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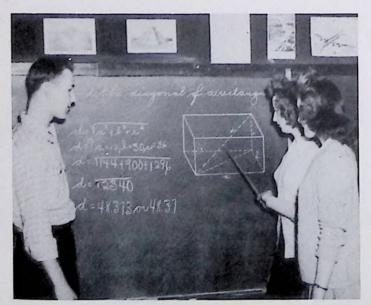
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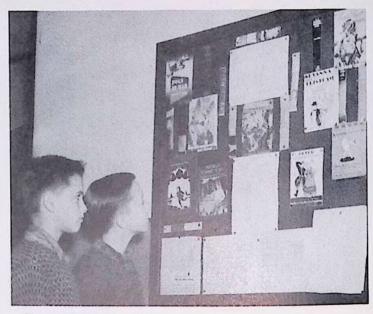
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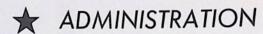


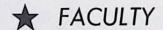
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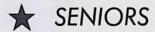


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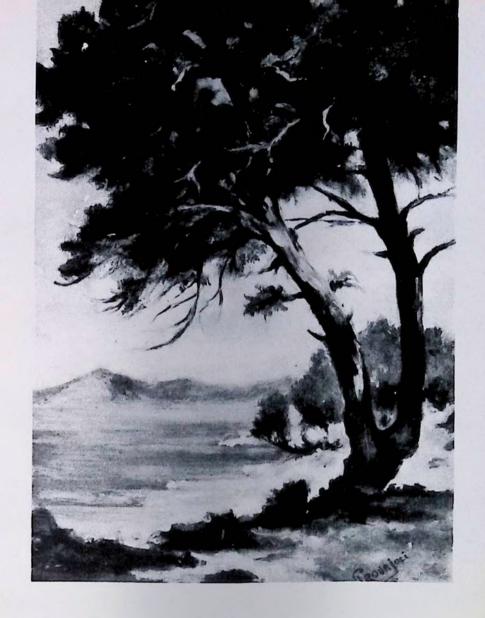


ETTA A. SINGLETON
HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Planning the Academic Curriculum of East Deer High School is a job which Principal Miss Etta Singleton carries out with the greatest efficiency. Her twenty-one years as principal are a record of diplomatic handling of the situations that have presented themselves and the solving of the problems of individual students and teachers. This could not have been attained without her keen interest in all of the high school pupils and their achievements.

Many graduates return to visit with Miss Singleton and to thank her for her guidance and help in preparing them for the world of social growth. Although she likes to hold to the old traditions and customs of East Deer High School, Principal Singleton is farsighted enough to effect changes which make an up and coming school. Her many years of experience show in her tactfulness in dealing with people and in her competence in handling the affairs of East Deer High School.

Miss Singleton has studied at Grove City College College, the University of Pittsburgh, The University of Chicago and the University of Mexico. She has traveled extensively in order that she might keep abreast of current trends in education. All these keep her young in spirit and have given her joy in living.



# In Memoriam

Georgean Anna Lehosky

"... there has gone some richness from the life we knew ..."

# Dedicated to ...

In the classroom and out, they taught us the beauty of simplicity, the peace of quietness and the satisfaction of striving for excellence. Because of their geniality in their social contacts, their friendly dignity under trying circumstances, and their cooperative spirit in school activities, we, the students of East Deer High School deem it a high privilege and honor to dedicate to the faculty of our school, this, THE ANTLER, of one thousand nine hundred and forty seven.









#### **FACULTY**

Laurabelle Eakin . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Librarian A.B., Grove City College . . B.S. in Library Science, Western Reserve University . . Chairman, Study Group, County Institute . . . Library Service Club Advisor

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#### **FACULTY**



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Attended Indiana State Teachers' College . . . Hi-Lite
Advisor.





Mary Ungerman ..... Geography
Attended Slippery Rock State Teachers' College
Eighth Grade Sponsor Picture Craft Club Advisor.







Olga R. Morlach . . . . History, Health, Physical Education B. S., Slippery Rock State Teachers' College . Girls' Athletic Association Advisor



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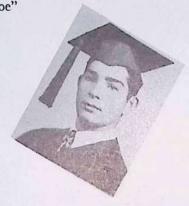


# SENIOR OFFICERS



Lawrence A. Ianni "Poe" 987 Stewart Street April 19, 1930 . . . Academic . . . Varsity Club 3, 4 . . . Hi-Lite 3 . . . Football 3, 4 . . . "Anybody's Love Song."

He is a class politician in training for a life in politics.



President



Robert H. Stoneburner "Stoney" 118 Sherman Street August 18, 1928 . . . Academic . . . Varsity Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Dramatic Club 1 . . . Football 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Basketball 1, 2, 4 . . . "There, I've Said It Again."

In life, as in football, we expect "Stoney" to be a leader.



Vice President



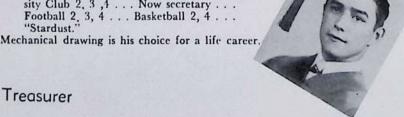
Virginia G. Nagy "Ginny" 21 Freeport Road
August 11, 1929 . . . General . . . Modern
Miss Club 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Now President
. . . Majorette 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . . Senior
Chorus 2, 3, 4 . . . "Strauss Waltz."
"Ginny" intends to be a beautician.



Secretary



John Figler 1345 Freeport Road
February 18, 1929 ... Industrial ... Varsity Club 2, 3, 4... Now secretary ...
Football 2, 3, 4... Basketball 2, 4...
"Stardust." "Fud" Mechanical drawing is his choice for a life career.







Deno A. Acciai "Doc"

1031 Belleview Street

May 31, 1930 . . . Academic . . . Varsity
2, 3, 4 . . . Junior Dramatic Club 1 . .
Football Manager 3, 4 . . . "Sentimental
Reasons."

Deno intends to be a Doctor; here's luck!



G

Georgia Andrews

1361 Freeport Road

October 10, 1929 . . . Academic . . . Girls'
Athletic Association 2, 3, 4 . . . Senior
Dramatic Club 3 . . . "After Hours."

Neat and sweet; she's a girl you'd like to meet





Evelyn F. Argo "Eve"

1403 Freeport Road

August 24, 1929 . . . Commercial . .

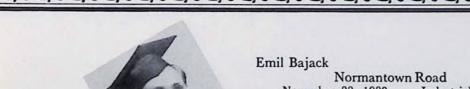
Modern Miss Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Cheerleader
2, 3, 4 . . . Senior Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4 . . .

Girls' Athletic Association 1 . . "Always."

She likes to dance because she's so

merry and gay





Emil Bajack "Earl"

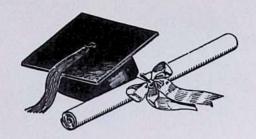
Normantown Road

November 22, 1928 . . . Industrial . .

Shop Club 2 . . . Radio Club 3 . . . Vice
President of the Radio Club . . . "Star
Spangled Banner."

He's daring on a motorcycle, and a whiz at radio.







Martha J. Belinotti

916 Front Street

July 26, 1930 . . . General . . . Senior
Chorus 2, 3, 4 . . . Modern Miss Club 2, 3
. . . . Girls' Athletic Association 1 . . . "To
Each His Own."

A pleasing personality is her major asset





Henry J. Benecki "Hank"

137 Murray Hill Road

November 27, 1929 . . . Academic . . .

Varsity Club 3, 4 . . . Hi-Lite 1, 2 3 . . .

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Football 1, 2, 3, 4

Dramatic Club 1 . . "Moonlight Serenade."

He's an ardent worker at every task;
he'll find success easy to grasp



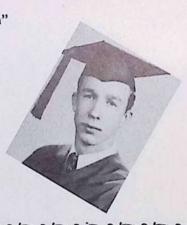


George E. Benes

1034 Railroad Street

July 2, 1928 . . . Industrial . . . Football
1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Basketball 2, 3, 4 . . . Varsity Club President . . . Band 1, 2 . . .
"Winter Wonderland."

The quality of quietness makes George an excellent friend





Arka Mae Bertolino "A

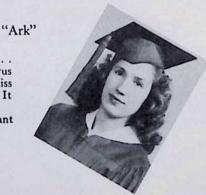
12 Freeport Road

September 26, 1929 . . . Commercial . . .

Majorette 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Senior Chorus
1, 2, 3 4 . . . Treasurer of Modern Miss
Club 2, 3, 4 . . . "There I've Said It
Again."

Likes office work because it is a pleasant

ikes office work because it is a pleasan way to earn a living







Mildred J. Bogan "Mila" 26 Bailies Run Road
February 17, 1929 . . . Commercial . . .
Senior Chorus 2, 3, 4 . . . Twirler 2 . . .
Modern Miss Club 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . "Racing with the Moon."

