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Blood Drive

by Jennifer Sommers

"I was very happy to get what we did," said Mrs. Monteleone. This statement was made about the annual blood drive which was held on March 1st.

Out of the 134 students who registered, only 120 pints of blood were collected. The other 14 could not donate because of various reasons, such as the flu and the common cold. In the morning, only 102 students had registered, but by late afternoon, that number had gone up to 134.

The blood bank had collected 150-160 pints of blood in previous years. The reason this year's number was down, was because there was a drop in the enrollment of the Junior and Senior classes.

This year's blood drive was sponsored by the Senior P.O.D. classes. It was open to the public, as well as the school. A total of 8 adults came and donated. Mrs. Monteleone had expected more, but this number was also down. That reason was the fact that the blood bank was downtown the week before. "I would like to see more 17 year olds donating in the future," said Mrs. Monteleone.

The blood drive must have been a memorable one for Scott England. This day was his 17th birthday, along with his first donation.

The food and drink for this event was donated by Domino's Pizza and McDonald's. Other help came from students who were willing to help in any way they could. These students worked at different stations throughout the day. These stations were the registration table, temperatures, donor room, canteen, monitors, bag labelers, and co-chairmen.

Working at the registration table were Ladonna Wood, Tiffany Kelly, Andrea Hendron, Tonya Cecil, Mark Milliken, and Andrea Engle.

Jenny Scott and Jenny Smith took the temperatures throughout the day for Mrs. Monteleone.

In the donor room, Kerri Thorne, Mary Rush, Cheryl Orrach, and Kris Manis were busy with their own work.

The canteen was the most popular station of the day. This was where students could get food and drinks after donating. Cliff Pettey and

Matt Cole were in charge of this popular station. Other workers were Heather Patton, Jeff DiPasquale, Darrin Philips, Steve Martens, Tara Wareham, Kim Kisner, Heidi Sutter, and Rich Cochran.

Monitoring the students who were donating were Lori Jones, Graham Parks, and Steve Marroulis.

Busy bag labeling were Larry Slanker, Aaron O'Brien, and Brad Richert.

Working with Mrs. Monteleone were two students acting as co-chairmen. They were Ralph Short and Brian Wright.

Each and every one of these students did a fine job in helping make this year's blood drive a smooth one.

Spring Break

by Lori Jones

March is said to be the end of winter and the beginning of the new life around us. People look forward to spring flowers and the tree coming back to life. Most of the people around here also look forward to the week that we have off called, "Spring Break."

What do people do during this so-called vacation? Some people clean and redecorate their homes. Others go away to visit someone out of town or state. A few lucky people go out of state and have fun at places like Daytona Beach, Disney World, or Fort Lauderdale. MTV even gets people into the mood by showing people at home how others are spending and enjoying their time off.

What are YOU doing for spring break?

Jenny Bedell — "Thinking about what I'm going to do next year for spring break."

Joe McGrath — "Going to go visit my brother in Toledo, Ohio."

Steve Scullion — "Party!"

Jason Bannar — "I'm going camping in my back yard."

Mr. McShane — "I'm going to Philadelphia with my family."

Dr. Schoffman — "We are going to Washington D.C. for a few days, then home to relax."

Megan Taylor — "I'm going to Dayton to visit my brother at college."

Brad Richert — "Staying home and playing baseball."

Chris Richie — "I'll go crazy with Troy Ayers."

Denise Casey — "Going to Cleveland for a few days."

Spring Break is a small sample of our summer vacation. All people enjoy summer and look forward to the time off. After Spring Break summer vacation is only 10 weeks and one day away. Keep your hopes up and enjoy!

PROM

by Richard Cochran

The school year is quickly winding down and with that comes the prom. The prom is the last big dance of the year — a sort of last go around for the senior class — a memory maker in most cases.

This year's prom will be held at the Maronite Center on Meridian Road in Austintown. It was previously to be held at Mr. Anthony's. However, Mr. Edward DeBartolo needed Mr. Anthony's for business therefore he kindly asked if we would not mind changing. Our advisors obliged, and Mr. DeBartolo thanked us generously.

The dance will be held on May 5 and will be from 7 to 11. Each couple will be videotaped upon entry from 7:00 to 7:30.

The theme for the prom has not yet been announced, but with quality advisors, Mrs. Szakacs and Mrs. Davidoff, things are certainly in good hands.

Guys, you better find yourself a date or it's going to be too late. Ladies, give the guys a chance. Who knows? It may end in romance.

