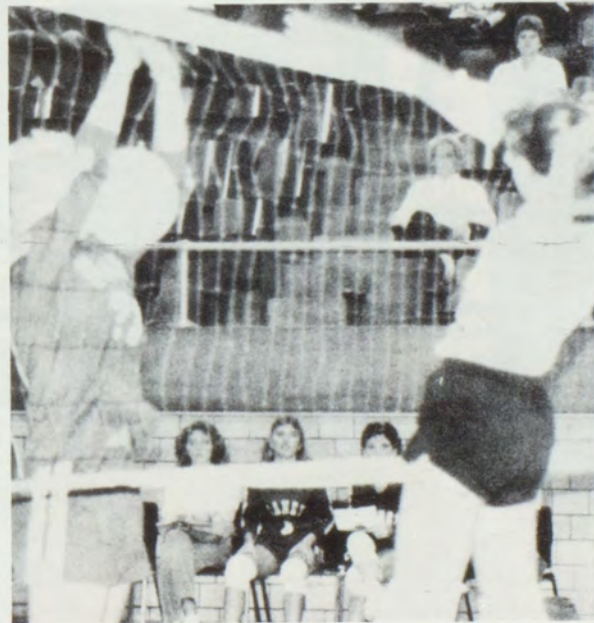
FRONT ROW: Jennifer Nices, Gina Mavers, Cindi Humbolt, Monica Mah, Michelle Ortiz, Johanna Garr, Angela Byler, Melissa Rutter. **SECOND ROW:** Cindy McGaugh, Lisa Potter, Audrey Gidney, Missy Pontious, Stephanie Skinner, Laura Lewis. **BACK ROW:** LeAnn Selby, Krystal Jackson, Shon Simpson, Heather Adams, Yona Brown, Wencie Agosto.



Above: Kelly Rigney, junior, sets the pace with a controlled set to an awaiting IHS spiker. Left: Geri K. Hart, junior, shows off her winning smile along with her winning style as Hart and her teammates rest from a victorious Pittsburg slashing. All in a game's work! Below Right: Stephanie Norton, junior, spikes her way to another IHS point and another Caney defeat.



Kristi Speicher, head coach, Linda Siebenthal, freshman, and Paula Newmaster, junior varsity.



Linksters Show Class At State



The 1986 lady linksters certainly showed improvement over last year. Lynn Mount, too, can say that she made it to state. Lynn made the elite squad by shooting a 101 at the Regional Tournament in Winfield. "I really didn't think I would qualify. But after I shot a 101, I started to feel good. Then I was scared that the score wouldn't be good enough." Being from a very young team without the help of senior leadership, this was quite an accomplishment.

The team consisted of one junior, three sophomores, and three freshmen. Stacey Norton, junior, had this to say about the season, "We have a potentially tough team for the next year." This is a good feeling for a young team. After a tough season this year, the Lady Bulldogs will be ready for next year.

Coach Mark Coder's goal for the season was "for each participant to show steady improvement as the year goes on." This was shown as a passed obstacle as the individual scores averaged between 60 and 71 on nine holes.

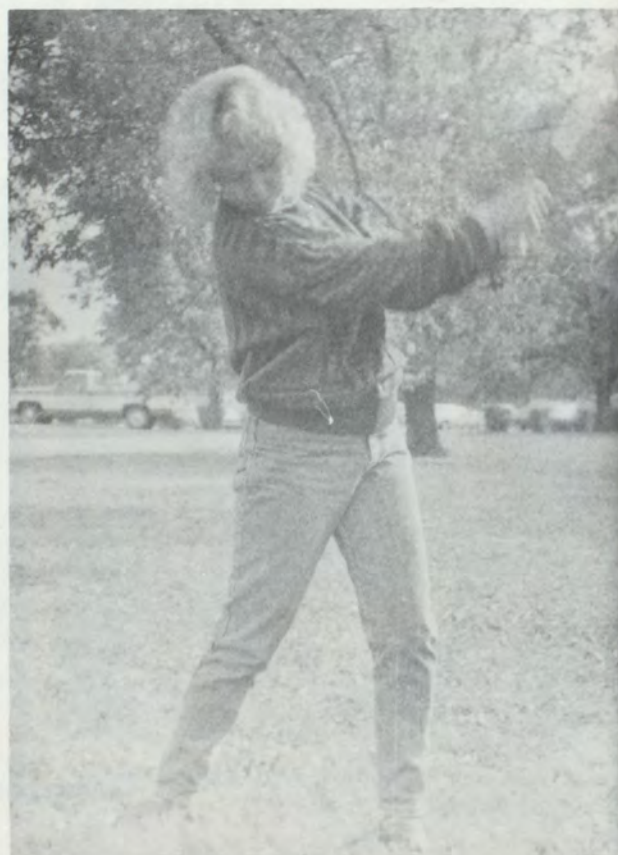
1986 GIRLS' GOLF TEAM: Michelle Stevens, Jennifer Youngberg, Kristin Michaelis, Stacey Norton, Lynn Mount, Kathy Carroll, and Susan Pierce.

Team Scores

Fredonia	4th
Girard	5th
Parsons	6th
Ark City	4th
Indy	6th
Winfield	7th
Pittsburg	5th
Regionals	6th

Right: Starting her tee off, Jennifer Youngberg, freshman, prepares for a winning swing.

Far Right: Lynn Mount, sophomore, proves that practice makes perfect as she finished her year in success.



Boy's Golf Tees Off With Style.



The 1986-87 Boy's Varsity Golf Team: Coach Lewis Slater, Aaron Watts, Doug Rothgeb, Kevin Wallingford, Alan DeFever, Aaron Brown, Todd Hyatt.



ABOVE: Chris Hynes puts the ball into the hole. BELOW: Todd Hyatt shows his form in hitting the ball.



Aaron Watts concentrates on driving the ball down the field.

This year's golf team consisted of young men who were dedicated to the sport and willing to learn. The 1987 lettermen were Russ Baldwin, with an average score of 98; Reese Walker, 95; Aaron Watts, 94; Kevin Wallingford, 86; Alan DeFever, 88; Doug Rothgeb, 94; Todd Hyatt, 95; and Aaron Brown, 89. The team placed ninth in the Independence Invitational with a team score of 386. They placed sixth in the S.E.K. tournament at Chanute with a team score of 363. It took skill and a little bit of luck for Alan DeFever, junior, to score a hole in one at the S.E.K. tournament on a 165 yard par. "With most players on the golf team planning to return next year," said Coach Slater, "we should have a good season to look forward to."



Cross Country

Gets Great Mileage

Jennifer Council, Kathy Bechtle, Cindi Burck, Shelley Bechtle.



The Bulldog harriers were off and running early in the season. The Cross Country team had a young group running. Coach Thorton Shelton commented, "Some of the runners had never run before and some had only run one or two years." The team was very diversified. One interesting addition to this year's team was junior Janne Kovanen, exchange student from Finland. Janne did well in the sport having been a cross country skier. Even with a young team coach Shelton is looking forward to upcoming years and cited Harold Smart as one of the strongest runners of the year. Coach Shelton also commented on Jennifer Council, senior, as a strong competitor in the women's brackets.

One setback in the women's side of the course, was that the women rarely ran with a full team. The team was plagued with injury and Jennifer Council was the only participant that competed in every race.





FRONT ROW: Aaron Schaub, Adam Bryant, Bobby Hernandez, Kevin Leeseberg, John Favero, Ben Estep. BACK ROW: Ricky Eytcheson, Rob Kistler, Janne Kovanen, Robin Hester, Charlie Jackson, Harold Smart.



LEFT: Going that extra mile really paid off for Harold Smart and Janne Kovanen, juniors, as they both qualified for Regionals. They are shown here during a regular, excruciating, after-school practice. ABOVE: Robin Hester and Charlie Jackson, sophomores, agree that conversation definately makes practice more beatable. RIGHT: Kevin Leeseberg, sophomore, trudges through another practice.

