

For the first time since 1959, Salem has a team which qualified for state competition. The team is not that of a glamorized sport such as football or basketball — it is that of cross-country. This time they've taken it to the line.

Besides the obvious physical ability, one would wonder what the secret of the cross-country teams' success is. Coach Parks believes contributing factors are, "hard work, great attitudes, and the fact that they set goals early and worked toward them." The team's motivation technique consists of each runner setting his own goal; emphasis lies greatly on doing one's very best and being satisfied with it. Both teams have done exceptionally well this year.

The boys' team finished with a fine record of 28-3. They were County, MVC, and District champs. They also qualified for regionals and missed state competition by a mere 8 points, a first ever for boys' crosscountry in Salem. The boys' team achieved their goal to be County champs. Members receiving their letter this year are Joe Hovorka, Dan Johnson, and Dave Reed, who, despite an injury in early season, ran in the last home meet; he, too, is taking it to the line. Reed and seniors Jason Dowd and Todd Fowler, showed much leadership this season and helped make their team a success.

The girls' team was also a great success. They finished with a record of 16-0 and collected the title of champions at the Malone, Boardman, and Sim Earich Invitationals; they were named County, MVC, and District champs. They earned third place at regionals, qualifying them for the state meet ---a goal for which they have worked long and hard. Upon the announcement of their placement at regionals, they all screamed and cried; their dedication had taken them to the line. Junior Jill Browne commented, "We felt like we finally received the recognition we deserve. We felt really happy and proud." Coach Parks stated, "The team is

#### By Krista Blankenship

proud to represent Salem High and Salem." Upon their return from regionals, they received a police escort to the high school where fans cheered for them. They were ecstatic they were state-bound. At the state meet, the girls' team took fourth place overall out of 16 teams. Bill Sherwood, the boys' top runner, placed 62 out of 150; Michele Ganslein, 108; Jill Browne, 97; Shawn-Marie Adams, 89; Jennifer Jo Rice, 76; Tricia Wilms, 64; Maureen Kaine, 33; Theresa Kaine, 5. Traci Wright was an alternate and attended the meet. Although all the runners had their best timings at state, Theresa Kaine also set a new school record, a time of 19:12. On a personal record, Jennifer Jo Rice, Traci Wright, Ronda Williams, and Angie Pierce are receiving their letter in cross-country.

The cross-country teams wish to thank the administration, faculty, cheerleaders, students, and fans for their support.

The Quaker staff extends a warm congratulations to the cross-country teams who took it to the line.



#### State Bound Cross Country Team

(L-R) - Maureen Kain, Shawn-Marie Adams, Jill Browne, Michelle Ganslein, Jennifer Rice, Tricia Wilms, Theresa Kain, Traci Wright, Bill Sherwood

# Club Activity Update 1989-90

Academic Challenge Advisor: Mrs. Esposito

Academic Challenge meets every Thursday after school in room 177. Tryouts for the television program of Academic Challenge was Nov. 16. New members are welcome to come.

#### TACT

Advisor: Mrs. Cozza TACT members enjoyed a Halloween party, recently, and more parties are scheduled for Nov. 19 and the Christmas party on Dec. 22. New members are encouraged to attend.

#### Chess Club

Advisor: Mr. Sabo The next Chess Club meeting will be Nov. 28 and every other Tuesday thereafter. There will be a "Chess War" to determine the best chess player of the school and plans to play other schools are now being discussed. Donations of old chess boards are welcome and beginners are encouraged to play.

#### Key Club

Advisor: Mr. Washinko The Key Club has just

German Club Advisor: Mrs. Reed

Club members will be making a Thanksgiving basket for a needy family and will watch slides of their trip to Germany they took over last spring break. They will also sing Germany Christmas carols to German senior citizens.

#### Spanish Club

Advisor: Mr. Monteleone They will listen to a speaker in November. Later on in the year, they plan a trip to a Mexican restaurant.

#### Citizen Bee

Advisor: Mrs. Schwartz

The Citizen Bee will be attending a competition in March and the state finals in April. Practices are held every Wednesday, after school, and anyone interested in participating should see Mrs. Schwartz.

