

Hadley-Luzerne Central School News

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CHRISTMAS CONCERT DECEMBER 20

With the falling of snow and the anticipation of the holidays, Christmas music is in the air. At Hadley Luzerne Central School the various choruses and band are in preparation for the Christmas Concert to be held the evening of December 20.

Under the direction of Miss Carol Parillo the High School Chorus will present Hosanna from the rock opera Jesus Christ Super Star. Also on the billing will be the 13th century plainsong O Come, O Come Emmanuel, a Simon and Garfunkel tune, Silent Night and the Seven O'Clock News featuring a narration Holiday on Ice by Jacobs and Christensen and O Holy Night. This traditional carol will include three soloists, Priscella Newton, Christine Martell and Pam Rollman.

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CHESS TEAM IN ACTION

1972 seems to be the year that propels chess into the limelight. On the international scene the famous chess encounter between an American and a Russian caused many people to find out more about this mind-boggling sport.

At H-L several students who had informally been dabbling in chess formed a school chess team which is under the direction of advisors Michael Spensieri and Al Zimmermann. The current chess team consists of George Pidgeon, 1st board; John Webber, 2nd board; Claude Wright, 3rd board; Mike Martell, 4th board; Alan Clugston, 5th board; and Dale Wood, alternate.

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CHRIS MARTELL CROWNED MISS FALL FESTIVAL

Christine Martell, a sophomore, was crowned Miss Fall Festival at the conclusion of the Queen Contest in early October culminating two weeks of activities for the third annual Lake Luzerne Fall Festival. Queensbury Supervisor Jerry Solomon did the honors and Corinth Mayor Irving Densmore presented the Queens Trophy to Chris.

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Corinth Mayor Irving Densmore, Queen Christine Martell, and Queensbury Supervisor Jerry Solomon

SMOKEY THE BEAR VISITS THE SCHOOL

This is the second issue of the HLCS News this school year. Future issues will be published in March and June.

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First Graders Warren Law and Joelle Cook with Smokey the Bear (Gilbert White)

Primary graders were treated to a visit by Smokey the Bear as portrayed by Ranger Gilbert White of Lake Luzerne. Stony Creek Ranger Lynn Day of the State Conservation Department spoke to the youngsters about correct procedures when visiting woodland areas.

STILL LIFE DRAWINGS BEING DONE IN CLASS

Tracing lines and drawing dot to dot is out! Today's art class students are busy composing worthwhile works of art that could proudly be displayed at any home or art gallery. Evidence of this can be found these days at H-L. The students in the third year art program are culminating the still life drawings they have been working on recently which will result in acrylic paintings.

The 18 youngsters in the class representing grades nine through twelve, bring in objects they wish to paint. Each student sets up his own still life composition. Sketches are made of its various components. Then from these drawings, not from the objects themselves, the students proceed to work on their still life creation.

The next project for the enterprising artists is to work on figure drawing which will result in their finally doing a real self-portrait.

FORTY-ONE BOCES STUDENTS MAJOR IN 17 AREAS

Forty-one H-L students are spending their afternoons at Donald Myers Educational Center in Saratoga Springs taking courses in 17 different areas.

The H-L students spend all their mornings in Lake Luzerne taking English, social studies, and physical education courses. At 11:45 each morning they are bussed to Saratoga for a full afternoon of specialized classes.

The students and their majors in BOCES include Machine Shop I with Bruce Locke, Artie Baron, and Doug Wood; Conservation I with Bradley Allen, William Brewer and Robert Mosher; Conservation II with Daniel Wisell, Michael Waite and Simeon Braman; Graphic

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*Seated: Dodge Watkins, John Pickens, Elementary Education Supervisor David Weeks
and Robert Carpenter*
Standing: Leonard Gereau, Stuart Townsend, John Castle and Thomas Hewitt

FIRST TEACHERS SEMINAR HELD IN NOVEMBER

Listen to Tomorrow was the theme of the first seminar of the year held November 2 at school.

