

Bear in Down

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Executives Turn Over Offices

by Elizabeth Waldron

On May 20th Student Council elections were held in the gym. There were four offices to be filled; secretary, treasurer, vice president, and of course president.

The elections began with Diana Pederson introducing her candidate for secretary Elizabeth Waldron. Elizabeth gave her speech and being the only candidate in the running, it concluded those positions.

Jennie Felker preceded by the introduction of Laurie Barsh the only candidate for treasurer Laurie also gave her speech.

The vice presidency on the other hand was challenged by first, Time Felker who was introduced by Steve Hoefer. And last Tom Britton who was introduced by both Silvia Alexander and Laura Greenwalt.

Camelot is a very successful "knight"

by Diana Pederson

One of Berlin American High School's most popular events finally took place on Saturday, May 22nd.

The long awaited Prom with the theme, Camelot, was a success. Although the juniors faced many difficult problems and disappointments, Mrs. Poethke and a few hard-working juniors overcame these obstacles.

At 7:00 Mark Millen, Junior Class President, welcomed the guests. This was followed by an invocation by Father Loftus. A dinner of Steamship Round, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Rolls and Butter, Salad and Ice Cream was then served.

Later in the evening, Sun Explosion provided music, and class prophecies and wills were read. The traditional coronation was performed by Dr. Jack. Souvenirs of this medieval event were photographs and "Camelot" glasses.

This successful Prom will be long remembered by those who attended.

Merits Given At Assembly

Sam Anderson Jr.

On Wednesday the 26th of May 1982 the students of Berlin American High gathered into the Outpost Theater for the 1981/82 Awards Assembly.

The purpose of the assembly is to honor students with scholastic excellence or who have received an award worthy of public acclaim. Recognized were students from every class, but the majority of scholars were from the senior class.

Maj. General J.G. Boatner took time out of his schedule to come and speak at the assembly, but he was only among the many with something to say, other speeches came from members of the Berlin Scholarship Committee and various other community organization.

Wine/red and white ribbons with a silver medallion engraved with the Berlin Bear and the winners names. These merits were given to students outstanding in various areas of academic curriculum.

Steve Hoefer and Mark Lewis gave their candidate Mark Millen a introduction. Mark preceded in giving his speech for the presidency. Campaign manager Eric Flint introduced his candidate for presidency Larry Speer. Larry gave his speech and then the voting began.

The new 1982-83 Student Council officers are as follows: secretary-Elizabeth Waldron, treasurer-Laurie Barsh, vice president-Jim Felker and president-Mark Millen.

POLAND REVISITED

by Debbie Stowell

As some of you may have previously heard, the Student Council was planning a can drive which would be sent to Poland some time before June. However, since it was thought of so late in the year and T.A.R. is already in the process of sending Poland care packages, the committee on this issue, headed by Mark Millen and Mark Lewis, decided to help the people at T.A.R. with their project.

The idea of having a can drive was first brought up by Ms. Geller at a student council meeting several weeks ago, after she had spoken with a member of T.A.R. who was involved with their schools project.

Since time will not allow BHS to hold their own drive, members of Student Council will be going over to T.A.R. to help sort out clothes and assemble the packages, sometime next week.

Dr. Jack Speaks Out on 1981-82 School Year

by Dr. Jack

You can't pick up a magazine, watch television, or listen to the radio during the course of a year without hearing what's wrong with our schools. But then, you can't without reading or hearing about an accident or murder either. Our holidays are not reported in terms of the happiness that occurs on those days, rather we judge our holidays on our reports of the number of people killed on our highways.

Good news, it seems, doesn't attract readers, viewers, or listeners. That is why I am very happy to have this opportunity to allow you, the students and parents to know well what is right with the Berlin American High School . . . as I see it!

There are many events to "crow" about in our school. Number one would be the short time left before school year 81-82 will become history and how we all look forward to the end of the school! Another year at BAMS without any major catastrophes!

