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First in March of Dimes Drive 66 Inducted into National Honor Society

by Stacey Temperelli

For the first time LHS placed first in the city high school March of Dimes drive. Twenty-five hundred dollars were collected this year.

The queen was Brenda Books. She collected \$145.00. The other two top finishers were Alanda Richardson and Pam Roderick both collecting \$130.00 each.

LHS's closest competitor was Sacred Heart Academy, who had won the contest for the past five years. This year they collected \$1700.00.

The \$2500 came from basketball game collections, the third hour class drives, club donations, queen candidates and a bake sale.

by Kathy Tallent

Tex, Cheri Thompson, Andrea Todd, Bob Tregoning, John Unthank, Debbie Wainscott, John Walker, Leanne Watson, Robert Wilder, Dave Wood and Kathy Wood.

The students were chosen on the basis of their class rank, leadership abilities, character and service to the school and the community. Requirements also include that there are no failing grades and/or no more than two "D"s on the student's permanent record. Lists of the perspective members are given to teachers who have been at LHS at least one year. If the teacher has had the student at least one semester, he (or she) votes on the student; voting on whether that student meets the qualifications for being a member of the National Honor Society. If a teacher votes no, an explanation must be written.

Junior Student of the Week Underway

Beginning this month the junior students of the week will begin to appear in *The State Journal-Register* on Sundays.

This is an honorary recognition. The juniors who wished to be considered turned in an application to the Student Government Association.

A committee comprised of four seniors and four sophomores met, assigned points and choose the top eight juniors.

The same point system that was used for the seniors was used for the junior selection.

Points are assigned in the following areas: class rank, weight of classes, participation in extracurricular activities and community service, as well as employment and the opinion of the committee members.

Sixty-six seniors were inducted into the Ethel Furlich Chapter of the National Honor Society on Sunday, January 15.

The students are: Wayne Aldrich, Randy Austin, Andy Andreatta, Karen Bannon, Joyce Barr, Laurie Black, Kathy Brey, Rick Bradbury, Marcy Bates, Marjorie Beerup, Dawn Beller, Bryan Castles, Regina Chase, Janice Cooley, Debbie Croft, Ron Dean, Jerry Favero, Ed Ferguson, Vince Flammmini, Laura Fogleman, Mike Frakes, Brenda Freidrich, Bill Gentry, Alice Havey, Kerry Herrick, Andrea Hoemmen, Tim Hulett, Tracy Irwin, Darlene Karpowich, Joan Keltner, Carla Langston, Derek Lindsey, Russ Melton, Mike McKenzie, David Mitts, Terry Moore, Sue Page, Luttie Patterson, Lisa Pavlison, Pat Powers, Bob Ramirez, Mark Reeves, Carol Rehwaldt, Chris Reiff, Jean Richards, Alanda Richardson, Chris Reese, Kelly Robinson, Pam Roderick, Tom Roth, Marth Schwarz, Jeff Sexton, Mary Sforza, Lynn Shawgo, John Shepherd, Julie

O.O. Starts Sale

The annual Office Occupation's Valentine Day carnation sale is being held during February.

Carnations went on sale the first of February. Flowers cost .75c each. Flowers will be delivered on Tuesday, February 14, Valentine's Day, to both Edison and Lanphier.

Messages will be sent on an attached card with each carnation. They range from secret wishes to messages from secret admirers.

Over 2,000 carnations were sold last year.

Dave Wood Selected as Senator

by Stacey Temperelli

Dave Wood was selected to fill an opening in Student Government Association. He will be the new senior class senator.

He ran for the position along with Kathy Tallent, Pam Roderick, Bill Gentry, Bill Haught, Erin Flannigan, Kathy Brey and John Unthank.

Dave is an active member of the varsity basketball team and also competes on the track team.

The opening occurred when Carla Langston graduated in January to attend college.

"Nicholas and Alexandria" to be Shown

All World History students will have a chance to see the movie "Nicholas and Alexandria". It will be shown February 15 and the cost is \$1.00.

It will be shown in Room 209 during first, second and third hours and all students who attend will be excused from their classes.

