

Yearbook

by Alissa Campbell

Preparations for the yearbook can be frustrating, yet at the same time, fulfilling. Since the end of last year, 1985-86 yearbook editors have been mindful of deadlines, page designs, pictures, and all of the other tasks concerned with putting a yearbook together. There are not many people who understand the amount of dedication involved and the responsibilities the advisor and editors undertake.

Mrs. Dohar, yearbook advisor for the past five years, says that this year's editors and staff applied in the spring of last year and went to a workshop given by Josten's. The district representative explained the process of page designs, gave assignments for page designs, critiqued them, and then recommended the person to the yearbook advisor. Usually the editors for the yearbook are senior students with two or more years of experience, but this year there is an editor core group composed of Rick Watkins, Brian Gilbey, Valerie Davis, Wendy Smith, Peggy Mathes and Diane Sweeney. About 40 people have contributed in some way or another by selling ads or working fundraisers or taking candid pictures, but only 16 staff members are the most committed and active hardworkers.

Money to finance the yearbook is raised by football and basketball concession stands, advertisements,

and the actual yearbook sales to the students. However, there is a penalty charge when deadlines are not met so this money is not always available.

Mrs. Dohar explained, "The students on the staff are trying to put together a whole book with little help from others." The process for putting the yearbook together is a long and strenuous one. The students must first think of a theme. They have to have an idea of including any special sections and how many pages each section will have. Then come the pictures. They have to supervise underclassmen pictures, sort them by classes, identify each person, make sure the names are spelled correctly, and find out which picture the student wants in the yearbook. Not to mention thinking of an idea for the cover, selling advertisements, taking candid shots, or late pictures from photographers. They have to meet deadlines for the sections. If they do not, the yearbook loses production time which makes the yearbook arrive later than it was supposed to. Right now the senior section is complete. The junior section is near completion, and the sophomore and freshmen are still being worked on. The faculty section is not yet done.

The yearbook staff should be praised for their dedication. From attending workshops at area schools to meetings after school, they continually are working and improving the yearbook.

School Clubs Are Active

by Marilyn Welsh

There are various clubs here at Salem High School. The following were asked what they have done recently and what activities are being planned.

TACT (Teens Against Chemical Taking) — Tact had a Valentine's dance Sunday, February 16, at The Place. They are discussing a ski trip and some type of day trip in the spring.

Key Club — Plans are being made for a convention in March and also a national convention in the summer. Key Club will work the concession stand during basketball AA tournaments. They are also planning their annual John Callahan Banquet.

Academic Challenge — They will

be competing in the county bowl which will be held April 16 in Academic Challenge — They will be competing in the County Bowl Members for the team in the contest have not been chosen yet. They have applied for competition in the Biology Olympics at Slippery Rock College April 29.

Olympics Of The Mind — They will be competing Saturday, March 22.

Computer Club — A contest will be sponsored here in February. There will be approximately 51 teams from different schools.

The Quaker wishes Academic Challenge, Computer Club, and Olympics Of The Mind good luck in competition and hopes the other club activities are a success.

To register for either test pick up registration materials in the guidance office. To fill out the registration form for both tests you need the high school code number. Salem's code number is 364560.

Check with your guidance counselor for dates of registration and tests.

Valentine's Day Desires

by Teresa Fisher

Before Valentine's Day everyone rushes around to buy their sweetheart a valentine whether it is flowers, candy or a personal gesture. There is always a special someone to think about. A couple days before Valentine's Day I asked some students what they wanted.

"E" Zines — "A quiet, romantic evening!"

Chris Abrams — "A sweetheart."

Mr. Pidgeon — "A guarantee that Schuster can beat his lineman in a 40

Salem High Wall of Fame And The Nominees Are . . .

by Michelle L. Yarwood

You may have already noticed a few pictures on the Salem High Wall of Fame and are wondering what it is all about. The Quaker decided to talk to Mr. Rottenborn to try to answer a few of those questions.