This has also been a good year of great significance in the increased level of student responsibility and participation. Our athletes and students who participate in other class activities have competed hon-

Goodbye to the
Class of 1982

Graduation-June 5

Baccalaureate May
30



NHS INDUCTION HELD

by Grace Soltys

On Friday the twenty-first of May during sixth hour, a National Honor Society induction was held in the Learning Resource Center. Peter Boatner, Beth Deasy, Rodney Kennard, and Doris Schultze were received as new members into the Society.

The guest speaker for this event was LTC John Toner. Elizabeth Waldron, Diana Pederson, Larry Speer and Jubin Goodarzi spoke on the four criteria of the National Honor Society: Leadership, Scholarship, Service, and Character. Mr. Stowell accepted the new members on behalf of the faculty.

A reception was held in the Learning Resource Center after the induction ceremony for the new members and their parents.

Meetings were held at a later date to determine next year's NHS officers. This year's officers were Grace Soltys, Carrie Huml and Mark Lewis.

orably for their school and community in competition with schools in the DoDDS North Region. In the area of curriculum, several new offerings were initiated to meet the needs of our community and students. For example, we started a new class call the Model United Nations, called the Model United Nations which succeeded extremely well in meeting the needs of the students who participated in the Model United Nations; held at the Hague each year. We also offered a SAT preparation course to help some of our college-bound students better themselves on this national test. We also developed a wheel exploratory so developed a wheel exploratory course for the 7th and 8th graders to allow them to gain experience in several areas of the curriculum so that they can make wiser choices during their high school years.

We are pleased to announce that one of our seniors, Bridgit Toner, received a nomination to the Merchant Marine Academy and we are anxiously awaiting the final decision on her nomination. Likewise, two other BAMS students, Jim Triplett, and Mark Lewis, were nominated for the Air Force Academy. However, these two students did not receive appointments. Although Mark Lewis

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SENIOR NEWS

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Seniors Review SY'82

by Kenda Hehn

As yet another school year comes to a close at BAHS, the Seniors of this year have a lot to look back on. There was a widely involved year.

Even before school started last fall, the Senior Class was planning a well-organized year with a school orientation tour for the new Seniors attending BAHS.

During the action-filled Spirit Week and Homecoming, the Seniors again showed how great their class was by winning the hall decorations, the Powder Puff football game, and their float "Dog the Barons."

Another attraction that came at that time of the year was the infamous '82-mobile that decorated the Student Union one morning.

The Senior Class also won the ACS can drive.

At Baccalaureate, a chorus of ten Seniors will sing one number and Susan Setzer and Suzanne Wood will respectively read a poem and a few psalms. The Senior Class President (Peggy Vine), Vice President (Tracey Turner), and the Student Council President (Tom Hesse) have speeches prepared for Baccalaureate.

Of course, the big moment will arrive on June fifth, when the Seniors of 1982 participate in the Commencement Exercises and become proud graduates of Berlin American High School.

Mr. South Aids Seniors

by Peggy Vine

Mr. Donald South, the Senior Class Advisor, has done a great deal for the Class of 1982 this year.

He has helped the Seniors to accomplish a great many things this year. He, and the class officers, helped to get the Senior Exam schedule passed, organized the Baccalaureate and Graduation ceremonies, and spent a great deal of time working for the Class.

A sponsor is very important to any organization if it is to run smoothly. They deal with the administration and help the officers deal effectively with the administration in order to help ideas and problems become voiced and activated.



Seniors prepare to go

by David Melvin

The following schedule is a list of activities for the Seniors for the remaining school year.

June 1: Locker clean-out at 8:30. Graduation practice. Caps and gowns to be handed out also at 9:30. Buses will take Seniors to TCA.

June 2-4: No school for Seniors.

June 5: Graduation! at TCA at 4:00 pm. Seniors must be at TCA by 3:00. There will be a reception for parents and guests after ceremony at the Flughafen Restaurant.

