## Dedication



## Dear Mom and Dad

I am writing this letter to the two of you in hopes that I can express my appreciation and show my gratitude for all the help you have given me during my years here at Allen High.
I know that I have never really taken the time to tell you this personally; but, by putting it down in writing. I hope that I can make it up to you.
Many times I came home feeling disappointed and discouraged. But each time you were there to comfort me with a kind word or a loving look that meant more than either of you will ever know.
Along the road marked "Decision," which I have traveled frequently during my high school life, I came to many forks and winding bends that I could not see beyond. Advising, but not insisting, you gave me courage to choose my own path.
No matter where I go, what I do, or how and when I do it, I'll always need you and love you.
For these, and the many other things that you have done for me, whether large or small, I would like to voice my heartfelt thanks by dedicating this annual to you.

## Seniors of 1969

| Class Mot | 'Not Evening but Dawn' Midnight Blue and Silver Red Rose |
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| Class Colors |  |
| Class Flower |  |



> Editor-Cindy Ellis
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> Assistant Business Manager-Dennis Geiger
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> Class Sponsor-Mr. Kruse
> Annual Artist-Steve Green


## ROBERT ANDERSON - President

Class President 4; Secretary 2; Annual Staff 3.4, Assistant Business Manager 3, Business Manager 4; FFA 1,2,3,4, President 4, Secretary 2. Sentinel 3, FFA District Convention 1,2,3,4, FFA State Convention 3,4, National FFA Convention 3, FFA Star Greenhand I, FFA Chapter Leadership 3, FFA Leadership Camp 2, FFA Creed Speaker I. FFA Wildlife Speaker 3: "A" Club 2,3,4, Secretary 4; Basketball 1,2,4; Baseball 3,4; Football Manager 4; Track 4; One-Act Play 3; Junior Class Play 3; County Government 3; Sweetheart Attend. ant 1; Sweetheart Master of Ceremonies 3; Homecoming King 4; Prom Waiter 2.

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## KEVIN HILL - Vice-President

Class Vice-President 4; President 2; Annual Staff 4: Mixed Chorus I: "A" Club 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3,4; Junior Class Play 3; County Government 3: Prom Waiter 2; Boys' State 3; Track Half Blue Award 1: Homecoming Usher 3: Homecoming Second Attendant 4.


## CRAIG SCHULTZ - Secretary

Class Secretary 4; Treasurer 2; President 1: Annual Staff 4: "A" Club 1,2,3,4. Treasurer 3 President 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3,4; Declam 3; French Club 1; Junior Class Play 3: County Government 3; Scholastic Award 1,2,3; Lewis and Clark All-Conference Football 4; Homecoming Usher 3; Homecoming First Attendant 4 Prom Waiter 2.


## LARRY CARR - Treasurer

Class Treasurer 4; Vice-President 2; Annual Staff 4; FFA 3, Secretary 3, State FFA Convention 3. National FFA Convention 3; Band 1,2,3; Marching Band 2,3; Mixed Chorus 1; "A" Club 2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1; Baseball 3,4; Lewis and Clark All-Conference Honorable Mention 4; Junior Class Play 3; Homecoming Usher 3: Homecoming Master of Ceremonies 4; Prom Waiter 2.


## DAVID ABTS

FFA 1,2,3,4, Reporter 2. FFA Leadership Camp 2: "A" Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Basket. ball 1,2,3,4; Track I; Baseball 3,4.

BARBARA ADAMS
Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; FHA 3.4; Girls' Glee 1,2; Homecoming Usher 3; Prom Waitress 2.


MARGARET ANKENY
Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Publicity Chairman 3, Secretary 4, FHA District Convention 2,3,4, FHA State Convention 3, FHA State Workshop 3: Mixed Chorus 2,3,4; Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Council 3,4, Secretary 4; Volleyball 3,4: Librarian 3,4, Library Club 3,4, Committee Chairman 3, President 4, Library Convention 3,4; Spanish Club 2,3, Treasurer 2; Scholastic Award 1,2,3; FHA Junior Degree 4.

## PAUL CALVERT

FFA 1,3,4, Secretary 4, FFA State Convention 3, FFA State Band 3; Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Band 1,2,3,4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Boys' Glee 2,3,4, Boys' Quartet 1, Woodwind Choir 2,3, Sax Quartet 1,3,4, Stage Band 4, Outstanding Marching Band Member 3, Vocal Clinic 1,2,3,4, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,4; One-Act Play 3,4; Spanish Club 2; Junior Class Play 3.



MARK CARLSON
Annual Staff 4: FFA 2,3,4, Treasurer 4, FFA Speaking Contest 4, FFA Parliamentary Procedure Tearn 3, FFA State Meat Judging Contest 3; Prom Waiter 2; Sweetheart Attendant 2.

WAYNE CHAPMAN
Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; FFA 1.2; Mixed Chorus 2,3.4, Boys' Glee 3; Basketball 1; Declam 3,4: Spanish Club 2; Senior Class Play 4.


RANDY CROMBIE
FFA 1,2,3,4: "A" Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4: Track 1; County Government Day 3: Sweetheart King 4.

CYNTHIA ELLIS
Class Vice-President 1: Annual Staff 3,4, Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; Paper Staff 2,3,4: FHA 1,2,3.4, Recreation Chairman 2, Song Leader 4, FHA District Convention 2, FHA State Convention 3, FHA Junior Degree 2; Marching Band 2,3,4, Band 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 3, Stage Band 4, Woodwind Choir 2,3, Percussion Ensemble 2,3, Oboe Solo 1,2, Outstanding Marching Band Member 3, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4. Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4, Triple Trio 2, Girls' Trio 1,2, Mixed Quartet 3.4, Select Choir 2, Vocal Solo 4, Vocal Clinic 2,3,4. Accompanist 1,2,3,4, Fine Arts. Festival 3. All-State 4; Volleyball 4: Pep Club 1,2,3,4, "B" Team Cheerleader 1,2, Varsity Cheerleader 3,4; Declam 2,3: One-Act Play 3; French Club 1, Vice-President 1; Spanish Club 2, President 2; County Government 3; Junior Class Play 3; Cheerleader Clinic 4; Prom Waitress 2; Scholastic Award 1,2,3; Sweetheart Attendant 1. Sweetheart Mistress of Ceremonies 3; Homecoming Mistress of Ceremonies 4; Homecoming Usher 3: Senior Class Play 4.


## JEANINE EMRY

Annual Staff 4; FHA 1,2,3,4. Historian 4, FHA District Convention 1,2, FHA State Conven tion 3; Band $1,2,3,4$, Secretary 4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Outstanding Marching Band Member 3, Brass Sextet 1,2,3,4, Stage Band 4, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4, Instrumental Solo 2,3,4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Girls' Glee 1,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 4; French Club I; Spanish Club 2,3, Secretary 3; Senior Class Play 4:

## JILL FAHRENHOLZ

Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Parliamentarian 4. FHA District Convention 2,4, FHA State Convention 3, FHA State Workshop 3; Band 1,2,3,4. Marching Band 2,3,4, Woodwind Choir 1,2,3,4, Clarinet Quartet 1,2, All-State Band 3,4. Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4 Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4, Bass Clarinet Solo 2,3,4, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4, Vocal Clinic 3,4, Fine Arts Festival 3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 3; Volleyball 3,4; Declam 2,3; Spanish Club 3,4, Secretary 3, President 4; French Club 1: FHA Junior Degree 4; Spanish Award 3; Junior Class Play 3, Senior Class Play 4.


## KATHY GEDDES

Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4: FHA 1,2,3,4; FHA District Convention 2; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4, Swing Choir 4, Mixed Quartet 3,4, Vocal Clinic 2,3,4, Vocal Solo 3.4, Vocal Contest 3, All-State 4: Prom Waitress 2; Senior Class Play 4.

DIANE GEIGER
Class Vice-President 3; Annual Staff 4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Recreation Chairman 4, District Convention 1,2,3, FHA State Convention 2; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3, Girls' Glee 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4; "B" Team Cheerleader 2,3; Volleyball 3,4; County Government 3; Homecoming First Attendant 4.


STEVE GREEN
FFA 1; Mixed Chorus 1: "A" Club 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Track 1,2,4; French Club 1.