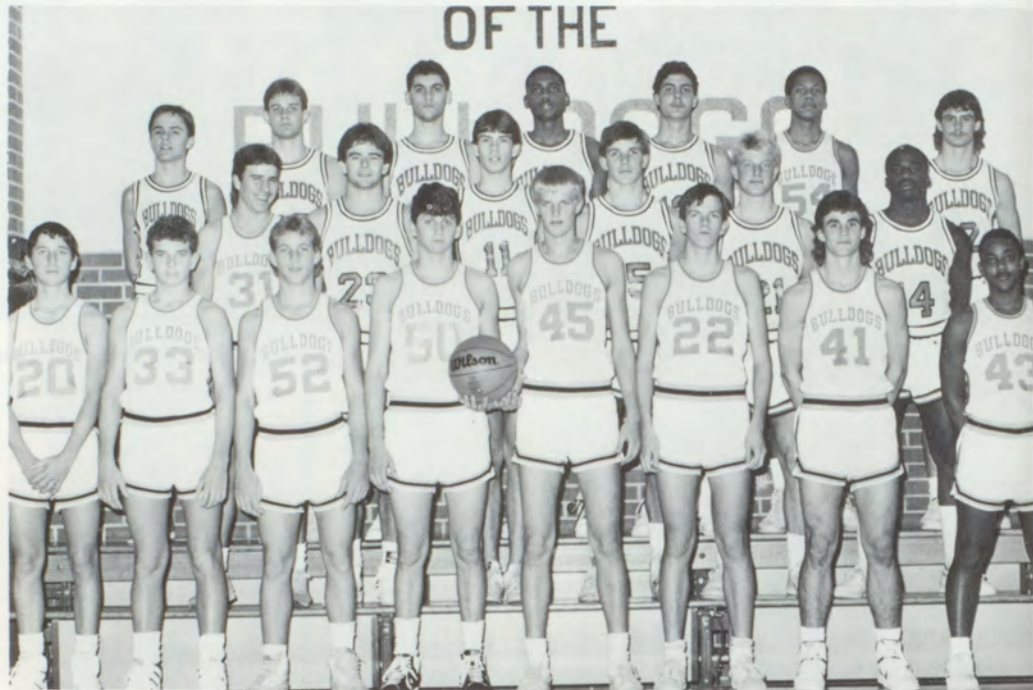
<i>Varsity</i>	
<i>at Altamont</i>	<i>5th</i>
<i>at Coffeyville</i>	<i>5th</i>
<i>at Indy Invit.</i>	<i>7th</i>
<i>at Pittsburg</i>	<i>4th</i>
<i>at lola</i>	<i>5th</i>
<i>at SEK</i>	<i>6th</i>
<i>at Regionals</i>	<i>7th</i>



Boys B-Ball

Season Touched With Victory

FRONT ROW: Keith Scott, Kelly Robinson, Jim Leiker, Rob Kistler, Matt Gordon, Robin Hester, Aaron Watts, Kermit Johnson. SECOND ROW: Darrin Botts, Billy Johnson, Matt Weeks, Drake Day, Marty Rutland, Thomas Jones. BACK ROW: Joel Chambers, Dale Reynolds, Guy Earle, Jay Webb, Reece Walker, Mark Wilson, Adam Watts.



VARSITY			
IHS	54	Pittsburg	46
IHS	70	Joplin	69
IHS	52	Parsons	66
IHS	64	Andover	43
IHS	71	Ark City	76
IHS	68	Chanute	60
IHS	50	Winfield	60
IHS	46	Chanute	54
IHS	52	Wichita South	94
IHS	55	Coffeyville	70
IHS	61	Bishop Miege	79
IHS	60	Pittsburg	53
IHS	54	Coffeyville	59
IHS	46	Ft. Scott	48
IHS	66	Coffeyville	58
IHS	82	lola	47
IHS	59	LCHS	44
IHS	72	Columbus	66
IHS	63	Chanute	49
IHS	64	Parsons	80
IHS	55	Ark City	61

Boys basketball showed signs of being a tough competitor in the SEK and sub-state early. Coach Ray Emmot commented, "We've got some size and some depth, but there are still a lot of pieces that have to fit together for us to be successful." The pieces fit together in time for a season opening win against Pittsburg.

Tournament action saw the Bulldogs off for the Thunderbird Classic in Towanda and the Interstate Classic in Coffeyville. Indy came away with a 2-4 combined tournament record.

The end of the regular season saw the 'Dogs playing for a portion of the SEK title with Parsons, the number one 5A team in Kansas. Unfortunately, the Bulldogs fell, as did the rest of the league teams, but they came closer to Parsons than did any of the others. "Our kids played tough tonight but we just couldn't quite bring it all together," Emmot said of the loss. "But we really had a large crowd follow us and the crowd's noise and enthusiasm helped to keep us in the ballgame."

Sub-state action came and went for the Bulldogs in one game. The 'Dogs were up against stiff competition of the Ark City Bulldogs in the semifinals. "Our record doesn't show the whole story. All in all we had a great year and the coaches and fans were great," commented Matt Weeks, junior. IHS finished the season with a 10-11 record.

The senior leadership came through with two players on the SEK leaders sheet. Joel Chambers lead the league in assists with 5.9 per game. Guy Earle lead the league in both scoring and rebounding with 20.4 and 10.0 respectively per game. Guy Earle also gained honors with a McDonalds All-American nomination and he won the slam dunk contest in the Interstate Classic.

Guy Earle (22), senior, displays his ability to shoot a difficult shot with hands in his face, in a game against Pittsburg.



BULLDOGS



FRONT ROW: Tyge Sanborn, Travis Barta, Eric Lundt, Tony Ysusi, Mike Osborne, David Roseborough. SECOND ROW: J.T. Davidson, Cody Wood, Mike Rutledge, Eric Webb, Jason Henry.

Upper left: Rob Kistler, junior, releases a jumper for two in a junior varsity game against Pittsburg. Mark Wilson (13), sophomore, waits for the rebound. Upper right: Larry Hollandsworth, freshmen, Ray Emmot, head coach, Kent Gant, assistant. Lower right: Cody Wood (1) and Jason Henry (r), freshmen, blockout the opponent in a game against Chanute. In the background Mike Osborne (24), freshman, releases the ball his teammates are fighting for. Lower left: Jim Leiker, sophomore, found an opening on the baseline for a reverse lay-up against the Pittsburg junior varsity.



Girls B-ball

Thru The Hoop With Class

FRONT ROW: Angela Nelson,
Jiffy Humbolt, Kelly Rigney,
Cheryl Foster, Kari Hernandez.

SECOND ROW: Mona
Johnson, Richelle Wilson,
Jenni Mitchell, Kim
Fitzpatrick, Carrie Trouskie,
Jennifer Clark, Kathy Smith,
Geri K. Hart. BACK ROW:

Gina Smith, Wendy
Beckmann, Stacey Norton,
Stephanie Norton, Wilma
Henson, Kathy Hellen.



Coach Ron Schwatken knew when the season began that his girls were going all the way. All the way to Emporia, site of the 5A State Tournament.

The Lady Bulldogs showed their stuff in the opener against Pittsburg. "I saw several things out of our players that I really liked — said Coach Schwatken. That first game set the pace for rest of the season.

The Lady Bulldogs advanced to the finals by beating El Dorado 56-31. And capturing the sub-state crown with a win over Winfield 58-52. "I'm relieved at this win. The girls had pressure on them and they lived up to the top ranking at sub-state. We are 14-8 now and we are going to the State Tournament in Emporia. These are a great bunch of girls who deserve to win and play more basketball."

The night of the State game came. A pep rally held in recognition of the girls was held during school to get some spirit up. "It was one of the best pep rallies I've

seen all year," said Stephanie Norton.

As was said in the paper following the game, "it was probably the first game that ever ended at half-time." The Lady Bulldogs lost to the top rated Buhler Crusaders. "I was pleased going to the locker at halftime," said Schwatken. A freak accident impaired his happiness for the second half. A fan, LaVera Johnson, fell from the bleachers and landed on Geri Hart while she was headed for the locker room. She was unable to compete in the second half.

The team ended the season with a record of 14-9. Three of the losses came to state champions. The 5A Kansas champ, and the 3A and 4A champs of Missouri.