Senior Pres. Bids Adieu

by Suzanne Wood

In an interview with 81-82 Senior class president Peggy Vine, she gave her thoughts and impression of her last year at BAHS.

Peggy felt that the most constructive achievement of this year's Senior Class was their sponsorship of the 1981 Homecoming Dance. She thought that it came off particularly well, and credits the Seniors with organizing it.

When asked what didn't go off as well, Peggy cited the ACS Can Drive Dance, saying she was disappointed that the opportunity wasn't used.

Peggy said that she considered the Senior year a learning experience for her and said of the Senior Class, "We've been one of the best Senior Classes, because we've done more for the school. This year, the administration has respected us, so they've worked with us."

Dr. Jack . . . Continued

did receive a four year Air Force ROTC scholarship which he will use at the University of Southern California for the next four school years. This is something to crow about for a school of any size. Of course, we can not even list the students who are succeeding in major colleges.

Twelfth Graders Excel

by Suzanne Wood

This year's Seniors were definitely winners. The Class of '82 proved itself both in Berlin and away from home. In Berlin, Seniors walked away with all the major class competitions, a feat not accomplished every year. The Senior float and hall decorations both won first place, and the Senior girls defeated the Juniors at Powderpuff football.

The Seniors also collected the most cans for the Christmas Can Drive.

Later, Seniors participated in DoDDS-wide competitions, again proving their skills. At MUN, MSC, and Music, Band, Speech and Drama Festivals, Seniors competed for and won awards, and Berlin earned the respect of many larger schools.

At Presidential Classroom, four Berlin Seniors represented Berlin before students from all over America.

The end year accomplishments of Seniors have been by far, the most impressive. Suzanne Wood won a National Merit Scholarship, the first from Berlin. Mark Lewis received a four year ROTC scholarship, after he, Bridget Toner, and James Triplet received nominations to various military academies.

But the greatest Senior achievement is yet to come. On June 5th, the class graduates, led by Valedictorian Susan Setzer and Salutatorian Grace Soltys. It is hoped that these students will go on to achieve even more success in later life.

Seniors Write Wills 'I, hereby bequeath...

The following seniors, being of sound mind and body, do hereby bequeath the following...

Russell Walton:

Whomever Needs it: My rapping abilities.

All of the Women: One day that I do not praise myself (I have to live through it).

Yhoshekia Loftin: Myself and my love- as long as you want it.

Suzanne Wood:

To Mark Lewis and Vince Lingner: A lifetime supply of pens and pencils so they don't have to steal anymore from unsuspecting friends.

To Mom and Dad: My thanks for their perseverance, love, and understanding with their oldest problem child.

Ronald Watt:

To Russell Walton: All the mirrors in the world and Yhoshekia and all the love and happiness that comes with her.

To Kevin Buckles: A couple of inches of my jumping ability so he can dunk consistently.

To Karen Kohn: I leave nothing, for this is a lady who has it all.

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1982



Peggy Vine:

To James Triplett: The body you've always wanted, but you'll never have.

To David Guerin: A girl like me.

Grace Soltys:

To Tim Hughes: A bible and a spelling lesson.

To Mike Moss: My UVA Preppy Handbook with an Izod LaCoste Shirt.

Thomas Hesse:

To the Seniors of 82: My Congratulations for a job well done.

Deborah Stowell:

To Matt Dover: A muzzle

To Becky: A month in a rehabilitation center to help you make it through the long months ahead.

Susan Setzer:

To Tim Hughes: A bathtub full of spaghetti and all my old, old, old, Sullivan jokes to use at college.

To Tracey Turner: A new Walkman and a friend who is not prejudiced.

To Mark Lewis: All my love (Just kidding Jennie)

Jennie Felker:

To Sue Setzer: No Way, he's MINE! (Just kidding Sue)

Carrie Huml:

To Eric Flint: A brand new harem, since his favorites are leaving.

To Suzanne Wood: A little organization so maybe she can find her belongings--occasionally.

Lissa Ahrens:

To Bridget: I'll shut my mouth forever.