DON HASSLER
Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Band 1,2,3,4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Boys' Glee 2,3, Boys' Quartet 1,3: "A" Club 1,2,3,4; Football I,3.


## KATHY JACKSON

Class Secretary 1; Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 3; FHA Creed Speaking 3. FHA District Convention 2,3; Band 1,2,3, Marching Band 2, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3, Girls' Glee 1,2,3; Band Clinic 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 3,4: Librarian 4, Treasurer 4; Declam 2,3, One-Act Play 2,3; Junior Class Play 3; French Club 1; Scholastic Award I; Senior Class Play 4: Betty Crocker Homemaker Award 4.


## DEBBIE JONES

Annual Staff 4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Song Leader 3, FHA District Convention 1,2,3, FHA St Convention 3: Band 1: Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4, Vocal Clinic 1,2,3 Select Choir 2, Swing Choir 4, Triple Trio 2, Contest Solo 3,4, All-State 4; Pep Club 1,2,3 "B" Team Cheerleader 2,3, Varsity Cheerleader 4, Cheerleading Clinic 4; Prom Waitress Sweetheart Attendant 2; Homecoming Queen 4.

## VALERIE KOESTER

Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Historian 3, Treasurer 4, FHA District Convention 1,2,3,4, FHA State Convention 3, FHA State Workshop 2,3, FHA Junior Degree 4; Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4, Percussion Ensemble 2,3, Stage Band 4, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4, Vocal Clinic 3,4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4. Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Secretary 3. President 4; Volleyball 3; One-Act Play 2; County Government 3: Junior Class Play 3: French Club 1; Outstanding Marching Band Member 3.



TOM MAGGART
Band 2,3,4, Marching Band 2,3, Band Clinic 2,3, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Boys' Glee 2,3, Boys' Quartet 2,3, Vocal Clinic 1.2,3,4; "A" Club 3,4; Football 1,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1.4: Declam 3: Spanish Club 1; Senior Class Play 4.

## BRUCE LINAFELTER

 President 3; French Club 1; Senior Class Play 4.Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 2,3,4, Editor 4: Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Band 1,2,3,4, Bras Sextet 1,2,3,4, Percussion Ensemble 2,3, Stage Band 4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Boys' Glee 3 Mixed Quartet 2,3,4, Contest Solo 1,2,3,4, Band Council 4, Outstanding Marching Band Member 3, Wayne State Music Camp 2,3, Fine Arts Festival 3,4, Boys' Quartet 1,3, Selec Choir 1,2, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4, Vocal Clínic 1,2,3,4; "A" Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2, Manage 3,4; Basketball 1. Manager 2,3,4: Track 1; Volleyball Manager 4; One-Act Play 2,3,4, Lewi and Clark Conference Best Supporting Actor 3; Junior Class Play 3; Spanish Club 2.3


PAUL McCOY
FFA 1,2,3,4.

## SHARON RAHN

Annual Staff 4; FHA 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1. Girls' Glee 1: Pep Club 1,2,3,4.


LINDA RASMUSSEN
Class Treasurer 1. President 3; Annual Staff 4: Paper Staff 2,3,4, Editor 4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Recreation Chairman 3, Vice-President 4, FHA District Convention 2,3, FHA State Convention 2,3, FHA State Workshop 3; Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1.2,3,4; "B" Team Cheerleader 2,3, Varsity Cheerleader 4, Cheerleader Clinic 4; Volleyball 3,4: Declam 2,3,4. One-Act Play 4: County Government 3: Junior Class Play 3; Homecoming Usher 3; Homecoming Second Attendant 4; Sweetheart Queen 4; Senior Class
Play 4.

JERRY ROBERTS
Annual Staff 4; FFA 3.4: "A" Club 1.2.3.4; Football Manager 1.2,3.4; Basketball Manager 1,2,3; Track Manager 1,2; Declam 4; County Government 3; Senior Class Play 4.



DAN ROONEY
Annual Staff 4; FFA 3; Basketball 1.2; Baseball I.

## JERRY SCHROEDER

Class Secretary 3: Annual Staff 4; FFA 3,4, Reporter 4: "A" Club 2,3,4; Football Manager 2; Track 1; County Government 3: Junior Class Play Stage Manager 3.


JEAN SERVEN
Annual Staff 4: Paper Staff 2,3,4: FHA 1,2,3,4, Degree Chairman 3,4, Junior Degree I: Chapter Degree 2, FHA District Convention 2,3,4, District Song Leader 3. District Recreation Chairman 4, FHA State Convention 3, FHA Creed Speaking 3, FHA Workshop 2,3: Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Council 4; Volleyball 3,4; Librarian 3.4. Treasurer 3, Reporter 4, Librarian Convention 3: Declam 2,3,4, One-Act Play 2,3: Junior Class Play 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2,3,4, Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4, Vocal Solo 3.4. Vocal Clinic 2,4; Spanish Club 2,3; Senior Class Play 4.

## MARCELLA SHORTT

Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 2,4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Publicity Chairman 4, FHA District Convention 1,2,3, FHA State Convention 3; Junior Degree 4: Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Band 1,2,3,4, Woodwind Choir 1,2,3,4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4. Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3.4, Buyer 4; Volleyball 3; Junior Class Play Student Director 3.


ALAN SMITH
FFA 1,2,3,4; "A" Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3.4: Lewis and Clark All-Conference Football 4; Sweetheart Attendant 3.


NANCY SULLIVAN
Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; FHA 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 4; Girls' Glee 4; Pep Club 2; Junior Class Play 3.

## NANCY SWANSON

Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 2,4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Secretary 3, President 4, Historian 2, FHA District Convention 1,2,3,4, FHA State Convention 2, FHA State Workshop 2,3, Junior Degree 2, Chapter Degree 3; Band 1,2,3,4. Secretary 3, President 4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4, Solo 2,3,4, Woodwind Choir 1,2,3,4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Girls' Glee 1,2,3,4, Swing Choir 4, Vocal Clinic 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, President 3; Declam 3; County Government 3; Junior Class Play 3; French Club 1; Prom Waitress 2; Girls' State 3: Sweetheart Attendant 3: Senior Class Play Student Director 4.


SUE THOMAS
Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; FHA 1,2,3,4, Parliamentarian 3, FHA District Convention $1,2,3$, FHA State Convention 3, FHA State Workshop 2; Mixed Chorus 2,3,4, Girls' Gle 1,2,3.4, Vocal Clinic 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Varsity Cheerleader 3,4; Volleyball 3,4; Librarian 4. Library Club 4, Vice-President 4, Library Convention 4; County Government 3; Spanish Club 2.

BRUCE TRUBE
Annual Staff 4; FFA 3; Class Treasurer 3: Mixed Chorus 2,3, Boys' Glee 2,3; " $A$ " Club 4; Football 4: Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 4.


LARRY WILSON
FFA 1,2,3; "A" Club 3,4; Basketball 2, Manager 3; Track 1,2,3,4.

## DOUG WITTE

Marching Band 2,3,4, Band 1,2,3,4, Instrumental Solo 2, Boys' Quartet 1; Woodwind Choir 2,3, Band Treasurer 4, Mixed Chorus 1,2,3,4, Mixed Quartet 1,4, Vocal Clinic 1,2,3,4, Band Clinic 1,2,3,4, Outstanding Marching Band Member 3: "A" Club 4; Football 4; Track 4; Declam 3.4; County Government 3; Junior Class Play 3; Wentworth Military Academy Scholastic and Deportment Awards 3; Senior Class Play 4.


## Zuniors



BACK ROW: Richard Gensler, John Lindahl, Robert Meyer, Jon Rastede, Dan Hickman, Bob Russell, Rogert Schubert, Bill Sachau, Joe Ankeny. THIRD ROW: John Abts, Robert Smith, Mike Ellis, Terry Trube, Bart Jorgensen, Jerry Warner, Richard Kraemer, Curt Wheeler, Dale Strivens. SECOND ROW: Delores Asbra, Lucinda Hirchert, Cathy Dowling, Vickie Hohenstein, Susan Smith, Janette Jeffrey. FRONT ROW: Paulette Noe, LeAnn VonMinden, Patricia Sullivan, Nancy Chapman, Debra Menkens, D'Vee Koester, Sharon Nobbe, Mr. Olson, Sponsor. Not pictured, David and Dennis Geiger.