The story of the movie is one of romance and intrigue in Czarist Russia that focuses on two of the centuries better known losers, the last Russian Czar and his wife.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I think something should be done about overcrowded gym classes. When I have gym class there are three other classes going on in the old gym. This proposes a threat to the safety of the students and I don't think the teachers like it much either.

A LHS Student

Plans for Canadian Trip Rejected

"It's not like they were paying for it", says a member of the French Club regarding the recent decision by the school board not to allow the club to travel to Canada.

Last year the club raised enough money by selling candy and having bake sales to visit New Orleans during Easter vacation.

This year they had planned to do the same and visit Montreal or Quebec. That was until the request for the trip came back "not approved". The reason why? No one seems to have the answer. The board does not give reasons for its decisions.

Ms. Jean Ahlberg, French Club advisor, says she'll try to find out why the request was turned down. The club is considering travelling to Chicago or St. Louis instead and using a school day for the trip.

Policy On Letters

The Lanphier Light welcomes letters to the editor. Letters must be signed. No letter will be published unless it is signed, however, names will be withheld from publication upon request. Letters should be sent to Room 237 or placed in Ms. Bellamy's mailbox in the Lanphier main office.

DINNER TO BE HELD

Guests for this year's international dinner are Mr. Bob Wylder, Mr. William Clay, Ms. Helen Jeske, Ms. Carole Fields, Mr. Joe Bonafeste, Mr. Leonard Semon, Mr. James Caruso, Ms. Lorraine Coombes and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Schmidt.

International dinner will be held February 16 at 6:30 pm in the Lanphier cafeteria.

DATE SET FOR FIFTIES DAY

Fifties Day will be held again this year as the Student Government Association sponsors the after the game dance on February 17. The dance will be held in the Lanphier old gym. Tickets will be \$1.00 each.

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Senior Class Motto, Color, Flower Chosen

The senior class voted recently for the class motto, flower and colors.

The ballots were made up by a committee of the senior class officers, senators and homeroom representatives.

The voting was done in homerooms with only the seniors voting.

Here is a sample ballot with

the number of votes cast for each:

Motto:

- 43 No goal is too high if we climb with care and confidence.
37 There can be no rainbow without a cloud and a storm first.
110 Today, well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness and every tomorrow a

by Marge Mull

vision of hope.

Colors:

- 163 Orange and black
25 Orange and white
2 Black and white

Flower:

- 155 Carnations
25 Mums
10 Daisies

SPORTS

Wrestlers Crowned Number 1

by Kevin Jackson and
Sydney Letz



The wrestling Lions again proved that Lanphier is No. 1 by defeating both Springfield and Southeast in the city wrestling tournament.

Along with the victory, the Lions also set a new city scoring record of 113 total team points.

The Lions were led by Ed Ferguson who won his third city title at the 132 lbs. weight class, while Mike Redpath and Anthony Pankey each won their second title at 105 lbs. and 119 lbs. respectively.

Other title winners were Greg Marbold at 98 lbs., Dan Shaffer at 138 lbs. and Gary Stover at 155

lbs.

On the J-V side, LHS took the city title. Championships went to Robert Letz at 105 lbs.; Pat Spencer, 112 lbs.; Lennie Rose, 126 lbs.; J. R. Alexander, 132 lbs.; Rod Barrow, 138 lbs.; Cary Houston, 145; Dan Wells at 155; and heavy weight Dave Rodgers. Coach Ron Kruger stated that four wrestlers; Letz, Rose, Houston, and Rodgers; showed outstanding wrestling skills in their bouts.

Final team scores were Lanphier-113½, Springfield-85, and Southeast-49.

Swimmers Prepare for Season

by Kathy Tallent

As spring quickly approaches the swimmers are preparing for the days ahead by swimming an average of 3000 yards during each nightly practice. The team's schedule is:

March 4	Olympia, Woodruff	There	1 p.m.
March 15	Macomb	Here	4 p.m.
March 21	Southeast	There	4 p.m.
March 23	Urbana	There	4 p.m.
April 8	Normal Community	Here	10 a.m.
April 12	Southeast	Here	4 p.m.
April 15	Spaulding	There	1 p.m.
April 19	City Tournament		7 p.m.
April 22	University High, Ottawa	There	10 a.m.
April 25	Olympia	There	10 a.m.
April 29	Lincoln, Normal Community	There	10 a.m.
May 2	Champaign Centennial	Here	4 p.m.
May 6	Conference		
May 13	District		
May 19, 20	State		

All home meets are at Eisenhower Pool.

