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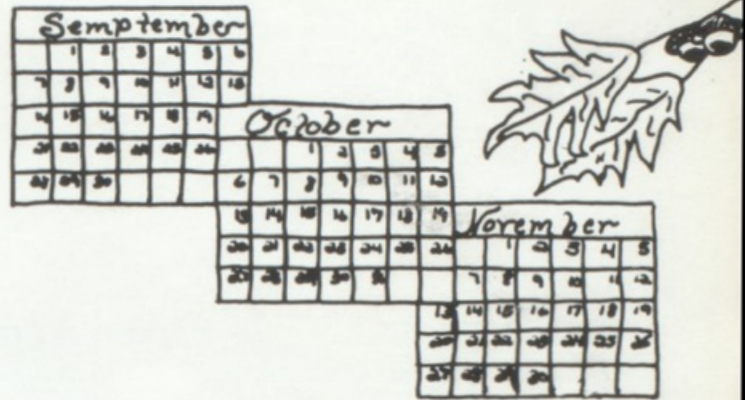
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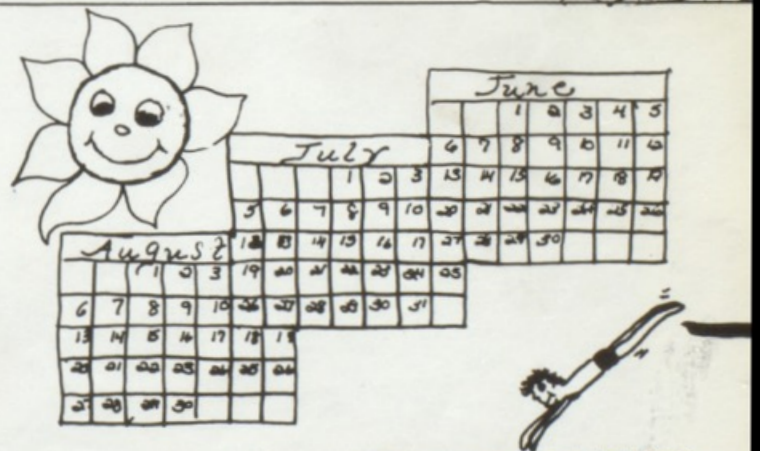
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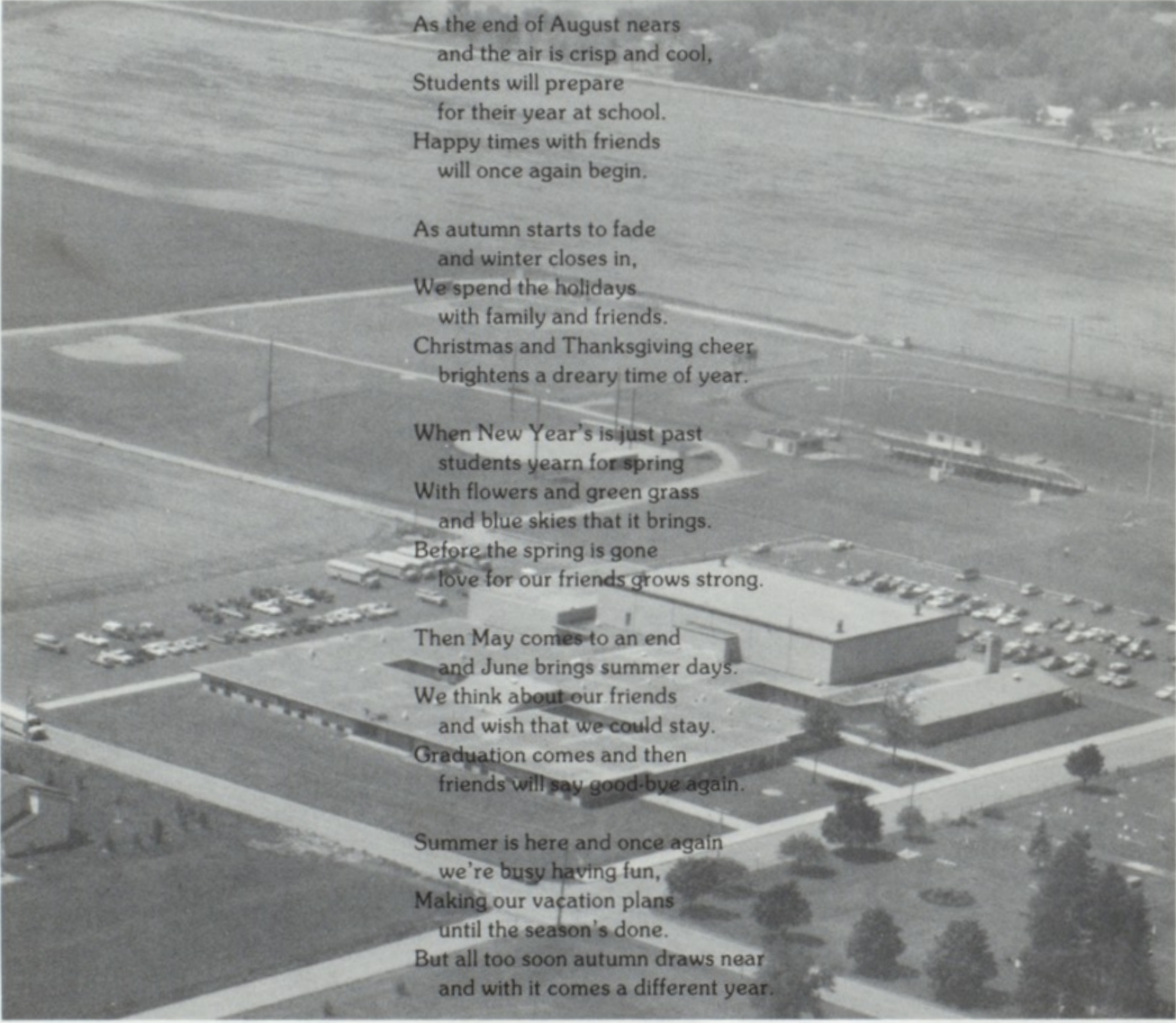


Summer 113

Changing Seasons

Bronson High School

Volume 56
450 East Grant Street
Bronson, Michigan 49028

An aerial photograph of Bronson High School campus. The main school building is a large, rectangular structure with a flat roof. To the left of the building is a large, open field, likely a sports field. In the foreground, there are several parking lots filled with cars. The background shows a line of trees and a road. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

As the end of August nears
and the air is crisp and cool,
Students will prepare
for their year at school.
Happy times with friends
will once again begin.

As autumn starts to fade
and winter closes in,
We spend the holidays
with family and friends.
Christmas and Thanksgiving cheer
brightens a dreary time of year.

When New Year's is just past
students yearn for spring
With flowers and green grass
and blue skies that it brings.
Before the spring is gone
love for our friends grows strong.

Then May comes to an end
and June brings summer days.
We think about our friends
and wish that we could stay.
Graduation comes and then
friends will say good-bye again.

Summer is here and once again
we're busy having fun,
Making our vacation plans
until the season's done.
But all too soon autumn draws near
and with it comes a different year.

In Memory



Angela Cary

Friends are always with us
If not in body then in spirit.
Sometimes taken for granted,
Because they are just a minute away.

The times we have together are special,
But often not realized until separation.
There are hurts and always will be
But memories out shine them all.

Laugh a lot and cry a little
But remember, never forget —
Taken a little too early, but not gone,
Just transformed from here to heart.

— A Bronson High School student



Kimberly Smith



Teresa Buchrer



Karri Freese



Laura Wilber



On Thursday May 22nd, members of Coldwater High School's Student Council met with members of our student council, to plant a flowering crab tree on the Bronnson High School campus. The tree is a meaningful expression of Coldwater's heart felt loss for Bronson's tragedies.



Christina Hessler

Student



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1. "More than five words a minute! Are you crazy," exclaims Missy Snedegar.
2. It's just another day in class for Lisa Frank.
3. Catching flies, Julie Herman?
4. Working hard, or hardly working?
5. Viking Beauties!!

Life



- 1. Why isn't your homework done, Becky Barrows?
- 2. Etudie le francais!
- 3. Mrs. Linda Weber in profile.
- 4. It can't be that boring, Mr. Mosier.
- 5. Our student council puts on a happy face.

THE VIKING STAFF



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Typist: Dianne Wade

Advisor: Mrs. Hurd

CHANGING SEASONS



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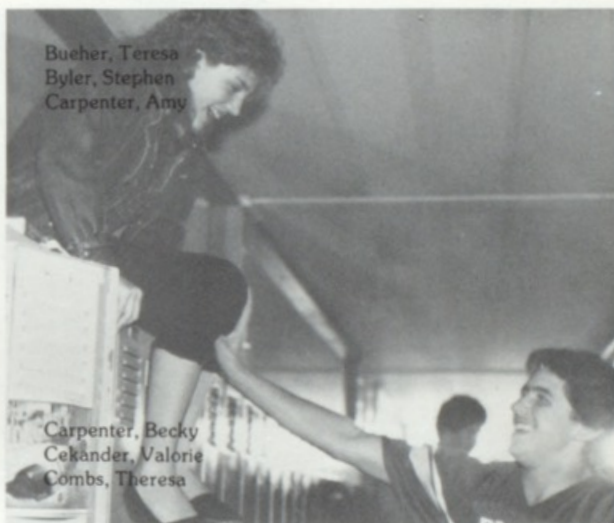
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Alger, Neil
Allen, Sandy
Badder, Nicole
Badgley, Heather
Barrington, Michelle



Bercaw, Tonja
Betts, Lisa
Boes, Robert
Bohacz, Shanelle



Bueher, Teresa
Byler, Stephen
Carpenter, Amy



Carpenter, Becky
Cekander, Valorie
Combs, Theresa

"Thanks Gary Hoard, now I can look Don Williams in the eye," says Christina Hessler.



Conley, William
Coots, Tonya
Creager, Foster
Croy, Herman



Danbury, Charles
Daniels, James
Deal, Jason
Dow, Chris
Fillmore, Sue

French, Kenneth
 Freidel, Leah
 Frohriep, Chad
 Furney, Mike
 Ganton, John



Gates, Tina
 Geer, Heather
 Gibson, Theresa
 Goshorn, Brent



Green, William
 Grey, Melissa
 Grindle, Shelly



Gump, Charlene
 Hand, Tracy
 Hansett, Stacy



Karen Smoker and Tonya Bercaw, the junk food junkies.

Harsh, Lewis
 Harvey, Travis
 Hathaway, T. J.
 Haviland, Tom



Hessler, Christina
 Jennings, Shelley
 Johnson, Ronald
 Jones, Gene
 Jones, James





Kinsey, Murl
Kirkpatrick, Karen
Kubasiak, Chad
Leshner, John
Leupp, Leslie



Long, Lance
Ludwick, Jia
Ludwick, Teeka
McConn, Brad



McGuire, James
McMichael, Tadd
McNeese, Missy



Charles Sandrock concentrates on his art book.



Mallow, Kim
Metzger, Darrel
Metzger, Ronald



Metzger, Timothy
Miller, Kendra
Miller, Robert
Modert, Angela



Moore, Patricia
Odell, Kimberly
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Radley, Anissa
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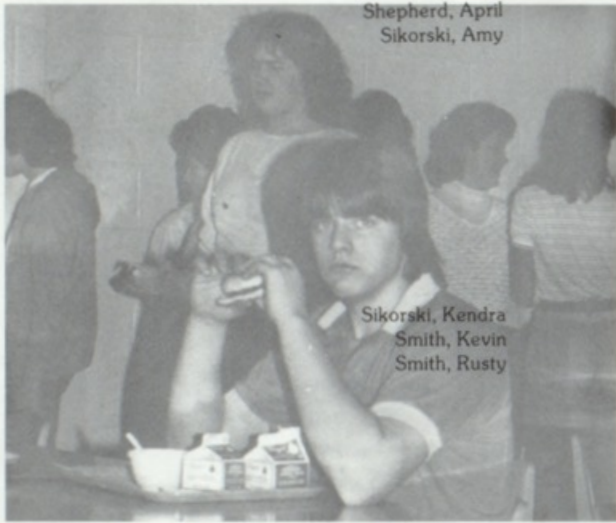
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Rissman, Alicia
Sandrock, Charles
Schaffer, Arizona



Schaffer, Jodi
Schaible, Gail
Schiffer, Yvonne
Shaffer, Jamie



Shaffer, Vickie
Shepherd, April
Sikorski, Amy



Sikorski, Kendra
Smith, Kevin
Smith, Rusty



Don't look so surprised, Charles Wing.

Smoker, Chad
Smoker, Karen
Sowle, Donna
Strong, Tonia



Swift, Missy
Teeters, Melissa
Thoms, Gina
Tolliver, James
Vargo, Rick





Vaughn, Jamie
Verrill, Harold
Vosburg, Kimberly
White, Tony



Wilber, Laura
Wiler, L. D.
Williams, Rodney

Wilson, Jason
Wing, Charles
Wohlers, Dustin

Michelle Barrington, Anissa Radley, and Kim Odell, the female version of the 3 Musketeers.



Wohlers, Jodi
Wolfinger, Michael
Woodcox, David



"One more to the Looney House" say Amy Sikorski, Alicia Rissman, and Teeka Ludwick.



Shanelle Bohacz, if you want to dance, wait until after the game.

Board Dedicated to School Excellence

The Bronson High School Board of Education presides over important issues facing the school and its district. The time and effort they have spent is greatly appreciated by the staff and student body.



First Row: Mr. Elmer Moffet, Secretary; Mrs. Barbara Junker, Treasurer; Mrs. Pamela Rawden, Trustee; Mr. Kenneth Norton, Vice-President. Second Row: Mr. Lynn Mayer, Trustee; Mr. Larry Miller, President; Mr. Lynn Scott, Trustee.



Mrs. Barbara Junker and Mr. Larry Miller



Mr. Kenneth Norton



Mr. Lynn Mayer and Mr. Elmer Moffet



Mr. Lynn Scott and Mrs. Pamela Rawden

ADMINISTRATION



Richard Wragg
Superintendent

How does the administration keep our school running efficiently?

Working with parents to give the best education possible to the students.

Organizing the many activities of the staff and students.

Responsibility for seeing programs are run smoothly and kept on schedule.

Keeping the School Board up to date on the needs of the Bronson High School.

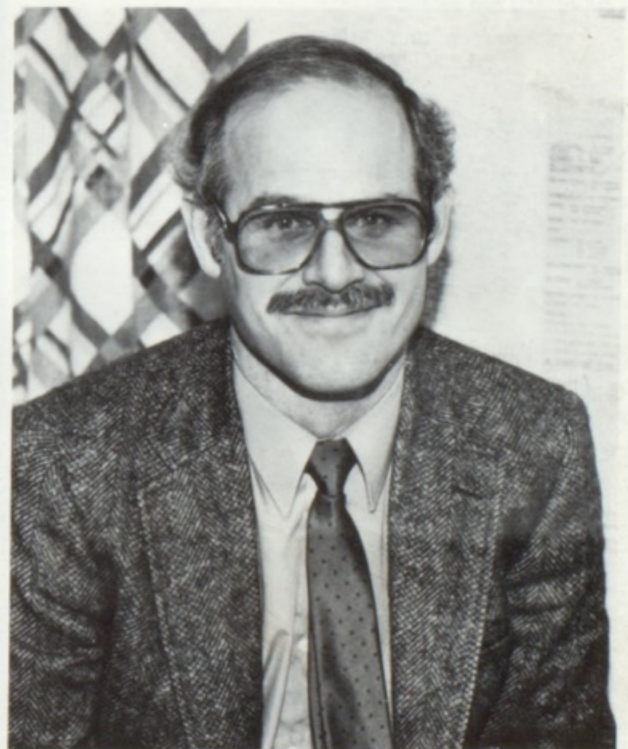
Improving the maintenance of the building and supervising the custodial staff.

Negotiating solutions for discipline and attendance problems.

Giving all they have to make sure the B.H.S. is the best school around.



Paul Turner
Principal



David Binder
Assistant Principal
Athletic Director

SECRETARIES SERVE B.H.S.

Have you ever thought about
the work secretaries do without a
pout? They answer the telephone
or maybe take care of broken
bones.

Would you listen to kids complain
on a day when things were a
pain?

You can see them working everyday
and you never hear them say,
"Hush up you mouthy kid
or I'll give you to the highest
bid."

They always have a ready smile
even if their work's in a pile

A secretary is really a wonder
to do so much without a blunder.

So thank you for all the help
you give without a yelp.

All of you are sweet —
not to mention neat!



Mrs. Carol Forslund, secretary to Mr. Wragg; Mrs. Linda Weber, secretary to Mr. Turner;
Mrs. Lori Cranson, secretary to Mr. Binder



Linda Weber



Lori Cranson

KITCHEN STAFF SERVES WITH A SMILE



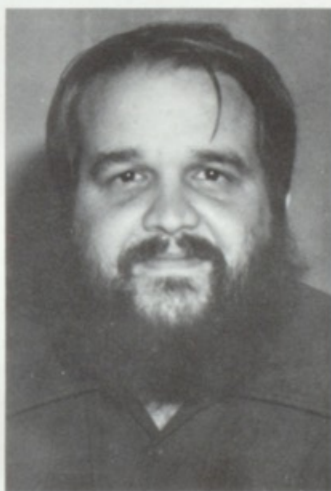
Left to Right: Nancy Rakocy, Food Service Supervisor Helen Williams, Joyce Hoard, and Ruby Kehoe.

A special thanks goes
to our Kitchen Staff pros.
Who make sure we eat
bread, milk, and meat.
Without these great girls —
who are first class pearls,
We wouldn't have meals
that are wonderful deals.

MAINTENANCE



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The B.H.S. has a fantastic crew
who make our school look new.
We appreciate all their work
which they do without a quirk.
If we do our part —
clean with all our heart,
The maintenance will be done
by the setting of the sun.

1. Rodger Harper
2. John Burch
3. Larry Griffeth
4. James Blaskie

Finance



Mr. Gary Crandall
Director of Finances

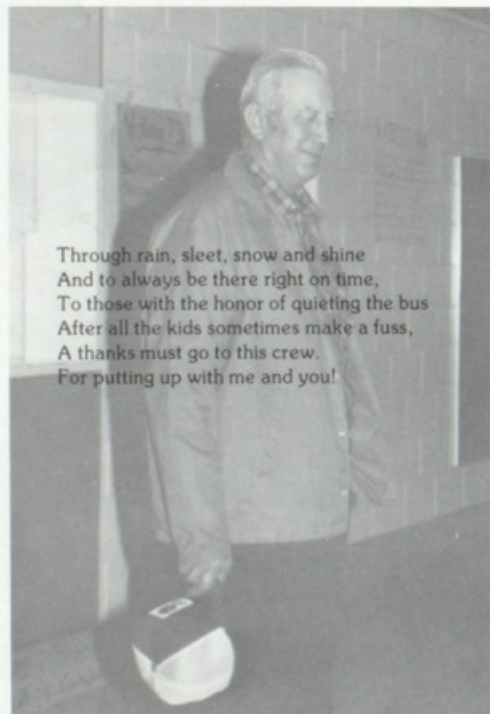


Mrs. Beverly Weaver
Secretary of Finances

Mr. Crandall supervises the affairs of the school's finance dealing with accounting, budgeting, investments and insurance. He is responsible for reporting all transactions that arise throughout the year to the superintendent, Board of Education, and state and federal agencies.

Mrs. Weaver is in charge of paying all bills, managing the payroll and insurances, and maintaining a balance in the school funds.

Transportation



Through rain, sleet, snow and shine
And to always be there right on time,
To those with the honor of quieting the bus
After all the kids sometimes make a fuss,
A thanks must go to this crew,
For putting up with me and you!



Front Row: Mrs. Barbara Losinski, Mrs. Janice Smoker, Mrs. Inez Kolassa, Mrs. Alice Cranson. Middle Row: Mrs. Gracie Green, Mrs. Diane Losinski, Mrs. Frances Furney, Mrs. Barbara Linsey, Mrs. Gene Widener. Back Row: Mr. Irv Worthman, Mr. Allan Herman, Mr. Larry Sikorski, Mr. Bob Byler, Mr. Larry Younce, Mr. Norman Wisman, Mr. Ren Ross.

1986 Yearbook Staff

The yearbook consists of layouts, copies, candid, and most of all, hard work and dedication by the advisor and staff. The cooperation from everybody is great and without it the yearbook wouldn't be such a success!



1st Row: Paul Junker, Holly Washburn, Tia Strohm, LeaAnne Weber. 2nd Row: Dawn Miller, Jodi Woods, Kristi Aker, Kim Malovey, Missy Wiard, Karyn Czajkowski, Dee Dee Wade. 3rd Row: Michelle Perkins, Kerri Harsh, Kim Smith, Kathy Hutchins, Cindi Wotta, Janet Calhoon. 4th Row: Tracy Fochtman, Kris Czajkowski, Beckie Thacher, Yvonne Yearling, T. J. Cline.

1. What, Mrs. Hurd?
2. Michelle and Cindi hard at work.
3. Kristi and Mrs. Hurd discussing the advertisements.
4. Kathy and Becky examine photos.



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Responsible students assist office and library staff



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1. Courtney is always smiling. Is it her Viking Spirit or is it Chad?
2. Shantelle, is that a new form of a Human Antenna? Now you can tune in on the "Q" instead of putting away the library books!
3. Poor Mrs. McDonald! If there weren't so many books she wouldn't know what to do!



Office Help — Debbie Leach, Laura Albright, Tonja Roach, Courtney Wilson, Debra Losinski, Elissa Beard, Christine Robinson.



Library Help — First Row: Richard Ludwick, Shantel Houck, Lisa Frank, Connie Miner, Shelley Smith, Paul Junker, Paula Bisto. Second Row: Kevin Norton, Mike Swift, Randy Hyska, Rick Herman, Matt Rzepka.



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Enthusiastic Football Cheerleaders Stimulate School Spirit



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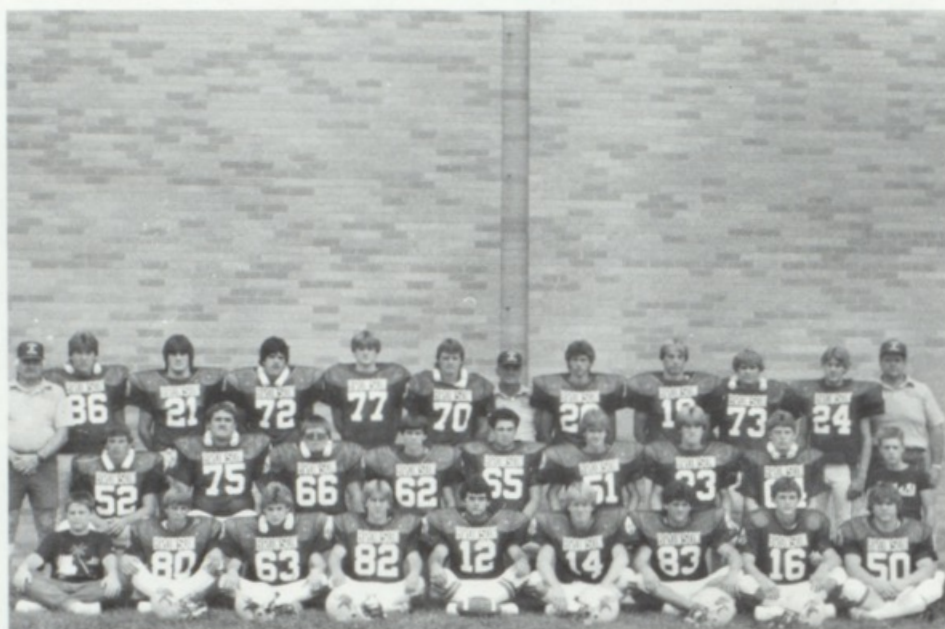
The varsity football cheerleaders braved the wind, rain, snow and cold of the fall weather to encourage our football team to one of its best seasons in several years. During the summer they attended the National Cheerleaders Association Camp at Hope College where they received helpful instruction and new ideas. The girls are appreciative of Mrs. Kathy Keller who gave much support and help in her first year as advisor.

