

## Machine Shop

### The "Bad" Boys of Salem

by Alissa Campbell

The Machine Shop students are often stereotyped as the "bad" boys of Salem High School. Fortunately, this stereotype is not always true. These students deserve recognition for their efforts which save the school hundreds of dollars every year.

For over 10 years, the Machine Shop has been repairing ruined equipment throughout the school. Mr. Bartha, head custodian, said, "Most people don't realize the useful things they make. For example, last month they made a shaft that would have cost \$1,500. They save a lot of money for making little items."

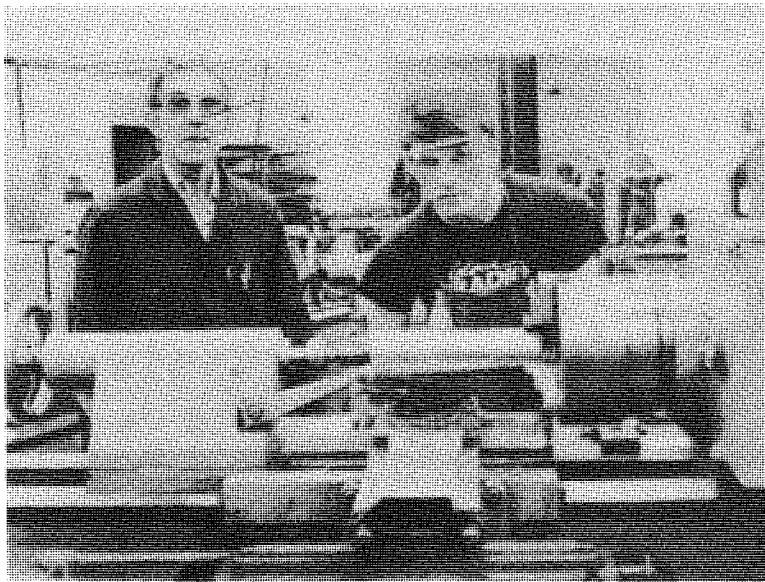
Mr. Citino, who has been teaching Machine Shop for 14 years, said that Sekely's, Quaker Tool and Die, Hunt Valve, and other shops around the area donate scrap material which the students sort out and use for their projects. They have repaired valves for the heating system, made brackets and braces for the doors and windows, repaired gates, bleachers, fire extinguisher cases, snow blower, and made parts for their own machinery. The students have even done work for the city water department by making valves for fire hydrants. A member of the community once brought a

box of donuts into the class to thank the students for donating their time to others. Through these simple gestures, the community shows their appreciation.

Not everyone has the characteristics necessary to be a successful vocational student. Mr. Citino explained, "The ideal person for class is mechanically inclined, not afraid of getting dirty, likes steady work, and is a conscientious and dedicated worker. Anybody to be good in this has to be rougher in order to work with steel, cold, and sharp edges. It takes a certain breed

of person to take this and be successful at it." The classes vocational students must take are math, blue print, machinery technology, and actual work experience with the machines. Vocational programs are not the easy way of getting through high school as some people believe. But, if a student enjoys his work and is devoted, he has wonderful opportunities to become very successful.

As their achievements have proven, these "bad" boys of Salem are demonstrating their widely-believed stereotype to be wrong.



Mr. C. and Joe Fields in Class

## Drinking Age To Rise

by Lisa Buchanan

Anyone who has a fake I.D. with a date of 1967 for buying beer, save your money for a new one because in the near future the drinking age in the state of Ohio will be raised to 21.

Despite the many rumors circulating around the school, there is not a "grandfather clause" in the bill which would continue to allow adults age 19 to 20 to continue to purchase alcoholic beverages.

According to the House bill number 779:

"If you are under the age of 21 — Under the statutes of the state of Ohio, if you order, pay for, share the cost of, attempt to purchase or consume BEER or intoxicating liquor, or furnish false information as to name, age, or other identification, you are subject to a fine of up to one thousand dollars, or imprisonment up to six months, or both."

Furthermore, if a person gets caught doing any of the above, he or she is guilty of a misdemeanor of the first degree. Additionally, if the accused is attending a college or university, many institutions will expel the student if the student faked a college I.D.

In a recent press conference given at Youngstown State University,

Governor Celeste said of the bill, "I resent it. I think it's wrong public policy for the federal government to try to force us (to raise the drinking age) with the threat of withdrawal of highway money... In spite of that, I think we will go along (with the bill) because we can't afford 50 million dollars of highway funds withheld at a time when (the needs are severe) for highway repairs, upgrading and safety." Celeste further commented that although the purpose of the bill is to reduce drunk driving, this is not an appropriate way to lower the statistics.

State Representative John D. Shivers, Jr. believes that "the overwhelming majority of our state's residents are satisfied with the current law" of the drinking age at 19. He stated that he has reservations about the measure because when "Ohio voters were given the opportunity to raise the drinking age to 21 during a ballot issue some years ago, they rejected the measure by a 2 to 1 margin."

## SHS Annual Band Banquet

by Gina Knight

The Salem High Band held their annual spring banquet this past Monday in the high school cafeteria. The banquet was sponsored by the Band Boosters and is basically held to recognize the senior class and their accomplishments throughout their years in band and colorguard.