#### Science Club

Advisor: Mr. Barbuto

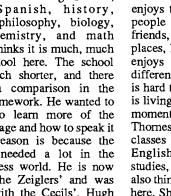
The next meeting for Science Club is Dec. 5 and every other Tuesday after that. They are discussing their projects for a

Science Fair and eventually go

# **Exchange** Students

#### By Shane Morrison

There are exchange students attending Salem this year. The first is Hugues Brunet from Bordeaux, France. He is taking his senior year for the second time. In France, last year Hugh was a senior; he took many classes including French, English, Spanish, history, geography, philosophy, biology, physics, chemistry, and math courses. He thinks it is much, much easier in school here. The school days are much shorter, and there isn't even a comparison in the amount of homework. He wanted to come here to learn more of the English language and how to speak it better. The reason is because the language is needed a lot in the French business world. He is now living with the Zeiglers' and was also living with the Cecils'. Hugh likes to play tennis, visit friends, go to the movies, and have parties. He thinks that the students are hard to make friends with, but he is very willing. Hugh will be here the remainder of the school year. After that he will return to France to go to college 4 to 8 years as a business



Salem, in particular. She comes from a big city, one of the biggest in the world, and she doesn't like small cities. She says there is nothing to do in a small town like Salem. She enjoys the school and she likes the people here. She likes to visit friends, and go out to all-night places, like she did back home. She enjoys the food here. "It is very different from food back home and it is hard to compare it," she said. She is living with Bruce Williams at this moment and was living with the Thomes. In Brazil some of the classes she took were Portuguese, English, P.E., sciences, social

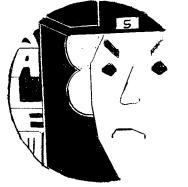
Christina is a Junior. She says that

she likes the U.S. a lot, but not really

studies, and math of all kinds. She also thinks that school is much easier here. She enjoys being here but will be returning to Brazil in December.

Let's wish both of the exchange students good luck in their stay in the U.S. and after they return home. While they are here, let's show them that they are welcome.

Profiles of Anna Christensen, of Denmark, and Gerhard Kraus, of Germany, will be in the next issue of



## New School Logo? By Rich Berg

Late last year, Salem School Board officials decided that they needed a logo to appear on a lapel pin to be worn by students, parents, and community. The idea of a lapel pin was brought about by people resenting "Quaker Sam", our school mascot; due to extraordinary features. "The pin is not rivaling 'Sam' but is a symbol of Salem Schools in general." says Charles McShane, principal; "I feel that the pin must be a symbol that people

## would be proud of wearing."

major.

Second is Christina Alvim; she is here from Sao Paulo, Brazil,

> Club" Night

The Quaker.

#### By Michele Kaminski

As you known McDonalds is no longer the "hangout" for teenagers. For a while now high school students have had no place to "go". The cops at McDonalds are impossible to get along with so where does that leave us? Adults, no matter where you go complain about kids just being kids. Obviously they don't remember when they were young. Some of the things they did to entertain themselves shouldn't even be compared to what we do. When people do not give us things to do or places to go, then we have to make do with what we have. Besides the movies and McDonalds, where else is there to go in Salem? Maybe if the theater would get a variety of movies and change them every week, instead of leaving them here for a

month at a time, more kids would go to the movies and therefore keep them out of McDonalds.

A survey was done to see what kids thought about a "night club" being put in Salem and if they thought it would actually happen. Scott Hasson — It's a good idea

but adults will not go for it.

Kerri Cranmer — It's a great idea but I don't think it will happen. Julie Hippely — It would be a nice alternative to the usual weekends in Salem, although it will never happen; they want to keep us bored. Debbie Roush — It would be a lot better than doing the Salem "500" all night.

Krista Blankenship — It'd be a fun time but I doubt its possibility immensely.

The Salem School Board, and the Quaker would like you, the reader, to participate in a contest, to devise the new logo to appear on the lapel pin. Entries must be turned into Room 179, no later than Friday, December 1st. You must use complimentary Salem colors, Red and Black; you may also use white.