All students were dismissed from school at 11:30. A buffet lunch was served in the cafeteria for teachers and the afternoon was spent in panel discussion about the new Middle School which will open for grades 5 through 7 in February.

Mr. Dodge Watkins was moderator for the presentation which consisted of several faculty members talking about various areas of curriculum involving the Middle School. Mr. Harold Neddo began the discussion with an overall introduction concerning the Middle School philosophy and a review of activities that have been accomplished regarding its implementation. Mr. Neil Sesselman discussed the newly designed mathematics curriculum. Mr. Ron Dickens then talked about how science would be handled in the new school situation. Emphasis is placed on individual study. Mr. William Meyers presented the new social studies curriculum and passed out copies of this work to the faculty.

Mr. Ronald Racette discussed the philosophy behind the Media Resource Center which will be modernly equipped so that students and teachers can do research with all types of media as well as books. Then Dodge Watkins gave examples of how the fifth graders already are using the conceptual approach to classroom work. Miss Joan Urband and Mr. Thomas Roach talked about recent visitations they made to other Middle Schools. High School Principal Leonard Gereau then talked about parent conferences that have been held to explain the workings of the Middle School to parents.

Total involvement and individualization of instruction seemed to be the recurring theme by each speaker in discussing the curriculum approach for the Middle School.

Mrs. Clarissa Varney was in charge of the luncheon and Mr. John Pickens served as general seminar chairman.

The seminars are sponsored through funding by the International Paper Company Foundation.

WINNERS ANNOUNCED FOR HALLOWEEN POSTER CONTEST

The winners of the annual Halloween Poster Contest were as follows:

In the Grades 3-6 division: 1st place, David Mosher, 2nd place, Jeffrey Allison, 3rd place, Colleen Reib, Honorable Mention Catherine Petteys, Judd Randall, and Patty Russo.

In the Grades 7-8 division: 1st place, Mike Trottier, 2nd place, Patti Brown, 3rd place, James Thorpe, Honorable Mention William Barrows and Laurie Ankney.

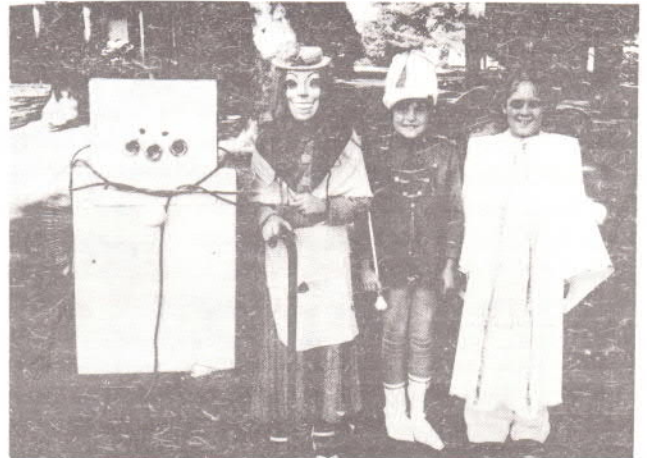
In the Grades 9-12 division: 1st place, Stacey Gensel, 2nd place, Laurel Gilbert, 3rd place, Jay Dingman, Honorable Mention Andrea Bush and Vicki Dingman.



Winners David Mosher, Stacey Gensel and Michael Trottier

ELEMENTARY GRADES CELEBRATE HALLOWEEN

As is customary each year, the elementary grade students of H-L Central School dressed up in costume to participate in the Halloween celebration. The youngsters in grades K through 6 paraded across the stage of the auditorium to the beat of march music. As might be predicted costumes consisted of every imaginable creature real or fictitious. Students then were treated to a Walt Disney movie, Yellowstone Cubs. Parties in individual classrooms followed.