Prom '89. It's going to be fine, fine, fine!

TACT

by Tim Blasiman

Those people that complain about not having anything to do on weekends, well, here's your chance to have something to do. On April 7, TACT is planning to have a party for the people that would like to attend. Remember that this is a TACT (Teens Against Chemical Taking) party, so no alcohol or drugs. There will be an admission charge at the door. The price will be \$1.00. The party will be located at the AFL-CIO Hall on Prospect Street. More information about the party will be sent out.

In past parties TACT members have had a lot of fun. Everybody seems to enjoy themselves with their friends. That is the main reason for TACT, to have fun without using drugs or alcohol. That is why the next party has been opened up to the school. Other students can have a glimpse at how seniors have fun without drugs or alcohol. Also, TACT has been talking about an olympics for school competition. Anyone in high school can compete. This is to get more people to have fun with the seniors. More information on the olympics will be out later.

Activity Round-Up

by Matt Flanery

Around the school there are many different activities going on that are of use to the students of Salem High. The Jazz Band and Choir just had their 14th annual pops concert, the Student Council is making plans for a sixties flashback, and TACT has many projects in the making.

First off, let's begin with the pops concert. It was held on Wednesday, March the eighth in the high school auditorium. The turnout was tremendous and not a single person was disappointed at the performance. The choir came on first and played a good variety of songs, including "Stand By Me," "The Longest Time," and "That's What Friends Are For." My personal favorite was the medley of fifties tunes that was performed by the chamber choir. They performed parts of many great songs, such as "Hang On Sloop," "Wooly-Booly," and the Beatles classic "I Get By With A Little Help From My Friends."

Next came the jazz band and they performed as well as the choir. Three musicians were featured throughout the concert with their own solos. Travis Zeigler had a drum solo on Michael Jackson's "Bad," Todd Stokes had two guitar solos, for the songs "I Get Around" and "Rockin' Robin," and Chris Catlin was the featured instrumentalist on Disney's "When You Wish Upon A Star." The rest of the band deserves just as

much credit for the fine performance. They earned all the applause that they received.

The student council is busy putting the finishing touches on the "Peace, Love, and Togetherness" theme for the MORP. They are also thinking about having a whole day dedicated towards that theme. That would have the whole school dressing up and acting like the people of the sixties did.

The student/teacher day is also coming up shortly. This is when the students take over for the teachers for one day. It went over pretty well last year, and they are hoping for the same results this year. It will be held the 27th of April and your support is needed. The group also had a T-shirt sale to raise funds. According to council member Terry Beall, "the sale went over pretty well."

TACT is another group with a lot going on. In the planning stages still are the TACT Olympics and a huge bash for the entire school. The group will be selling Daffodils at the Salem Plaza and Nemenz on March 17 and 18. This will be their service project for the year. For members that are interested stop in room 140 for details.

Another activity that they have planned is a teen fashion show at the Carnation Mall in Alliance. It will be held April 2 and members are needed to model clothes. The school with the greatest number of points at the end of the show will receive a percentage of the total proceeds and also have a dance for their school. It costs \$1.00 per person for the whole night. If more people show up, there will be more proceeds.

There are many different activities at the school and there is no excuse for people not to do anything. Just show a little spirit and help support the different groups of our school.

Alumni Teacher

by Andrea Hendron

For this issue of THE QUAKER, Mr. Lantz has been selected as a part of the continuation of the alumni teacher series.

Q. — What were your favorite subjects in high school?

A. — English and History.

Q. — Why did you choose to teach at Salem High School?

A. — I wanted to teach English and coach basketball, and there was an opening for both at this school.

Q. — How long have you been coaching?

A. — 10 years.

Q. — How long have you been teaching?

A. — 14 years.

Q. — Did you play any sports in high school?

A. — Yes, football, basketball, and baseball.

Q. — Where did you go to college? And what was your major?

A. — Kent State, and I majored in English and in speech communications.

Q. — What kinds of activities do you do in your spare time?

A. — I fish, golf, do some gardening.

Q. — If you could change anything about the school, what would you change?

A. — I would eliminate study halls.

Take the time and listen to these teachers. You never know, you might learn something.

First Assembly

by Terri Downard

Salem High School recently held its first assembly of the year and the outcome was great according to Mr. McShane. "Students were well behaved and very attentive," and a lot of work was done by the staff and Mr. Rabell. "The main purpose of these assemblies is to expose students to many different kinds of assemblies," Mr. McShane said.

