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“Funny Girl” Hits Salem

by Mary Martino

After many weeks of long practices and hard work, all the anxieties and anticipations peaked, as the opening performance of the musical “Funny Girl” began. Elaborate costumes and beautiful music added a touch of class to the stage.

Fanny Brice was portrayed by Tania Pshniak. As said by Mr. Viencek, “. . . the musical demands an outstanding performer to play the leading lady.” Tania well fulfilled these demands in her performance. Her vocal talent was highlighted when she sang songs such as “People” and “I’m The Greatest Star.”

The lead male role was Scott Hrvatin, as the suave, elegant gambler, Nick Arnstein. Although this was Scott’s debut in theatre, his performance was well above all expectations. His charming acting and vocal abilities supplmented his portrayal.

Marcia Pool, as Mrs. Brice, did a terrific job both in acting and

singing. Also, Olaffur Gunnarson added his talents as he played the part of Eddie Ryan, Fanny’s acting coach.

Such musical dance numbers as Sadie Sadie, Rat Tat Tat and Henry Street were enjoyable. The dancers and chorus teamed together to “dazzle” the audience.

One of the most important parts of a musical is, of course, the music. Mr. Jeff Jeckavitch and his orchestra did a most professional job.

Since “Funny Girl” is a very difficult musical to produce, everyone involved, the cast, crew, and musicians should be proud to be a part of it. Also, credit should be given to Mr. Viencek, Mrs. Kleon and Mrs. Madison. They took the challenge of directing this big of a production and though there were many obstacles, somehow they made it all come together to be a great success.

Upcoming Concerts

The following are upcoming concerts for the months of November and December.

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| Nov. 22 | Genesis | Richfield Coliseum |
| Nov. 26 | Meatloaf | Richfield Coliseum |
| Nov. 27 | Black Sabbath | Pittsburgh Civic Arena |
| Nov. 29 | Grateful Dead | Pittsburgh Civic Arena |
| Nov. 29 | ACDC | Richfield Coliseum |
| Dec. 10 | J. Geils | Richfield Coliseum |
| Dec. 29 | Almond Brothers | Pittsburgh Civic Arena |

“Pass The Turkey, Please!”

by Terry Rosenberg

The Bi-Weekly Staff was interested in finding out what some of the students would be doing Thanksgiving weekend. Here are some of their responses:

Sam Clark — “Going hunting and eating duck and rabbit.”

Joe Popa — “Lay around eating and watching football.”

Noreen France — “Not going to eat, just exercise and jog.”

Tim Mountz — “Go hunting, play backyard football and eat a turkey.”

Mike Gbur — “Eat turkey at my grandma’s and watch football.”

George Morris — “Visit relatives.”

Rayetta Price — “Having dinner at my house for my whole family.”

Mark Slocum — “Lay around, watch people eat because of a wrestling match after Thanksgiving.”

Mr. Cabas — “Attend a family reunion for immediate family.”

Dave Solomon — “Watch the Cowboys kill Chicago and eat at the diner.”

Ralph Johnson — “Watch football and eat at Sol’s Diner.”

With all the family activities taking place over the weekend, the Bi-Weekly wishes everyone a Happy Thanksgiving!

Pep Club Needs Support

by Noreen France

At this point in the year, signing up for the “PEP CLUB,” has totally gone downhill, and really has given the High School nothing to cheer about! There have been approximately five people who were willing to sign up, and only two or three are really active. The Junior class especially needs more signing up.

The PEP CLUB involves basically painting signs for the games and decorating lockers for an extra attraction in the halls. When and if you decide to sign up for the PEP CLUB, there is a \$2 fee charged that helps pay for the supplies needed in order to get a PEP CLUB started. The plain fact is, is that if more Juniors don’t sign up, cheer their team on, and stand behind them all the way, then there isn’t going to be a PEP CLUB next year. Determination of attendance at the PEP CLUB meetings is mainly dependant upon the PEP CLUB. We urge you to sign up and back up our team because they need all the encouragement they can get!!!