Mr. Rottenborn says that the purpose of the Wall of Fame is "... to recognize outstanding achievements of Salem High students, faculty and staff. I wanted to recognize and celebrate striving for excellence at Salem High School." The idea was thought of "... to recognize members of our school who had significant accomplishments."

A person can be nominated by teachers, staff members, or students. All one has to do is write down their nominee and their outstanding achievement to be given to Mrs.

Shivers or Mr. Rottenborn. Mr. Rottenborn says, "We hope to recognize all worthy nominations, and if our Wall of Fame gets filled up, we'll expand it."

They are planning to have the Wall of Fame for the next several weeks and are now accepting nominations.

Mr. Rottenborn stated that he'd like to have this next year and the years to follow, but says, "We'll have to wait and see." He encourages students to nominate those teachers or other staff members they feel should be recognized.

Those students who are interested should contact Mr. Rottenborn to get their nominations on the Wall of Fame to help celebrate in striving for excellence at Salem High.

Art Awards

by Nick Quinn

The art class has recently sent 30 works of art to the Scholastic's Art Awards for competition.

Out of the 30 works Salem got awards for 27 out of 30, easily walking away with 90% of all our works winning something. This is a giant feat considering there were 3000 entries sent to the contest. Seventy-eight schools competed in the competition. Each school teacher is only allowed to send 30 works. Art work of Blue Ribbon winners will be on show in Y.S.U. Bliss Hall until Feb. 27. Taking Blue Ribbon honors were Jason Fitzpatrick, Larry DeJane, Missy Graham, Morlinda Schaffer, Tess Swenningson and Anna Oast.

Art work done by Kristin Bacon, Rod Kelly, Carl Curtis, Tracy Early, Gina Knight, Kim Mix, Tom Blasiman, Neil Heston, John Omslaer, Erin Brobander, Angie Hartman, Joel Navoyosky, Virginia Budde, Lisa Reed, Lisa McGrath, Chuck Slocum and J. R. Finch will appear in exhibit.

New York finalists will be honored at a special ceremony Sunday at Y.S.U., with a reception to follow.

yard sprint."

Marcia Flickinger — "PRIVACY!"

Sue Bailey — "A little teddy."

Chris Huffman — "Tiffany's high tops after basketball is over."

Susan Sweitzer — "I would like for me and Dave to be buddies forever!"

Tonya Beall — "For *R.S.E.* to start calling me regularly."

Lisa Bowser — "A dozen red roses from Noelsi."

Rich Elias — "Ask Huffman he is more the romantic type. I think he wants LAMAR to blow him a kiss."

Lori Tasker — "A big kiss from Douglas and 'Rip' to get her 'dream man'."

Jim Fitzgerald — "A good old fashioned bear hug."

Amy Callatone — "Bill Fisher's total attention."

Lee Good — "** I want my Kelly back" **

I hope everyone had a great Valentine's Day, and got what they wanted from that "special" someone.

Flu

by Mike Ketchum

Now that the schools seem to be over the flu, the school system is almost back to the regular routine.

The high school was the school that was hit the hardest with the flu. The highest point was on Wednesday at 30 percent; the teaching staff stood strong in the moment of sickness.

"According to the state board of education there is no set number of missing students to cancel school," says Mr. McShane. The person to cancel school is Mr. Pond.

The junior high and the elementaries were not hit as hard as the high school. Southeast School was only missing 17 percent of its students.

replied, "It's a nice town, almost the same." Natalie Lloyd, a junior, moved here from Liberty High in April. Before going to Liberty High she went to West Branch and participated in two school musicals, "South Pacific" and "Grease". She also played in "Twelve Dancing Princesses" at the Salem Community Theatre. Natalie likes to sing, act, and do most aerobics. Her reply to living in Salem was, "I really like SHS, all of the people I've met are really great!" The other new students are Kim Reynolds, Kendra Dickson, Jamie Lantz, Heather Firestone, and Shane Kuntz. Thank you for your time and the Quaker staff would like to wish you all good luck!

"Pops" Concert

by Gina Knight

Due to the Basketball Tournament game February 20th the annual "Pops" Concert will be held February 27th at eight o'clock in the high school auditorium. If you do not have a ticket yet, you can purchase it at the door for \$2.00.