"The Quaker" staff would like to extend congratulations to Coach Conser and the volleyball team for their exceptional accomplishments. Also, congratulations to the Junior Varsity squad who finished the season with a final record of 16-6.

finished its Haunted House, Quaker Oats parade projects and the peer tutoring sessions are now in operation. Over the Christmas Season, the Key Club members will sing Christmas carols. AFS

Advisor: Mrs. Breckenridge

The American Field Service

will be very busy in the months

to come. There will be a bonfire Nov. 18, and the Christmas Party will be Dec. 9. The

German Club will join them on

a ski trip and plans for a hockey

Pep Club

Spirit activities and goody

bags will be given to the players

of winter sports, such as

**S.T.O.P.** 

Advisor: Mr. Washinko

S.T.O.P. members enjoyed a

hay ride recently and are

underway with peer counseling.

game are being discussed.

Advisor: Miss Carmello

basketball and wrestling.

on to the Science Olympiad. They are planning a field trip to the Scenic Vista Park observatory. New members are encouraged to attend.

#### **Biology Olympics**

Advisor: Mrs. May Members of Biology Olympics are practicing for several competitions. The subjects are Ecology, Biology Charades, Taxonomy, and the Science Olympics. Anyone interested in participating should see Mrs. May.

#### Year Book

Advisor: Mrs. Hayes

Seniors are reminded to turn in their information sheets to the box in the office. If you lost your sheet, blank ones are available in the office. Anyone with activity pictures or special events they would like to have in the yearbook should contact Mrs. Hays.



# "Not everyone is cut out for the Military"

There are many roads that a graduate can take, but there are basically only three, the first being college, then there are people who jump in with both feet and begin work immediately, and finally the military.

The best way that one could come to a conclusion is to have all the facts. College and immediately working are both pretty selfexplanatory, while it is the military that most people are unsure about. Everybody knows that there are five basic military groups, The Army, The Navy, The Air Force, The Marines, and The Coast Guard, but what a lot of people don't know are the facts. Many people think that the only way to get information is through the recruiters, and that the recruiters are basically "full of it." From talking to many people who are going to join or are already in, I basically got the same answer that the recruiters use a lot of propaganda, and will tell you what you want to hear, but also try to help you and don't just flat out lie to you despite what many people think. Nobody feels that you should go into the recruiters office with the attitude of "where do I sign?"

Out of the five basic choices there are advantages and disadvantages alike. The Army has a huge selection of jobs, there is basically a job for everyone. The disadvantage is that you are always out camping and unlike the Navy you carry your home often on your backpack. The Navy is a great choice if you like the open sea, and enjoy visiting new and exciting places often. The main disadvantage is that if you are a male, there are often no girls on board, and you can be out to sea for months at a time. The Air Force is obviously the right choice if you have a strong desire to fly, or perhaps do not want to put up with all of the spit and polish that the other branches thrive on. The main

### Quaker's Proposal on Student Expression

We, the staff of "the Quaker," in order to promote quality reading material through the use of free speech and opinion, do hereby abide by and take protection under the ideals and principles of the First Amendment, the Constitution, and other various court rulings. It is our duty to keep our readers currently informed of

school activities. We are also obligated to avoid any form of libel, obscenity, invasion of privacy, and any subject which may By Jeff Cecil

drawback to this branch is that you would not see as much action as in the other branches; it is the least gung-ho.

The Marines is a subdivision of the Navy. The Marines can be placed by the president as he sees fit, he needs nobody's consent. The Marines are the first to go in a fight, always up on the front line. The main disadvantages are that you do go first and that you have to put up with the most spit and polish in your everyday life. The last of the five is the Coast Guard. The Coast Guard is more oriented to fighting smugglers and defending our coast. Like the Navy you spend much time at sea along with those disadvantages. In the Coast Guard you don't spend nearly as much time in the open sea.

If you don't want to serve full time maybe you would be interested in the reserves. The reserves is divided up into three subdivisions, active duty, inactive duty, and standby

duty. Active duty means that you are in the militia serving with the regular troops, you are stationed in barracks and lead a normal military life. Inactive duty means that you basically can only be called to active duty in the event of a national disaster. Standby duty means that you serve a weekend every month and about two weeks straight a year. All of the reserves are controlled by the federal government.