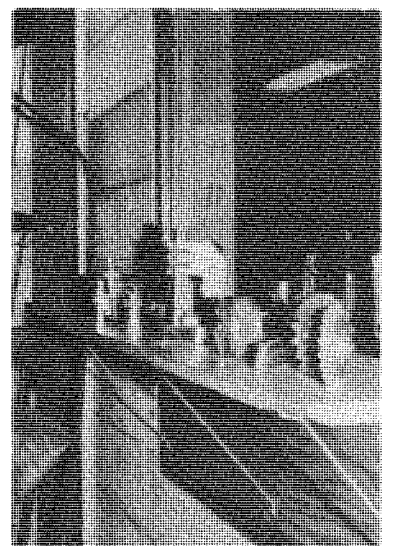
There are thirty-three seniors in the band this year. The President is Paul Schlueter and his officers are Sherri Hite, Vice President; Marcia Flickinger, Secretary; and Anne Williams, Treasurer. The seniors received a plaque and a rose, and they also presented a gift of appreciation to Mr. Jeckavitch. The banquet was special this year because the band gave recognition to Salem High's three former band directors: Chester Brautigam, Howard Pardee, and Richard Howenstine. Mr. Jeckavitch, the present band director, has directed for eleven years. Each of the former directors gave a speech about how things were different when they directed band and what has changed since then. Mr. Brautigam stated that the band, now consisting of one hundred-eighty members, started out in 1929 as a twenty-nine member band. The band formed that year because the school had an undefeated football team, and the team wanted a band to play during half-time.

Usually after the awards are given everyone gathers together in the

## MORP 1986

by Julie Paumier

Tonight's the night, it's Morp time girls!!! A chance to spend a fun-filled evening with that someone special is right at your fingertips. The theme of the night will feature the 50's with records being played by "The Animal." Tickets may only be purchased at the door this year. For a mere \$4.00, you and your date can dance the night away from 9:00 until 11:00. A photographer will be present to capture this special moment on Polaroid film. A Morp king and queen will be chosen from each class during the evening. This truly enjoyable event should not be missed. There is still time to ask your favorite guy to the Morp, DON'T BE SHY GIRLS!!!



Items made by the machine shop.

auditorium to watch films of their past marching season, but with this year's special guests they decided not to show the films because of the time factors.

## The Music Goes On

by Anne Williams

May 8, at 7:30, SHS's choirs and bands will present their 58th annual spring concert. The choir will perform songs such as *Shall We Gather at the River*, *To Everything There Is A Season*, and *With a Voice of Singing*. Also, they will sing *Sanctus and Hosanna* by Amadeus Wolfgang Mozart and *Best of Walt Disney*, which will be presented at the choir's visit to Cedar Point on May 17th. The chamber choir will sing *All Ye Who Music Love*, *O Lovely Heart*, and *So Well I Know Who's Happy*.

The symphonic band will be carrying tunes such as *The Sinfonians*, *The Symphonic Marches* by John Williams that portrays themes from *The Raiders of the Lost Ark* and *The Empire Strikes Back*, and a fanfare prelude on *God of Our Fathers*.

The Wind ensemble will present *Hooray for Hollywood*, *Incantation and Dance*, and *Colonel Bogey*.

On May 17th, both the choir and Jazz ensemble will be competing at Cedar Point.

## Former Student Gives Advice

by Jeff Lynn

If you're thinking about attending college after you complete high school, you are probably aware that there are many differences between the two. Because we students have not gone to college, it's sometimes difficult to know what the major differences are.

Matt Brookes, a 1985 graduate of SHS and currently a freshman at Malone College in Canton, Ohio recently spoke on this subject in an exclusive interview. "College is not all fun and games," stated Brookes, "it's hard work. There is more reading to do, more homework, and no one gets on you about doing it." He claimed that whereas he could

get away with not doing homework in high school, he found that he has to do it in college in order to keep up.

Brookes commented that although he enjoys the freedom of college life, he misses the security of home. While he's not attending classes or studying, he keeps himself busy playing on the soccer team and is active as a student senator. He went on to say that there are many things to get involved in, and there is almost always something going on. A final comment that Brookes made and suggested that everyone take to heart was, "If I could live my high school years over again, I would study more and use my time more effectively."

## Alumni Association Does More Than Offer Scholarships

by Michelle L. Yarwood

How many alumni associations do you know of that can provide a senior having a B-plus average or better with a scholarship? Salem High School Alumni Association is one of the few that can. Executive coordinator of the association, Mr. Robert Dickson, is a retired newspaperman who began a 28-year newspaper career at the Salem News. He stated that 41 students from this year's graduating class will receive \$114,500 in scholastic scholarships and \$5,000 in May Fisher athletic scholarships.

The association, founded in 1882, has four main leaders, Daniel E. Smith ('46), a local jeweler, is the chairman of the Scholarship Committee. He donated the rooms now occupied by the association. Charles Gibbs ('43), President of Society Bank, is treasurer of the Scholarship Committee. He handles all investments and other fiscal matters. Dorothy Day Corso ('34), is president of the association, and the final leader is the above mentioned, Robert J. Dickson ('40).

In 1908, members of the association gave its first scholarship

award consisting of \$60 to Walter French. In 1916, Ella Thea Smith, a long time teacher here at Salem High, also received a scholarship. She wrote one of the Biology books entitled *Exploring Biology*. Dr. Hoprich, who practices here in Salem, was another winner.

It wasn't until 1972 that a member of the graduating class of ('26), Max Fisher of Detroit, pledged \$5,000 a year for athletic scholarships.

Not only does the Salem Alumni Association provide scholarships for present graduating classes, but it also provides newsletters to over 7,700 members of previous graduating classes. If there is a need for a former student's address it can be found through the association's IBM computer.

This is what Carl McFeeders of Dover did when he recently found a class ring from 1929 with initials "HLS" on it. He went to the association and found that Helen Lucille Shelton Wilson lives in Colorado and sent her her ring. Mrs. Wilson wrote the association and said, "I have been wearing the ring and showing it to friends... Most of the

reactions I get on telling my story are pleasure, surprise and joy about the honesty of the people involved. It's a real 'upper for everyone."

