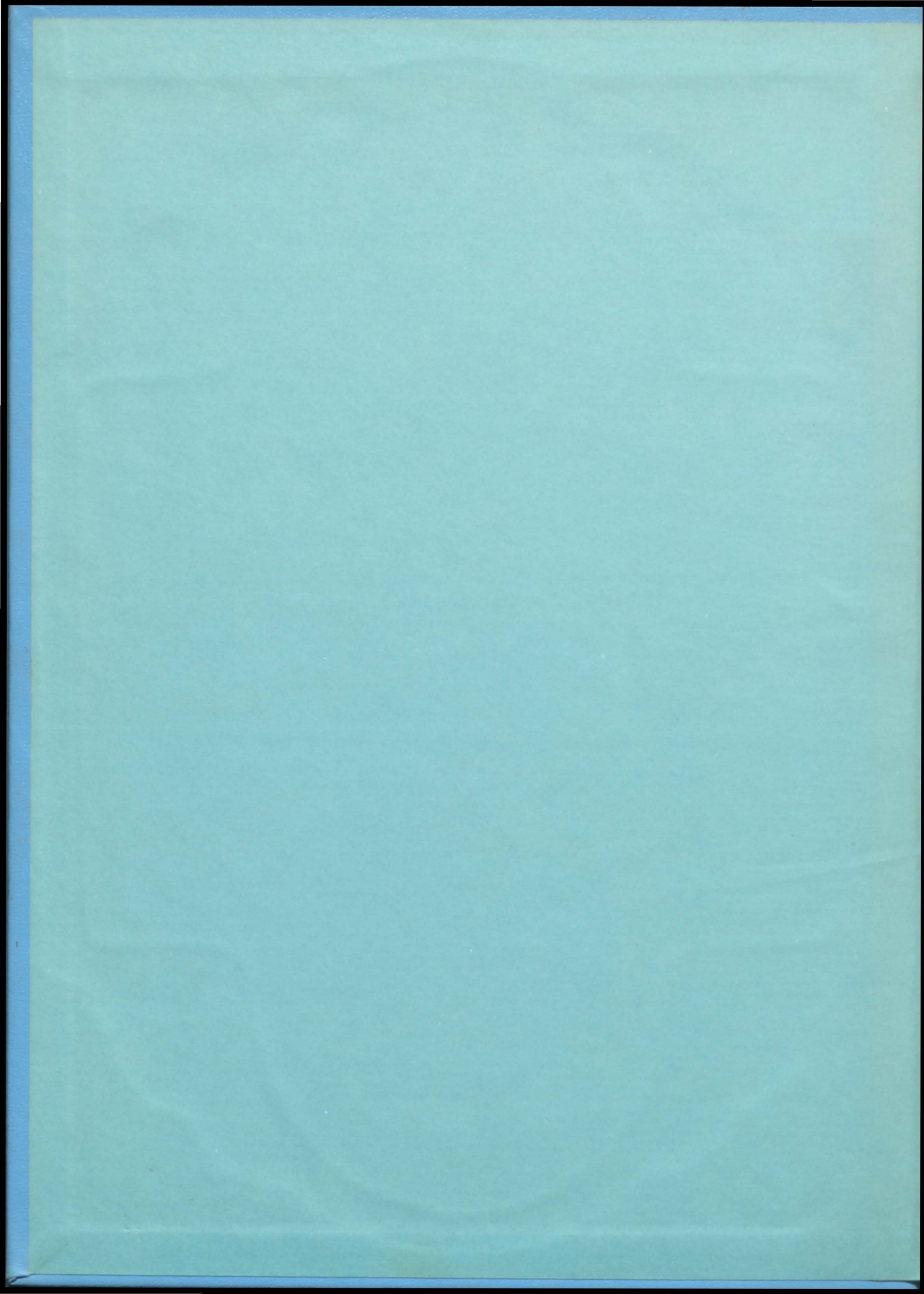
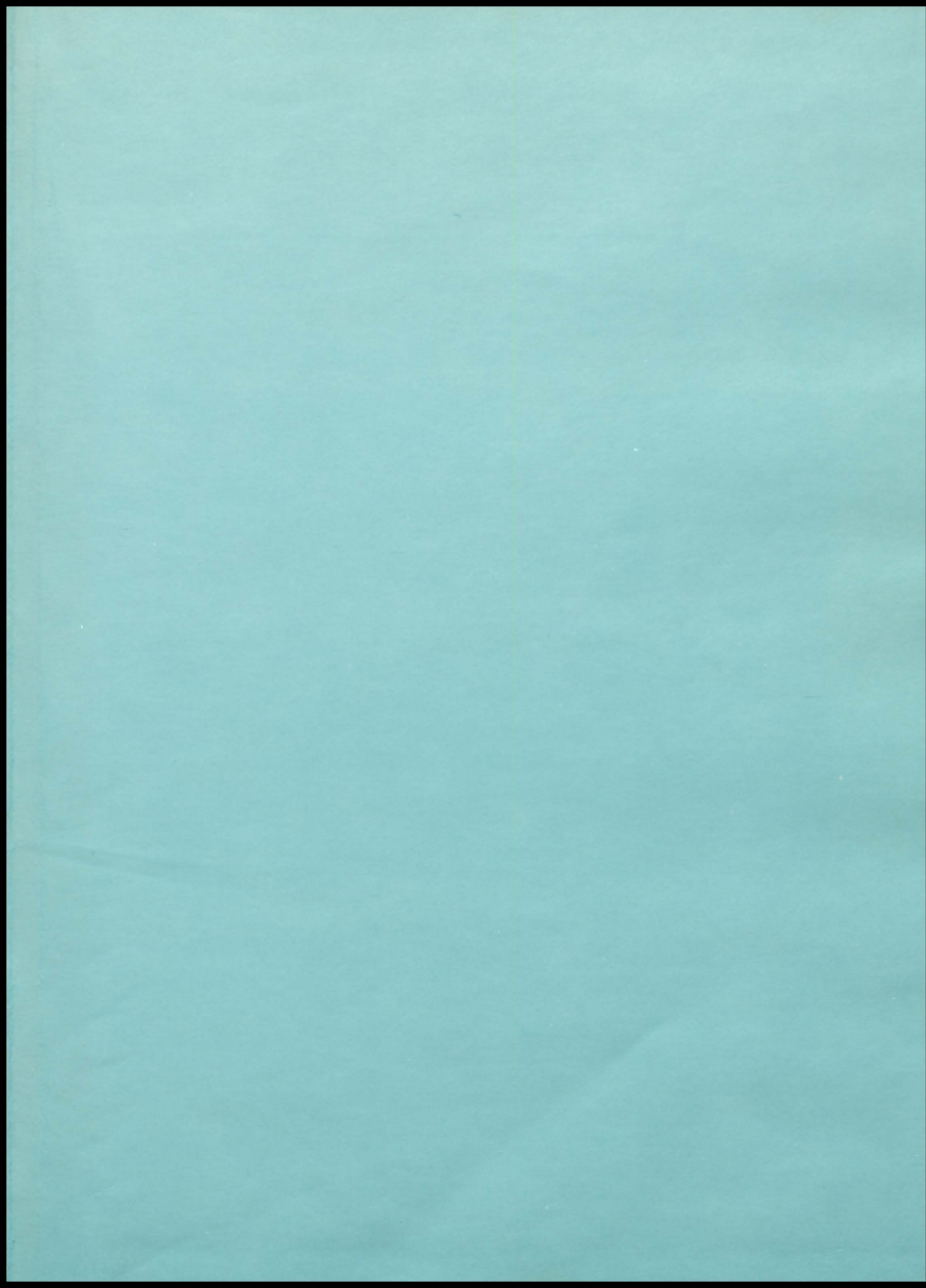
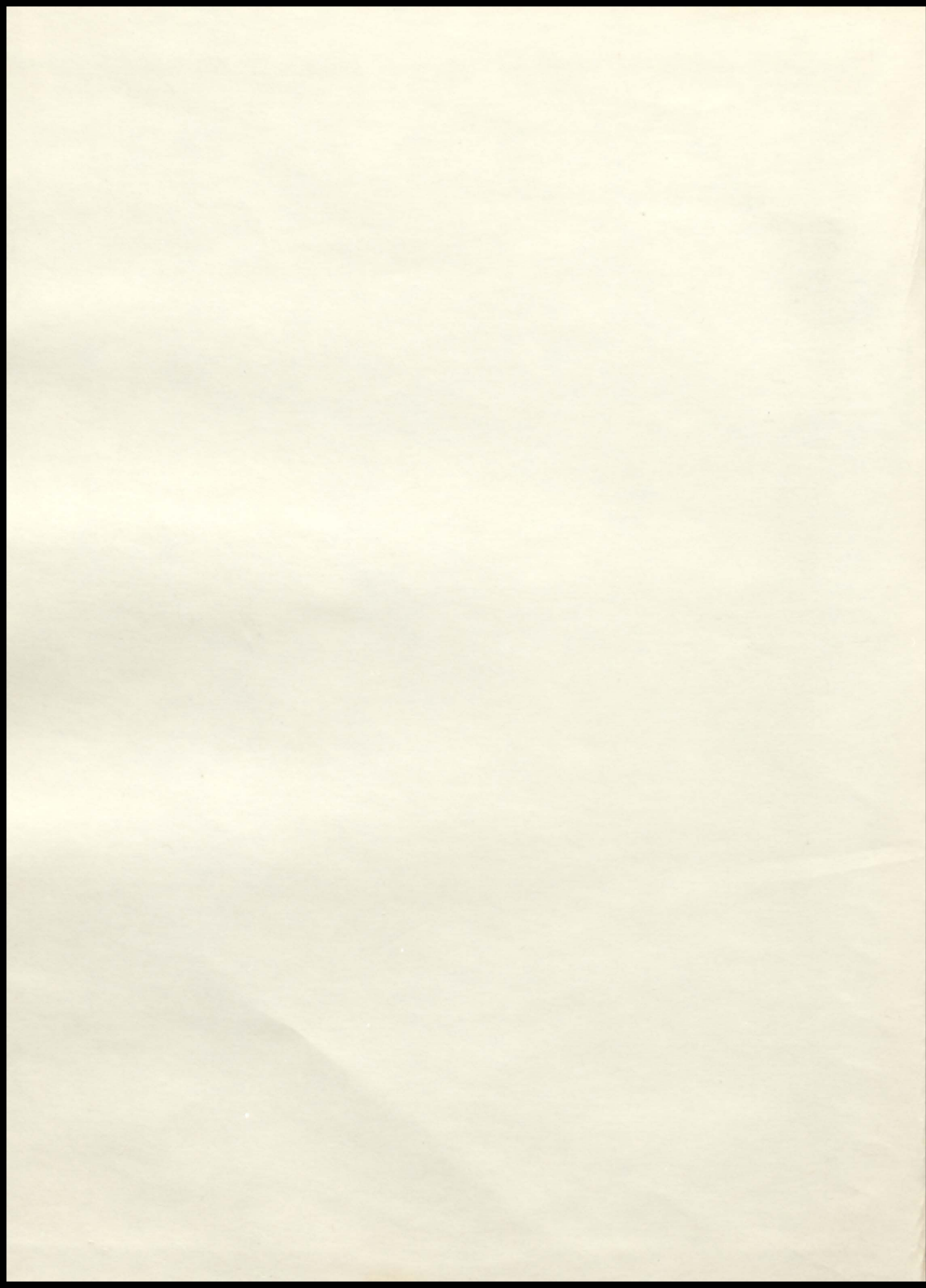


the elk '74









Here's Johnny!

The 1974 Elk is being dedicated to Mr. John McIntosh.

During the impression-forming years at high school, the student encounters a variety of personalities. A few of these personalities stand out in the student's memory for one reason or another. Included in this category is Mr. McIntosh, the Political Science teacher.



Dear Mr. McIntosh,

As we are about to graduate, we remember the book reports and the term papers given as assignments and the interesting lectures given in your classes. It seemed at the time that you were not helping us, but you were. You have helped us to better prepare ourselves for the world outside.

We want to take time to thank you, Mr. McIntosh, for the time you have taken to help us. Although time and tide will take us far, we will always remember you as we seek our special star.

Your friend,
The Class of 1974

We Pause for a Message From Our Editor . . .

Many incidents take place in school during the year. They no doubt will be long remembered by the people involved in each of them. We have assembled this annual to bring back the fun, excitement, and the work that you have experienced during the 1973-74 school year. As you turn the pages, you hopefully will relive these experiences.

School life can be associated with television in many aspects. A very special show has been made this year at Elk Point High School and it is now on television for the first time. We would like to thank all those who have made it possible.

The show is about to begin so pull up a chair and take your shoes off. Hope you enjoy it!

Editor,
Glenna Schulz



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Mr. Swier, Principal

Mr. Leon Swier: Mr. Swier felt that 95% of the high school students have a good attitude about education and our American society in general. The other 5% try to get by with doing little or nothing and still expect to receive credit for their intended work. This group believes they should receive credit for their physical appearance on campus.

All students will have a career, some planned, others unplanned. During their career they will all realize the value and importance of cooperation and honesty. They will only be happy and content with themselves when they see signs of personal accomplishment. This is achieved by unselfish hard work, by yourself, not only by the other guy.

"I believe in the statement 'America only works as hard as you do', stated Mr. Swier.

He predicts that students can achieve almost anything they can discipline themselves to do. Some are only concerned about today and yesterday, while most students are concerned about tomorrow. Most students will be as prepared for a career as their mind and attitude will let them.

"I believe the two most significant highlights of the 1973-74 school year were the implementation of the Teacher Corps program and the decision of the school board to enter into the multi-district vocational school for the coming term. There were many individual and group highlights during the term but the above two will have a very positive influence on the future of Elk Point High School."



Mr. Tiemens, Superintendent

Mr. H. J. Tiemens: "Each year seems to go by more rapidly. It seems hardly possible that eight and a half months have passed since the present school year opened. Is this indicative of a smoothly passing school year? In retrospect, it is almost impossible to tabulate individual and group achievements - there have been many! It's been another good year for the students at Elk Point.

We all wish we could accurately predict the future. Yet, I doubt this would be good. Hindsight is always 20-20 vision. Not so for the future. Sometimes in the eyes of some individuals, the future is bleak - this is not unique - it has always been so. There have always been troubled waters - there have always been individual problems - society has always been in trouble. Yet, within the lifetime of the present generation, more problems have been solved than at any other time. More progress has been made than at any comparable time. More history has been recorded than at any other time. The kids today face problems. We must have confidence in the kids to solve their problems, and they will.

The Guiding Light

The administration commented on the following areas for our staff this year: Their impressions of the students in general, student careers, the school year, and what they felt was in store for the future.

Mr. Spenser Brende: "I feel kids today are up-to-date with everyday happenings, yet seem to be less considerate." He felt, however that students are not as up-to-date about career opportunities as they are about other things. Also, they do not take full advantage of the opportunities offered them. However, it has been an exceptional year all around, one we can be proud of this year as concerns our school.

Mr. Brende, Counselor





The Sociology Class studies hard.

We'll never forget the places or the weather
 We'll remember scents and sounds
 good times
 bad times
 and times we'd rather forget.

Ballgames, dances, assemblies, and study halls
 cutting class
 taking notes
 studying late
 all are little parts of us now.

We've played the games and the roles
 We've experienced disappointments and happiness
 and maybe--just maybe--we've learned,
 and now we must begin... again...

SENIORS



The Home Ec class is busy as usual.

Kathy Steckleberg (TOP RIGHT) models her finished outfit.

Marcie Chicoine (RIGHT) won the Betty Crocker Award.





Tari Bennett



Martha Boomgaarden



Rhonda Burcham

Hogan's Heroes

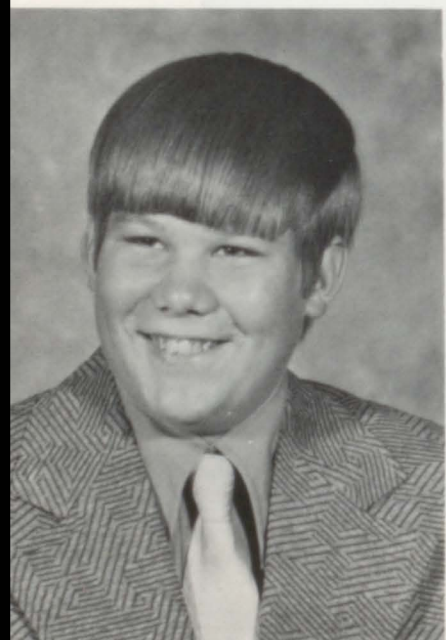


Class Officers are
Mark Turner-president,
Clif Haines-vice pres-
ident, Rhonda Bur-
cham-secretary and
Paul Hammitt-student
council representative.

Craig Carroll

Bill Chicoine

Debbie Chicoine





Denise Chicoine



Lucille Chicoine



Marcie Chicoine

Mary Dee celebrates
her birthday with a
decorative cake.