A beautician: her ambition is to make every woman look beautiful



Robert C. Burton "Burdi" Bailies Run Road February 19, 1929 . . . Industrial . . . Radio Club President 2, 3 . . . Band 1, 2 . . . Library 2 . . . "Star Dust." He looks forward to a new experience: life in the army





"Dee" Dolores L. Crane 953 Belleview Street Scptember 24, 1929 . . . Industrial . . . Hi-Lite 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Senior Chorus 2, 3 4 . . . "All of a Sudden." A pleasant smile makes Dolores a pleasant person to know



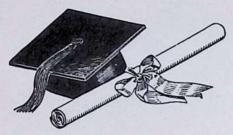


"Osh" Andrew T. Crosky 1422 Freeport Road May 13 1929 . . . Industrial . . . Varsity Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Football 2, 3, 4 . . . Basketball 3, 4 . . . "One More Tomorrow."

He is an all-around athlete and an

all-around good guy







Olga Cupec "Olg"

Crawfords Run Road

Januarv 26, 1930 . . . General . . . Modern Miss Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Initiative Club 1

. . . "The Things We Did Last Summer."

Olga wants to be a beautician because she enjoys helping people.





Marion C. Demboski "Marn"

1042 Railroad Street

November 18, 1929 . . . Commercial . . .

Girls' Athletic Association 2 . . . Modern Miss Club 3, 4 . . . Dramatic Club 1
. . . . "Are You Everything to Me."

She wants to a telephone operator.

We know she'll be efficient.





Gloria C. Falchetti "Butch"
617 Edna Street
December 3, 1929 . . . Modern Miss Club
2, 3, 4 . . . Initiative Club President 1 . . .
"The Old Lamplighter" . . . Academic.
As she's always laughing, we say,
"Gloria makes us feel gay."





Vera N. Gay

435 Freeport Road

May 21, 1929 . . . General . . . Modern

Miss Club 2, 3, 4 . . . "The Old Lamplighter."

Vera believes that Home Economics will provide
a background for any career.







Margaret A. Goda "Chum" 211 Freeport Road

May 20, 1929 . . . General . . . Modern

Miss Club 3, 4 . . . Girls' Athletic Association 1 . . . Library Club 2 . . . "And

Then It's Heaven."

Margaret likes housekeeping because it means a happy home.



Calvin M. Grossi

"Kimboo" 609 Edna Street

July 29, 1929 . . . Academic . . . Varsity Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Football 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . "Are These Really Mine."
Calvin will be greatly missed when football

season comes around.



Betty A. Hoebeck

"Boots"

709 Freeport Road October 19, 1929 . . . Commercial . . . Modern Miss Club 3, 4 . . . Twirlers 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2 "Surrender."

Betty is very popular for she is a good mixer.







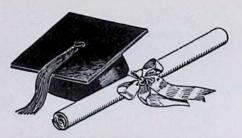


"Johnnie" John S. Hyek, Jr. Bailies Run Road

October 21, 1928 . . . Industrial . . . Football 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Varsity Club 3, 4 . . . Band 1, 2 . . . "Oh, But I Do."

His gay sense of humor makes him enjoy a good laugh.







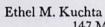
#### Edward L. Jager "Swag" Bailies Run Road

November 3, 1929 . . . Academic . . . Varsity Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Football and Basketball Manager 3, 4 . . . Football 2, 3 . . . "I Know."

A "Y" enthusiast who is enthusiastic about life.



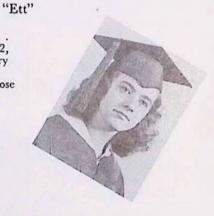
SENIORS



147 Murray Hill Road December 5, 1929 . . . Commercial . . .

Photography 3, 4 . . . Senior Chorus 1, 2,
3, 4 . . . Initiative Club 1 . . . Library
Club 2 . . "Racing with the Moon."

A future secretary in training to hear those
words: "Take a letter, please."





Rudy M. Kuchta "Cookie"

169 Murray Hill Road

March 19, 1929 . . . Academic . . . HiLite 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Now Editor . . . Varsity
Club 3, 4 . . . Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4
. . . Dramatic Club 1 . . . "Stardust."

He likes Commercial Art but dancing is his first love.





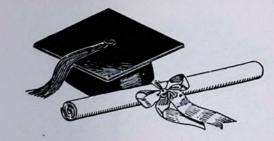


Mary Ann P. Lesko

1010 Parsonage Street June 6, 1929 . . . Commercial . . . Senior Chorus 2, 3, 4 . . . Hi-Lite 2, 3, 4 . . . Now Secretary . . . Girls' Athletic Association 1 . . . "Always."

The experience gained as a club secretary will fit her for the business world.



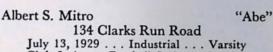


John T. McCaskey 322 Bailies Run Road "Jackson"

January 5, 1929 . . . Industrial . . . Varsity Club 3, 4 . . . Football 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . . Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . "Old Lamplighter."

To become an explorer is his favorite ambition.





July 13, 1929 . . . Industrial . . . Varsity Club 3, 4 . . . Football 3, 4 . . . Band 1 . . . Hi-Lite 1, 2 . . . "Moonlight Serenade."

He's everybody's pal.



"Mickie" Mildred J. Myers

Murray Hill Road

August 1, 1927 . . . Commercial . . . Girls'
Athletic Association 1 . . . Photography
3 . . . Handicraft 4 . . . "Sentimental
Reasons."
kie likes to . . .

Mickie likes to sing because she is carefree and gay.



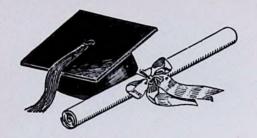
Anna Mae Pavlik "Miss P" Bailies Run Road

May 5, 1929 . . . Academic . . . Modern Miss Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Initiative Club 1 . . . "The Old Lamplighter."

She looks to nursing for a lifetime career.







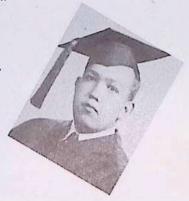


John A. Pavlik

Days Run Road

March 23, 1930 . . . Industrial . . . Radio
Club 2 . . . Band 2 . . . Shopcraft Club 1
. . . "Twilight Time."

He can really play the accordion like an expert.





Jeannette M. Prignon

Days Run Road

April 19, 1929 . . . Commercial . . . Cheerleader 2, 3, 4 . . . Hi-Lite 2, 3, 4 . . . Now

News Editor . . . Senior Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
. . . . "Stardust."

"Jay" looks forward to the day when she will be able to earn her own money.





Margaret M. Sabolchak "Rech"

128 Clarks Run Road

July 9, 1929 . . . Industrial . . . Band 2,
3, 4 . . . Senior Chorus 2, 3, 4 . . . Home
Economics Club 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . "Guilty."
Her various sayings have made her famous.





Joseph R. Scobel

Yutes Run Road

March 31, 1929 ... Academic ... Science
Club 2, 3, 4 ... Band 1, 2 ... "Song
of the Vagabonds."

His favorite teacher is Mr. Haag, for they
are interested in science.







Anna Marie Sevcik

"Sev" Bailies Run Road September 28, 1929 . . . General . . . Modern Miss Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Twirler 2 . . . Girls' Athletic Association 1 . . . "The Old Lamplighter."

This future nurse will help many who are ill.



Dolores M. Serventi

816 Front Street

"Dee"

"Bullet"

"Dick"

November 17, 1929 . . . General . . . Modern Miss Club 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Senior Chorus 2, 3, 4 . . . Majorette 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . "Till the End of Time."

A winning smile helps to make her way in life easy.



Joseph G. Singleton

923 Belleview Street

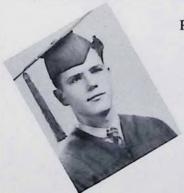
November 26, 1929 . . . Academic . . .
Varsity Club 3, 4 . . . Band 1, 2 . . . HiLite 2, 3 . . . Football 3, 4 . . . "Stardust."

Joseph delights in telling his favorite "tall tales."









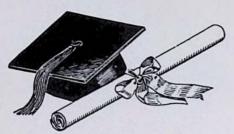
Richard E. Smith

955 Belleview Street

December 10, 1929 . . . Academic . . . Science Club 3, 4 . . . Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Hi-Lite 2 . . . Varsity Club 3, 4 . . . . "White Christmas."

Dick favors Engineering because he wants to survey all he owns.





#### **SENIORS** "Jug" Dale E. Sprowls

977 Belleview Street November 21, 1929 . . . Commercial . . .

Basketball 4 . . . Photography 4 . . . Varsity Club 4 . . . "The Old Lamplighter."

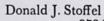
Although he originally hailed from Ken Hi, he became a loyal East Deer student.



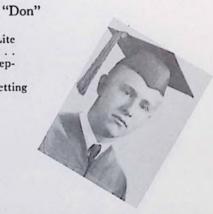
#### Anna Staricek

"Honey" July 26, 1929 . . . Commercial . . . Library
Club 3, 4 . . . Photography Club 3 . . .
"Ole Buttermilk Sky."
"Honey" may be quiet but that's because she isn't telling all she knows.