It is obvious to see that the Salem Alumni Association is not only a help to members of our community, but to members of other communities as well.

Mr. Dickson ended his conversation he had with *The Quaker* by saying, "I'm just glad the student paper's interested, because then they'll be acquainted with what's offered here."

## Last Chance — ACT

by Lori Tasker

Attention juniors and some seniors: the last test date for the ACT is scheduled for the 14th of June, 1986. The regular registration deadline is May 16th. The late registration deadline is June 3rd; this will include a late registration fee. Pick up your registration packet in the counselor's office before it's too late!

# Salem Seeks Levy

## Why Do We Need The Levy?

Salem Schools, now seeking a 4.5 mill operating levy, have not had new voted millage since 1980. Previously, additional millage was asked for about once every three years.

Financial problems can be traced to stagnant tax revenue and increased operating costs. Real estate tax collections are projected to increase only about \$4,000 through mid-1988, and personal property tax collections are expected to drop about \$2,000.

It is absolutely vital that the salary schedules in effect in Salem Schools be competitive with other school districts. Teaching is a profession, and to attract competent teachers it is necessary to offer attractive salaries. If this cannot be done, it will not only be difficult to attract good teachers to Salem, it will be equally difficult to keep those we already have.

There are also reduction factors involved. The 3.5 millage voted in 1980 has been reduced to 2.5 mills through application of reduction factors that are mandated by the state.

Salem Schools have a total of 29.3 voted mills. However, due to application of those same mandated reduction factors, they collect only 17.6 mills, a loss of almost 12 mills. The result of this is to make real estate taxes unresponsive to the rising cost of doing business.

If the levy fails in May, schools will need to find a way to cut expenditures by \$600,000 later this year.

# Spring Break Remembered

by Teresa Fisher

Everyone always gets psyched for "Spring Break." Some students take off for Florida, others just stay around town. We decided to ask some students what they did over spring break.

Donna Zorik — "I spent time with Steve and Aaron."

Mark McCartney — "I played baseball."

Julie Paumier — "Went to Myrtle Beach and had fun in the sun with Dave."

Jeff Lynn — "We pushed Anheiser Busch stock up 3 points in Daytona."

Rich Elias — "I was just playing baseball and thinking about Boots and Sutter down in Florida. Oh yeah, I had a few bashes with the Fonz and "Head"... Hello, anybody home? I also played Hangman with Craig Bryant."

Lori Tasker — "I worked in the day and had fun at night with Doug."

Amy Luttmers — "It was one BIG party."

Mr. Pidgeon — "Well, I just sat at home all week and cooked popcorn and told old stories with the family."

Jamie Lantz — "Ask Teresa Fisher, because when the going gets tough she gets going."

Teresa Fisher — "Ask Angie Hartman."

Angie Hartman — "I would prefer not to discuss it, I might get busted."

Mike Langer — "Partied in Daytona and broke a few windows."

Kim Hendricks — "Lived it up in the wonderful town of Salem with Scott."

Dave Exline — "Baseball... all day, everyday."

We hope whatever it was that you did over spring break was fun.



# Failing Fitness??

by Jeff Lynn

There has been much concern voiced about the physical fitness of the young people in our society today. The results of a study quoted in *The Runner* magazine showed that almost 2/3 of America's youth are not reaching basic levels of physical fitness. In an unrelated study also quoted in *The Runner*, it was found that today's young people carry around more body fat than their counterparts of the 1960's.

Perhaps one aspect of the problem lies with people not understanding what physical fitness is. According to the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports, fitness is more than just being healthy. It involves strength, endurance, and flexibility. Because a person is active, it does not necessarily follow that he is physically fit.

A survey was recently taken of 50 Salem High School students who were chosen at random. They were asked about their exercise habits, their opinion on their own physical

fitness and nutrition, and their alcohol consumption habits.

Sixty percent of those surveyed felt that they were physically fit; however, only 46 percent engaged in exercise (other than walking) three times per week or more. Of these people who felt they were fit, 83 percent also thought that they were nutritionally sound. Fifty-four percent surveyed claimed to drink

alcohol. Fifty-seven percent of the people who thought they were fit also said that they drank at least occasionally.

Physical fitness is a subject that has been taken too lightly for too long. It's time that every person puts some thought into his or her own level of fitness, and do something about it.

# TACT Keeps Busy

by Marilyn Welsh

Members of TACT (Teens Against Chemical Taking) have a busy schedule for the months of April and May.

On Tuesday April 15, members spoke to underclassmen English classes to invite them to the April 20 activity. An "Egg Sale" will be held Saturday April 19 to make money for future activities. During this

activity members will choose streets and then go door to door. At the first house the resident will be asked to donate an egg, and at the next house, they will be asked to purchase the egg. A picnic will be held on Sunday April 20 from 2:00 to 6:00 P.M. at Mrs. Cozza's house on Guilford Lake. Underclassmen are invited and encouraged to attend, to see that it is possible to have fun without the use of chemicals. If underclassmen would like more information, contact Mrs. Cozza or one of the TACT members. On Saturday, April 26 there will be a car wash in the Murphy Mart plaza from 10:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Donations will be accepted. Some members will be participating in a canoe race at Beaver Creek on Sunday, April 27. There will be a daytime activity (such as canoeing or hiking) on Saturday, May 10. The Senior graduation party will be Saturday, May 31.

Over spring break, 5 TACT members conducted a presentation on the group at a YSU Teen Survival Workshop. At a faculty meeting the concern for similar groups for underclassmen was expressed. Many positive comments were received, and there are a few interested teachers. A letter of appreciation was received from Mayor Sell. Police officer Joe Good donated items from his previous Teen Center in Salem.