Pageant Experiences

by D. E. Cook

Noreen France, a Salem High School senior, recently competed in the Miss Ohio pageant. The event was held in Niles and lasted for four days. The first day was the swimsuit parade; on the second day contestants competed in costume judging. The third day was the evening gown and swimsuit judging. On the last day the finals were held and winners announced.

When asked what she thought of the event, Noreen replied, “I thought it was a lot of fun and great experience meeting all the other girls.” The winner will go on to compete in the Miss America pageant.

For A Job Well Done

FRESHMEN All A’s

Timothy Herron, Charlotte A. Johnson, Joseph Julian, Timothy Scharf, Scott Smith, Beth Young

SOPHOMORES All A’s

Erin Doyle, Michael Madison, Rocco Mango, David Moore, Joy Richesson, Fred Schlueter.

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Student Activities

by Lisa Loudon

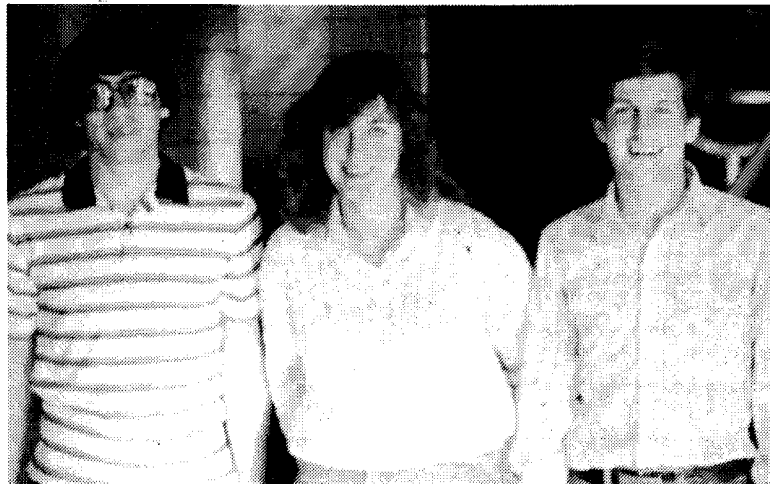
What is happening in the Freshman, Sophomore, Junior and Senior classes of the Salem High School? To find out, a class advisor from each class was asked. For information about the Freshman class, Miss Hasson said the Freshmen worked in two previous concession stands, and for the future, they have nothing planned as yet. Mr. Moncheck, an advisor for the Sophomores, said the Sophomores just ordered class rings, and even with a price increase, sales were still high. On December 1st, the Sophomores will be starting a candy sale. The Juniors have had two concession stands, and two dances to raise money for the Prom, Mr. Ritchie said. He also added there is a candy sale going on at the present time to raise money for the After-Prom. The officers of the Prom committee are trying to offer a selection of ideas for the theme of the Prom. The Seniors are mainly deciding on graduation announcements, which are on display in the library showcase, said Mrs. McKenzie. The ordering of the announcements will be today. This is basically what is happening within the classes of the Salem High School.

ONLY 32 MORE DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS VACATION

School Calendar

by Frank Zamarelli

Salem High School always receives a generous amount of days off during the school year. This year, Thanksgiving vacation will proceed as it has in past years. But you are all in for a surprise at Christmas time. Instead of vacation beginning on the twenty-third this year, it will begin on the twenty-first. This gives us a total of 16 days this year. “The extended vacation gives ample time for families to travel if they want to. It also solves the problem of having to attend school for part of a week, as was the case last year,” said Mr. Delane, school principal. “We hope the extended vacation works out all right, because any way you look at it, you HAVE to attend school 180 days,” he commented. The Quaker Staff hopes all of you have a safe, happy Thanksgiving and a Merry Christmas.



Salem has three main players for the Academic Challenge Team. They are, from left: Mike Mozina, Margot Medford and Pete Apicella

SHS Does Its Part In Academic Challenge

by David Solomon

Sunday, November 15, the Salem High School Academic Challenge team of six members, three regulars Margot Medford, Pete Apicella and Mike Mozina and three alternates, Bob Abrams, Jon Zeigler, and Lloyd Martin traveled to WEWS TV Channel 5 studios in Cleveland, Ohio to participate on Academic Challenge. Salem competed against Bedford and Ashtabula high schools. Bedford came in first place with a total of 310 points, Ashtabula finished second with 220 points and Salem came in third place with 210 points. Although Salem did not win they proved themselves to be very competitive.