Another choice that can be made is the National Guard. The National Guard serves under the state governor, and basically serves as he sees fit. They can be federalized and brought into active duty by the president in the event of an emergency.

There is a lot of additional information that can be obtained from the recruiters offices downtown on State Street, if you have any further questions, they would be more than happy to help.

DEAR ARCHIBALD

#### Dear Archibald:

I've had the same best friend for years. Lately, when she's with a group of people she doesn't know I exist or she even talks about me. Is she a true friend or is she just using me when nobody else is around? Signed: Feeling Used

#### Dear Feeling Used:

Sounds like your best friend forgot what friendship is all about! Talk to your (best friend) and tell her how you're feeling. Since you have been friends for so long it's hard to believe she's "using" you as a second-pal. Maybe she's just upset with you and doesn't want to talk about it with you zight now but, don't worry, time heals all wounds.

#### Dear Archibald:

It seems the guys especially drink on weekends. Do they drink to try to prove that they're cool or stupid? I don't see any point in it, especially when the party is over, and they drive home drunk; that's the dumbest thing you can do! I know that they would agree, but they have too much so called "pride" to admit that they had too much to drink and they always say, "I only had a few beers, I'll be O.K." But there's always that chance of getting into an accident. What could be done to try to stop drinking and driving?

Signed: Worried

#### Dear Worried:

They drink probably because everybody else does and they probably want to fit in. So tell the guys and the girls if they have to drink, don't drive home drunk. Call somebody to tell them to come and pick you up or have a designated driver for the night, so that the people in the car will have a better chance of getting home alive, and hopefully it will all work out in the end.

> SO PLEASE DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE!

# **Giving Blood**

#### By Keith Graham

Giving blood is truly an extraordinary experience. A total of eighty students gave blood. They helped contribute to the 333 pints of blood given. The Red Cross said this is one of the biggest turnouts in a long time. Several of the students who gave for their first time were scared. The biggest reason for being scared is the stories told from other students who had already given blood. Many of the students who gave for their first time said they would do it again. One senior said she would probably not give again. Another senior stated, "It wasn't bad at all. Plus, there was free pizza in the end." As you can see, giving blood is not really bad at all unless you get sick from the sight of it. So in the future if you're able to give blood, please give. You never know, you could save someone's life. The Quaker staff would like to thank all the students who participated in the blood drive.



Salem Volleyball team warms up before a match

# Will Salem be getting a high school girls' softball team?

By Vanessa Sicilia

Salem High School might be gaining a girls' softball school team. Many girls of all ages play softball in the summer or in the fall. The softball leagues at Memorial Park consist of age groups 8-9 years old, 10-12 years old, and 13-16 years old. There is also a women's fall league team that starts after the summer league. There are even many high schools with a school softball team. Area schools include the following: Beaver Local (just approved for the 1989-90 school year), Boardman, Carrollton, Columbiana, East Liverpool, Jackson Milton, Liberty, Lisbon, McDonald, Mineral Ridge, Sebring, South Range, Springfield, West Branch, All ICL (Inter-County League) schools, except Lowellville.

MVC schools include: Canfield, Girard, J.F.K., Poland, Struthers. All MVC schools, except Salem and Campbell (under advisement for

inclusion this year).

Pep assemblies have been around

for many years, basically for the soul

purpose of cheering on your team.

These assemblies were a time for the

students to get together and pay

tribute to the different teams and

But since those past years,

Salem's school spirit has undergone

a drastic change. Students have lost

that spirit of old and now regard

assemblies as just another chance to

get out of class. The fault is not just

their players.

All of these schools have girls' fastpitch softball programs. Salem high school girls have asked time and time again why there was never a fastpitch softball program here. More information will be given when the Board of Education meets. A discussion of Salem gaining a girls' fastpitch school team will be held then.

The questions is why didn't Salem ever have a girls' high school softball team? Most girls would love to see our school gain one. The girls' sports consist only of different games. There is girls' basketball, soccer, track, cross-country, volleyball, and tennis. The boys have 10 different sports such as boys' basketball, golf, soccer, wrestling, tennis, football, baseball, track, cross-country, and volleyball. Adding a girls' softball team would be an excellent opportunity for many of our high school girls.