Track and Field Season Starts March 6

by Beth Files

March 6 marks the start of the new track and field season for '78. Home meets will be held at Lincoln Land Community College or Southeast High School due to the reconstruction of Lanphier's own stadium track facility.

The first track meet will be held March 18 or 25. A schedule has not been worked out as of yet. When asked where the strength of the team stems from, Coach Lee Halberg replied, "Most of our ability comes from our 23 returning lettermen."

The Coach's final remarks were, "This could be Lanphier's best year ever for track and field."

Those young men who are interested in trying out for this year's team should contact Coach Halberg today.

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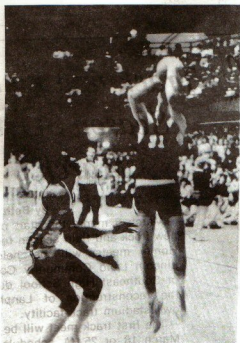
First in City



The thrill of victory is on the faces of the LHS basketball team after their outstanding 65-47 victory over top-seeded Southeast.

Tim Hulett puts up two of his points over Griffin's Ray Coleman in the first game of this year's tournament.

L A N P H I E R



Tim Barbian is high in the air against Southeast's Cedric Porter as the tournament's leading scorer, Jave Wood looks on.

The LHS cheerleaders-Desiree Munkirs, Lisa Ramsey, Alanda Richardson, Katie Moody, Kelly Robinson, Jenny Martin, Tari Hulett, Pam Day, Brenda Books and Yvonne Olea, show off their style in the first game of the 1978 city tournament against Griffin.



New Teacher to LHS- Carolyn Delany

by Stacey Temperelli

A new teacher to LHS is Ms. Carolyn Delany. Ms. Delany is taking over all of Ms. Connie Weathers' classes.

Ms. Delany graduated from Virginia High School and attended Northern Illinois University and Bradley. Ms. Delany originally planned on making her career in nursing. Instead, she got married and went to Florida to be a beach bum. After five months she returned to finish school and get her bachelors degree in literature.

She has been a substitute for the past two years in the Springfield school district. She likes Lanphier and would like to get involved with Voices Unlimited. She is the advisor for the club.

Ms. Delany is the mother of two boys; Dennis, 7 and John, 8.

Classes View "Macbeth"

by Tracy Irwin

On Tuesday, January 31, Ms. Betty Taylor's Advanced Placement English and English Literature classes went to see the movie, **The Tragedy of MACBETH**, written by William Shakespeare, at Sangamon State University. The film was directed by Roman Polanski.

Most of the students agreed that there was an amazing amount of blood and violence, but that the movie was exciting and extremely well-made.

Both classes will be reading **MACBETH** this semester.



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Hams in the Library

by Stacey Temperelli

Have you ever been sitting in the library and then all of a sudden hear a funny noise? No, it's not the termites. It's Mr. James Caruso's battery operated code practicer. Mr. Caruso is working for his amateur ham radio license. Mr. Caruso built the machine himself.

Ms. Jessie Leach, LHS's other librarian, has already passed her test and received her license.

To get a license you must know Morse Code, ham radio rules and be able to tap out messages in a certain amount of time.

A ham radio operator may send messages four different ways. One is by continuous wave, or the beep-dash method or by speaking into a transmitter. Another way is like television. The messages flash

onto the receiver's screen as a still picture. Typed messages may be sent and have them come out on paper at the receiving end.

Thanks to Oscar B, ham's satellite, messages can be heard all over the world.

To know more about ham radios enroll in the classes that started February 6 at the Red Cross Building on South Sixth Street. A bulletin board in the library will be set aside for the ham radio information.

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REVIEW

"The Goodbye Girl" -A Must to See

by Randy Phillips

Richard Dreyfuss and Marsha Mason are brilliantly teamed together in "The Goodbye Girl", so brilliantly in fact, that both of them received a Golden Globe award for their performances.