1. Melody Wells, Karri Freese, Lyshell Modert, Lisa Alger
2. Cathy Miliman, Jodi Wohlers, Shelley Jennings, Teresa Buehrer
3. Theresa Wasikowski, Karri Freese, Lisa Alger, Lyshell Modert, Christy Case
4. Jodi Wohlers, Shelley Jennings, Teresa Buehrer, Cathy Milliman.
5. Kris DuJardin, Courtney Wilson, Laura Wilber
6. Karyn Czajkoski, Dave Rinehart, Karri Freese, Dan Rinehart, Melody Wells, Theresa Wasikowski, Lyshell Modert

Football Team Displays Winning Style



Rick Herman



First Row: Manager Nathan Reynolds, Craig Wotta, Mike Himes, Tony Herman, Darby Wiler, Scott Carpenter, Don Carpenter, Scott Turner, and Scott Kemery. Second Row: Jim Van Vorst, Doug Hughes, Nate Disbro, Jamie Smoker, Stacy Weaver, Joe Moon, Rick Herman, Chris Danbury, and Manager Steve Clover. Third Row: Coach Carroll Moon, Randy Hyska, Kevin Kehoe, Micky Smoker, Tom Scully, Matt Rzepka, Coach Ken Miller, Mark Bassage, Dave Pavlov, Steve Russell, Tom Bidwell, and Head Coach Joe Fisher.



Scott Carpenter

Bronson's Varsity Football Team showed an improvement from past years finishing with an overall record of 7-2 and finishing third in the conference with a 4-2 record behind Maple Valley and state-ranked St. Philip.

Darby Wiler and Kevin Kehoe served as the team's captains. Don Carpenter, Micky Smoker, Scott Carpenter, and Kevin Kehoe were placed on the 1st team All-Conference list while Scott Turner, Dave Pavlov, and Doug Hughes gained Honorable Mention. Randy Hyska received Special Mention. Scott Carpenter was named Honorable Mention All-State and Scott Turner Special Mention.

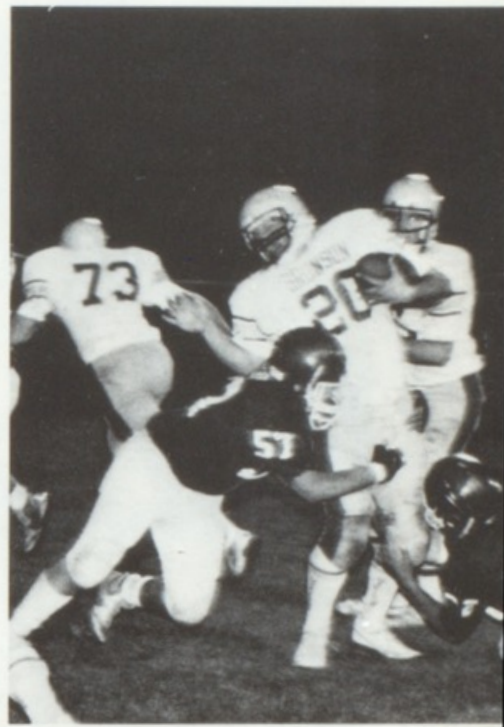
Coach Joe Fisher noted that his defense did an outstanding job, giving up an average of only 6 points and 188 yards per game.

Varsity Football		
Bronson		Opponents
33	Quincy	6
7	Mendon	6
26	Olivet	6
14	Pennfield	0
0	Maple Valley	7
16	Bellevue	14
7	St. Philip	42
27	Colon	14
14	Springfield	7

JV's Finish With Commendable Record



First Row: Jason Wheeler, Neil Alger, Chad Roach, Gary Hoard, Chris Withington, Jon Livengood, Kevin Wrozek, Chad Smoker, and T. J. Hathaway. Second Row: Charlie Danbury, Herman Croy, Mark Atienza, Larry Davis, Steve Byler, Jim VanDam, John Ganton, Todd Marks, Tadd McMichael, Heath Rifenburg. Third Row: Coach Steve Danbury, Shawn Berger, Wayne Reynolds, Paul Willison, Mike Bercaw, Ron Miller, Derek Ross, Brad Ludwick, Jerry Jasper, Bill Routsong, Kevin Parker, and Coach John VanDam.



Bronson's JV Football team finished with a 6-3 record overall and 4-2 in the conference under the leadership of Coach John VanDam.

Coach VanDam felt that two of the losses would have turned out differently had it not been for missing six of his best players. He also complimented the freshmen on a fine performance against Hanover-Horton.

JV Football

Bronson	Opponents
19	Quincy 0
12	Mendon 14
18	Olivet 0
8	Pennfield 14
38	Hanover-Horton 6
8	Maple Valley 30
31	Bellevue 0
12	St. Philip 0
38	Colon 12



Rockin' Rampage



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The October 11, 1985 homecoming theme, "Rockin' Rampage", was a theme of perfection as the spirited Vikings enjoyed a fun week of activities based on Rock-n-Roll. This year's Homecoming also came with a few surprises: The introduction of the first Viking mascots, the addition of a junior court, and the reviving of the parade through town which drew a large crowd. Following the traditional bonfire, the Vikings played a masterful game, but the Maple Valley Lions slipped by with a 7-0 victory. During halftime, the Juniors were awarded first place for the best float, Seniors captured second; Sophomores, third; and Freshmen, fourth. The new king and queen, Doug Hughes and Amy Crampton, were crowned by the returning 1984 King Dave Herman and Queen Tammy Harsh. The dance afterwards was enjoyed by all with music provided by "Escort".



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1. Theresa Wasikowski mimics "We're Not Gonna Take It" as a participant in the lipsync contest.
2. Varsity Football players contribute to homecoming parade.
3. Scott (Madonna) Turner impersonates Courtney Wilson.
4. "The Bruise Brothers": Mr. Brazo, Mr. Bobalik, and Mr. Rifenburgh.
5. Drum Major Holly Washburn leads the way as the band marches through town.
6. The 1985 Homecoming King and Queen, Doug Hughes and Amy Crampton.
7. Newly initiated Viking Mascots, Dave and Dan Rinehart.
8. 1st place Junior class float, "We Will Rock You."
9. The 1985 Junior Court, Freshmen Shelley Jennings and Steve Byler, Sophomores Rhonda Rhoades and Ted Fisher, Juniors Dana Hand and Tony Herman.
10. The 1985 Senior Court — First Row: Dianne Wade, Tonja Roach, Amy Crampton, Christy Case, Michelle Perkins, Kris Czajkowski. Second Row: Scott Carpenter, Darby Wiler, Doug Hughes, Kris Smoker, Rick Herman, and Kevin Kehoe.



9.



Girls Enjoy Winning Record



Front Row: Kim Odell, Marcy Weaver, Kristi Aker, Kris Czajkowski, and Becky Barrows. Back Row: Jill Mayer, Deb Yesh, Kim Clover, Cindi Wotta, Dawn Schottenloher, and Coach Mark Ridenour.



Kris Czajkowski

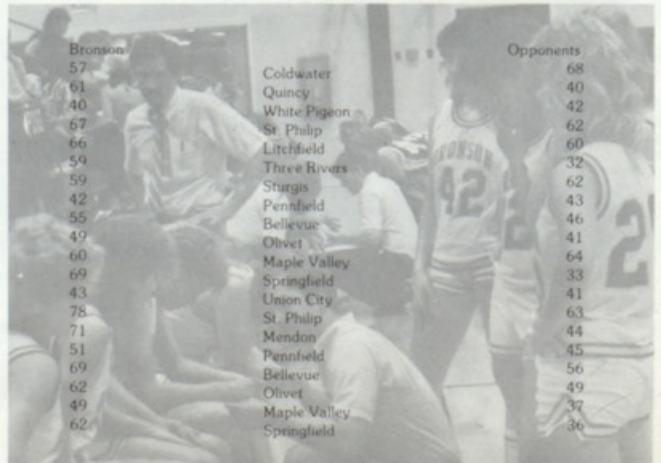
Second year Coach Mark Ridenour led his girls' basketball team to an overall record of 14-6 while finishing second in the conference with a 9-3 record and placing third in the Branch County Tournament.

Cindi Wotta and Kim Clover received All-Conference honors while Dawn Schottenloher received Honorable Mention and Deb Yesh Special Mention.

In District play, the girls advanced to the Championship with wins over Quincy and Homer but lost a close 38-35 game to Union City.



Kim Clover



Bronson	Opponents
57	Coldwater 68
61	Quincy 40
40	White Pigeon 42
67	St. Philip 62
66	Litchfield 60
59	Three Rivers 32
59	Sturgis 62
42	Pennfield 43
55	Bellevue 46
49	Olivet 41
60	Maple Valley 64
69	Springfield 33
43	Union City 41
78	St. Philip 63
71	Mendon 44
51	Pennfield 45
69	Bellevue 56
62	Olivet 49
49	Maple Valley 37
62	Springfield 36

JV's Experience Disappointing Season



The JV girls' basketball team finished the season with an overall record of 2-18 and 2-10 in the conference. The record is not a true reflection of the team's ability since many of the losses were by slim margins.

Second year Coach John Howard said, "The girls improved steadily throughout the year and maintained a positive attitude despite the losses."



Angela Modert



Missy Swift

First Row: Becky Carpenter, Tonya Bercaw, Josie Hansman, Angela Modert, Amy Odisher, and Missy Swift. Second Row: Coach John Howard, Rhonda Rhoades, Leslie Leupp, Missy McNeese, Barb Dixon, Shannelle Bohacz, and Tracy Hand.

JV Girls' Basketball

Bronson JV	Opponents
10	Coldwater 46
37	Quincy 41
23	White Pigeon 38
28	St. Philip 45
19	Litchfield 46
21	Three Rivers 29
11	Sturgis 40
18	Pennfield 38
24	Olivet 32

Cross Country Captures SMAA Title



First Row: Cheryl Drust, Shantel Houck, Beth Barrows, Jodi Case, and Jean Miller. Second Row: Manager Travis Dykman, Tim Ransbottom, Mike Johnson, Randy Litzau, T. J. Cline, Jason Wilson, L. D. Wiler, and Brian Coats. Third Row: Coach Keith Dykman, Dwayne Smith, James Krontz, Doug Anderson, Greg Anderson, Jesse McGuire, Rich Clifford, Darrell Vorce, and Mike VanBlarcom.



Brian Coats



Shantel Houck

For the second year in a row, Coach Keith Dykman led his team to a conference title while compiling a 7-1 overall record.

This year's team had four runners qualify for the state meet which included Jesse McGuire, Brian Coats, Shantel Houck, and Jean Miller. McGuire captured the state title for the second consecutive year while breaking the school record with a time of 15:47. Shantel Houck also broke the girls' record with a time of 20:06.

The success of the team was due to experienced runners as five of the top seven runners were seniors.

Bronson	Cross Country	Opponents
15	Union City	50
22	Oliver	35
27	Boys 3rd, Girls 3rd at Olivet Invitational	
31	Pensfield	32
23	Albion	Boys 26, Girls 12
20	Springfield	41
	Boys 6th, Girls 2nd at Union City Invitational	
17	Maple Valley	46
19	Bellevue	42
	Boys 10th, Girls 12th at Sturgis Invitational	
23	St. Philip	36
	Boys 2nd, Girls 2nd in Branch County Meet	
	Boys 6th, Girls 10th at Niles Brandywine Invitational	
	Bronson boys 1st in SMAA League Meet	
	Boys 7th, Girls 5th at Regional	
	Jessie McGuire, Brian Coats, Jean Miller, and Shantel Houck qualify for State Meet	
	Jessie McGuire - State Champion 2nd year in a row	

Girls' Tennis Nets Outstanding Season



First Row: Nicole Badder, Leah Freidel, Amy Sikorski, Kim Norton, Diane Lahrke, Pam Tooman, Laura Perkins, Melinda Scully. Second Row: Coach Martin Woodcox, Rhonda Cook, Kathy Hutchins, Colleen Crabill, Yvonne Yearling, Kim Smith, Amy Crampton, Holly Washburn, Michelle Perkins, Dianne Wade. Not Pictured: Jenny Woodcox.



Yvonne Yearling



Michelle Perkins

Girls' Tennis		
Bronson		Opponents
7	Albion	0
2	Springfield	5
	3rd at Springfield Invitational	
4	Schoolcraft	3
	2nd at Albion Invitational	
2	Springfield	5
2	Three Rivers	5
2	Three Rivers	5
5	Sturgis	2
13	Coldwater	3
2	Pennfield	5
	2nd in Bronson Invitational	
1	Coldwater	6
4	Columbia Central	3
5	Schoolcraft	2
6	Sturgis	1
7	Albion	0
	5th at Regional Tournament	
5	Pennfield	2

Under the guidance of Coach Martin Woodcox, the girls' tennis team finished their season with a strong 9-6 record, which is the best in our school's history.

Highlights of the season included our upset of Columbia Central and the defeat of Sturgis and Coldwater for the first time. Sophomore Laura Perkins put in a fine performance during regional play, qualifying for championship play.

Coach Woodcox noted that the girls were a very cooperative and hard working bunch, which accounted for their fine record.

Fall Play

What happens when a baseball fanatic father breaks a leg, can no longer work, yet faces the problem of mounting bills? Mom works at the office — leaving Dad to do the dishes, host the P.T.A., and win a national cooking contest!

The B.H.S. Drama Department made the Cahill family's situation come to life on November 8-9, 1985 at the Bronson Middle School Auditorium.

Many hours of dedicated preparation were given by the cast, backstage crew, and the production staff. Serving as Director and Producer for the 1985 Fall Play was Mr. Carl Rifenburg, with the assistance of Aimee Smith, Student Director, and Elissa Beard, Dana Hand, and Diane Lahrke as Student Assistants.



1.



Friday Night Cast:

First Row: Neil Alger (Roger Cahill), Courtney Wilson (Mrs. Gilford), Robin Roades (Lucille Ford), Kim Malovey (Ellen Cahill), Lisa Alger (Mrs. Beeman), Karyn Czajkowski (C. V. Brockman), Karen Smoker (Nancy Cahill). Second Row: Jon Livengood (Walter Stuart), Joe Moon (Vincent Blair), Rob Dearman (Bill Cahill), T. J. Cline (Dr. Hartnett), Paul Junker (Mr. Trevor), Kendra Miller (Mrs. Tash), Kris Ludwick (Mrs. Conch).



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1. Friday's Mr. and Mrs. Cahill (Rob Dearman, Kim Malovey).
2. Saturday's Mr. and Mrs. Cahill (Joe Renshaw, Michelle Perkins).
3. Dana Hand (Student Assistant), Aimee Smith (Student Director), Elissa Beard (Student Assistant) and Diane Lahrke (Student Assistant) — Bravo!
4. "The Backstage Bunch" — Jodi Case, Doug Cook, and Anissa Radley — Great Job!
5. T. J. Cline: "Aren't I Beeautiful?"
6. "One more line . . . pucker more, Joe!" exclaims Michelle.
7. Tia Strohm is there to lend a "helping hand" as Dawn has discovered.
8. "No! Do it again," exclaims Mr. Rifenburg (he only wants the best for us!)
9. "The Make-up Shop"
10. Mr. Cahill hosts the "Lovely Ladies" of the P.T.A.



Saturday Night Cast: First Row: Neil Alger (Roger Cahill), Rhonda Cook (Nancy Cahill). Second Row: Dianne Wade (Mrs. Beeman), Angella Radley (Mrs. Conch), Dawn Miller (Lucille Ford), Joe Renshaw (Bill Cahill), Michelle Perkins (Ellen Cahill), Jodi Woods (C. V. Brockman). Third Row: Connie Miner (Mrs. Gilford), T. J. Cline (Dr. Harnett), Joe Moon (Vincent Blair), Paul Junker (Mr. Trevor), LeAnne Weber (Mrs. Tash), Jon Livengood (Walter Stuart).



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Golf Team Swings Low From Inexperience



Dustin Wohlers



Front Row: Rick Kubasiak, Kevin Smith, Chad Kubasiak, Doug Cook. Second Row: Dustin Wohlers, Dave Wohlers, Don Williams, and Coach Jim Modert.



Dave and Don

Consisting of seven golfers with less than two years experience each, Coach Jim Modert's golf team finished the season at 2-14 and 5th in the conference with a 1-9 record.

Dave Wohlers guided the team as he was voted the Most Valuable Golfer, Most Improved Golfer, and received the Tom Kehoe Award.

Coach Modert feels that because of their good attitudes, the golf team will improve as they gain the necessary experience.

Bronson	Golf	Opponents
	4th in Branch County Tournament	
212	Union City	194
220	Pennfield	168
202	Bellevue	185
194	White Pigeon	22
218	Maple Valley	173
191	Springfield	221
194	White Pigeon	222
195	Quincy	187
213	St. Philip	171
218	Pennfield	167
196	Quincy	190
201	Bellevue	187
210	Maple Valley	180
230	Springfield	196
212	St. Philip	169
	5th in SMAA League Match	
	16th at Regional Match	



December

1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20

January

	1	2		
5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19

February

	3	4	5
	8	9	10
	11	12	13
	14	15	16
	17	18	19
	20		

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Rhonda Rhoades

VICE PRESIDENT



Jodi Case

ADVISORS



Miss Ross and Mr. German

SOPHOMORES

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Melinda Scully

TREASURER



Diane Lahrke



Albright, Mary
Anderson, Charles
Ankney, Kimberly
Badgley, Michelle
Bassage, Dawn



Beard, Elissa
Bercaw, Michael
Blouin, Kerry
Bohacz, Eric



Case, Jodi
Caudill, Loretta
Caudill, Sharon

"I just won \$100 million in the lotto," exclaims Elissa Beard to Diane Lahrke.



Cekander, Kevin
Charlier, Paula
Conley, Bobbi
Crabill, Colleen

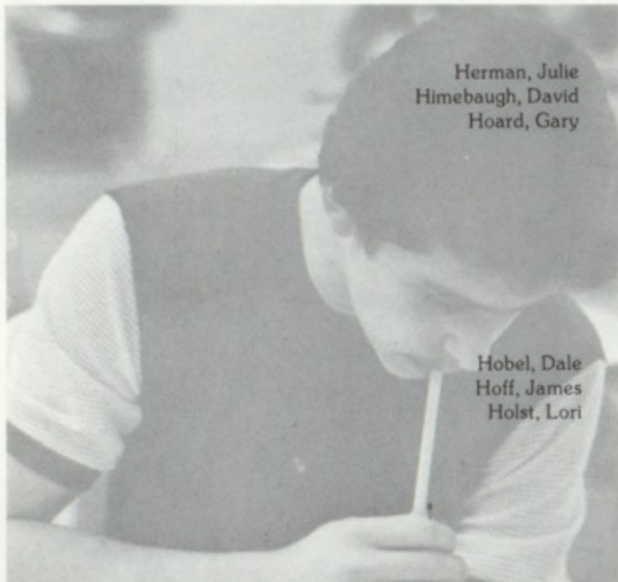


Davis, Lawrence
Dearman, Robert
Dixon, Barbara
Drust, Cheryl
DuJardin, Kristina

Fair, Curtis
 Finley, Charity
 Fisher, Ted
 Foster, Tina
 Frohriep, Jon



Gray, Gregory
 Hankins, Cheryl
 Hansman, Floretta
 Hayden, Maceo



Herman, Julie
 Himebaugh, David
 Hoard, Gary



Hobel, Dale
 Hoff, James
 Holst, Lori



Gary Hoard, does that pencil taste good?

Howe, Paula
 Huff, Mark
 Jasper, Gerald
 Jones, Tamara



Kemery, Dawnette
 Kleinhardt, Treasa
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 Krontz, Tammy
 Kubasiak, Rick

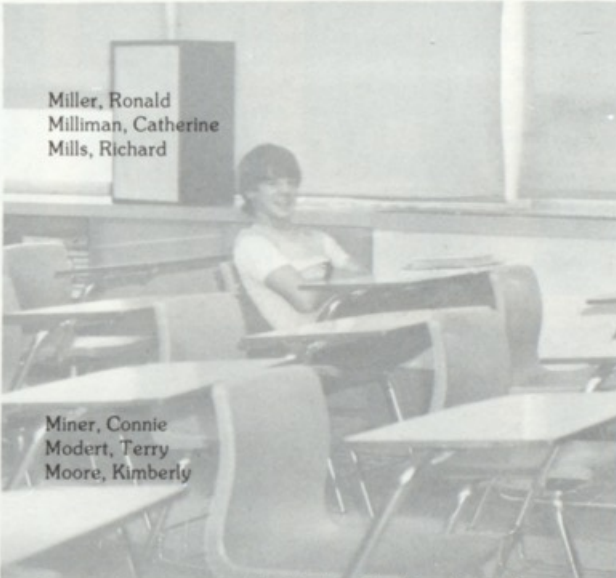




Kupinski, Renee
Lahrke, Diana
Livingood, Jon
Ludwick, Brad
Ludwick, Diana



Ludwick, Joseph
Marks, Todd
McConn, Sherri
Metzger, Janette



Miller, Ronald
Milliman, Catherine
Mills, Richard



Miner, Connie
Modert, Terry
Moore, Kimberly

Are you waiting for Monday, Tim Ransbottom?



Parker, Kevin
Perkins, Laura
Ransbottom, Timothy
Reynolds, Wayne



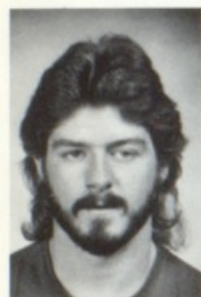
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Reiger, Mark
Roberts, Shawn
Rodgers, Tina
Ross, Derek



Routsong, William
 Salyer, Steven
 Salyer, Joel
 Scully, Melinda
 Six, Kimberly



Smith, Shanna
 Smith, Shelley A.
 Smith, Shelly D.
 Snedegar, Melissa
 Sponsler, Philip



Squires, Paul
 Steffes, Anthony
 Summerlott, Traci
 Sweers, Brett
 Tooman, Pamela



Webb, Charles
 Willison, Paul
 Withington, Christopher
 Wohlrs, Richard
 Wrozek, Kevin



Colleen Crabill incognito.



Tina Foster, taking a break.

Not Pictured:
 Lowe, Troy
 Morrison, Frank
 Rippey, Daniel

SPIRIT CORE



First Row: Mr. Jim Modert (Advisor), Kim Malovey (Secretary), Becky Barrows (Treasurer), Karyn Czajkowski (President). Second Row: Karyn Smoker, Theresa Wasikowski, Karri Freese, Christina Hessler, Robin Rhoades, Tracy Hand, Courtney Wilson, Kim Norton. Third Row: Michelle Barrington, Anissa Radley, LeAnne Weber, Jodi Woods, Lori Marks, Diane Lahrke, Dana Hand, Debbie Riddle. Fourth Row: Shelly Grindle, Alicia Rissman, Amy Sikorski, Angela Modert, Marcy Weaver, Kris Czajkowski, Dawn Schottenloher, Kristi Aker, Jenny Baldwin, Tony Bercaw.