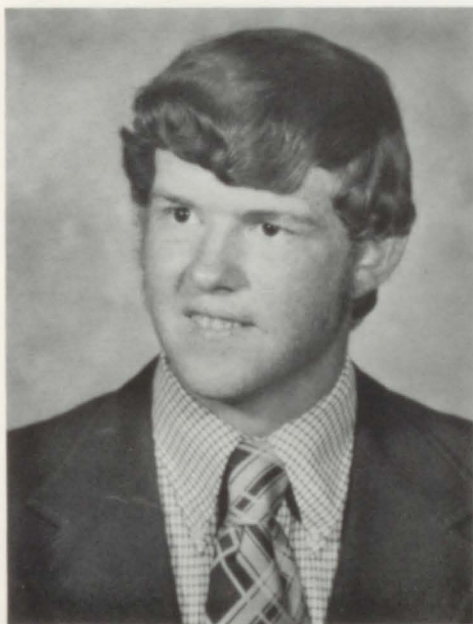


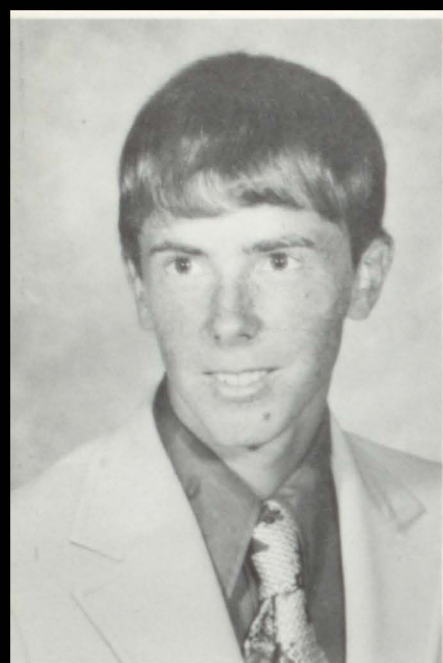
Super Friends

Mike Connolly

Terri Corio

Ann Curry





Tim Curry



Larry DeBuhr



Debbie Donnelly

Class Motto:

If you can't do
great things, do
little things in
a great way!



A Girl With Something Special

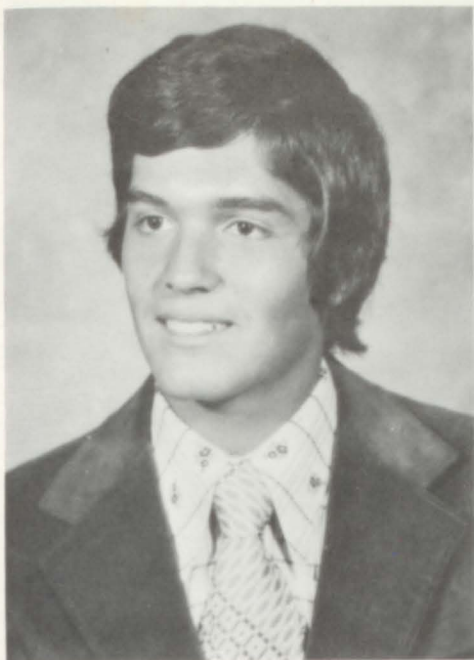
Stephanie Weber had
the honor of being
named the DAR win-
ner for this year.

Mary Dee Donnelly

Janice Elkins

Ann Erickson





Jeff Fowler



Jim Geary



Clif Haines



Jean Hall

Search for Tomorrow

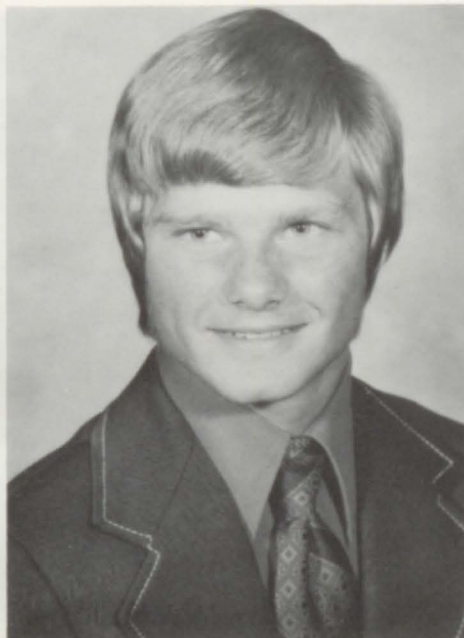
Kerry Livingston and Marvin Knecht were chosen for the Big "8" Honor Football Squad.

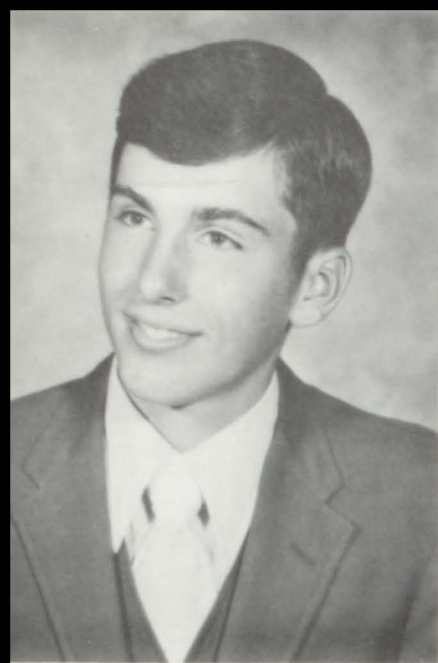
During the 73-74 school year the seniors participated in outside activities such as trips to the state capital in Pierre, State Mental Hospital in Yankton, and Senior Government Days. They also listened to guest speakers Lawyer Frank Stickney, at right, State Senator Gene Mahon, and Mahan Blakey from Dakota State University.



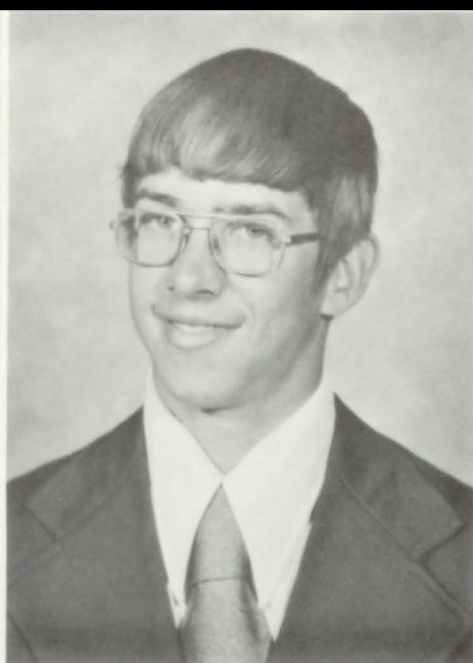
Joe Hall

Paul Hammitt

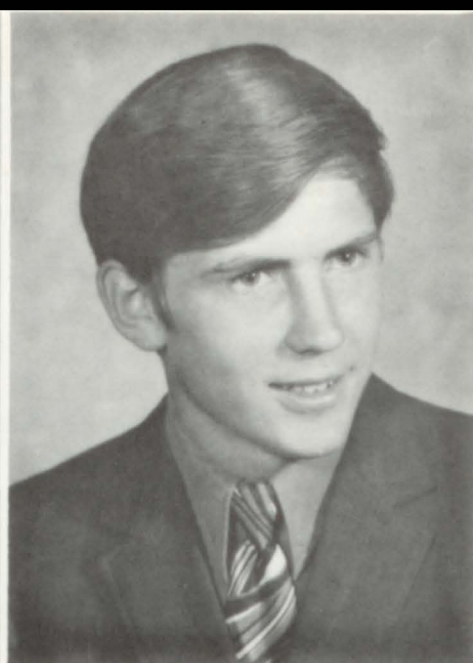




Bruce Hanson



Jeff Hanson



Dallas Harkness

One Life to Live

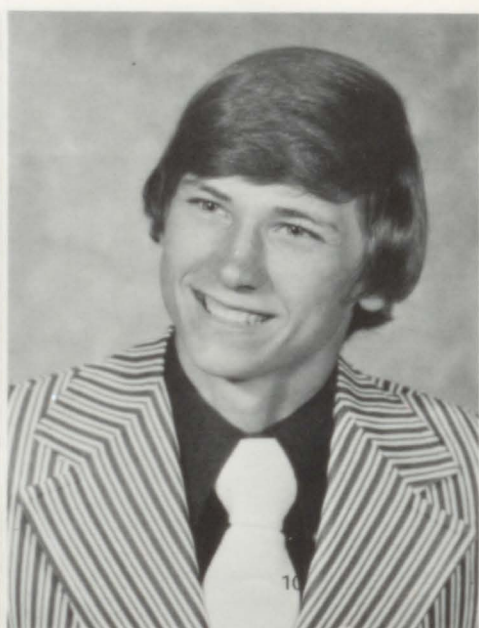


Cathy Talbott and
Cindy Pierce model
the two-piece outfits
that they made in
home economics class
for the Spring Style
Show.

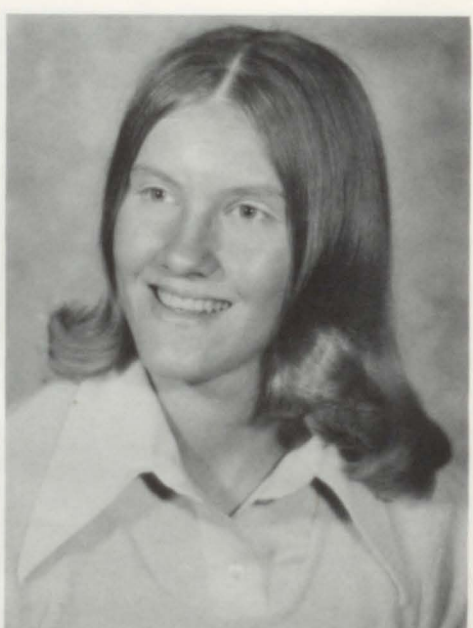
Michelle Henke



Dale Hieb

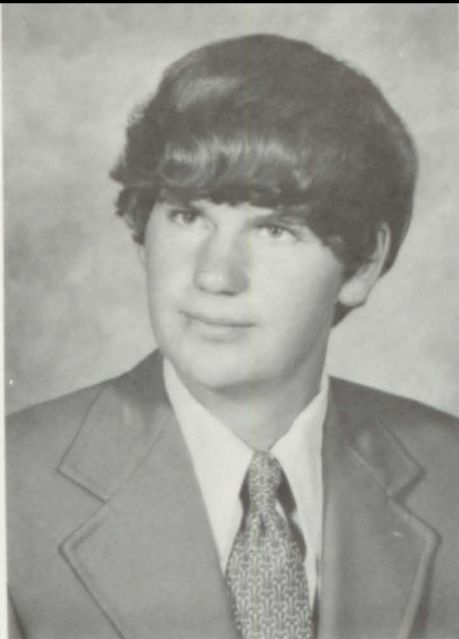


Keise Holden

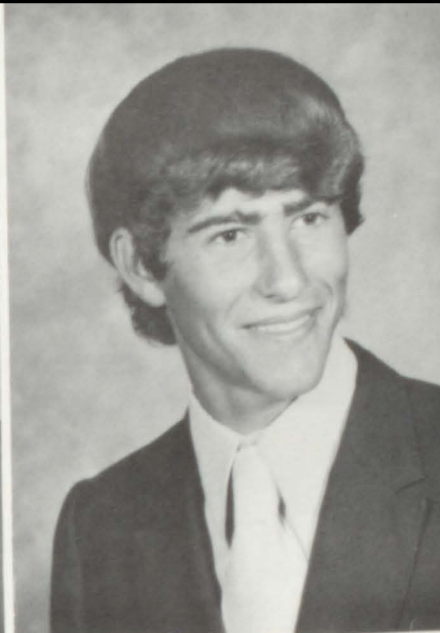




Marvin Knecht



Jerry Kyte



Kirk Laferriere

Many seniors took art as one of their class subjects. Marcie, Janice, Craig, and Cathy are second-year students.



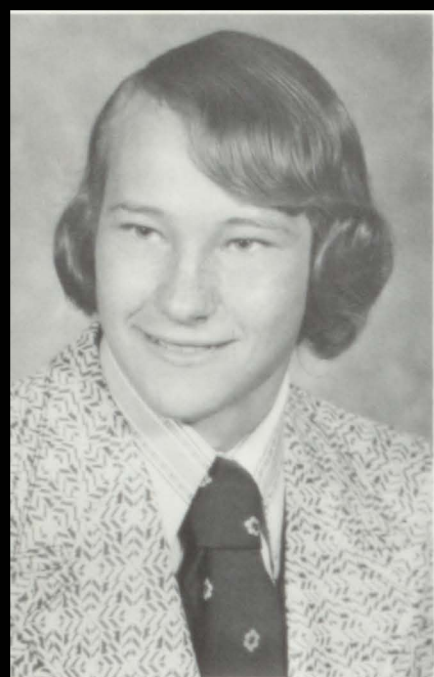
Class
Colors:
Purple
and Pink

Kerry Livingston

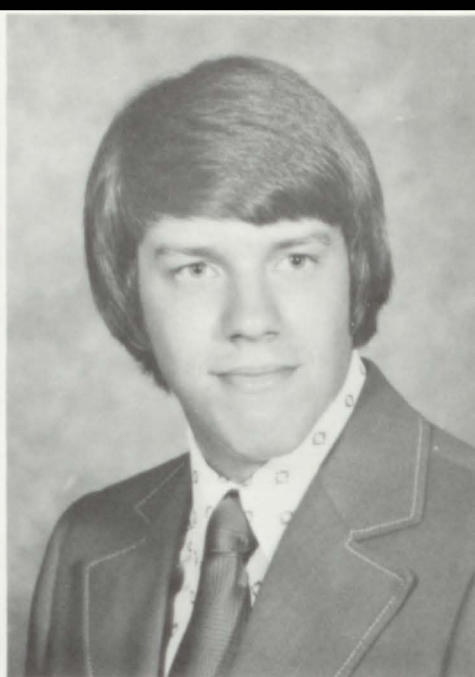
Cindy Mead

Cathy Morris

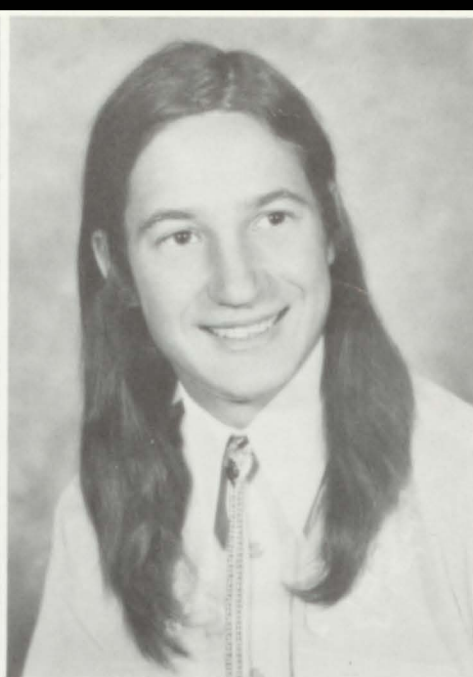




Jim Munhofen



Larris Noble



Butch Olsen

Make a Wish

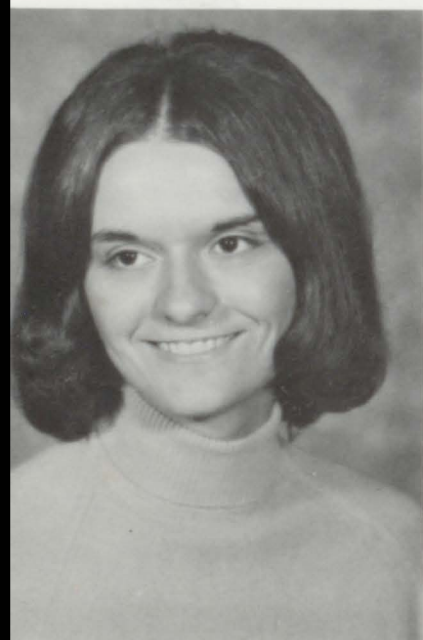


The Degas ballerina poses with Rose Rumelhart, Craig Carroll, Martha Boomgaarden, Deb Donnelly, and Bill Chicoine at the Jocelyn Art Museum in Omaha, Nebraska. The tour was part of a field trip taken by the senior art students.

Suellen Patnaude

Marilyn Pecha

Jan Peterson





Cindy Pierce



Craig Rosenbaum



Glenna Schulz

Days of Our Lives

Time to say farewell to friends
and happy, busy years.
Time for fun and laughter,
and maybe even tears.
Time to gather memories
to hold as souvenirs.
And as the future promise beams
It's time to reach for high dreams.

And when I see each familiar face
in a cap and gown,
Of course I'll smile.
But I'll be sad inside
Because I realize this might be
the last time-
the very last time-
we'll all be together.

Jerry Schmitz

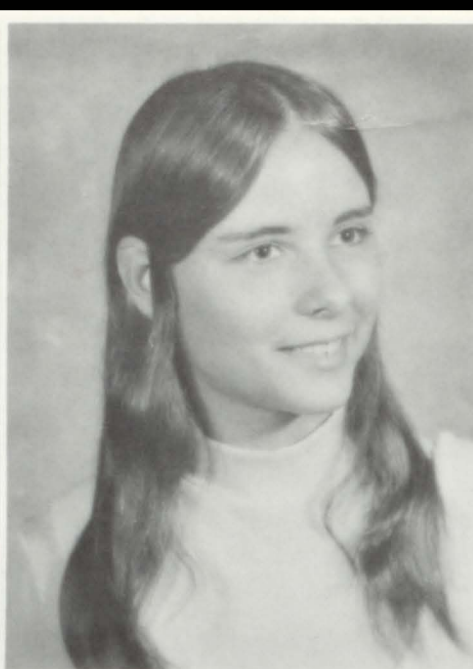
Debbie Shearon

Kathy Steckelberg





Cathy Talbott



Marilyn Thorson



Jeanette Tryon

Class Flower: Orchid



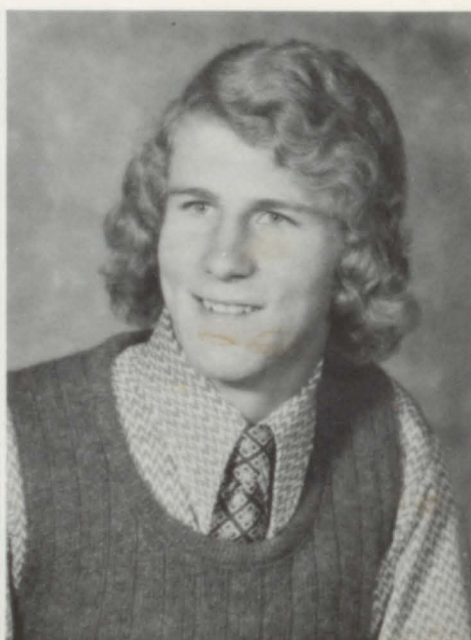
Royalty '73

The senior royalty for Homecoming 1973. LEFT TO RIGHT are Marvin Knecht, Suellen Patnaude, King Larry and Queen Jeanette, Terri Corio, and Paul Hammitt.