County Government Day.

## Class of '70

The Junior Class sponsor was Mr. Olson. Several members of the class represented Allen at County Government Day at the Courthouse in Ponca. The class play, "Desperate Ambrose," was held on November 22 and 23. The Junior-Senior Prom was held May 10.

## Class Officers:

President-Cindy Hirchert Vice-President-Susan Smith Secretary-LeAnn VonMinden Treasurer-D'vee Koester


Class officers-Susie, LeAnn, Cindy, D'Vee, Sponsor-Mr. Olson.

## Sophomores



BACK ROW: Kenton Emry, Brian Linafelter, Bob Mitchell, Jerome Roberts, Mike Isom, Cecil Demke, Loren Puckett, John Smith, Dan Kavanaugh. THIRD ROW: Gene Linafelter, Billy Hall, Gary Troth, Bradley Kellogg, Loren Reuter, Gary Rahn, Linn Mattes. SECOND ROW: Charles Asbra, Sandra Jones, Sandra Jeffrey, Janean Fahrenholz, Marilyn Maggart, Rhonda Schultz, Linda Book, Mr. Schluckebier, Sponsor. FRONT ROW: Kristin Rouse, Corrine Beacom, Ginger Heckens, Iva Osbahr, Diana Wilson. Not pictured, Dennis Hogan.


Sophomores-they never give up!

## Class of '71

The Sophomore class sponsor was Mr . Schluckebier. As a fund-raising project they had a Bake Sale November 23. It was held in Hutching's Locker. They didn't have a party first semester so they had twice as much fun second semester by having a sleigh ride on Cottonwood Hill and going to a movie.

## Class Officers:

President-Rhonda Schultz Vice-President-Mike Isom Secretary-Linda Book Treasurer-Ginger Heckens


Class officers-Rhonda, Ginger, Mike, Linda, Sponsor-Mr. Schluckebier.


BACK ROW: Susan Tighe, Jerry Geiger, John Warner, Ed Magnuson, James Prescott, Mark Roeber, Gary Lanser, Fred Moore, Glenn Trube. THIRD ROW: Paula Reuter, Rita Book, Linda Adams, Scott Stalling, Deborah Frye, Richard Lux, Joan Koester, Kathy Chapman, Vickie Hirchert. SECOND ROW: June Smith, Melissa Emry, Ray Brentlinger, Lorraine Hall, Evelyn Johnson, Rick Dowling, Gaylord Strivens, Nadine Shortt. FRONT ROW: Eugene French, Paul Rubeck, Larry Lindahl, Shelley Creamer, Sheri Kier, Janice Kraemer, Darcy Swanson, Lynn Carlson, Mr. Schrieber, Sponsor.
Class of '72


The Freshman class sponsor was Mr. Schrieber. As a money-making project they had a sock hop on January 16. Music was provided by a jukebox.

## Class Officers:

President-Scott Stalling Vice-President-Gaylord Strivens Secretary-Treasurer-June Smith Reporter-Lynn Carlson

Would you believe Freshmen?


Class officers-June, Scott, Gaylord, Lynn. Sponsor-Mr. Schrieber.

## Eaglés Cry



## Junior Class Play

## "Desperate Ambrose"



BACK ROW:
Stinkweed
Hoot Owl Pete
Sheriff Crandal $\qquad$ Robert Meyer Bill Sac
Ambrose Groves Mike Ellis
Second Man Robert Smith
First Man $\qquad$ Terry Trube
Bert Miller Rick Hank Dan'l Roger Schubert Judge $\qquad$ Jon Rastede

FRONT ROW:
Pose Sharon Noble
Student Director $\qquad$ Lucinda Hirchert
Nancy Marten $\qquad$ LeAnn VonMinden
Anne Marten Dive Koester
Patti Sullivan
Lena
Beth
$\qquad$ Deb Menkent
Mrs. Sprool Susan Smith
"Desperate Ambrose," a three-act comedy-western, was presented by the Junior Class on November 22 and 23, 1968. Co-directors were Mrs. Mohr and Mrs. Dahlquist.

## Senior Class Play

BACK ROW:


## "Wedding Spells"



Because of a head injury, Steve Arlen sometimes has lapses of memory. But never one as bad as this before! He simply can't remember which of the four charming girls he married! Ruse after ruse is tried by the frantic bridegroom, but his wife conceals her identity right up to the final curtain of this riotous farce. This play was presented in both a matinee and an evening performance on April 11, 1969.

## Declam



## CONTEST ENTRIES

Original Public Address-Bob Meyer
Extemporaneous Speaking-Bill Sachau
Poetry Reading-Debi Frye
Informative Public Speaking-Chuck Asbra Discussion-Richard Kraemer, John Lindahl Oral Interpretation of Drama-Deb Menkens D'vee Koester Sharon Nobbe Paul Calvert

BACK ROW: Bill Sachau, Richard Kraemer, Bob Meyer, Doug Witte, John Lindahl, Chuck Asbra. FRONT ROW: Jean Serven, LeAnn VonMinden, Sharon Nobbe, Mrs. Dahlquist, Advisor.

Allen declam students entered their first speech contest this year at Hartington Cedar Catholic. The contest divisions were as follows: Oral Interpretation of Prose, Interpretative Public Speaking, Original Public Address, Extemporaneous Speaking, Poetry Reading, Informative Public Speaking, Television and Radio Discussion, and Oral Interpretation of Drama. Allen participated in several of these divisions.

In February, work began on a One-Act Play entitled "Split Cherry Tree" by Jesse Stuart. The group planned to take the play to the Wayne contest.


BACK ROW: Jerry Roberts, Bruce Linafelter, Paul Calvert, Wayne Chapman. FRONT ROW: Mrs. Dahlquist, Advisor: LeAnn VonMinden, Sharon Nobbe, Linda Rasmussen, Jean Serven, Deb Menkens, D'vee Koester.

## Spanish CluG



BACK ROW: Mike Ellis, Terry Trube, Bob Mitchell, Roger Schubert, Chuck Asbra. FRONT ROW: Mrs. John, Advisor; Brad Kellogg, Jill Fahrenholz, John Lindahl.


Spanish II members served as officers.

The Spanish Club held meetings every two weeks on Friday. Lunch was usually served by one of the members. Serving as officers of the club were Jill Fahrenholz, President; Chuck Asbra, Vice President; and Brad Kellogg, Secretary-Treasurer.


Spanish 1 at work??

## Allen High Library Asrociation



Book Fair Display

The Library Club was organized to help in the planning and developing of an overall program for the entire school. It is necessary to have a staff of assistant librarians to administer the library and provide a consulting and advisory service for any student during the day. The meetings are devoted to library organization and participation in the various library duties.


Patti Sullivan, Assistant Committee chairman; Kathy Jackson, Treasurer; Janice Kraemer, Committee chairman; Cindy Hirchert, Secretary; Margaret Ankeny, President; Jean Serven, Reporter; Sue Thomas, Vice President; Mrs. Mohr, Sponsor.


Librarians at work.

## Concert Band



BACK ROW: Tom Maggart, Sandy Jeffrey, Debbie Ellis, Debi Frye, Valerie Koester, Cindy Carr, Mr. Schrieber, Director. FOURTH ROW: Diane Fahrenholz, Kim Jackson, DeAnn Troth, Joan Koester, Julie Tighe, Ginger Heckens, Jeanine Emry, Mike Ellis, Scott VonMinden, Scott McAfee, Gary Lanser, Darwin Rubeck, Neil Blohm, Glenn Trube, Roxanne Blohm, Kenton Emry. THIRD ROW: Linda Book, Susan Kjer, LeAnn Nobbe, Jenell Carr, Roger Schubert, Kay Schroeder, Brian Linafelter, Sharon Nobbe, Dick Burgess, Bruce Linafelter, Jerry Warner, Terry Trube, Don Hassler, Bill Sachau, Jim Koester, Randy Lanser, Pete Snyder, Doug Witte, SECOND ROW: Marcella Shortt, Nadine Shortt, Melissa Emry, Shelley Creamer, Scott Stalling, Jill Fahrenholz, Nancy Swanson, John Warner, Dan Hickman, Barbara Creamer, Curt Wheeler, Cindy Ellis, Paul Calvert. FRONT ROW: Sheri Kier, Janean Fahrenholz, LeAnn VonMinden, Paula Reuter, Kathy Chapman, Denice Linafelter, Carmen Blohm, Darcy Swanson.