The Spirit Core is a group of students who have an extra sense of school spirit. Their goal is to spread this spirit to others by participating in assemblies and writing notes of encouragement to individuals and teams participating in tournaments. Booster buttons are awarded members who go to sports events and boost spirit. This is the first year in many that the Spirit Core has existed. Their advisor, Mr. Modert, has done an excellent job of organizing this energetic group. Keep up the good spirit!

FRENCH CLUB



French Club — First Row: Lisa Alger (Treasurer), Lori Marks (Secretary), Kim Malovey (President), Dawn Schottenloher (Vice President), Lee Ann Ross (Advisor). Second Row: Kathy Hutchins, Christy Case, Marcy Weaver, Jodi Woods, Karri Freese, Robin Rhoades, Jenny Bladwin, Kristi Aker, Missy Wilber, Courtney Wilson, Kim Norton, Dawn Miller. Third Row: Jenny Woodcox, Becky Thacher, Gwinn Green, Cindy Bauman, Lisa Platter, Dawn Kemery, Nicole Rieger, Susan Metzger, Sherri McConn, LeAnne Weber, Chris Robinson, Jean Miller. Fourth Row: Konni Fenner, Cindi Wotta, Becky Barrows, Kim Clover, Doug Hughes, Greg Anderson, Jesse McGuire, Becky Scott. Not Present: Holly Washburn, Jerry Jasper, Connie Miner, Dave Pavlov, Mark Rieger, Brett Sweers, David Kregger, Rob Dearman, Lyshell Modert.

The French Club, advised by Miss Lee Ann Ross, appeals to students who are interested in the French culture as well as their own. Their various activities through the year included an educational trip to the Art Institute of Chicago and a trip to South Bend to see a performance of the play "le Malade Imaginaire," a french comedy by Moliere. Their fund raising project, selling Christmas candles, was most profitable. Membership in the French Club is entertaining as well as educational.

The aCappella Choir



First Row: Cathy Milliman, Melody Wells (Vice President), Rob Dearman, Michelle Perkins (President), Jon Livengood, Laura Perkins, Jan Metzger. Second Row: Susan Metzger, Diane Lahrke, Angella Radley, Jodi Woods, Joe Moon, Janet Calhoon, T. J. Cline, Dianne Wade. Third Row: Diana Ludwick, Becky Squires, Jenny Baldwin, Darin Jerome, Pam Tooman, Paul Junker, Jodi Wohlers, Joe Renshaw, Rhonda Litzau. Fourth Row: Melinda Scully, Scott Turner, Jeanette Tooman, Tracy Holst, Dawn Miller (Treasurer), Dave Rinehart, Missy Wiard, Jesse McGuire, Marcy Weaver. Not Pictured: Christy Case (Secretary), Tony Steffes, Rollie Vallance, Holly Washburn, LeAnne Weber, Yvonne Yearling.

The Bronson aCappella Choir has again done an outstanding job. On March 12 at Kalamazoo, they participated in the District XI Choir Festival where they received straight ones for a first division rating. They did an exceptional job and were cited as being "very professional."

On March 20 the choir traveled to WMU where they participated in a mass choir under the direction of Dr. Karle Erickson. This experience taught them many new techniques. Choir director Mrs. Pustelnik has worked hard, demanding quality and instilling pride in the choir.



BHS BAND



First Row: Michelle Perkins (Vice President) Michelle Ruder, Diane Lahrke, Paula Charlier, Kim O'Dell, Michelle Barrington, Tina Gates. Second Row: Trisha Bystry, Tammy Yearling, Shelley Smith, Lori Friedel, Melissa Gray, Mellissa Mcnees, Leslie Loop, Kendra Miller, Tom Scully, Stacy Hansett, Leah Friedel, Joe Renshaw, Jesse Mcguire (President), Laura Perkins (Secretary). Third Row: Cindy Bauman, Paula Bistel, Cathy Milliman, Connie Miner, Amy Sikorski, Nicole Rieger, Heath Rifenburgh, Tim Metzger, Darrell Metzger, Tony Steffes, Tracy Holst, Pam Tooman. Fourth Row: Dianne Wade (Treasurer), Janet Calhoon, Melinda Scully, Koni Fenner. Director: Mr. Staniszewski. Not Pictured: Amy Carpenter, Brad McConn, Holly Wasburn.



This has been an outstanding year for the BHS Band. For the first time in eleven years they have received a first division rating at a district band festival. They have shown great improvement as they have spent much time and effort mastering their music. Attitudes have improved enormously as everyone has had the willingness to do well and keep trying.



Varsity Captures SMAA and District Titles



First Row: Rick Herman, Bret Cary, Craig Wotta, Mike VanBlarcom, Mark Bassage, Matt Rzepka, and Manager Brad Neihardt. Second Row: Coach William Zabonick, Derek Ross, Kris Smoker, Greg Anderson, Don Williams, David Pavlov, and Scott Turner.



Scott Turner and Don Williams



Mike VanBlarcom



Derek Ross

Varsity Basketball

Bronson	Opponents
71	Union City 49
67	White Pigeon 38
81	Pennfield 53
80	Bellevue 66
39	Constantine 58
55	Sturgis 73
81	Hillsdale 43
56	Olivet 54
75	Maple Valley 64
70	Springfield 55
54	St. Philips 52
78	Quincy 38
74	Pennfield 47
85	Bellevue 70
51	Coldwater 60
68	Olivet 64
54	Three Rivers 57
69	Maple Valley 52
70	Springfield 48
71	St. Philips 48
73	Homer 59
55	Union City 49
60	Stockbridge 79

Vikings Reign as SMAA and District Champs

Coach William Zabonick and the Varsity Basketball Team continued their dominance of the SMAA Conference and District Tournament as they captured both titles for the second year in a row. They finished the regular season with a superb 18-5 record while going undefeated in conference play.

Kris Smoker and Don Williams were named to the All-Conference team while Greg Anderson received Honorable Mention and Mike VanBlarcom Special Mention.

Coach Zabonick felt that defeating St. Philip and Olivet towards the end of the season gave his team a lift going into state tournament play.

J.V.'s Claim Fourth Conference Title



Chad Roach



First Row: Brett Sweers, Kerri Blouin, Jon Frohriep, Chad Roach, and Larry Davis. Second Row: Coach Mike Miller, Paul Willison, Doug Anderson, Kevin Cekander, Eric Bohacz, and Jamie Smoker.



Scott Bystry



Brett Sweers and Jamie Smoker

Coach Mike Miller led his JV Basketball Team to an excellent 16-4 season while capturing the SMAA Championship with a 11-1 record and also winning the Holiday Tournament. Coach Miller felt that the team played well together and expects more winning seasons to follow.

JV Basketball		
Bronson		Opponents
56	Union City	23
42	White Pigeon	46
59	Pennfield	50
43	Bellevue	44
47	Constantine	45
73	Three Rivers	67
49	Hillsdale	44
52	Olivet	42
51	Maple Valley	50
88	Springfield	56
62	St. Philips	32
50	Pennfield	43
64	Bellevue	26
51	Coldwater	55
44	Olivet	34
56	Three Rivers	58
49	Maple Valley	35
52	Springfield	47
72	St. Philip	28

Basketball Cheerleaders



Theresa Wasikowski



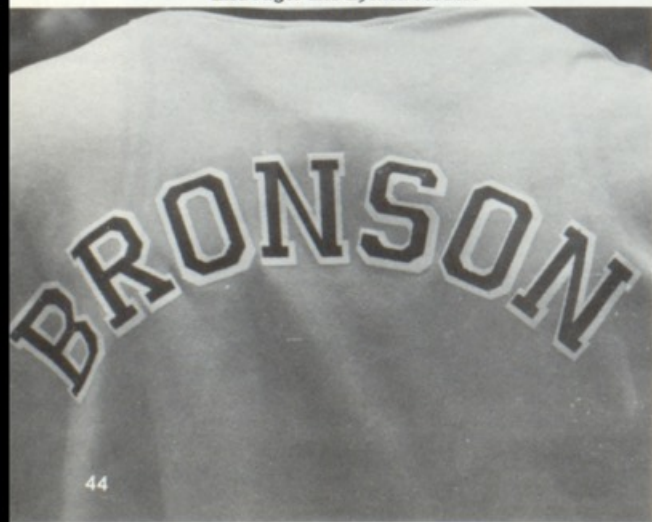
First Row: Michelle Perkins, Lisa Alger, Lyshell Modert. Second Row: Karyn Czajkowski, Theresa Wasikowski, Kim Malovey, Kris Czajkowski.



Lisa Alger and Lyshell Modert



Michelle Perkins, Kris Czajkowski, and Lisa Alger



Hey What About a Color Shout!

Ignite Bronson Spirit



First Row: Cathy Milliman, Shelly Jennings, Robin Rhoades. Second Row: Jodi Wohlers, Courtney Wilson, Kris DuJardin.



Shelly Jennings



Get Yourself Together, Elevate Your Mind!

Bronson is noted for its history of spirit demonstrated by the student body at BHS, and by the outstanding community support. Much of the spirit originates with the cheerleaders. Both varsity and JV squads work together to organize various spirit-raising activities, such as pep assemblies and Spirit Week. Through practice and careful planning, under the coaching of Mrs. Kathy Keller, the basketball cheerleaders strive to encourage the Vikings to victory.



Cathy Milliman, Jodi Wohlers, and Shelly Jennings



Freshmen Finish an Admirable Season



John Ganton



Front Row: Rusty Smith, Rick Vargo, Steve Byler, Jim Van Dam, Chad Smoker, T. J. Hathaway. Back Row: Coach Dennis Langwell, Jim McQuire, Lance Long, Jim Ganton, Kevin Smith, Dustin Wohlers.



Rusty Smith



T. J. Hathaway

The Freshman Basketball Team, again coached by Dennis Langwell, finished the season with a creditable 12-6 record. During the Coldwater Tournament, the freshmen lost their first game but came back strong to take fourth place.

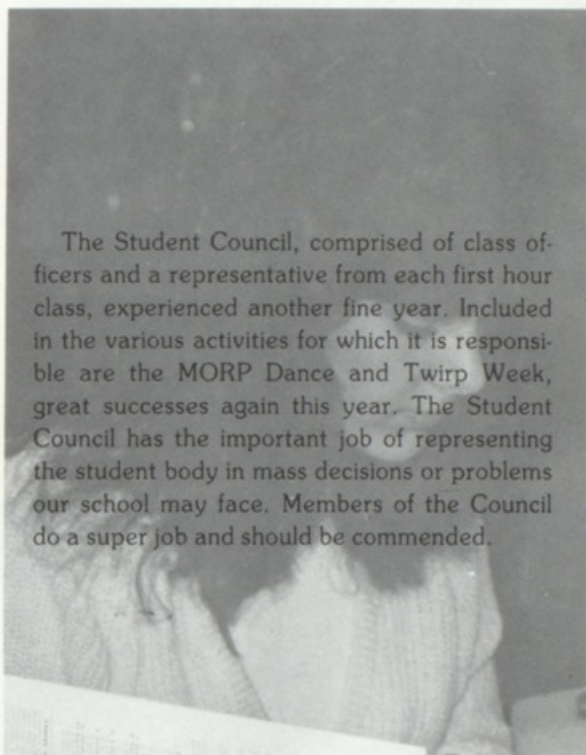
Freshman Basketball	
Branson	Opponents
30	Colon
32	White Pigeon
47	Pennfield
48	Prairie Heights
65	Olivet
62	Maple Valley
57	Springfield
72	St. Paul
49	Coloee
50	Pennfield
41	Menden
45	Coldwater
55	Olivet
44	Maple Valley
48	Albon
57	Springfield
42	Marshall
38	Coldwater
41	Lumen Christi

1986 Student Council



First Semester Council Members

First Row: Mrs. MacDonald (Advisor), Lori Marks, Kim Clover, Tonja Roach, Laura Albright, Doug Hughes. Second Row: Amy Sikorski, Shelly Grindle, Karyn Czajkowski, Theresa Wasikowski, Karri Freese, Kristi Aker, Robin Rhoades, Jenny Grove, Becky Barrows, Courtney Wilson, Rhonda Rhoades. Third Row: Missy Swift, Tony Herman, Scott Carpenter, Brad Ludwick, Kris Smoker, Matt Rzepka, Wayne Reynolds, Cindi Wotta, Susan Carpenter, Debbie Leach, Shantel Houck.

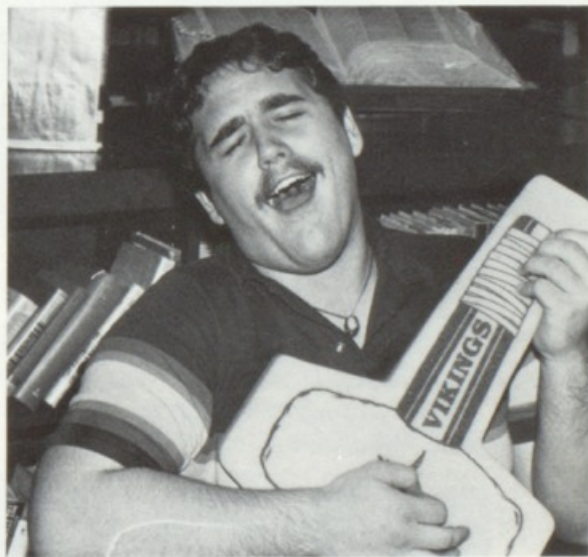


The Student Council, comprised of class officers and a representative from each first hour class, experienced another fine year. Included in the various activities for which it is responsible are the MORP Dance and Twirp Week, great successes again this year. The Student Council has the important job of representing the student body in mass decisions or problems our school may face. Members of the Council do a super job and should be commended.



Second Semester Council Members

First Row: Mrs. MacDonald (Advisor), Lori Marks, Kim Clover, Tonja Roach, Laura Albright, Doug Hughes, Arizona Schaffer. Second Row: Tonya Bercaw, Kris Czajkowski, Angela Modert, Theresa Wasikowski, Kristi Aker, Robin Rhoades, Jenny Grove, Becky Barrows, Courtney Wilson, Rhonda Rhoades, Jill Mayer. Third Row: Amy Sikorski, Missy Swift, Tony Herman, Kris Smoker, Randy Hyska, Mark Bassage, Matt Rzepka, Dawn Miller, Lisa Platter. Fourth Row: Mike Johnson, Chad Roach, Jim VanVorst, Mike Swift, Scott Carpenter, Joe Moon, Patsy Jennings, Rose Sikorski, Dana Hand.



Doug Hughes

Wrestlers Bring Home League Championship



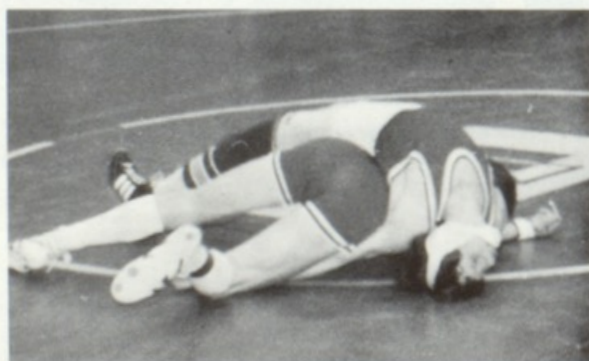
First Row: Chris Withington, T. J. Cline, Dwayne Smith, Jamie Vagn, Kevin Wrozek, Tim Ransbottom, Manager Jay Sosinski. Second Row: Manager Shantel Houck, Tony Herman, Randy Litzau, Matt Cline, Bob Aleman, Pat Pixley, Joe Moon, Brian Wrozek, Rich Ludwick. Third Row: Coach Alan Sosinski, Darby Wiler, Ben Yearling, Jerry Jasper, Jim VanVorst, Scott Kemery, Wayne Reynolds, Stacy Weaver, Tom Scully, Doug Hughes, Coach Bill Myers.

WRESTLING

Bronson	Opponents
47	Albion 24
	1st Place in Branch County Tournament
	1st Place in Pennfield Invitational
46	Homer 17
64	Olivet 9
41	Pennfield 23
	3rd Place in SW Michigan Invitational
39	Prairie Heights 24
45	Springfield 19
47	Maple Valley 19
	1st Place in Union City Invitational
62	Bellevue 8
	5th Place in Athens Invitational
18	Constantine 53
	6th Place in Constantine Invitational
42	Union City 29
	1st Place in SMAA Tournament
34	Coldwater 26



Coach Sosinski and Coach Myers



Tim Moore



Kevin Wrozek



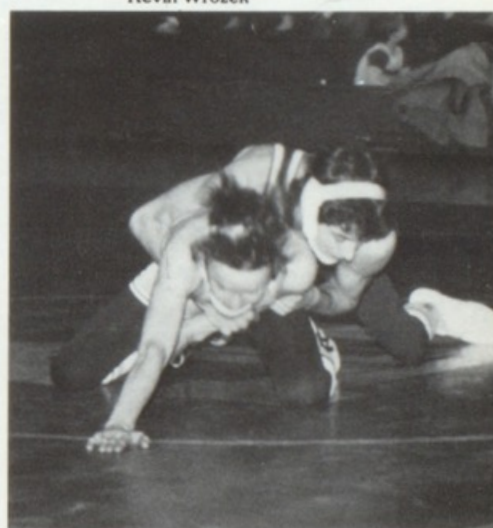
Tony Herman



Kevin Wrozek



Matt Cline



Dwayne Smith

Wrestlers Bring Home League Championship



Tim Moore

The wrestling team, under the guidance of Coach Alan Sosinski, showed again that they were the best in the league by capturing the championship for the second straight year. The team finished with an overall record of 12-1 while taking first place in the Branch County Tournament, Pennfield Invitational, and Union City Invitational.

Bronson placed seven wrestlers on the All-Conference Team: Tim Moore, Tony Herman, Dwayne Smith, Tom Scully, Scott Kemery, Jim VanVorst, and Doug Hughes.

During state tournaments, Bronson finished third in the District and qualified Jamie Vaughn, Kevin Wrozek, Tim Ransbotton, Tony Herman, Tim Moore, Jim VanVorst, and Tom Scully for the Regional Tournament where Tony Herman, Jim VanVorst and Tom Scully continued on to state. At the State Tournament, Scully placed seventh in the 198 pound class.

Cherish The Love

The 1985 Sno-Ball, presented by the Sophomore Class, was held on December 14, in the gym, which was beautifully decorated in blue and metallic silver. The theme for this special event was "Cherish the Love" and the music was provided by "Tim & Dave Light Show."

The Sno-Ball court consisted of twelve sophomores and juniors chosen by the student body. The excitement of the evening built and culminated in the crowning of Tony Herman as King and Shanna Smith as Queen.



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4.



5.



7.



6.



8.

1. Dancing the night away!
2. Aaron and Abby Modert look with admiration at the royal couple.
3. Sno-Ball Court — First Row: Dana Hand, Kim Malovey, Robin Rhoades, Shanna Smith, Rhonda Rhoades, and Kris DuJardin. Second Row: Bret Cary, Mike Bercaw, Matt Rzepka, Tony Herman, Brad Ludwick and Ted Fisher.
4. Mark Bassage and Missy Wilber.
5. Rhonda Litzau and Becky Scott.
6. Mr. and Mrs. Barry Case lead the way through the Grand March.
7. Mike Johnson and Aimee Smith.
8. Anticipation builds as Doug Hughes and Jodi Case introduce the members of the Sno-Ball Court.

Volleyball Takes Share of SMAA Title



Beth Barrows and Cindy Wotta



Jill Mayer and Kim Clover

Fourth year Coach Dan McKinley led his varsity volleyball team to a school record 41-8 season and a share of the SMAA title with Pennfield before ending the season during the district semifinals with a loss to state ranked Hanover-Horton. The Lady Vikes finished in either first or second place in five tournaments this season, and at one time were ranked second in the state.



First Row: Aimee Smith, Jenny Smith (manager), Tonja Roach. Second Row: Jill Mayer, Dianne Wade, Laura Albright, Beth Barrows, Jenny Grove. Third Row: Becky Barrows, Becky Scott, Kim Clover, Cindi Wotta, Dawn Schottenlower, Coach Dan McKinley.



The starting six



Varsity Volleyball

Won	Varsity Volleyball	Lost
Bronson		Colon
Bronson		Litchfield
Bronson		Homer
	Branch County Tournament — Bronson Placed First	Springfield
Bronson		Burr Oak
	Bronson Invitational — Bronson Placed First	Maple Valley
Bronson		Wexford
Bronson		Belleue
	Polish Classic — Bronson Placed Second	St. Philip
Bronson		White Pigeon
Bronson		Belleue
Bronson		Albion
Bronson		Olivet
Bronson		Centreville
Bronson		Mendon
Bronson		Bronson
Bronson		Constantine
Bronson		Burr Oak
	SMAA Tournament — Bronson Tied for First Place	Union City
Bronson		Bronson
Hanover-Horton		

J.V.'s Enjoy Winning Season



First Row: Shanna Smith, Shelly Smith, Michelle Atienza, Kim Odell, Rhonda Rhoades, Diane Ludwick, Sharon Woodcox. Second Row: Michelle Barrington, Alicia Rissman, Jenny Baldwin, Rhonda Litzau, Jenny Woodcox, Colleen Crabill, Jodi Case, Kim Ankney, Coach Roxann Litzau.



Jenny Baldwin



Shanna Smith



Rhonda Rhoades and Rhonda Litzau



JV Volleyball

Won
Bronson
Bronson
Bronson
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Bronson
Bronson
Pennfield
Bronson
Burr Oak

Branch County Tournament — Bronson Placed First

Bronson Invitational — Bronson Placed Second

Lost
Colon
Litchfield
Homer
Springfield
Burr Oak
Bellevue
St. Philip
White Pigeon
Olivet
Centerville
Bronson
Constantine
Bronson

This year's JV Volleyball Team, coached by Roxann Litzau, finished the season with an outstanding record of 22-4. The JV's finished in second place in the Bronson Invitational and were champions of the Branch County Tournament.

Coach Litzau felt that the team should be commended for their teamwork and performance in general.

Freshman Volleyball Girls Gain Valuable Experience

Mr. Marvin Gage assumed the coaching duties for this year's Freshman Volleyball Team, which finished with a 7-4 record. Participation in freshman volleyball gives girls an opportunity to learn basic skills and sharpen those skills in competitive situations. Coach Gage feels that the girls will have continued success if they keep up the hard work.



First Row: Teeka Ludwick, Shelly Grindle, Anissa Radley, and Karen Kirkpatrick.
Second Row: Michelle Barrington, Kim Ankney, Heather Geer, Valorie Cekander, Leah Friedel, Alicia Rissman, and Coach Roxann Litzau. Not Pictured: Coach Marvin Gage.





A SPECIAL CHRISTMAS AT BHS



The spirit of Christmas was alive in everyone at the BHS Christmas assembly. It was a time of laughter when the gifts were given to students and faculty; it was also a time of compassion when an anonymous gift of a three-wheel Schwinn was given to Arizona Schaeffer. The hearts of all were touched.

The audience responded enthusiastically as the cheerleaders poked fun at the Varsity Basketball Team with their skit, "Cheerleaders' Revenge." The performances of the band and a Cappella choir were also well received.