"The Goodbye Girl" also stars 10 year old Quinn Cummings, who deserves some type of award in her own right. She is excellent as Mason's daughter. The child seems to have the IQ of a highly intelligent adult.

Dreyfuss portrays Elliot, a somewhat idiotic actor. In his first big chance at stardom, Elliot portrays the title lead in Shakespeare's "Richard the III." Due to having a cretin as a director, Elliot portrays Richard the III in what can only be described as an insult to gay liberation. Needless to say the production is a bomb.

Mason shows us what it's like to be an out of shape ex-dancer. She is forced back into her profession after she is dumped by her live-in boy friend. She has quite a bit of trouble trying to get back in shape after two years without exercise, which proves to be impossible for Marsha.

Ms. Cummings gives us an impressive look at a kid who gets very involved with her mother's love life, and who is able to say what is on her mind.

"Goodbye Girl" is another Neil Simon film which has already proven to be a smash. It seems like Mr. Simon (who is married to Marsha Mason) always turns out a big hit. Other Simon hits have been "The Odd Couple", "Plaza Suite" and more recently "The Sunshine Boys" with George Burns and Walter Matthau.

"The Goodbye Girl" is a must to see. You may see this PG rated film at the Esquire I.

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Brazilians Attend Lanphier

Paulo Reis Neto is a foreign exchange student from Sao Paulo, Brazil. He started the second semester at Lanphier on February 1. Another foreign exchange student from Brazil is Christiane Renck. She is from Porto Alegre. She will stay in the US for six months. She is staying with the Aut family.

Paulo has been in Springfield since January 24. Paulo speaks Portuguese, the native language of Brazil (don't even ask him if he speaks Spanish!) and is quite fluent in English.

Paulo is very up-to-date on the United States, Illinois and Lincoln in particular. He says that life in Sao Paulo, a city of 11 million, is much like that of any other metropolitan city-complete with McDonald's. Paulo is often surprised by Americans' lack of

knowledge of Brazil. He is quick to explain that there are no jungles in Brazil and that Sao Paulo is much like an American city.

He attends LHS in hopes that he will improve his English. According to Paulo, learning English is much easier than Portuguese. He has studied English for two years in Brazil.

Since the average temperature in Brazil ranges between 70 and 80 degrees, Paulo has never seen snow before. He says, "It's beautiful to see, but not so beautiful to be in-cold." Another thing he discovered for the first time in the US is waffles. He loves them.

Paulo, who is 16, hopes to become a civil engineer. He will stay with Mark Monroe's (a junior at LHS) family for the remainder of his six months visit.

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Cast for "Shrew!" Announced

by Darcy Millard

More than 150 students tried out for the 13 parts in this year's school play, "Shrew". It will be performed for the public April 7 and 8 at 8 p.m. in the Edison gymnasium. It will cost \$1.00 for adults and .75c for students.

"Shrew!" is about the problems that two sisters go through on the way to getting married.

This play was written by Ms. Antoinette Washington, director of the play. Helping Ms. Washington with sets is Mr. Dennis Morris. The play is taken from William Shakespeare's **The Taming of the Shrew**. It was rewritten, set to music, and given the new title.

Major characters and the people who will play them are:

The oldest sister, Katherina	Chris Reiff
The youngest sister, Bianca	Tina Bill
The mother	Kathy Tallent
The rich young man, Lucentio	Bruce Thompson
His servant, Tranio	Mike McKenzie
Bianca's suitors	Joe Crawford, Gregg Hauk
Kate's suitor	Vince Flammini

Choirs Attend "The Wiz"

by Bruce Thompson

"The Wiz", a black musical rendition of "The Wizard of Oz" was seen recently in St. Louis by members of the Lanphier choirs.


The students paid \$8.00 for a ticket to view the show in the Keil Auditorium. The chartered bus cost the students \$5.25 each.

Mr. J. B. Robsinson substituted for Mr. Fred Nika as advisor during the trip. Mr. Nika couldn't go because of jury duty. However, the students brought the show back to him by way of a record, a program and a "Wiz" t-shirt.

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