Mark Turner

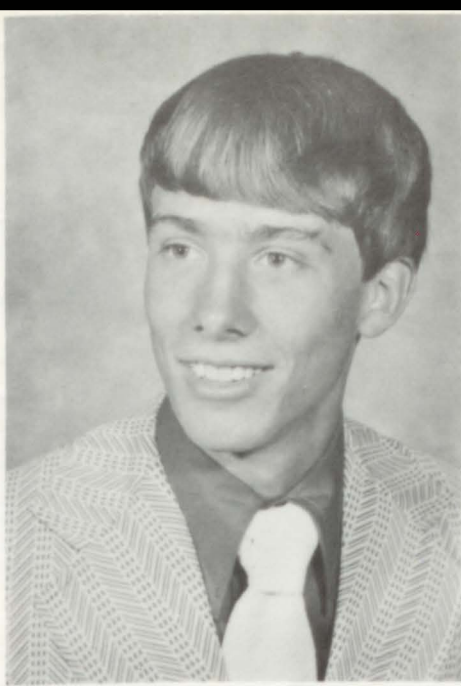


Mark Van Roekel



Stephanie Weber





Good Times

NOT PICTURED:
Rose Rumelhart

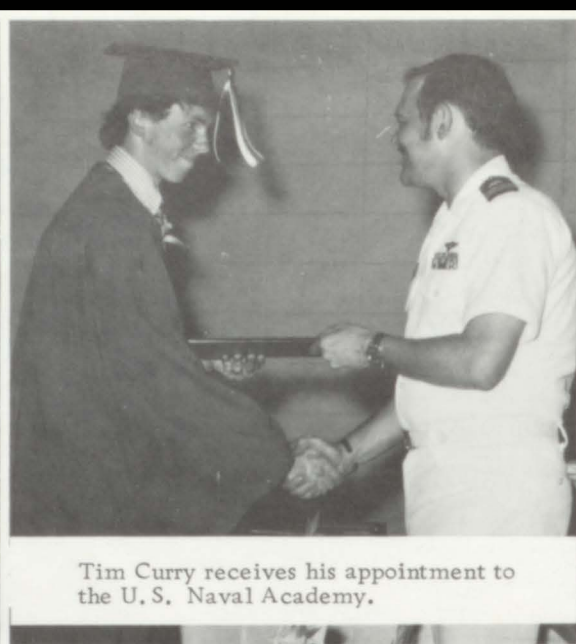
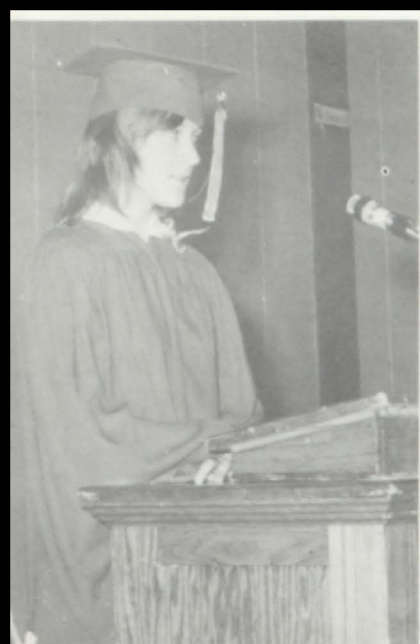
Doug Young



Class of '74

The cooks gave the seniors a party.
UPPER RIGHT: What's so funny, Deb?
LOWER LEFT: Good to the last bite!
LOWER RIGHT: Our compliments to the cooks!





Tim Curry receives his appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy.



Valedictorian Keise Holden

Salutatorian Glenna Schulz

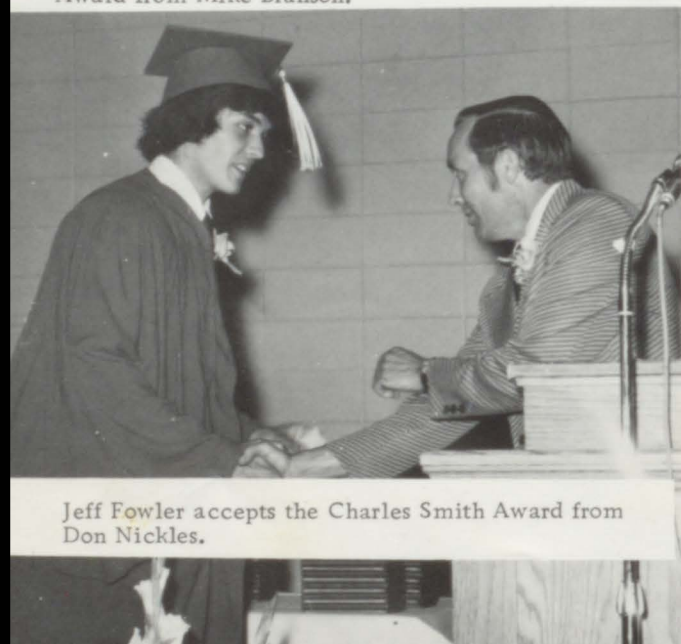


Stephanie Weber receives the Citizenship Award from Mike Branson.

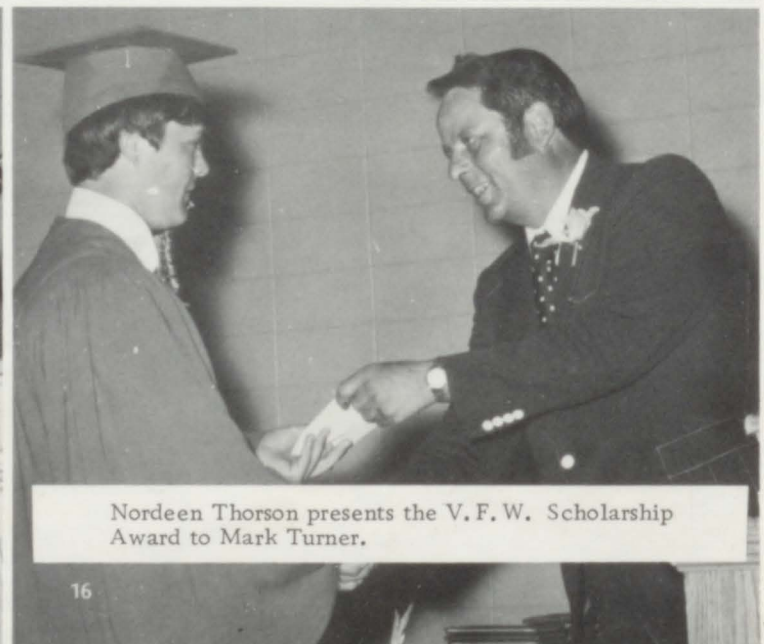
Happy Days

The 87th commencement exercises for the Class of 1974 of Elk Point High School were held in the new school gymnasium. Larry DeBuhr was the Master of Ceremonies and Salutatorian Glenna Schulz and Valedictorian Keise Holden gave the commencement addresses. Larris Noble gave the invocation and Ann Erickson gave the benediction. The processional and recessional were played by the high school band. A mixed ensemble sang a few graduation songs. Juniors Janet Nickles and Russ Kjose were selected by the members of the graduating class to usher them to their places for the exercises.

Among the awards presented to members of the Class of 1974 were the P. E. O. Award received by Cathy Talbott and Jeanette Tryon, the American Legion Citizenship Award received by Stephanie Weber and Tim Curry, the V. F. W. Scholarship Award received by Mark Turner, the Charles D. Smith Scholarship Award received by Jeff Fowler, the E. S. A. Scholarship Award received by Tari Bennett and Stephanie Weber and a special award to Tim Curry of an appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland.



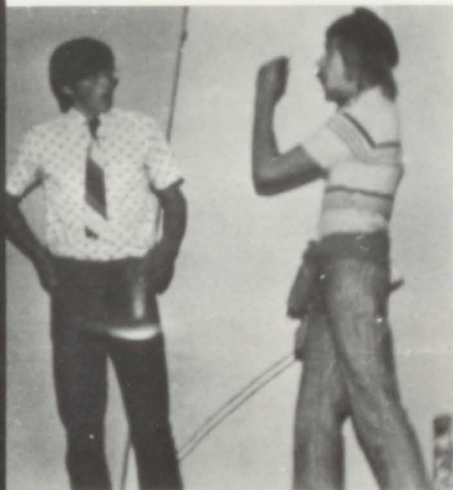
Jeff Fowler accepts the Charles Smith Award from Don Nickles.



Nordeen Thorson presents the V. F. W. Scholarship Award to Mark Turner.



JUNIORS



UPPER LEFT: Julie Curry and Julie Van Bockern (BOTTOM) were chosen for Girl's State. Mary Chicoine and Denise Jones were alternates.

UPPER RIGHT: Roger Ashmore and Dennis Olsen were Boy's Staters, while Craig Nelson and Russ Kjose were alternates.

MIDDLE: A scene with Ralph and Bill, from the drama plays.

LOWER LEFT: The junior class float for Elk Day.

LOWER RIGHT: The new school proves to be where the action is.





Roger Ashmore
Kim Guillaume

Greg Brummond
Marlon Hanson

Mary Chicoine
Sylvia Hanson

Julie Curry
Paula Henke

Scott Davis
Scott Hoffman

Rod DeSmet
Dick Hofland

Larry Donnelly
Craig Honomichl

Adelle Gapp
Twyla Hummel

The Rookies



Junior Class Officers: (LEFT TO RIGHT) Scott Hoffman, Sec-Treasurer; Dennis Olsen, Vice president; Mary Chicoine, President; Craig Nelson, Student Representative.

Bryan Jones
Janet Nickles
Kate Slattery

Denise Jones
Dennis Olsen
Pat Spain

Russ KJose
Barb Pecha
Tim Staum

Jane Laferriere
Donna Petty
Barb Thorson

Laura Larsen
Bill Pratt
Beth Tucker

Ralph Lawrence
Colleen Richters
Julie Van Bockern

Randy Livingston
Terry Rosenbaum
Greg Vinzant

Craig Nelson
Craig Schoen
Bruce Weber





The sophomore prom servers are: (TOP LEFT TO RIGHT) Ann Mc-Inerny, Dawn Donnelly, Julie Staum; MIDDLE- Mike Hieb, Spencer Albin, Leslie Erickson, Susie Beach; BOTTOM- Todd Zeller, Alan Lanning and Chuck Larsen.

Sophomore class officers: (BOTTOM LEFT) Elizabeth Curry, President; Deb Shedd, Vice-president; George VonHaden, Student Representative; and Mike Hieb, Sec-Treasurer.



Charlene Morris models her completed outfit.

The class lends many hands to help clean up the park.



SOPHOMORES



Spencer Albin
Tim Chicoine
Crystal Haines

Susan Beach
Elizabeth Curry
Brian Hanson

Susie Beach
Dawn Donnelly
Mike Hieb

John Brown
Dianna Dunham
David Jones

Rose Ann
Burcham
Leslie Erickson
Steve Knecht

LuAnne Carroll
Lois Gapp
Mark Lane

Clarissa Chicoine
Bob Geary
Alan Lanning

Mark Chicoine
David Geary
Chuck Larsen

Young and Restless

Gary Law
Lois Price
Deb Shedd

Donna Malloy
Nancy Raethz
Julie Staum

Ann Matson
Randy Rehling
Lynn Steckelberg
Vicki Wheelock

Ann McInerney
Dena Robbins
Rodney Sundleaf
Steve Williams

Kim Merchant
Keith Rosenbaum
JoAnne Thorson
Gene Zachow

Charlene Morris
Kim Rosenbaum
George VonHaden
Todd Zeller

Nancy Nold
Dick Rosenbaum
Darlene Vosberg
Linda Ramesbotham

Mark Oberg
Randy Rumelhart
Craig Westin





FRESHMEN

TOP: Lunchtime is an important time of the day and you may be sure freshmen eat their share!

UPPER LEFT: Sheryl Elkins models her Home Ec outfit.

UPPER RIGHT: Freshmen help clean the park.

LOWER RIGHT: Mark Rubida shows off the pick-up in the Elk Day parade.

Freshmen class officers: (LEFT TO RIGHT) Carol Hall, Sec-Treas.; Jeff Kayl, President; Mirza Nelson, Student Representative; Marty McNerny, Vice-president.





Lydia Barbee
Kevin Curry
Linda Geary

Steve Bennett
John Curry
Carolyn Graves

Reid Bird
Bob Davis
Stacy Guillaume

Janelle Bowar
Sandy DeSmet
Collette Haines

Mike Broderson
Sheryl Elkins
Carol Hall

Rodney Chicoine
Rick Erickson
Gail Hanson

Bill Collingwood
Brad Fowler
Chuck Hartsock

Dan Connolly
Terri Gates
Marguerite Hinds

All My Children

David Hoffman
Bruce Kroeger
Jeff Merchant
Kim Rosenbaum

Rhonda Hoffman
Randy Kreycik
Brent Munhofen
Mark Rubida

Doug Irwin
Mary Laferriere
Mirza Nelson
Mike Shedd

Mike Irwin
Bill Larimer
Brad Pederson
Barb Spain

Lois Jones
Craig Limoges
Francine Peniska
Geraldine Talbott

Dickson
Jorgenson
Mary Limoges
Dawn Petty
Tim Talbott

Melvin Knecht
Jeff McInerny
David Rosenbaum
Scott Westin

Jeff Kayl
David Livingston
Janelle
Richardson
Bill Teply



FACULTY



TOP LEFT: Mr. Jacobsean explaining one of those 'easy' science problems.
 TOP RIGHT: Girls, have you ever heard that too many cooks spoil the broth?
 MIDDLE: Every job needs at least one supervisor, eh, Kerry?
 RIGHT: Tari Bennett gets a chance to find out what it is like on the other side of the desk. She and the students PICTURED AT THE BOTTOM RIGHT were participants in the student teacher aid program. They were (BACK ROW) Lois Gapp, Jane Laferriere, Jan Peterson, Tari, Terri Gates, (FRONT) Mary Laferriere, Randy Rumelhart, Deb Donnelly, Carol Hall and Susie Beach. BOTTOM LEFT: Miss Vondrak and her freshman sewing class.



Mr. Rodney Knutson, teacher of typing, bookkeeping, shorthand, and office practice, was busy this year. In typing, business letters, reports, financial reports, manuscripts and timings were on his lesson plan. Bookkeeping and shorthand classes tried to improve their skills. Office practice studied advanced typing, shorthand, and filing along with none weeks of on the job training.

Mr. Knutson would like to train the students so they can acquire a trade which is useful for post-high school jobs.



"Quiet!" You have just entered the library which is kept running smoothly and efficiently by Mrs. Geraldine Bryan. She teaches classes in Library I and II and keeps the library in top shape. Her hard job is to catalog books and keep them in order on the shelves.

She feels everyone needs to take the library courses because it is a necessity to know how to use a library properly in order to aid your studying.

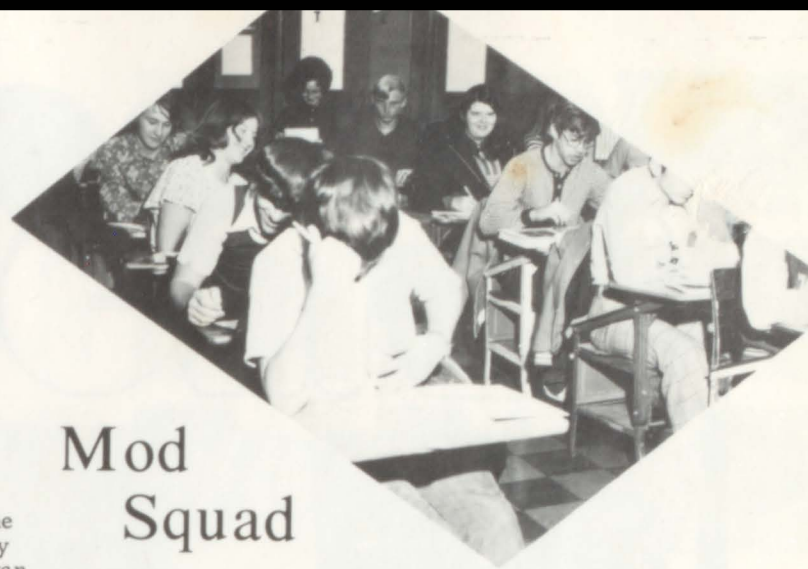


Mod Squad

Mrs. Tish Johnson is an English, College Prep, and Grammar instructor. American Novel, Mythology, Research, and many other such courses have been taught by her as nine-week English courses.

Many students will remember her vocabulary tests and term papers and realize later how much they learned.

Her objectives were to get students to enjoy reading and learn the elements of writing.