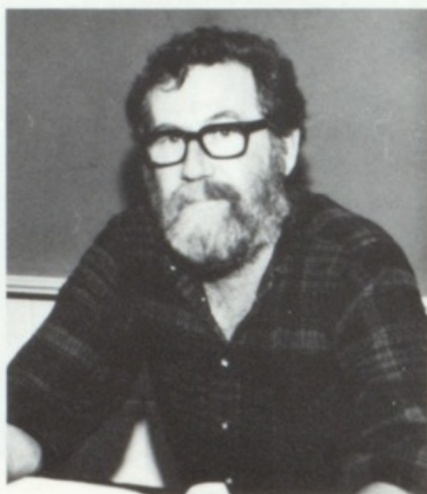
1. Mr. Zabolnik received a chain to keep him on the bench at basketball games.
2. Mr. Bobalik of the "Bruise Brothers" struts his stuff.
3. Arizona Schaeffer tries out his new Schwinn.
4. The faculty wished the students a Merry Christmas.
5. Cathy Milliman imitates Matt Rzepka in "Cheerleaders' Revenge."



THE FANTASTIC FACULTY



Mr. Alan Andridge



Mr. Vern Anglin



Mr. Michael Bobalik



Mr. Jeff Brazo

Cultivate talent until it ripens for the public to reap its bounty.

— Jascha Heifetz



Miss Chris Brilinski



Mrs. Donna Brusak



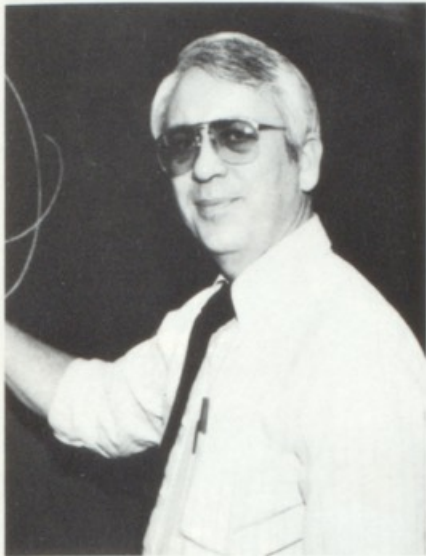
Miss Patricia Chisholm



Mr. Keith Dykman



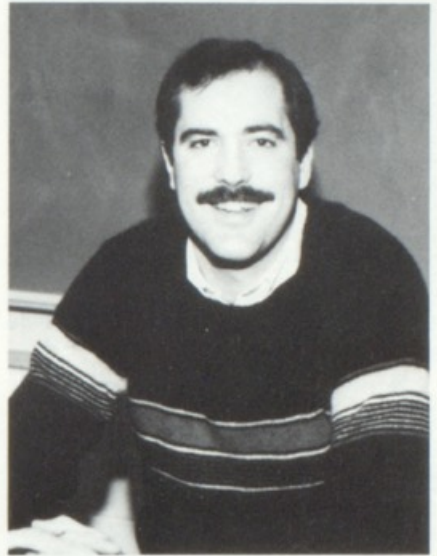
Mrs. Shirley Eichler



Mr. Doug Elkins



Mr. Joe Fisher



Mr. Scott German



Mrs. Vera Hurd



Mr. David Knapp



Mrs. Susan Leister

The object of teaching a child is to enable him to get along without his teacher.

— Elbert Hubbard



Mr. David Lockwood



Mrs. Kathy Ludwick



Mrs. Jacqueline McDonald



Mr. James Modert



Mr. Carroll Moon



Mr. Don Mosier



Mrs. Jane Mynhier



Mr. Clinton Pitt

Reading maketh a full man; conference, a ready man; histories make men wise; poets, witty; the mathematics, subtle; natural philosophy, deep; moral philosophy, grave; logic and rhetoric, able to contend.

— Francis Bacon



Mr. Brad Porter



Mrs. Marcia Pustelnik



Mr. Carl Rifenburgh



Miss Lee Ann Ross



Miss Patricia Ross



Mr. Gordon Scully



Mr. Ray Staniszewski



Mr. Keith Tracy



Mr. John Van Dam

The close observer soon discovers that the teacher's task is not to implant facts but to place the subject to be learned in front of the learner and, through sympathy, emotion, imagination, and patience, to awaken in the learner the restless drive for answers and insight which enlarges the personal life and gives it meaning.

— Nathan Marsh Pusey



Mrs. Norma Whitcomb



Mr. Robert Whitcomb



Mr. Martin Woodcox



Mr. William Zabonick

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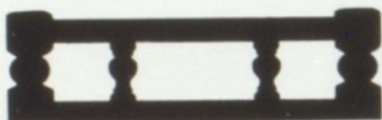
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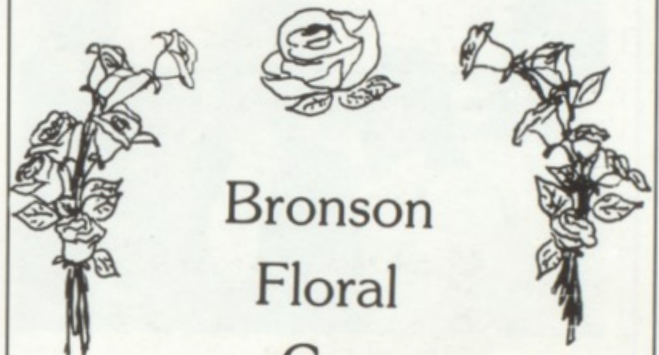
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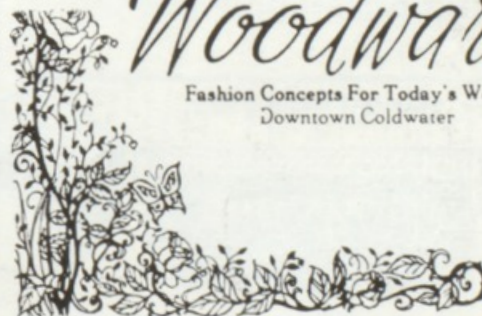
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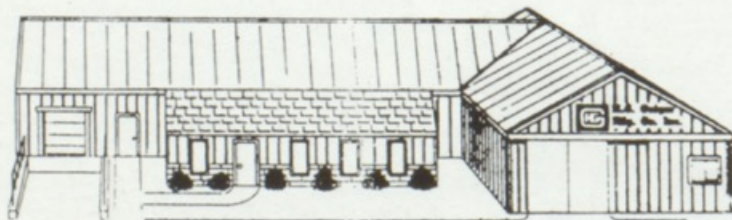
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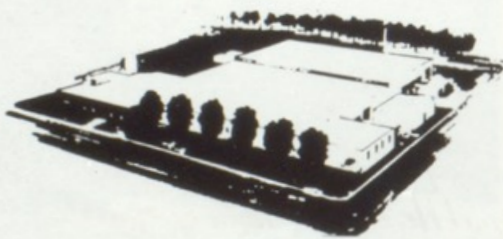
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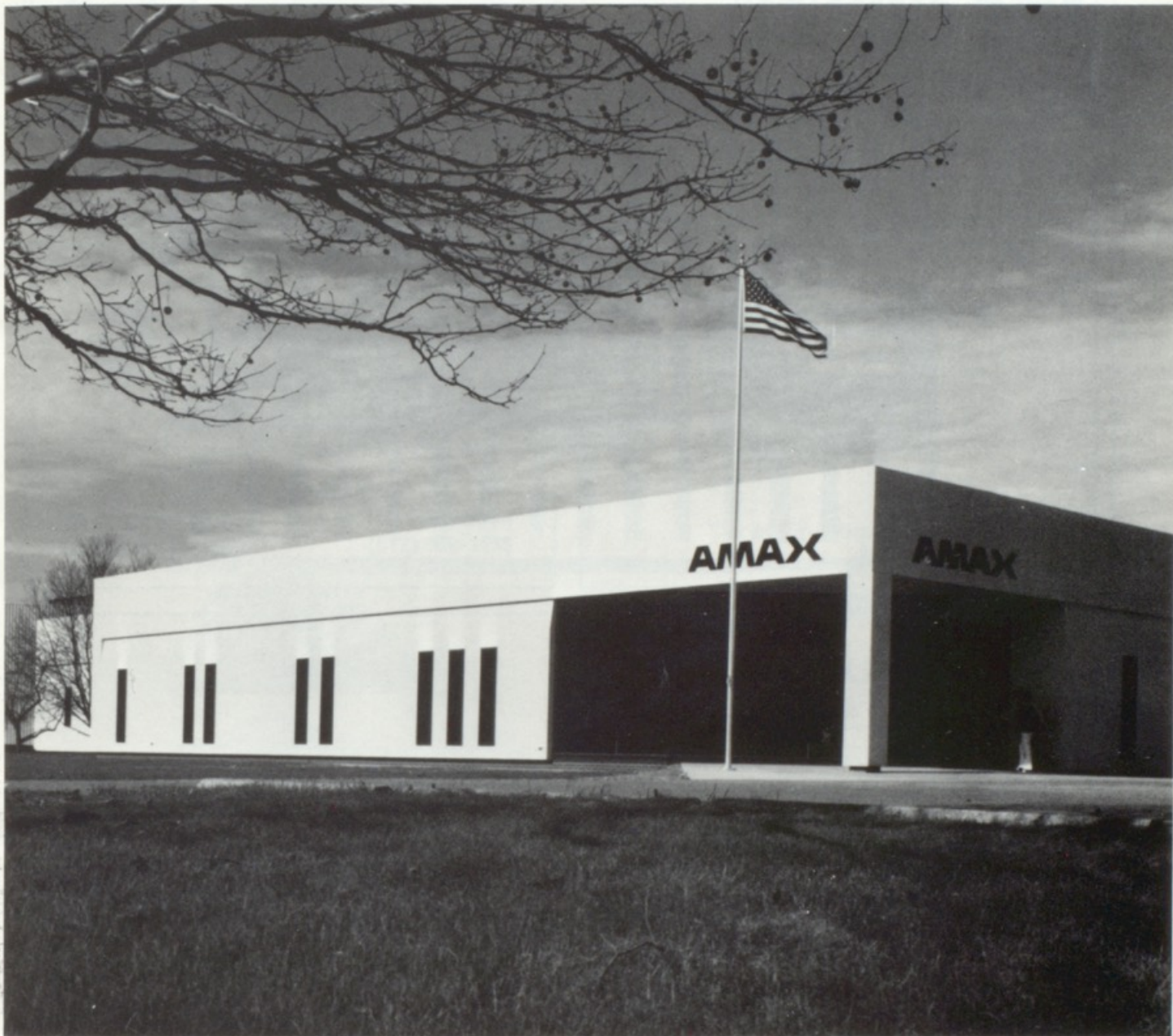
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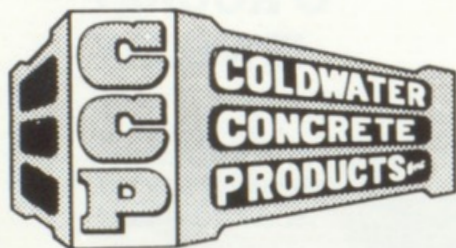
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Quiz Bowl



Front Row: Debbie Riddle, Kim Moore, Nicole Rieger, Connie Miner, Dawn Kemery. Back Row: Paula Charlier, Mike Gates, Dan Rinehart, Yvonne Yearling, Dave Rinehart, Joe Renshaw, Joe Yoder.

The 1985-86 Quiz Bowl Team, coached by Mrs. Jackie MacDonald, displayed great effort in competition. Both the J.V. and Varsity team showed good sportsmanship and much ability. Even though they didn't have many wins to their credit, enthusiasm was always present.



Leadership Forum



First Row: Holly Washburn, Kathy Hutchins, Becky Barrows, Kim Malovey, Theresa Wasikowski, Kristi Aker, Jill Mayer. Second Row: Tony Herman, Timothy Cline, Craig Wotta, Cindi Wotta, David Pavlov, Becky Scott, Rhonda Rhoades, Jodi Case, Diane Lahrke.



On November 12th and 13th seventeen Sophomores and Juniors travelled to Harper Creek High School for a leadership conference. During these two days the students gained many ideas on how leaders can help to better our school. The students also learned to relate to other students and teachers.

RHYTHM OF THE NIGHT

The annual BHS Follies production, "Rhythm of the Night," was held January 22 and 24 in the Middle School Auditorium. Mr. Carl Rifenburg was the director for this delightful show with the help of student director Lisa Alger and student assistant LeAnne Weber.

Many talented students gathered to show their "stuff" and make the '86 Follies a success. Every emotion humanly possible was touched, from the upbeat and happy tune "Rhythm of the Night," through sad love songs, to the side-splitting comedy routines. This year's show had it all.



First Row: Jodi Wohlers, Shelley Jennings, Laura Wilber, Kris DuJardin, Karri Freese, Kris Czajkowski, Karyn Czajkowski. Second Row: Renee Buholz, Tammy Knight, Janet Calhoon, Kendra Stutzman, Kristi Aker, Missy Wilber, Courtney Wilson. Third Row: Dawn Miller, Rob Dearman, Debbie Riddle, Kendra Miller, Dianne Wade, Angella Radley, Kris Ludwick. Fourth Row: Robin Rhoades, Joe Moon, Christy Case.



First Row: Melody Wells, Theresa Wasikowski, Lisa Alger, Kim Malovey, Lyshell Modert, Jodi Woods, Diane Lahrke, Laura Perkins, Melinda Scully. Second Row: Holly Washburn, Jesse McGuire, Rhonda Cook, Missy Wiard, Mary Albright, Pam Tooman, Jeanette Tooman, Scott Turner, Marcy Weaver, Amy Crampton. Third Row: Tracy Holst, Jon Livingood, Darin Jerome, Joe Renshaw, Tia Strohm, LeAnne Weber, Heath Rifenburg, Doug Cook. Not Pictured: Aimee Smith and Michelle Perkins.



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1. "Put me in coach!" sings Marcy Weaver.
2. Jeanette Tooman asks: "What's Love Got to do With it?"
3. Angella Radley and Rob Dearman sing: "Cherish."
4. "Why Did the Chicken Cross the Road . . .?"
5. "And here's . . ." announces Joe Moon (emcee).
6. Kris Ludwick and Debbie Riddle as Deb and Ding do their thing . . . make you laugh!
7. Dee Dee Wade and Joe Renshaw sing about their "Separate Lives."
8. LeAnne Weber tells us to "Never Surrender" with a song.
9. The aCappella Choir sings: "Rhythm of the Night."
10. Dawn Miller performs: "Mr. Postman."
11. Janet Calhoon tips her hat to "New York, New York."
12. Robin Rhoades and Christy Case (emcee): "Sure Christy — Sure."
13. Jesse McGuire and Holly Washburn: "Together."
14. Tammy Knight, Renee Buholz and "Ding" Ludwick as: "The Phoney Express."
15. Kendra Stutzman sings: "Run for the Roses."



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Greatest Hits In '86

"Greatest Hits in '86" was the theme chosen for the 1986 Spirit Week. Each day of the week featured a different style of music, suggesting to the students the different style of dress they should wear:

- Monday, Polka;
- Tuesday, Fifties;
- Wednesday, Country;
- Thursday, Heavy Metal;
- Friday, Beach Bop;

The week ended with a crowd-pleasing pep assembly, featuring the yelling contest, cheers, announcement of the Spirit Couples and rousing spirit overall.



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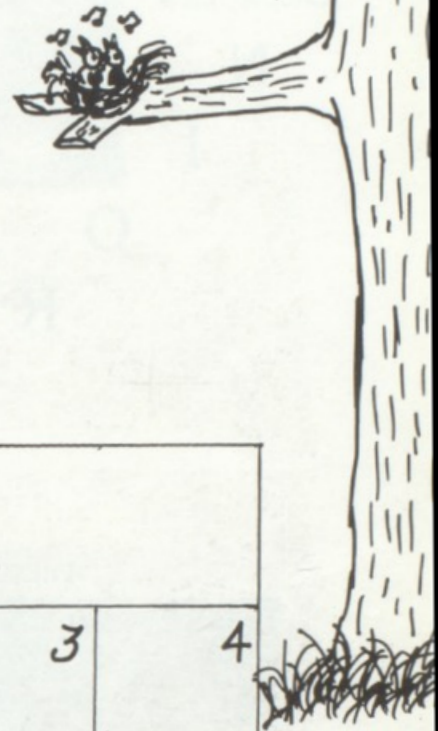


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1. Our Freshman Spirit Couple, Christina Hessler and Doug Cook.
2. Our Seventh Grade Spirit Couple, Angie Dearman and Jamie Grove.
3. Our Sophomore Spirit Couple, Brett Sweets and Laura Perkins.
4. Jesse McGuire blushes as the cheerleaders shout his praises at the assembly.
5. Lyshell Modert — real spirit???
6. Doug Hughes dreams of Hawaiian Beaches on "bop" day.
7. The local beach bums: Karen Webb, Michelle Perkins, and Deb Yesh.
8. Our Junior Spirit Couple, Tony Herman and Jodi Woods.
9. Our Eighth Grade Spirit Couple, Doug Carpenter and Jennifer Warner.
10. Our Senior Spirit Couple, Kris Smoker and Kris Czajkowski.

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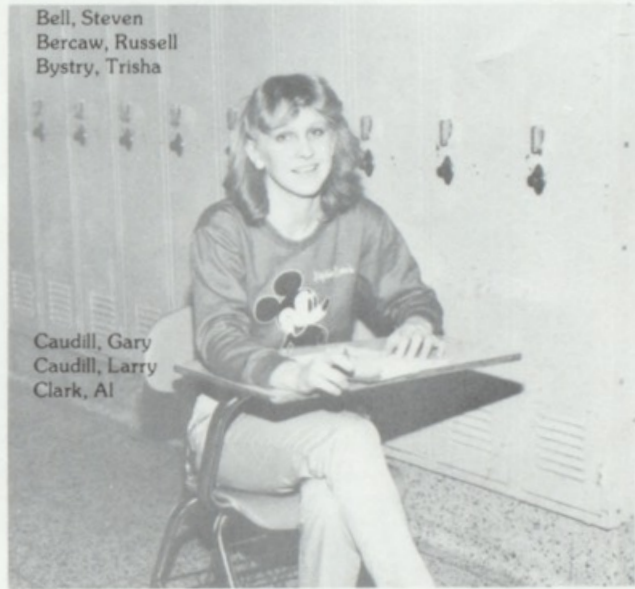
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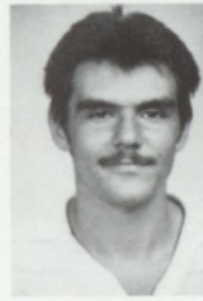
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"Yes, again." remarks Dawn Miller



Cline, Timothy
 Cook, Rhonda
 Conzett, David
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Danbury, Chris
 Davis, Mary
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 Hand, Dana
 Hansman, Billi



Harmon, Rita
 Harsh, Kerri
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Does Missy Wiard see something we don't?

Houck, Shantel
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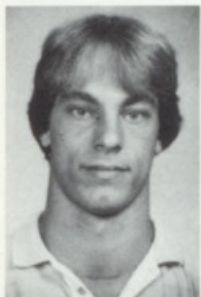




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Malovey, Kimberly
Mayer, Jill
Metzger, Susan
Miller, Allan



Miller, Dawn
Miller, Jean
Modert, Lysell
Moore, Timothy



Pavlov, David
Pixley, Patrick
Platter, Steve

Rathbun, Roger
Renshaw, Joseph
Rhoades, Robin

Kristi Aker at her best.



Riddle, Deborah
Robinson, Steve
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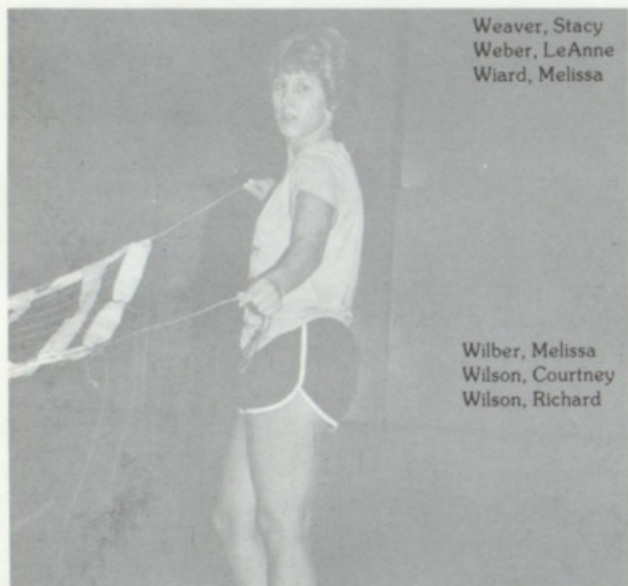


Rzepka, Matthew
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"They caught me again," says Jill Mayer

Wisman, Rhonda
Wohlers, David
Woodcox, Jennifer
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Yearling, Ben
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Not Pictured:
Bailey, Charles
Cary, Bret
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White, Ken



Says Jenny Baldwin to Robin Rhoades, "You can't tell me how to eat!"



"Go ahead, make my day," says Theresa Wasikowski.



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"I didn't do it this time," remarks T. J. Cline



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1957 — The Senior Class this year put on a play that was very different. The stage was bare except for a few chairs and a table. The cast even came running through the audience!

The play, "Curtain Going Up," is the story of a senior class putting on a play. It has to do with all the trials and tribulations of the cast and their play director. Our play was directed by Miss Patricia Chisholm.

— Sandra Strohm

1986 — History really does repeat itself! The cast chosen from all four grades was directed by Carl Rifenburg. The names and faces have changed, but the story remains the same.

— Janet Calhoon



First Row: Sharon Tefft, Larry Sielken, Darian Wiler, Nancy Goble. Second Row: Sandra Strohm, Carolyn Kibiloski, Miss Chisholm (director), Edith Calhoon, Joe Czberki, Hughie Hughes, Norman Copeland. Third Row: Bill Gregg, Gloria Herman, Valerie Smith, Jean Lutz, Richard Rubley. Fourth Row: Sharon Haenni, Janet Nowicki, Marily Yesh, Pat Ratkowski. Fifth Row: Janice Wright, Pat Tefft, Rosemary Nowak, Martha Wanar.



Friday Night Cast — First Row: Jim VanDam, Marcy Weaver, Jodi Woods, Kristi Aker, Kim Norton, T. J. Cline. Second Row: Rob Dearman, Elissa Beard, Rhonda Rhoades, Heath Rifenburg. Third Row: LeAnne Weber, Karyn Czajkowski. Fourth Row: Neil Alger, Lance Long, Lisa Alger, Joe Moon, Karen Smoker.



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Saturday Night Cast — First Row: Jim VanDam, Marcy Weaver, Christy Case, Kim Malovey, Melinda Scully, T. J. Cline. Second Row: Rob Dearman, Connie Miner, Amy Sikorski, Heath Rifenburg. Third Row: Angella Radley, Tia Strohm, Michelle Perkins. Fourth Row: Neil Alger, Doug Cook, Joe Moon, Laura Perkins.

1. Andy Fulbright (Rob Dearman) and Lorry Fuller (Jodi Woods).
2. Miss Henrietta Rivers (LeAnne Weber).
3. Miss Irene Burgess (Michelle Perkins), Mr. Norman Carter (Joe Moon), and Miss Carolyn Moran (Angella Radley).
4. "Real Life" Assistants — Tonia Bercaw, Robin Rhoades, Debbie Riddle, Jodi Case, Angela Modert, Anissa Radley, Joe Renshaw.
5. Miss Irene Burgess (Lisa Alger), Mr. Norman Carter (Joe Moon), and Miss Carolyn Moran (Karyn Czajkowski).
6. Milt Sanders (Heath Rifenburg), and Nancy Leveridge (Christy Case).
7. Buck O'Hara (T. J. Cline), and Elsie Hunter (Marcy Weaver).



7.