# Color Guard and Majorettes Chosen For '86-'87

by Bill Dunn

The Salem High School Color Guard and Majorettes for the '86 - '87 year were chosen after tryouts a couple weeks ago.

For the Majorettes, the head majorette is Dawn Pitts while Shannon Bennett is silver girl. Returning for another year are Valerie Rook and Tracey Early. Sharon Corl, Jane Sommers, Dawn Randa, Chris Manis and Wendy Whitehill are all added to the new season for Majorettes.

As for Color Guard, Amy Fox took over Chris Shone's position as captain. The Rifle Sergeant for this coming year is Debbie Maurer. Returning rifles are Chris Abrams, Anna Holwick, Missy Knauf and Jenny Lynn Tausch and switching from silks to rifle are Amy Schnor-

renberg, Kara Bushaw, Criss Allio and Tammy Walters.

Next year's Silks are Ammie Sheets, Candi Greenfield, Jenny Janowiak, Angie Ross, Jenny Reich and Anna Oast with new members Lisa Chamberlain, Wendy Smith, Hope Sharck, Tracy Kilbreath, Kim Kisner, Sara Miller and Denise Griggs.

During the course of the summer both the Majorettes and the Color guard will be practicing and each will go to Clarion State University to compete against other schools' majorettes and color guards. For the Majorettes their competition is set for July 27th - 30th. The color guard is set for August 3rd - 6th.

Good luck to both squads as they prepare.

# Tub Speaks Out

by Jim Bakondy

There is an unusual kid at Salem High School — Damian Roelen, or better known as Tubby. Tub lives a very interesting life and it is certainly full of adventures.

Tubby likes to play baseball and is very good at the sport. He was chosen captain of the team his junior year. Tubby made second team all MVC and was voted top pitcher. Along with his great pitching talents he can also hit the ball well. His batting average was a respectable 340.

When Tubby isn't on the field you can find him out with his friends. Tubby stated, "I like going out with 'Orange,' 'E,' 'Boots,' 'Bonir,' 'Spicully,' and 'Belushi.' We all have similar interests and we do things up right."

Tubby has been known to do some things on the spur of the moment. For instance, taking off for Atlanta and Florida for the weekend. He has been known for some crazy things he has done at Salem High this year.

Asking Tubby about those times, he said, "In the last few months there have been many memorable occasions with my friends that I won't forget, times too crazy to share with everyone."

His most prized possession is his "Blues Mobile." The Ventura has been in the family since 1972. Tubby loves the car and spends much time in keeping it running and looking respectable. When asked if he would ever part with his "Blues Mobile," he responded, "The car is so full of memories I think I'll have it buried with me!"

Now for the good stuff — his

lovelife! It seems that wherever Tubby goes he finds a "sweetheart." I recall a time a few months ago, we all went up to the John Cougar concert. Surrounded by an abundance of gorgeous girls, Tubby picked out his "sweetheart" for the night and the rest was history.

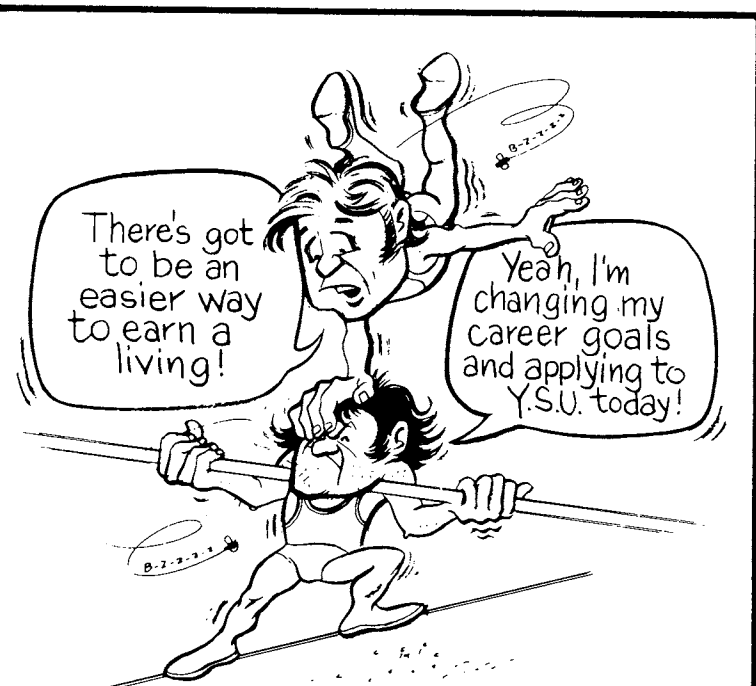
After all of his high school adventures are over he plans to attend Kent State to study business and continue to "play the field."

# Mr. Esposito

by Aaron Wolford

Mr. Esposito is from New York City where he later taught 1 year of science. He has now been teaching here in Salem for 16 years. There are two subjects that he teaches here, one of them being English which he has taught for 16 years and the other being journalism which he has taught for 15 years.

When he was asked if he ever thought about becoming a journalist, he said, "Yes, when I was in high school, I wanted to be a sports writer." Then he was asked why he went into teaching instead of journalism; he stated, "I got more involved with literature and it was easier to get a job in teaching than in journalism." He was asked what he liked most about his job, he replied, "I like meeting all kinds of people. Every day is something new and different."