970 Belleview Street May 12, 1929 . . . General . . . Hi-Lite Staff 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Now Sports Editor . . . Dramatic Club 1 . . . Band 1, 2 . . . "September Song." "Don," a future insurance agent, is now getting in practice by ringing door bells.









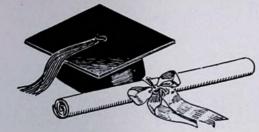
Irene F. Surmik "Tootie" 413 Normantown Road

November 29, 1929 . . . Academic . . .

Modern Miss Club 2, 3, 4 . . . Senior
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Band 1, 2, 3, 4 . . .

"Rhapsody in Blue." Sweet and friendly are the words that describe "Tootie" to all that know her.







Wilma M. Suschak

751 Freeport Road

July 22, 1929 . . . Commercial . . Hi-Lite
Staff 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Band 1, 2, 3 . . . "I'm
Always Chasing Rainbows."

An excellent typist who will enjoy
secretarial work.



Hele

Helen M. Vrudney

Grant Street

June 5, 1929 . . . Industrial . . . Modern

Miss Club 1, 2, 3, 4 . . . Now Secretary

Twirler 2, 3 . . . Senior Chorus 1, 2,

3, 4 . . . "Racing with the Moon."

Likes to dance to Vaughn Monroe because she finds his music so danceable.



# MAY QUEEN'S COURT



Dolores Crane, Olga Cupec, Martha Belinotti, Virginia Nagy, Anna Marie Sevcik, Betty Hoebeck, Árka Mae Bertolino, Dolores Serventi







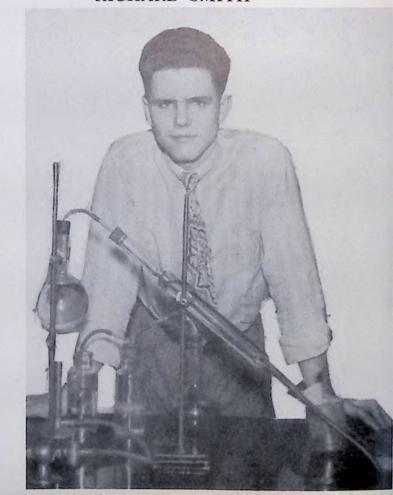
RUDY KUCHTA

# THE HALL of FAME

MARY ANN LESKO



RICHARD SMITH





To honor seniors, outstanding in their four years of high school life for honesty, leader-ship, good character, and hard work, the ANTLER HALL OF FAME was created three years ago. Every year since that precedent, an authoritative committee composed of faculty members and junior boys and girls have considered many students and selected those in whom these qualities were best exemplified.

At the Junior Assembly on March 28, the names of six boys and girls chosen by the committee were revealed. Each has given service to our high school far in excess of the average demand for time and cooperation. Each has established a record that may well be aimed at by underclassmen.





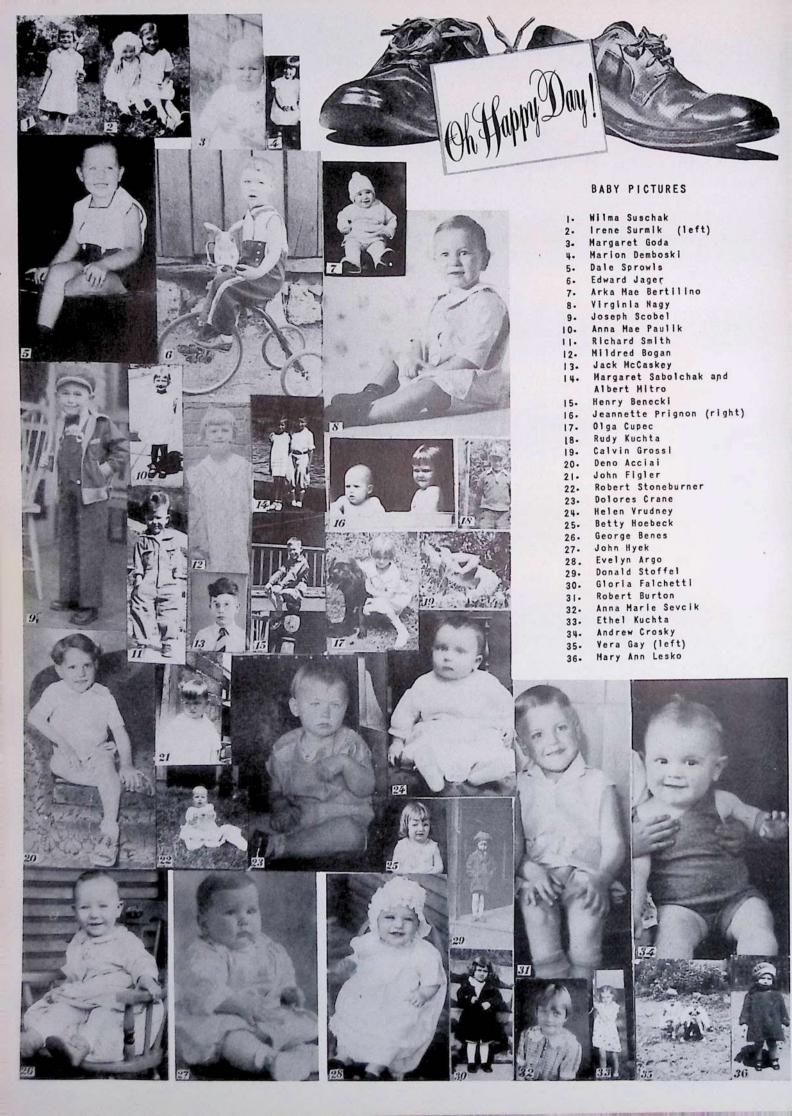
JEANNETTE PRIGNON

#### VIRGINIA NAGY



#### HENRY BENECKI







#### SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

It seems but a few months since we, as Freshmen, stepped across the threshold to enter East Deer High School. We were scared, green, yet proud to become a part of our young school's heritage. On that day in September of 1943, we took our places prepared to give our best to our alma Mater.

Our Freshmen year was not an easy one. The new surroundings; the more exacting study; and the fuller social life - all of these were bewildering at first. We can be thankful for our teachers' proddings that brought us through trying days in Math or Civics. The many activities that attracted our class members were: the band, the Hi-Lite, and many school dances. We were glad to be welcomed into these groups that are a vital part of a school and its student life.

In September of our Sophomore year we held the class elections. We chose our officers: Lawrence lanni--President; Robert Stoneburner--Vice President; Virginia Nagy--Secretary; and John Figler--Treasurer. Miss Eakin served as class sponsor. Many of the boys earned places on the football and basketball squads. We felt honored when Arka Mae Bertolino was selected as one of the head majorettes while Evelyn Argo and Jeannette Prigon became cheerleaders. In March we held the Sophomore Hop. It was a very successful dance that was enjoyed by all. The entire class also participated in a Gym Exhibition sponsored by Miss O'Donnell and Mr. Heller. We held it in April after many weeks of intense practice and drill. We concluded the year with a very gay party. We had earned the money by selling T shirts.

Our class was smaller in its Junior year. In September we re-elected the same officers who had so ably served us in our Sophomore year. Mrs. McGeary was elected our sponsor. In December she resigned from the faculty. Mr. Petor replaced her as the class advisor. Our first formal dance, the Junior-Senior Prom was held at the Brackenridge Country Club on May 17th. It was a very gala affair. We raised money for the Class treasury by selling magazine subscriptions and by sponsoring a dance.

The fall of 1946 will be one our class members will long remember. We were Seniors now and at the heighth of our school life. We had class elections and again, the same officers were chosen. When our team won the Class B football championship of the W.P.I.A.L. we were very proud as the following Seniors had played a major part in winning the title: George Benes; John Figler, Henry Benecki, Andrew Crosky, Calvin Grossi, John Hyek, Lawrence lanni, Jack McCaskey, Albert Mitro, Glenn Singleton, and Robert Stoneburner. Senior members of the basketball squad also had a very successful year by winning the Section 19 championship. They were: Andrew Crosky, Jack McCaskey, Richard Smith, Dale Sprowls, and Robert Stoneburner. Senior girls elected to the May Queen Court were: Martha Belinotti, Arka Mae Bertolino, Dolores Crane, Olga Cupec, Betty Hoebeck, Virginia Nagy, Dolores Serventi, and Anna Marie Sevcik. We were also honored by being the first class to be invited to tour the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company's plant.

The Coronation Ball on May second was an enjoyable affair, while the music of Milton Trebac's Orchestra sounded delightfully intriguing at the Junior-Senior Prom, which was held at the Brackenridge Country Club on May 16th.