Honors bestowed upon the team include Gina Smith and Geri Hart all-tournament team at Circle Tournament. Geri Kay was a unanimous pick for ALL-SEK and Gina Smith also earned a spot on the elite team. Stacey and Stephanie Norton were

Varsity Scores

IHS	54	Pittsburg	32
IHS	50	Circle	37
IHS	46	Chanute	53
IHS	63	Augusta	47
IHS	49	Parsons	41
IHS	50	Winfield	55
IHS	63	Chanute	73
IHS	59	Joplin	55
IHS	45	Kickapoo	55
IHS	33	Visitation	58
IHS	54	Neosho	52
IHS	46	Pittsburg	23
IHS	62	Coffeyville	34
IHS	70	Ft. Scott	44
IHS	40	Coffeyville	54
IHS	54	Iola	50
IHS	51	LCHS	44
IHS	63	Columbus	42
IHS	48	Chanute	57
IHS	54	Parsons	48
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IHS	56	El Dorado	31
IHS	58	Winfield	52
IHS	31	Buhler	52



honorable mentions. Geri Kay was also named to the second team ALL-state squad. Team honors went to Kathy Hellen and Kari Hernandez, Co-Captains; Stacey and Stephanie Norton, Chairman of the boards; Geri Kay, Offensive; Wendy Beckmann, Hustle; Kathy Hellen, Sportsmanship; and Ramona Johnson and Carrie Trouskie, Rookie of the Year.

Frosh B-Ball

FRONT ROW: Marlene Robinson, Gina Mavers, Stephanie Empson, Yona Brown, Wencie Agosto, Michelle Ortiz. BACK ROW: Tammy Taylor, Melissa Rutter, Shon Simpson, Kelli Milner, Heather Adams, Monica Mah, Susan Pierce.



Upper left: Kim Fitzpatrick, sophomore, gains position against a Parsons defender as she waits for the rebound to fall. Upper right: Stephanie Emson, freshman, shoots a free throw as her teammates look towards the basket hoping for a point while the clock is stopped. Lower left: Geri Kay Hart, junior, shows why she leads the team in points as she beats both the defenders and her teammates to the basket for a short jump shot.



Kristi Speicher, assistant, Ron Schwatken, head coach.

Wrestlers

Pretzeling Their Opponents



FRONT ROW: John Burck, Doug Burnett, Duane Small, Janne Kovanen, Luke Livingston, Kevin Leeseberg, Derrick Bryant, Charlie Warren, Jason Weaver, Tony Edwards. MIDDLE ROW: Andrea Butler, Charlie Jackson, Brian Barrager, Travis Keal, Chad Holt, John Fitzpa-

trick, Todd Layton, Jim Zemlock, Sam Main, Rylan Higgins, Todd Campbell, Tamara Baker. BACK ROW: Jay Thorne, Lawrence Reece, John Bruce, Hans Landwehr, Brent Reynolds, Andy Stuckey, Jeff Farthing, Aaron Brown, Chad Strange, Mike Bingham.



LEFT: Coach Mark Longacre and Assistant Coach Mike Boyd.
ABOVE: Chad Strange, sophomore, attempts to gain a second chicken-wing on his opponent during a Jayvee wrestling match at Losey Gymnasium.

The 1986-87 wrestling season has been the best one ever for IHS. About 30 students made up this years wrestling team. They ended the year with a dual record of 11-5. Seven members traveled to Wichita to the state tournament and captured fourth place. Todd Layton, senior, earned his fourth gold medal at state winning the 145 lb. weight division. Todd has won previous medals in his past three years at IHS in the 119, 132, and 145 lb. divisions. Jim Zemlock finished third at the 155 lb. division and Brent Reynolds took third in the heavyweight division. Also attending state were John Fitzpatrick, Bobby Hernandez, Charlie Jackson, and Lawrence Reece.

This was Coach Mark Longacre's final year at IHS. He has coached wrestling at IHS for the past five years. "I have enjoyed coaching here at IHS. I have met a lot of people and made many friends. I am going to miss coaching here." Coach Longacre commented. He added, "This year has been the best wrestling season we have seen and has been my biggest highlight coaching at IHS. It was great seeing Todd Layton win his fourth state title. I have enjoyed the matches and tournaments we have competed at, but I also really enjoyed the day-to-day contact with the students I have coached. The wrestlers really worked hard this year and we really improved and that, to me, was rewarding. It has also been great to see the increase in popularity of the sport at IHS. When I first started coaching wrestling at IHS, very few students went out for it. But the number of participants has increased each year."

According to Todd Layton, who has wrestled at IHS for four years, "This season was very successful. There were a lot of guys who worked hard and really improved. We appreciate all the support we had. The school will miss Coach Longacre next year and I, as well as the other senior wrestlers, will miss wrestling at IHS." There are only four wrestlers graduating this year. "With many underclassmen who have had experience and have done very well this season returning next year, IHS has another winning season to look forward to," commented Coach Longacre.

MATCH RESULTS

INDY 23	Bishop Miege	40
INDY 39	N.K. City	22
INDY 42	Olathe North	24
INDY 33	Carl Junction	35
INDY 34	Webb City	31
INDY 47	Bluestem	18
INDY 48	Fredonia	17
INDY 36	Pittsburg	23
INDY 52	LCHS	15
INDY 25	Chanute	32
INDY 37	Parsons	21
INDY 41	Pittsburg	27
INDY 37	Carl Junction	25
INDY 60	Neodesha	12
INDY 38	Coffeyville	21
INDY 54	Caney	15
INDY 23	Ft. Scott	42
INDY 19	Columbus	45

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

- ELDORADO 3rd
- SENECA 3rd
- COFFEYVILLE 3rd
- 5A REGIONAL 3rd
- 5A STATE 4th



ABOVE LEFT: John Fitzpatrick struggles against his Pittsburg opponent in a Varsity wrestling match in Losey Gymnasium. He later went on to win the match. Photo courtesy of Independence Daily Repporter.

ABOVE RIGHT: Briamn Barrager, sophomore, attempts to gain the upper position as the match begins.

BELOW LEFT: Coach Mark Longacre shows a winning smile at the pep-assembly held for State Wrestling Participants in the auditorium.

BELOW RIGHT: Doug Burnett struggles to regain the upper position in his wrestling match.

Boys Track

Setting The Pace With Class

FRONT ROW:
 Jose Williams,
 Lawrence Reece,
 Sam Main, Zach
 Graves. **BACK**
ROW: Bill
 McGuire, Hans
 Landwehr, Rob
 Kistler, Adam
 Watts, Jeff
 Nichols, Janne
 Kovanen.



Jason Clark, freshman, and Hans Landwehr, sophomore, carry the javelin back from competition during the Coffeyville Relays.

Varsity	
Winfield	6th
Ft. Scott	9th
Coffeyville	9th
Parsons	5th
Girard	7th
Pittsburg	5th
SEK	7th
(Pittsburg)	
Regionals	8th
(Ark City)	



Janne Kovanen, junior, strains as he reaches the last straightaway in the 880 run in the Coffeyville Relays.

FRONT ROW: Richard Kilgore, Danny Frith, Jason Clark.
 BACK ROW: John Turner, J.T. Davison, Jake McMasters,
 Greg Hill.



ABOVE: Managers Leigh Hinthorn, Sonya Delano, Lara Bobbitt, Bridgette Kennedy. LEFT: Head Coach Thorton Shelton heads off the field after taking times of races.



Scott Henderson, senior, gets in the blocks for the 110 high hurdles. Scott took sixth place in the race at Coffeyville.



The boys' track team was paced by seniors Adam Watts and Scott Henderson during most of the 1987 season. Having to deal with an incomplete team for the largest part of the season, they fared well. The last half of the season saw many underclassmen move up to fill the vacant events. The team was forced to deal with what was given to them and showed their style with class.

The 'Dogs finished 7th in the SEK meet and last in Regionals at Ark City but ended up sending two to the state meet. Scott Henderson came away with a third place in the 300 intermediate hurdles to qualify for the elite meet. Adam Watts qualified in the long jump and triple jump with a first and second place respectively. Adam failed to qualify in the high jump, the event that took him to state last year.

The Bulldogs are looking ahead to great seasons in the future with many talented underclassmen in the IHS ranks.

Girl's Track

Sends Five To State



FRONT ROW: Anita Shelton, Jiffy Humbolt, Jennifer Clark, Andrea Butler, Mona Johnson. BACK ROW: Trina Williams, Heather Main, Geri Hart, Carrie Trouskie, Kim Fitzpatrick, Jennifer Council.

