



FACTS

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A Time For Action

An Historic Event

Miss Rekucki Returns to Class

Although expected, it was still a surprise to see the most popular of all teachers leave class to act as the Senior High Counselor. Admittedly our Social Studies teacher did a jolly good job, school life ran smoothly, dress was neat, hair was truly short, short indeed.

But it could not continue as it did. The new senior class demanded senior privileges. Miss Rekucki returned to class by popular request, word reached seniors everywhere. Rejoicement echoed through the halls of BAHS, gleeful, happy laughter was in the rooms, a state of ecstasy, and supreme felicity with perfect harmony was felt within the heart of each and every senior.
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Activity Periods
Introduced
To BAHS

The "Activity Periods" for this year were introduced to BAHS last week. The activities have been divided into three groups -- Senior High, Junior or Senior High, and Junior High.

Open to the Senior High only are the following clubs: The Audio Frequency Club which is supervised by Mr Hall. Mr Cook and
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First Official Meeting Of
All Student Council Members

The first meeting of the executives of the Student Council was called to order by our President, Bob Gardner, on September 28th.

A rather interesting subject opened the meeting -- money in the Student Council treasury. At present, the amount in the treasury is not available.

Plans for the Homecoming, October 28th, were discussed but as of yet there is nothing definite.

Miss Rekucki suggested setting up a calendar for the complete year, considering a study of the constitution and revising it, as well as a specific Code Of Conduct.

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To The Reader

A Time For Action

With this Editorial our school newspaper's declared policy, of discussing topics only within the school's immediate reach, is being opposed, our known lighter side avoided. The following problem is an emergency, more serious than can be imagined.

Friday, October 6th, 1967--- The International Herald Tribune, a column by Joseph Alsop, a column called.....

"The Major's Message of Victory" it is written by a man actually on the scene, the scene.....

Phu My district, Buih Diuh Province, Vietnam. A single experience is related, one event of many. American troops defending freedom in a foreign land, and a Major, a Major John Drew.

"We're really hurting for a junior high school. But considering we had to convert soldiers into teachers and scrounge for lumber for the desks from ammunition boxes, I guess we ought to be pleased we have the grade schools open."

This American is trying to help the lives of 60,000 Vietnamese, the education problem is one of his preoccupations.

Mr J. Alsop says, "This Major and his friends in the Air Cavalry, and all the other Americans who are also putting to the wheel in Vietnam, really do not appear to belong to the same nation as the higher thinkers at home. Maybe they are ghosts of an earlier, bolder, truer America, but for the moment thank God, they are very vigorous ghosts."

"Half a district in hand does not make a countryside taken over from the V.C., any more than one swallow makes a summer. But if it can be done here, it can be done anywhere. The enemy forces are beaten, that's the message to be taken away".

In the name of BAHS. I call for a school to school programme, the formation of an organization of all military schools in Europe to work on the development of constructive plans to aid such a worthy cause.

The ideal would be for each American school to adopt a Vietnamese one and to assist the adoptee in every way possible.

For us, to whom education and freedom have become habitual, it is our responsibility to offer other people and peoples the same opportunity.

We cannot buy friends by giving them an education, food, machinery, and other economical or political help.

However if we give them the opportunity to be taught to think freely and clearly, in the long run they will be on the side that believes in liberty of thought and choice, in individual value and in peace, for this increasingly and rapidly shrinking world.

Peter Hughes

Responsibility

Mr. Paul F. Le Brun, our principal, has on a number of occasions pointed out the fact to the student body that we, the students of BAHS, are living in an "Outpost of Democracy", in a foreign country. We are representatives, for better or for worse, of the United States. To many of these people in Germany we are going to be the first and only impression of our country. It is therefore necessary that we must accept the responsibilities this position brings with it, we have no choice, and there should not really be a problem in choosing, or rather accepting this fact.

Recently, and on a number of occasions, there has been reason to emphasize this.

To the graduating class of '68, a class with senior privileges, let us

set an example for our whole school and the student body.

World War II is long past, we are living in an allied country, we have the people as well as the customs to respect. Let us not forget it.

Peter Hughes

Who's Who in BHS

Most popular? Cutest? These are the questions the BHS'rs had to ponder and here are the results people have been eagerly awaiting. Surprisingly enough, a number of ties resulted for certain titles.

Here they are then - The RESULTS!

7th Grade....

Most Popular: Angie Brown
Ben Ashurst
Best Personality: L. Personett
C. Smentek
Most Likely to Succeed:
Marilyn Ishmaru
George Long
Friendliest: Cathy Coats
Kenny Pruitt
Cutest: Rissa Backman
Frank Mand
Most Athletic: J. Szymzyk
S. Spraggins
Wittiest: Debby Wheeler
Steve Monkus

8th Grade....