Soon. too soon, May 23rd was approaching. This, the Seniors discovered, was Class Night. Three days later, the Seniors walked across the High School Floor at Commencement exercises to become alumni of East Deer High School. Thus, the journey began on September, 1943, ended successfully May 26th, 1947.

# Cast Will and Testament

We, the Senior Class of East Deer High, County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, being worn out by hard work and sick with apprehension for the coming trials of life, but nevertheless, being of a sound mind, memory and understanding, manner therof, prepared to go out into the wide, wide, world either with or without our diplomas; individually and collectively, the members of the Class of '47 do therefore make and declare this to be our last will and testament.

First--We give, devise, and bequeath to the high school our affections and loyalty, and the memory of the glorious class of '47, which has never been equaled.

Second-To the faculty we leave the memory of our good behavior and our sincere gratitude for their unfailing kindness and aid which they have given to us at all times in our school career.

Third-To the Juniors we bequeath our dignity, as it is not needed where we are going. Fourth-To the Sophomores, our sister class, we bequeath our high ideals and marks. Fifth--To the Freshmen we leave three long years of toiling and struggling toward higher

goals and accomplishments.

Sixth-To the succeeding classes we leave our dear books with their interlinear translations and notations. May they be as useful to them as they were to us.

As to the residue and remainder of our estate, real, personal, or mixed, we do give and bequeathe as follows:

Rudy Kuchta's technique of wolfing to Billy Benik. John Hyek's dancing ability to Leo Kozier. John Pavlik's extra pounds to Judy Cepec. Albert Mitro's pin-ups to Lido Lavorini. Andy Crosky's blond curls to Frank Ondras. Jeanette Prignon's cheering ability to Marie Drewn. Jack McCaskey's personality to Robert Molnar. Evelyn Argo's arguing ability to Anna Sepelyak. Mildred Bogan's boldness to Pauline Niemiec. Margaret Goda's shyness to Edna Mae Nixon. Helen Vrudney's wad of gum to Ethel Zarko. Vera Gay's outside interests to Dolores Kinosz. Martha Belinotti's dignity to Kathryn Stoneburner. Wilma Suschak's typing ability to Lois Wadding. Ethel Kuchta's costume jewelry to Betty Wasil Anna Marie Sevcik's pet sayings to Betty Harris. Robert Stoneburner's good manners to John Cieslak. Robert Burton's driving ability to Steve Misera. Gloria Falchetti's pretty hands to Rose Marie Benes. Margret Sabolchak's sense of humor to Miriam Burchell. Lawrence lanni's ability as a leader to Edward Rendo. Dolores Serventi's marching ability to the future majorettes. Deno Acciai's little black satchel to Frank Matocik. Henry Benecki's personal interest in others to Enzo Lorrenzetti. Mary Ann Lesko's shorthand ability to Dorothy Mae Fenoglietto. Virginia Nagy's class secretarial experiences to Mary Ann Lepish. Dick Smith's knowledge and brains to anyone who needs them. Marion Dembosky's flightiness to Elizabeth Sabotka.

George Benes' tallness to Carl Toscalini. Donald Stoffel's wisecracks to George Petrikovic. John Figler's quiet ways to Josephine Martin. Edward Jager's way with women to Raymond Galli. Anna Staricek's timidness to Anna Wasil. Irene Surmik's long blond tresses to Phylis Haugh. Calvin Grossi's athletic ability to Richard Bodner. Dolores Crane's pleasing smile to Bernice Rosen. Arka Mae Bertilino's faithfulness to Josephine Pesi. Mildred Myer's little red book to Florence Cooper. Olga Cupec's gift of gab to Joan Tarbi. Georgia Andrew's nice ways to Irene Ellison. Dale Sprowl's blush to Richard Armstrong. Betty Hoebeck's shortness to Helen Bericen. Anna Mae Pavlik's comb to Rose Cupec. Joe Scobel's studious ways to Marion Solon. Glenn Singleton's wittiness to Olga Sturlini. Emil Bajack's helpfulness to Elsie Penman.

And, lastly, we do make, constitute, and appoint our courteous and efficient principal. Miss Singleton, to be executor of this, our last will and testament. We, the members of the Senior class of nineteen hundred and fortyseven, have signed, sealed, and delivered this, our last WIII and Testament, to the executor. We hope these possessions most treasured and dear, will be of value to you in your quest of love, success, and happiness.

THE SENIORS OF 1947

Signed Lawrence Lanni

day of May, 1947.

By Andrew Potors/
By albut Rometo

Busy bees are we...sewing trunks and jerseys... for our heroes of today.



School is ended... Happy Day! ... Homeward bound.



Oh, you rascals! Why can't you be serious.



They believe in practice..more practice.. and still more practice.



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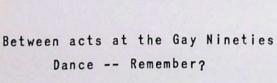
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11 A
Home Room

Olga, George, and Judy discuss plans for their history term reports.





Top Row: Third Row: Second Row: Toscolani, Armstrong, Lorenzetti, Kozier, Bodnar Burchell, Cieslak, Ondras, Misera, Stoneburner Harris, Simak, Cupec, Rosen, Penman, Tarbi,

Wasil, Figler

Front Row: Kinosz, Niemiec, Zarko, Lepish, Burk, Vitro, Cepek



11B
Home Room

IIB's - BARBER SHOP QUARTETTE Bodnar, Lavorini, Cieslak, Prignon

> Armstrong and Berecin Demonstrate Social Science Problem to Class.



Back Row: Center Row: Front Row:

Berecin, Sturlini, Guenther, Sloan, Nixon Haugh, Torchen, Martin, Ellison, Wadding, Pesi Sobotka, Cooper, Fenoglietto, Sepelyak, Benes, Wasil



10A Home Room

Sophomore Typing Class Hard At Work



Mr. Haag's Biology Class Makes A Study Of Blood Corpuscles.



Back Row: Second Row: Third Row:

Palovcik, Kuchta, Stofega, Cetti, Zarko Shondeck, Dincan, Moxie, Hrivnak, Misera Pugh, Koblinski, Kuchta, Pelczar, Ferrari,

Cervenak, Grossi English, Baluch, Martin, Barcikowski, Stoffel, Bogan Front Row:



10B Home Room

Back: Kolesar, Muroski, Lord

Front:

Center: Golgan, Burton, Bartosh, Spece, Scobel

Crane, luretig, Baccanti, Ballerini, Petrikovic, Demboski

Metal Work is one of the many studies the boys enjoyed in shop class this year.





Back: Vrana, Mazick, Hank, Rometo

Center: Skudneski, Biondi, Hunchar, Ochaba, Tyborowski

Front: Waugaman, Cupec, McCaskey, Santarlasci, Kubichan, Skomo



Top Row:

Sprowls, Bartosh, Heinrichs, Lazo, Janello

Center Row:

Waszkiewicz, Anderson, Patula, Peoples, Shamburg,

Hockenberry

Front Row:

Galli, Zemla, Zubik, Smith, McLaughlin, Roginski





# Home Room

A Study Period In English Class Provides
Opportunity To Complete Work.



Standing: Bogan, Pish, Pavlik

Sitting: Kolek, Argo, Moxie, Smith, Armstrong, Gohn



Back Row: Front Row:

Janosky, Getty, Chovan, Bajack Olean, Myers, Berecin, Kuchta, Bobonik, Myers

9 B

Home Room



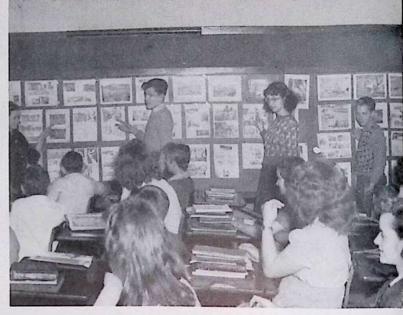
"Big Wheel" Vrudney and staff waiting for for the 12:40 bell to sound.



Back Row: Center Row: Front Row: Ristoff, Drewn, Heinrichs, Orris Hilliard, Mellon Hill, Bialas, Hunchar Thompson, Wangler, Getta, Callender, Sevcik, McCandless



"Our Changing World" is The Topic Being Explained in 8A Geography Class.



Of Interest To The Class Are The Geography Posters Made by Students.