Tennis Team Wins Pennfield Title



Tony Steffes



First Row: Steve Salyer, Charles Danbury, James Daniels, Tom Haviland, Tony Steffes, David Kregger, Doug Cook. Second Row: Coach Martin Woodcox, Brian Wrozek, Rich Ludwick, Darin Jerome, Mike Finley, Chris Danbury, Dave Wohlers, Paul Junker and Steve Platter.



Steve Salyer



Rich Ludwick

Coach Martin Woodcox, in his 15th year as the boys' tennis coach, led his team to a 5-9 record. Bronson tied for first in the Pennfield Tournament and finished second in the Bronson Invitational.

Coach Woodcox noted that the team fulfilled his expectations as many good players were lost from last year's team. "The boys came within a few points of winning many of their matches but were not able to pull out a victory."

At the conclusion of the school year Mr. Woodcox retired from his teaching career, but plans to continue coaching girls' and boys' tennis. He has spent long hours building a tennis program for Bronson and should be commended for his diligent efforts. We wish him the best of success in his semi-retirement.

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Bronson		Opponents
1	Hillsdale	6
1	Coldwater	6
1	Pennfield	6
	Second place at Bronson Invitational	
1	Springfield	6
7	Constantine	0
4	Albion	3
0	Coldwater	7
7	Constantine	0
	Tied for first at Pennfield Tournament	
2	Sturgis	5
0	Springfield	7
4	Albion	3
4	Edwardsburg	3
2	Sturgis	5
	Sixth place at Regional Tournament	
0	Columbia Central	7

CONCERT CHOIR



First Row: Todd Rice, Veronica Aguinaga, Sandy Allen, Karyn Smoker, Shawn Roberts, Michelle Badgley. Second Row: Tamara Jones, Mary Albright, Kim Odell, Charlene Gump, Shelley Jennings, Sharon Caudill, Shelley D. Smith. Third Row: Vickie Shaffer, Tina Foster, Teeka Ludwick, Tina Gates, Shelley Grindle, Renee Kulpinski, Julie Herman, Karen Kirkpatrick. Fourth Row: Jodi Shaffer, Shantel Houck, Anissa Radley, Alicia Rissman, Michelle Barrington, Kendra Miller, Kim Ankney, Chris DuJardin, Mrs. Pustelnik.

The Bronson Concert Choir had an outstanding year. At the district choral festival they received a first division rating. This was a "first" for the 9th-10th grade non-selected choir.

Two members also did an excellent job. In January, Kendra Miller and Tina Gates were selected into honors choir at the University of Michigan.

TAG



First Row: Missy Wilber, Dana Hand, Dawn Miller. Second Row: Rob Dearman, Scott Turner.

TAG students attended a two day conference at Battle Creek Central High School. The conference centered around communication skills, as the students listened authorities talk about skills ranging from person-to-person communication to various forms of media communication. In the afternoons they worked in small groups to sharpen their personal skills.

Varsity Scores Respectable Season



First Row: Manager Robin Rhoades, Manager Theresa Wasikowski, Jamie Smoker, Chris Withington, Craig Wotta, Scott Carpenter, Darby Wiler, Rob Dearman. Second Row: Coach Scott German, Matt Rzepka, Mark Bassage, Scott Turner, Steve Bell, Don Carpenter, Bret Cary, Assistant Coach Kurt Smoker.



Don Carpenter



Matt Rzepka



Scott Carpenter

First year Coach Scott German instructed his varsity baseball team to a second place finish in the conference with a 7-4 record and a respectable 11-11 complete record.

Darby Wiler, Scott Carpenter, Don Carpenter, and Scott Turner were named to the All-Conference team while Craig Wotta and Matt Rzepka earned Honorable Mention. Jamie Smoker was awarded Special Mention.

Coach German commented, "We made a lot of progress as a team over the year and improved in every aspect."

Varsity Baseball

Bronson	Opponents
7	Tekonsha 4
4	Coldwater 6
4	Quincy 5
2	Northridge 4
4	Sturgis 5
8	Springfield 7
7	Colon 10
7	Jonesville 1
5	Pennfield 2
3	Coldwater 5
14	Coldwater 4
14	Pennfield 7
2	Maple Valley 9
6	Bellevue 5
6	Olivet 0
10	Maple Valley 14
3	Springfield 4
13	St. Philip 3
4	St. Philip 7
9	Jonesville 0

JV's Gain Valuable Experience



TJ Hathaway



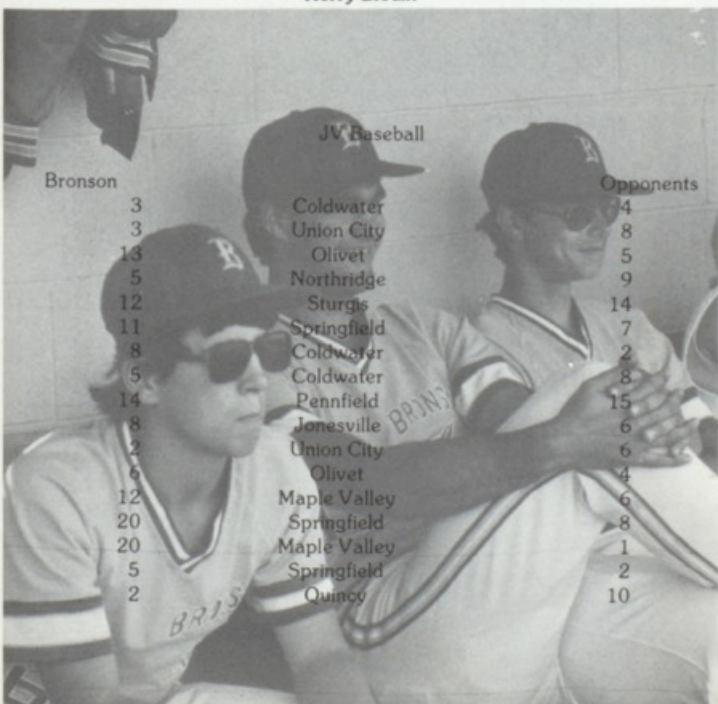
First Row: Brett Sweers, Chad Frohriep, Rusty Smith, Steve Byler, TJ Hathaway, Chad Smoker, Jason Deal, Kerri Blouin, Chad Roach. Second Row: Coach Todd GERman, Jon Frohriep, Mike Furney, John Ganton, Scot Bystry, Mike Bercaw, Kevin Parker, Kim Ankney and Colleen Crabill, managers.



Kerry Blouin



Brett Sweers, Steve Byler, Scott Bystry



JV Baseball

Bronson	Opponents
3	4
3	8
13	5
5	9
12	14
11	7
8	2
5	8
14	15
8	6
2	6
6	4
12	6
20	8
20	1
5	2
2	10

The JV baseball team, Coached by Todd GERman, finished with a 5-1 record in the conference and 7-8 overall. The team consisted of eight freshmen and seven sophomores who gained valuable experience that will help improve their record next season.

Varsity Softball Retains Winning Form



Jeanette Tooman



First Row: Tonja Roach, Kim Odell, Angela Modert, Marcy Weaver, Lori Marks. Second Row: Coach Carl Rifenburg, Susan Carpenter, Cindi Wotta, Deb Yesh, Rhonda Wisman, Kathy Hutchins, Becky Scott, Assistant Coach Deb Rifenburg.



The Dugout



Cindi Wotta

The varsity softball team, again Coached by Carl Rifenburg, finished the season with a 14-5 record while taking second in the league with an 8-4 record. The team captured first place in the Bronson Invitational for the first time.

Deb Yesh and Cindi Wotta were named to the All-Conference Team while Kim Odell was awarded honorable mention and Lori Marks received special mention.

Coach Rifenburg noted, "There were a lot of expectations that should have happened but didn't quite happen, but we finished with a respectable record which will be improved next year."

Varsity Softball		
Bronson		Opponents
13	White Pigeon	1
15	Olivet	4
11	Sturgis	6
13	Springfield	1
11	Colon	1
11	Hillsdale	7
1	Pennfield	6
14	Coldwater	1
10	Coldwater	4
12	Maple Valley	11
5	Bellevue	5
5	Bellevue	15
9	Olivet	0
4	Maple Valley	1
4	Springfield	5
3	Constantine	5
22	St. Philip	7
46	St. Philip	0

Outstanding First Season For JV



First Row: Amy Carpenter, Amy Sikorski, Cindy Bauman, Missy Swift, Becky Carpenter. Second Row: Coach Jim Modert, Leah Friedel, Tracy Hand, Jodi Wohlers, Michelle Barrington, Shanelle Bohacz.



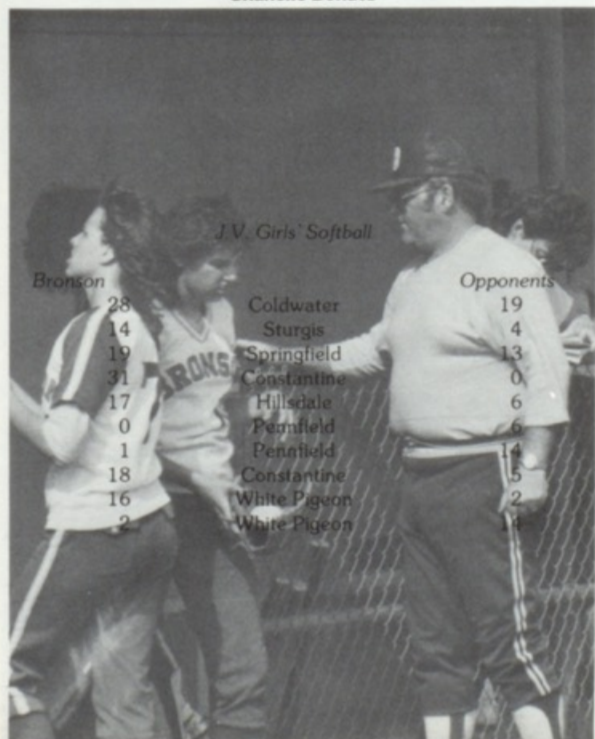
Amy Carpenter



Shanelle Bohacz



The Dugout



J.V. Girls' Softball

Bronson	Opponents
28	19
14	4
19	13
31	0
17	6
0	6
1	14
18	5
16	2
2	11

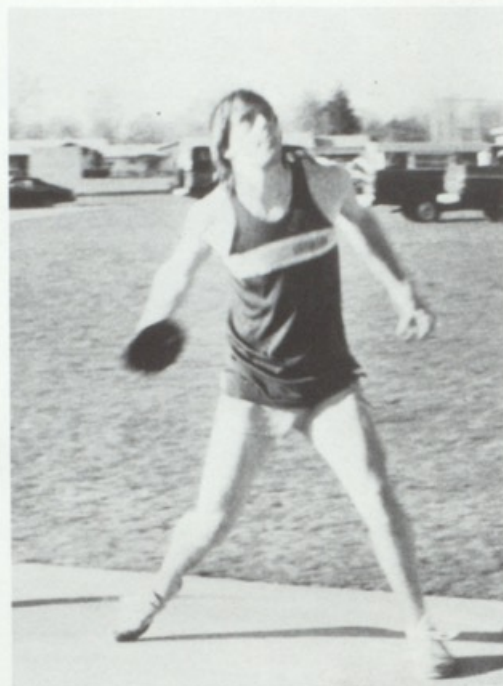
The JV softball team coached by Jim Modert started their first season with six straight victories. Their season record was 10-3 and their future looks bright as this young team consisted of eleven freshmen and one junior.

Coach Modert noted that the team had good offensive play since six of the games were stopped short by the ten run mercy rule.

Boys Tie For Second in Conference



First Row: Dan Rippey, Bill Green, Jon Livengood, Gene Jones, Joe Yoder, T. J. Cline, Brian Coats, Jim VanDam, Matt Cline, Randy Litzau. Second Row: Heath Rifenburg, Tadd McMicheals, Joe Moon, Joe Renshaw, Kevin Smith, Rich Clifford, Stacy Weaver, Jim McGuire, L. D. Wiler, Jesse McGuire. Third Row: Coach Carrol Moon, Jason Wilson, Darrel Vorce, Tom Bidwell, Mark Reiger, Mike VanBlarcom, Dave Pavlov, Kris Smoker, Greg Anderson, Tom Scully, Dan Shroyer, Assistant Coach Keith Dykman.



Kris Smoker



Jim McGuire, Jesse McGuire, Brian Coats

Coach Carrol Moon sparked the boys' track team to a second place finish in the SMAA with a 4-2 record and a total record to 5-4. The team took first place in the White Pigeon Co-ed Relays and Quincy Invitational.

Jesse McGuire and Tom Bidwell each took first place at the conference meet and both qualified for the state meet. Jesse finished second in the mile run and fifth in the two-mile run.

Coach Moon said that he was pleased with the season and that the team "competed as well as we thought and sometimes they even surprised themselves."



Matt Cline

Boys' Track

<i>Bronson</i>		<i>Opponents</i>
53 ½	Coldwater	83 ½
	Second Place in Kiwanis Invitational	
63 ½	Hillsdale	73 ½
88	Quincy	49
67	Olivet	70
54	Pennfield	83
73	Springfield	64
	First Place at Quincy Invitational	
111	Maple Valley	26
113	Bellevue	24
	Fourth Place at Constantine Invitational	
	First Place in White Pigeon Co-ed Relays	
89	St. Philip	47
	Fourth Place at Regional Meet	
	Second Place in SMAA League Meet	

Girls Claim Third Consecutive SMAA Title



Heather Badgley



First Row: Elissa Beard, Josie Hansman, Courtney Wilson, Missy Wilber, Becky Barrows, Holly Washburn, Anissa Radley, Shelly Jennings, Charlene Gump, Karen Smoker. Second Row: Kendra Miller, Karyn Czajkowski, Jodi Case, Beth Barrows, Lisa Alger, Kim Ankney, Shantel Houck, Tina Foster, Heather Badgley. Third Row: Kris DuJardin, Charity Finley, Pam Tooman, Yvonne Yearling, Dawn Miller, Dawn Schottenloher, Jenny Grove, Kim Clover, Jean Miller, Coach Chris Brilinski.



Dawn Schottenloher



Dawn Miller

Girls' Track

Bronson	Opponents
47	81
Sixth place at MSU Relays	
	Coldwater
Second place in Kiwanis Invitational	
53	75
	Hillsdale
55	73
	Quincy
75 1/2	52 1/2
	Olivet
Third place at Athens Relays	
78	50
	Pennfield
86	42
	Springfield
Fourth place at Quincy Invitational	
73	55
	Maple Valley
70	58
	Bellevue
First place at Constantine Invitational	
First place at White Pigeon Co-ed Relays	
91	33
	St. Philip
Second place at Regionals	
First place at SMAA League Meet	

For the third straight year, Coach Chris Brilinski and the girls' track team went undefeated in the SMAA and finished the season with a 6-3 record. The team also claimed the White Pigeon Co-ed Relays and Constantine Invitational.

Placing first in the conference meet were Dawn Schottenloher, Kim Clover, Heather Badgley, Missy Wilber, Shantel Houck, Jean Miller and Beth Barrows. At the state meet Dawn Schottenloher won the state title in the 110 hurdles and finished second in the 330 hurdles, while Kim Clover took fourth in the 440 run. The 880 relay team, consisting of Missy Wilber, Dawn Schottenloher, Jenny Grove and Kim Clover, finished sixth. The team took sixth place at state for the second year in a row.

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Aguinaga, Lilea
Bailey, Delyn
Bassage, Kim
Bauman, Melissa
Bodi, Craig
Brouse, Susanne



Byler, Joyce
Calloway, Scott
Caudill, Denny
Charlier, Carrie
Combs, Chad
Copas, David



Covey, Mike
Dearman, Angela
DeMerritt, David
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Ellsworth, Penny



Fenner, Nick
Gates, Tamara
Gibbs, Jason
Grove, James



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Hoard, A. J.
Hoath, Jason
Horten, Marc
Houck, Joel



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Modert, Matt



Morrison, Danny
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Nettleman, Jeff



Parks, Tom
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Rice, Trent
Rissman, Matt



Roberts, Jeff
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Sgambelluri, Elizabeth
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Skaggs, Tonya
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VanDam, Jill
Verrill, Tricia



Walkup, Robin
Wallo, Rob
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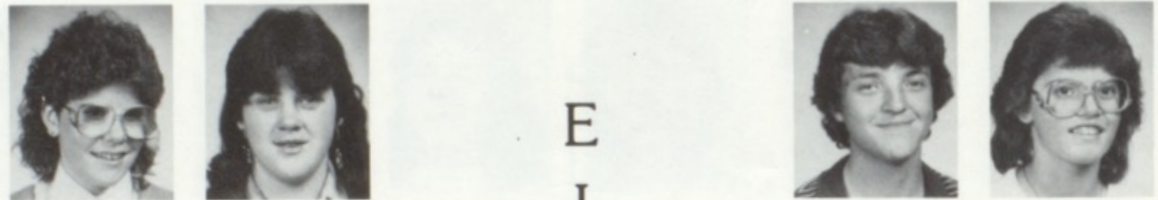
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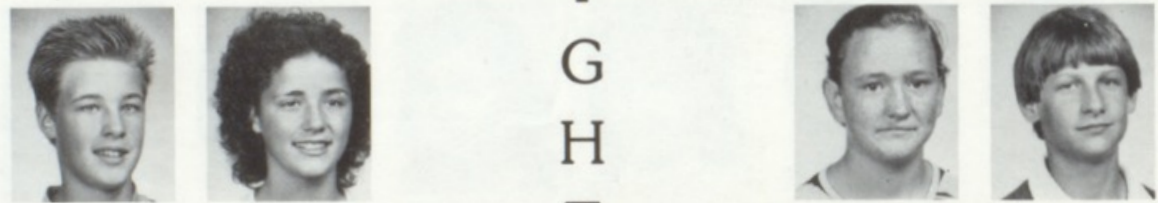
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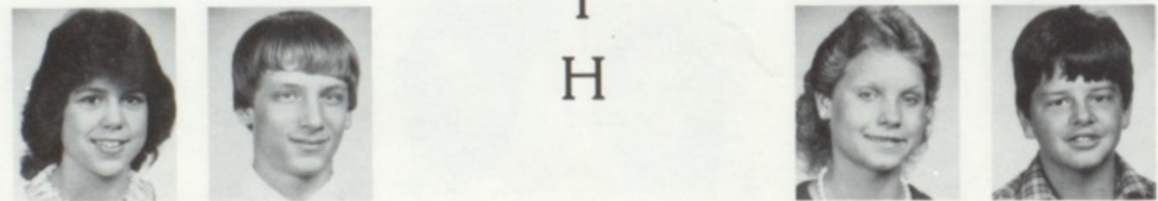
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Cuthbert, Angela
Davis, Brad



Deal, Jeanie
DuJardin, Angela
Ellis, April
Ellis, Robert



Fisher, Tony
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Fry, Tammy
Gerber, Brant
Himes, Nicole
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Hoff, Joseph
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Hutchins, Charles
Jeffery, Amanda



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Kriser, Amy
Krontz, Patty
Leslie, Daniel
Marler, Walter
Mayer, Eric



Miller, Jeffery
Mills, Daved
Moyer, Jeannie
Owens, Theresa



Pask, Nicole
Perkins, Heather
Prine, Joseph
Ransbottom, Chad



Ransbottom, Chris
Reynolds, Brian
Reynolds, Nathan
Ritchie, Susan



Roberts, Mark
Roberts, Mike
Robinson, Sean
Rodgers, Tracy



Rozaski, Hannah
Russell, Richard
Sandy, Paul
Scott, Shawn
Scriber, Melissa
Scully, Bethany



Shedd, James
Shrontz, Timothy
Smith, Pamela
Smith, Scott
Sobeski, Melissa
Stone, Kara

Stoner, Donald
Strong, Sonia



Taylor, Shanda
Tooman, Candace

Trine, Raymond
VanAken, Troy



Vaughn, Michelle
Verrill, Raymond
Warner, Jennifer
Wasikowski, Garry
Webb, Jason
Wheeler, Sara



Wiard, Brian
Wiler, Dodie



Wood, Marcy
Yearling, Rich



Yerrick, Shannon
Yoder, Yvette



Seventh — Not Pictured:
DePuy, Nickole
Furlong, Danny
Krontz, Jay
Newbanks, Doug
Otis, David
Mangold, Kevin
Read, Dallas

Eighth — Not Pictured:
Clayton, Angela
Green, David
Griffeth, Lisa
Hensell, Joseph
Krall, Eric
McGregor, Teri
McKinley, Kenneth
Rumsey, Brent

Shepherd, John
Stone, Ken
White, Pat
White, Scott
Whitley, Michelle
Wing, Roland
Woolf, Heath
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Future Farmers of America

Throughout the year Bronson's FFA has put on many various activities. This year was the first in many years for Donkey basketball which was a great success. Teachers and FFA members participated in this event. Another activity that the FFA sponsored was the Sweetheart dance held on February 14. Music was provided by Charlie Hoff and Troy Michaels. The 1986 Sweetheart candidates were Theresa Wasikowski, Jean Miller, Kristi Aker, Courtney Wilson, Kris Dujardin, Rhonda Rhoades, Shanna Smith, Jodi Case, Becky Carpenter, Missy Swift, Jodi Wohlers, and the 1986 Sweetheart was Amy Carpenter. Approximately \$468 was raised by these candidates.



Special Awards

Mrs. Roseanna Danbury — Mother of the Year
 Mr. Andy Kelley — Honorary Chapter Member
 Amy Carpenter — Chapter Sweetheart 1986



An Awards banquet was held on May 22, the following were 1986 award winners:

First Row: Dekalb Award — Susan Carpenter
 Star Agribusinessman — Jim VanVorst
 Star Greenhand — Jason Deal
 Tom Kehoe Award — Charles Danbury
 Second Row: Ag Placement Award — Tom Bidwell
 Greg Traskos Award — Randy Hyska
 Star Agribusinessman — Jeff Yearling
 Star Farmer — Scott Carpenter



1986-87 Officers

President — Theresa Wasikowski
 Vice President — Chris Danbury
 Treasurer — Shantel Houck
 Reporter — Jean Miller
 Sentinel — Jason Deal
 Not Pictured: Secretary — Joe Wallo

Miss Chisholm Takes Final Bow



First Row: Senior members Michelle Perkins, Angella Radley, Tia Strohm, Lisa Alger. Second Row: Marcy Weaver, Christy Case, Kris Ludwick, Aimee Smith, Joe Moon, Tracy Fochtman, and Dianne Wade.



Thespians show enthusiasm as they participate in improv demonstration.



First Row: Advisor Patricia Chisholm, Treasurer Christy Case, Secretary Kris Ludwick, Mr. Rifenburg. Second Row: Vice President Michelle Perkins, President Lisa Alger, and Scribe Tracy Fochtman.

The International Thespian Society, a theatre honorary organization for high school students, held their initiation in March. Students initiated into Troupe 620 were T. J. Cline, Rob Dearman, Joe Moon, Angella Radley, Joe Renshaw, Robin Rhoades, Debbie Riddle, Marcy Weaver, and LeAnne Weber. After the formal initiation, the new members were required to do improv situations and their creativity was enjoyed by the audience.

The members of Thespian Troupe 620 would like to extend a special thank you to Miss Patricia Chisholm, a dedicated and caring person. Because of her enthusiasm and willingness to give freely of her time, Troupe 620 was a success. Miss Chisholm is retiring from public school education and has closed the curtain on her thirty-nine years at Bronson High School. Her smile and encouraging



words will be missed by everyone.