Mr. McShane would like to know the student body's opinion about the assembly:

Jenni Sommers — "Pretty good."

Jenny Scott — "Boring up until the Freckles Rag."

Ralph Short — "It was awesome!"

Clarence Fields — "It was good if you like that kind of music."

Matt Flanery — "It was pretty decent."

Kerri Thorne — "It was great."

Another assembly was held this past Friday the 17th. The assembly was a one women play on Eleanor Roosevelt, America's greatest woman. It was of particular interest to people in the History Department and women in general.

Trapped In Society

by Mark Milliken

Today stereotypes determine a few things. If your hair is long or you look different or act different from everyone else it could mean the difference between working or not and it might even cost you some additional friends.

Most people would not set aside this type of prejudice out of fear of what the rest of his friends would think. But if one of the guys is caught talking and laughing with this skinny somewhat awkward looking kid the first question brought up would be, "What's he talking to that person for?" Some people don't think this way and are willing to give

someone a chance to make a start, but these people are rare. Also, they are considered some kind of outsiders themselves from what I've seen.

There are two simple answers to this problem. One way is to be "in" with the crowd and sit there and make fun of and laugh at the people outside of your own private circle or to take the time to get to know the different people and find out that some of them can be more fun or interesting than your circle of friends that rely on appearances to make the person instead of looking on the inside of these people.

Winter Sports Round-Up

by Mark Capps

The novel is "Winter Sports '89." The authors are the Salem High athletes, and the final chapter has just been written. The winter sports have recently finished their 1988-89 season in what may have been the most talented senior class to graduate in many a year.

Chapter one starts out with the boys' basketball team led by the likes of seniors Brooke Pidgeon, Bill Kress, Tom Wiggers, and Tim Steffen — not to mention great off the bench help from Dickie Cochran and Burt Capel. It was senior experience and leadership that gave the team its 15-8 record and runner-up in the M.V.C. Salem had a lot of tough games like the close Canfield game, but Salem showed style and

finesse even when they did lose. Not like Boardman. Remember? Yeah, Salem had some good times though. How about Kress' slams and Wiggers' and Miller's three pointers — or how about the consistency of Tim Steffen. Hey, it was a great season. What else can be said?

Next year's team will bring back the only starter that wasn't a senior—Lance Miller. Lance has just come off a great year and with help from Charlie Honeywell, Mark Burrier, Dave Reed, and Eric Thorne, Salem should have another outstanding year.

Chapter two is almost an exact replica of one except this time it's the girls' team, led by seniors Andrea

Engle, Jen Herron, Julie Ehrhart, and Stephanie Headland, has also had a very fine year and finished with a 13-7 record and 8-4 in the M.V.C. The "Lady Quakers" put on some great shows throughout the year and the most impressive being the win over the Struthers Wildcats. Hey, they even took West Branch into two overtimes before finally losing by two points. There was also the game against Girard which gave them their first loss. It was a mighty fine year for the girls and with Justine Morain, Jenni Sommers, and Michelle Ganslein who will be returning next year, Salem should be able to put together another respectable team for the 1989-90 season.

The pace changes a little as chapter three begins because even though the Salem Wrestling team's overall record was only 4-8, two seniors in particular had a fine season. The wrestlers were led by seven seniors who are Tim Blasiman, Mike Hazelbaker, Clarence Fields, Tod Kilgore, Mark Capps, Derek Brant, and Chris Nichols. Tod placed second in sectionals and sixth in the district tournament while Derek placed fourth in sectionals. Who could forget Scott Kessel's back roll during the West Branch match or Timmy Blasiman's 14 second pin against Jackson-Milton.

Next year, Salem will have returning lettermen Jeff Graybeal, Shane Carr, and Matt Kilgore who will hopefully lead the team as its seven seniors did this year.

So now the book shuts and the year ends for the winter sports. It was a fine year with 15 seniors starting in basketball and wrestling. With some luck, maybe a similar novel can be written next year.