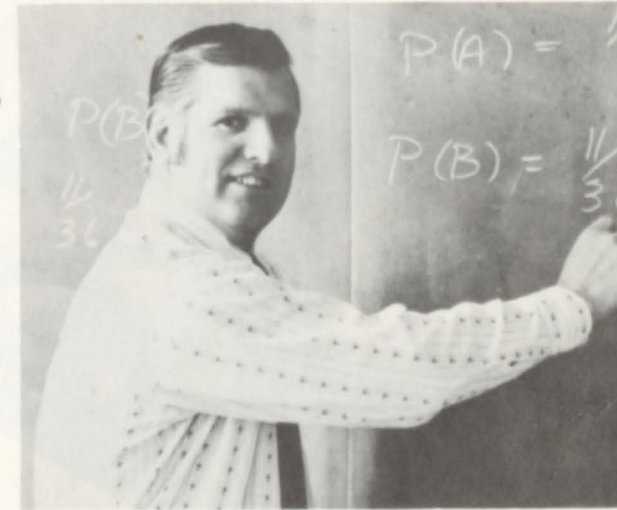
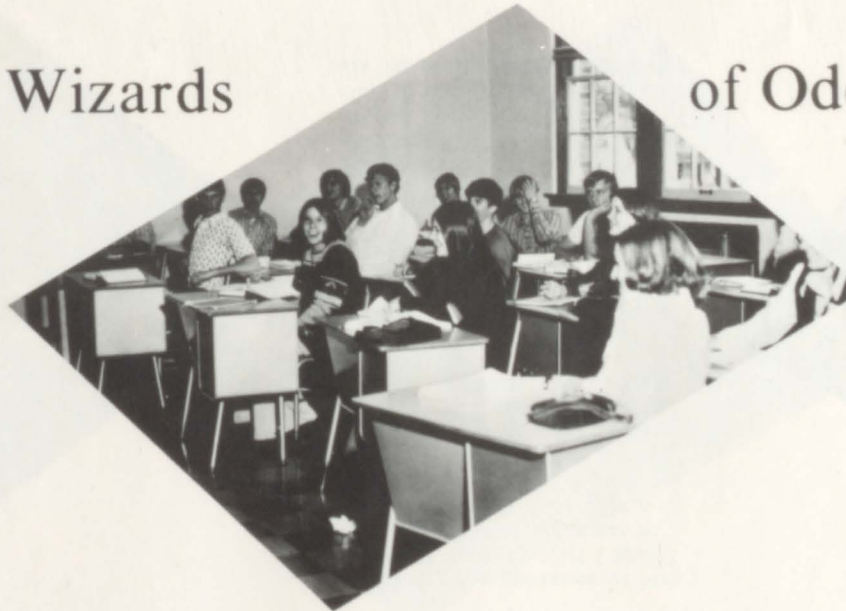


Wizards

of Odds



Mrs. Patty Skinner was a teacher of the English Department this year. She has taught drama, speech, grammar, composition, western literature, French, and journalism. These classes are active in skits, pantomimes, debate, letter writing, theme, contract work, games, tours of area newspapers. Her objectives are go get the students to care about learning,



Senior math, a 4th year math class, was taught by Mr. Leon Swier. In his class he tried to help the students appreciate the need for precision in mathematics. Mr. John Notheis also visited our school and had a presentation of the fourth dimension. He encouraged math students to seek an explanation of the fourth dimension, if possible. He also related mathematic's role of importance to outer space and phenomenon mysteries of the world.

Mr. Mick O'Connell was our math teacher and he strived to get this objective in all his classes: pre-college preparation and general exposure to non-college oriented students. This year we had a guest speaker, John Notheis, a college professor of math from Yankton College. (See senior math for more details) The general math class was busy learning the language of Algebra, and the "Changing Times Mini-Program" which included budgeting, savings, renting and buying.





Mr. Keith Kuchenbecker was the instructor of the vocational agriculture program. His lesson plans included the study of cattle, grains, poultry, dairy, swine, sheep, horses, meats, etc. He also taught shop which included shop procedure, a safety course, tools and identification, carpentry, and beginning welding.

Ag I also had a course of FFA and parliamentary procedure. They too, participated in many judging contests, district and state, throughout the school year.

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Green Acres



Under the guidance of Mrs. Connie Kettering, Art I and II covered a variety of areas of study. Art I was generally a basic art course which acquainted students with color, design, balance and various aspects of art such as sculpture, drawing, commercial design, printing and art history. One of their class projects was the painting of environmental designs and slogans on the school trash cans to encourage the student body to throw their trash where it belonged.

Art II students worked independently, choosing their own course of study. Projects ranged from paintings on the wall to poster size portraits of all the seniors for graduation.



Characters from "Fiddler on the Roof" were made by other students for the spring music and art festival.

All of the art students participated in a field trip to Morningside College's art festival. A small group of senior students visited the Jocelyn Art Museum in Omaha in the spring.



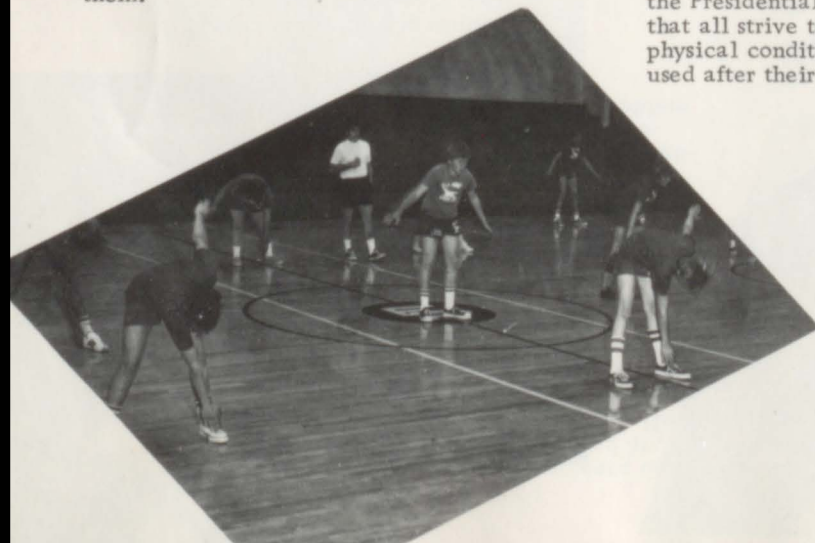


Mr. Daryl Fletcher is the coach of the boy's physical education class and is the instructor of the general science class. His objectives respectively for each class were to give the student a clear understanding of the activities offered by learning the fundamentals and rules necessary; to offer the student the opportunity to understand the world around them.



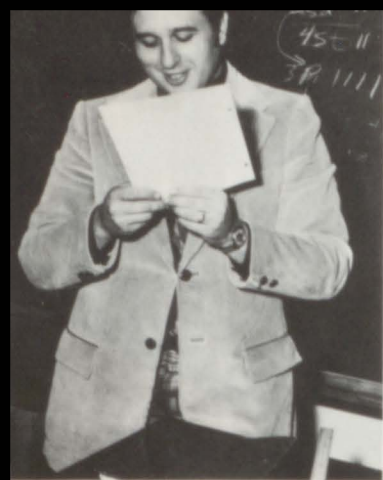
Wide World of Sports Featuring the Galloping Gourmet

In the girls physical education department, Mrs. Sandy Tucker presided as coach. The high-light of the year was the competition for the Presidential All-American Physical Fitness award. It is something that all strive to win. Mrs. Tucker's objectives were to improve the physical condition of all students and try to introduce life-time sports used after their education had ceased at school.

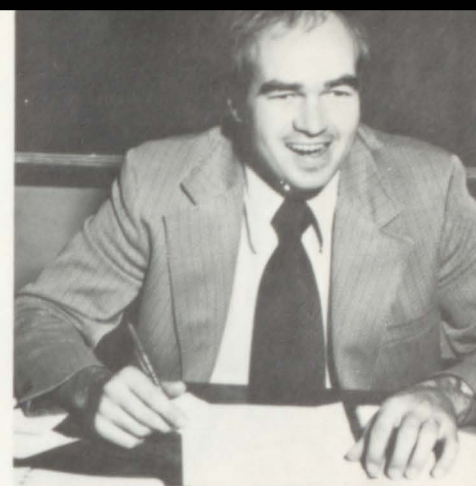


In Home Economics, under the direction of Miss Delores Vondrak, the main objective is to prepare young people to live effectively in the ever changing society by giving them the proper information in cooking, sewing, personal grooming, family living and consumer buying. In each of the courses the students are exposed the basic terms and proper methods.





In the science department we had Mr. Thomas Jacobsen. He taught biology, chemistry, and physics. Mr. Jacobsen had some objectives he wished to carry to his students. Biology- instill within the students the appreciation of all forms of life. Chemistry- to allow the students to develop more thoroughly the scientific process of logical problem solving.



Mr. Roger Schaffer is in the social studies program of our school. He has taught American and World History to many students. He feels it is important to stress historical method, and by using sources of historical method, relate past events to present and future. The accuracy of the source is also important, he feels.

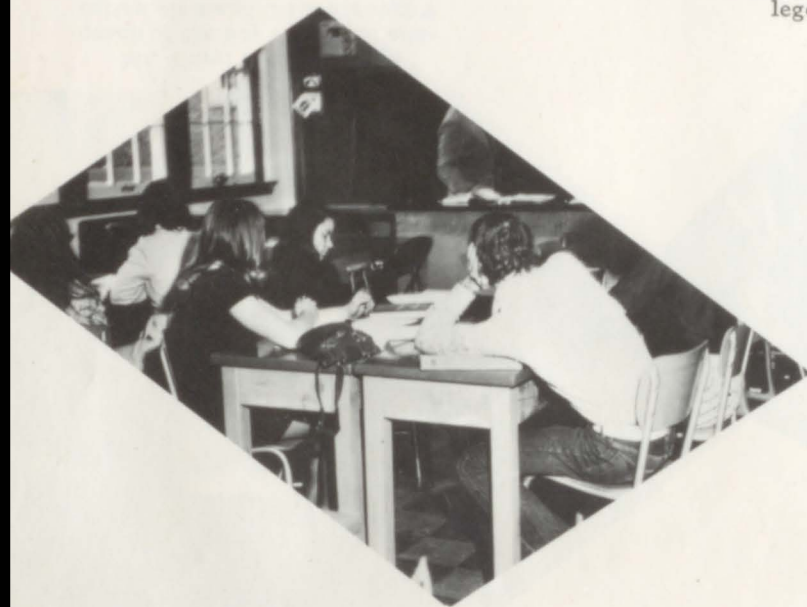
The Bold Ones

"I'll bet you a term paper and five book reports," was a common phrase used by Mr. John McIntosh to silence the less than enthusiastic student. Mr. McIntosh taught American Government, psychology and international relations with several objectives in mind. For example, in government the objectives strived for were: pursuit of knowledge; good citizenship; prepare the student for college or post high school education.



Physics- to allow the students to develop more thoroughly the scientific process of logical problem-solving.

In biology the students were busy with such activities as medical self-help, preparing scrap-books after field trips, class room sessions, labs, dissecting.





Mrs. Jane Torkelson instructs Mixed Chorus, Girls Glee and the Madrigal Singers. She also gives lessons to the flute sections of the bands. Besides the Winter and Spring concerts, she helps individual students and special groups prepare music for contests as well as for entertainment for functions and organizations about school and town. She tells us that what she really hopes to be is a 'super' music teacher.



Sesame Street

Something new was added to EPHS this year. The old Pointer room was redecorated and presto! there appeared the Teacher Corps office.

Mrs. Corrine Milburn coordinated the Corps activities as the team leader. Working under her were five interns. They are (PICTURED BELOW FROM LEFT TO RIGHT) Jan Horten (who was with us for only one semester), Anita Morales, Deanna Dawson, Ron Coine, and Chris Schroeder.

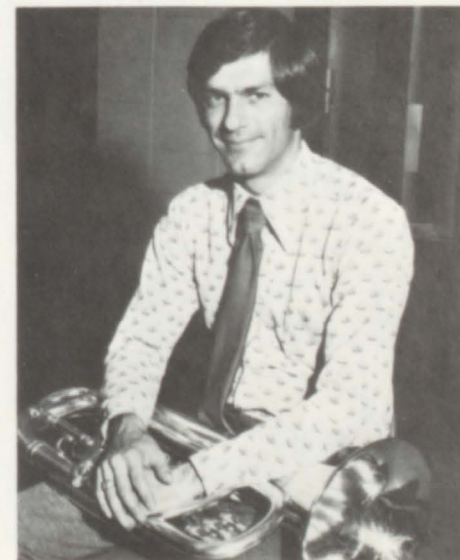
All of the Teacher Corps team members spent time working in class as instructors, taking course work at the University in Vermillion and promoting the new 'Purple Eye' student center.



When Mr. Mark Meyers isn't taking a moment out to instruct students like Deb in how to conduct music, he's giving band lessons or conducting the Elk Point high school band. He also directs the Men's Chorus.

He took the band to Vermillion to march in the U. S. D. homecoming parade and to Orange City, Iowa for the Tulip Festival Parade.

Mr. Meyers wants to give the feeling that there's a purpose in life through music.



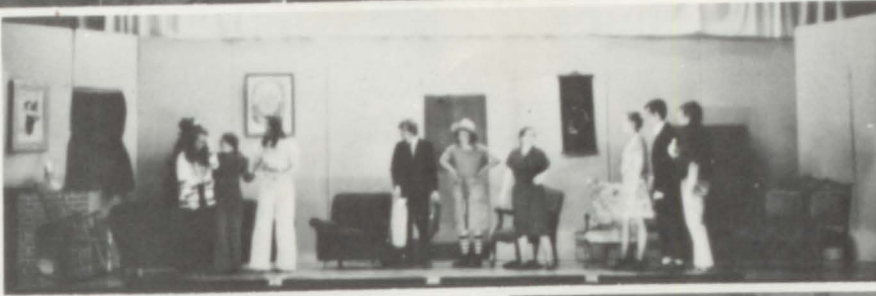
All in the Family



TOP LEFT, Mrs. Lois Matson kept things in control in Mr. Swier's office as jack-of-all-trades and secretary. TOP CENTER, Mrs. Marilyn Bennett held down the fort as secretary in the superintendents office and was business manager for the school. TOP RIGHT, We had a new janitor in the new building. Keeping the area clean was Mr. Kermit Thompson. BOTTOM LEFT, Mr. Joel Ryan was janitor for the high school and coordinator for keeping all three schools running properly. CENTER, many students helped serve the lunch at noon. BOTTOM CENTER, without these fellows most of us wouldn't have made it to school every day. PICTURED LEFT TO RIGHT are Mr. Marvin Limoges, Mr. Orval Landers, Mr. Frank J. Teply and Mr. Jerry Ryan. BOTTOM RIGHT, hot nutritious meals were prepared by Mrs. Eva Rehling, Mrs. Delores Hofland, and Mrs. Dorothy Anderson.



ACTIVITIES



UPPER L. - Freshmen cleaning the park.
UPPER R. - Craig, use the front door!
CENTER - Senior class play.
MIDDLE L. - The E. P. H. S. band.
MIDDLE R. - Mrs. Johnson speaking at prom.
BOTTOM L. - Denise & Janet at homecoming.
BOTTOM R. - Senior class play.



1973 Homecoming Royalty Party



The King and I

Queen Jeanette and King Larry



Freshmen class float

BELOW L. - Denise & Janet



ABOVE R. - Larry & Jeanette
Junior class float



Senior class float

BELOW L. - Sue & Marvin



ABOVE R. - Terri & Paul
Sophomore class float





Sue and Marvin



'72 and '73 Royalty

Make a Wish

The 1973 homecoming got underway on September 20 with herald Debbie Donnelly announcing the royalty for the homecoming activities. 1972 royalty, Jean McInerney and Brad Wilbur, gave up their crowns to Jeanette Tryon and Larry DeBuhr, the new reigning royalty. The senior royalty Terri Corio, Suellen Patnaude, Marvin Knecht and Paul Hammitt also shared a spot under the stars in the set "Twinkle Little Star."

Attendants from the junior class were Janet Nickles and Denise Jones; sophomores - Susan Beach; and freshmen- Terri Gates.

Following the coronation a pep rally was held beside the bonfire at the "old" swimming hole. Friday's activities included a morning pep rally and an afternoon parade which was followed by a watermelon feed sponsored by the Community Club, First place float award went to the junior high.

Friday night the Pointer football team met the Dell Rapid Quarriers in an unsuccessful attempt at a victory, 37-14.

The 1973 homecoming activities ended Friday night with the annual homecoming dance for the high school and alumni.



Terri and Paul



A Memorable Moment



Student Council members. BOTTOM LEFT: Craig Nelson, Mary Chicoine, George VonHaden, Mirza Nelson, Jeff Kayl. TOP LEFT: Julie VanBockern, Janet Nickles, Paul Hammitt, Elizabeth Curry, Mark Turner and Larry DeBuhr.

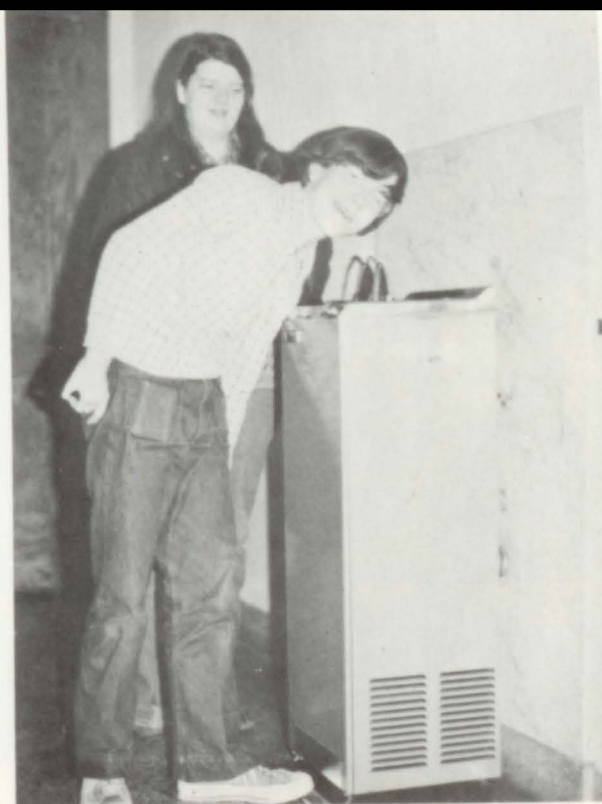
Student Council Officers LEFT: Janet Nickles, Sec. -Treas.; Julie Van Bockern, Vice-Pres.; and Larry DeBuhr, President.