The girls' track team for the 1987 season fared far better than did their male counterparts. The girls' team finished with a last place in the SEK and a 5th overall at the Regional meet. Five of the seven state qualifiers came from the girls' side of the team. Anita Shelton, Trina Williams, seniors, Geri Kay Hart, junior, Mona Johnson, sophomore, and Yona Brown, freshman all qualified for the final meet of the season.

Geri Hart placed second in both the long jump and 800 meter run. Yona Brown snagged a third place finish in the long jump also. Mona Johnson came away with a third place finish in the 100 meter high hurdles. Trina Williams and Anita Shelton participated in the 4x100 and 4x200 meter relays with Mona and Yona to grab third place honors in both events.

Two major point contributors for the Lady 'Dogs, Kim Fitzpatrick, sophomore, and Heather Main, junior failed to qualify for the state meet, but look out for them next year.

Varsity

Winfield	5th
Ft. Scott	5th
Coffeyville	3rd
Parsons	5th
Girard	7th
Pittsburg	4th
SEK	9th
(Pittsburg)	
Regionals	5th
(Ark City)	



Kim Fitzpatrick, sophomore, crosses the finish line first in the 2-mile run during the Coffeyville Relays.



FRONT ROW: Johnna Garr, Karen Goodman, Trala Bruener. BACK ROW: Yona Brown, LeAnn Selby, Dodi McGaha, Danita Cotner..



Upper Left: Geri Hart, junior, stretches in the long jump as she topped all her opponents with a leap of 15' 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". Upper right: Mary Ann Miller, sophomore, pushes herself in the 100 meter dash against an Ark City opponent. Lower left: Jiffy Humbolt, junior, sprints on the backstretch of the 800 meter run to keep from being passed by a Fredonia opponent. Lower right: Anita Shelton and Trina Williams, seniors, take a rest walk after running the 800 meter relay at the Coffeyville Relays.

Boys Tennis

Making Love With Class

FRONT ROW: Chris Thomas, Kevin Leeseberg, Kent Sewell, Taylor Miller. **MIDDLE ROW:** Joel Chambers, John Fitzpatrick, Greg Ferguson, Sohair Hassan, Steve Meyers, Shane Melton, Ty Borders. **BACK ROW:** Cody Wood, B.J. Trouskie, Tyler Higgins, Brian Gentry, Matt Gordon, Rick Bhakta, Chad Bright, David Davidson.

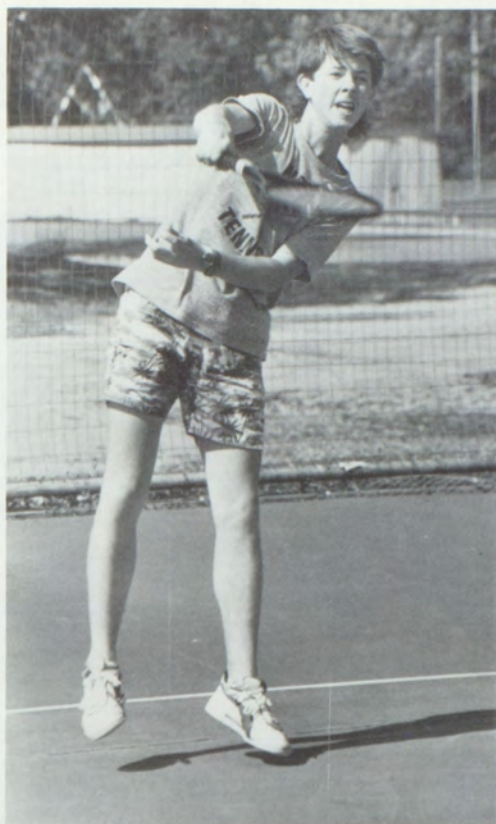


Although not qualifying any boys for the state tournament, the 1987 boys tennis team had a fairly successful year. League brought two fourths, a fifth and a seventh place for IHS. Those participating in league included seniors, Greg Ferguson, B.J. Trouskie, and David Davidson. Sophomore Rick Bhakta; and freshmen Chris Thomas and Kent Sewell. Regionals proved not to be such a happy story. The IHS Bulldogs serving as host team for the event, came up with three total points and tied for fifth place with Chanute.

The IHS jayvee squad had a very successful year finishing first in their host tournament. Chris Thomas and Kent Sewell, freshmen, won the No. 1 doubles title while Sohair Hassan and Matt Gordon, sophomores, took the No. 2 doubles crown. Kevin Leeseberg and Steve Meyer, sophomores, each finished second in the No. 1 and No. 2 singles brackets. "The jayvee team had a great year and most will be ready to come back next year and play some varsity tennis," said Coach Bill Ferguson.



Joel Chambers, senior, and Cody Wood, freshman, warm up before take the court during a home tennis tournament.



ABOVE: Three phases of a serve. Far left: Kevin Leeseberg, sophomore, shows the first stage. MIDDLE: Steve Meyer, sophomore, demonstrates the follow through. RIGHT: Joel Chambers, senior, shows his way of waiting to receive the serve. LEFT: John Fitzpatrick, senior, sends the ball back across the net during a home tournament.

Greg Ferguson and B.J. Trouskie, seniors, leave the court after winning their match during a home tournament.

Debate: *The New Era Begins!*



STANDING: Chris Stephens, Shelly Nelson, Kirt Leyda, Mark Lasater, Alan Defever, Brian Sullivan, Ben Estep, Rick Rigney, Mark Blumer, Chris Carpenter, Joel Williams, Anthony Hill. AT TABLE: Kathy Carroll, Lynn Mount, Angela Blex, Marli Rieck, David Woodard.

The debate squad was as new as ever this year. It wasn't just the students. It was also the teacher. Yes! This was Ellen Ross's first year to make and shape her new "Dynasty"!

Although there were five or six experienced debaters, the young ones took the spotlight. Alan Defever and Marli Rieck took first place at the Caney Invitational Debate Tournament for Novices, and second place at the Pittsburg High Novice Tournament.

Mrs. Ross said, "Chris Stephens and Mark Blumer attended the Emporia State Debate Camp this summer. They brought back a great amount of information and skills to share with the squad."

This year was a small marker in the road to the state championship. Alan Defever stated, "A positive attitude can take you anywhere!"

BELOW: Felica Barbara, senior, and Chris Stephens, junior, do a little improvised speaking for the debate class. Everyone knows that a person can't be shy to be a successful speaker! BELOW LEFT: Lynn Mount, sophomore, listens to Marli Rieck, junior, tell about her fortunate debate successes.



A Hard Act To Follow

Although the squad was young, a few experienced people kept on shining through for Ellen Ross's forensics squad. The people with the best records were Lynn Mount, Michelle Duran, Leigh Lanning, Kurt Leyda, and Alan DeFever. Mrs. Ross said, "I was very pleased with my students' performances. They worked hard and got some good and very needed experience. They have the ability to win many tournaments next year."