The Allen summer band marched at the Ponca celebration early in the summer of 1968, and in August they presented a concert and marched in a parade at the Dixon County Fair. On September 21 the band attended the University of Nebraska's Band Day in Lincoln. In December a concert by the choir, glee, and band was presented. Allen was represented at instrumental clinic in February, earning eleven first chairs. The sixty-member concert band presented a concert in March.

## Marcking Band



BACK ROW: LeAnn VonMinden, Denice Lina ter, Sheri Kier, Paula Reuter, Kathy Chapm Janean Fahrenholz. NINTH ROW: Carmen Blot Linda Book, Diane Fahrenholz, Melissa En EIGHTH ROW: Roger Schubert, Shelley Cream DeAnn Troth, LeAnn Nobbe, Kim Jackson, Nad Short. SEVENTH ROW: Marci Shortt, Do Swanson, Julie Tighe, Jenell Carr, Joan Koes Ginger Heckens. SIXTH ROW: Debi Frye, Sus Kier, Dan Hickman, Tom Maggart, Scott Stalli Nancy Swanson. FIFTH ROW: Cindy Ellis, Vale Koester, Paul Calvert, Brian Linafelter, Deb Ellis, Doug Witte. FOURTH ROW: Mike E John Warner, Curt Wheeler, Barbara Crean Scott VonMinden, Glenn Trube. THIRD RO Jeanine Emry, Scott McAfee, Neil Blohm, Schroeder, Gary Lanser. SECOND ROW: Hassler, Dick Burgess, Roxanne Blohm, Ken Emry, Sharon Nobbe, Jerry Warner. FRONT RO Mr. Schrieber, Director; Bruce Linafelter, Koester, Terry Trube, Pete Snyder, Randy Lan Bill Sachau. Jill Fahrenholz is majorette.
 Jeanine Emry, Tom Maggart, Mike Ellis, Kenton Emry, Dick Burgess, Bruce Linafelter.


BACK ROW: Curt Wheeler, Terry Trube, Mr. Schrieber, Director; Val Koester, Nancy Swanson. THIRD ROW: Gary Lanser, Scott VonMinden, Mike Ellis, Jeanine Emry, Don Hassler, Brian Linafelter, Richard Kraemer, Gary Troth. SECOND ROW: Bill Sachau, Jerry Warner, Bruce Linafelter, Kathy Geddes, D'vee Koester, Deb Menkens, LeAnn VonMinden. FRONT ROW: Doug Witte, Dan Hickman, Cindy Ellis, Paul Calvert.

## Woodwind Choir



BACK ROW: Shelley Creamer, Melissa Emry, Nadine Shorty, Marcella Shorty. FRONT ROW: Darcy Swanson, Jill Fahrenholz, Nancy Swanson, Scott Stalling.

## Band Officers and

 Class Representatives
## All State



Debbie Jones, Kathy Geddes, Jill Fahrenholz, Cindy Ellis.

BACK ROW: Linda Book, Curt Wheeler, Bruce Linafelter, Nadine Shorty, Kay Schroeder, Julie Tighe, FRONT ROW: Jeanine Emry, Val Koester, Nancy Swanson, Doug Witter.

## Junior Band



BACK ROW: JoAnne Roberts, Dan Campbell, Director: Mr. Schrieber, Verneal Roberts, Brad Heckens, Bob Burgess, Steve Shorts, Paul Snyder, SECOND ROW: Colleen Blohm, Lisa Carpenter, Jean Roberts, Loren Trube, Jeff Creamer, Lindy Koester, Diane Witte, Mark Chapman, Donald Kluver. FRONT ROW: Jeanette Burgess, Kari Erwin, Joy Kier, Brenda Stalling.


BACK ROW: Lorraine Hall, Evelyn Johnson, Joan Koester, Lucinda Hirchert, Jean Serven, John Warner, Bruce Linafelter, Doug Witte, Don Hassler, Wayne Chapman, Paul Calvert, Jon Rastede, Nancy Chapman, Delores Asbra, Patty Sullivan, Linda Adams, Paulette Noe, Kathy Chapman, THIRD ROW: D'vee Koester, Sue Thomas, Vickie Hirchert, Rita Book, Linda Book, Brian Linafelter, Roger Schubert, Bill Sachau, Jerry Warner, John Lindah, Charles Asbra, Rhonda Schultz, Cathy Dowling, Ginger Heckens, Sheri Kier. Janice Kraemer. SECOND ROW: June Smith, Debbie Jones, Sandy Jones, Vickie Hohenstein, Sharon Nobbe, Darcy Swanson, Debi Frye, Mark Roeber, Curt Wheeler, Tom Maggart, Bill Hall, Janean Fahrenholz, Valerie Koester, Marci Shortt, Melissa Emry, Paula Reuter, Nancy Swanson. FRONT ROW: Mr. Schrieber, Director; Jeanine Emry, Margaret Ankeny, Kathy Geddes, Jill Fahrenholz, Linda Rasmussen, Richard Kraemer, Mike Ellis, Dan Hickman, Gary Troth, Scott Stalling, Nancy Sullivan, Sandy Jeffrey, LeAnn VonMinden, Debbie Menkens, Nadine Shortt, Shelley Creamer, Cindy Ellis, Pianist.

Twenty-three of Allen's choir members attended the November vocal clinic at Winside. A new vocal group was started this year, the swing choir. They are accompanied by the stage band. The senior quartet sang at vocal clinic, the Sweetheart Dance, and various banquets. In April a pre-contest concert was held, featuring vocal, instrumental, and solo numbers.

## Girls' Glee



BACK ROW: D'vee Koester, Sue Thomas, Evelyn Johnson, Rita Book, Joan Koester, Lucinda Hirchert, Jean Serven, Rhonda Schultz, Cathy Dowling, Nancy Chapman, Delores Asbra, Ginger Heckens, Linda Adamst Paulette Noe, Sheri Kier, Paula Reuter, SECOND ROW: June Smith. Sandy Jones, Debbie Jones, Kathy Geddes, Lorraine Hall, Vickie Hirchert, Linda Book, Janean Fahrenholz, Valerie Koester, Marci Shortt, Patty Sullivan, Kathy Chapman, Janice Kraemer, Melissa Emry, Nancy Swanson. FRONT ROW: Mr. Schrieber, Director; Sharon Nobbe, Darcy Swanson, Jeanine Emry, Linda Rasmussen, Vickie Hohenstein, Debbie Frye, Margaret Ankeny, Jill Fahrenholz, Nancy Sullivan, Sandy Jeffrey, LeAnn VonMinden, Debbie Menkens, Nadine Shortt, Shelley Creamer. Cindy Ellis, Pianist.

## Homecoming Royalty



BACK ROW: Donna Peters and Jim Ellis, Homecoming Queen and King 1967-68. FRONT ROW: Linda Rasmussen, Diane Geiger, Debbie Jones, Bob Anderson, Craig Schultz, Kevin Hill.


Larry Carr then announced the flower girls, who were Maxynne Kruse-first grade and Shari Joneskindergarten, and also the crown bearers, Chip Carrkindergarten and Doug Koester-first grade, who entered while the band set the mood for the occasion. The candidates and junior escorts followed. The junior escorts were Rick Hank, Mike Ellis, Bill Sachau, Susan Smith, D'vee Koester, and Patty Sullivan. The Homecoming Royalty was then announced. Jim Ellis and Donna Peters, Homecoming Royalty of 1967-68, crowned and congratulated the 1968-69 Homecoming Royalty as follows: second attendants to the King and Queen-Linda Rasmussen and Kevin Hill; first attendants to the King and Queen-Diane Geiger and Craig Schultz. The King and Queen were Bob Anderson and Debbie Jones. The senior quartet sang, and the queen was presented a bouquet of yellow roses. The recessional concluded our Homecoming Royalty festivities. Following the victorious Homecoming game, a large crowd attended the dance in the gym. Music was provided by "The Shags.