Over 20 students participated in

forming a team for Academic Challenge. Since the beginning of the year, Mrs. May and Miss Hasson the advisors of Academic Challenge have been having practice after school every Wednesday to form a team. Each student brings in 100 questions to use in the practices. The questions may cover any subject the student chooses. Anyone who wants to participate in Academic Challenge is welcome to do so.

The team won three books and a Academic Challenge T-shirt for each member of the team. The show will be broadcasted January 30 on WEWS TV Channel 5.

Turkeys Beware

by Juanita Handwork

Thanksgiving Day, in the United States, is a day set aside each year for people to give thanks with feasting and prayer for the blessings they may have received during the year. The first Thanksgivings were in the fall, after the crops had been harvested. For this reason the holiday still takes place after the harvest.

The first Thanksgiving, set aside for prayer as well as celebration, was decreed by Governor Bradford for July 30, 1623.

During the Revolutionary War, eight special days were spent for thanks, prayer and celebration from danger and victories. On November 26, 1789, President Washington issued a general proclamation for this day of thanks. In this same year the Protestant Episcopal Church announced that the first Thursday in November would be a regular yearly day for giving thanks, “unless

another day be appointed by the civil authorities.”

Mrs. Sarah Josph Hale, the editor of Godey’s Lady’s Book, worked for thirty years to promote the idea of a national Thanksgiving Day. Then President Lincoln proclaimed the last Thursday in November, 1863, as “a day of thanksgiving and praise to our beneficent Father.”

Each year since then, for 75 years, the President of the United States formally proclaimed that Thanksgiving Day should be celebrated on the last Thursday of November. But in 1939, President Roosevelt set it one week earlier. He wanted to help business by lengthening the shopping period before Christmas. Congress finally ruled that after 1941 the fourth Thursday of November would be observed as Thanksgiving Day and would be a legal holiday.

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Quaker Pride Shines Bright

by Chuck DeVichio

The fall sports season has ended yet another year. There was excitement, disappointment, frustration, but most of all there was pride.

One team which had a lot of pride was the Salem High School football team. The team finished 3-7. After winning only one of their first eight games, the team bounced back to win their last two games of the season. Salem beat East Liverpool 14-12 for their last home game. Then the team traveled to Beloit to face arch-rival West Branch. When the game ended, Salem came away with

a 28-15 victory and the "Warrior-Sam" Trophy. Coach Ricker said, "I was proud of this team. They overcame frustrations, they played as a team, they never gave up, they were competitors, and they had pride. They never gave up, no matter how frustrating the loss or how bad the break." Bad breaks throughout the year didn't help Salem any though. Coach Ricker appreciates the students who supported the team all year.

The girls tennis team, sporting a 15-1 record, had All-Stars all over the court. On the Tri-County

League All-Star team, Salem placed five girls on the team. These five girls were Becky Vuksta, Becky Swartz, Deb Swartz, for singles, and the duo of Mary Mozina and Denise Crum for doubles. On the MVC All-Star team, the same five girls dominated with Becky Swartz and Deb Swartz earning first team honors and Becky

Vuksta and the doubles combination of Mary Mozina and Denise Crum earning the second team honors. The girls ended up first in the MVC and runners-up in the Tri-County League.

The Cross-Country team ended the season with an 18-4 record. In the MVC they ended the season in second place. Salem won the County Track Meet and placed fourth in the Sectional. The team went to Districts and placed tenth.

Seniors Will Be Missed

by Mike Gbur

Salem Senior High has had many fine athletes competing in fall sports. So in recognizing all these athletes, here is a breakdown of all the fall sports.

The girls tennis team, coached by Mike Powers had a terrific year. The girls should be proud of themselves. . . every one contributed, not just one individual. The season was great, but with the loss of three seniors we need a few girls out for the team next year.