On April 29 Troupe 620 had their banquet to honor senior members and to recognize members who earned additional points. Act I of the program was the senior spotlight. Each senior was honored by a limerick that was especially written for him/her. A yellow carnation with blue ribbons was also given. Act II was the presentation of awards. Senior awards were presented by Thespian sponsor Miss Patricia Chisholm. Members vote for persons to receive the Troupe 620 Award. Recipients were Christy Case, Kris Ludwick, and Joe Moon. Best Thespian Awards were earned by Lisa L. Alger and Michelle E. Perkins. Act III featured Mrs. Lyda Stillwell, Associate Professor of Theatre at Western Michigan University, using the technique of improv to direct a scene in which troupe members participated.

Just Between You and Me

The 1986 Junior-Senior Prom was held at the Quality Inn Convention Center in Coldwater on May 3. "Just Between You and Me" was the theme chosen by the junior class and the ballroom and hallways were beautifully decorated in maroon, creme, and pink. Everyone enjoyed dancing to the music provided by "Jinx." The traditional Grand March was also very entertaining. A first: The Garter Ceremony involved the boys wearing their dates' garter on their arm and keeping it as a souvenir.



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1. Too bad, Mike Hoard. It's Scott Kemery's harem!
2. Steve Robinson, Melissa Wiard, Dave Pavlov, and Jennie Woodcox. Tired already?
3. All enjoy good food and company.
4. Karyn Czajkowski and Chris Withington.
5. Kristi Aker, Dana Hand, Courtney Wilson, Jenny Baldwin, and Jodi Case . . . See those legs!
6. What a good looking bunch!
7. Get down, Melody Wells!
8. Don't just stand there — dig in.
9. The Grand March.
10. Courtney Wilson takes time out to chat with the guys.



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T.W.I.R.P. Week

The 1986 version of T. W. I. R. P. (The Woman Is Required to Pay) week took place on April 21-25. The theme for the week was "Nothing Serious!" with individual themes for each day: Monday, Hats n' Shades; Tuesday, Switch (guys dress like girls and vice versa); Wednesday, Toga (with the slave auction also); Thursday, Summer Daze (Primarily Hawaiian shirts); and Friday, Down and Out in BHS (bums and bag ladies).

A zany assembly held on Friday afternoon featured such competitive events as the ever popular obstacle course, the lemon eating contest, the battle of the belchers and a new legs contest.

The evening activities held on Friday at 7 P.M. ended the grueling, but fun, competition between the classes. Even though the underclassmen worked hard and put up a good fight, the seniors were victorious.

To add a finishing touch, the MORP (backwards PROM) was held in the cafeteria. The D.J.'s for the evening were Kim and Lori Cranson, otherwise known as "Dead Fish on the Beach." The "totally tasteless" event ended around midnight with many tired people pitching in to get the cafeteria back to its "pre-Morp" condition.

The week really was "Nothing Serious!"



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1. Can you name these legs?
2. Hats n' Shades in choir?!
3. Karyn Czajkowski and the lemon eating contest. "Let's go, Karyn!"
4. Don't drop the eggs!!!
5. Don Carpenter and Aimee Smith working hard on the candy sale.
6. Jim VanVorst . . . the champion in the guys' T.W.I.R.P. week arm wrestling.
7. Jamie Smoker and Don Carpenter. "Having fun, boys?"
8. Jodi Case in the battle of the belchers.
9. Mr. Moon starts the arm wrestlers' competition.
10. Nice catch! (Jamie Smoker and Joe Ludwick)
11. Jamie Baldwin, Eve Yoder and Dodie Wiler on Hats n' Shades day.
12. Scarf that lemon, Don!!!

FOREIGN Study

The purpose of the Foreign Study Club is to give students an opportunity to earn money to go to Europe. Over the past 15 years more than 100 B.H.S. students have enjoyed the fun and experiences found in different nations of Europe.



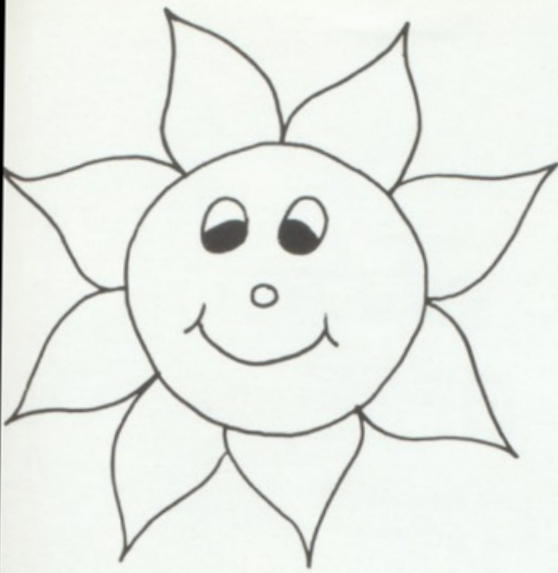
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National Honor Society

Membership in National Honor Society is based on four criteria: scholarship, leadership, character, and service. Service is the motivation of most of the societies activities during the year, such as Bowling for Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Branch County, and helping with Parent-Teacher Conferences. The highlight of the year comes in March when new members are initiated and then inducted into the society in a formal ceremony.



First Row: Missy Wilber, Cindi Wotta, Kristi Aker, Kris Czajkowski, Lori Marks, Tony Herman. Second Row: Jodi Woods, LeAnne Weber, Rich Ludwick, Theresa Wasikowski, Jill Mayer, Becky Barrows, Kim Malovey. Third Row: Dianne Wade, Lisa Platter, Yvonne Yearling, Jesse McGuire, Greg Anderson, Scott Turner, Susan Carpenter, Christy Case, Michelle Perkins.



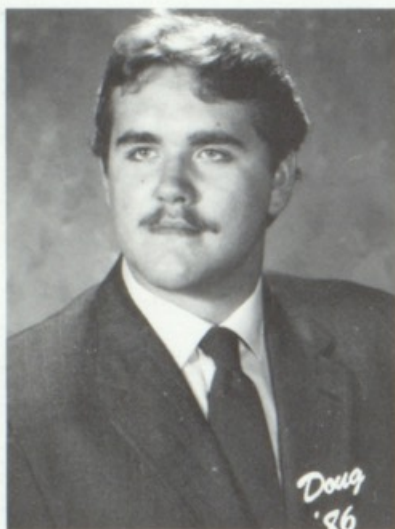
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<i>August</i>		
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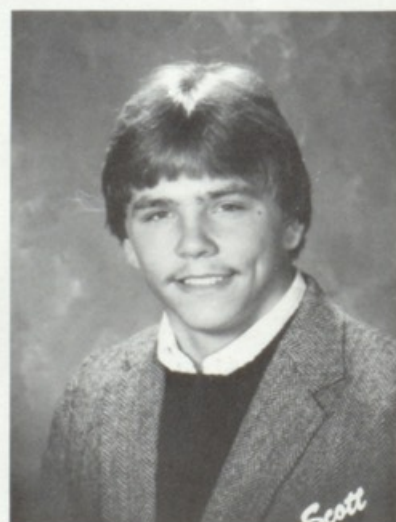
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Secretary



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Mr. Keith Dykman
Advisors



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Laura L. Albright



Robert L. Aleman



Lisa L. Alger



Greg M. Anderson



Beth A. Barrows



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Scott A. Carpenter



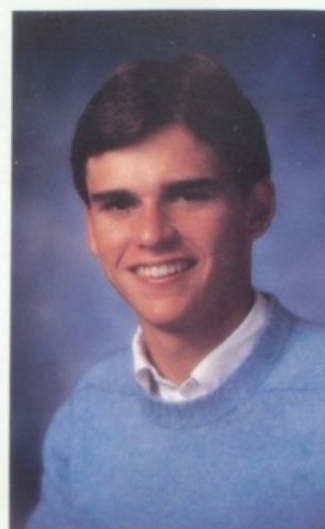
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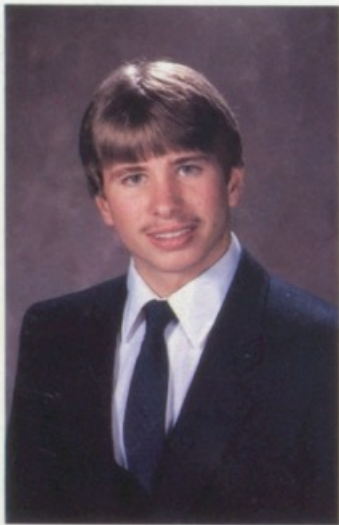
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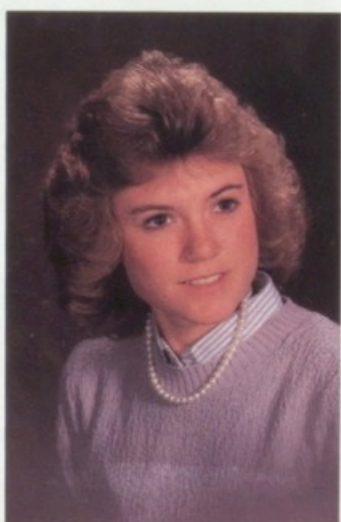
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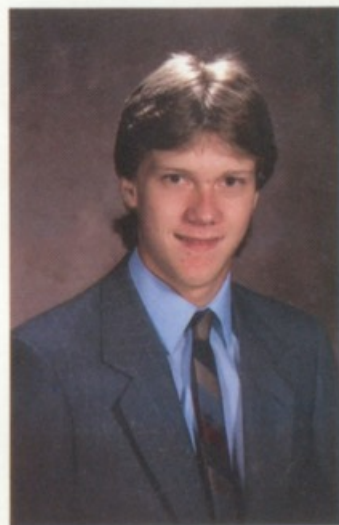
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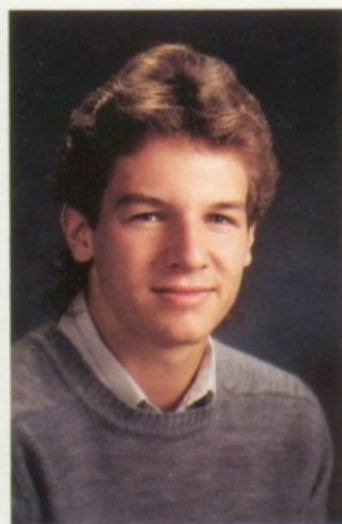
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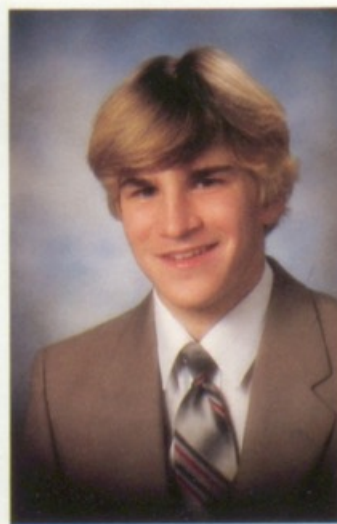
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Rick A. Herman



Kenneth A. Hoard



Tracy L. Holst



Douglas A. Hughes



Randy E. Hyska



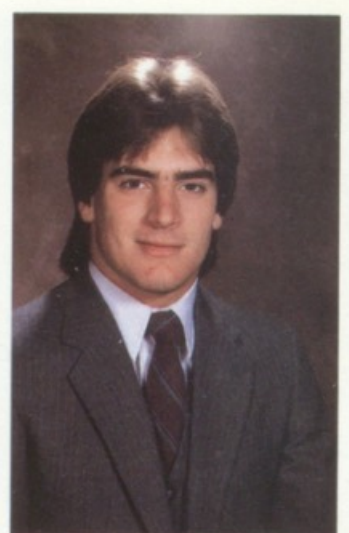
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Patsy L. Jennings



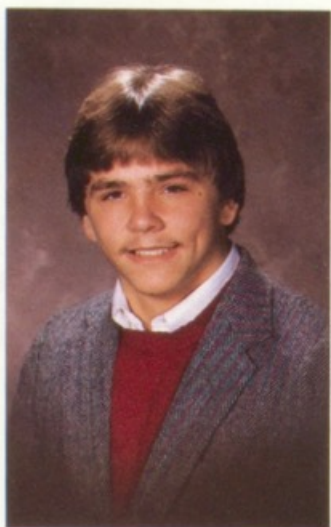
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Kevin L. Kehoe



Wendy L. Kehoe



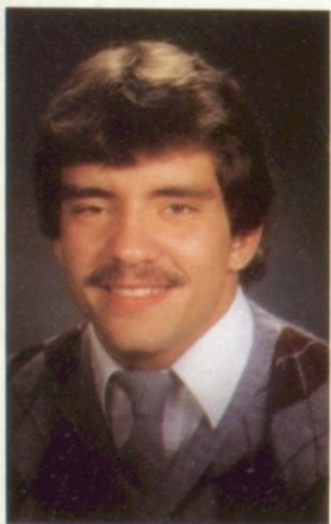
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Michael D. Kirkpatrick



Jammy M. Knight



William R. Krontz



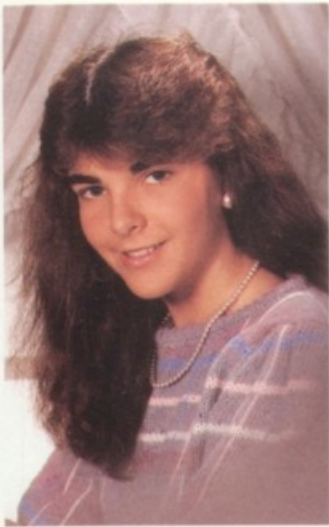
Debra A. Leach



Robert C. Livingood



Kristyne S. Ludwick



Lori A. Marks



Jesse P. McGuire



Brian J. Mockler



Carroll J. Moon



Stephen S. Noblit



Kevin J. Norton



Michelle E. Perkins



Lisa J. Platter



Angella M. Radley



Daniel A. Rinehart



David A. Rinehart



Tonja L. Roach



Christine M. Robinson



Steven A. Russell



Dawn M. Schottenloher



Thomas G. Scully



Sandy L. Shepherd



Rose M. Sikorski



Angela S. Simon



Melissa L. Simon



Aimee L. Smith



Kimberly A. Smith



Tracy A. Smith



Kris B. Smoker



Becky L. Squires



Tricia Stauffer



Todd A. Stewart



Tia J. Strohm



Kendra R. Stutzman



Michael L. Swift



Jeanette S. Tooman



Paula Y. Trine



Scott M. Turner



Rolland P. Vallance



Michael J. VanBlarcom



James C. VanVorst



Dianne E. Wade



Marchelle L. Weaver



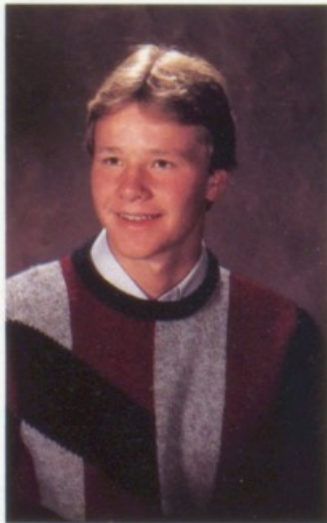
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Melody L. Wells



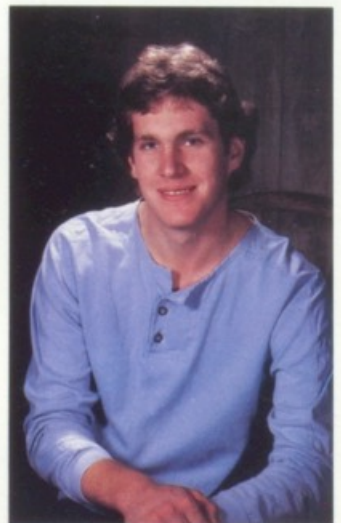
Darby R. Wiler



Don F. Williams



Rick L. Wolff



Jeffery C. Yearling



Yvonne J. Yearling



Deborah K. Yesh



Joseph D. Yoder

Seniors Not Pictured:

*Becky S. Boone
Randy R. Litzau
Steven P. Nettleman
Ruth A. Sexton
Tamara L. Vosburgh
Joey W. Woodruff
Tina M. Yesh*



Goodbye, my friend
 Goodbye 'til then.
 Farewell until
 We meet again.
 It may be soon,
 It may be late.
 For us it's always
 Worth the wait.
 I'll miss our private
 Conversations,
 Quiet thoughts and
 Inspirations,
 All the times
 We laughed and cried,
 All the warmth
 We felt inside.
 Let's keep in touch
 In our own way.
 Let's share our dreams
 Another day.
 Let's never lose
 The things we've shared.
 Let's part as friends
 Who've loved and cared.









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The Way We Were



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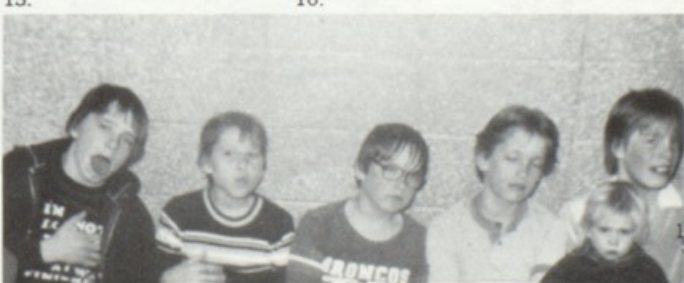
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17.



18.



19.

Todd Stewart
(Stew)

Janet & Susan Carpenter
Calhoun
Tom Bidwell
the REV.

MARCY WEAVER
"QUEESE"
Dan Carfagna
Rock
Jeanette
4-wheelin
Tosson
Loren

Michelle Perkins
"Pete"
Scott Turner
"Rainmaker"
Joe Moon
(Jose)
Amanda
Krean
(SWAMP)
Rick
Herman
Tom Dally
"Cully"
"Bookstore"
"What Dippy
Penny"
Lisa
Alger

Amy Crampton
(Mamie)
Becky
Boony
Kris
"Chicka"
Ken
Hoard
Christy
Case
William
Krony
"CRUNCH"
"86"

Mike
"Duff"
"86"
Scott
Holt
P.B.R.
Christine
Johnson

Class of 86

Steve
Hallen
White
Kim
Claver
"Clovey"
Friedel
Lori
Marbo
Janet
"6"
Lisa
Platter
Wendy
Kehel
Wendy
Wendy

Deb
Yesh
"doobie"
"Vor Hall"
Yearling
"Vor Vor"
"HEAD"
"HEADA"
SMAKER
Michael
Kimby
"7 in"

Nathan
Diablo
"86"
"Party Boy"
Randy
Litan
"Vee Vee"
"Vade"
Diane
"Vade"
Karen
Webb
"PBR rules"
Randy
Hyska
(Ed)
Rick
Wolf
"Beast II"

Daily
Wiler
"Julio"
"Sweet
Wish"
Angie
"Speaker"
Susan

Joe
Yoder
"IN Association"
"SLEEPY GOATS"
"The BEAST"
Greg
"Andy"
"MONGO"
Rob
Lumwood

Patricia
"PBR"
Doug
Hughes
"Doug"
Jim
Van
Vorst
"PBR rules"
Randy
Hyska
(Ed)
Rick
Wolf
"Beast II"
Joe
Yoder
"IN Association"
"SLEEPY GOATS"
"The BEAST"
Greg
"Andy"
"MONGO"
Rob
Lumwood

Senior Achievements

Laura Albright

Student Council — 3
Vice President — 1
Varsity Club — 3
Fall Play — 1
Student Director
Concert Choir — 1
Powder Puff Football — 2
FFA Sweetheart Candidate — 1
Class Secretary — 1
Track — 1
Volleyball — 4
Team Captain — 1
All-Conference — 1
Special Mention — 1
Cross Country — 1

Bob Aleman

Student Council — 2
D.E.C.A. — 2
State qualifier — 2
Class Treasurer — 1
Football — 2
Wrestling — 1

Lisa Alger

Varsity Club — 3
Thespians — 3
Secretary — 1
President — 1
Best Thespian Award
Fall Play — 3
Spring Play — 2
Follies — 3
Student Director — 1
Concert Choir — 1
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Cheerleading — 2
Powder Puff Football — 3
Track — 2
Manager — 1
Cross Country — 1
French Club — 1
Treasurer — 1
Branch County Junior Miss
Participant
Fourth Runner-Up

Greg Anderson

Varsity Club
National Honor Society — 2
Vice President — 1
Talented and Gifted (TAG) — 1
Band — 1
Tri-State Math Contest — 2
Michigan Math Test — 2
Track — 4
State Qualifier — 1
Basketball — 4
Cross Country — 4
State Qualifier — 1
French Club — 1
Calhoun Leadership Conference — 1

Beth Barrows

Varsity Club — 3
Concert Choir — 1

Junior Honor Guard — 1
Powder Puff Football — 3
Track — 4
School Record for 2 mile run
School Record for 2 mile relay
State Qualifier — 2
Cross Country — 4
School Record
State Qualifier — 2

Tom Bidwell

FFA — 4
Sentinel
Star Chapter Agribusinessman
State Farmer
Varsity Club — 3
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Track — 4
State Qualifier — 1
All-Conference — 1
Football — 4

Paula Bistel

Spring Play — 1
Follies — 1
Band — 4

Renee Buholz

Follies — 1
Concert Choir — 1
D.E.C.A. — 2
Local Award (1st)
Tennis — 3

Janet Calhoun

Yearbook Staff — 1
Quiz Bowl — 1
Fall Play — 1
Children's Play — 1
Follies — 3
Band — 4
Seminar — 1
Acappella Choir — 4
Solo and Ensemble
Districts — 4
State Qualifier — 1
Vice President — 1
Honor Choir — 2
District and State Qualifier
Tennis — 1

Don Carpenter

Varsity Club — 3
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Football — 4
All-Conference — 2
Honorable Mention — 1
Basketball — 1
Baseball — 4
All-Conference — 1

Missy Carpenter

Band — 2
Concert Choir — 3
D.E.C.A. — 2
Treasurer — 1

Scott Carpenter

Student Council — 2
FFA — 4
Outstanding Scholar
Silver in Livestock Judging
Varsity Club — 3
Homecoming Court — 1
Football — 4
Honorable Mention — 1
All-Conference — 1
All-Area — 2
Channel 41 All-Star — 1
Baseball — 4
All-Conference — 2
All-Area

Susan Carpenter

Student Council — 3
FFA — 4
President — 1
Vice President — 1
Treasurer — 1
Star Greenhand
Star Chapter Farmer
State Farmer
Outstanding Junior
Varsity Club — 3
National Honor Society — 2
Talented and Gifted (TAG) — 1
Tri-State Math Contest — 2
Michigan Math Test — 4
Powder Puff Football — 3
FFA Sweetheart Candidate — 1
Track — 1
Basketball — 3
Softball — 2

Christy Case

Thespians — 2
Treasurer — 1
Fall Play — 1
Student Assistant — 1
Follies — 3
Emcee — 1
Student Council — 1
Varsity Club — 3
National Honor Society — 2
Quiz Bowl — 1
Spring Play — 1
Hope College Math Contest — 1
Acappella Choir — 3
Secretary — 1
Tri-State Math Contest — 1
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Homecoming Court — 1
Snoball Court — 1
Cheerleader — 3
Powder Puff — 3
Spirit Couple — 1
Class Vice President — 2
Track — 2
Cross Country — 1
Spirit Core — 1
French Club — 1
Branch County Jr. Miss Program — 1

Tia Charles

Band — 2
B.O.E.C. — 1

Rich Clifford

V.I.C.A. — 2
Awards in locals,
regionals and state
Track — 4
Qualified for State — 1
Cross Country — 4
Qualified for Regionals

Matt Cline

FFA — 3
Chapter Farmer
Varsity Club — 3
Acappella Choir — 1
Track — 4
Football — 2
Wrestling — 4