# 8 A Home Room



Top Row:

Center Row:

Porter, Hunchar, Tatrn, Cooper, Harris, Pennington, De Croo, Gablick,

Schuffert, Bradford

Front Row:

Surmik, Gaston, Hemharter, Duffer, Malobisky, Stoneburner, Hirtz,

Bluis, Ferrari, Niemiec, Keller



Home Economics Class Learns How To Prepare Croutons

Waiting In Line Is Essential When Making Toast

# 8 B Home Room

Front Row: Center Row: Top Row:

Gardner, Grunden, Di Fabio, Dietz, Civitts, Stark Callender, Cook, Mock, Mammay, Schiberl, Bruce, Guzzi, Owen Kison F., Kison J., Vrana, Peters, Woodson, Hunchar, Stariha,

Vedro





8 C Home Room

Top Row:

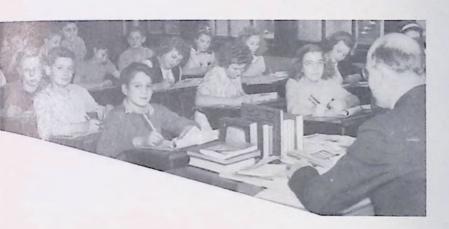
Grunden, Meckley, Callender, Shearer, Stevens Rudy, McCandless, Kratzer, Vrudney, Pish, Forrester, Center Row:

Myers

Front Row: Suschak, McGregor, Kubichan, Hess, Migliorini, Petrikovic







7A Home Room



Top Row:

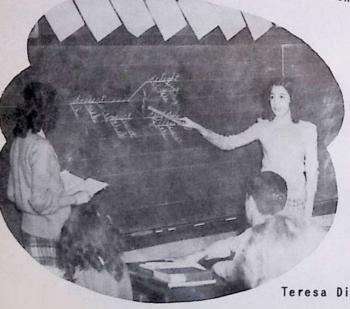
Beam, Thompson

Center Row: Ballerini, Bartosh, Lorenzini, Norris Stangler, Killian, Krysik

Zygarowicz, Dellenbaugh, Hyek, Sloan, Chovan, Porter Front Row:



Heck, Waszkiewicz, Martin, DiFabio, Usndeck



7B

Home Room

Teresa Diagrams A Sentence in English Composition Class.



Top Row:

Dodson, Schreckengost, Polimadei, Peindl, Kinosz,

Myers, Whitely, Kuchta, Maizland, Glaister

Front Row: Bandi, Hemphill, Woolslayer, Bracco, Spece, Fenoglietto





7 C

Home Room



Top Row: Center Row: Staricek, Valauri, Harbison

w: McCaskey, Bartolomeo, Latona, Bucholz, Schreckengost,

Collingwood, Capellman

Front Row: Susini, Schreckengost, Glaister, Shamburg, Fish, Ganss



Between speeches at the Y.M.C.A. banquet.



Oh! How they can eat.

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OFFICERS

William Woodson
English
Beverley English



# HANDICRAFT CLUB



Leonard and Arthur review their latest creation.

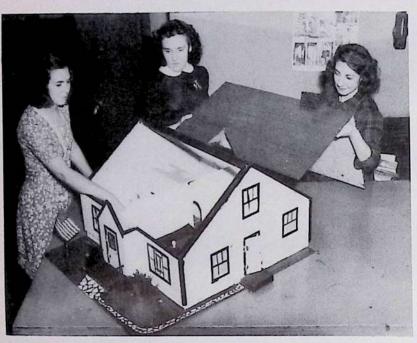
The Handicraft Club, sponsored by Mrs. Hamilton, has been very active for the short time it has been in existence. The members are practicing the various crafts, such as, woodburning, making rings and ear-rings, as well as weaving rugs.



Front Row: Kuchta A., Kuchta E., Myers, Simak, Cupec, English

Back Row: Misers, Kuchta W., Sprowls, Woodson, Palovcik

# MODERN MISS CLUB



To increase her knowledge of home planning and design, Miss Dorothy Burton built and equipped this modern model home.

### OFFICERS

President
V. President
Secretary
Treasurer

Virginia Nagy Martha Belinotti Helen Vrudney Arka Mae Bertolino

This year the club sponsored a Snowball Dance, a Coronation Ball, and, as a special community project at Easter time, it presented to the children at the Elizabeth Bradley Home a basket of fruit and a basket of brightly colored eggs. Ethel Zarko and Josephine Martin represented the Modern Miss club at the Future Home Makers of America Convention in Philadelphia on April 10th. and 11th.



Back Row:

Zarko, Stoneburner, Martin, Wasil, Burk, Vitro, Mrs. Cook,

Torchen, Pesi, Sobotka, Burton, Muroski

Center Row:

Surmik, Vrudney, Falchetti, Gay, Sevcik, Cupec, Goda, Nagy,

Bertolino, Belinotti, Serventi, Argo, Pavlik

First Row:

Bogan, Wadding, Kinosz, Smith, Petrikovic, Hoebeck, Bye,

Stoffel, Grossi, Sabolchak, Demboski

The "Champs" admire their trophy.



"Why did | ever join?" -- Initiation Day!

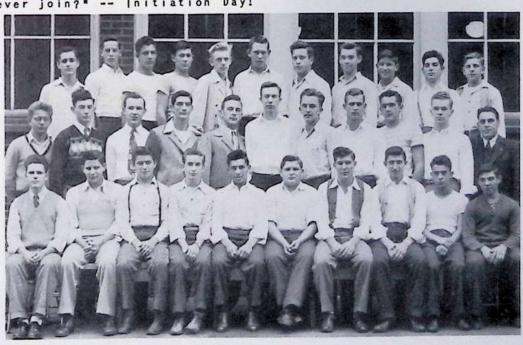
# VARSITY CLUB

The Varsity Club has been instrumental in encouraging sports, in creating good will and sportsmanship among students, in providing a varsity award for senior lettermen, and in improving the scholastic standing of all athletes.

The club members are pleased to report that they have bought a heating device to treat athletes' injuries; that they presented trophies to the two athletes, Richard Smith and Henry Benecki, achieving the highest scholastic standing and that they have presented each senior athlete with a sweater. In addition, they sponsored the "Home-Coming Dance" and the intramural Mushball league. Mr. Rometo, the club sponsor, is greatly pleased with the progress of the club.

### OFFICERS

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer George Benes Robert Molnar John Figler Robert Stoneburner



Top Row:

Hrivnak, Benecki, Lorenzetti, Benik, Bodnar, Cieslak, McCaskey, Gandziarski, Rendo, Janni, Kozier

Center Row:

Front Row:

Skudneski, Stofega, Jager, Singleton, Stoneburner, Benes, Petrikovic, Lavorini, Molnar, Crosky, Mr. Rometo Smith, Acciai, Figler, Kuchta, Grossi, Prignon, Hyek,

Mitro, Toscolani, Ferrari

# BOYS GYMNASTIC CLUB

The Gymnastic Club members are a friendly and co-operative group who understand that their play is helping them to develop strong, sturdy bodies. Accordingly, the club, under Mr. Heller's direction, has sponsored an interclub football and basketball schedule.

The members' interest in gymnastics was increased after seeing the performance of gymnastic teams at McKeesport. They plan to increase their membership to enable them to carry on and enjoy a fuller and more varied sports program.

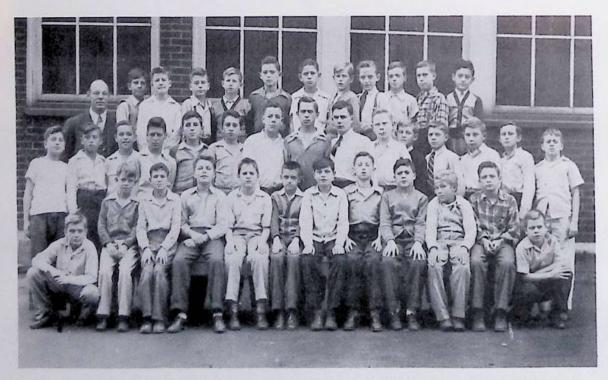
### OFFICERS

President Vice President Secretary Stanley Sloan George Hyek Andrew Kengor



Boxing is one of the many sports the members enjoyed during club period this year.

Above: Shamburg is low with a left cross.



Top Row: Mr. Heller, Mattern, Hyek, McCaskey, Fish, Bartolomeo, Cieslak,

Schreckengost, Patula, Fultz, Bucholz, Latona

Center Row: Shamburg, Frena, Usendeck, Martin, Lorenzini, Ganss, McQuaid,

Glaister, Thompson, Bajack, Killian, Gloan, Stangler, Starchick

Dellenleough

Front Row: Chovan, Zygarowicz, Ballerini, Heck, Reck, Capellman, DiFabio,

Bargerstock, Susini, Porter, Waszkiewicz, Kengor



"Yeah, Bucks"



Dorothy Scobel and Marie Drewn



Duffer Modey Knox Kison Ficcadori Fenoglietto

# CHEER LEADERS



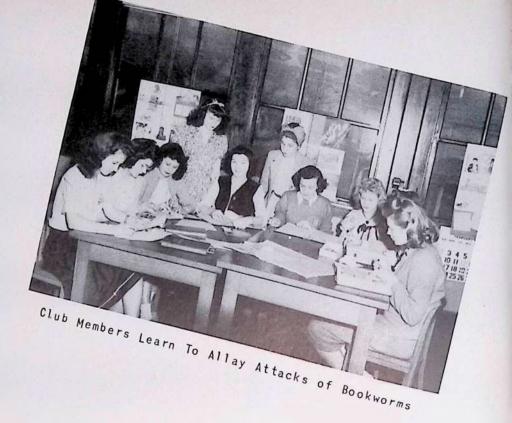
Elsie Penman Evelyn Argo, Edna Mae Nixon, Jeannette Prignon, Bernice Rosen

# LIBRARY CLUB

### OFFICERS

President Secretary

Robert Zarko Vice President Marlene Bartosh Robert McCaskey



The members of the Library Service Club try in many ways to acquaint the students of East Deer High School with the new and the old books in the library. The bulletin boards and other modes of advertising are a constant reminder to the students to read. In addition to advertising books, the club members clean and repair magazines and books.