To Butch: Aspirin for your headache.

Jubin Goodarzi:

To Mr. Sullivan's "Modest" Library: A new joke book and all of Arnold J. Toynbee's historical books.

Tim Hughes:

To Debbie Stowell: Three more years of growth.

To Mr. Huffer: A real math class.

To Mr. Chavies: color coordination.

Bobby Krasnican:

To All My Friends: A seeing eye dog for all the drunkin' weekends.

V. Phillippe Lingner:

To Larry Speer: A 15 foot portable lightpost and one years paid dues to Winos Anonymous.

Michael Moore:

To My Little Sister: I leave the shining hope of tomorrow with the know how to stay out of trouble and most of all, a lot of love.

Beth Koon:

To Becky Becker: A Wardrobe of clothes made from garbage bags by Calvin Klein.

Angela Jacob:

I leave my friendship to all the great friends I met at BANS.

Bryan Frazier:

To Mr. Leonard: I leave 50 boxes of drugs.

James Triplett:

To Bryan Frazier: A year subscription to the American Gigolo Mag.

Karen Kohn:

To Ron Watt: All my dreams of ever being tall.

Julie White:

To Mr. Blum: A class of "50 prompt" students who'll "do their duty"

Butch Reed:

To Miss Risner: To Love, Honor, and Cherish til death do you part. Best Wishes for a long future together.

Mark Robinson:

To Mrs. Bair: Who tried so hard to learn me good English, the knowledge that it weren't a lost cause.

David Guerin:

To the Drinking team: This summer vacation--to sober up.

Mike Moss:

To Mr. Chavies: Hedge Sheers

To Pamm Baker: A leash

Becky Becker:

To Beth Koon: An empty house to occupy.

To Larry Speer: A gerbil cage with a wheel to keep busy.

Maria O'Steen:

To Shelly: A grow in the dark keyhole.

To Baby Moose: A yang-yang.

Seniors Vote on Superlatives

by Chris McAnallen

The Senior Class of 1982 voted on their Senior Superlatives last week and the following were the results in both male and female categories.

Best Looking - Tim Hughes and Sharon McAuley,

Most Intelligent - Mark Lewis and Susan Setzer,

Most Athletic - Bryan Frazier and Trisha Lindsey,

Funniest - Bryan Frazier and Beth Koon,

Most Likely To Succeed - Mark Lewis and Suzanne Wood,

Most Serious - Terry Kennard and Carol Hobbs,

Biggest Flirt - Von Johnson and Debbie Stowell,

Best Top - Tim Hughes and Peggy Vine,

Best Bottom - Kevin Buckles and Jennie Felker,

Most Talented - Butch Reed and Suzanne Wood,

Cutest Couple - Mark Lewis and Jennie Felker,

Best All-Around - Mark Lewis and Susan Setzer,

Best Dressed - Russell Walton and Vicky Villareal,

Best Personality - Butch Reed and Susan Setzer.

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college-bound seniors

Marcel Amamoo	University of Georgia
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Bobbie Krasnican	Western Wyoming College
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Trish Lindsey	Tennessee State University
Vincente Lingner	University of Arizona
Sharon McAuley	Radford University, VA
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Jeff McCreight	Kansas State University
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Michael Moore	University of Maryland, Munich
Mike Moss	Georgia Tech
Tony Parham	University of Washington
Cynthia Pugh	Winston-Salem, NC
Butch Reed	University of Kentucky, Lexington
Mark Robinson	Atlanta College of Art, GA
Susan Setzer	North Carolina State
Grace Soltys	University of Virginia
Ian Stong	Brigham Young University, UT
Debbie Stowell	University of South Florida
Bridget Toner	Merchant Marine Academy
James Triplett	Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green
Tracey Turner	University of California, Long Beach
Vicky Villareal	University of Maryland, Munich
Peggy Vine	University of Tulsa
Jeff Wagner	Gulf Coast Jr. College
Russell Walton	Moorehouse College, GA
Ron Watt	Merced College, CA
Cathy Wist	Southern Florida University
Suzanne Wood	University of Georgia



Outlook

SENIORS

In the purple vase,
There are some red and white
Flowers dropping
As if they are depressed.