Issues and Answers

Some of the activities keeping our student council busy this year included organizing a clean-up day for city park and sponsoring three dances--Elk Day, Christmas and Valentines. At the end of the year they honored students at the annual Athletic-Scholarship banquet. They also purchased two much needed items for the school, a portable speaker system and the two cold water fountains.

This year's biggest accomplishment was helping to set up the governing board of the community youth center, The Purple Eye.



How's the water, George?



Music Country, U.S.A.

Band: (REAR, LEFT TO RIGHT) Tim Curry, Mary Laferriere, Brad Fowler, Marvin Knecht, Paul Hammitt, David Livingston, and Stacy Guillaume. 3RD ROW; Steve Bennett, Sandy DeSmet, Jim Munhofen, Keise Holden, Bob Davis, Kerry Livingston, Mark Turner and Jeff Fowler. 2ND ROW; Janelle Richardson, Rhonda Hoffman, Denise Jones, Katie Slattery, Julie VanBockern, Sylvia Hanson, and Stephanie Weber. 1ST ROW; Cindy Pierce, Marilyn Pecha, Mary Chicoine, May Donnelly, Ann Curry and Tari Bennett.



Band officers this year were Paul Hammitt, president, Marvin Knecht, secretary-treasurer, Deb Donnelly and Julie VanBockern, music librarians, Jeff Fowler and Kate Slattery, uniform officers.

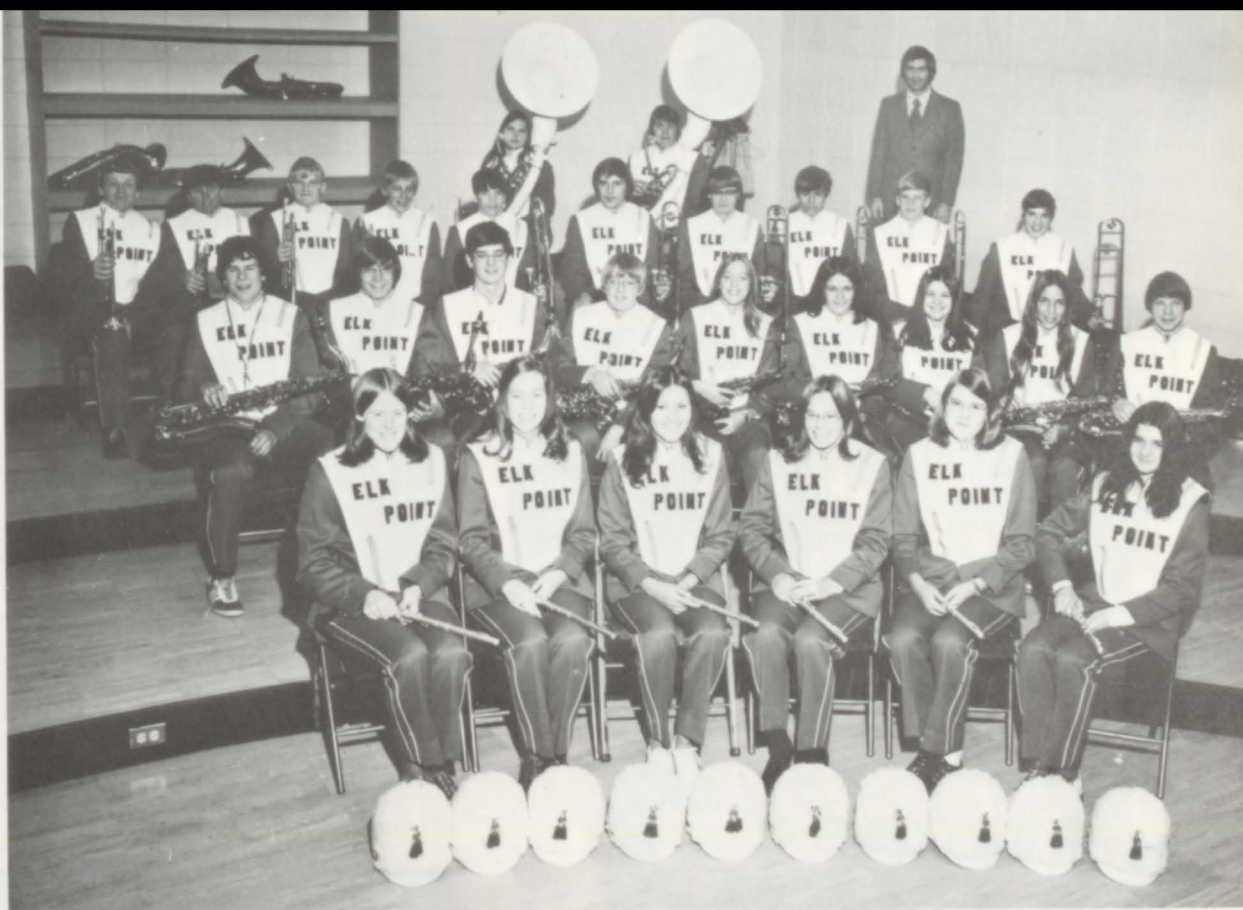
Majorettes for band this year were (L. TO R.) Dena Robbins, Kim Rosenbaum, head majorette-Julie Staum, Leslie Erickson, and Martha Boomgard.





This year Julie Curry made All-State Band and also became a member of the Siouxland Symphony Orchestra.

American Band Stand



Band: (REAR, LEFT TO RIGHT) Lydia Barbee, Larris Noble, and Mr. Mark Meyers-director. 3RD ROW; Bob Davis, Larry DeBuhr, Doug Teply, Rick Erickson, Randy Livingston, Greg Brummond, Greg Vinzant, Scott Hoffman, Spencer Albin and Randy Rehling. 2ND ROW; Tim Chicoine, Rand Kreycik, John Curry, Reid Bird, Julie Staum, Dawn Donnelly, Donna Malloy, Teri Gates and David Jones. 1ST ROW; Julie Curry, Debra Donnelly, Jeanette Tryon, Barb Pecha, Mary Limoges and Kim Rosebaum.

The Elk Point High School Band was quite busy this year. They marched and played at the U. S. D. Homecoming parade, Elk Day parade, and the Orange City Tulip Festival parade. They also played for the Winter and Spring concerts and at the pep rallies and football and basketball games.





Mixed Chorus: BACK ROW; Marlon Hanson, Bill Chicoine, Jeff Fowler, Larris Noble, Kerry Livingston, Steve Bennett, Rick Erickson and John Curry. 5TH ROW; Bruce Hanson, Craig Rosenbaum, Larry DeBuhr, Jim Munhofen, Roger Ashmore, Mark Rubida, Bruce Kroeger, Kirk Laferriere, Mike Hieb, Dick Rosenbaum. 4TH ROW; Jeff Hanson, Marvin Knecht, Mark Turner, Craig Schoen, Scott Davis, Mike Connolly, Bill Pratt, Bruce Weber, Scott Hoffman, and Larry Donnelly. 3RD ROW; Donna Malloy, Deb Shedd, Elizabeth Curry, Ann McInerney, Gail Hanson, Sheryl Elkins, Twyla Hummel, Barb Pecha, Jane Laferriere, Jeanette Tryon, Marcia Chicoine, Leslie Erickson. 2ND ROW; Julie Staum, Dawn Donnelly, Keise Holden, Rhonda Burcham, Janet Nickels, JoAnne Thorson, Crystal Haines, Kim Rosenbaum, Charlene Morris, Janice Elkins, Cathy Talbott and Dena Robbins. FRONT ROW; Mrs. Torkelson, Advisor, Kim Rosenbaum, Mirza Nelson, Ann Matson, Tari Bennett, Jan Peterson, Cathy Morris, Mary Donnelly, Terri Corio, Stephanie Weber, Martha Pratt and NOT PICTURED Kim Guillaume.

Men's Chorus: BACK ROW; Marlon Hanson, Bill Chicoine, Jeff Fowler, Larris Noble, Kerry Livingston. 2ND ROW; Bruce Hanson, Craig Rosenbaum, Larry DeBuhr, Jim Munhofen, Roger Ashmore, Steve Bennett and Mr. Meyers, Advisor. FRONT ROW; Jeff Hanson, Marvin Knecht, Mark Turner, Craig Schoen, Mike Connolly, Mark Rubida, Bruce Kroeger and Kirk Laferriere.





Girl's Glee: BACK ROW; Clarissa Chicoine, JoAnne Thorson, Cathy Talbott, Cindy Pierce, Marcie Chicoine, Janice Elkins, Janet Nickels, Julie Staum, Elizabeth Curry, Leslie Erickson, Dawn Donnelly. 4TH ROW; Gail Hanson, Dawn Petty, Sheryl Elkins, Linda Geary, Marguerite Hinds, Barb Spain, Janelle Bower, Mirza Nelson, Kim Rosenbaum, Collette Haines, Dena Robbins and Ann McInerney. 3RD ROW; Barb Thorson, Donna DeBuhr, Susie Beach, Charlene Morris, Vicki Wheelock, Crystal Haines, Twyla Hummel, Barb Pecha, Jeri Talbott, Jane Laferriere, and Jeanette Tryon. 2ND ROW; Rhonda Burcham, Ann Matson, Donna Malloy, Deb Shedd, Susan Beach, Lucille Chicoine, Kimberly Rosenbaum, Carolyn Graves, Marilyn Thorson, Jan Peterson, and Miss Mary Rundall. FRONT ROW; Tari Bennett, Mary Donnelly, Keise Holden, Deb Shearon, Cathy Morris, Glenna Schulz, Terri Corio, Kathy Steckleberg, Martha Boomgaarden and Mrs. Jane Torkelson, Director.

Stand up and Cheer!

This year the mixed chorus sang for the Winter and Spring Concerts and also for graduation. Men's and Girl's Glee both sang for the concerts also. Madrigal sang for the two concerts and for ESEA. They also earned a First at the music contest in Vermillion this year.

Christmas selections were chosen for the Winter Concert. The Spring Concert kept to the lively side with modern selections and music from the musical "Fiddler on the Roof" which was guest conducted by Mr. Larry Torkelson.

Accompanists: Dawn Donnelly, Leslie Erickson, Julie Staum, Jeanette Tryon, Elizabeth Curry, and Ann Matson.

Special Group: Deb Shedd, Dena Robbins, and Ann Matson.



The pictures ABOVE ARE TOP: Mixed Chorus under the direction of Mrs. Torkelson with a brass accompaniment; next, Mixed Chorus with David Livingston on the drums; MIDDLE LEFT, Stacy Guillaume takes a turn at accompanying the chorus on the drums; MIDDLE RIGHT, special music group with Mr. Meyers; BOTTOM LEFT, Dick Rosenbaum narrates for "Fiddler on the Roof"; BOTTOM RIGHT, Mixed Chorus under the direction of Mr. Torkelson, guest conductor.



Madrigal: BACK ROW; Bruce Hanson, Kerry Livingston, Craig Rosenbaum, Mrs. Torkelson, Larry DeBuhr, Mark Turner, Larry Donnelly, 3RD ROW; Larris Noble, Scott Davis, Roger Ashmore, 2ND ROW; Dena Robbins, Leslie Erickson, Jan Peterson, Jeanette Tryon, Keise Holden, Barb Pecha, Mary Rundall-student teacher-. 1ST ROW; Stephanie Weber, Mary Donnelly, Elizabeth Curry, Tari Bennett.

All-State Chorus delegates for this year were Stephanie Weber, Tari Bennett, Larris Noble and Larry DeBuhr.





Staff members: FROM LEFT, Jane Laferriere, Julie Van Bockern, Ann Erickson, Denise Jones, Mrs. Kettering-advisor, Kate Slattery, Twyla Hummel, and Linda Ramesbotham.

Mission: Impossible

Twyla and Cindy at work in our lovely staff room.



The annual editors and their staffs put much time and effort into this year-book by writing copy, selecting pictures and trying to meet deadlines.

It has been a privilege for us to provide this annual. We hope you consider it a privilege to have one.



Editors, LEFT TO RIGHT: Julie Curry-assisting editor, Butch Olsen-photography, Mary Donnelly-activities, Ann Curry-copy, Kathy Steckelberg-sports, Lois Price-annual sales, Terri Corio-classes, Tari Bennett-business manager and academics, Glenna Schulz-editor-in-chief. NOT PICTURED: Cindy Mead-advertizing sales.



Guess Who?



Ann, Kate and Steck on the job.





News Beat

Editors (LEFT TO RIGHT):
Mary Chicoine-assistant editor,
Cathy Talbott, Jim Munhofen,
Mrs. Johnson-advisor, Larry
DeBuhr, and Marilyn Pecha-
Editor.

These are the people who have worked to keep us informed on all the happenings at EPHS, by making sure the Pointer appeared each week in the local paper.

Marilyn Pecha was our editor whose job included giving out story assignments and making sure they were in on time. She was helped by her assistant editor, Mary Chicoine, and many typists and reporters.

Our thanks go to these people for giving us something to look forward to each week besides Friday.

Reporters and Typists (LEFT TO RIGHT): Rose Ann Burcham, Kate Slattery, Tari Bennett, Elizabeth Curry, Julie Van Bockern, Denise Jones, Julie Curry, Janet Nickles, and Mary Donnelly.



Masterpiece Theater

"RUN, ROBBER, RUN"

Cast

Otto	Craig Nelson
Spider	Scott Davis
Miss Prudhome	Julie VanBockern
Mr. Alden	Bill Pratt
Sally	Colleen Richters
Gail	Barb Thorson
Carol	Paula Henke
Cheryl	Donna Petty
Colt Winchester	Scott Hoffman
Joan	Jane Laferriere
Lina	Twyla Hummel
Jeanne	Adelle Gapp

Now, isn't that just like a woman?



The Villain!

"THE HANGING AT SINNIMIN CITY"

Cast

Mart Baverick	Craig Schoen
Ma Lightfoot	Kate Slattery
Lester Lightfoot	Russ KJose
Casper	Tim Staum
Big Tom Pooley	Dennis Olson
Bullet Benson	Richard Hofland
Pistol Pete Peterson	Rod DeSmet
Girty Deal	Sylvia Hanson
Matilda	Janet Nickles
Jasmine	Denise Jones
Stagecoach driver	Greg Vinzant
Sugarboot	Larry Donnelly



Sinnimin City is where it's at.

"JUST LIKE A WOMAN"

Cast

Joshaway Alexander Smith	Ralph Lawrence
Mrs. Smith	Mary Chicoine
Bartholomew Smith	Greg Brummond
Doris Duncan	Laura Larsen
Polly Pepper	Kim Guillaume
John Austin Hazenstab	Pat Spain

Miss Horten helped the drama students make new scenery for the plays this year.

Have you ever played Hot Potato?

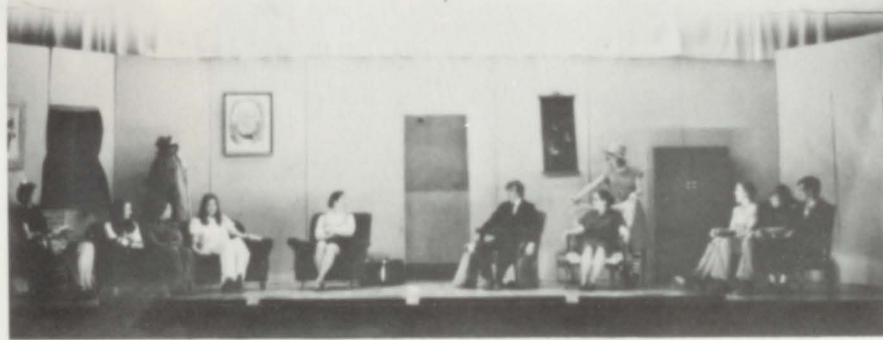


I'm gonna run you robbers right outta town.





The hero always gets the girl!



The bad guy!

Play House 90

"PICK A DILLY"

Cast

Susan Clark	Stephanie Weber
Amanda Strong	Lucille Chicoine
	Glenna Schultz
Purina Hogg	Debbie Chicoine
	Ann Erickson
Arvilla Garvey	Keise Holden
Otis Garvey	Bill Chicoine
	Jim Munhofen
Wilbur	Craig Carroll
Opal Dilly	Cathy Talbott
	Jeanette Tryon
June Rose	Mary Donnelly
May Lily	Marilyn Pecha
	Terri Corio
April Violet	Rhonda Burcham
Bleeker	Jerry Schmitz
Rod Benedict	Clif Haines
Tex Larabee	Doug Young
Jack Purcell	Jeff Fowler
Old Betsy Drake	Cindy Pierce
	Kathy Steckelberg
Azariah Coffin	Paul Hammitt
Director	Mrs. Patty Skinner
Student Director	Deb Donnelly



Are you sleeping?

As the tension builds....



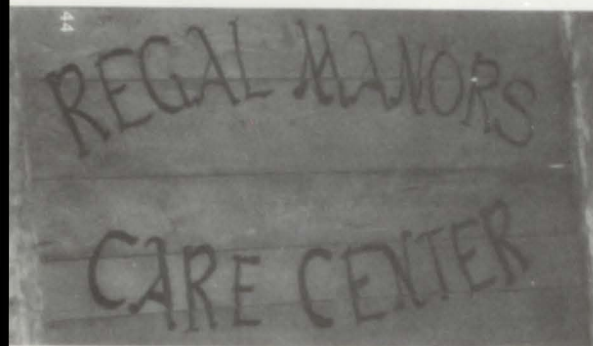
The good guys!