Back Row: Center Row: First Row:

Hunchar, Cupek, Skomo, Rometo, Santarlasci, Zarko Biondi, McCaskey, Vrana, Miss Eakin, Mazik, Tyborowski, Ochaba Pugh, Pelczar, Cervanek, Guenther, Burchell, Staricek, Haugh, Bartosh, Golgan



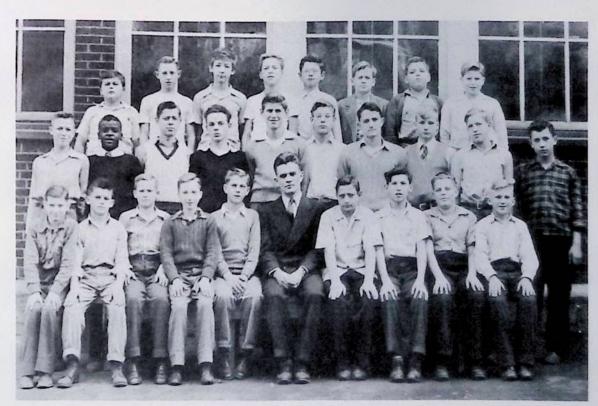
"We enjoyed making lamps, ash trays, dishes, megaphones, and many other novel articles from tin."

# TIN CAN ALLEY CLUB

OFFICERS

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Franklin Lauff Howard Armstrong Clements Moxie Donald Myers

The Tin Can Alley Club, sponsored by Mr. Vincent Fitzmaurice, is an unusual one since it plans to "make something from nothing." The lowly tin can is made into a number of interesting articles that show resourcefulness, thrift, and artistic sense on the part of the originator.



Top Row: Ber

Benik, Gardner, Kadunce, Moxie, Bogan, Bartosh, Valavri

Keller

Center Row: Myers, Myers, Lauff, Mason, Pish, Meckley, Carney,

Kelly, Pavlik, Del Duca

Front Row: Welling, Gohn, Armstrong, Collingwood, Gavrich, Fitzmaurice,

Pavlik, Surmik, Norris



Elsie Penman and Gertrude Baccanti represented our school.



Miss Mahaffey Interprets Music Score.

# SENIOR CHORUS

Top Row:

Horner, Surmik, Muroski, Burton, Stoneburner, Wasil, Niemiec, Wasil, Martin, Zarko, Torchen, Vitro, Burk, Pesi, Tarbi, Berecin, Cupec, Kolesar, Guenther, Kobylinski



Fenoglietto, Demboski, Cervenak, Crane, Beses, Belinotti, Nagy, Center Row:

Crane, Bertolino, Mr. Noce, Serventi, Nixon, Rosen, Vrudney, Argo, Bogan, Lesko, Lepish, Wadding, Cooper

Grossi, Juretig, Scobel, Martin, Smith, Bogan, Ballerini, Front Row:

Pelczar, Baccanti, Prignon, Kuchta, Stoffel, Barcikowski,

Cepek, Petrikovic, Sabolchak, Figler

# JUNIOR CHORUS



The Expression That Satisfies--- A Pleasing Smile.

Members of the Junior Chorus, under the direction of Miss Mahaffey, are trained in the singing of different types of music, and become eligible for membership in the Senior Chorus.

The Special event for the group this year was the singing between acts at the Junior High School play.



Shamburg, Hill, Patula, Madey, Bartosh, Schuffert, Dellenbaugh, Top Row: McCandless, Wangler, Mellon, Galli, Zubik, Zemla



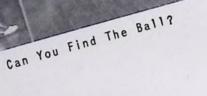
Mr. Noce, Getta, Hockenberry, Goginski, Vrana, Hunchar, Sprowls, Center Row:

Walker, Pennington, Heinrichs, Heinrichs, Drewn, Janello,

Orris, Demharter

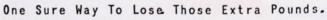
Bublinec, Kison, Civitts, Gaston, Knox, Bluis, Fenoglietto, Front Row: Flaccadori, Harbison Stoneburner, Di Fabio, Harbison, Smith

# G. A. A.



### OFFICERS

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Martha Kolesar Florence Cooper Rosemarie Benes Helen Figler





Front Row: Martin, Demboski, Horner, Miss Morlach, Cervenak

Figler, Cooper

Top Row: Kolesar, Ellison, Berecin, Benes, Sloan, Wasil,

Baluch



Prizes arrive from New York.

# DRAMATICS CLUB

OFFICERS

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer

Ella Mae Thompson Thomas Argo Joyce Mc Laughlin Doris Jean Ristoff

The Dramatic Club, under the expert direction of Miss Helyn Cross, has been very active this past year. The members studied make-up and the techniques of acting and of stage settings.

The club, which is a member of the national organization, the "Four Star Club", received a number of awards for their selection of the ten best pictures of the year.

The members of the club plan to tour the principal points of interest in Pittsburgh soon.



The club meetings are well planned, entertaining, and educational.



Top Row:

Andrejcik, Argo, Ristoff, Hrivnak, McLaughlin, Stephens,

Thompson, Kison, Miglorini

Center Row: Howrelook, Murray, Yurchich, Montoy, Kralik, English

Carter, Misers, Morgan, Woolslayer, Reudiger, Wise Smith, Keller, Orris, Bandi, Stobert, Fenoglietto, Miss Cross, Bracco, Hemphill, Duke, Johnson, Belinotti

Front Row:

# RADIO CRAFT CLUB

The Radio Club members have found that radio-servicing and set building can be both a pleasant pastime and a profitable spare time business.



The members built five electric phonograph sets and one single radio set this year.



President

Vice "

Secretary

Treasurer

Robert Burton

Emil Bajack

Frank Ondras

Richard Armstrong



Standing:

Matovcik, Kubichan Hank, Misera, Pavlik,

Waugaman

Front Row: Armstrong, Burton, Mr. Petor, Bajack,

Ondras







# ART APPRECIATION CLUB

Miss Beck's Art Appreciation Club members answer roll call by showing a reproduction of a famous painting and by giving a description of it. This helps to acquaint them with many famous painters of the early and modern periods.

Pallettes and brushes, paint pots and tubes, posters and crafts, wood blocks and a host of others march in line in colorful array. Plaster casts and little toy figures amid water colors and oils help general design to carry on with lettering and line drawing that all who stand on the sideline and wait may receive some appreciation of art.



Back Row: Center Row:

Bruce, Bialas, Shick, Grunden, Kison, Adams, Hilliard Orris, Gandziarski, Woodson, Gablick, Schriberl, Miss Beck,

Falkner, Booth, Callendar, Schmetz

Front Row: Schreckengost, Grunden, Dietz, Knox, Gaurich, Nock, Mammay, Peindl, Lauff, Dodson



The Superior Science Student has an inquiring mind; and to foster this attitude, the Science Club takes as its province all manner of things scientific. Here the club is finding out what goes on under the hood of an automobile.

# SCIENCE CLUB

The Science Club has been extremely active this year. Since its aim is to foster the spirit of science, to develop the inquiring mind, and to relate formal science to everyday life, the club has carried on a number of interesting, unusual experiments. Included in this were the building of two gasoline powered model airplanes and an electric furnace. The club purchased a copy of "The Alchemist" which has been added to its collection of famous paintings. Of special interest was a glass blowing exhibition given in a school assembly. Recognition of the Club's influence was shown by the National N.E.A. Journal when it published Mr. Gerald Haag's account of the Club's activities. The club has proven its worth by being able to meet the challenge of everyday living.



Nixon, Galli, Smith, Scobel, Rosen, Mr. Haag



Lo-Lite Members Enjoy Meeting And Working With Editor Mary Ann Lepish.

... Wednesday deadlines meant hairtrigger nerves, screaming voices, staccato type-writers...gathering, editing, printing, and many evenings of hard work..news not only for the students and the faculty at East Deer...but news of home and school for the many East Deer men in active duty and the many graduates interested in our progress...our exchange mailing list increased as never before. A successful year...financially in the black...a donation of forty dollars to the school's furniture fund...a delegation of five to the Journalism Convention in New York City..The Hi-Lite fulfilled the function of a student published newspaper.