One pedal falls down
As if it is a tear.
Poor flowers, they are still pretty,
But why doesn't someone want them?
Poor, pretty flowers
Which need love and care.
They seem to ask me to take care of them;
So I sprinkle water over them.

The magic water makes them
Feel better.
Rise from being depressed!
You're more beautiful than ever!

by Lissa Ahrens
Grade 12

Love is like a case of beer.

At the beginning,
It brings a wonderful feeling
And invariably makes your head
Start reeling.

But, like beer, it's never here to stay,
The floating feeling always fades away.

Joel McCarter
Grade 12

They were so pitiful looking
The ten little people all huddled together,
Some were quite small,
Not even full grown
There were others in this little bunch
But much bigger,
Yet they looked as if they hadn't eaten in weeds.
Still, they were all dying;
Yet it wasn't their fault
No one to take care of them
No one to give them water when
When yet they thirst.
If only someone wanted to care
They asked only for kindness.
In return they offered sunshine.

by Bryan Frazier
Grade 12

On the edge of a swamp
So dark and barren
Where the sun has never shone
I stand among many who wither away
And now wait for their time to die
Sadness abounds in this lifeless land
Till hope exists no more
But here in my heart
I remember a time of brightness all around.
Then one say
When life was death
I heard a gentle voice say
"Fear not my friend
Be strong and brave
For I will come one day."

Debbie Stowell
Grade 12

"We're dying, we're dying
Ten people are we,
We were once so pretty,
People walked by sighing,
But now all they see,
Is their own pity.
Some of us have yet to mature
Into our design.
And yet there is no way to assure
That this life is mine.
So why won't you save us,
And keep us from dying?"

by Peggy Vine
Grade 12



All there together
Like birds of a feather
Their heads are bent over
Like a wind blown clover
Their brothers are crying
While these ten are dying
To them, justice has come
And their necks become numb.
They die at all ages,
Still their punisher stages
That tingling blow
Like a bad winter snow.
Now who in the world
Could be so darn cruel
This person of death
With their blood on his breath,
Is a sinner that's insane
To administer such pain.

by Jon Mickael
Grade 12

I wish your kiss could wash away my tears.
My eyes were dry until you went away.
I wish your love would keep away my fears,
But even then, I know you would not stay.
When you left me, you took away my smile.
Without your love, I have no smile to give.
I tried to live without your love a while,
Without you love I had nothing left to give.
What did I do to make you set me free?
Was I too eager to give love to you?
I wanted you to see that I am me,
And not the person that you thought you knew.
If you can not see me for me, then I
Don't want you here, for all I'll do is cry.

Peggy Vine
Grade 12

What do these ten flowers represent? Let's say they represent the people of the world; in perhaps ten different heritages. They have lived on earth in peace with each other. They are composed of precisely the same chemicals, yet they are entirely different people. They were created and conceived by God. They once used the same soil, they drink the same water, they breathe the same air, and they share the same environment. How is it they have not destroyed one another? I wonder by which philosophy it is that they live. All these people have feelings, they love the sun, but not too much, they love the water, but not too much. Most of all they need attention and love constantly, they demand care and attention not like some people, but like all people. Their lives are much like man's in that at any second in time their lives can be plucked right off the stem of survival.

by Tim Cohen
Grade 12

In the dark.
It must be frightening,
To be trapped,
In the dark.
Always wishing,
To be out.
Planning ways to escape.
And praying
For deliverance
From this inky blackness.
And yet,
All the while
Afraid
Of what the life might bring.