1989 TRACK SCHEDULE

Mar. 30	West Branch	H
April 1	Cope Relays	H
April 4	Girard	A
April 7	Cardinal Invitational	
April 8	Ward Invitational	
April 11	Poland	H
April 14	Cardinal Invitational	
April 15	Reserve Invitational	H
April 15	E. Palestine Invitational	
April 18	Struthers	A
April 20	Rayen	H
April 22	Reserve Invitational	H
April 24	County Meet	
April 25	County Meet—E. Palestine	
April 27	Beaver Local	H
May 2	Howland, Boardman	A
May 6	Fitch Optimists	A
May 9	Campbell	H
May 12	M.V.C. Canfield	A
May 13	Reserve Invitational	H
May 16	District at Fitch	
May 17	District at Fitch	
May 18	District at Fitch	
May 20	District Finals at Fitch	

Cheerleaders Chosen

by Bridget Roelen

Tuesday, March 14th starting at 4:00 P.M., the 1989-90 reserve and varsity cheerleaders were chosen.

More changes were made this year regarding who could be on the reserve squad. Mrs. Bryant, the SHS JV and varsity cheerleading advisor, decided that if a freshman boy could play reserve basketball, then a freshman girl should be able to try-out for a spot on the reserve cheerleading squad. It is only fair. Tiffany Kelly and Carrie Juliano were two girls on the varsity basketball squad this year that were given the chance to try out for varsity their sophomore year. Both of these girls were chosen and got their varsity letter. Tiffany said, "The seniors gave us a hard time, but everything turned out good. We really had a good time." Tiffany went down to talk to the 8th graders at the Jr. High to try to encourage them to go out for JV. She told them to "Stick it out and don't be afraid." It sounds so simple, but when you are an 8th grader, it is a lot to ask.

The Varsity squad was split last year into football and basketball squads. Mrs. Bryant said, "Some cheerleaders were upset about the idea at first, but they ended up really liking it in the end. The split season worked great because it gave the girls chances to do other things, and it kept the season from being too long." This year there are split JV and Varsity squads.

A panel of 8 judges came in to choose who made it and who was cut. These judges were either ex-cheerleaders or advisors. The girls trying out were required to go to the cheerleading clinics, learn two cheers, two chants, and do three jumps that were taught at the clinics. They also had to have a make-up cheer that the girl made up herself. On try-out day the girls came and picked numbers to determine who went first, second, third, up until number fifty-three. Yes — fifty-

Volleyball

by Steve Martens

Boys' volleyball will begin practicing on April third. There are four boys returning from last year with an added sixteen newcomers.

Although no games have been scheduled as of yet, the team will compete in the state tournament again. Practice alone will not get the team to the state final. The team will need experience in competing in three or four matches.

The returning players are very anxious about the coming season. Last year's team walked into practice cold and didn't know about each other's capabilities. Because there are four returning players, Charlie Honeywell said, "Our chances of being a good team may increase. The guys are just itching to play." Darrin Ward stated, "I'm excited about the whole season." Bill Kress was not available for comment.

Mr. Conser was pleased with the number of boys that signed up to play. Mr. Conser said, "I think it will be an improved team." He has definitely decided to compete in the state tournament. All the team needs is sponsorship. The regionals will be held on May 13 with the finals on May 20.

The team is ready to start its practices. The team has a positive attitude towards the season and ready to play and win.

three girls tried out this year. Mrs. Bryant said, "I was amazed at how fast they picked things up. They breezed through the material."

Mrs. Bryant thought she had an "all-star" team this year with all of her talent. She had four cheerleaders on her basketball squad that made varsity their sophomore year. What an accomplishment! Next year Mrs. Bryant will only have the JV and Varsity squads. The freshman try-outs and the freshman advisor will be determined at a later date.

The following girls have been chosen as the 1989-90 Salem Senior High School cheerleaders:

Junior Varsity Basketball — Debbie Miller, Denise Miller, Emily Miller, Betsy Moffett, Stephanie Roberts and Carri Williams.

Junior Varsity Football — Ashlee Charnesky, Krissy Danklef, Kim DeLuce, Teresa Dickey, Sara Eckstein, Michele Kaminski, Allyson Kilmer and Marnie Null.

Varsity Basketball — Christine Dailey, Heather Dye, Karen Honeywell, Lisa Jenkins, Angie Pierce and Mary Rottenborn.

Varsity Football — Krista Blankenship, Kerri Cranmer, Renee Grieb, Erin Hendricks, Brandi Hephner, Lesley Marroulis, Jennifer Oesch and Anika Pierce.

Newton's Warriors

by Shawn Chappell

With the coming of spring, the boys' track team is hard at work getting ready for the season. Head Coach Bing Newton stresses that he likes the concept of teamwork. Mr. Newton states, "It is not individuals that win; the team wins the sport."