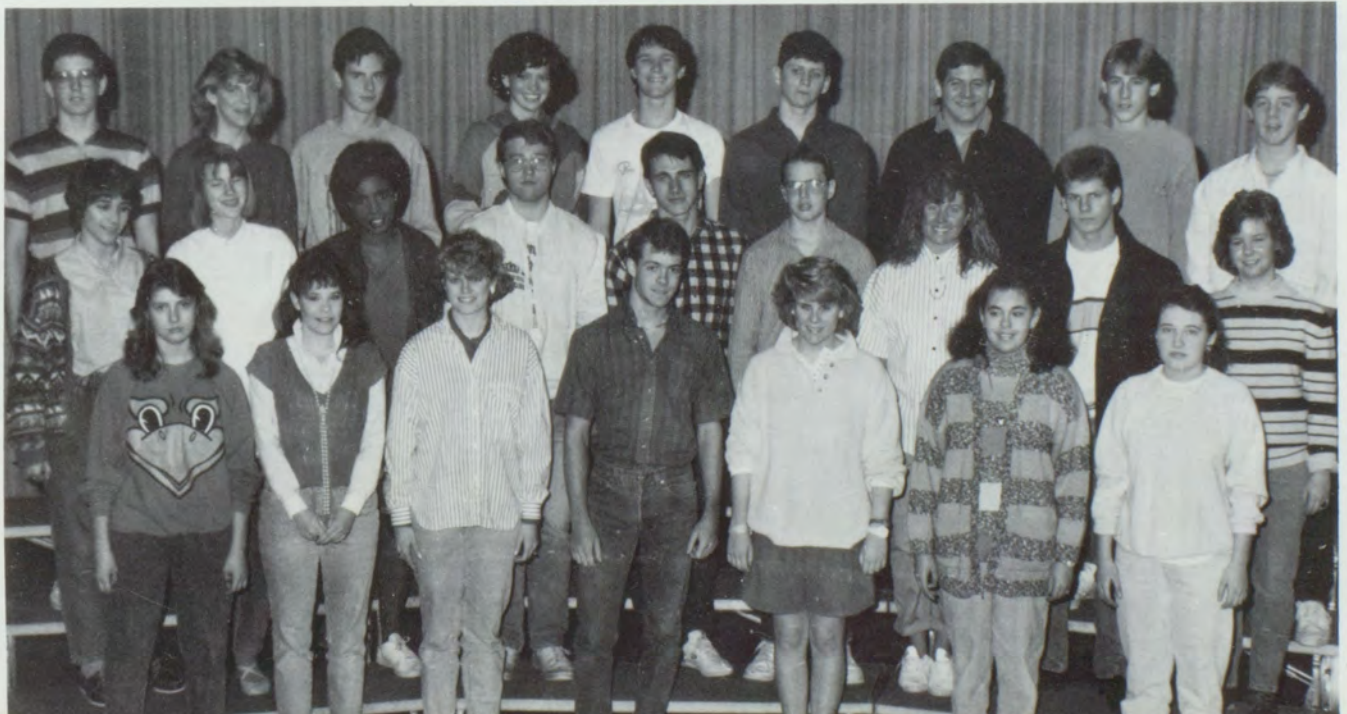


LEFT: Rob Kistler, junior, Michelle Duran, senior, and Kate Claus, senior, pass out the Duet Acting medals at the IHS forensic tournament. BELOW LEFT: Leigh Lanning and Alan DeFever, juniors, use their forensic skills to announce the winners of the IHS Invitational Forensic Tournament held on February 28 at IHS.



Coffeyville	2nd, Informative, 2nd Original Oration
Lynn Mount	3rd, Poetry
Leigh Lanning	5th, Extemp
Kurt Leyda	2nd, Humorous Solo Acting
lola	1st, Informative
Michelle Duran	3rd, Informative
Lynn Mount	3rd, IDA
Ft. Scott	7th, Informative
Lynn Mount	4th, Poetry
Michelle Duran and Alan DeFever	5th, Extemp
Chanute	One Act Play
Anthony Hill	Best Supporting Actor
Robin Smith	Best Supporting Actress
Kurt Leyda	2nd, Extemp
Joel Williams, Leigh Lanning, Kate Clause, Alan DeFever, Michelle Duran	

FRONT ROW: Lori Bogs, Shannon Stafford, Michelle Duran, Stephen Mock, Leigh Lanning, Jami Vega, Mary Ann Miller. SECOND ROW: Alex Lamendola, Kate Claus, Felica Barbara, Anthony Hill, Mark Lasater, Jay Risner, Cindi Burck, Chris Stephens, Lynn Mount. THIRD ROW: Ben Schmickle, Amy Heimberger, Brandon Payne, Shelly Nelson, Alan DeFever, Rob Kistler, Robin Smith, Travis Heftly, Chris Rannels.



Varsity Cheerleaders

Dedication Means Another Win

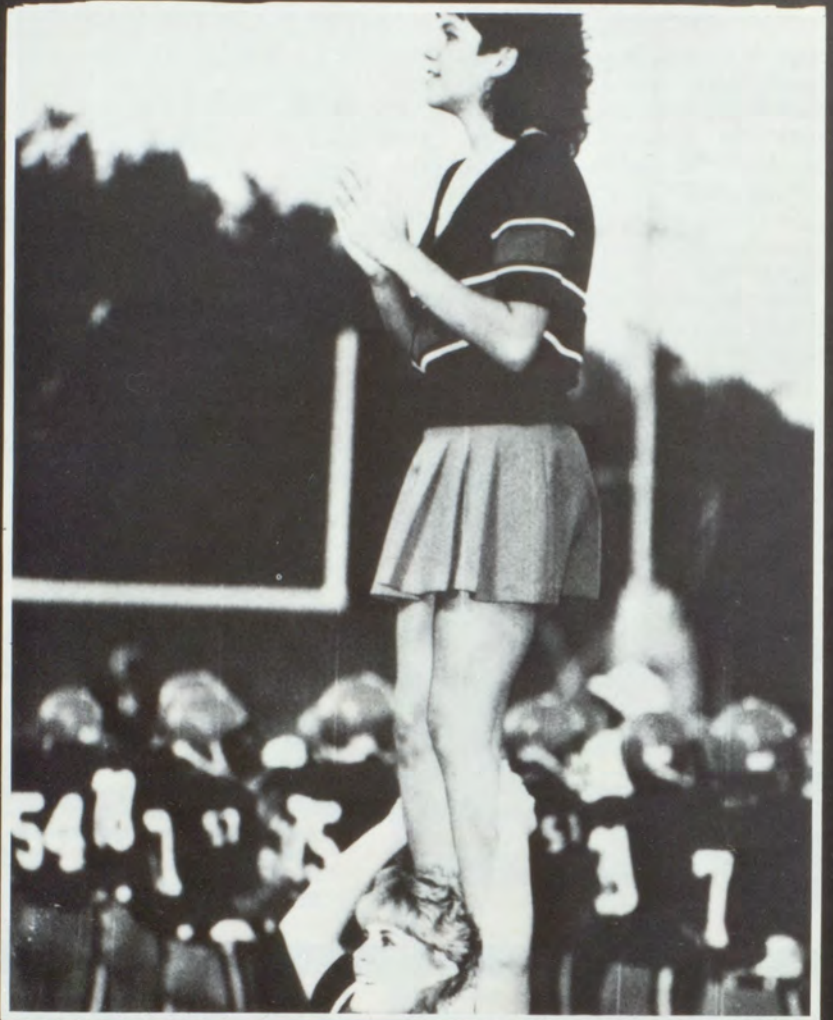
For the ninth year in a row, the 1986-1987 cheerleading squad captured the Grand Champion title at the DCA Cheerleading Camp on July 21-24 at Emporia State University.

The squad spent four days learning their cheers, chants and dances. At the camp, the squad was evaluated every evening on their performance and received various awards. Awards won were for outstanding jumps, stunts and mounts, outstanding leadership, outstanding cheering skill, super squad and squad unity.

Winning Grand Champion didn't come easy for the squad. Starting practice in June, the squad worked hard to bring home the prestigious award. For the two weeks before camp, the cheerleaders practiced three times a day. When co-head cheerleader Jennifer Paugh was asked how it felt to bring home another Grand Champion Trophy, she replied, "We worked really hard, but were pleased to continue the winning tradition at IHS."

The squad members had a busy year cheering at all home and away sports activities — cheering on the orange and black.

RIGHT: The 1986-87 Cheerleading squad cheered on the Bulldog Sportsters to victory. The squad struts their stuff at the all-school pep assembly for the state bound "Lady Dogs."



TOP: "Show us some action, show us some spark, all for the bulldogs, stand up and bark". Sophomore, Tonya Cink cheers on the crowd during football season as Leigh Lanning, Junior, struggles to survive.



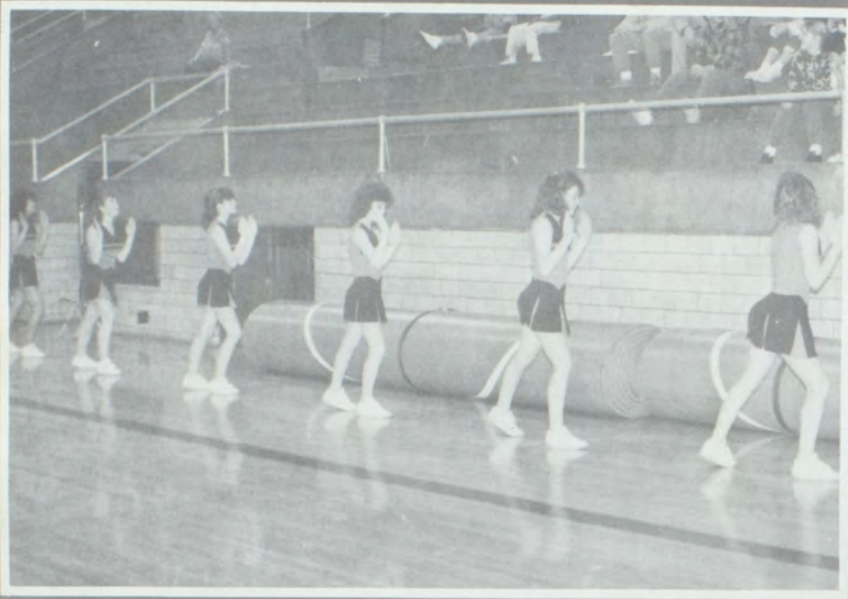


ABOVE: LeAnn Muse raises her hands because she is "sure" the Bulldogs will win. BOTTOM: Practicing the fundamentals of being part of the Grand Champion Cheerleading squad. Sophomore Kristin Boyd strives for perfection!