Helen Davis
Grade 12

Suzanne Wood
Grade 12

ATHLETIC SENIORS 1982

Marcel Amamoo	Soccer-11
Betty Barnhart	Cheerleader 10,11, Track-12
Rebecca Becker	Waterpolo Team 10
Kevin Buckles	Basketball 10,11,12, Soccer 12
Richard Cichy	Basketball,10,11,12, Cross-Country 10
John Cleary	Track 10, Football 10, Cross-Country 12
Evelin Cruz	Basketball 10, 11, 12, Volleyball 11, 12 Track 12
Kenneth Davis	Baseball 9, 10, Football 9, 10, 11, 12
Bryan Frazier	F-ball 9, 11, 12, Wrestling 9, B-ball 10, 11, Soccer 12
David Guerin	Baseball 9, Soccer 9, 10, 11, 12, Cross Country 11, 12
Jubin Goodarzi	Soccer 9, 10, 11, 12
Rita Hanson	Cheerleading 11
William Harris	Football 10, 11, Basketball 12
Roy Hawkins	Track 11, Cross-Country 11, 12
Thomas Hesse	Soccer 9, 10, 11, 12, Cross-Country 12
Carrie Huml	Track 9, 10, 11, 12, Cross-Country 10, 11, 12
Von Johnson	Soccer 9, Football 10, 11, 12, Wrestling 11,12
Terry Kennard	Basketball 10
Sergio Kentish	Basketball 11
Karen Kohn	Volleyball 11, 12, Basketball 11,12
Mark Lewis	Tennis 10, 11, 12, Cross Country 11, Basketball 10, 12
Robert Krasnican	Football 10, 11, 12, Wrestling 9, 10, Baseball 9,10,11
Trish Lindsey	Basketball 11, 12, Volleyball 11, 12, Track 10, 11,12
Vince Lingner	Football 9, Cross-Country 11,12
Sharon McAuley	Bowling 9
Joel McCarter	Football 10,11
Jeff McCreight	Cross-Country 10,11, Track 11
Jon Mickael	Football 11
Michael Moss	Soccer 11
Lawrence Remick	Football 11, 12, Soccer 11, 12
Aaron Owens	Baseball 11, Football 12
Mark Robinson	Football 9
Susan Setzer	Volleyball 11, 12, Tennis 11,12
Grace Soltys	Volleyball 12
Deborah Stowell	Cheerleader 9, 10, Cross-Country 11
Bridget Toner	Softball 9
James Triplett	Football 9,10,11,12, Wrestling 11, Track 12
Tracey Turner	Cross Country 9, Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12
Vicky Villareal	Basketball 9, Soccer 9, Volleyball 10, 11
Anne Margaret Vine	Tennis 10, 11, 12, Volleyball 11
Ronald Watt, Jr.	Cross Country 9, Basketball 9,10,11,12, Track
Russell Walton, Jr.	Basketball 9,11, 12 Soccer 11
Renee Wilburn	Track 10
Julie White	Soccer 9



Super Athletes Reside At BAHS

By Donald B. Watt Jr.

This past school year, the Berlin American High School sports program has produced several outstanding teams, with the teams being tops in their respective leagues.

During the fall, the varsity football team placed second in AA North. Several outstanding players won all-conference honors and one player recieved all-europe honors. John Cervantes, Brian Frazier, and Jim Triplett, were the Berlin all-conference selectees. Triplett had the honor of being chosen to the all-europe team.

In volleyball action, the team was first in it's conference. At the Class AA tournament Evelin Cruz and Trisha Lindsey shined and hence were selected to the all-tournev team. Tracey Turner and Karen Kohn won all-conference honors for their consistent play.

The Cross Country team was also very successful. David Bryant and Tomotaka Cato, both excellent runners, competed in the all-european cross country finals in which only select competitors could compete in.

In winter action, the Men's varsity basketball team placed second in AA North but, proved to be the best in Class AA Germany, winning the Class AA tournament. Kevin Buckles and Ron Watt won all-tournament honors. Watt was also chosen to the AA North all-conference team.

Tracey Turner and Trisha Lindsey, both superb athletes, won all-conference awards for their hard work and consistent play on the court.