Kim Clover

Student Council — 2
Treasurer — 1
Foreign Study — 1
Varsity Club — 4
Track — 4
All-Conference — 4
All-Area — 4
Basketball — 4
All-Conference — 2
All-Area — 2
Volleyball — 4
All-State
All-Regional
Dream Team
All-Conference — 3
All-Area
Spiker of the Year Award
French Club — 1

Brian Coats

Band — 2
V.I.C.A. — 2
Awards in Districts, Regionals and
State
Track — 4
Qualified for State — 1
Cross Country — 4
Qualified for State — 2

Amy Crampton

Student Council — 1
Follies — 1
Homecoming Court — 1
Homecoming Queen
Powder Puff Football — 2
D.E.C.A. — 2
Qualified for State — 1
Tennis — 3

Kris Czajkowski

Yearbook Staff — 2
Student Council — 1
Varsity Club — 4
National Honor Society — 1
Follies — 3
Michigan Math Test — 1
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Homecoming Court — 1
Sno-ball Court — 2
Cheerleading — 4
Powder Puff Football — 3

FFA Sweetheart Candidate — 2
FFA Local Chapter Sweetheart
Spirit Couple — 1
Class Secretary — 1
H.O.S.A. — 1

Class Secretary — 1
Award at Locals, Regionals,
State (1st), and Nationals (1st)
Track
All-Conference — 1
Area Best — 3
School Record in 440 yd. relay
School Record in 880 yd. relay
Basketball — 3
Spirit Core — 2
Branch County Junior Miss
Participant

Nathan Disbro

FFA — 4
State Land Judging — 1
National Convention — 2
Foreign Study — 2
Varsity Club — 2
Tri-State Math Contest — 1
Football — 4
Wrestling — 2

Clarissa Drust

Powder Puff Football — 2
Softball — 1
Tennis — 1

Mike Finley

Concert Choir — 1
V.I.C.A. — 2
Awards in Districts
and Regionals
Tennis — 4

Tracy Fochtman

Yearbook Staff — 1
Varsity Club — 4
Thespians — 2
Office Of Scribe — 1
Fall Play — 2
Powder Puff Football — 3
Track — 2

Laurie Friedel

Band — 4
Solo Ensemble — 2
Concert Choir — 2

Michael Gates

Quiz Bowl — 1
Concert Choir — 2
V.I.C.A. — 2
Class Reporter — 1

Brian Gilbert

FFA — 4
Golf — 2

Theresa Goshorn

Foreign Study — 1
Concert Choir — 3
B.O.E.C. — 2
Flash Type Contest

Lori Hall

Foreign Study — 2
D.E.C.A. — 1
Awards in Districts and Locals

Rick Herman

Foreign Study — 1
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Homecoming Court — 1
Sno-ball Court — 1
Track — 1
Area-Best
Football — 4
MVP Senior Year
All-Area (Honorable Mention) — 2
Basketball — 4
Honorable Mention — 1

Kenneth Hoard

Track — 1
Basketball — 2
Baseball — 1
Cross Country — 1

Doug Hughes

Yearbook Staff — 1
Student Council — 4
President — 1
Foreign Study — 1
Varsity Club — 3
President — 1
Michigan Math Test — 2
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Homecoming Court — 1
Homecoming King
Sno-ball Court — 1
Sno-ball King — 1
Powder Puff Football — 3
Coach — 3
Class President — 3
Track — 1
Football — 4
Basketball — 1
Softball — 2
Manager — 2
Wrestling — 3
All-Conference — 1
Spirit Core — 1
French Club — 1

Randy Hyska

FFA — 4
Varsity Club — 2
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Football — 3
Special Mention — 1
Basketball — 2

Tonya Hyska

Student Council — 1
Track — 1

Patsy Jennings

Student Council — 1
Follies — 1
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Powder Puff Football — 3
B.O.E.C. — 2
Awards at Regionals — 2
President — 2
Basketball — 1

Darin Jerome

Follies — 3
Acappella Choir — 4
Concert Choir — 1
Honor Choir — 1
Tennis — 4

Kevin Kehoe

Homecoming Court — 1
 Sno-ball Court — 1
 Sno-ball King
 Football — 4
 All-Conference
 All Area
 Basketball — 2

Wendy Kehoe

Student Council — 1
 Concert Choir — 1
 Wrestling — 1
 Manager — 1

Scott Kemery

Student Council — 2
 Varsity Club — 2
 Hope College Math Contest — 1
 Michigan Math Test — 2
 Junior Honor Guard — 1
 Powder Puff Football — 2
 Coach — 2
 Boys' State Alternate
 Class Treasurer — 4
 Track — 2
 Football — 4
 Sturgis All-Area (2nd Team)
 Baseball — 1
 Wrestling — 4
 All-Conference — 1

Mike Kirkpatrick

V.I.C.A. — 1
 1st place in Metal Welding
 Football — 1

Tammy Knight

Follies — 1
 B.O.E.C. — 1
 Regionals

William Krontz

V.I.C.A. — 2
 Track — 2
 Cross Country — 1

Deb Leach

Student Council — 1
 Alternate — 1
 Concert Choir — 2
 Leadership Conference — 1

Randy Litzau

Foreign Study — 1
 Varsity Club — 1
 Concert Choir — 1
 Track — 4
 Cross Country — 3
 Wrestling — 4

Robert Livengood

Football — 3
 Baseball — 2

Kris Ludwick

Foreign Study — 1
 Varsity Club — 3
 Thespians — 3
 Scribe — 1
 Secretary — 1
 Fall Play — 3
 Student Assistant — 1
 Spring Play — 3

Follies — 3

Concert Choir — 2
 Solo and Ensemble — 1
 B.O.E.C. — 2
 Secretary — 1
 Regional and State Competition
 Track — 2
 Basketball — 1

Lori Marks

Student Council — 4
 Parliamentarian — 1
 Varsity Club — 3
 National Honor Society — 1
 Follies — 1
 Concert Choir — 1
 Tri-State Math Contest — 1
 Michigan Math Contest — 2
 Junior Honor Guard — 1
 Sno-ball Court — 1
 Cheerleading — 2
 Powder Puff Football — 3
 Class President — 1
 Class Vice President — 2
 Softball — 4
 All-Conference (Special Mention)
 Spirit Core — 1
 French Club — 1
 Secretary — 1
 Calhoun Intermediate Leadership
 Forum — 1
 Leadership Camp Student Council — 1

Jesse McGuire

Student Council — 2
 Varsity Club — 3
 National Honor Society — 2
 Talented and Gifted (TAG)
 Follies — 1
 Band — 4
 President — 1
 Acappella Choir — 1
 Track — 4
 All-Conference — 3
 School Records Held in:
 One Mile Run
 Two Mile Run
 880 Run
 Two Mile Relay
 All-State — 3
 State Champion
 One Mile Run — 1
 Two Mile Run — 2
 Football — 1
 Basketball — 3
 Cross Country — 3
 Co-Captain — 3
 All-Conference — 3
 All-Area — 3
 State Champion — 2
 Runner-up in State — 1
 Spirit Core — 1
 French Club — 1
 Citizens Bee — 1
 Competed in China and finished
 third place

Joe Moon

Student Council — 2
 Varsity Club — 3

Thespians — 1
 Fall Play — 1
 Spring Play — 1
 Follies — 1
 Masters of Ceremonies
 Band — 1
 Acappella Choir — 3
 Concert Choir — 1
 Junior Honor Guard — 1
 Boys' State — 1
 Track — 4
 Football — 4
 Wrestling — 4
 Spirit Core — 1

Steve Nettleman

FFA — 4
 Greenhand Chapter Farmer
 Baseball — 1

Stephen Noblit

FFA — 4
 Cross Country — 1

Kevin Norton

FFA — 1
 Weight Lifting — 1

Michelle Perkins

Yearbook Staff — 2
 Assistant Editor — 1
 Editor — 1
 Student Council — 3
 Varsity Club — 4
 Thespians — 3
 Vice President — 1
 Treasurer — 1
 Best Thespian Award — 1
 National Honor Society — 2
 President — 1
 Fall Play — 3
 Spring Play — 3
 Follies — 3
 Hope College Math Contest — 1
 Band — 4
 Secretary — 2
 Vice President — 1
 Acappella Choir — 3
 President — 1
 Concert Choir — 1
 Homecoming Court — 1
 Sno-ball Court — 2
 1984 Sno-ball Queen
 Cheerleading — 2
 FFA Sweetheart Candidate — 1
 Volleyball — 1
 Tennis — 4
 International Thespian Convention
 Leadership Forum
 DAR Good Citizen Award

Lisa Platter

National Honor Society — 2
 Michigan Math Test — 2
 Hope College Math Contest — 1
 French Club — 1

Angella Radley

Foreign Study — 4
 Thespians — 1
 Fall Play — 2
 Spring Play — 2
 Follies — 2

Acappella Choir — 4
State — 2
Regional — 1
Honor Choir — 3
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Powder Puff Football — 3
H.O.S.A. — 2
State — 2
Spirit Core — 2
Solo & Ensemble — 4

Daniel Rinehart

Quiz Bowl — 3
Fall Play — 2
Concert Choir — 1
V.I.C.A. — 2
Secretary — 2
Golf — 1

Dave Rinehart

Quiz Bowl — 1
Fall Play — 1
Acappella Choir — 2
Concert Choir — 1
Golf — 3

Tonja Roach

Student Council — 3
Secretary — 1
Varsity Club — 3
Follies — 3
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Homecoming Court — 1
Powder Puff Football — 3
FFA Sweetheart Candidate — 1
Track — 1
Basketball — 3
Volleyball — 3
Softball — 3
All-Conference (Honorable Mention)
Spirit Core — 1

Christine Robinson

French Club — 1

Steve Russell

FFA — 4
Foreign Study — 1
Football — 4
Wrestling — 3

Dawn Schottenloher

Student Council — 1
Varsity Club — 3
Follies — 2
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Cheerleading — 1
Powder Puff Football — 3
Leadership Conference — 1
Track — 4
Captain — 2
All-Conference — 4
All-State — 2
State Champion 110 low Hurdles
State Runner-up in 330 Hurdles
School Records Held in:
110 Low Hurdles
330 Hurdles
880 Yard Relay
440 Yard Relay
One Mile Relay
1985 State Mile Relay Champions
Basketball — 3

Captain — 1
Volleyball — 3
Cross Country — 1
Spirit Core — 2
French Club — 1
Vice President — 1

Thomas Scully

Varsity Club — 3
Michigan Math Test — 3
Track — 2
Football — 4
Wrestling — 4
State — 1

Ruth Sexton

Track — 2
Cross Country — 1

Sandy Shepherd

Student Council — 1
Alternate — 1
Concert Choir — 2
H.O.S.A. — 2
Locals — 1

Rose Sikorski

Student Council — 1
Varsity Club — 3
Follies — 2
Band — 3
Solo and Ensemble — 1
Acappella Choir — 2
Solo and Ensemble — 2
D.E.C.A. — 1
Track — 1
Basketball — 1
Cross Country — 1

Angela Simon

Foreign Study — 1
Follies — 1
Acappella Choir — 2
Concert Choir — 1
Solo and Ensemble
Honors Choir — 2
D.E.C.A. — 2
Locals — 2

Melissa Simon

Concert Choir — 1

Aimee Smith

Student Council — 1
Foreign Study — 2
Varsity Club — 4
Secretary — 1
Treasurer — 1
Thespians — 2
Fall Play — 3
Student Director — 1
Follies — 1
Junior Honor Guard
Powder Puff Football — 3
Class Secretary — 2
D.E.C.A. — 1
President — 1
Track — 1
Volleyball — 4
Captain — 1
Softball — 1
M.A.S.S.P. Leadership Camp
Leadership Conference — 1

Kim Smith

Yearbook Staff — 2
Varsity Club — 4
Quiz Bowl — 2
Powder Puff Football — 3
B.O.E.C. — 2
Basketball — 2
Volleyball — 2
Softball — 3
All-Conference (Honorable Mention)
All-Conference — 1
Tennis — 2

Tracy Smith

Foreign Study — 3
Football — 1
Tennis — 1

Kris Smoker

Student Council — 2
FFA — 1
Varsity Club — 3
Homecoming Court — 1
Spirit Couple — 1
D.E.C.A. — 1
Track — 3
Area Best — 2
Basketball — 4
All-Conference (Honorable Mention)
All-State (Honorable Mention)
Captain — 1
4th in Area Scoring

Becky Squires

Acappella Choir — 4
V.I.C.A. — 2

Todd Stewart

Student Council — 3
Foreign Study — 1
Band — 1
Concert Choir — 1
Track — 3
Football — 3

Tia Strohm

Yearbook Staff — 1
Foreign Study — 4
Thespians — 2
Fall Play — 3
Spring Play — 3
Student Director — 1
Student Assistant — 1
Follies — 3
Student Assistant — 1
Concert Choir — 3
Junior Honor Guard — 1
H.O.S.A. — 1
Vice President — 1
Locals, Regionals Awards

Kendra Stutzman

Spring Play — 2
Follies — 3
Acappella Choir — 2
V.I.C.A. — 2
President — 1
Locals, Regionals, and
State Awards
Wrestling — 1
Manager — 1

Jeanette Tooman

Foreign Study — 2
Varsity Club — 4
Fall Play — 1
Spring Play — 1
Student Assistant — 1
Follies — 2
Band — 3
Acappella Choir — 4
V.I.C.A. — 1
President — 1
Regionals
Basketball — 1
Softball — 4
All-Conference — 1
Solo and Ensemble — 1

Paula Trine

Concert Choir — 2
Track — 1

Scott Turner

Varsity Club — 2
National Honor Society — 2
Talented and Gifted (TAG) — 1
Follies — 1
Hope College Math Contest — 2
Acappella Choir — 2
Michigan Math Test — 2
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Boys' State
Football — 4
All-State (2nd Team)
All-Conference
Sturgis All Area
Basketball — 4
Baseball — 4
All-Conference
1st Place Bronson Computer Contest

Rolland Vallance

Acappella Choir — 3
Concert Choir — 1
Honor Choir — 1
Football — 3
Tennis — 2
Solo and Ensemble — 3

Michael VanBlarcom

Band — 2
Concert Choir — 1
Spirit Couple — 1
D.E.C.A. — 2
Track — 4
State Qualifier — 1
Football — 1
Basketball — 4
Cross Country — 3

James Van Vorst

Student Council — 3
FFA — 4
Vice President — 1
Sentinel — 1
Varsity Club — 2
Powder Puff Football — 3
Coach — 3
V.I.C.A. — 1
Track — 3
Area Best — 1
Football — 4
Basketball — 1
Wrestling — 3

Team Captain — 1
State Qualifier — 1

Dianne Wade

Yearbook Staff — 1
Student Council — 1
Varsity Club — 3
Thespians — 2
National Honor Society — 2
Fall Play — 2
Follies — 1
Band — 4
Treasurer — 3
Acappella Choir — 4
Honor Choir — 2
Michigan Math Test — 1
Homecoming Court — 1
Powder Puff Football — 1
FFA Sweetheart Candidate — 1
Track — 2
Basketball — 2
Volleyball — 4
Tennis — 2
Leadership Conference — 1
World Affairs Seminar — 1
Thespians Camp — 1

Marchelle Weaver

Student Council — 1
Varsity Club — 3
Thespians — 1
Fall Play — 1
Spring Play — 2
Follies — 3
Acappella Choir — 2
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Powder Puff Football — 3
Spirit Couple — 1
Track — 1
Basketball — 4
Volleyball — 1
Softball — 3
Spirit Core — 1
French Club — 1
Branch County Junior Miss Participant

Melody Wells

Student Council — 1
Alternate — 1
Varsity Club — 3
Follies — 3
Acappella Choir — 3
Vice President — 1
Concert Choir — 1
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Cheerleading — 3
Powder Puff Football — 2
FFA Sweetheart Candidate — 1
1985 FFA Sweetheart — 1
D.E.C.A. — 2
Locals, and State — 1
Tennis — 1
Branch County Junior Miss Participant

Darby Wiler

Student Council — 2
Varsity Club — 3
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Homecoming Court — 1
Sno-ball Court — 2

Powder Puff Football — 2

Coach — 2
Football — 4
Captain — 1
Basketball — 2
Baseball — 4
All-Conference (Honorable Mention) — 2
All-Conference — 1
Wrestling — 1
French Club — 1

Don Williams

D.E.C.A. — 2
Awards in Districts
Golf — 3
Basketball — 4
All-Conference (Honorable Mention) — 1
All-Conference — 1
All-State (Honorable Mention)
Baseball — 2

Rick Wolff

Band — 2
Baseball — 1
Wrestling — 1

Joey Woodruff

Junior Honor Guard — 1
V.I.C.A. — 2
Treasurer — 1

Jeff Yearling

FFA — 4
V.I.C.A. — 2
Awards in Locals

Yvonne Yearling

Yearbook Staff — 1
Foreign Study — 1
Varsity Club — 3
National Honor Society — 2
Secretary — 1
Quiz Bowl — 1
Acappella Choir — 3
Michigan Math Test — 2
Junior Honor Guard — 1
Track — 1
Tennis — 3
Captain — 1
Student of the Month — 1

Deborah Yesh

Powder Puff Football — 3
Basketball — 4
Softball — 4
All-Conference — 1
French Club — 1

Joseph Yoder

FFA — 4
Foreign Study — 4
Quiz Bowl — 1
Track — 1

GRADUATION DATE:

JUNE 4, 1986

CLASS MOTTO:

***TAKE HANDS AND PART WITH LAUGHTER;
TOUCH LIPS AND PART WITH TEARS. SMILE
AND REMEMBER THE MEMORIES AND THEY'LL
LAST YOU THROUGHOUT THE YEARS.***

CLASS COLORS:

MAROON AND CREAM

CLASS SONG:

"GOOD-BYE"

BY: NIGHT RANGER

"MORE THAN A FEELING"

BY: BOSTON

CLASS FLOWER:

CREAM ROSE

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16. Randy Hyska
17. Mike Gates
18. Joe Moon
19. St. Mary's 7th Graders

- Best Athlete:* 1. Kim Clover 2. Dawn Schottenloher 3. Beth Barrows
1. Jesse McGuire 2. Kris Smoker 3. Mike VanBlarcom and Darby Wiler
- Most Ripped On:* 1. Kendra Stutzman 2. Melody Wells 3. Yvonne Yearling and Marcy Weaver
- Quietest:* 1. Chris Robinson 2. Lisa Platter 3. Paula Bistel
1. Brian Coats 2. Joe Yoder 3. Greg Anderson
- Most Spirited:* 1. Lori Marks 2. Kris Czajkowski 3. Lisa Alger
1. Todd Stewart 2. Kris Smoker 3. Darby Wiler
- Most Talented:* 1. Michelle Perkins 2. Christy Case 3. Lisa Alger
1. Jesse McGuire 2. Joe Moon 3. Scott Turner
- Most Vocal-Musical:* 1. Angella Radley and Janet Calhoun 2. Michelle Perkins 3. Melody Wells
- Most Creative:* 1. Michelle Perkins 2. Kris Czajkowski 3. Tracy Fotchman
1. Nate Disbro 2. Scott Kemery 3. Dave Rinehart
- Most Imaginative:* 1. Marcy Weaver 2. Kendra Stutzman and Tracy Fotchman 3. Tonja Roach and Kris Ludwick
1. Darby Wiler 2. Dave Rinehart 3. Doug Hughes
- Most Agricultural:* 1. Sue Carpenter 2. Kim Clover 3. Laura Albright
1. Jim VanVorst 2. Jeff Yearling 3. Steve Russell and Randy Hyska
- Class Clown:* 1. Marcy Weaver 2. Melody Wells and Kris Ludwick 3. Tonja Roach and Tracy Fotchman
1. Kris Smoker 2. Jim Van Vorst and Todd Stewart 3. Bob Aleman
- Trend Setter:* 1. Kendra Stutzman 2. Dawn Schottenloher and Beth Barrows 3. Lisa Alger
1. Todd Stewart 2. Kris Smoker 3. Scott Turner
- Best Dressed:* 1. Christy Case 2. Michelle Perkins 3. Amy Crampton and Deb Leach
1. Scott Turner 2. Kris Smoker 3. Rick Herman, Nate Disbro and Joe Yoder
- Cutest Couple:* 1. Kris Smoker & Kris Czajkowski 2. Don Carpenter & Marcy Weaver
3. Darby Wiler & Tonja Roach, Doug Hughes & Kim Clover, Scott Kemery & Karen Webb
- Most Likely To Succeed:* 1. Susan Carpenter 2. Cristy Case 3. Michelle Perkins
1. Jesse McGuire 2. Greg Anderson 3. Scott Turner
- Most Outgoing:* 1. Lori Marks 2. Kris Czajkowski 3. Melody Wells
1. Doug Houghes 2. Darby Wiler 3. Kris Smoker
- Most Studious:* 1. Christy Case 2. Sue Carpenter 3. Lisa Platter
1. Greg Anderson 2. Jesse McGuire 3. Scott Turner
- Class Leader:* 1. Lori Marks 2. Christy Case 3. Sue Carpenter
1. Doug Hughes 2. Darby Wiler 3. Scott Kemery
- Friendliest:* 1. Kris Czajkowski 2. Michelle Perkins 3. Amy Crampton
1. Doug Hughes 2. Kevin Kehoe 3. Kris Smoker
- Prettiest/Handsomest:* 1. Kris Czajkowski 2. Michelle Perkins 3. Amy Crampton
1. Kris Smoker 2. Kevin Kehoe 3. Rick Herman
- Most Talkative:* 1. Marcy Weaver 2. Tracy Fotchman 3. Janet Calhoun and Kendra Stutzman
1. Jim Van Vorst 2. Todd Stewart 3. Kris Smoker
- Most Kissable:* 1. Kris Czajkowski 2. Michelle Perkins 3. Dianne Wade
1. Kris Smoker 2. Rick Herman 3. Kevin Kehoe
- Funniest:* 1. Marcy Weaver 2. Kris Ludwick 3. Melody Wells
1. Kris Smoker 2. Darby Wiler 3. Doug Hughes
- Most Admired:* 1. Michelle Perkins 2. Kris Czajkowski 3. Christy Case and Sue Carpenter
- Nicest Hair:* 1. Amy Crampton 2. Michelle Perkins 3. Deb Leach
1. Rick Herman 2. Kevin Kehoe 3. Kris Smoker
- Nicest Smile:* 1. Michelle Perkins 2. Sandy Shepherd 3. Karen Webb
1. Kris Smoker 2. Don Carpenter 3. Scott Carpenter
- Most Fun To Be With:* 1. Amy Crampton 2. Tonja Roach 3. Melody Wells, Kris Czajkowski and Marcy Weaver
- Prettiest Eyes:* 1. Tonja Roach 2. Christy Case 3. Laura Albright
1. Mike Swift 2. Don Carpenter 3. Darby Wiler and Kevin Kehoe
- Best Figure/Physique:* Michelle Perkins 2. Kris Czajkowski 3. Beth Barrows and Aimee Smith
- Courteous:* 1. Clarissa Drust 2. Amy Crampton 3. Aimee Smith, Michelle Perkins and Deb Leach
1. Jesse McGuire 2. Rich Clifford 3. Greg Anderson
- Biggest Flirt:* 1. Melody Wells 2. Dianne Wade 3. Tonja Roach
1. Jim Van Vorst 2. Kris Smoker 3. Mike VanBlarcom
- Nicest Cat:* 1. Chris Robinson 2. Christy Case 3. Amy Crampton
1. Randy Hyska 2. Doug Hughes 3. Rich Clifford



Tammy Knight



Marcy Weaver

1986 Class Night



Mr. Moon, Doug Hughes, and Mr. Dykman



"You Educate Our Life"

The fourth annual Class Recognition Night was held Thursday, May 29, 1986 in the Middle School Auditorium. The awards and achievements and scholarships were given followed by the talent portion. Such acts included an all-girl rock band, singing, humorous skits, dancing, and acting. The Masters of Ceremonies for the evening were Greg Anderson, Patsy Jennings, Jesse McGuire, and Dianne Wade. The night ended by the entire class of "86" singing "Good-bye," one of the Class songs, while slides were showing their last week of school together. Mr. Carroll Moon and Mr. Keith Dykman directed the program.