Eddie Decker, third grader; Mary Ellen Biggie, fourth grader; Robin Nevins, fourth grader and Kelly Nighter, third grader

CHILDREN GET FIRE TRUCK RIDE

During Fire Prevention Week approximately 350 youngsters, Grades 3,4, and 5, got to ride two of the fire trucks supplied by the Van R. Rhodes Fire Company of Lake Luzerne, through the courtesy of Mr. George Evens and the Hartford Insurance Agency. The Junior Fire Marshall Program was provided for children in Grades K through 3. This included a check-off fire safety list and a fire hat.



Youngsters Enjoying Ride



*Gail Dion, Christine Wood, Sheila Washburn,
and Larry Springer*

FOURTH GRADERS STUDY INDIANS

Fourth graders in Mr. Wally Philips class are currently doing a social studies unit about Indians in the history of our country. The pupils are studying the history of the Indian clothing, shelter, food and locality.

A number of these youngsters have made models and projects centered around Indian life. Gail Dion recreated a model of a Florida Indian stockade. Within the perimeter of the huge fence, represented in her model by twigs, were the Indian homes shown via acorns in the model. A straw house of the California Indians was built by Sheila Washburn, complete inside with a representative fire stove. Christine Wood built in miniature design an Eastern Woodland Indian canoe. A Western Indian tepee was built by Larry Springer. Laura Mahr created a wigwam and Vincent Schaldone made a white tepee. Jon Gilles and Jean Shattuck also made 3-D model creations of Indian life.

Other students in the class made large drawings on construction paper showing the kind of homes the Indians lived in and the food they ate. Some pupils did extra book reading about the dress of the Indians.

Participation in such projects make the material learned more meaningful.



*Front Row: Patrick Brady, Kim Hayes, Jeff
Trottier
Second Row: Robert Brooks, Michael Thomas,
Steve Fish*

KICK, PUNT, PASS WINNERS ANNOUNCED

A Kick, Punt, and Pass contest was held recently at the ballfield of H-L. Youngsters ages 8-13 participated in the competition. Mrs. Sandra Watkins was Chairman of this event. She was aided by members of the high school football team who helped set up the field, retrieve footballs and in demonstrations of the three skills.

Mr. Eichler of Eichler Ford, Warrensburg provided materials for the contest. First place winners received trophies; second place winners were awarded footballs; and third place winners received Psychodelic Cancer Posters, courtesy of the American Cancer Society.

The winners in each classification were:

8 yr. olds 1st place Patrick Brady, 2nd place John Noakes, 3rd place Mike Gorham

9 yr. olds 1st place Kim Hayes, 2nd place Richard Johnson, 3rd place Kathy Meyer

10 yr. olds 1st place Jeffrey Trottier, 2nd place Gary DeMarsh, 3rd place Jeffrey Allison

11 yr. olds 1st place Robert Brooks, 2nd place Mike Brady, 3rd place Mike Waterhouse

12 yr. olds 1st place Michael Thomas, 2nd place Norman Dingman, 3rd place Dennis Matoon

13 yr. olds 1st place Stephen Fish, 2nd place Kevin Deuel, 3rd place John Meyer



Mr. Richard Rowell

RICHARD ROWELL RETURNS FROM SABBATICAL

Richard Rowell, Reading Coordinator K-3, has returned to the staff of Hadley-Luzerne Central School. Mr. Rowell has spent the past two summers and last year's school year working toward his Ph.D. in Elementary Reading and Language Arts at the University of Maine at Orono.

During his year's sabbatical, Mr. Rowell reported in a letter to the Board of Education, that his work has been most challenging and innovative. Among his many activities, Mr. Rowell produced a series of reading readiness materials. These included a classified learning index of 50 games to test student stimulus and response. Learning Associates of Stillwater, Maine has marketed some of these innovations. While at the University of Maine, Mr. Rowell also taught juniors and seniors majoring in Elementary Reading. The H.D. thesis Mr. Rowell is working on concerns the study of training of visual perception of the second grade level.

Mr. Rowell resides in Lake Luzerne with his wife Susan and their two children Amy and Charles. He is active in scouting, Methodist Youth Fellowship, the H-L Library, and the H-L Teen Center.