George Sevmour, one of our better wrestlers, was eligible to compete in the all-europe tournament.

At the time of this printing, the soccer, tennis, and track seasons were not over, so we could not include them in this article. Sorry!

Volunteer Coaches Thanked For Service

Berlin American High School would like to thank all the coaches who helped make our sports program a most successful one.

The coaches from the Varsity football team were TSgt. Ken Nesbith, Lt. Larry Jones, Capt. Chris Rotner, and Captain Ron Burgess.

From the JV Bears the coaches were Sgt. Gary Johnson and Mr. John Culliton.

Sgt. Gene Ashley put an enormous amount of time and effort into helping the Cross Country team.

The Volleyball team received help from Mr. Sam Samoa and Miss Sandy Waldrop.

The men's Basketball team was assisted by Mr. James Cobb and Lt. Larry Jones.

The women's Basketball team had three volunteers from the community; Lt. Connie Carpenter, Mr. John Culliton and Sp. Tom Contreras.

Our wrestling team received coaching from Mr. and Mrs. Barese and Brad Muhart served as assistant coach with Mr. Schmolli.



ATHLETES OF THE ISSUE

by Elizabeth Waldrop

This week's athlete of the issue is a very hard and confusing choice to be made. Not only are athletes represented from all spring sports, but this week there are several nominees for each sport.

Senior Kevin Buckles is Mr. Schmoll's nominee for the best offensive soccer player. Kevin averaged over two goals per game.

For tennis, Mark Lewis also a senior, was named the male nominee. Mark not only played well during the season but he also held the number one spot for Berlin. The female nominees are Peggy Vine and Susan Setzer. A choice could not be made between these two athletes due to the fact they were both selected

for a doubles team for regionals.

The female track nominees are Carrie Huml and Stephanie Wise. Both girls scored high leading and supporting the team. For the men four candidates were selected: Tomotaka Cato who ran long distances for the men along with the second candidate John Wilburn. John Cervantes and Loren Washington also stood out. Both John and Loren ran well in many of the sprinting events. All of these men performed excellently all season long.

The winners are Mark Lewis and Stephanie Wise. Congratulations.

Congratulations All Previous Athletes Of The Issue

Carrie Huml.....	track
Mark Millen.....	soccer
Tyrone Worlds.....	football
Brian Frazier.....	football
Tony Parham.....	wrestling
George Seymour.....	wrestling
Didi Stowell.....	swim team
Christine Cox.....	swim team
Robin Murphy.....	volleyball
Ron Watt.....	basketball
Dwayne Wright.....	basketball
Tonya Pelz.....	cross-country
David Bryant.....	cross-country
Tomotaka Cato.....	cross-country
Tracey Turner....	volleyball/basketball
Trisha Lindsey....	volleyball/basketball

ennis Creates Racket!

by Diana Pederson

The Berlin American High School tennis team competed against Zweibrücken on May 8th and Osterholz on May 14th. The final scores of these competitions were 13-5 and 10-8 respectively.

Successful for Berlin against Zweibrücken for the females were: Peggy Vine, Susan Setzer, Robin Murphy, Patricia Foshage, and Natascha Urban (singles); Setzer-Vine, Spohn-Murphy, and Foshage-Alexander (doubles). Male winners were: Mark Lewis, Andy Blackwell, Delano Adams, Tony Boring (singles); Lewis-Adams (doubles).

In the Osterholz competition, victorious for Berlin were: Women-Susan Setzer, Peggy Vine, Robin Murphy, Patricia Foshage (singles); Vine-Setzer, Spohn-Murphy, and Foshage-Alexander (doubles). Men-Mark Lewis and Delano Adams (singles); Lewis-Adams (doubles).

BAHS BEARS NET SOCCER VICTORIES

by Suzanne Wood

On May 15th, the Varsity and JV Soccer teams continued their winning ways with stunning victories against the Osterholz Blackhawks.