1986-87 Squad Members are: FRONT ROW: Tonya Cink, Missy Housel, LeAnn Muse, Kristin Boyd. BACK ROW: Anita Shelton, Leigh Lanning, Jennifer Paugh, Stacey Empson, Alisa Nickel, Jennifer Emert, Kyle Maloan, and Juli Paugh.

Freshmen Cheerleaders Capture Title



TOP RIGHT: "Hey You."-Freshmen Cheerleaders warn the opposing team-"We're out to get YOU!" MIDDLE LEFT: BOTTOM ROW: Kim Zemlock, Dacia Thiele, Kristi Wilson, Michelle O'Malley. TOP ROW: Kara Woods, April Lieb, Amy Begue, Christy Carr. MIDDLE RIGHT: Freshmen cheerleaders "Aim for the top," with this top notch mount, performed at a home game. BOTTOM RIGHT: Dacia Thiele, freshman, sharpens her blades with the help of squad member, Christy Carr.



"Point your toes, voices are too high, sharper motions, AGAIN!" Have you ever heard these words until you thought you'd scream? You have if you were a freshman cheerleader this year at IHS. This dedication, determination and hard work started and paid off last summer when they captured the title of Grand Champion Cheerleading Squad at the camp held at ICC. They were led by Stacey Empson and Jennifer Paugh, co-captains of the Varsity Cheerleading squad and sponsored by Shirleen Turner. "They all worked really hard to achieve their goals and it really paid off," commented Jennifer Paugh. "I took them to the camp last summer at ICC and they have really improved since then. It was really rough sometimes but they did it," says Stacey Empson. Mrs. Turner feels, "Every girl on the squad was unique in her own way, yet they worked as a squad. No problems of inner squad fighting went on and really it was just a very good year."

Baseball

Swings Into Action With Class



The 1986-87 IHS Baseball Team. FRONT ROW: Kevin Mishler, Keith Scott, Mike Osborn, Doug Burnett, Harold Smart, Duanne Small, Jim Leiker. BACK ROW: Coach Jeff Leiker, Billy Johnson, Marty Rutland, Shane Hoffman, Roger Rutland, David Hightower, Jay Martinez, Kurtis Brewster, Kelly Robinson, Lonny Hugo, Drake Day.



Several people have wanted baseball to be offered at the high school for many years. This year baseball was offered at IHS for the first time. Coach Jeff Lieker was chosen to coach baseball because he had experience in coaching and enjoyed coaching Babe Ruth and knew many of the young men who would be interested in playing baseball at IHS. When asked what the highlight of the season was, Coach Leiker replied, "The team started playing very well toward the end of the season. It was great winning the home game against Altoona-Midway. After that game, the team never got that big hit in a crucial situation to win a game, but we came close on many occasions. It was great seeing the kids play against some of the tough teams, such as Pittsburg, who had a baseball program for 12 years. We didn't win, but it showed we could play against the teams that have been around for years."



ABOVE: After hitting a homerun over the fence at Sinclair Field, Drake Day (20), junior, runs to home plate as his team waits to congratulate him. BELOW: David Hightower, junior, warms up pitcher Marty Rutland, junior, during the team's home game against Altoona-Midway.

With this year being the first year for baseball at IHS, the team had a tough time, but had a lot of support. "Playing baseball takes time and dedication," said Coach Leiker, "and I was really proud of the kids who stuck in there through the losing streak. I think they learned a lot and had fun playing. Although I'm not coaching here next year, I'm looking forward to seeing how the team will do next year."

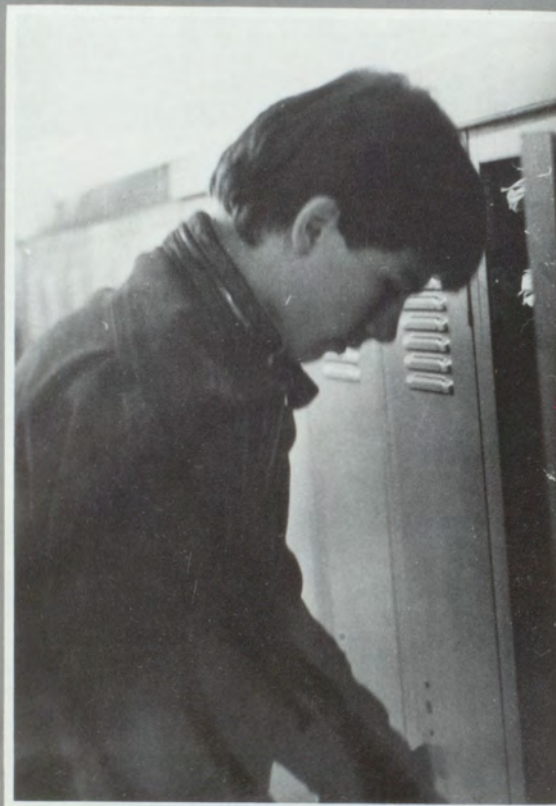
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The Bulldog Life, The Only Way To Live.

Nine months out of a year is the life expectancy of a school year at IHS. The typical student will experience this school year approximately four times in his life. When he spends his high school life at one school, the school spirit kind of grows on him. He has goals to achieve, dances to attend, and books to read. It's not always fun, but if it were he would never want to leave. He will never forget that he lived the "Bulldog Life". No matter what happens in the future, he'll always be a Bulldog.



4. Excuse me? Terry Henson, junior, awaits the answer to his question from Gloria Winder, French instructor, while Kyle Knop and Jamie Heimberger, juniors, finish working.



1. Christy Tucker and Jose Williams, juniors, break from Rachel Wormington's design class to smile for the photographer.

2. Matt Weeks, junior, rumbles through his locker to find that late English assignment.

3. Carl Johnson, sophomore, concentrates on his nine weeks metal shop grade.



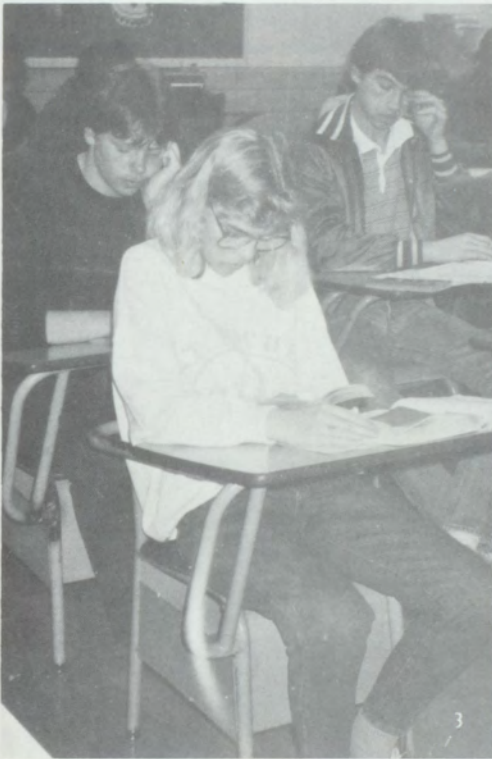


1. Karla Kistler, sophomore, and Kim Zemlock, freshman, are happy to know that they'll always be friends.

2. Although Dina Baker, sophomore, finds her English book to be interesting, Brian Mendoza, sophomore, finds it to be rather tiresome.