Everyone jumps from their chairs.





Members of the Elk Point High School Chapter of F.F.A. are FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT ROW: Mr. Kuchenbecker, advisor, David Geary, Ralph Lawrence, Kirk Laferriere, Pat Spain, Bruce Hanson and Tim Staum. 2ND ROW: Mark Chicoine, Dickson Jorgenson, Terry Rosenbaum, Mark Rubida, Larry Donnelly, Brian Hanson, Kevin Curry, Steve Bennett, Paula Henke and Allen Irwin. 3RD ROW: Keith Rosenbaum, Barb Thorson, Marlon Hanson, Donna DeBuhr, Rodney DeSmet, Colleen Richters, Bob Geary and Dick Hofland.



One of the FFA projects this past year.



The three girls who took agriculture this year were Paula Henke, Stacy Guillaume and Colleen Richters.

Hee Haw

The highlights of the year for the FFA members included going to Brookings for several days on judging team trips. They also built a sign for Regal Manors and worked on a roping arena located east of town. Notable also was the fact that this was the first year that the Elk Point chapter had girls participating.



The delegates for the FFA convention were Bruce Hanson and Ralph Lawrence.

Officers for this years chapter were FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Bruce Hanson, Reporter; Tim Staum, Sentinel; Pat Spain, Secretary; Kirk Laferriere, President; Ralph Lawrence, Vice President; and Jerry Schmitz, Treasurer. Advisor was Mr. Keith Kuchenbecker.



The State Farmer Award went to Jerry Schmitz this year. Along with this award he was also selected as State Treasurer.



Audio Visual manager is Randy Rumelhart. He is now at his job as an A.V. worker.



Librarians were FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Twyla Hummel, Cindy Mead, Mary Limoges, George VonHaden, Paula Henke, Francine Peniska, Beth Tucker, Barbara Pecha, Barb Spain, Mrs. Bryan and Miss Thompson. NOT PICTURED is LuAnne Carroll.

This year the librarians and audio-visual workers put on a 50's dance which turned out to be one of the most successful dances of the year.

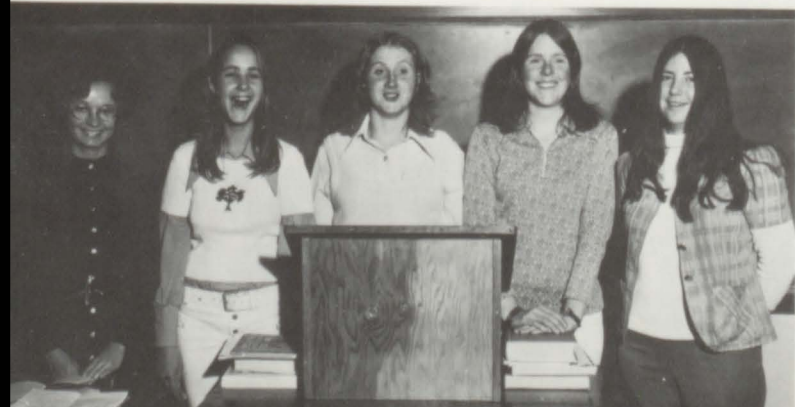
The librarians were responsible for keeping the library books in order and helping people check books in and out.

The audio-visual workers helped the teachers by carrying, setting up and working if necessary the machines in the audio-visual room.

The Declam team went to one contest this year. It was held in Canton, South Dakota. The Declam team was under the supervision of Mrs. Johnson.

Chase!

Declam- Mrs. Johnson advisor, declam team included were Barb Spain, Cindy Pierce, Julie Curry and Cathy Talbott.



Audio-visual workers were FROM LEFT TO RIGHT;
FIRST ROW: Scott Westin, Mike Connolly, David Livingston, Pat Spain and Dan Connolly. SECOND ROW: Randy Rumelhart, Craig Westin, Brian Hanson, Keith Rosembaum, Clifford Haines, Tim Talbott and Gene Zachow.





Seniors: Janice Elkins, Cathy Talbott, Martha Boomgaarden, Sue Patnaude, Terri Corio, Cindy Pierce and Glenna Schulz.

BELOW, Freshmen: Marguerite Hinds, Sheryl Elkins, Linda Geary, Dawn Petty, Francine Peniska, and Theresa Pratt.

Sophomores: Kim Rosenbaum, Dianna Dunham, Charlene Morris, Susie Beach and Crystal Haines.



Narrators were Sylvia Hanson and Mary Chicoine.

Fashion Farm



Seniors: Jan Peterson, Tari Bennett, Ann Curry, Denise Chicoine, Debbie Shearon, Kathy Steckelberg, Cindy Mead, and Cathy Morris.

The 1974 Style Show opened with the sophomore prom servers singing "Seasons in the Sun", the theme song of the prom, which had been held the previous Saturday night.

Following their entertainment, the seventh and eighth grade girls sang "Big Red Apple" to the tune of "Tie a Yellow Ribbon" and modeled their aprons and smock tops.

Next, the freshmen, sophomore, and senior classes modeled their pant suits, dresses, and evening wear.

The style show was a success under the direction of Miss Vondrak.

Sophomores: Barb Pecha, RoseAnn Burcham, Lois Price, Linda Ramesbotham, Vidki Wheelock, Susan Beach, Clarissa Chicoine.

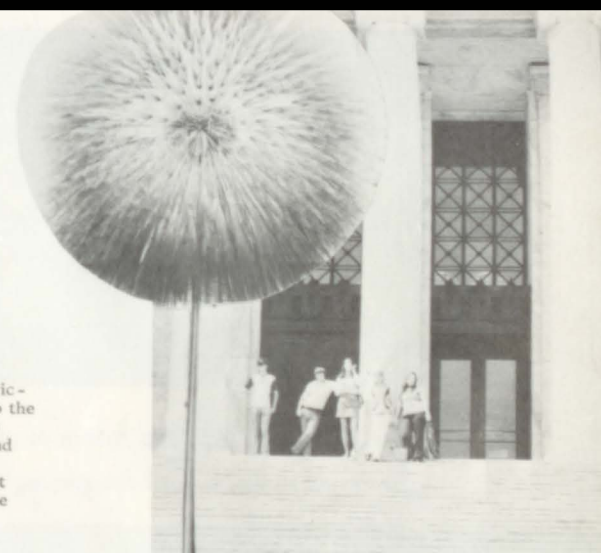




Art II students Marvin Knecht, Laura Larsen, Kathy Steckelberg, Marcie Chicoine and Tari Bennett made props for the mixed chorus number "Fiddler on the Roof" at the Spring Concert and Art Show.



One of the group projects undertaken by the first year art students was painting the school trash cans. Each can displayed two designs, one on each side, to encourage a cleaner environment.



Senior art students participated in a field trip to the Jocelyn Art Museum in Omaha. SEATED around the main fountain and STANDING on the front steps of the museum are Craig Carroll, Rose Rumelhart, Martha Boomgaarden, Deb Donnelly, Bill Chicoine and Mrs. Kettering.



Artists and Models



Many varied forms of sculpture by Art I students.

The pieces of art exhibited at the Spring Concert and Art Show were representative of all the students in Art I a and II. The Art II students also displayed paintings, which were a first attempt by most of them. The results were surprisingly good and drew many favorable comments from the viewers.



An art lovers paradise.





"Pointer" editor



These people made beautiful music together.



Seniors leave us their talents and treasures.

Jack Pot!

This is the day everyone's been waiting for, when all our hard work pays off. Besides all the usual awards like band, annual, scholarship, etc., we had some new ones. This was the first year girls were able to letter in track, and some groups turned things around and gave their teachers awards.



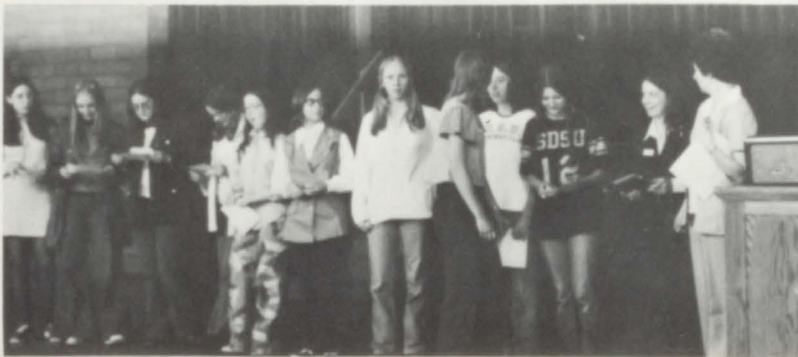
Sometimes even teachers get awards.

These guys love school so much, they just can't stand to miss a day of it.



Hey! Taht's us- the annual staff!

Home Ec awards





The salutatorian and valedictorian really deserve their awards--It took 4 years to earn them!

Congratulations letter winners!



Our Homemaker of Tomorrow
--Marcie Chicoine.

The Arthur Murray Dance Party

The annual Valentine dance was highlighted with the crowning of (PICTURED LEFT) Queen Susie Beach and King Cliff Haines as the 1974 Sweetheart. Other Sweetheart candidates included (PICTURED 2ND FROM LEFT) Lois Jones, Scott Davis, Chuck Larsen, Glenna Schultz, Brad Fowler, and Denise Jones. The gym was decorated by the Student Council.

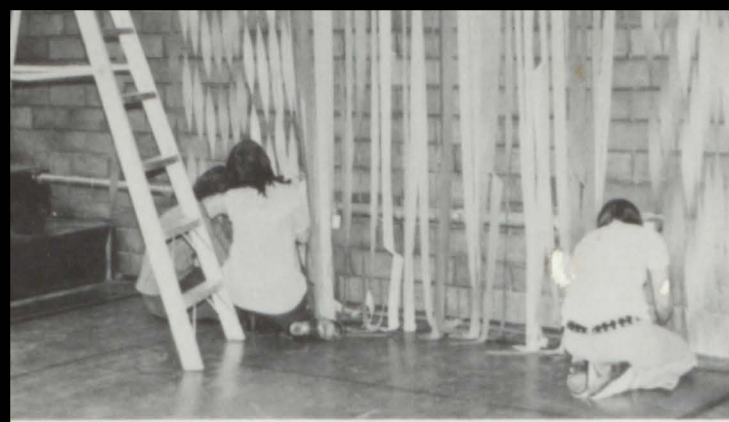
The 50's dance was considered a big success. (PICTURED 2ND FROM RIGHT) Beth Tucker, Scott Westin, Twyla Hummel, Paula Henke and NOT PICTURED Cindy Mead were Librarians and A.V. workers who planned and organized the 50's dance. Marguerite Hinds (PICTURED RIGHT) captured the prize for the most typical 50's costume. Mark Turner won the boys costume prize. All girls in attendance wore the long skirts, bobby socks, and pony tails. The boys brought out the "greasy kid stuff" to grease back their hair.



Another World

P. 50 UPPER LEFT- The juniors are busy getting the gym ready for the dance. CENTER LEFT- Master of Ceremonies Russ KJose. CENTER- The prom servers doing their thing. CENTER RIGHT- Kerry and Susan head out to the dance floor. BOTTOM LEFT- Mrs. Johnson giving her memorable speech; Steph and Mark, pay attention! BOTTOM CENTER- The faculty showing their back side! BOTTOM RIGHT- Cindy and Glenna with Mike and Barb in the background listening to the band.

P. 51 UPPER LEFT- Bill Mark, Laura, Jeanette and Joe pose in front of the mural for a pic. UPPER CENTER- Dancers take a rest during a band break. UPPER RIGHT- Marvin and Rhonda taking pictures to remember the night. BOTTOM LEFT- Deb and Pat Chicoine pose under the apple blossom tree. BOTTOM CENTER- A shot of the dancers-Jim, smile! BOTTOM RIGHT- The punch bowl was a busy place.





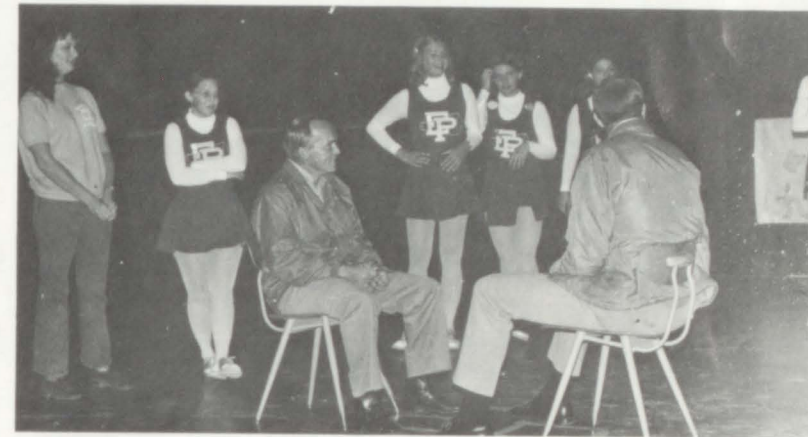
Midnight Special

"Seasons in the Sun" was the theme for the 1974 junior-senior prom and banquet. The Normandy in Sioux City, Iowa was the setting for the banquet. Russ KJose was the Master of Ceremonies while Mrs. Johnson and Mr. Swier spoke. The prom servers entertained by singing the song "Seasons in the Sun." After the dinner everyone ventured back to Elk Point for the dance. Music was by Geoffry B. C.





Pep Club Officers: AT LEFT Donna Malloy, Sec-Treas., Barb Thorson, Vice president, and Jeanette Tryon, President.



The band and even some teachers get in on the act at pep meetings.

Pep Club Members: KNEELING: Rhonda Burcham. FRONT ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: Tari Bennett, Jan Peterson, Julie Staum, Cindy Pierce, Mary Donnelly, Ann Matson, Marilyn Pecha, Rose Burcham, Lois Price, Linda Ramesbotham, Barb Pecha. SECOND ROW: Dena Robbins, Deb Shedd, Marcie Chicoine, Cathy Talbott, Janice Elkins, Donna Malloy, Vicki Wheelock, Twyla Hummel, Paula Henke, Jane Laferriere, Adelle Gapp. THIRD ROW: Dawn Petty, Mary Laferriere, Barb Spain, Rhonda Hoffman, Elizabeth Curry, Mary Chicoine, Donna Petty, George VonHaden, Colleen Richters, Julie Curry. FOURTH ROW: Clarissa Chicoine, Sylvia Hanson, Janet Nickles, Barb Thorson, Julie Van Bockern, JoAnne Thorson, Sheryl Elkins, Mrs. Sandy Tucker, Advisor. BACK ROW: Carol Hall, Terri Gates, Janelle Bowers, Mirza Nelson, Sue Patnaude, Stephanie Weber, Dawn Donnelly, Susie Beach, Susan Beach, Ann McInerney.

Our Second place float!

Not for Women Only

Assisting the cheerleaders in arousing school spirit, the pep club made its presence known at EPHS athletic activities. Mrs. Tucker, advisor, worked to improve spirit and overlooked all the activities.

The pep club worked together to build a float for the homecoming parade, and also sold pins.

On December 14, the pep club sponsored a Hillbilly Dance. The gym was converted into a "barn" with hay scattered all over to give it the barn atmosphere.

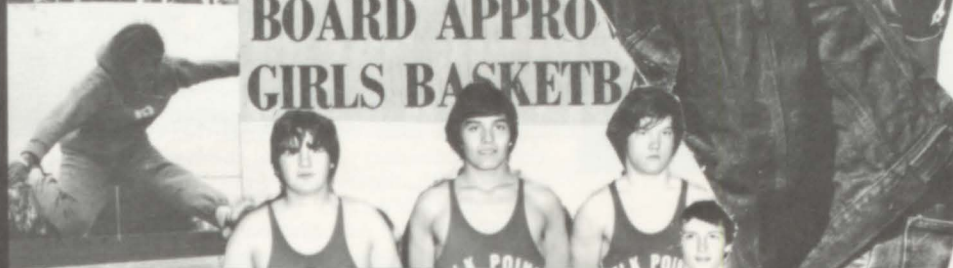


TRACK TEAM WINS REGION 5

The Elk Point track team won the Region V track meet at Sioux Falls on Friday and qualified for the state meet on Saturday 24 and 25.



BOARD APPROVES GIRLS BASKETBALL



SPORTS

Candid Camera shots of this year's "Sports Spectacular" reveal just a few of the many moments shared during the "thrill of victory and the agony of defeat". PICTURED LEFT TO RIGHT: Cross Country team-Hustle it up, boys! Jim Munhofen playing golf-FORE! Bill Chicoine in cross country-Our Superstar! Leslie Erickson jumping the hurdles-Grunt! Jerry Kyte, Jeff Fowler and Denny Olsen-Aren't they lovely? The coaching staff-What they don't know won't hurt them! Russ KJose-Saying his prayers before a big basketball game! Track team warming-up- and it's only Monday! George Von Haden, student manager-Seem to be everywhere! Football practice-Quit arguing! Kerry Livingston and Mark Turner-Big 8 Conference.





Freshmen Cheerleaders

Firehouse!

The Elk Point 1973-74 sports spectacular was lead by a total of 16 cheerleaders. Leading the Freshmen football and basketball players through their first year of high school athletics were L. TO R. Teri Gates, Mirza Nelson, Janelle Bowar and Carol Hall.

Leading the 'B' Team were four sophomores CLOCKWISE: Dawn Donnelly, Susie Beach, Ann McNerny, and Susan Beach. Even though the 'B' team had a losing football season, with a little strategy by both the cheerleaders and team, a winning basketball season was captured.

Giving all their support for an Elk Day victory, the cheerleaders presented themselves in the parade with cheers before the big game. SEATED FROM LEFT TO RIGHT are Carol Hall, Janelle Bowar, Ann Matson and Mirza Nelson.



The whole darn bunch.

'B' Team Cheerleaders



In the Elk Day Parade.