The Varsity team, which also won on May 9th against Zweibrücken, chalked up a 5-0 win against Osterholz. They were led by scorers Kevin Buckles, Kerry Martin and Andy Yoon (Buckles, Pete Murphy and Mark Millen scored on the 9th), and featured outstanding performances by goalie Lawrence Remick, and Bryan Frazier. Buckles Martin and Frazier also received conference points, helping them to achieve all-conference status.

The JV team also excelled, achieving a 5-2 victory over the Blackhawks. Outstanding players here were Doug Magruder and Craig Mahek.

The team credits, in part, the support of the Berlin fans for their victory. Although at this time the results of the May 22 match against Hanau can not be obtained, Berlin's hopes ride with the team,

TRACK TEAM RUNNING

by Erik Brush

On the eighth of May a track meet was held in Baumholder. Competing against the home team and Hanau, Berlin once more proved that they were ready for the challenge which both competitors had to offer. First in both of his events, Tomotaka Cato had times of 4:25:0 minutes in the 1500 meter run, and 9:32:0 in the 3000 meter run. Placing second in the 1500 meter run with a time of 4:32:0 minutes was John Wilburn who then went on to win first place in the 800 meter dash in 2:06:8 minutes.

Berlin's Sprint Medley Relay which consisted of John Cervantes, Scott Feldman, Marcus Fischler, and Lauren Washington had a time of 3:49:9 minutes.

Coming in first in all of her events was Patricia Lindsey with 15:05:0 on the Hurdles, 12 seconds flat in the 100 meter dash, 26 seconds in the 200 meter dash, and a height of 4 feet, 10 inches in the high jump.

In the following week, there was another track meet. This was held in Mannheim against Stuttgart, Frankfurt, and the host team. It was in Mannheim that Tomotaka Cato set the school record in the 1500 meter race. He came in second with the time of 4:12:0 minutes. The previous record was 4:14:4. In the 800 meter run, John Wilburn placed second with a time of 2:03:4 minutes. Showing definite improvement, David Bryant came in third with a time of 2:10:0 in the 800 meter.

Berlin's 600 meter Relay team, was disqualified for cutting lanes. An argument over which Coach Moeller

is highly skeptical.

Scoring for the Girls were Carrie Huml in the 3000 meter run and with a distance of 29 feet in the shot put, and Stephanie Wise who came in second in the long jump with a 14.5 foot throw and third in the triple jump with a distance of 30 feet.

982 Spring Banquet for all Sportsmen!

by Kim Farmelo

On June 3, 1982, at 6:30 in the school cafeteria, the Spring Sports Banquet will be held. Mrs. Von-Jacobi, BAHS Varsity Club, and BAHS Booster Club are all working to organize this event.

The banquet is to be a pot-luck dinner with members of the basketball, wrestling, soccer, track, tennis, cheerleading, and swim team bringing various dishes. Awards and letters will be given out by coaches and athletic Directors. See your coach for more information.

SLUGGERS STRIVE FOR WINNING SEASON

by Cheryl Dearing

This year, once again, the DYA has been holding practices for the junior and senior baseball and softball teams. The teams have been practicing since the beginning of May and are ready for their first games tomorrow, at the Düppel Baseball field.

The junior girls' softball teams will be playing their games on May 29; June 2, 3, 5, 9, 10, 12, 16, 17, 19, 23, 24, 26, 30; July 1, 3, 6, 8. Coaches are Jim Woodruff, Paul Lastra, Dennis Vidrine, and Steve Ronne. Check with your coach for your game schedule.

The senior girls will play their games on May 29, 30; June 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20. There is only one team, and their coach is Jim Durdines.

The junior boys' baseball games will be played on May 29; June 2, 5, 9, 12, 15, 16, 19, 23, 26, 29, 30; July 3, 5. Their coaches are Bill Grunewald, Bill Pollard, and Johnny Smith. Check with your coach for your team's schedule.

The senior boys' team will play their games on May 29, 30; June 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 26. Their coach is Marcus Dover.