Homecoming festivities began with a snake dance, which was held in the gym due to inclement weather. It was the most enjoyable, the most enthusiastic, and and the most spirit-raising pep rally to lead us in our victorious spirit drive. A large crowd assembled in the gymnasium to see the 1968-69 coronation ceremonies for Homecoming Royalty. Once inside the darkened gym, the guests were confronted with a lovely array of intertwined blue and gold paper on the stage. From the outer doors came aisles of white paper enclosed with streamers that continued to carry out the school colors. The pep club sponsor, Mrs. Jordan, began the ceremony by introducing the third attendants to the King and Queen, Larry Carr and Cindy Ellis, and presenting them as Master and Mistress of Ceremonies.


## Swretheart Ball

The FHA-FFA held their annual Sweetheart Ball February 22, 1969. At 9:30 the coronation ceremonies began with Dave Geiger and Patti Sullivan serving as Master and Mistress of ceremonies. The following AHS students were crowned the 1969 Sweetheart Royalty: Freshman attendants were Paula Reuter and Scott Stalling: Sophomore attendants were Rhonda Schultz and Loren Reuter; the Junior attendants were Susan Smith and Dale Strivens. The 1969 Queen was Linda Rasmussen and the 1969 King was Randy Crombie. The 1968 King and Queen, Wayne Rasmussen and Elayne Snyder, crowned the royalty. Among the sponsors of the ball were the FHA Advisor, Mrs. Kunzman, and the FFA Advisor, Mr. Schluckebier.


FROM LEFT: Paula Reuter, Rhonda Schultz, Susan Smith, Linda Rasmussen, Wayne Rasmussen, Elayne Snyder, Randy Crombie, Dale Strivens, Loren Reuter, Scott Stalling.

Future Farmers of America


BACK ROW: Paul McCoy, Jerry Warner, Joe Ankeny, Richard Gensler, Bob Smith, Jon Rastede, Mike Isom, Jerome Roberts, Bob Meyers, Kenton Emry, Loren Puckett, Dan Kavanaugh, SECOND ROW: John Smith, Richard Kraemer, Randy Crombi6, Bart Jorgensen, Dale Strivens, Linn Mattes, Jerry Roberts, David Abs, Loren Reuter, John Abs, Cecil Deme. FRONT ROW: Mr. Schluckebier, Advisor; Jerry Schroeder, Paul Calvert, Bob Anderson, Bill Sachau, Mark Carlson, Al Smith.


Advisor, Mr. Schluckebier; Reporter, Jerry Schroeder; Vice-President, Bill Sachau; President, Bob Anderson: Secretary, Paul Calvert; Treasurer, Mark Carlson; Sentinel, Al Smith.

Greznhands


BACK ROW: Rick Dowling, Dick Lux, Fred Moore, Mark Roeber, FRONT ROW: Gaylord Strivens, Jerry Geiger, John Warner, Scott Stalling, Mr. Schluckebier.

## Chapter Activities



During their final year in Ag work, the Seniors have been studying farm management. Their skills were very helpful in producing and marketing our corn crop this year.

The Juniors have been working with automotive and farm mechanics. They have learned many worthwhile skills.


The Sophomore Vo-Ag class has learned welding and other metal works. They have built several things including a loading chute.

The Freshman Ag class has learned wood-working skills. Their skills were helpful in the construction of a popcorn stand at the football field.


Our chapter president, Bob Anderson, who has helped our organization in many ways, is our candidate for State Farmer.

## Buture Homemakers of America



BACK ROW: Deb Menkens, Deb Frye, Patti Sullivan, Rhonda Schultz, Cathy Dowling, Marilyn Maggart, Sue Smith, Vickie Hohenstein, Janette Jeffrey, Sue Tighe, Joan Koester. FOURTH ROW: Sharon Nobbe, Kathy Geddes, Glenda Jeffrey, Sandy Jeffrey, Nancy Sullivan, Delores Asbra, Cindy Hirchert, Janean Fahrenholz, Corrine Beacom, Linda Book, Kathy Jackson, Rita Book. THIRD ROW: Sandy Jones, Paulette Noe, Deb Jones, Vickie Hirchert, Sharon Rahn, Sue Thomas, Barb Adams, LeAnn VonMinden, Diana Wilson, D'vee Koester, Kathy Chapman. SECOND ROW: Sheri Kier, Nadine Shortt, Kristin Rouse, June Smith, Darcy Swanson, Linda Adams, Ginger Heckens, Janice Kraemer, Shelley Kraemer, Melissa Emry, Paula Reuter. FRONT ROW: Marci Shortt, Jeanine Emry, Jill Fahrenholz, Linda Rasmussen, Nancy Swanson, Margaret Ankeny, Val Koester, Jean Serven, Cindy Ellis, Mrs. Kunzman, Advisor.

Highlights of the 1968-69 FHA year included our annual Polio Benefit Basketball game, a visit to the Ponca Nursing Home, and the adoption of a senior citizen each month. We also enjoyed films on Africa and a speech from Mr. Kerry Legget. Other activities were our annual magazine sales and a tea for our mothers. At Christmas we sent gifts to the servicemen overseas. Our last meeting was a farewell to the seniors.


## $\mathcal{P}_{\varepsilon \mu}$ CluG

The Pep Club had a very eventful year under the direction of Mrs. Jordan. Some of the major happenings were decorating for homecoming, purchasing shakers for the entire Pep Club, and sponsoring a dance. This year's officers were President, Val Koester: Vice-President, Diane Geiger; Secretary, Margaret Ankeny; Treasurer, Jeanine Emry; and Buyer, Marci Shortt. The Pep Club Council included the officers and the following representatives: Senior, Jean Serven; Junior, Cindy Hirchert; Sophomore, Linda Book; Freshman, June Smith; and Varsity Cheerleader, Sue Thomas.



BACK ROW: Mrs. Jordan, sponsor; Linda Book, Glenda Jeffrey, Marilyn Maggart, Sue Thomas, Linda Rasmussen, Jill Fahrenholz, Sue Smith, Janette Jeffrey, Cindy Hirchert. THIRD ROW: Joan Koester, Deb Menkens, Debi Frye, Jean Serven, Deb Jones, Cindy Ellis, Janean Fahrenholz, Sandy Jeffrey, LeAnn VonMinden, Paulette Noe. SECOND ROW: Kathy Jackson, Rita Book, Sandy Jones, D'vee Koester, Darcy Swanson, Rhonda Schultz, Sheri Kier, Sharon Rahn, Iva Osbahr, Corrine $\$$ Beacom. FRONT ROW: Nancy Swanson, June Smith, Vickie Hirchert, Sharon Nobbe, Nadine Shortt, Paula Reuter, Ginger Heckens, Shelley Creamer. Melissa Emry, Kristin Rouse. KNEELING: Officers Margaret Ankeny, Jeanine Emry, Val Koester, Marci Shortt.

## "4" Club



REAR: Tom Maggart, Jerome Roberts. OUTER ROW: Terry Trube, Al Smith, John Smith, Brian Linafelter, Mike Isom, Bob Mitchell, Don Hassler, Doug Witte, Larry Wilson, Bruce Trube, Steve Green, Jon Rastede, Jerry Schroeder, Jon Abts, Bob Smith. INNER ROW: Loren Reuter, Jerry Roberts, Kenton Emry, Randy Crombie, Roger Schubert, Joe Ankeny, John Warner, Bob Meyer, Jerry Warner, Curt Wheeler, Richard Gensler, Dave Abts, Bruce Linafelter. FRONT ROW: Coach Vikander, Craig Schultz, Lorry Carr. Kevin Hill, Bob Anderson, Coach Kruse.

The " A " Club was composed of 34 members this past year, a growth of 4 members. This shows an increase of interest amongst the underclassmen. With the majority of its members being underclassmen, the Allen Athletic Department shows a promising future. The officers for this year were Craig Schultz, president; Larry Carr, vice-president; Bob Anderson, secretary; and Kevin Hill, treasurer. The highlight of the "A" Club year was the annual carnival which was a big success.