# **Pep Assemblies: Declining School Spirit**

#### By Matt Schramm

George Bigham - let Mr. Headland speak.

Anika Pierce - more crowd participation, have players talk more often.

Doug Falk - make everyone stand up and cheer, and given them blow horns.

Steve Bedell — shoot fireworks. Dave Clunk — blow fog horns. Michelle Ganslein — run through

the gym naked. Mr. Krcelic — do not have them.

cause a disruption in the community or in the normal routine of the school day.

If at any time felt appropriate, the principal can reserve the right to edit or censor any material that he considers in any way to be inappropriate for publication.

Since "the Quaker" is a student forum, we encourage from our readers any feedback in the form of essays, letters, etc.

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Нарру Thanksgiving



with the students. At a pe mbly everyone should be excited and there should be a lot of noise, yet the teachers tell you to remain calm and keep quiet. In the few assemblies we have had this year, the high points have been rubber bouncing balls and toilet paper. The students were punished for this. Toilet paper isn't going to hurt anybody; it actually livened the place up from the deadbeat pace that is was at.

I overheard some teachers saying that someone would be hurt by the flying toilet paper. For those teachers who feel this way, I weighed a roll of toilet paper; it was too light and would not record a weight on the scale. I do not want to do a full report on toilet paper, but to prove that it is not just the student body's fault that no one has fun at assemblies.

Salem's school spirit is fading, what can we do to revive it? This is what some students and faculty felt. Rob Roberts - have more winning teams.

Matt Kilgore — have a working audio system.

### New Staff Members **Enjoy Salem**

#### By Shane Morrison

There are 4 new staff member this year at the Salem High School. Mrs. Hayes teaches math courses and Mr. Barbuto teaches science Mrs. Nordquest teaches vocational home economics; she used to be a substitute teacher for West Branch and United high schools. She says that she enjoys the full-time position much better. Last, but not least, Mrs. Wilms was hired as a study hall monitor in the cafeteria. She also works in the office during lunch C. She got this job to allow the teachers time in the computer lab. She worked at Reilly School for 10 years before coming here.

Overall the teachers like Salem, and they say that the students here are very well behaved.

Let's enjoy our new teachers and give them a big welcome.

# Steroids: The Real Truth By Jason Scott

Teenage steroid use and abuse is a major problem in the United States. Of high school males in the U.S., 6% use steroids. Most of those males started when they were in junior

high. Dr. Hadcock recently spoke to some of the athletes of Salem about steroids. He gave them a basic idea of how they affect the body and how they damage it. He talked about anabolic steroids and growth hormone.

Anabolic steroids were first introduced in the U.S. in the form of Dianabol. Anabolic steroids are a form of testosterone that makes you bigger, faster, and stronger. Anabolic steroids only have a 10-15% increase of strength in a 1 year's time of hard workout. They make women men, with an increase of hair, acne, and muscle build. Long-term affects of steroid use are heart attacks, breast muscle increase, and cancer of the kidney, liver, and other organs.

Growth hormone is much stronger than anabolic steroids and costs about \$1,200 a week to use. Growth hormone deteriorates the brain and causes disease of the brain. It has been proven that without steroids, you can't gain more than 18 pounds of muscle strength in a year. Some things that a parent should look for are fluctuating rage and behavior, gaining muscle fast, baldness, facial hair increase, acne on arms and shoulders, deapening in the voice, sudden change in friends, and unexplained money loss.

The average steroid user suffers more injuries than the non-user. They are more likely to become professional athletes. They go on to earn more money and like college less. They graduate at about the same rate as others and they don't like to

go out as often at night. Of college athletes saying they've used steroids for sports, 9% say they've used them for football, 4% used them for basketball, tennis, and track and field, and 3% say they've used them for baseball. In women's sports only 1% admitted using them for swimming and diving.

Of those who admit using steroids, 25% say they got the drug from an outside physician. Only 22% say they got the drug from teammates, friends, or relatives. A small 5% say they got them from coaches or trainers, and team physicians. And a surprising 2% say they got them from pro scouts or agents.