"Smiling Lisa"



"That's What Friends are For"



Alpha Beta Award — Jesse McGuire
Danforth Award — Greg Anderson
 Michelle Perkins
Service — Carroll Moon
 Yvonne Yearling



Citizenship Award — Jesse McGuire
 Michell Perkins
Americanism Award — Ruth Sexton
Activities Award — Carroll Moon
 Lisa Alger
John Philip Sousa Band Award — Michelle Perkins
Arion Award (choir) — Michelle Perkins
DAR Good Citizen Award — Michelle Perkins
French I: Marcy Weaver
French II: Darby Wiler
Typing: Lisa Alger
Accounting: Greg Anderson
 Christy Case
Science Excellence: Susan Carpenter
Tri-State Math Contest Participation: Susan Carpenter
 Nathan Disbro
 Lori Marks
 Greg Anderson
Hope College Math Contest Participation: Christy Case
 Scott Turner
 Michelle Perkins



Math Excellence: Susan Carpenter
Bronson High School High Score on the Michigan Math Prize Competition: Lisa Platter
Computer Science Excellence: Scott Turner
S.M.A.A. Computer Competition: Lisa Platter
 Sue Carpenter
 Scott Turner
Albian Computer Contest: Scott Turner
Yearbook: Michelle Perkins





"Love is . . . Us"



Laura and Bob, "First as always."



"Should We smile yet?"

MORE THAN A FEELING GRADUATION 1986



Susan Carpenter Valedictorian



Ivonne Yearling



Don Williams





Doug and Theresa: Cane Ceremony



"Seniors play for last time"



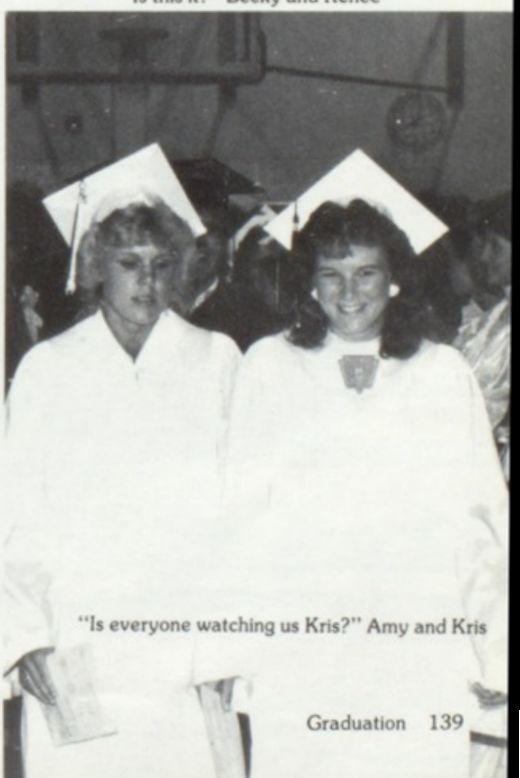
Doug Hughes Class President

Isn't it funny how times goes so fast.
 Our Freshman year was just present,
 and now it's in the past.
 I just can't get over it, it seems so strange,
 yesterday we were the youngest here,
 and today we reign.
 Next thing I knew, it seems it happened over night,
 I was a Sophomore already.
 Wait, this can't be right.
 I was having such a good time with all of
 my friends,
 then all of a sudden,
 my Junior year was just around the bend.
 One morning I woke up and looked in my mirror,
 something wasn't right — I was starting my Junior
 year.
 While I was dreaming one night,
 I woke at the dawn only to find out the
 night was our Junior-Senior Prom.
 All of a sudden class was interrupted by the school
 P.A.
 Senior Class meeting will be held on Monday.
 When's our Senior trip, what colors will we wear?
 Decisions, this doesn't seem fair.
 Next thing I knew I was up on the stand
 with a smile on my face and a diploma in my hand.
 So Graduation can't really be called "the end"
 rather a time to tuck away memories
 and wish the best to friends.

— Marcy Weaver



"Is this it?" Becky and Renee



"Is everyone watching us Kris?" Amy and Kris

CLASS OF



1986

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Honored



Kris Smoker
Basketball



Beth Barrows
Track



Tim Moore
Wrestling



Scott Kemery
Wrestling



Cindi Wotta
Basketball, Volleyball, Softball



Darby Wiler
Baseball



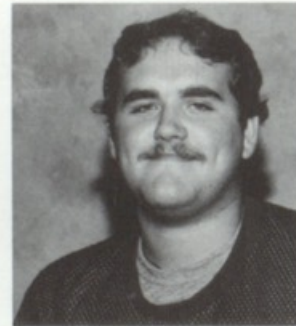
Missy Wilber
Track



Don Williams
Basketball



Shantel Houck
Track



Doug Hughes
Wrestling



Kim Clover
Basketball, Volleyball, Track

These students were named to the SMAA All-Conference teams for the 1985-86 athletic seasons. They should be commended for their hard work and should be proud of what they have accomplished.



Jean Miller
Track



Don Carpenter
Football, Baseball



Deb Yesh
Softball

ATHLETES



Brian Coats
Cross Country



Dawn Schottenloher
Track



Scott Turner
Baseball



Tom Bidwell
Track



Heather Badgley
Track



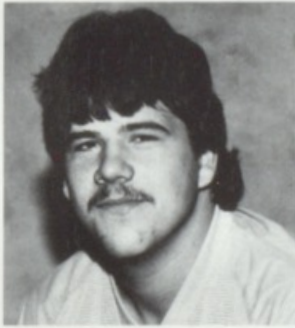
Tony Herman
Wrestling



Scott Carpenter
Football
Baseball



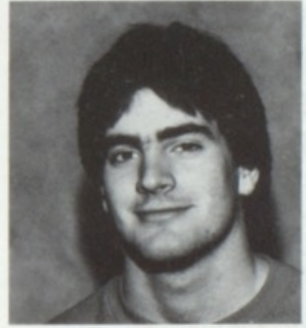
Tom Scully
Wrestling



Mickey Smoker
Football



Jenny Grove
Volleyball



Kevin Kehoe
Football



Dwayne Smith
Wrestling



Jesse McGuire
Cross Country
Track



Jim VanVorst
Wrestling

Coaches from around the league voted on the players that they thought showed the most consistency throughout the season and demonstrated good all-around talent. The top vote-getters were named to the All-Conference teams and awarded medals.

Honors Assembly

HONOR ROLL (GPA 3.2, no grades lower than a C): Juniors — Kristina Aker, Jennifer Baldwin, Russell Bercaw, Bret Cary, David Draper, Dana Hand, Kathy Hutchins, Rhonda Litzau, Debra Losinski, Richard Ludwick, Kimberly Malovey, Jill Mayer, Susan Metzger, Rebecca Scott, James Smoker, Rebecca Thacher, LeAnne Weber, Melissa Wiard, Melissa Wilber, Jodi Woods, Cynthia Wotta, Benjamin Yearling. Sophomores — Doug Anderson, Michelle Badgley, Paula Charlier, Robert Dearman, Charity Filey, Gerald Jasper, Connie Miner, Laura Perkins, Paul Squires, Brett Sweers. Freshmen — Heather Badgley, Tonia Bercaw, Becky Carpenter, Chris Dow, Heather Geer, Tommy Haviland, Chad Kubasiak, Timothy Metzger, Kimberly Odell, Nicole Rieger, Alicia Rissman, Amy Sikorski, Rusty Smith, Karen Smoker, James VanDam.

SCIENCE: (general science) — Chris Dow and Tim Metzger; (biology) — Melissa Snedegar; (chemistry) — Doug Anderson.

BUSINESS: (accounting) — Doug Anderson; (typing) — Rhonda Litzau, Heather Geer, Alicia Rissman, Paula Charlier, Diane Lahrke and Amy Sikorski (excellence); (most improved) — Dan Snedegar and Kim Mallow.

HOME ECONOMICS: (clothing) — Julie Herman (excellence) and Cindy Seafert (most improved).

INDUSTRIAL ARTS: (metals) — Bret Cary and Paul Squires (excellence); (woods) — Dave Himebaugh (excellence).

FINE ARTS: (art) — Tim Metzger and Kathy Hutchins (excellence).

SMAA ACADEMIC HONORABLE MENTION: Tony Herman, Kristi Aker, Jill Mayer, Jodi Woods and Cindi Wotta.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE: Rhonda Litzau, Lisa Frank, Konstance Fenner, Steven Salyer, James Hoff, Michelle Badgley, Charles Anderson, Kendra Sikorski, Jodi Schaffer, Stephen Byles, Heather Badgley.

On Thursday, May 29, the fourth annual awards assembly was held in the gymnasium for students in the 9th through 11th grade. The assembly is held to recognize and encourage outstanding achievements of the students of Bronson High School.

PARTICIPANTS IN THE T.A.G. (talented and gifted) program: Rob Dearman, Scott Turner, Missy Wilber, Dana Hand, and Dawn Miller.

LANGUAGE ARTS: (10th) — Connie Miner; (11th) — Kim Malovey (yearbook award)

FRENCH: (10th) — Rob Dearman; (11th) — Kristi Aker, Kim Malovey.

SPEECH: Kim Malovey (excellence), Courtney Wilson (best quality of empathy speech).

SOCIAL STUDIES: (9th) — Becky Carpenter, Chris Dow and Rusty Smith; (world history) — Connie Miner, Laura Wilber and Doug Anderson; (U.S. history) — Jill Mayer, Tony Herman and Jodi Woods.

MATHEMATICS: (9th) — Chris Dow; (10th) — Doug Anderson; (11th) — Jill Mayer.

HOPE COLLEGE MATH CONTEST: Robin Rhoades, Becky Scott, Richard Ludwick, Rhonda Cook, Jodi Woods, Jenny Baldwin, Theresa Wasikowski, Melissa Wilber, LeAnne Weber and Koni Fenner.

TRI-STATE MATH CONTEST: Kristi Aker, Kim Malovey, James Smoker and Melissa Wilber.

ADVANCED PROGRAMMING: James Smoker (excellence).

ALBION COMPUTER CONTEST: James Smoker, Cindi Wotta, Dave Draper, Jerry Jasper, Brett Sweers, Jim VanDam, Mark Rieger, Doug Anderson, David Kregger, Rob Dearman and Paula Charlier.



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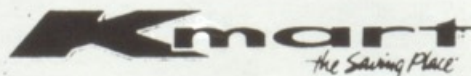
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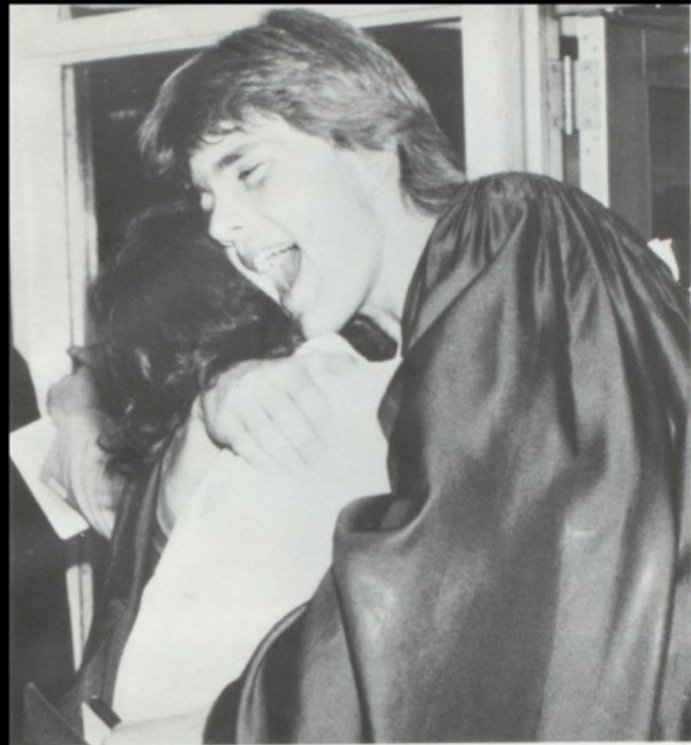
Could it be recess time?



Is it that funny, Marcy Weaver?



"Where should I look," wonders Christine Robinson.



Kris Smoker and Kris Czajkowski



Senior hall before school

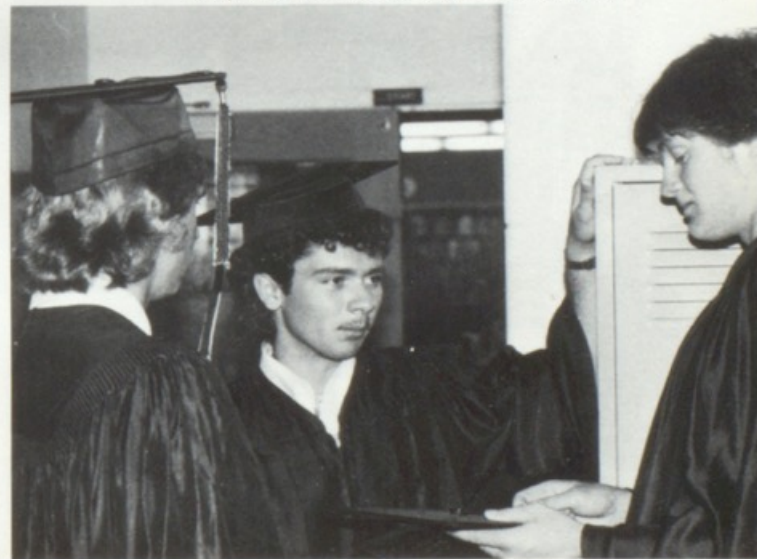


Maceo Hayden and James [unclear]

A shoulder to cry on, . . .



Stacy Weaver, Scott Kemery and Darby Wiler.



Joe Yoder and Tom Scully

An ear to bend . . .



Amy Crampton and Tonja Roach



Deb Yesh and Karen Webb



Rhonda Cook, Melinda Scully and Diane Lahrke



Bob Aleman and Don Williams



The latest news!



Laura Perkins and Melinda Scully



Diane Wade and Joe Moon



Should we eat here?

Money to borrow,
Clothes to lend.



Don't tell them!



Smiling buddies.

Friday night movies,
Afternoon walks,



What a bunch!



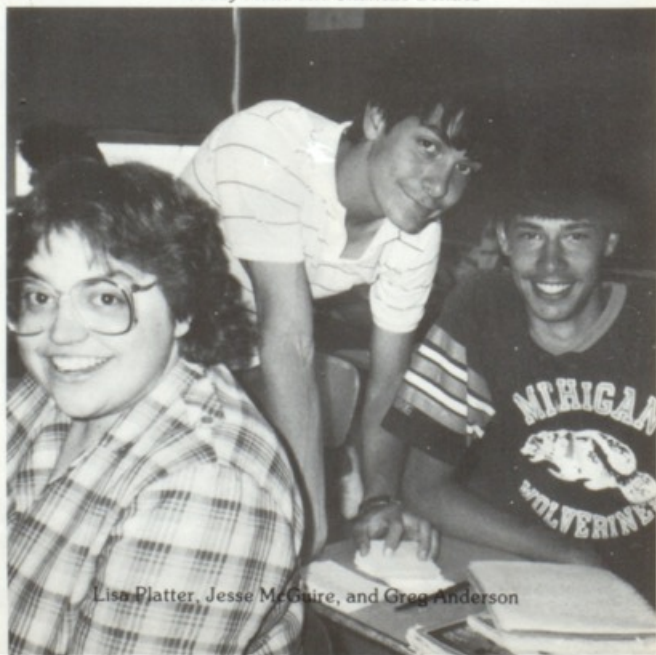
Tia Strohm and Holly Washburn



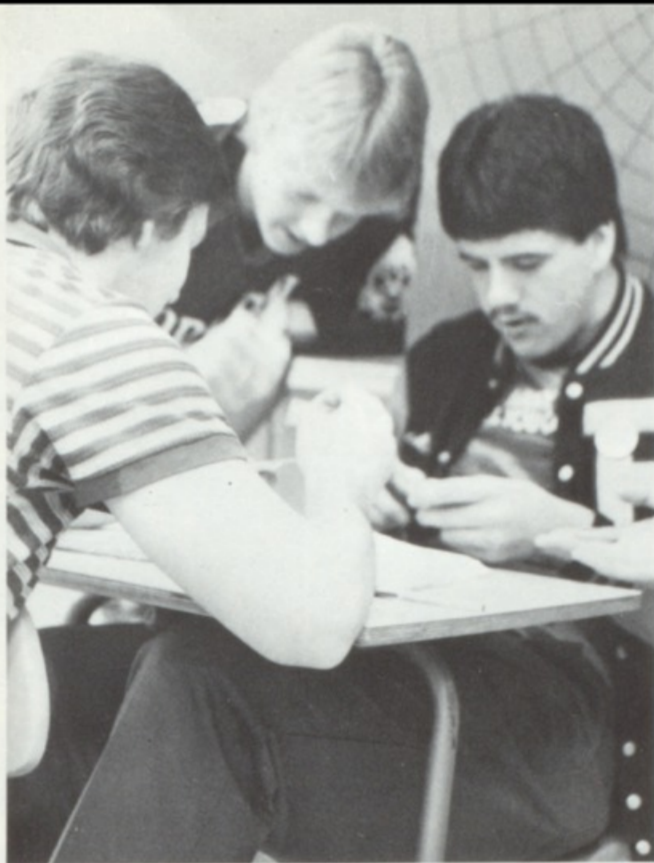
Laura, Dee and Beth



Tracy Hand and Shanelle Bohacz



Lisa Platter, Jesse McGuire, and Greg Anderson



Diligent workers?

Being together,
Our "private" talks.



Rhonda Wisman and Kerri Harsh



Pam Tooman, Dawn Kemery and Lisa Frank



Angella Radley and Tia Strohm



Melody Wells

Mending our hearts,
Crying those tears,



Kari Freese, Christina Hessler, Lisa Alger, and Robin Rhoades



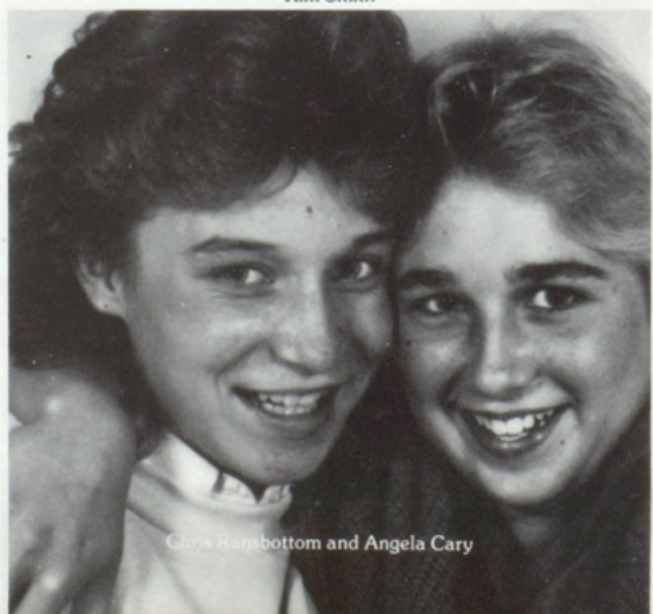
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Kim Smith



Shelley Jennings and Teresa Buehrer



Chris Ransbottom and Angela Cary



Renee Buholz, Becky Boone and Paula Bistel



Tracy Fotchman, Lisa Alger, Angella Radley and Lori Marks



Jason Deal and Jim VanDam

Planning our futures,
Voicing our fears.



Tracy Hand, Josie Hansmann and Angela Modert



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Our memories together,
May they never end,
Always together,
Forever friends!



Angie Simon and Kendra Stutzman



Holly Washburn and Jodi Woods



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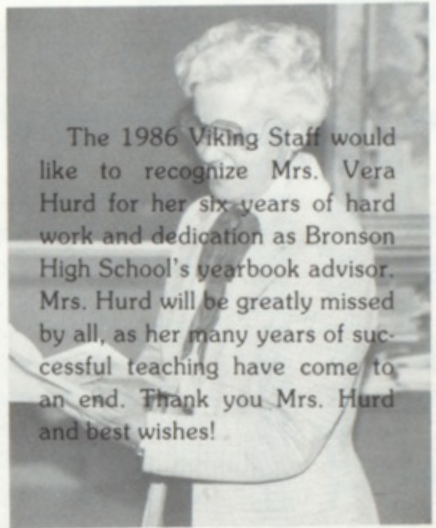


Scott Turner and Michelle Perkins



Kathy Hutchins and Be...

In Honor



The 1986 Viking Staff would like to recognize Mrs. Vera Hurd for her six years of hard work and dedication as Bronson High School's yearbook advisor. Mrs. Hurd will be greatly missed by all, as her many years of successful teaching have come to an end. Thank you Mrs. Hurd and best wishes!



Junior High Band gets straight Division I state festival
 Schottenloher wins state in 100-meter hurdles
 Bronson teachers win first SMAA Quiz Bowl contest for faculty members
 Alley's 1986

What in the world...? Jesse McGuire finishes 3rd in international race in China Travelers: The Panic of '86

I would like to thank my talented staff for their year of constant hard work and dedication to the 1986 VIKING. Often times the seemingly endless hours of preparation and frustration are not noticed. I recognize those times and want you to know that you are greatly appreciated. Without your individual contributions, the publication of the book would not have been possible.

I would especially like to thank Mrs. Vera Hurd for her time, leadership, knowledge, and un-ending support. Her display of care and understanding for the yearbook as well as the school has been an admirable characteristic for years.

To the entire student body I would like to extend warm wishes for a very good year. To the class of 1986, thank you for all of the wonderful memories. May all of you find a future full of success and happiness.

Michelle Perkins
 Yearbook Editor

Yearbooks are a composite from a variety of sources. There is a copy written by the yearbook staff displaying their varied styles; and there are pictures representing the wide spectrum of student life, reflecting the personalities of so many. All of it is forever imprinted on the pages of time.

I would like to express my gratitude to: **Ray Smith** of the *Bronson Journal* for sharing his photographs; **Morris Wood** for the most recent aerial view on page two; **Ron Philbrick** and **Floyd Prater** of Carousel Studios for photographing our students and staff and encouraging us when we attempted our own; **Lee Zimmerman**, representing Taylor Publishing Company, whose positive attitude and excitement kept us going when the going got tough; our **advertisers** who gave us their financial support, and my **yearbook staff people** who made this an enjoyable job.

A special note of appreciation goes to Michelle Perkins whose quiet spirit, gentle ways and persevering attitude made her a joy to work with. It is her ability to visualize and verbalize that makes this book a success.

"To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under the heaven" wrote Solomon. The changing seasons have rolled the years around and this is my final closing. Advising the Bronson High School VIKING for six years has been a pleasurable and satisfying experience.

Vera Hurd
 Yearbook advisor

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Division I honors at festival

Parade to be revived for

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The AIDS Issue Hits the Schools

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