Varsity Cheerleaders


Cindy Ellis
Linda Rasmussen
Sue Thomas
Debbie Jones

## Second Tram Cheerleaders



Darcy Swanson, Rhonda Schultz, Nadine Short t Paula Renter

## Football



BACK ROW: Jim Prescott, Fred Moore, Jerry Geiger, Linn Mattes, Mark Roeber, Kenton Emry, Gary Lanser, Glenn Trube. FOURTH ROW: Jerry Roberts, Student Manager: Tom Maggart, Doug Witte, Randy Crombie, Allan Smith, Bruce Trube, Craig Schultz, Larry Carr, Kevin Hill, Bob Anderson, Student Manager. THIRD ROW: Terry Trube, Gary Troth, Roger Schubert, Dennis Geiger, Dale Strivens, Bart Jorgensen, Loren Reuter, Rick Hank, Bruce Linafelter, Student Manager. SECOND ROW: Ass't. Coach Vikander, John Smith, Jerome Roberts, Bob Mitchell, Brian Linafelter, Richard Kraemer, John Warner, Bob Smith, Mike Ellis. FRONT ROW: Coach Kruse, Mike Isom, Curt Wheeler, Joe Ankeny, Bob Meyer, Jerry Warner, Rick Gensler, Jon Rastede.

## Seniors in Gootfall



BACK ROW: Randy Crombie, Doug Witte, Tom Maggart, Bruce Trube, Allan Smith. FRONT ROW: Jerry Roberts, Bob Anderson, Kevin Hill, Larry Carr, Craig Schultz, Bruce Linafelter, Coach Kruse.

## All-Conference



Craig Schultz


Al Smith


Bob Meyer

The team that took the field wearing the Blue and Gold of Allen High during the 1968 season is one we can be truly proud to call our "Screamin' Eagles." With a third place finish in the Lewis and Clark conference and a season's record of five wins and three losses, the season can be termed successful. There will be eight seniors lost through graduation, and it is hoped that the momentum gained during the season will be carried on by the reserves and returning lettermen. Eagle fans and players can look forward to the next season with much enthusiasm and optimism.

## Game Scores

| PLAYED | WE | THEY |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Wynot | 21 | 13 |
| Winside | 7 | 18 |
| Ponca | 14 | 12 |
| Wakefield | 10 | 6 |
| Coleridge | 21 | 13 |
| Randolph | 18 | 39 |
| Hartington | 14 | 12 |
| Emerson | 0 | 18 |



BACK ROW: Coach Vikander, Bob Meyer, David Geiger, Tom Maggart, Paul Calvert, Jerome Roberts, Bob Mitchell, Bruce Linafelter, Student Manager. FRONT ROW: Bill Sachau, Student Manager: Dennis Geiger, David Abts, Kevin Hill, Bob Anderson, John Abts, Loren Reuter.


Seniors accepting Lyons Invitational trophy. Coach Vikander, Bob Anderson, Dave Abts, Tom Maggart, Paul Calvert, and Kevin Hill are pictured.


## B- Tram Basketball



BACK ROW: Coach Kruse, Curt Wheeler, Student Manager; Roger Schubert, Robert Smith, Brian Linafelter, John Warner, Loren Puckett. Jim Prescott, Gary Troth, Terry Trube, Jerry Geiger, Bill Sachau, Student Manager; Bruce Linafelter, Student Manager. FRONT ROW: Paul Rubeck, Ray Brentlinger, Mike Ellis, Gaylord Strivens, Glenn Trube, Scott Stalling, Gary Rahn, Loren Reuter, Gene French.

## B- ram $\ell_{\text {reap }}$

The 1968-69 version of the Junior Varsity finished with a winning record. The main purpose of having a reserve team is to prepare players for Varsity competition and to allow more players to compete in inter-school basketball. The winning spirit caught on, and it is hoped that along with the fundmental learned, this spirit will carry over into future years with the Varsity. The J. V. featured a pattern type of offense and a pressing defense which led to the successful season.

Same Scores - B - Dram

| PLAYED | WE | THEY |
| :--- | ---: | :---: |
| Ponca. | 54 | 53 |
| Coleridge | 46 | 39 |
| Homer. | 43 | 38 |
| Newcastle | 37 | 28 |
| Randolph | 50 | 39 |
| Pilger. | 51 | 35 |
| Winside | 28 | 40 |
| Wakefield | 28 | 40 |
| Wynot | 41 | 25 |
| Emerson S. H. | 29 | 36 |
| Hartington. | 44 | 28 |
| Emerson-Hubbard | 41 | 57 |
| Walthill. | 24 | 35 |

## Varsity $<$ reap

The Allen Varsity started the year with eight returning lettermen. Partway through the season we had lost two letterman. Due to inexperience the Varsity had a hard time getting untangled for a first win. The Eagles won their first game, after dropping their first five, in the Lyons Tournament by defeating Winside in overtime and taking third place. The top game of the season was played against Emerson S. H. when the gallant Eagles came from behind to win in overtime once again. If one had to list the highpoint of the year, it came in the satisfaction that the "Fighting Eagles" were a team, not individualistic.

## Game Scores - Varsity

| PLAYED | WE | THEY |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Ponca | 31 | 44 |
| Coleridge | 32 | 62 |
| Homer. | 43 | 66 |
| Newcastle | 49 | 61 |
| Walthill | 44 | 67 |
| Winside | 56 | out. |
| Hartington. | 49 |  |
| Randolph | 59 | out. 53 |
| Pilger | 50 | 42 |
| Winside | 40 | 98 |
| Wakefield | 34 | 46 |
| Wynot | 54 | 75 |
| Emerson S. H. | 68 | 33 |
| Hartington. | 75 | out. |
| Emerson-Hubbard. | 46 | 63 |
| Walthill. | 38 | 63 |
| Walthill (District) | 61 | 56 |



BACK ROW: Rhonda Schultz, Janean Fahrenholz, Sue Smith, Bruce Linafelter, Student Manager; Jean Serven, Diane Geiger, Cindy Ellis. FRONT ROW: Margaret Ankeny, Sue Thomas, Jill Fahrenholz, Coach Kruse, Kathy Jackson, Linda Rasmussen, Cathy Dowling.


This is how we looked before we got our new uniforms.

The second season of Volleyball at Allen High found the girls full of enthusiasm, with interest in the sport increasing among the student body. The Eaglettes became members of the Nebraskaland Volleyball Conference in the past year. Competition was very tough, and the girls found themselves on the short end of the score during the first half of the season. However, through a fierce determination to win and the will to learn, the girls began to merge into a sound, functioning team.


Practice! Practice! Practice!

## Game $S_{\text {cores }}$ by $\delta_{\text {ets }}$

| PARTICIPANTS: | 1 | 2 | 3 | Allen | 13 | 15 | 15 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Allen | 8 | 10 |  | Hartington | 15 | 7 | 11 |
| Ponca | 15 | 15 |  | Allen | 7 | 11 |  |
| Allen | 5 | 15 | 3 | Laurel | 15 | 15 |  |
| Winside | 15 | 9 | 15 | Allen | 15 | 15 |  |
| Allen | 9 | 13 |  | Emerson-Hubbard | 13 | 11 |  |
| Randolph St. Francis | 15 | 15 |  | Allen | 15 | 15 |  |
| Allen | 4 | 4 |  | Walthill | 5 | 2 |  |
| Laurel | 15 | 15 |  | Allen | 15 | 15 |  |
| Allen | 6 | 10 |  | Emerson-Hubbard | 11 | 0 |  |
| Randolph | 15 | 15 |  | Allen | 15 | 15 |  |
| Allen | 3 | 15 | 8 | Randolph St. Francis | 10 | 8 |  |



What is this, touch?


The name of the game


Grab that Wildcat


Up, up, and away
Heads up


Victorious Eagles


Peek-a-boo


Did he make it?


Where'd it go?


Watch out, Bluedevils


Up for grabs


Yes or no?



## Kinder-

 garten

BACK ROW: Kim Blecke, Tara Lynn Schaefer, Brian Foote, Wayne Trevett, Jon Kemling, Lisa Erwin, David Hansen, Mrs. Roberts. SECOND ROW: Shari Jones, Jeff Wheeler, Ross Lund, Jeff McAfee, Lori Troth, Scott Carr. FRONT ROW: Talon Isom, Chip Carr, Colette Kraemer, Sonya Ellis, John Sawtell, Ricky Gotch.