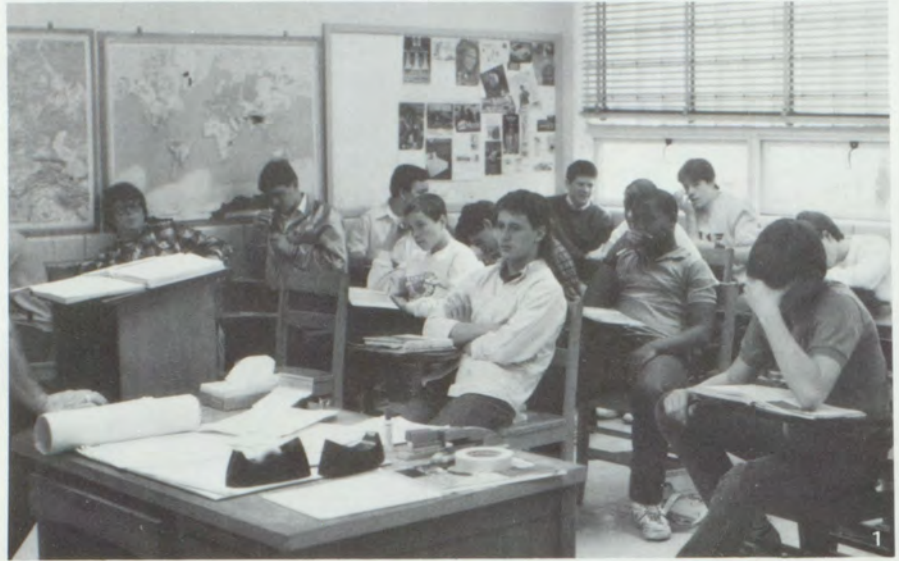
3. Participating in our very own spirit week, Alan DeFever, junior, and Ben Eastep, freshman, show how enthusiastic a debator can be.

4. "You've got to be kidding!" Andrea Butler and Ty Borders, sophomores, work hard on their Consumer Survey assignments.



Every Day At IHS Has The Touch

Every day life at IHS ranges from seniors sitting in the foyer, rushing for the last donut at break, joking with "Boomer" in the parking lot, or just sitting in class listening to the teacher. No matter what you do, life at IHS is anything but boring. Even if there isn't a planned activity going on, there's always some thing else that brightens each day around the school. From the seniors sitting in the foyer to the freshman hurrying past in fear of being caught up in the senior ground, every student at IHS has the touch to make IHS a unique place to be educated in.



1. Juniors listen to "Boomer" while he hams up the Civil War in American History class. 2. Gina Peyton, sophomore, smiles proudly while feeding the tiger lilly in special education class. 3. Just too shy for us! Sophomore Kyle Morgan attempts to portray a senior in 500 hall but obviously Kyle couldn't pass it off.



4. Where is that sheet? Sophomore Lisa Montgomery frowns as she can't find that certain sheet she needs. 5. Coming out of the closet, Jake McMaster, freshman, observes Kevin Helt, freshman, trying to show his muscles.





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1. No, you're not serious! Sophomore Angela Redman gets a shock as she looks up while digging through her locker. 2. Babs Emert, junior, concentrates on her work trying to get it done before the bell. 3. Juniors take time out to relax during Dave Torbett's English class.



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4. Let it snow, let it snow! Seniors Heather Fromong and Gina Boulanger make their day while sledging on the front walks of IHS. 5. Jenay Coker, sophomore, wastes no time in walking down 500 hall as senior Ava Garman and sophomore Jim O'Shields watch the exciting activity. 6. It's raining again! Freshman Susan Pierce comes in from the rain as the lunch period at IHS ends.



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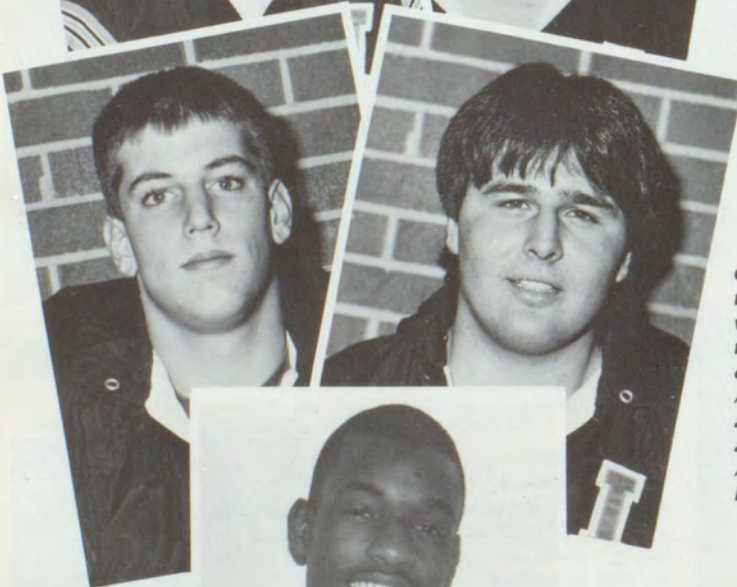
Wrestling



*Go Julio!
Charlie, take
state, you
can
dominate.*



*Todd's
movin' in,
he's on the
go, let's go
Todd, four in
a row. You
can't stop
the "Lock"
— Rock to
the Zemlock
Rock.*



*Can ya feel
that
vibration, it's
the Fitzie
domination.
Attack,
attack,
attack.
Awesome
Billy Jack.*



Go Lo.

Golf



Lynn Mount

Girls tennis at Newton. Volleyball at Newton. Girls golf at Emporia. Wrestling at the Wichita Coliseum. Girls basketball at Emporia. Boys and girls track at Wichita. Quite a wide range of places to visit, especially if it's the travel guide for an Independence Bulldog sports fan. These places were the sites of state competitions where the Bulldogs vied for the top billing. A total of 34 IHS students matched with the best of the best from across the state.

Some of the competitors fared well and some fell early. The girls tennis squad showed their stuff by bringing home the third place trophy. Senior Kathy Hellen reminisces, "Even though we lost our last match, we were real proud, we felt we had finally climbed the ladder to what we had deserved." Kathy competed in the state match with her doubles partner senior Leigha Hawkins.

The volleyball team ended up with a spot in the pool with the first and second place finishers at state and in turn dropped their first three matches, the third to Parsons and failed to advance. The team was still proud and able to come home with their heads up.

Wrestling saw the end to a sequel. Todd Layton finished his high school career with four state championships. After the feat was accomplished, coach Mark Longacre commented, "It's impossible to explain what I felt, not to mention what Todd felt." Not to mention how the entire student body felt for Todd. The seven-man team won the 5th place trophy at state.

BULLDOGS 1986-87

Volleyball



Michelle Duran, Stephanie Norton, Geri Kay Hart, Wendy Beckmann, Kelly Rigney, Wilma Henson, Melody Winford, Jiffy Humbolt, Kathy Smith, Laura Young.

Basketball

FRONT ROW: Kari Hernandez. MIDDLE ROW: Gina Smith, Angela Nelson, Kim Fitzpatrick, Geri Hart, Kathy Hellen. BACK ROW: Wendy Beckmann, Stacey Norton, Stephanie Norton, Wilma Henson. Not pictured: Julie Clark.



Girls basketball saw an even more touching act. "I felt like someone had shoved me into a metal can, shook it as hard as they could and dumped me onto the floor." This was Geri Kay's reaction to having a fan fall from the bleachers and land on Geri Kay as she headed for the locker room at half time. The entire team was heartbroken at the loss of a team member, and their play showed it. They fell to the 5A state champion, Buhler High. "We'll just be ready for them next year," said junior Stacey Norton.

All in all, the Bulldogs had a very successful year. But it goes without saying that the girls sports definitely showed up the boys in the sports arena. And as the quote goes, "We'll just be ready for them next year!"

Tennis

Wendy Wood, Leigha Hawkins, Stephanie Milner, Kathy Hellen, Gina Smith.



Track

Adam Watts, Yona Brown, Geri Kay Hart, Anita Shelton. Not pictured: Mona Johnson, Scott Henderson, Trina Williams.



State Academics Bring Class To I.H.S.

Anywhere from speaking in French to laying out a yearbook page, the students at IHS are talented in many areas. Academics at IHS are soaring to the top of the state level.

IHS sent students to state in competitions in Journalism, Forensics, and Music. Sending 17 students is an honor.