TEAM ROSTER ANNOUNCED

The 1972-73 basketball teams have been selected. Varsity this year will include Jim Jenkins, Curt Lemelin, Bruce Croissant, Joe Neville, Bill Corbett, Craig Hayes, D.J. White and George Doherty. Joe Hanlon is coach. →



Luzerne Lopers

LUZERNE LOPERS RIDE AGAIN

Maneuvering a fast pacing horse and handling a long broomstick to whack a ball at the same time can be tricky...and exciting.

The Luzerne Lopers, some 40 strong, have been finding this out while learning the fine art of cowboy polo. The youngsters aged 9 to 19 have been having polo sessions on the horses at the land of the Doubledays in Lake Luzerne. Under the guidance of Mrs. Gertrude Hewston, Mrs. Carolee Parawana, Mrs. Linda Winslow, Mr. Bernie Russell and Mr. Peter Jackson, the Lopers have presented horse polo demonstrations to various groups. They were represented at the Warren County Fair as well as at the State Fair. Indeed it was the local club that was chosen to introduce broomstick polo in Warren County.

One of the most prolific riders is young eighth grader Bonnie Bennett who "rode away" with numerous trophies at the Warren County Fair where she was Grand Champion. Bonnie also won top honors in the State Fair for dog obedience.

The junior varsity team coached by Ed Decker includes Doug Swart, Len Tarricone, Mike White, Mike Waite, Howard Harris, Rick Shiel, Steve McNeil, Jim Meyer, Scott Burdick, Dave Gilles, Ronald Wright and Jerry Shiel.

Varsity cheerleaders this year include Lori Lemelin, Barbara Brewer, Debbie Gogan, Jill White, Linda Meyer, Denise Salmon, Cindy Sanders, and Pam Rollman. Junior varsity cheerleaders are Lori Siudy, Nanette Wright, Ann Blakely, Audrey Wisell, Joanne Jenkins, Karen Bourdeau, Sandy Pidgeon and Patti Zimmermann. The cheerleading advisor is Mrs. Sandy Watkins.



L. A. GEREAU TO BE DISTRICT PRINCIPAL

Effective July first Leonard Gereau will assume the position of District Principal at H-L. The Board of Education made the announcement of the appointment following the resignation of Stuart Townsend. The June issue of this newspaper will carry an in-depth look into Mr. Townsend's years with the district.

Mr. Gereau has been serving as School Principal for the past five years. Prior to this assignment he was Curriculum Coordinator at Nanuet High School. He also served as a Social Studies teacher there as well as at New Rochelle and Tapenzee High School.

Mr. Gereau has his Masters degree in Administration from Seton Hall as well as a M.S. degree in Social Science from Columbia. He has taken college course work at SUNY Oneonta and the University of Arizona.

BOCES STUDENTS

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Communication with Timothy Mahr and Michael Mace; Auto Body Repairs I with Scott York, Kevin Trombley and Terence McGuinness; Auto Mechanics II with Terry Moon; Data Processing I with Debby Lent, Michael Bovee and Kevin Trombley; Building & Trades I with Jeffrey Thomas and Roger Williams; Electro -Electric Repair with David Maxam; Practical Nursing I with Deborah Shiel, Agricultural and Heavy Equipment with Anthony Chamberlain; Electrical Trades with Eugene Bormann; Cosmetology I with Jacqueline Randall, Janis Bennett and Donna Marciano, Motor Vehicle Maintenance II with Robert DeMarsh and Steven Carlton; Building Maintenance II with William Shufelt Daniel Reynolds, Steven Burt, and Gerald Smith; Horse Care with Bruce Hathway, Emerson Walker, and Vernon Heustis; and Exploratory Studies with Joseph Hebert and Myron Woodbeck.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

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Seventh and eighth grade girls chorus will present Do You Hear What I Hear, the famous Harry Simeon arrangement; Mel Torme's Christmas Song, Frank Sinatra's version of Mistletoe and Holly and a combined arrangement of We Three Kings of Orient Are and What Child Is This?