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# KISS — A Breed Apart

by Rich Elias

In the unpredictable world of rock and roll, it's nice to know that there are some things you can always count on. Some groups come and go, but KISS has been going strong ever since the group started back in the early '70's. The only change which KISS has made from their beginning is their appearance, and of course a few new members. The band first consisted of Paul Stanley, Gene Simmons, Ace Freely, and Peter Criss. The band was going strong but Ace Freely had some personal problems and chose to quit the band. Then KISS was without the presence of Peter Criss. The band members which were left stuck together through these tough times and got new members to fill the empty spots. Most people thought that KISS was through, but KISS met the challenge and continued producing rock and roll's finest music. The members which kept the group alive were singer Paul Stanley, and lead guitarist Gene

Simmons. Gene is noticed mainly for his lizard-like tongue and fire breathing tactics. He is also the backup singer of the band.

The band started out wearing makeup, but the band revealed their identity back in 1981 just before their hot release *Lick It Up*. Since then they have come out with *Animalize*, and *Asylum*, which is their latest.

The group now consists of Gene Simmons, Paul Stanley, Eric Carr — drummer, and KISS's latest member, Bruce Kulick - guitarist.

KISS has helped other groups get started and helped them make a name for themselves. Their brand of music is different from all other rock bands. That is mainly because of different members producing their own songs.

KISS is also very popular for their concert stage show. It consists of a lot of fireworks and some pretty neat jokes. Each member has a different personality and when they are on

stage, they do their different things instead of everybody doing the same old thing.

Lead guitarist Gene Simmons sets back some of his time acting in movies. He does this only as a sideline. His main job is producing topnotch music and entertaining his millions of fans all throughout the world. He hasn't let anything stand in the way of his music.

KISS has been a tribute to rock and roll for over a decade now. The band is now in its prime, and it will be a long time before you stop hearing about KISS. They are a living legend now, and the years to come. You've wanted the best, you've got the best. The hottest band in the world — KISS.

## POTHOLES by Lisa Buchanan

*The potholes are here! Yes, all over Salem wary motorists are dodging craters as they race to and fro every day.*

*The most handsome hole-in-the-ground, and by far the most dangerous, is the one in Salem Plaza. This crater causes various curses and prayers, as well as traffic jams as drivers wait to slither through single file. As an end result, the 4'x4' pothole haunts Salem drivers, and gives out-of-towners a nasty surprise.*

*A round of applause must be given to the school administration for getting the parking lot potholes fixed (finally). Those blasted speed bumps made things even worse when the craters clustered around each other like freshmen at a school dance. Bill Dunn describes bumping over the holes as "the only way to fly."*

*I've heard before that if you floor it over rough roads, you don't sink down into the potholes — just skim over them. However, if a cop pulls me over while I'm going 85, I don't think he'll understand my reasoning.*

## Music In Review

by Mike Schmid

In 1985 and part of 1986, the rock world has unleashed the new rock and heavy metal music for all the headbangers out there. Every year the music becomes louder, faster, and better. Each year groups of people protest music and say that W.A.S.P. and Kiss among others worship the devil.

In 1986 there was a new law passed saying that record companies had to put a rating on the records published. This warned against sexual lyrics, violence, and satanic messages.

This year was truly a different year so far. David Lee Roth quit Van Halen, Madonna got married, and Kiss' Mark Saint John was replaced due to cancer.

About the records. Van Halen has released "5150" with their new lead singer and guitarist, Sammy Hagar. To some people DLR's leave was for the better. And to some it wasn't. On

the new album the screeching guitars are a million times better. The new Van Halen is probably for the better.

The Crazyman of Rock and Roll is back with a new album, "The Ultimate Sin," by Ozzy Osbourne. And his concert last April 9th was definitely a success.

Other news of the Rock world is that a new type of music is being liked and wanted. It's called Thrash Metal. This type of music is deeper, faster than heavy metal, and the singing is faster and deeper too. Some of the bands that sing and play this kind of music are: Mercyful Fate, Slayer, Venom, and Oz, not Ozzy. Will this kind of music stay around for long or will it just be pushed under the carpet like all the parents are trying to do? Well the answer to that is: Stick around and find out.

So this year, 1986, will definitely be a great year for the rockers and rollers out there.

## Calendar Planned

by Lori Tasker

Thinking of summer? Well, some are thinking of the 1986-87 school year. Already, planning has been done for the school calendar for the upcoming year. Here are some of the highlights. School will begin session the 27th of August. School will then be dismissed for Labor Day, the 1st of September. School will then let out November 27th and 28th for Thanksgiving Recess. The next break will then be December 22nd through January 4th for the winter recess. A few of the other highlights of next year's schedule are spring break, March 30th - April 3rd, and on Memorial Day school will be dismissed the 25th of May. The Junior-Senior Prom will be a little earlier this upcoming year, the date scheduled is May 1st. The last day of classes for students is June 5th. On June 7th the Class of '87 will have their graduation. This is some idea of what the 1986-87 school year will be.