IHS also won High Honors at the ICC Competition Day, and Foreign Competition Day with six students bringing home first place medals from ICC. IHS placed third in the Sweepstakes Competition. At Foreign Competition Day, 15 students came home with first place honors.

Academics is bringing a touch of class to the classrooms.



First place ICC winners: Jennifer Council, Senior; Joel Williams, sophomore; Gina Boulanger, Senior; Melody Winford, Senior; Rob Fann, Senior; and Kellie Milner, freshman. The group competed at ICC on March 3, 1987.

Above: State Music Front Row: Jeff Nichols, Mark Melton. Back Row: Angie Greer, Melissa Bever, Faith Palmer, Andy Stuckey, Rob Fann.



First place Foreign Competition Day at PSU in French: Jenny Metcalf, freshman; Bill McGuire, sophomore; and Tammy Bennett, junior. The group competed at PSU on April 2, 1987.





State Forensic participants: Front Row: Leigh Lanning, junior; Lynn Mount, sophomore; Back Row: Alan DeFever, junior; Michelle Duran, senior, and Chris Stephens, junior. The group competed on May 1 and 2, 1987.

State Journalism participants: Amy Heimberger, junior; Jiffy Humboldt, junior; Heather Fromong, senior; David Davidson, senior; and Jamie Heimberger, junior. The group traveled to KU on March 28, 1987. (Bikes are courtesy of Roy, Dean, and Thaddeus.)



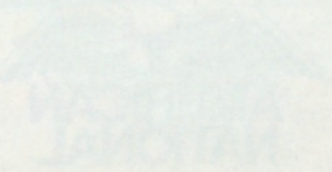
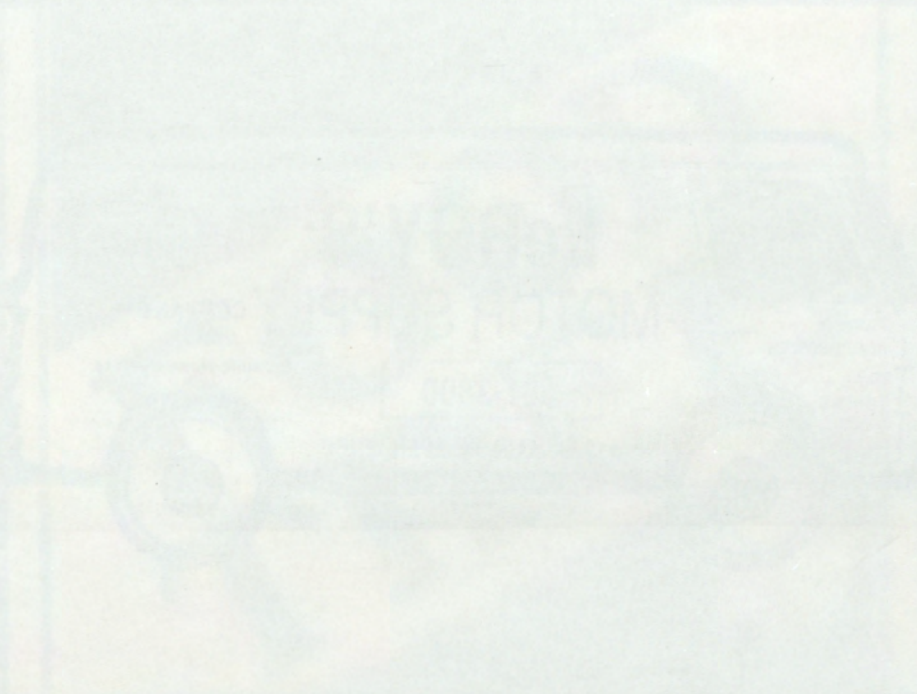
First place at Foreign Competition Day at PSU in Spanish. Front: Kristin Michalis, sophomore; Second Row: Kirt Leyda, senior; Lisa Strahm, sophomore; and Michelle Kettleman, senior. Third Row: Jennifer Council, senior; Jennifer Paugh, senior; Joel Williams, sophomore; and Rick Bhakta, sophomore. Back

Row: Chuck Brewster, senior; Steve Potter, sophomore; Robin Hester, junior; and Travis Barta, freshman. The group traveled to PSU on April 2, 1987.

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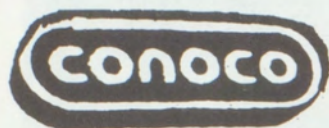
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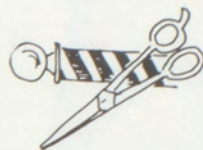
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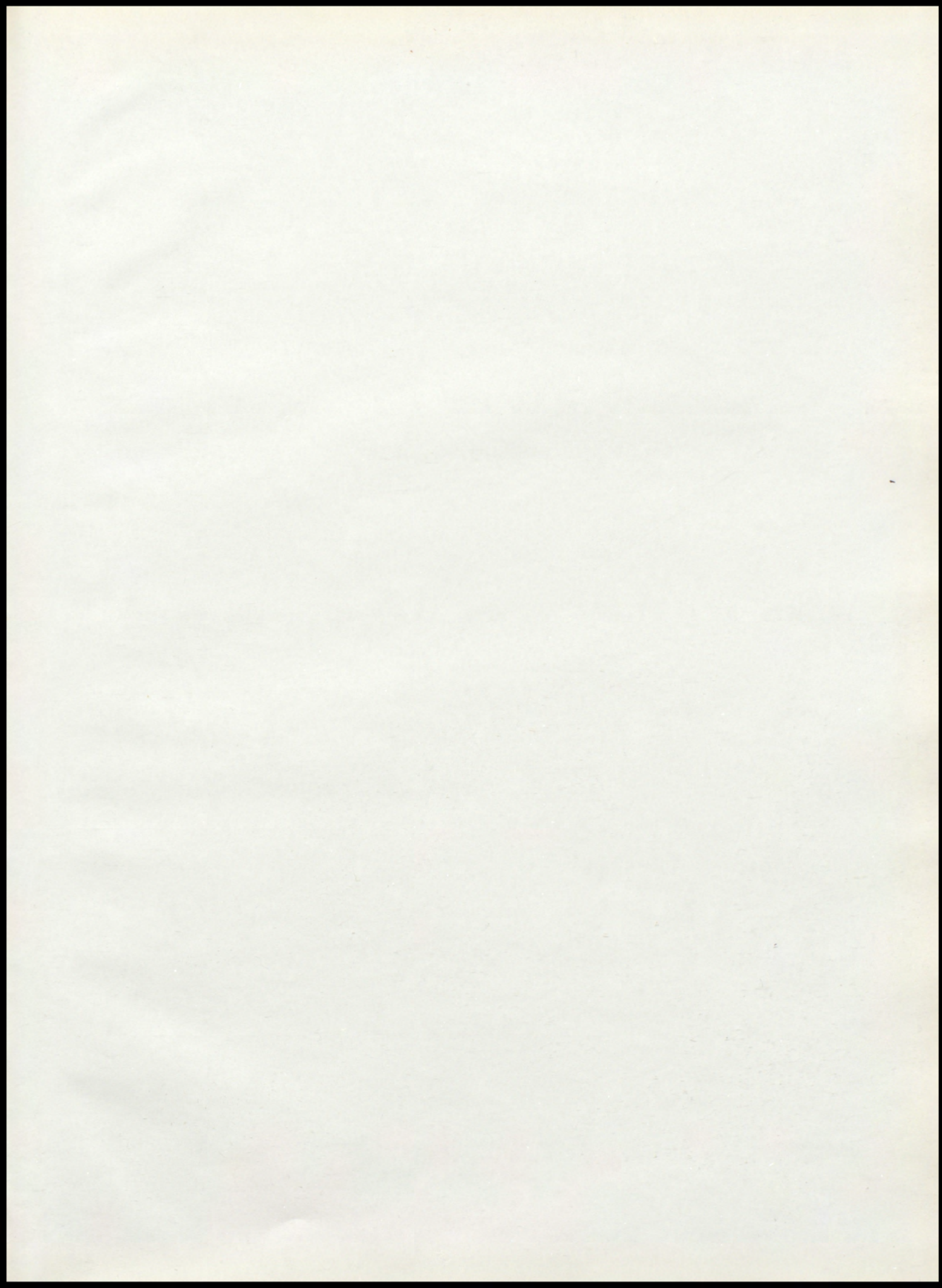


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