The fifth and sixth grade chorus will present Jingle Bell Rock, Merry Merry Christmas, and Let It Snow, Let It Snow, Let It Snow. This Fred Waring arrangement is an all-time favorite. Two flutes and a drum are featured in He Is Born.

CHESS TEAM

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In their first match of the year they held Queensbury to a draw. Webber and Clugston were winners for H-L and Wood pulled a draw. The match was played with keen interest in Mr. Zimmermann's room.

At Glens Falls, Pidgeon and Webber won for H-L and Clugston won by a forfeit.

The remainder of the schedule puts Hadley-Luzerne away at Whitehall and home against a Northville team the first of December. On December 5 there was a match against the Hudson Falls team. Home matches begin at 3 P. M.

CHRIS MARTELL

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Chris was one of seventeen girls who competed. The finalists who competed in the talent portion of the contest in addition to Chris were Bonnie Allen, Deborah Allen, Teresa Miner, Ann Blakely, Sherrie Gilles, Frances Milmore, Pam Rollman, Michelle Trottier, and Teresa Wilson. Prior to the talent portion of the program, the girls were judged on their dress, poise, beauty, and personality. For her talent the queen sang, "Only a Moment Ago." As a prop she had on an easel a portrait of herself at age 8.

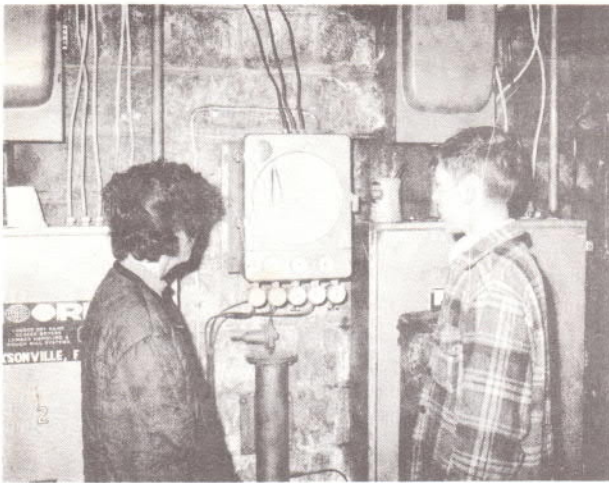
The queen's court consisted of Frances Milmore, Michelle Trottier, Pam Rollman, and Bonnie Allen. The Queen and her court were featured at the Coronation Ball at Hidden Valley and also in the big parade through Luzerne. Chris Martell has also represented the Fall Festival at the annual induction dinner of the Chamber of Commerce held at the Mountain Lakes Inn.

Chris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bennett of 2691 Lake Avenue, Lake Luzerne.

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INDUSTRIAL ARTS STUDENTS RELATE CLASS WORK TO LOCAL INDUSTRY



David Crossman, and Bradley Allen in the kiln control room at Martin Lumber Company, Lake George

Mr. Bud Morgan demonstrates the assembly of a kitchen cabinet to a group of 7th grade students

Forty Shop students have visited Specialities Unlimited on Route 9N, Lake Luzerne. Mr. Bud Morgan demonstrated to 28 General Woodworking boys the design and construction of plastic laminate counter tops. Their next visit will focus on the construction of custom built kitchen cabinets and sliding door units.

Seventh grade Shop students enjoyed a general tour of the shop set-up, the use of power tools such as air staplers, routers, sanders, spray gun equipment and power saws. The students also observed the assembly of kitchen base cabinets.

The General Woodworking classes toured the highly automated Martin Lumber Company Band Mill at Lake George. The class observed the debarking machine, the squaring of logs on the large band saw and the resawing of cants into lumber on the push button band resaw machine. The same building had a chipper that chipped up all slab and scrap wood to be shipped to International Paper Company in Ticonderoga. The class also enjoyed seeing maple lumber being unloaded from the kiln and automatically stacked and strapped for shipment to Japan. The maple is to be used for bowling alleys in Japan.

Shop teacher Mr. Thomas Roach arranged the tours for his classes.