There Is Still Hope For Senior Section

by Gina Knight

With the help of Mrs. Bryant and other generous volunteers, there is still a chance that the seniors will have a color section in the yearbook. They have high hopes that the parents will react to the letter that they sent out to all the senior parents. The letter asked the parents to contribute what they could to the fund. It also stated the various costs of the senior section. The question arises whether or not this will work. Mrs. Bryant thinks that it will be successful as long as each and every parent contributes what they can; it is up to the parents. The key is getting the funds fast because there is a deadline that must be met (February 24th). Mrs. Bryant has reported a total of approximately \$450 of a needed \$1223 as of February 14th. "We are not doing well at all; we have received only a total of about two donations a day," said Mrs. Bryant. If we do not meet the deadline the pictures will appear in black and white. Mrs. Bryant feels that if the community knew then maybe there would be some more contributions. They not only sent letters to the parents, but they also sent them to the photographers asking for their support. The senior boys have also offered to have a car wash if the weather permits to help raise funds. Mrs. Dohar said that this will not affect the yearbook publishing date by much. She said the yearbook will still arrive at the end of August as usual. Mrs. Bryant's last comments were, "We need to give it our best shot and if we fail, we tried our best. To succeed we need more people behind us." If the deadline is not met then, the donations will be used to take out an ad in the back of the yearbook wishing the seniors the best of luck and excess contributions will go to the yearbook. Any donation will be greatly appreciated. Anyone wishing to make a tax deductible contribution can mail it to: Senior Color/Salem High School/ 1200 E. Sixth St./ Salem, Ohio 44460. If the money is raised by February 24th, there will be a full page ad in the back of the yearbook entitled "The Printing in Color of the Senior Class Pictures Generously Donated by the Following People" which will be followed by a list of the generous donors who brought color into the faces of the Class of 1986.



AS SAM SEES IT

Huffman Listed In Top 100

Gets Many Offers

Chooses Ohio State

by Rich Elias

On February 12th, Rich Huffman turned a life-long dream into reality. On that fine and glorious day he signed his National letter of intent to play football for Big Ten power Ohio State Buckeyes. Rich was discovered first of all during a football camp, which Coach Rottenborn and Coach Lantz took several Salem kids up to attend. The camp was at the University of Illinois. The coaches of Illinois caught interest in Huffman because of his 6'3" 225 lb. frame, his 4.7 40 yard dash, and his catching ability. He played very well at that camp and was awarded Most Valuable tight end of the whole camp. Illinois coaches told Rich that they would be in touch, and that is where it all began.

Right before the 1985 football season, Rich got a phone call from the Chicago Tribune. They listed Rich as one of the top 100 Prospects of 1985. Now all that Rich had to do was perform. To prepare himself for the 1985 football season, Rich lifted all summer. He was the strongest football player in the whole school and was awarded the Joe Popa Award for benching 285 lbs. during the football lift-a-thon.

The 1985 football season was a very fine one for Rich. He led the MVC in receiving by catching 35 passes for 565 yards. He also received many honors following the season. He was: First Team All-MVC, First Team All-County, First Team All-Area, Honorable Mention All-Northeastern Ohio, and Salem News Co-lineman of

the Year. Rich would have been noticed before, but he was sidelined because of an ankle injury during his junior season. That year he only played half of the season and still managed to get Honorable Mention All-MVC.

Rich has been a 3 year letterman and has played well for all 3 years. Rich has always played with kids a lot bigger than he was ever since he started playing football.

All throughout the 1985 football season, teams were running away from Huffman, who plays defensive end also. He still managed to get 81 tackles and 3 sacks. While on offense, teams could not stop Huffman. He always found a way to get the job done.

Rich would like to give a considerable amount of thanks to all of the coaching staff of Salem.

After the 1985 football season, colleges were after Rich from all over the map. Schools who showed plenty of interest were Michigan, Michigan State, Penn State, Illinois, West Virginia, Louisville, Pitt, Cincinnati, Boston College, Stanford, and of course Ohio State. Teams like Michigan St. said that Rich could play quite a bit, if not start as a freshman. Rich wasted no time as he committed to Earle Bruce after he came down to see Rich here in Salem. Rich knew that this is where he wanted to go and he was taking no chances of his dream slipping away.