### SALEM CITY SCHOOLS SCHOOL CALENDAR — 1986/87

Aug. 19	New Teacher Orientation.	
Aug. 25	Teachers' Meeting — full day. Principals will arrange.	1 TM
Aug. 27	Classes begin, full day.	
Sept. 1	Labor Day. School Dismissed For All Students.	
Oct. 10	End of First Six Weeks.	32 days + 1 TM
Oct. 16)	Parent Teacher Conferences, evening.	
17)	Parent Teacher Conferences. School Dismissed For All Students.	
Oct. 31	End of First Nine Weeks.	47 days + 1 TM
Nov. 7	Teacher Inservice. School Dismissed For All Students.	
Nov. 21	End of Second Six Weeks.	29 days + 1 TM
Nov. 27, 28	Thanksgiving Recess. School Dismissed For All Students.	
Dec. 22 -		
Jan. 4	Inclusive — Winter Recess. School Dismissed For All Students.	
Jan. 5	School Resumes.	
Jan. 16	End of Third Six Weeks.	28 days + 0 TM
	End of Second Nine Weeks.	42 days + 1 TM
	End of First Semester.	89 days + 2 TM
Jan. 19	Teacher Inservice. School Dismissed For All Students.	
Feb. 16	President's Day. School Dismissed For All Students.	
March 6	End of Fourth Six Weeks.	33 days + 1 TM
March 26)	Parent Teacher Conferences, evening.	
26)	Parent Teacher Conferences. School Dismissed For All Students.	
March 27	End of Third Nine Weeks.	48 days + 1 TM
March 30-		
April 3	Inclusive - Spring Recess. School Dismissed For All Students.	
April 17	Good Friday. School Dismissed For All Students.	
April 24	End of Fifth Six Weeks.	29 days + 0 TM
May 25	Memorial Day. School Dismissed For All Students.	
June 5	Last day of classes or students.	
	End of Sixth Six Weeks	29 days + 0 TM
	End of Fourth Nine Weeks	43 days + 0 TM
	End of Second Semester	91 days + 1 TM
June 8	Teacher Work Day.	+ 1 TM
	End of 1986/87 School Year.	180 days + 4 TM

## The Pleasure Doom

Part I

by Jennifer Booth

*It was a hot day in July. The temperature reached 91° F. The army base was in New Mexico. Right beside it there was a diner. Inside the diner there were a lot of GIs from the base. Some of them were eating, playing cards and talking. Lonely, a handful of men and women were sitting at a very special table. The force of*

*one is called Seven and The Ragged Tiger. The bunch has 50 or so men and 10 or so women. There were Frankie, Peter, Curt, Roland, Cyndi, and Tina. Some were playing cards like Martin, Mark, Adam, Tom, Anne, Dave, and Aretha. At the lunch counter was Arcadia and the Power Station. Rio was looking over J.T. and Nick's shoulders. J.T. was in the Power Station. Nick was in Arcadia. These two groups were under the command of Mistress Grace. "Would you get off of me. I haven't eaten in the last 14 hours," Nick said. The alarm went off. Rio fell to the floor. Roger picked her up. J.T. said, "I've gotta go, Rio." The diner emptied like a box of dry soap.*

*On the grounds of the army unit, Mistress Grace was talking about the new missile called the PLEASURE DOOM. "How this new missile is only used in peace time. If war should occur then computer would change it," Mistress Grace said. "How long has she been talking?" Nick whispered. "Forty-five minutes," Roger whispered back. Then the alarm went off.....*

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## Buckeye Boys Chosen

by Mark McCartney

On March 12, 1986, nine boys were interviewed by the American Legion Committee. Only five of the nine were chosen to represent Salem High School at Bowling Green University for Buckeye Boys State on June 14 - June 22. These five are Brian Gilbey, Eric Greib, John N. Omslaer, Richard D. Watkins and Douglas E. White. The four alternates are Craig J. Bryant (1st alternate), Andy Brooks (2nd alternate), Neil Heston and John P.

Casey II.

This is the 51st year for Buckeye Boys State. The purpose of this program is to educate the students in the government process. They also become acquainted with rights and privileges of being a citizen. The program deals with City, County, and State Governments operated by students who are elected to their positions by the students themselves. Activities at Boys State include the following: legislative

sessions, court trials, law enforcement agencies, assemblies, band, recreational programs, etc. This year there will be 1400 or more boys attending Buckeye Boys State from all over Ohio.

## The Midnight Man

by Jennifer Booth

Alannah was walking alone. She had her walk-man turned on. The song MID-NIGHT MAN was playing. Then someone grabbed her and she screamed, "LET ME GO YA DIRTY OLD BUM." She kicked the old bum down. "AND I KNOW WHO YA ARE." She walked to an alley where she heard a bottle shatter. She felt something at her side. It was a dart. She pulled it out. "What is that?" Alannah asked. Then she got dizzy. She walked in front of a car. The driver of the car screamed, "YOU SHOULDN'T BE OUT HERE." I want to see a doctor," Alannah said. Then she fainted.

She awoke with a nasty headache. Joe was sitting right beside her and squeezing her hand very hard. "Stop it. You're stopping all life from it," Alannah said. Joe let go of her hand. "And where is Tom?" Alannah said very sleepily. "He is in X-ray. Last night he got bopped on the head by a Pepsi bottle," Joe said. "I wonder if this had to do with the Mid-Night Man?" Alannah asked. "Where is your head? That is my code name. You're in a hospital," Joe said forcefully. A doctor walked in through the opened doorway. "Mr.

Leeway, we shouldn't have the door opened. Remember that rules are rules. Tom is O.K." Doctor Millan said. The phone rang. Alannah let out a moan. Joe picked up the phone and said, "Hello, oh it's you Apprentice Sting." "Rio and Mistress Grace have got a plan for you," said Apprentice Sting on the end. "Good-by," said Joe. Joe hung up the phone. Apprentice Sting was in fact Master Sting but he has Amnesia. Now he is down to an apprentice. His teacher is Mistress Grace.

Later that night, Joe and some of his friends were talking about how to get this guy. "What gets me is how he can get a person without letting them know he's there," Roland said. Apprentice Sting looked around at the group and said, "How about letting the coppers know about this guy." "No, we will get into more trouble than we asked for," Rio said. "How about this. It's been on my mind for a long time," Mistress Grace said with a smile. "One of us would ask Alannah to tell about what happen." "And it's Adam," Rio said. "Why me?" Adam asked. "And I got the perfect plan," said Rio . . . .