An anabolic steroid user survey showed that out of 3,403 students, 226 (6.6%) used steroids. Improving athletic performance was the major reason for using them (47%). But a surprising 26.7% used them only to improve their appearance. Of the students surveyed, one-third said they began using steroids at the age of 16; and 38% reported starting at the age of 15. Doctors fear that early use of steroids can produce a premature stop in growth, and might permanently affect the fertility of males. Nearly half reported using more than one form of steroid and 38% said they used injectable steroids. More than 60% said they received steroids through the Black Market.

Although people still continue to use steroids for the short-term affects such as making them bigger, faster, and stronger. The choice should be obvious seeing the affects of longterm can be much worse such as heart attacks, breast muscle increase, and disease of the liver, kidney, and other organs.

#### Mystery The

#### By Shane Morrison

What's huge, has 4 wheels, is red, has a couple of ripped up seats, weighs approximately 5 tons, dumps things out, and likes to hide outside Mr. Ladner's window? Well whatever it was, it was hiding out there since school began and it has just recently left, about 2 weeks ago. It left us with memories though, it left us tread marks 3-ft. deep. It caught our attention everyday, but now it's gone! Where did it go? What's it doing right now? We sure do miss it, it will never be the same without 'old red'. We will probably never see it again, and to those of us who had the wonderful opportunity to see it, we are grateful. Now that you are in suspense, I'll tell you what

it was. It was a truck that was used to roof the school this year. They seemed to forget about it because it was left outside for about 9 weeks after they had finished the job, cleaned up, and left. Where the truck is now nobody knows. Why it was left here so long is also a question. Nobody really knows much about it. When Mr. Rabell was asked about it, he also knew nothing. It had many others stunned also. The truck now has vanished and if anyone has heard anything or if anyone sees 'old red', please contact Mr. Ladner in his classroom because his memories still linger in his mind. He and all of his students just have one question. Is he

#### alright? TACT Halloween Party By Heather Dye

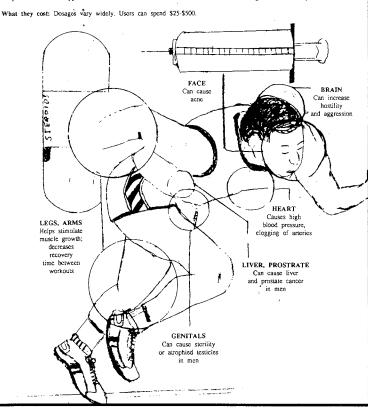
Halloween party was held at Huffmans farm. A variety of

On October 29 the annual TACT music while the others danced around the barn.

I talked to Mrs. Cozza and many of the students that attended the party. Everyone had practically the same thing to say about this years

#### More on Steroids

How they are obtains: Legally, by prescription only; Mexico is a major black market source. Why research is skimpy: Testers consider it unethical to administer steroids in the high doses taken by some athletes.



# Student Council

#### By Jay Calderhead

Getting off to a good start this year, the student council has been responsible for many worthwhile events this year in order to raise funds and provide for charity. The carnation sale on Sweetest Day turned out to be a successful fundraiser, as was hoped. Also, the recently held and moderately attended powder-puff football game, which the junior girls won, proved to be a humorous exhibition of the dexterity of female football players at their finest and the petiteness of aspiring male cheerleaders. Even though a game was planned for last year, this year was the first year such an event has occurred. Hopefully, this type of football game will become an annual occurrence. All of the money raised at the game will be sent to the Red Cross Disaster Fund

to help the victims of the California quake.

The student council has also done nice things for teachers. During teacher conferences, the student council provided crackers and cheese as refreshments for the teachers and parents. In addition, trick-or-treat bags were prepared and delivered to all teachers on the day of Halloween for teacher appreciation.

So far student council hasn't made many future plans, but they are working on it. In the meanwhile, they have planned to make Thanksgiving baskets and donate them to the needy.

NOTE - KEY CLUB IS RESPONSIBLE FOR BROWNS AND STEELERS DANCE NOT STUDENT COUNCIL.