Rich, who is also on the basketball team, couldn't play the whole season due to a severe shoulder injury against East

Liverpool. He played 3 games, but the shoulder wasn't strong enough. Rich didn't want to take any chances of hurting his football career so with his doctor's suggestion Rich stopped playing basketball. It was a great loss to the team and Coach Spack was very disappointed.

One week following his shoulder injury, Rich played in the West Branch game. That game Rich dominated on offense and defense. He caught the winning touchdown pass which gave Salem the lead 10-7. I asked Rich what his highlight of the season was and he said, "The highlight of my season and of my career was beating 5th ranked West Branch 17-7. It was great ruining their record of a perfect season and to prove to West Branch that Salem wasn't a bunch of cake-eaters."

Rich will be competing in the North-South All Star game this summer. Rich will be leaving this fall to go to OSU. He will be majoring in Business Administration. We here at the staff wish you the best of luck Ricky.

Quaker Sam

by Jeff Lynn

Quaker Sam recently received a face lift which was something he needed desperately. The delicate operation was performed by Mrs. Wrask who is an art teacher at the jr. high school.

If you haven't noticed, Sam has been looking a little peaked lately. With a torn hat, broken skull, scraggly hair, and pale complexion, Sam seemed to be on his last leg. It looked as if he was going to need a new head. Estimates on this new head ranged from \$300 to \$2,000. However, that can probably wait at least for now thanks to the fact that he received proper care.

Although Sam's appearance was old and dilapidated, the idea of Quaker Sam is relatively young. Before 1953 there was no such thing as Quaker Sam. Salem's sole mascot was the Quaker Lady. Mr. Cabas, working with the school's Varsity "S" Club asked a local artist, Perry Calvin, to draw a picture that could be the design for a new mascot. Calvin drew what is now known as Quaker Sam.

Frosh Win M.V.C.

by Lee Good

In his fourth year as coach of freshman basketball, Coach Shivers finally achieved the title of M.V.C. champs.

Coach Shivers' team posted a 14-3 record for the season and 11-1 in the M.V.C. Then it was tournament time. The team's first opponents were Alliance. The team won 41-29 but it wasn't an easy win. Coach Shivers said, "We had a slow start with Alliance." Then they advanced to play who else but West Branch. Coach Shivers said, "We were losing against West Branch but we won by our foul shooting." Salem won 39-34. Their last game as freshmen came after the West Branch game. They faced Poland whom they beat

NFL

by Nick Quinn and Bill Dunn

In the last issue of the Quaker, we printed some questions on the Super Bowl. Here they are again with the answers.

1. — Which coaches have been to the most Bowls?

Tom Landry, Dallas Cowboys & Tom Shula, Miami Dolphins

2. — Who completed the most passes and when?

Ken Anderson, Cincinnati vs. San Francisco, 1982

3. — What team had the most yards penalized in a game?

Dallas Cowboys (133) vs. Baltimore, 1971

4. — Who kicked the longest field goal and when?

Jan Stenerud (48 yards) Kansas

City vs. Minnesota 1970

5. — Who gained the most yards rushing?

Marcus Allen (191 yards)

6. — Who scored the most touchdowns in all of the SB's that they played in?

Franco Harris (4 td's) in 4 games.

7. — Who had the most passes intercepted in one game?

Craig Morton (7) Denver vs. Dallas, 1978

8. — Who had the longest punt and when?

Rich Camarillo (63 yards) New England vs. Chicago, 1986

9. — What team had the most kickoff returns and in which game?

Oakland (7) vs. Green Bay, 1968

10. — Which college was The Fridge drafted from?