## You Decide 1986 Music Poll

By Mike Schmid

- Favorite male singer \_\_\_\_\_
- Favorite female singer \_\_\_\_\_
- Best group or trio \_\_\_\_\_
- Favorite song \_\_\_\_\_
- Least favorite song \_\_\_\_\_
- Best record \_\_\_\_\_
- Worst record \_\_\_\_\_
- Favorite video \_\_\_\_\_
- Best concert attended \_\_\_\_\_
- Worst concert attended \_\_\_\_\_
- Last concert attended \_\_\_\_\_

\* Please turn poll in at library where a box for polls will be provided.



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# Spring Sports Line-Up

## Track Off To A Fine Start

by Nick Quinn

So far this year, Salem's boys' track team is off to a good start. After three meets, Salem looks like they have a good team with talent in every area.

The first meet was a triangular against West Branch and Struthers. Salem placed second with 51 points. Outstanding runners were Bob Vitko, Brad Capel, and Graham Parks.

The next meet was the F. E. Cope relays. Salem placed second out of six teams with 84 points. Salem's boys' and girls' teams won 1st overall. The outstanding runners were Doug White, Brad Capel, and Paul Huzyak.

The third meet against Canfield was postponed due to weather conditions.

Salem traveled to East Palestine to their 4th track meet, the Ward Invitationals. The highlight of this meet was when Paul Huzyak placed 2nd in the pole vault. He pole vaulted 13 ft., just 8 inches from the school record. The mile relay also did very well.

Salem track's head coach, Bing Newton, needs only one dual meet win to hit 100 wins in his coaching career. His record now stands at 99 wins and 15 losses.

It looks like the hard, lengthy practices are paying off for the team.



Kim Reynolds hoping for a Salem win.

### Swimming Soph

by Lori Tasker

Shawn Horstman, a sophomore here at the Senior High, swam competitively at the high school district meet held at the Canton Natatorium Feb. 22. Out of all the swimmers that participated, he placed 13th in the 200 and 5th in the 100. For his first year competing at districts and being only a sophomore, Shawn did very well. He hopes to swim next year at districts, too.

## Readshaw Remembers

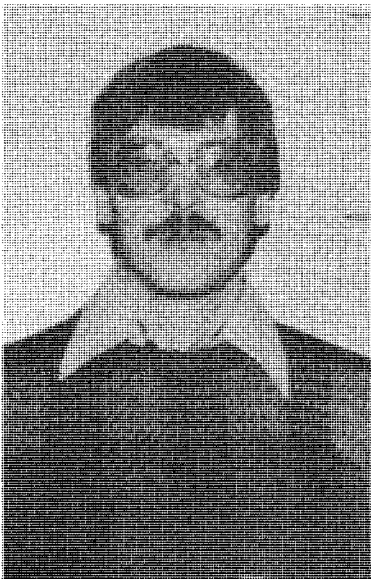
by Arron Wolford

Salem will now need to find a new girls' basketball coach because after eight years of coaching Mr. Readshaw will no longer coach the Salem girls.

In a recent interview Mr. Readshaw took the time to look back on his coaching career. In eight years of coaching his overall record was 125-54. In his first year the team had a 17-3 record and in his second year they were rated 5th in the state and were regional runner up with a 24-2 record.

When asked which team was his best team, he said, "My third year team. We were 22-4 overall and rated 8th in the state. We were defeated by Cleveland East in the regionals." When asked what his greatest moment in coaching was, he stated, "Winning the districts." When asked who he thought was the best player he ever coached, he replied, "I would have to say Tammy Bailey. She holds the school record

for most points scored in a career." He was asked what he would miss most about coaching; he said, "The close relationship with the players."



Former Coach Craig Readshaw

## VARGAS — A Man With A Mission

by Rich Elias

Salem High's Rafael Vargas was out to destroy the Trumbull County All Star basketball team during the 16th Annual Schoolboy Classic played at Beegly Center on the night of April 4th. Vargas was awarded the Most Valuable Player Award after scoring 23 points and ripping down 17 rebounds to lead the Mahoning Valley All Stars to a 112-106 victory over the Trumbull County All Stars. Vargas brought the team back after trailing most of the game. Vargas was the only Salem High player to participate in the game and proved that he belonged there. Rafael, an amazing story for the Quakers this past season, led the team in scoring, rebounding, and field goal and free throw percentage. Teams feared Vargas all year but just couldn't utilize a game plan to stop the 6'6", 230-lb. exchange student from Costa Rica. Rafael was awarded to the 1st Team Columbiana County, 1st Team All Area, 2nd Team MVC, and was honorable mention All NEO. I asked Rafael what he thought about the classic game, and here is what he

had to say — "I got to meet a lot of new players and make new friends. The talent was at a high level on both sides and it was an honor to just be selected for the game let alone be honored the MVP." Rafael scored 7 first half points and 16 second half points.

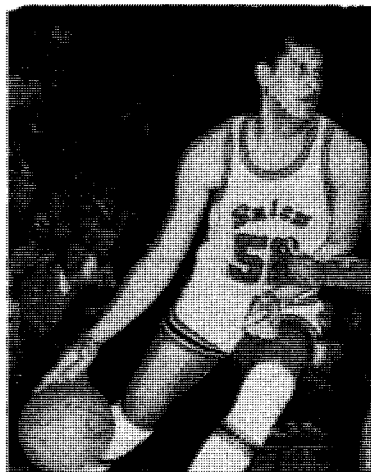
Rafael has been playing some basketball at open gyms and has been lifting weights with Coach Spack and the boys.

Salem, a struggling season all year, showed that it produced the best basketball player in both conferences this year. I asked Rafael what he does in his spare time and he said, "I like to lift weights and get big muscles to show the girls who's boss."

Rafael would like to thank Coach Spack for recommending him for the game.