This year's team, according to their coach, has the potential to be a fine team. He further states that the team will go as far as the senior leadership takes them. Mr. Newton feels that there are seniors this year who take their roles seriously. The seniors on this year's team are: Matt Medford, Matt Cole, Chris Catlin, Sean Scahill, Steve Marroules, Andy Herron, Bob Sprowl, Scott Ricker, Mike Hazelbaker, Graham Parks, Burt Capel, Scott Jones, Darren Everhart, Darrin Philips.

Lettermen Scott Jones and Bob Sprowl feel that the lessons that they have learned through track are of great importance to their lives. According to Jones, "Our track team will be successful if every member of the team comes together as a team and not as an individual." Sprowl agrees with Jones and feels that the concept of being a team has brought the best out of himself.

With a serious attitude and the support of the Salem High School students, the Salem track team should have a fine season.

Girls' Track

by Kelly Armstrong

Girls' track, coached by Mrs. Miller, is now underway. With their first meet scheduled for March 30, the girls are practicing hard.

Although few girls have gone out for track this year, Mrs. Miller feels that they will be strong in running and field events. Seniors Pam Lippiatt, Tracy Kilbreath, Marcie Martin, and Tiffany Tepsic are replacing the graduated seniors' shoes nicely, as far as leadership and capability.

In past years the girls have had very successful seasons, losing only one dual meet as well as being MVC champs and Columbiana County Champs. Some may think that this record may be hard to live up to, but Mrs. Miller feels differently. She believes that the girls will once again have a fun, as well as winning, season.

Brad's Baseball Bunch

by Brad Richert

It's that time of the year for America's Pasttime to get underway. Baseball season is getting ready to start. All the Major League teams are in their spring training while the Quakers' baseball team is in their own version of indoor spring training.

Last year's team had the best season in years with a record of 15 and 8. They finished second in the M.V.C. and had a chance to possibly share the title with Poland in their last M.V.C. game. Last year's team was led by senior experience while this year's team is going to be led by youth and senior experience.

The Quakers have a strong supporting cast coming back from last season. Returning pitchers are Jeff Smith who had a 4-2 record with a 2.67 ERA and Larry "Lonnie" Slanker who had a 3-1 record while playing an excellent defensive first base. Other players returning are Brad Richert, Craig Reinher and Lance Miller who should lead the team offensively. The team captain this year will be the slick fielding outfielder Tom Wiggers. Unfortunately his brother Rob Wiggers died

in a car accident this past summer for he and Tom would have been co-captains this year. Rob's loss will be tough to overcome mentally and physically. The key to this year could be youth and speed.

Veteran head coach Mr. Jim Lantz will try to recapture last year's magic and win the M.V.C. He will be helped out by ex-Salem standout Don Isaacs and a new addition to the team Bill Galchick. Coach Isaacs will also coach the reserve baseball team.

Salem will have a lot of young players on the varsity level, and it might take them a while to get used to that kind of ball. But when they do, watch out because they will be tough to beat. This year's team will be fun to watch because of the speed and hard aggressive style of play. Salem will start its schedule March 30 against Columbiana in the home opener over Spring Break. The next day they also have a home game against Beaver Local. So listen to the old baseball song and, "take me out to the ballgame... and root for the home team."

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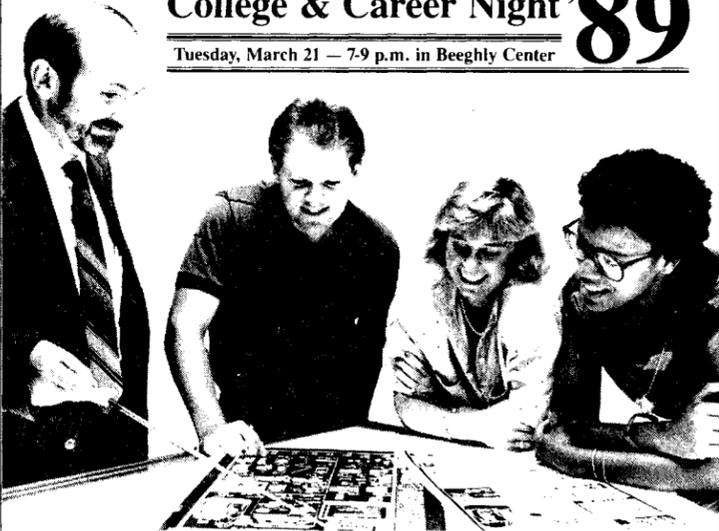
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