"A" Team, Basketball

Ozzie's Girls

'A' Team Basketball cheerleaders for the 1973-74 season were: (LEFT TO RIGHT) Sue Patnaude, Rhonda Burcham, Julie VanBockern and Stephanie Weber. Thanks to their cheers and a great basketball team, the Pointers put it all together for a winning season.

'A' Team Football cheerleaders consisted of the 'A' teams from basketball and wrestling. This was a new trend started at EPHS to extend the amount of support at football games.

The 'A' Team Wrestling cheerleaders are (PICTURED LEFT TO RIGHT) Donna Malloy, Jeanette Tryon, Mary Chicoine, and Ann Matson. These four girls put forth much effort and time to make a cheerleading squad for the wrestlers.



Cool Cat



'A' Team, Football



'A' Team, Wrestling

Wrestling cheerleaders in action.

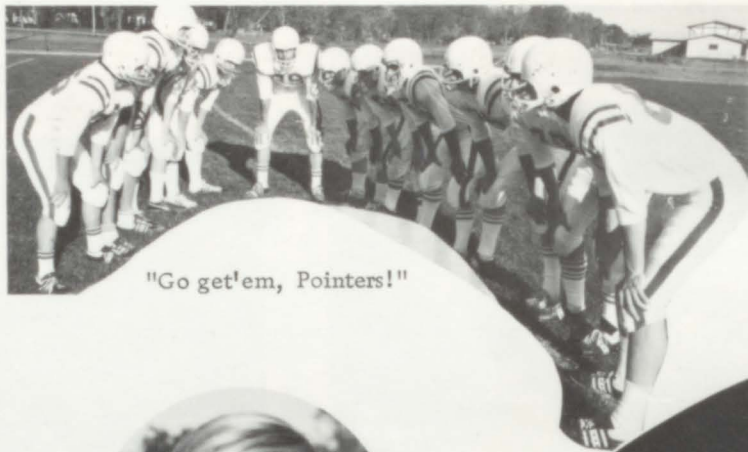




Jeff Fowler

Yard Markers

It took the Elk Point football team three games to crack into the win column, and from that game on the "Pointers" could only feel elation with good play execution or scoring on a strong opponent. A 6-0 win over the West Central "Trojans" spoiled their bid for a seventh consecutive homecoming victory. The team was dominated by underclassmen but it was the leadership provided by seniors, Kerry Livingston, Mark Turner, Marvin Knecht, Doug Young, Paul Hammitt, and Jeff Fowler that kept team morale at its best, and enabled the "Pointers" to improve each week against their larger opponents. Chosen for the Big "8" honor football squad were Kerry Livingston and Marvin Knecht, while Mark Turner, Paul Hammitt and Doug Young received honorable mention.



"Go get'em, Pointers!"



Marvin Knecht



1973 Football Team, BOTTOM ROW LEFT TO RIGHT: George VonHaden, Tim Staum, Scott Hoffman, Dennis Olsen, Craig Nelson, Marvin Knecht, Doug Young, Jeff Fowler, Kerry Livingston, Mark Turner, Paul Hammitt, Bruce Weber, Bill Pratt and Brad Fowler. 2ND ROW LEFT: Mike Shedd, Randy Livingston, Rodney Sundleaf, Spencer Albin, Bob Geary, Ralph Lawrence, Greg Brummond, Scott Davis, Rod DeSmet, Craig Schoen, Todd Zeller,

SEASON'S

OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Alcester. . . .	12	14
Canton	0	42
West Central. .	6	0
Dell Rapids . .	14	37

E.P.H.S. Friday Night Football

Doug Young

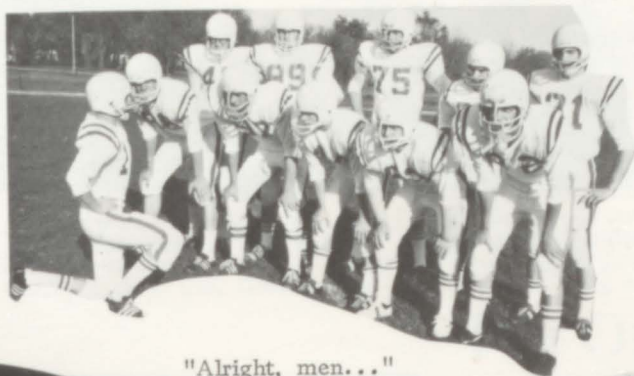




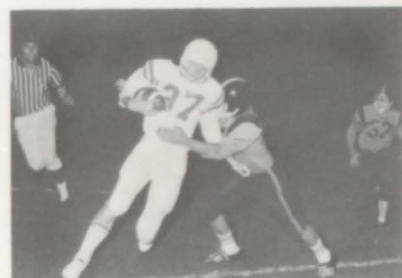
Alan Lanning, Tim Chicoine, Bob Davis and Mike Broderson. THIRD ROW: Assistant Coach Mick O'Connell, Coach Glen Nelson, David Livingston, Jeff Kayl, Brad Pererson, Mark Rubida, Dickson Jorgenson, Bruce Kroeger, Steve Bennett, John Curry, Marty McInerney, Rick Erickson, Jeff Merchant, Bill Teply, Kevin Curry, and Assistant Coaches John McIntosh and Daryl Fletcher.



Mark Turner



"Alright, men..."



"Pointers on the move"



RECORD.

Flandreau . . .	0	30
Beresford . . .	6	22
Lennox . . .	14	49
Brandon-Valley	8	30
Harrisburg . . .	27	34



Paul Hammitt

Wild Kingdom

Coaching the football teams were Mick O'Connell, Glen Nelson, Daryl Fletcher and John McIntosh. Coach Nelson echoed the feelings of the other coaches he is sure, when he stated that "he considered it a privilege to have been associated with a football squad with such fine character and dedication."



Kerry Livingston





Tim Curry



Jim Munhofen



Larry DeBuhr



Bill Chicoine
Dale Hieb



The following boys advanced to the Regional Cross Country Meet: Larry DeBuhr, Chuck Larson, Bill Chicoine, Tim Curry and Russ Kjose.

BELOW CENTER, the Cross Country team in action and showing us their winning style. The team had a very successful season and with six returning underclassmen, next year looks even better.

BELOW RIGHT, the team, consisting of, FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, David Rosenbaum, Dick Rosenbaum, Mike Hieb, Dale Hieb, Jim Munhofen, Greg Vinzant, Tim Curry, Larry DeBuhr, Bill Chicoine, Russ Kjose and Chuck Larson, relax after a hard workout of running in the park and through the streets. By the looks of their goofing around, the next days workout will be twice as hard.

BELOW LEFT, Looks like the sexy legs of a Cross Country runner, but whose?



Zoom!





The varsity basketball team FROM LEFT TO RIGHT are, Manager George Von Haden, Randy Livingston, Mike Hieb, Russ KJose, Dale Hieb, Marvin Knecht, Mark Turner, BACK ROW, Daryl Fletcher-assistant coach, Tim Curry, Todd Zeller, Doug Young, Rod DeSmet, Craig Schoen, Scott Davis, and Roger Schaffer-head coach.

The Outer Limits

The Varsity basketball team had a very successful season with a record of 12-4. Although the Pointers were favored to win the Regions, they took second place to Jefferson after an exciting and close championship game.

Five seniors will be lost next year, but the underclassmen are strong and Mr. Schaffer is convinced we'll have a winning team next year.

At the Big 8 Conference tournament in January we played and won over Beresford 60-45 and Dell Rapids 58-38 and lost to Flandreau 58-59.

We lost the District tournament to Jefferson 59-64 after defeating Gayville-Volin 83-69 and Irene 60-40.

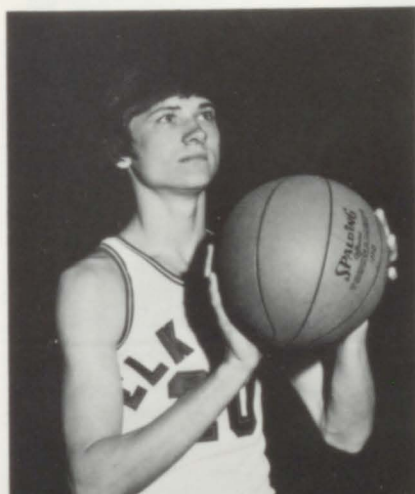
Doug Young



Mark Turner
Dale Hieb

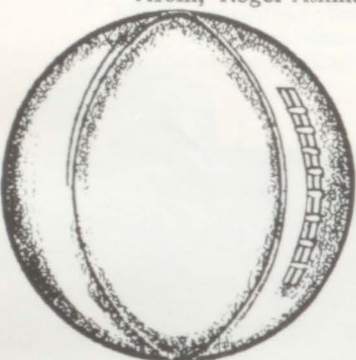


Marvin Knecht
Tim Curry





The Junior Varsity consisted of the following team members: FRONT L. TO R.- Tim Staum, Pat Spain, Randy Rehling, Craig Nelson, Mike Hieb, Chuck Larson, David Jones, and George VonHaden-manager. BACK- Mr. Daryl Fletcher-coach, Greg Vinzant, Todd Zeller, Richard Hofland, Tim Chicoine, Spencer Albin, Roger Ashmore, and Alan Lanning.



This Week in the NBA



The Freshman basketball team members were: L. TO R. David Hoffman, Bruce Kroeger, Marty McNerny, Reid Bird, Rick Erickson, Bill Teply, Mike Broderson, Mike Shedd, David Livingston, Bobby Davis, Kevin Curry, Mike Irwin, Mark Rubida, Melvin Knecht, and John Curry. They were backed by Coach John McIntosh.





You can open your eyes again, Mirza, you hit the ball.



Always under the watchful eye of Mrs. Tucker.



"I thought YOU were going to hit it!"

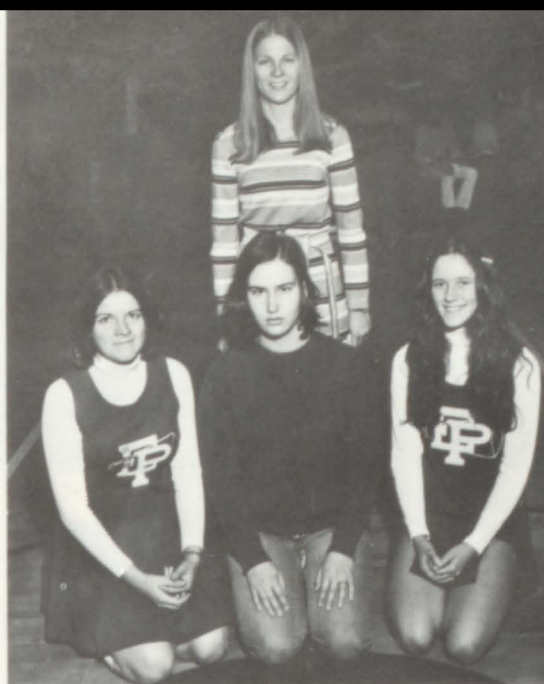
"But I thought YOU were!"



Show us that perfect serving form, Kim.



Cindy Mead makes the save!



GAA officers Stephanie Weber-president, Katy Slattery-secretary-treasurer, Mary Chicoine-vice-president. Mrs. Tucker was the advisor of this group who worked hard to make a successful GAA season.

Action '74



Go!

Go!

Volleyball Teams 1973

The Girls Athletic Association had two great seasons this year, with both volleyball and basketball being played by about 63 girls who signed up for GAA. The girls were divided up into 5 teams for volleyball and 5 teams in basketball. Mrs. Tucker was especially pleased with the senior girls who showed great enthusiasm this year and led the underclassmen as team captains. The girls used the new gym to play volleyball every Monday night. The basketball games were held in the auditorium every Tuesday. Tournaments were held for both sports. Because of the successful season this year, we're looking forward to an even better one next year.

TOP LEFT: (BACK ROW, L. TO R.) JoAnne Thorson, Susan Beach, Jane Laferriere, Colleen Richters, Dawn Petty; FRONT ROW - Mary Dee Donnelly, Cathy Talbott-captain, and Teri Gates. TOP RIGHT: BACK ROW - Mirza Nelson, Cindy Pierce-captain, Ann Erickson, Lois Gapp; FRONT ROW - Marilyn Pecha, Dena Robbins, and Vicki Wheelock. CENTER LEFT: BACK ROW - Katy Slattery, Charlene Morris, Leslie Erickson; FRONT ROW - Debbie Shearon, Cindy Mead-captain, and Mary Laferriere. CENTER RIGHT: Team captains Cindy Mead, Cathy Morris, Cindy Pierce and MISSING - Cathy Talbott. BOTTOM LEFT: BACK ROW - Donna Malloy, Adelle Gapp, Julie Staum, Gayle Hanson; FRONT ROW - Marcie Chicoine, Cathy Morris-Captain, and Ann McInerny. BOTTOM RIGHT: BACK ROW - Glenna Schulz, Twyla Hummel, Sheryl Elkins, Susie Beach, Nancy Raethz; FRONT ROW - Mary Chicoine, Stephanie Weber-captain, Dawn Donnelly and Elizabeth Curry. These were the championship winners for volleyball.





Stacy Guillaume, Jean Hall, Sylvia Hanson, Mirza Nelson. BOTTOM ROW- Keise Holden, Ann Curry, Dawn Donnelly, and Charlene Morris.



Team Captains Cathy Morris, Keise Holden, Glenna Schulz, Cindy Pierce, Cathy Talbott, Marcie Chicoine, and MISSING Cindy Mead.



The Brady Bunch

Susan Beach, Barb Spain, Mary Laferriere, Deb Shedd. BOTTOM ROW- Adelle Gapp, Janelle Bower, Stephanie Weber, and Cathy Morris.



Carol Hall, Julie Staum, Deb Shearon. BOTTOM ROW- Kathy Steckelberg, Cindy Pierce and Mary Chicoine.

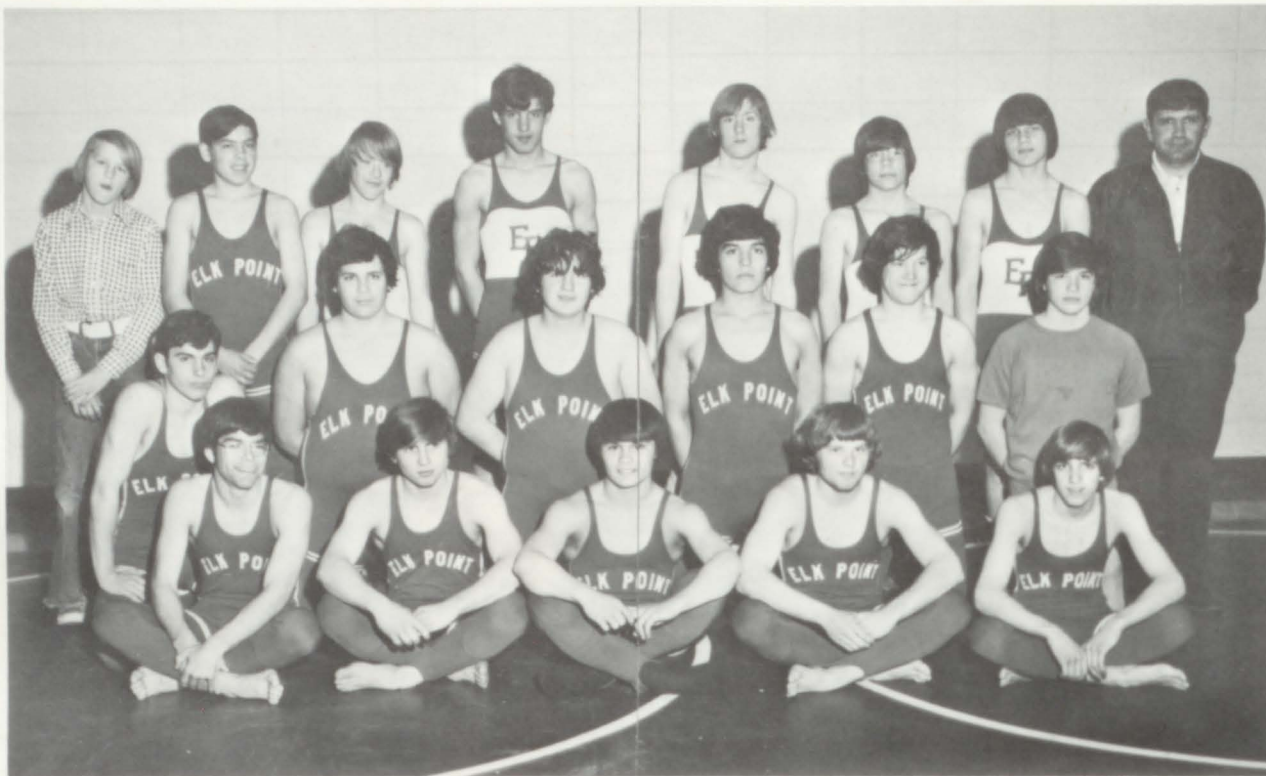


The whole fun-loving bunch!

Marcie Chicoine, Rhonda Hoffman, Jane Laferriere, Lois Gapp, Susie Beach. BOTTOM ROW- Glenna Schulz, Terri Gates, Ann McInerney, and Katy Slattery.



indy Mead, Mary Donnelly. BOTTOM ROW- Sandy Smet, Elizabeth Curry and Kim Rosenbaum.



PICTURED (LEFT TO RIGHT AND SEATED) are Kerry Livingston, Dallas Harkness, Brad Fowler, Joe Hall, Chuck Hartsock; KNEELING are Bruce Hanson, Bill Collingwood, Jerry Kyte, Jeff Fowler, Denny Olsen, and Jeff Kayl; STANDING are Brent Munhofen, Brian Hanson, Duane Kavanaugh, Steve Bennett, Craig Limoges, Danny Guillaume, Scott Westin and Coach Mick O'Connell.