# HI-LITE CLUB

Editor.....Rudy Kuchta Business Manager....Joan Tarbi



Rudy Kuchta And Company.



Front Row: Scobel, luretig, Kobylinski, Fenoglietto, Kuchta,

Ballerini, Sepelyak, Cepek, Prignon

Second Row: Suschak, Baccanti, Lord, Crane, Everett, Petrak,

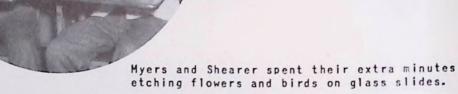
Lesko, Sturlini, Lepish, Harris

Last Row: Duncan, Moxie, Niemiec, Tarbi, Stoffel, Shondeck



# PICTURE CRAFT CLUB

Donald McCandless and Richard Peters are busy making slides for the slide projector.





Back Row: Myers, Kubican, Hess, McGregor, Callender, Piendel,

Pish, McCandless, Kratzer, Reedy

Center Row: Christy, Beam, Shearer, Peters, Callender, Vedro,

Janosky, Bajack, Cook, Vrudney, Getty, Berecin, Suschak

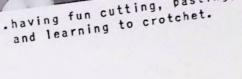
First Row: Bobonik, Stariha, Petrikovic, Polimadel, Duncan, Miss Ungerman, Kuchta, Ringer, Kolek, Kuchta, Olean

# ...having fun cutting, pasting,

# INITIATIVE CLUB

OFFICERS

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Helen Sevcik Lois Anderson Dorothy Waskiewicz Della Duffer



The members spent many enjoyable hours designing and making these articles.



Top Row: Center Row: Hunchar, Tatrn, Smail, Hunchar, Kinosz

Center Row: Woodrow, Anderson, Cooper, Niemiec, Miss Johnston,

Lazo, Jones, Howard, Harris

Front Row: McCandless, Malobicky, Hirtz, Duffer, Sevcik,

Waszkiewicz, Ferrari, Whitely, Maizland

# PROM TIME



Top Row: Penman, Lavorini, Rendo, Bodnar, Cieslak, Molnar, Niemiec

Front : A. Wasil, B. Wasil, Nixon, Tarbi, Lepish

# MUSIC BY MILTON TREBAC



After weeks of planning a program and figuring out a budget, Chairman Edward Rendo, Business Manager Edna Mae Nixon, and Refreshment Committee Chairman Richard Bodnar were well rewarded, when the Junior Senior Prom, held at the Brackenridge Country Club proved to be a real success.



Music was furnished by Milton Trebac and his orchestra. The girls remarked "Oh! how cute," "Wonder who thought of this nice idea," "Isn't it smart," when they received their favors, a white hankie with a brightly colored monogram. As the dance ended, a big barrage of ballons were released from the ceiling, and this marked the end of a perfect evening.



# SCRAPBOOK CLUB

Our Aim Is To Save Desirable And Useful Materials In An Orderly And Neat Manner,

### OFFICERS

Floyd Stark Eugenia Decroo Gloria Wash Grace Armstrong

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer



Cooperation Is The Secret Of Their Success.



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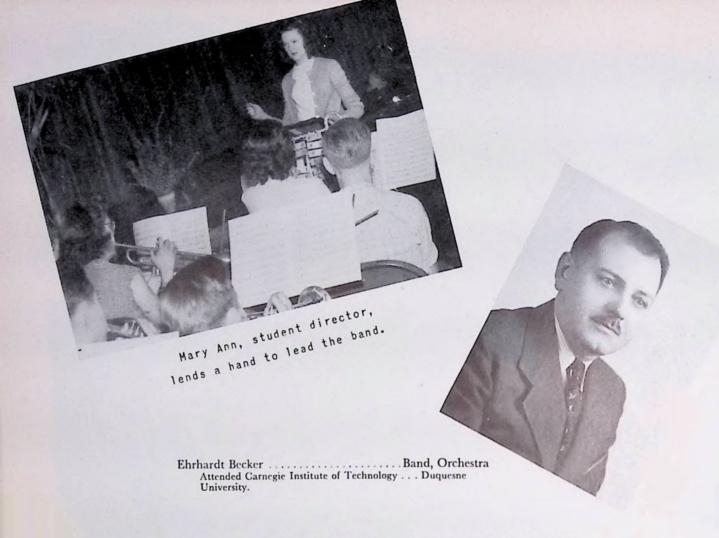
Center Row:

Front Row:

Kelley, Andrews, Wiskeman, Tosi Stark, Wash, Cravener, Chovan, Miss Yost, Myers,

Andrews, Shondeck Glaister, White, Reck, Zemla, Kratzer, Bandi,

Durand, Armstrong, Vunora



# EAST DEER RED and GRAY BAND



Front Row: Pesi, Zarko, Hoebeck, Wadding, Fenoglietto

Second Row: Chaldny, Bargerstock, Kolec, Stevens, Ganss, Stangler,

Heck, Kengor

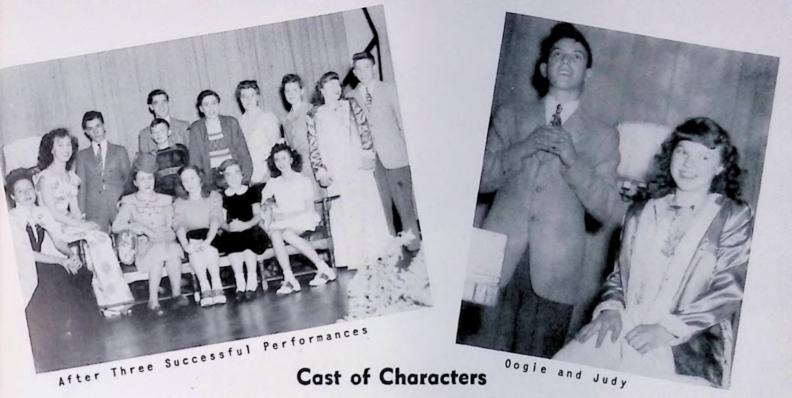
Third Row: English, Burton, Cervenak, Zubik, Hockenberry, Smith,

Sabolchak, Surmik, Mr. Becker

Top Row: Kuchta, Keller, Gardner, Pavlik, Moxie, Migliorini,

Anderjcik

# DATE with JUDY



Judy Foster, "a teen-age miss"

Melvin Foster, "her father"

Dora Foster, "her mother"

Raymond Galli

Dora Foster, "her mother"

Raymond Galli

Audrey Modey

Bernard Kuchta

Hannah, "the maid"

Lois Heinrichs

Barbara Winsocket, "Judy's friend"

Barbara Hill

Oogie Pringle, "the man in Judy's life" Albert Belinotti

Mitzie Hoffman, "another of Judy's friends"

Mary L. Hunchar

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Susie, "Rex's Kid Sister"

Fred Migliorini Barbara Orris

PLACE: "the living-room of the Foster home in a town

in the Middle West.

TIME: The present, Spring



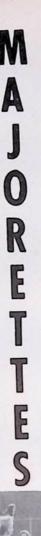
Front Row: Thompson, Zubic, Ristoft, Hunchar, Modey, Heinrichs, Gandziarski, Hill Orris

Top Row: Kuchta, Del Duca, Galli, Belinotti, Migliorini

Dolores Serventi

Their Last

Anna Marie Sevcik





Performance

Arka Mae Bertolino





"Gus", "Hank", "Stoney", and "Jack" are fine fellows and excellent athletes.



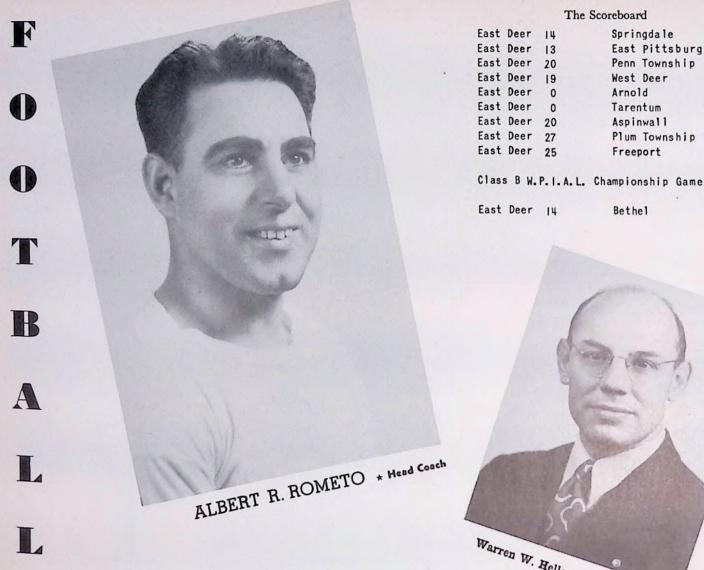
Attractive, sociable, and well poised Mrs. Rometo congratulates her successful husband.