Most Popular: Barbra McClead
Richard Black
Best Personality: B. Jones
G. Taylor
Most Likely to Succeed:
Lillian Ishimaru
Mike Dane
Friendliest: Verna Van Duyne
J. Klinikowski
Cutest: Beatrice Seyen
Ken Cousin
Most Athletic: S. Harrison
C. Granger &
V. McCoy
Wittiest: Michele LeBrun
Carl McCoy

9th Grade....

Most Popular: Suzie Wells
Curt Fuhlte
Best Personality: H. Wilcox
Chris Stern
Most Likely to Succeed:
M. Callehan & L. Sheldon
Robert McGuffin
Friendliest: G. McClead, M.
Clary & K. Hansen
Bob Wyman
Cutest: Laura Coats
C. Natzke, M. Devil-
biss & Mike Graham
Most Athletic: Janice Kelly
Herbie Black
Wittiest: Meg Baldwin

10th Grade....

Most Popular: R. Chumley & G.
Taylor
Jari Chaney
Best Personality: D. Bromberg
C. Estrada
Most Likely to Succeed:
Linda Dagen
C. Westenhoff
Friendliest: Mary Causgrove
Todd Darress
Cutest: Vickey Peterson
Neil Quesnel
Most Athletic: Inja Gross
Cleo Johnson
Wittiest: Cindy Neeb
Chuck Flockhart

11th Grade....

Most Popular: Jeri Hansen
Mike Stingel
Best Personality: L. Meitner
R. Holmes
Most Likely to Succeed:
Kim Fletcher
H. Ashcraft
Friendliest: Dee Dee Clary
Bud Weaver
Cutest: Isabelle Laucka
T. J. Winter
Most Athletic: Lynn Lewis
Mike Dorcik
Wittiest: Kathy Kelly
John Tatman

Seniors....

Most Popular: Molly McCord
Bob Gardner
Best Personality: Cindy Lee
Gerry Griffin
Most Likely to Succeed:
Debi Long
Fred Harris
Friendliest: Joy Wyman
Steve Daly
Cutest: Roxanne Taylor
Bruce Mahin
Most Athletic: J. Whittaker
Brian Walker
Wittiest: Tina Wertenbaker
Dave Puchrik

And here, the final results:

Most Popular: Molly McCord
Dean Weisner, Brian Walker
& Mike Stingel (Junior)
Best Personality: Debi Long
Steve Daly
Most Likely to Succeed:
Joy Wyman
Bob Gardner

Junior High Ready to Revolt ???

With the student council elections, a tremendous controversy began in school. The 7th and 8th graders were not allowed to vote. Temperatures rose to the boiling point in pro and con arguments about allowing these young citizens to vote. The following letter, one of many, probably expresses their feelings better than most. Now that plans are being made to separate the student council into a Senior High and a Junior High, school appears to be on the verge of disaster.

Letter to the Editor.....

What, I ask, Machiavellian cunning is responsible for the section of our school constitution that so deceitfully poaches on the legitimate right of the 7th & 8th graders to vote in the student council elections? This is a warning, take notice, defenseless student council members. Neither Moses, Cyrus, Theseus, nor Romulus would have been able to make their laws and institutions observed for any length of time if they had not been prepared to enforce them with arms. You have no weapons! We 7th & 8th graders are far from blood-thirsty! We do not wish to engage in campus skirmishes. This would lead to a "war" between brothers, most distasteful indeed! It is therefore up to the whole student body to see that we receive what is rightfully ours, a voice in government. If this right is suppressed, it will surely be the beginning of the end for what our fathers fought.

7th grader S.S. assisted by 9th grader Howie B. and a couple of 12th graders.

Footnote: Rampaging senior High Students were caught in the act of using under classmen as locker decorations, how will this end?



1. Who Caught a Fish?
2. I Caught a Fish
3. We Caught a Fish on Ku'Damm

My name is Saltzburg, Richard S. Saltzburg. I'm a senior at BAHS. My friend, Hughes and I were on the Ku'Damm the other day, to be precise, on October 9th. We caught a fish. We caught a fish on Berlin's most famous boulevard.

During 3rd period, the period we call "breakfast happiness", we lunched downtown, in downtown Berlin. It was truly a pleasant day, the sun was bright, there were girls, indeed pretty girls. Peter and I relaxed and enjoyed, we sat back and gazed at pretty-ness - we really ate it up. This lull was disturbed, interrupted by a blood chilling yell - "what's that in the air, a flying fish - yeah!!!"

Cars were zipping by and I, Richard, a soft hearted gentleman, jumped out of the car, wheeled and bobbed through the rushing traffic and rescued the slippery being, which had now landed on the strasse. I saved the fish with tears in my eyes. Gills pleading for air - the fish could not live for long - what could we do?

We arrived at school, our kleine liebe was dead. The kitchen gave us a titanic bag filled with ice to keep our fish cold. The home economics rooms willingly took the little friend under their protective wings.

We ate the fish. We ate the fish last night - it was extremely enjoyable. I can see it!

A true life experience - RS & PH