# Girls' Game A Success

#### By Kim Morrison

The junior girls rolled past the senior girls 12-6 in a Powder Puff football game. Sharla Brown ran for both junior touchdowns. Michele Ganslein scored for the losers.

The game featured girl players and male cheerleaders. The cheerleaders consisted of: Terry Beall, Andy Brothers, Brian Hadcock, Scott Hasson, John Shedowsky, Buck Paulini and Jason Board for the juniors. The senior cheerleaders were: Dave Reed, Jeff Omslaer, Kirk Mager, Mark Burrier, Matt Milazzo, and Price Daniells. The junior players were: Anika Pierce, Sharla Brown, Krista Bakondy, Jill Browne, Ronda Williams, Laci Reed, Karena Apicella, Debbie Roush, Darby DeJane, Julie Hippely, Charity Capel, Wendy Phillips, Kerri Cranmer, Darby Jeffries, Kim Deluce, Melanie Ballentine, and Shawn-Marie Adams.

added, "Other schools in the area play and they make a lot of money." Anika Pierce stated, "I hope we

can make it a Quaker tradition!" The junior class showed a lot of

pep during the days preceding the game. Signs were made and posted before the game stating, "Juniors Will Dominate!" WE DID!!!!!!!!

### Have You Heard

#### By Michele Kaminski

This issue of the Quaker would like to introduce a new column, HAVE YOU HEARD. The purpose for this column is to print something about someone as a JOKE. If the Quaker staff decides to keep this column and you would like to have something printed in the next issue, place your idea is Mr. Ladner's mailbox.

HAVE YOU HEARD:

1. Brian Julian's real name is "Chuck"

2. Debbie Roush doesn't know what a lawn mower is.

3. Mr. Viencek is really Chinese and speaks the language fluently. 4. Bill Faith is obsessed with razor blades.

5. Some of the Junior girls have a new band called the "Trash Queens".

6. Anika Pierce is a real "Brute". 7. Allyson Kilmer entertains herself by making noises during the

Awards Assembly. 8. Krista Bakondy doesn't know who "Puff the Magic Dragon" is.

9. Mr. Ross has been threatening his gym students with violence. 10. Senior and Junior girls

become enemies when playing football.

11. Allan Stokes does a great imitation of Mr. Ladner.

12. Jason Herron, Jeff Cecil and Matt Schramm like playing with toys in journalism.

13. Senior guys make excellent cheerleaders.

14. Kim DeLuce and Matt Cope have fun at parties.

15. Rich Berg takes video tapes to Julie Hippelys!?!

# Class Update

#### By Hugh Brunet

The following is an update of what the Seniors, Juniors, Sophomores, and Freshmen classes are doing.

SENIORS: No report given at this time.

JUNIORS: The juniors last month had a Halloween dance on the 27th of October which raised money for prom, but new ideas for fundraising were discussed.

SOPHOMORES: The Sophomore class is not doing much at this point but they are planning some fundraisers. They are working at the concession stand during some basketball games. They hope to raise plenty of money to have a great prom their Junior year.

FRESHMEN: No report given at this time.

group Milli Vanilli were seen going through the giant hay maze and taking hay rides through the field.

costumes ranging from a brightly

colored clown to the popular singing

Prizes were given for the best costume, and games such as carving pumpkins and breaking open a pinata were played in the barn. Everyone enjoyed roasting marshmallows and hot dogs by the bon fire and eating carmel apples. One of the TACT members provided

party and that was, "We had a really good time!"

The TACT members would like to thank the Huffmans for the use of their farm, it was greatly appreciated. Thanks also go out to Mr. and Mrs. Cozza and all students who made this year's party a huge success.

#### Update I.O.E. Class By Kim Morrison

Congratulations to the recently elected officers of the I.O.E. department. C.B.E. officers are President, Chris Brady; Vice President, Karen Worrell; Secretary, Chrystal McCon; Treasurer, Beth Rance. The Senior administrative secretary officers are President, Angel Jennings; Vice President, Joyce Fitzpatrick; Secretary, Nici Simmons; Treasurer, Kathi Borrelli.