Kindergarten class started with 23 students. Our room mother was Mrs. Merlin Jones. Mrs. LeRoy Roberts and Mrs. Bill Snyder supervised the Kindergarten in the afternoon while Mrs. Roberts taught the third grade. Some of the highlights of the year were -

Halloween - Dressing up in costumes.
Homecoming attendants - Shari Jones and Chip Carr.
Christmas - Exchanging gifts and seeing Santa Claus to tell him what we wanted for Christmas.
Valentine's Day - Exchanging Valentines and having a party.
Easter - Waiting for the Easter Rabbit.
Circus - April 11 - Riding on a bus and seeing clowns and real animals.
Kindergarten Round-up - Seeing the new students who will be in our school.

## Tirst

## Grade



BACK ROW: Gregg Carr, Dennis Dahl, Tracy Lund, Renee Sutphin, Jim Minor, Duane Stolle. THIRD ROW: Mark Koch, Lee Hansen, Doug Koester, Dawn Kluver, Julie DeBorde, Doug Mobley. SECOND ROW: Lesa Rastede, Jeff Isom, Maxynne Kruse, Joni Kraemer, Randy Smith, Roberf Malcom. FRONT ROW: Frank Lanser, David Foote, Jolene Smith, Duane French, Teresa Kjer, Pat Onderstal, Mrs. Jewell.

The First Grade started out the year with 16 boys and 9 girls. Maxynne Kruse and Doug Koester represented our room as the Homecoming Attendants. We celebrated Halloween with a party and a masquerade. During the Thanksgiving season we presented the plays "The Thankful Pilgrims" and "The Turkey's Thanksgiving" for the Kindergarten, Second Grade, and guests.

Doll and Toy Day was held in Jänuary. The Kindergartners and Second Graders were our guests. April 11 we traveled to Sioux City for the Shrine Circus. In May we presented a program for our mothers.


BACK ROW: Darwin Kluver, Barton Gotch, Nicky Mitchell, Alan Isom, Douglas Osbahr. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Bartling, Gary Karlberg, Stacee Koester, Kevin Kraemer, Susan Erwin, Pam Brownell, Jimmy Lunz. FRONT ROW: Marcia Koeppe, Dale Kellogg, Kieth Brentlinger, Kevin French, Lynette Sawtell.

Room mother - Mrs. Frederick Kraemer.
Parties - Halloween masquerade.
Christmas party with gift exchange.
Valentine party with Valentine exchange.
Students who have moved - Emily Ellis, Sheb Welchel.
New students - Sheb Welchel, Billy Chase, Marcia Koeppe, Elaine Wennekamp, and Ronda Wennekamp.


BACK ROW: Sue Lanser, Vircent Kavanaugh, Todd Ellis, Susan Lux, Kenneth Ellis, Lin Smith, June Stapleton, David Lunz, Mrs. Roberts. SECOND ROW: LeEtta Keil, Doug Kluver, Monte Roeber, Marsha Smith, Bobby Kruse, Brent Chase, Connie Dahl, Gary Brownell, Mrs. Sorenson. FRONT ROW: Barbara French, Kay Linafelter, Dan Koester, Mark Creamer, Ricky Smith, Scott Koeppe, Terri Jones, Cheryl Koch.

The third-grade room mother is Mrs. Vincent Kavanaugh.
We have had a Halloween masquerade, Christmas and Valentine's parties, and a May basket exchange.
The students leaving the third grade were Mike Crillo and Diane Hank.
The new students were Brent Chase and Scott Koeppe.
Two teachers, Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Sorenson, are teaching - Mrs. Sorenson in the morning and Mrs. Roberts in the afternoon.

## Pacti Grade



BACK ROW: Jack Warner, Steve Lunz, Lori Erwin, Teresa Campbell, Mark Trevett, Joyce Trevett. SECOND ROW: Juli Keil, Stan McAfee, Joyce Koeppe, Janet Isom, Todd Koester, Mike DeBorde. FRONT ROW: Mary Jo Lundin, Janice Faircloth, Lori VonMinden. Heidi Kemling, Brad Chase, Mark Rubeck, Mrs. Lunz.

When school started on August 26, there were 17 children enrolled in the fourth grade. We have had many children from our room moving to other towns, and also many new students have enrolled throughout the year. It certainly has been a year with many new faces in our room. The highlights of this year have been the parties that are held each Halloween and Valentine's Day. We certainly want to thank our room mother, Mrs. Gary Erwin, for planning them for us. The gift exchange at Christmas was also enjoyed by everyone in our room.

Mark and Joyce Trevett and Janice Faircloth have moved since this picture was taken of our class.
The year closed with a picnic which was held in the park in Allen.

## Tifth

## Grade



BACK ROW: DeLinda Kluver, Lindy Koester, Lynn Trevett, JoAnne Roberts Kari Erwin, Jeff Creamer, THIRD ROW: Cathy Smith, Diane Carr, Joy Kjer, Steve Shortt, Steve Osbahr, Richard Davenport. SECOND ROW: Roxanne Sutphin, Don Lux, Verneal Roberts, Diane Witte. FRONT ROW: Julie Osbahr, Bob Burgess, Randy Gensler, Byron Hall, Mrs. Reuter.

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## Sixth

 GradeBACK ROW: Brenda Stalling, Colleen Blohm, Lesa Carpenter, Jeann Roberts, Alice Lux, Paul Snyder, Phillip Emmons. SECOND ROW: Douglas Smith, David Rahn, Rickey Chase, Brad Heckens, Loren Trube, Jeanette Burgess, Donald Kluver. FRONT ROW: Ricky Sutphin, Mark Chapman, Trudy Mattes, Peter Lundin, Marie Malmberg, Dan Campbell, Francis Koeppe.

Being a sixth grader, we found out, is having no milk break, having less noontime, and collecting attendance slips twice a day, besides doing the book work.

Activities coordinating with studies ranged from putting on one-act plays to making sawdust maché islands to having soil conservationist speakers to examining actual beef and pig hearts to compiling a Thanksgiving newspaper for the entire grade school and faculty.

As the year passed, those people leaving us were Barbara Taylor and Debbie Ellis. Those joining us were Rickey Chase, Francis Koeppe, and Danny Campbell.

Since she was recuperating from a tonsillectomy at the time, Lois Kruse was not with us when we had our picture taken.


Seuenth Mrade

BACK ROW: Scott VonMinden, Diane Fahrenholz, Carmen Blohm, Kim Jackson, Jim Koester, Mikki Roeber. THIRD ROW: Denice Linafelter, Barbara Creamer, DeAnn Troth, Scott McAfee, Larry Gotch, Kendra Linafelter, Suzie Magnuson. SECOND ROW: Melodie Davenport, Randy Lanser, Jennifer Hall, Jenell Carr, LeAnn Nobbe, Kay Schroeder. FRONT ROW: Darwin Rubeck, Roger Anderson, Rex Rastede, Neil Blohm, Tim Hill, Leland Klinetobe, Mrs. Isom.

Bubbling, bouncing, vim, and vigor! These are characteristics that have carried the Seventh Grade through a fun-filled, work-filled scholastic year.

Our year was well organized by very efficient officers. They were President - Melodie Davenport, Vicepresident - Roger Anderson, Secretary - Diane Fahrenholz, and Treasurer - Kay Schroeder.

As Seventh Graders we entered the world of Competitive Sports. We played many basketball games and participated in several tournaments. This is the first year that the girls have been organized into a volleyball team and competed with other schools. The members of our teams were cheered on by our very active pep club and enthusiastic cheerleaders: Kay Schroeder and Jenell Carr.

Approximately 15 out of our total 26 membership in class participated in band. They attended many activities and received much enrichment from this extra-curricular activity.

Our parties added to the flavor of a thoroughly enjoyable year.


BACK ROW: Niki Keil, Duane Mitchell, Roxanne Blohm, Debbie Kluver, Pete Snyder, Mark Jorgensen. SECOND ROW: Dick Burgess, Suzanne Lundin, Cindy Carr, Suzie Kier, Debbie Ellis, Terry Rahn. FRONT ROW: Julie Tighe, Wayne Rastede, Terry Noe, Janell Hassler, John Malmberg, Craig Blohm, Mrs. Dahlquist.