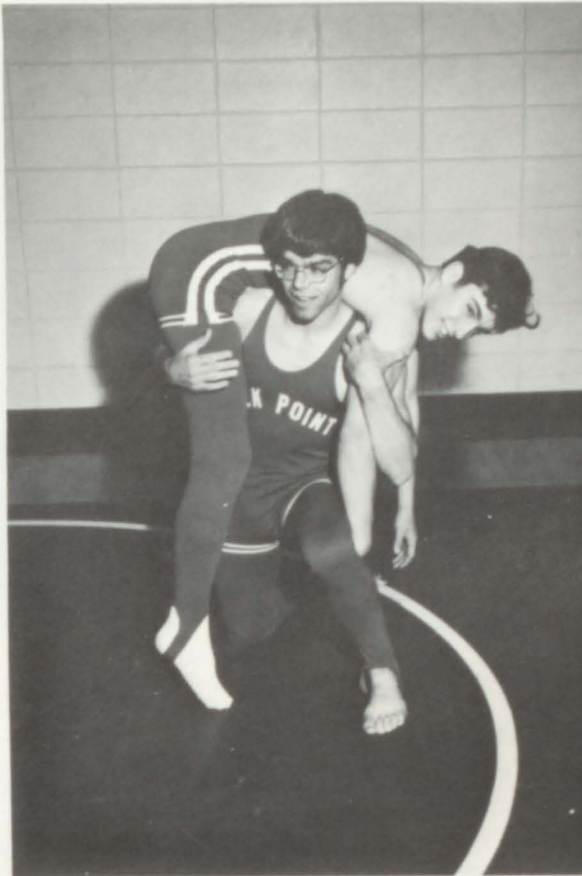
Split Second

Dallas Harkness, Joe Hall and Chuck Hartsock represented Elk Point High this year in the South Dakota State Wrestling Meet this season.



Donna Malloy, Jeanette Tryon, Mary Chicoine, and Ann Matson were the wrestling cheerleaders this year. Hard work and much time was put forth by them in order to put it all together.



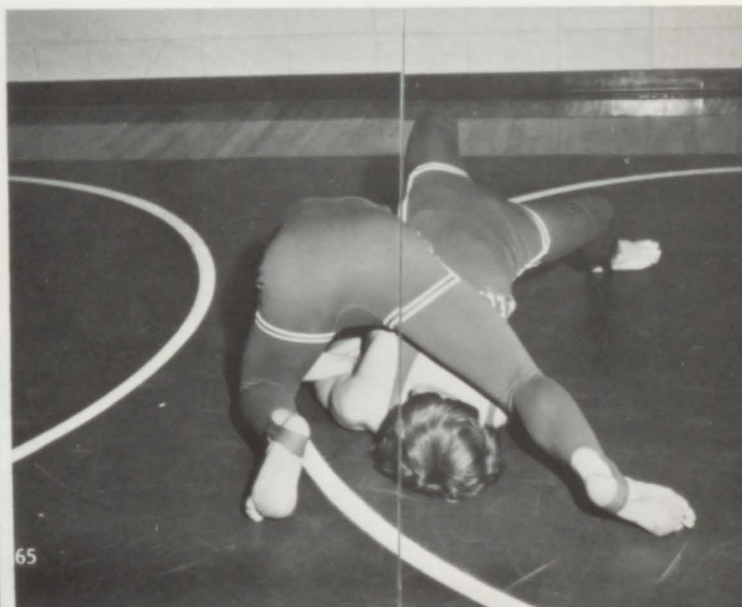
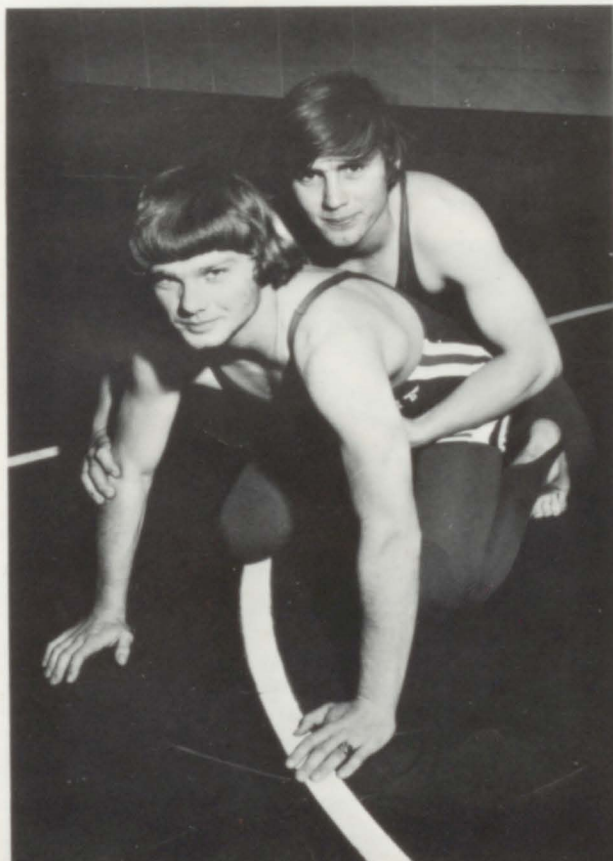


SEASON'S RECORD

Tyndal	50	EPHS	9
Canton	44	EPHS	13
West Central	46	EPHS	7
Vermillion	55	EPHS	2
Brandon Valley . . .	45	EPHS	15
Parker	27	EPHS	31
Dell Rapids	34	EPHS	23
Lennox	42	EPHS	9
Flandreau	43	EPHS	11
Akron	39	EPHS	14
Beresford	40	EPHS	17
Alcester	36	EPHS	24

Kung Fu

Although the season didn't hold a lot of wins for the Elk Point grapplers, the team did place 4th at the Spring Invitational, 3rd at the District Tournament and 24th at the State Tournament. ABOVE LEFT: Jeff Fowler and Jerry Kyte indulge in a tough workout. ABOVE RIGHT: Kerry Livingston shows us his muscular ability by lifting Bruce Hanson. LOWER LEFT: Joe Hall and Dallas Harkness pose for a picture as team captains. LOWER RIGHT: "Go get'em grapplers!!"





Girl's Golf Team: (LEFT TO RIGHT) Kate Slattery, Ann Curry, Mary Dee Donnelly, Keise Holden, Julie Van Bockern, Rhonda Joffman, Sylvia Hanson and Rhonda Burcham.

The Lee Trevino Hour

The 1974 girl's golf team captured six wins and three losses, while the boy's team took hold of an 8-8 win-loss season.

Returning lettermen for the 1974 spring season were: Rhonda Burcham, Mary Dee Donnelly, Jim Munhofen, Kate Slattery, Mark Turner, Julie Van Bockern and Todd Zeller.

Todd Zeller-sophomore, Mark Turner-senior, and Marty McInerney-freshman, took honors at the Class A and B combined, Region VI tournament in Yankton, and were eligible to participate in the State Tourney. Plans have been arranged for the girls to participate in the fall tournaments during the 1974-75 school year.



Boy's Golf Team: (LEFT TO RIGHT) Coach Mick O'Connell, Mike Broderson, Marty McInerney, Randy Rehling, Mark Turner, Jim Munhofen, Roger Ashmore and Todd Zeller.





The field events men were L. TO R. Larris Noble, Kerry Livingston, Bruce Kroeger, Brad Fowler, Steve Bennett, Alan Lanning, and David Hoffman.



Craig Nelson, Joe Hall, Randy Livingston, David Livingston and Reid Bird participated in the jumping events.



Alley-oop!

Assistant Coach Daryl Fletcher, Coach Rod Knutson, and Assistant Coach Glen Nelson.



Round and round he goes...



Distance runners were BACK ROW L. TO R., Tim Curry, Greg Vinzant, Ralph Lawrence, Scott Davis, Russ Kjose and Bill Chicoine, FRONT ROW, Dick Rosenbaum, David Jones, Kerry Livingston, Chuck Larsen and Dale Hieb.

Fun at the Races

The 1974 boy's track team had a very good season placing first in eight meets and second or third in three meets.

Many school records were broken this year. Tim Curry, Rod DeSmet, Jeff Jowler and Doug Young broke the mile relay record. The 880 yard relay was broken by Alan Lanning, Mike Hieb, Marvin Knecht, and Doug Young. Bill Chicoine broke the record for the two mile run and the two mile relay was broken by Bill Chicoine, Scott Davis, Ralph Lawrence, and Russ Kjose.

At the State Meet in Rapid City the two mile relay team placed third, and the mile relay team placed second. Congratulations, boys!

Sprinters were L. TO R. STANDING, Mike Connolly, Rod DeSmet, Doug Young, Jeff Fowler, and Larry DeBuhr, KNEELING, Marvin Knecht, Alan Lanning, Bob Davis, Mike Hieb, Jeff Hanson, and Rick Erickson.





David spots for Joe.



...and Craig came tumbling down.



Mirza, Susan, Susie, Sandy, Ann and Janelle made it to the State Meet.



Thank goodness for foam filled bags!



H. R. Puffinstuff



Come on girls, we're almost there!



Steve and Brad heft the shot put...



...and Jean gets ready to do her stuff.

Managers of the girl's team, Carol Hall and Cathy Talbott.



...while Cindy looks determined..

Up, up and away, Dawn!





The Jetsons

The field events participants for the 1974 girl's track team were L. TO R. BACK ROW, Elizabeth Curry, Leslie Erickson, Glenna Schulz, Mary Chicoine, Cindy Pierce, and Janice Elkins; FRONT ROW, Jane Laferriere, Mirza Nelson, Barb Spain, Jean Hall and Janet Nickles.



Coach Sandy Tucker poses with team captains Ann Erickson and Janice Elkins.

This was the first year that we had a girl's track team at Elk Point High School. All in all the girls had a very good season. After doing an exceptional job all season considering that this was their first attempt, they finished by placing first at the Region III Meet at Dell Rapids. As a result of their accomplishments, we now have a number of trophies in the case next to the trophies won by the boys!



PICTURED L. TO R. are the distance runners Ann Erickson, Mary Chicoine, Barb Spain, FRONT ROW; Denise Jones, Stacy Guillaume, and Donna Malloy.

The sprinters were L. TO R. BACK ROW, Janelle Bowar, Leslie Erickson, Ann McNerny, Dawn Donnelly, Janice Elkins, Elizabeth Curry and Sandy DeSmet. FRONT ROW, Mirza Nelson, Terri Gates, Janet Nickles, Susan Beach, Kathy Steckelberg and Susie Beach.





Some students find studying on the floor more down to earth.



Some teachers have their eye on you no matter where you study!

Summer Reruns

This past year many things have sped by with a lot of the "same old routine". Honor study hall may not be classified as old, but it has been in effect for two whole years. We decided to ask students how they felt about H.S.H. So here goes-

What are the advantages of honor study hall? "It's relaxing." "If you can have fun as long as you behave yourself." "You're able to study where you want and you're not required to study at that time." "You can work with others and get help when needed without permission to speak and a time limit." "I can study by myself." "It gives you a feeling the teachers trust you and you know that your grades are O.K." "I get a great sense of responsibility." "You learn to do things by yourself." "It makes you try harder." "You get to know the students better and to gain new friends." "It's a good excuse to goof-off." "It gives you access to all parts of the school and teachers when you need them."

What are the disadvantages of honor study hall? "You don't always get your work done." "None." "Some goof-off and disturb others." "It isn't open campus." "It's too hard to get on honor study hall." "You have to report for roll during certain periods." "Getting removed." "HSH students can make a lot of noise and disturb classes." "There are not enough places to go where it is quiet." "Your grades will suffer if not taken seriously." "The threats of removal."

Did your grades improve, worsen or stay the same while on HSH? 40% replied that they stayed the same, 20% felt they had improved, 6% said they had gotten worse, and 34% did not reply.

Would you like honor study hall to continue? 69% of the polled students would like the system to continue, 10% did not want it to continue, and 21% did not reply.

Do you think the system used for getting on HSH is a good one? Yes, replied 57%, 21% of those polled said no, and 22% did not answer.



No, Susan. I've told you a hundred times, the lazy daisy stitch is much nicer than the satin.

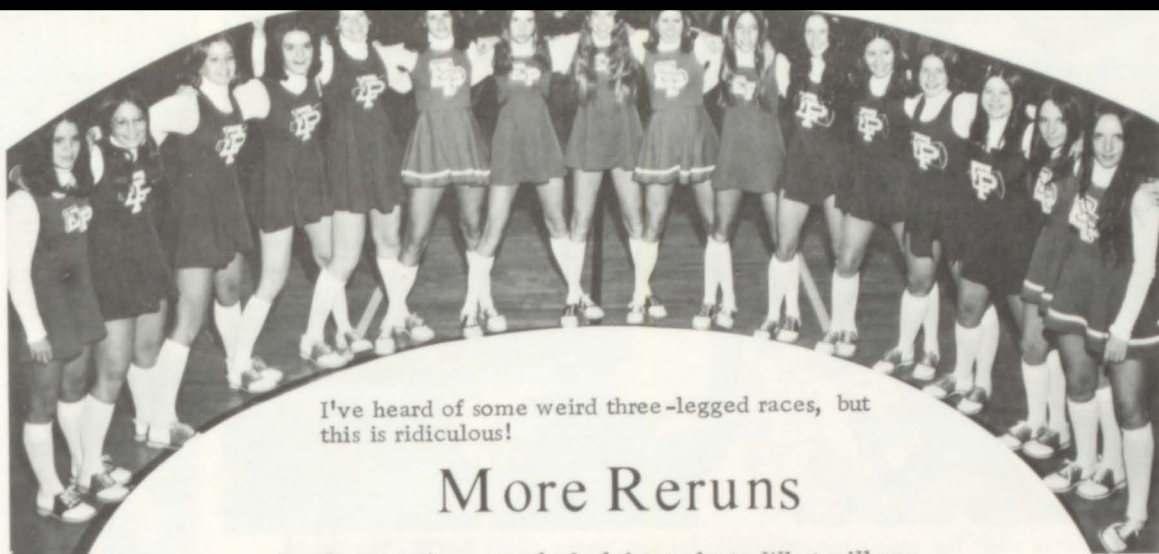


Somebody told these guys that exercise was good for the brain muscle.

Let's see who can finish their homework before we get to the center of the Tootsie Roll Pop!

Would you believe that some people actually studied during study hall?





I've heard of some weird three-legged races, but this is ridiculous!

More Reruns

Another question was asked of the students: What will you remember most that took place during the 1973-1974 school year?

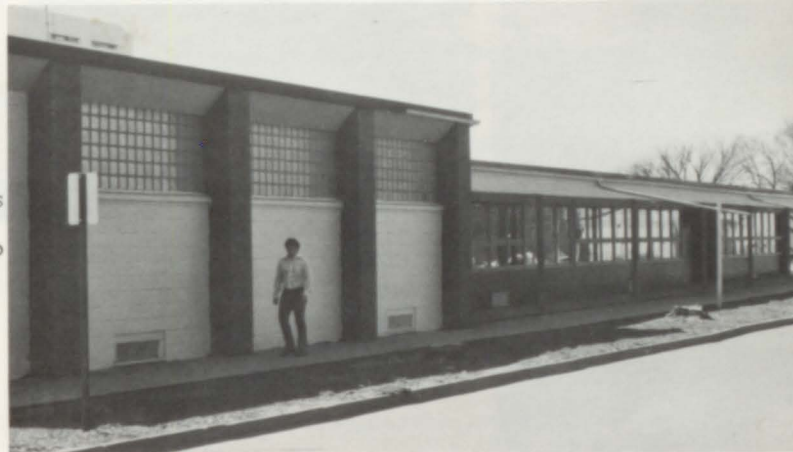
They replied: "Watergate, The Exorcist, Great Gatsby, streaking, All-State Band, Patricia Hearst, 50's dance, graduation, last day of school, Mr. McIntosh, American Graffiti, the prom, sports, Mrs. Johnson, the one day we got out of American history, the fight for the championship against Jefferson, the Hobo dance, the friends I gained, Vice President Spiro Agnew's resignation, football parties, the Sweetheart dance, Homecoming, the class plays, the Spring Concert, the repeal of honor study hall, marching in the Orange City and USD Homecoming parades, girls, Home Ec, the VD film, debate in speech class, girls athletics and cheerleading."

When they finish with my backyard we'll move them over to yours.

Alright! Alright! If it means so much to you, I'll lend you my government notes.



I know ther was SOMETHING I was supposed to do with this rake.



Anything to make the trip back to class last a little longer, eh, Craig?

If you think they look silly doing this, wait till you see what they're gonna do next!

What's cookin', guys?





These students were top magazine salesman for the junior class: BACK- Pat Spain, Larry Donnelly, Dennis Olsen, Randy Livingston, Marlon Hanson, Scott Hoffman, Tim Staum, Greg Vinzant, Greg Brummond, Rod DeSmet, and Dick Hofland; FRONT- Julie Curry, Julie VanBockern, Sylvia Hanson, Mary Chicoine, Beth Tucker, Paula Henke, Jane Laferriere, Barb Pecha, Twyla Hummel, Colleen Richters, Janet Nickles, Donna Petty, and Kate Slattery.



Susie in her yellow outfit.



Kevin and John with a shop project.



Larris concentrates for a perfect shot.



Martha models her new outfit.



Did they spell it right, Larry?



Take down!

Hut one, hut two....



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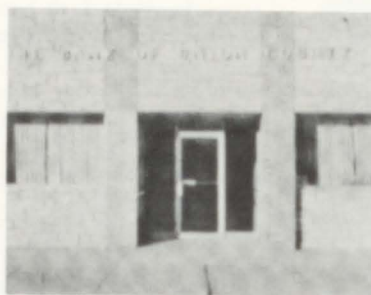
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