Clemson

Salem Suffers Unexpected Loss

by Jim Bakondy

Did your girlfriend break up with you? Well, you should have been on the bench of the Salem Quakers during their loss to a very tough optimistic Alliance team 80-61. The Quakers came unprepared and Alliance took advantage of that situation and jumped off to a 12-0 lead in the early minutes of the first quarter. Again Salem's big guy, Rafael the wrecking machine, had to sit because of foul trouble. The Quakers were not patient and therefore, had a lot of turnovers plus mistakes. The Quakers could not pull things together and time ran out. Quakers overall were 7-13 and 5-7 in the M.V.C. Asked what they thought about the season, some of the players said:

RICH ELIAS — "It was a frustrating season for all of us. We want to put everything in the past and get ready for tournament play. Hoping we could get past Fitch and play our rival West Branch who should beat a very poor Niles team. We need a lot of support."

BRAD CAPEL — "It's been a long season, and we have had a lot of injuries. Our thinking it is a 0-0 record going into play-offs, anyone could take it."

MIKE SLANKER — "It's tough to deal with we weren't always at 100%. The losses just by a couple of points were hard to swallow. Looking forward to a tough but beatable Fitch team. Hope to see everyone there."

PAUL SCHLUETER — "Disappointing overall. We all had good times. I learned some things that will carry on to tournament play. Very positive to beat Austintown Fitch. Dead animal meat!"

RAFAEL VARGAS — "First year I played basketball in the United States. Very fun to play basketball here, and the practices were very hard. I thought we had a pretty good team and good talent. I thought the cheerleaders were good looking and sometimes could not concentrate. I learned a lot since I've been here. I became friends with all my teammates. Coach Spack is the best coach I ever had and I'm sorry for him we didn't win more. I hope to continue playing basketball in the United States. I'm looking forward to beating Austintown Fitch."

Salem will meet top seeded Austintown Fitch at Struthers Field in their regular season, so an easy win? WRONG! When asked about this game Coach Shivers said, "We were disappointed to lose to Poland, not because we lost but because we didn't do things we were supposed to. We could have won if we had played our normal game." The team lost 47-39. He also added, "If they work hard and improve, Salem's basketball fortunes will be excellent in the next few years."

House Thursday February 20, starts about 8:30 p.m. Hope to see everyone there. Go Big Red! Good Luck, Coach Spack and Quakers, from Quaker Staff.

Pep Assembly

by Julie Paumier

As a cheerleader, I help to promote spirit throughout the school. However, cheering seems to be focused on the football and basketball seasons. The time has come for students to recognize S.H.S. baseball and track.

As in any sport, the hours are many and the rewards few. These long hard hours of practice should not go by unnoticed. A spring pep assembly is in need to honor the athletes of track and baseball. The response to a pep assembly by members of both teams was quite enthusiastic. A similar reaction spurred as I spoke to other students as well.

In order to accomplish this task the student body must act as a whole. Inform the principals and coaches of the need for a supportive assembly to raise team spirits. Help preserve excellence at Salem High!!!

The Light

by Jennifer Booth

... Rio screamed, "Help me J.T., help please." J.T. looked around for Rio. But, no sign of her. So, J.T. ran back to his house, to get his gun. He called up Andy, but no one was there. He called up two more of his friends Nick and Roger. Still no one was there. He thought to himself, "Who is bad in ways that make Alice Cooper look nice, Master Sting. Of course."

J.T. was in the dark at the time. Then someone hit him on the back of the head. Later when he came to, he was in a cave. He said, "Ooh, my head. What happened?" Master Sting grabbed him and threw him down on the ground. Then he whistled for his best fighter. The fighter was a human like creature called a Taryayca. "Oh I'll be your slave for the next 100 years. But, let J.T. go in peace.", a voice cried. "That voice it's Rio." J.T. cried. "If you want to see your maiden. You must fight him." Master Sting hissed. The fight was starting. J.T. picked up a thick stick. Taryayca drew its sword. J.T. hit and hit the human like creature. The Taryayca died with his brains beaten in. Master Sting let go of Rio and a cylinder of gold and rubies. It had on it a Snake Dragon. Rio threw it at him. It hit his face.

Rio awoke from the dream in Andy's arms. "Oh what a dream." Rio said. By the light of a cylinder.

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