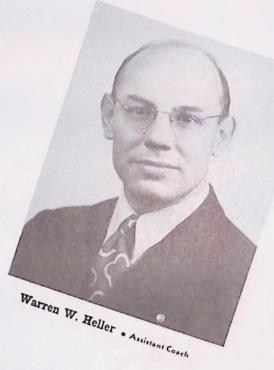


Andy Crosky (9) -- with 50 seconds remaining... West Deer ahead by 2 points...reaches for a high one.









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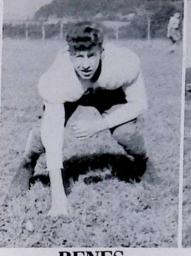


Figler, Kozier, Rendo, Mitro, Hyek, Bodnar, Gandziarski, Ferrari Front Row: Center Row: Prignon, Lorenzetti, McCaskey, Crosky, Grossi, Skudneski,

Hrivnak, Benecki

Petrikovic, Stoneburner, Lavorini, Benes, Singleton, Molnar, Top Row: Ciestac, Stofega, lanni







CROSKY

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**STONEBURNER** 



**GROSSI** 

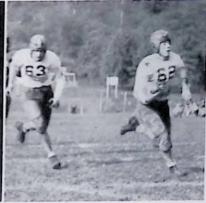


BENECKI

East Deer High School 1946 W.P.I.A.L. CLASS B CHAMPIONS



Victory Smile. After the Bethel game the boys enjoyed a delicious dinner at Dan's Bar 8-Q.



for the first score.



Camera shy? .... no, just tired.



MITRO



McCASKEY



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HYEK

# East Deer Clinches Championship

For the first time in the school's history East Deer Township High won the WPIAL Class B football championship on Saturday afternoon on the Etna High gridiron by defeating the Bethel High gridmen, 14-7, before some 3,000 chilled fans.

Calvin Grossi, the greatest little football player in the school's history, is the hero of the hour in the eyes of the East Deer High followers, who showed their appreciation by hoisting the mite halfback atop their shoulders immediately after the final whistle had blown and carried him to the dressing room.

Twice the mighty mite who scales around 145 pounds crossed the Bethel goal line to bring East Deer High the highly prized triumph which they so richly deserved.

Coach Al Rometo's charges have been knocking at the championship door for the past several years, but it was not until Saturday afternoon that the Bucks had finally attained their goal, that of winning the Class B WPIAL football honors.

East Deer High's title winning feat rounds out a perfect season for the Allegheny Valley scholastic grid followers, who proudly lay claim to the Class 'AA, A and B scholastic grid honors. New Kensington High is the proud possesser of the double A honors, Springdale High the Class A honors, and East Deer the Class B title.

The game Saturday afternoon proved to be a thriller, and the Bucks had to fight hard all the way before they managed to come out victorious over a stubborn Bethel combine which fought gamely to the very last before bowing to the East Deer eleven.

While Grossi gains the major share in the East Deer triumph, the remainder of the Buck's starting lineup must not be overlooked, for every boy who saw action gave his best to bring the crown to the cross-river school.

Jack McCaskey, husky fullback, Bob Stoneburner, who kicked both conversion points aim directed the teams play flawlessly, and Henry Benecki, the other member in the Bucks' backfield, all did their share in the ball carrying department. It was the final game for four East

Deer backfield performers and proved to be a fitting climax to their scholastic careers.

Lawrence Ianni, Lido, Andy Crosky, John Hyek and Bob Molnar, were the standout linemen for the newly crowned Class B cham-

### Grossi's Touchdowns

The Bucks' first score came in the late stages of the first quarter, when Grossi, on reverse from Henry Benecki, scotted 18 yards to score in the right hand corner of the end zone. Stoneburner converted with a perfect place kick while Benecki held the leather.

An uninterrupted 81-yard march was culminated with the swivel hip Grossi going wide around his own right end from the Bethel one-yard line well through the fourth and final quarter. Stoneburner again place kicked the point with Benecki holding the oval.

On the first play in the second cuarter, St. Clair of Bethel went through for a first down on the East Deer 11. Sourbeer drove straight down the middle lane to the East Deer three-yard line. Bognar gained a yard to left tackle. Jack Sourbeer went off left tackle for a Bethel touchdown. Pete St. Clair plunged through left tackle for the conversion point.

The lineup:	
East Deer-14	Bethel—7
Ianni L.E.	Replogle
Lavorini L.T.	Clingan
Mitro L.G.	Schalch
Crosky C .	Stemnock
Hyek R.G.	Rucks
Molnar R.T.	Taylor
Benes R.E.	Walsh
Stoneburner'. Q.B	Plocki
Grossi L.H.	Sourbeer
Benecki R.H.	Bognar
McCaskey F.B.	St. Clair
Score by quarter	s:
East Deer	7 0 0 7-14

placements); St. Clair (plunge). Referee—Mackey Umpire—Kostecki. Head Lineman—Homer.





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Benik (7) tense---Lavorini, however, seems to have things well in hand.



Benecki (3), our gentleman athlete, tips one to Stoneburner (11).









William Benik

George Benes

Jack McCaskey

Coach Andrew Petor

### THE SCOREBOARD

	Opp.	E.D.
Tarentum	43	34
Springdale	48	25
Etna	27	39
Tarentum	46	36
Springdale	58	37
New Kensington	57	33
Elders Ridge	19	39
Alumni	41	32
Washington Twp.	27	45
Apollo	36	57
New Kensington	54	48
Plum	24	49
Etna	26	30
West Deer	29	28
Elders Ridge	28	45
Washington Twp.	33	44
Apollo	41	55
Plum	25	31
West Deer	22	40
W.P.I.A.L. CLASS B	ELIMINATION	TILT
Irwin	63	41

# East Deer High Quintet

WILLIAM "BILL" BENIK, a junior standing five feet, eight inches in his stocking feet and the smallest member among the regulars on the varsity club is East Deer's leading marksman. Benik is a constant scoring threat and in the exhibition game against Ken High January 24 went over the 20-point mark.

Benik has had past experience in title competition since he participated in last year's East McKeesport High-East Deer WPIAL play-off game on the Turtle Creek High court, where the Bucks met defeat in the opening round, but through no fault of Benik who recorded 16 points in that ball game.

GEORGE BENES—Another valuable member of the pennant winning ball club is rangy George Benes, a senior who goes two inches above the six-foot mark. Benes plays a guard position in a capable manner. Benes was among the top marksmen in the flag clinching contest against West Deer. Benes, like Benik, took part in the play-off game against East McKeesport a year ago.

JOHN McCASKEY, noted fullback on East Deer High's Class B championship football team last fall, has proved his worth at a forward post and has accumulated a sizeable point total on the season's play. Jack, as he is most commonly known to his teammates, is a senior and goes nine inches over the five foot mark.

HENRY BENECKI, of football fame likewise, teams up at forward with Bill Benik on most occasions and is rated a consistent scorer. Benecki is just an inch short of the six-foot mark and is a senior. In the last West Deer contest, Benecki collected four field goals.

LIDO LAVORINI, a six foot, one inch junior, has been starting regularly at center lately and has been doing a satisfactory job. The Bucks have been making good use of Lavorini's height, since he and Benes are the only regulars who tower over the six foot mark.

ANDY CROSKY, a five-foot, 10-inch senior, BOB STONE-BURNER, who stands at an even six foot mark, and a senior, also, and RICHARD SMITH, a five foot, eleven inch senior, were the others who aided in bringing the section title to East Deer.

Other players on the East Deer roster includes the names of JOHN FIGLER, DALE SPROWLS, GEORGE PETROVIC, HENRY CETTI, BOB SANTARLASCI and BOB ZARKO.

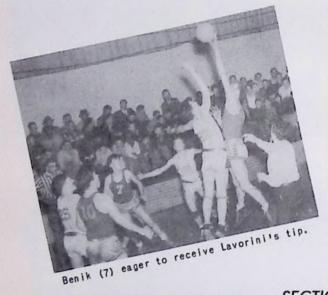
# JUNIOR HIGH



Top Row: Center Row: Front Row:

Di Fabio, Porter, Argo, Berecin Kuchta, Myers, Martin, Pish, Anderjick, Del Duca Pish, Getty, Janosky, Vrudney, Belinotti







Irwin game...We just didn't click.



SECTION 19 WINNERS



Standing: Zarko, Cetti, Crosky, Smith, Figler, Sprowls, Petrikovic, Santarlasci Front Row: McCaskey, Lavorini, Benes, Stoneburner, Benecki, Benik, Mr. Petor

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