At the beginning of the year there were twenty-one class members. By the end of the first semester we lost three classmates and gained Ronald Lyons.

The class officers are Mark Jorgensen — president; Cindy Carr - vice-president; Terry Noe - secretarytreasurer: Debbie Kluver - reporter.

The room mother is Mrs. Bud Mitchell, and Mrs. Dahlquist is the class sponsor. The eighth grade entertained the seventh grade at a Halloween party.

Grade
School


Extra -
Curricular

## Music Contest... 1969

Soloists


BACK ROW: Jean Serven, Deb Menkens, Brian Linafelter, Jill Fahrenholz, Bruce Linafelter, Mike Ellis. SECOND ROW: Jeanine Emry, Cindy Ellis, D'vee Koester, Kathy Geddes, Deb Jones. FRONT ROW: Nancy Swanson, Nadine Shortt, Sharon Nobbe, LeAnn VonMinden.

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DIVISION I RATINGS:
Band
Mixed Chorus
Girls' Glee
Brass Sextet
Clarinet Quartet
Girls' Trio
Jeanine Emry, Trumpet Jill Fahrenholz, Bass Clarinet
Nadine Shortt, Clarinet LeAnn VonMinden, Flute
Jean Serven, Soprano
Kathy Geddes, Soprano
Cindy Ellis, Alto
Deb Menkens, Piano


D'vee Koester, Deb Menkens, Sharon Nobbe.

Sax Quartet


Doug Witte, Dan Hickman, Curt Wheeler, Paul Calvert.

Clarinst Quartet


Nadine Shortt, Marci Shortt, Melissa Emry, Shelley Creamer.

## Baseball



BACK ROW: Coach Kruse, Gary Rahn, Bart Jorgensen, John Abts, Gary Troth, John Warner, Bob Mitchell, Brian Linafelter, Bruce Linafelter, Student Manager. SECOND ROW: Dennis Geiger, Craig Schultz, Dave Abts, Larry Carr, Al Smith, Doug Witte. FRONT ROW: Bob Anderson, Kevin Hill, Bruce Trube.

## Game Scores

| PLAYED | WE | THEY |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Wayne | 2 | 8 |
| Ponca | 9 | 4 |
| Walthill | 2 | 3 |
| Wayne | 4 | 6 |
| Walthill | 6 | 1 |
| Bancroft | 7 | 2 |
| Wakefield | 1 | 6 |



Here Craig Schultz shows his top form.


Seniors on baseball squad. BACK ROW: Dave Abts, Al Smith, Bruce Trube, Bob Anderson, Kevin Hill. FRONT ROW: Craig Schultz, Larry Carr.

The Allen High School baseball team compiled a $2-3$ regular season record going into district play. Two of the losses came at the hands of the defending State Champions, Wayne High.

This year's team's chief characteristics were a strong infield and a fast and versatile outfield. Six of the starters were seniors, which means the key positions will be open next year.

Craig Schultz's fine pitching was a real bright spot for Allen. Craig compiled a two and two record. Losing him will be felt heavily. The team batting average was around 250 all season, and this is a fairly good average. We also received some good pitching from Denny Geiger, a junior. Returning regulars will be Brian Linafelter, Bob Mitchell, and John Abts.

Allen won its first game of the State District Play-off, 7-2, against Bancroft in 10 innings. The next game was against Wakefield, with the winner going to the finals in the district.

## Track



BACK ROW: Wayne Chapman, Steve Green, Kenton Emry, Jerome Roberts, Brian Linafelter, Jerry Geiger, Coach Schluckebier. FRONT ROW: Bob Mitchell, Kevin Hill, Bill Hall, John Smith, Fred Moore, Dick Lux.


Track is a team sport for individuals. It puts the team's ability to win on the individuals on the team. This year we went to four track meets plus districts. The first places were quite lean with first places only at the Winside quadrangular: Kenton Emry in the 220 and Kevin Hill in the 100. The districts found only the 880-yard relay team winning some medals for fourth place. With almost all of the track team being sophomores, next year should be good for the track team.

Sophomore speedster Kenton Emry, a promising prospect, practices his fast start.

Handoffs are vital in relay events. Here Steve Green is handing the baton to Brian Linafelter during a practice event.


## Junior-Senior Prom



These sophomores were chosen as waiters and waitresses: WAITERS: John Smith, Bill Rooney, Loren Reuter, Mike Isom, Brian Linafelter. WAITRESSES: Ginger Heckens, Corrine Beacom, Kristin Rouse, Linda Book, Sandy Jeffrey.


Among those seated at the head table were Mr. Olson, junior class sponsor, and Mr. Kruse, senior class sponsor (standing). Cindy Hirchert, junior class president; Curt Wheeler, master of ceremonies; Bob Anderson, Senior class president; and Deb Jones are seated.


There were approximately one hundred people present for the banquet. This year's theme was "Three Coins in a Fountain." And the gym was decorated in ice blue and Siamese Pink for this very special event.



BACK ROW: Bruce Trube, Doug Witte, Joe Smith, Al Smith, Don Hassler, Tom Maggart. SECOND ROW: Dan Rooney, Bob Anderson, Larry Carr, Jean Serven, Jill Fahrenholz, Valerie Koester, Glenda Jeffrey. FRONT ROW: Mr. Vikander, Principal; Nancy Swanson, Sue Thomas, Marci Shortt, Jeanine Emry, Margaret Ankeny, Barb Adams, Sharon Rahn.


BACK ROW: Paul Calvert, Dave Abts, Bruce Linafelter, Randy Crombie, Mark Carlson, Larry Wilson, Wayne Chapman, Paul McCoy. SECOND ROW: Kathy Jackson, Diane Geiger, Kevin Hill, Jerry Roberts, Jerry Schroeder, Craig Schultz. Steve Green. FRONT ROW: Kathy Geddes, Linda Rasmussen, Deb Jones, Cindy Ellis, Nanci Sullivan, Mr. Kruse, Senior Class Sponsor: Mr. Heckens, Superintendent.

Shoot for the top rung on the "Ladder of Success," but don't step on others to get there.


Reverend Kemling gave the Baccalaureate address, and Reverend Erlandson gave the invocation and benediction. This statement could sum up the overall theme imparted to the Seniors on Baccalaureate and Commencement. In his address on Baccalaureate, Reverend Kemling advised the Seniors to find something worth dying for, something that would benefit others not just themselves, and something that would satisfy Christ as well as human desire. We should be humble before Christ, but as Dr. Max Lundstrom said on Commencement, we mus $\dagger$ also have confidence in our own abilities to achieve "victory." Since victory is such a broad term-for people have many different objectives - Mr . Lundstrom summarized his address in this way: (1) evaluate your faults, (2) choose your goal according to your capabilities, and (3) determine to reach your goal, regardless of the setbacks you may encounter. With these inspiring thoughts, may the Seniors all find their places in the world and achieve success.

We made it!!!


Craig Schultz-Valedictorian of the Class of ' 69 .


Margaret Ankeny, ranking third in the class, received the K. R. Mitchell Scholarship Award.



Ranking fourth in her class, Linda Rasmussen was chosen alternate for the K. R. Mitchell Scholarship Award. '69.

Cindy Ellis-Salutatorian of the Class of


[^0]:    The highlights of 1968-1969 for the Fifth Grade were -
    Parties - Halloween Masquerade Party
    Christmas - Gift exchange
    Valentine's - Messages of love
    Room mother - Mrs. Donald Kluver
    Children joining our class - Brenda Kennekamp
    Children moving away - Tami Goodwin to Vancouver, Washington
    Katherine Rahn to Martinsburg, Nebraska
    Lynn Trevett to South Sioux City, Nebraska
    Junior Band Students - Lindy Koester, Billy Isom, Jeff Creamer, Verneal Roberts, Steve Shortt, Joy Kier,
    Diane Witte, Kari Erwin, JoAnne Roberts, and Bob Burgess
    Favorite pastime of the school year - Playing in the snow, snow, snow!