The Salem golf team coached by Kirk Ritchie enjoyed a fine season. They enjoyed great success with a win over St. Thomas Aquinas; the 160 was produced by a great team effort. Jeremy Rousseau broke the school record with a 2 under par 34. He also broke the school for stroke average with a 37.1. The team should look pretty good. Good luck in '82.

The volleyball team coached by Mr. Conser had a fine season. One of the highlights of the season was the impressive win over Wellsville on their home floor in which Salem won two out of three games. Asked what players were most valuable, Mr. Conser said, "The seniors — they had last year's experience to fall back on and it gave the players a lift. I have three returning lettermen. I hope we'll do well, but I don't like to make predictions."

MILITARY RECRUITING by John Price

Some people around the school may be wondering why some men from the military are sometimes down by the guidance resource room. These men, from the recruiting office are here to answer your questions about the military department they are from, and to tell you about it.

During different times of the year recruiters from the different military departments will be here. If you wish to see them go to your counsellor for information.

Bend and Stretch 1, 2, 3 . . .

by Noreen France

Hey all you exercise nuts out there, want to get into shape for the upcoming winter months but don't know how to go about doing it? Well, I have good news for you. There will be an exercise class forming within the next few weeks.

What the class will involve, is basically your regular every day, normal routine if you are the type of person that is really into exercise and staying in shape. It will involve sit-ups, push-ups, running, jogging, leg stretches, possibly weight lifting and much more. Also, if it is possible, we will be doing our exercises to music to make it a little easier to get the old bods into shape!!!

There will be some more information on what kinds of foods are good for you and the right diet plan and yes, the good old "How to stay away from junk food." So if you're willing to give yourself a chance at it, keep your eyes open for posters and alot more information about the class. If there are enough people, boys as well as girls, there is a possibility that we can get the class started a little sooner than expected.

For A Job

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JUNIORS All A's

Robert Abrams, Thomas Bruderly Eric Buchanan Jeanine Huzyak, Mark Johnson, James Kay, Michael Mozina.

SENIORS All A's

Janice Delp, Elizabeth McNicol, Margo Medford, John Paumier, Rebecca Swartz, Mary B. Untch.



"Thirsty Thirty" begin to prepare for upcoming season

by Toby Franks

Snow, ice and the freezing cold will not stop Salem athletes.

If you are not out for basketball or wrestling, you can prepare yourself mentally and physically for the upcoming track season and other spring sports. As in the past, Salem track coach Bing Newton has put together the "Camp of Champs" winter track club. Participants in this track club will be issued high quality uniforms, undergo vigorous training to develop mind and body, and beginning January 2nd, the "Camp of Champs" will travel all

over Ohio and Pennsylvania to compete with other winter track clubs at various indoor track meets.

Once 30 members are acquired, the "Camp of Champs" will also be known as the "Thirsty Thirty" and "Thirsty Thirty" t-shirts will be available.

Anyone can train for a sport in favorable conditions but it takes true dedication in the adversity of winter. If you are interested, there will be a meeting November 30 after school in the varsity locker room at Reilly.

Cagers Hope For Success

by Greg Parks

On November 27, 1981 the boys and girls roundball squads will open against Lake, in the John Cabas Invitational and Struthers, respectively. The boys will be home while the girls are traveling for their first battle.

Head Coach Rick Hackett, Assistant George Spack and Reserve Coach Jerry Allen lead the Quakers into a difficult MVC schedule in contrast with being in the Big Eight last year. The boys varsity is made up of three seniors, a host of juniors and a couple of sophomore players. The varsity has had three scrimmages with Farrell, Pa., Beaver Falls, Pa. and Louisville in preparation for their first game.

Coach Craig Readshaw and

Shane Franks will again head what has in the past been a successful Salem Girls basketball program for the 1981 season. This year looks to be a rebuilding one with a total of four years varsity experience returning.

"I really think it depends on how the younger girls develop during the season," responded Coach Readshaw after being asked how he thought the team would do. Mr. Readshaw hopes that the girls will receive as much student support as they have in the past. Each year the girls team sets among other goals the goal of going undefeated after Christmas. They have done this feat two years in a row now and hope to make it three.



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