Rafael will be attending a Junior College in Tennessee this coming fall to further his education and play basketball. He would like to give a considerable amount of thanks to Coach Spack and the Pasko family for finding him a college to play

basketball. He would like to thank the Pasko family for all the support given to him during his stay. When Rafael graduates, he will return to Costa Rica for one month and then return to the United States to attend college. He hopes that after one year at the Junior College, he will get an athletic scholarship to play basketball at a bigger college.



Vargas during this year's basketball season.

# Baseball Season Underway

## Varsity Up To Swing

Salem baseball is off on the right foot with a record of 3-2.

Salem's first game was a disappointing one, losing 8-7 to East Liverpool. Salem was backed by a good pitching performance from Mark McCartney. In six innings he only allowed 3 runs, 3 hits, and 3 walks. Salem had the lead throughout the whole game but untimely errors hurt the team. Even though the team was down in the seventh inning things still went well for them. With two outs and one man on, Lee Good hit a home run. Salem was not down on themselves after this loss. They worked on their errors and came back to win their next three games. The first win was against Beaver Local. Damian Roelen was the winning pitcher going all seven innings giving up no runs, walking just one and taking out seven himself. Rich Elias had a double for the Quakers while posting a 4-0 win. Their next game was Alliance. This was a come-from-behind victory. Being down 2-0 in the fifth inning, Salem put every thing together with a triple from Paul Totani and a Paul Schlueter single to bring in the winning run. Lee Good was the winning pitcher going all seven innings. He gave up two runs and one walk and had 8 strike outs.

Starting for the Quakers was Sophomore Scott Sommers who went 3 and 1/3 innings. He gave up 3 hits and had 5 strike outs. Another sophomore Paul Totani came for the other 3 and 1/3 innings, giving up no runs, no walks, 2 hits and struck out 5. The final score was 6-4. The following week was the Quakers' M.V.C. opener against Struthers. Mark McCartney was the losing pitcher, giving up 9 hits, 2 earned runs, and one walk while striking out 3. The final score was 4-3. The Quakers now stand at 3-2 and 0-1 in the M.V.C.

## Salem Tennis Starts Slow

by Jim Bakondy

The Salem Boys' Tennis Team, directed by Coach Carol Patterson, is starting off to a slow season. The team members include senior Doug Morris; juniors Matt Althouse, Michael Colbert, Eric Grieb, Neil Heston and Mark Mueller; sophomores Ken Alesi, Craig Anderson, Jay Mager, and Jeff Swartz; and freshmen Cliff Petty and Steve Martens. The Salem Tennis Team is 1 - 4.

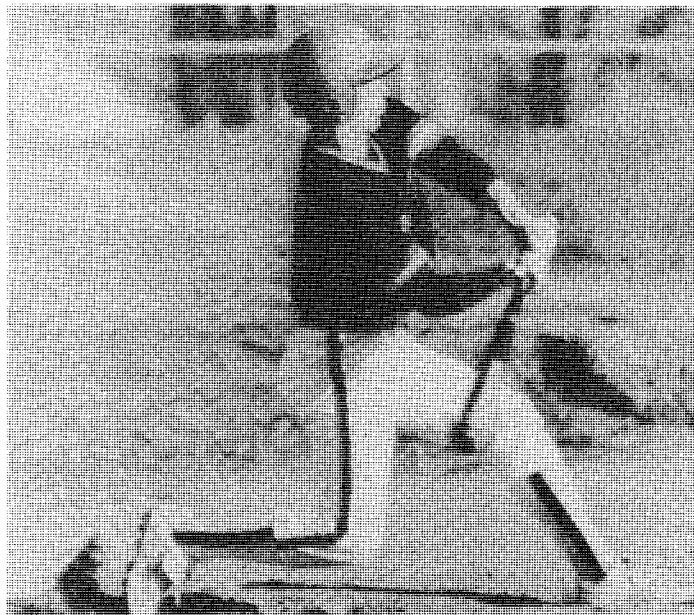
### SALEM SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL BOYS' TENNIS — 1986

\* Please note all home matches

The 1986 baseball season has gotten underway with the leadership of 8th year head coach Jim Lantz. This year's team includes 11 returning letterman including seniors Frank Bezon, Rich Elias, Lee Good, Rich Huffman, Mark McCartney, Damian Roelen, and Paul Schlueter, juniors Joe Marks and Ted Schuster, sophomores Scott Sommers and Paul Totani. This year's team goals according to Coach Lantz, are to win the M.V.C., to win 20 of 26 games, and many others. The pitchers and catchers have started practice earlier this week on Tuesday. The rest of the team will begin practice in two weeks from last Tuesday.

## SHS Varsity Baseball Schedule

April 1	East Liverpool	A	4:15	April 28	Poland	H	4:15
April 3	Beaver Local	H	4:15	May 1	Beaver Local	A	4:15
April 4	Alliance	A	4:15	May 2	J.F.K.	H	4:15
April 7	Columbiana	A	4:15	May 5	Campbell	A	4:15
April 8	Struthers	H	4:15	May 6	East Liverpool	H	4:15
April 9	West Branch	A	4:15	May 7	Alliance	H	4:15
April 10	Marlington	H	4:15	May 8	South Range	A	4:15
April 11	Poland	A	4:15	May 9	Girard	A	4:15
April 16	Canfield	H	4:15	May 10	Louisville	A	11:00
April 21	J.F.K.	A	4:15	May 12	Columbiana	H	4:15
April 23	Girard	H	4:15	May 13-16	Boys' Sectional		
April 25	Struthers	A	4:15	May 19	Campbell	H	4:15
April 26	West Branch (2)	H	10:00	May 21	Canfield	A	4:15



Frank Bezon tries for a homer.