Junior administrative secretary officers are President, Belinda Shenkel; Vice President, Dorothy Bloor; Secretary, Amy Vannoy; Treasurer, Becky Crouse.

Earlier last month the I.O.E.

students sold Christmas family treats to raise money for new books and other expenses of the I.O.E. department. The I.O.E. students and teachers have realized the needy families shouldn't go without a Thanksgiving dinner this year. To prevent this sadness the I.O.E. students are bringing in canned goods, and money to buy a turkey(s) to make a basket(s) for the needy. This can really help needy families with having a happy Thanksgiving as every family should have.

The junior coaches consisted of: Mr. Ricker, Mr. Ladner, Matt Alix, Sam Augusta, Jason Austin, and George Bigham.

The senior players were: Heather Dye, Heather Cranmer, Bridget Roelen, Lisa Herron, Justine Morain, Renee Nollier, Michele Ganslein, Becky Andres, Jenny Pshsniak, Tracy Tetlow, Gert Wilms, Betsy Theiss, and Brandi Hephner.

The senior coaches consisted of: Mr. Menough, Lance Miller, and Allan Stokes.

Bridget Roelen said, "We tried to play the game last year, but it fell through at the last minute." She also



# Salem Students Dominate Contest

#### By Jason Herron

A logo for the Lake-to-River Science Association, designed by Salem High School student, Terra Baquer was selected as the best from over 200 entries in a contest involving schools from Columbiana, Mahoning, Trumbull, and Ashtabula counties. Salem students, Reuben Jones and Allan Stokes got second and third, respectively. All of the students are members of the art class conducted by Ms. Yereb, whom submitted the entries. Terra was presented with a \$100 savings bond for her winning entry at Mr. Anthony's in Boardman. Terra was really excited with the results and is now embarking on a new contest for the Dow Chemical Company. She is making a drawing to show how the world is changing.



# Football Wrap-Up

#### By Jill Browne

The Salem Senior High football team ended its fine season after losing to Girard at home. Coach Kunar commented, "Even though we lost, it was how the game was played; there was a lot of good effort." Kunar went on to say that this was one of their better games all year. Even the Girard coach praised the team on playing extremely well and saying that Salem had many talented, skilled athletes.

In talking with Mr. Kunar, I asked what some of the main preparations for a game were. Listed first was the scouting of the other teams practices and watching films of the other teams' games. Finally after deciding what to do they plan out the offense and defense positions and present them to the team, making necessary changes.

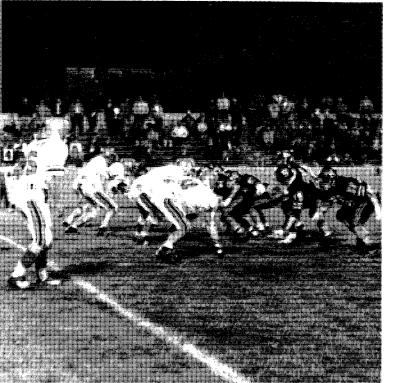
The team depends on many strengths to make it through the long, grueling season. These strengths include the willingness to learn, which is much needed to memorize all the plays in just one single game. A good attitude, meaning the ability to accept their losses and not get over confident. And an extremely good work ethic that started clear back in

January. Even with many strengths everyone has weaknesses. The main one was their overall goals. Kunar stated that "Our team needs to control the game defensively and the offense needs more consistency. We also need to be more consistent in scoring."

In looking back, Kunar said that their best game was the win against Western Reserve Academy 22-20. The overall season record was 3-7.

The team was led with great Senior leadership from their two team captains, Lance Miller and Chris White. Miller won the award of Outstanding Defensive Back along with Matt Stamp. Miller also won the academic award and was selected 2nd team MVC defense. White led the team with winning the Outstanding Defensive Lineman, Most Valuable Player, and also being selected on the MVC 2nd team defense.

Mr. Ricker and Mr. Kunar agree that this was a most enjoyable year for them in saying that they really had a nice group of kids who were attentive, willing to learn and who worked hard.



Salem offense moves in for a score, against Girard

# Pinning To Win

#### By Larry Zagotti

There are two things that mark any sports team: success and determination. That's what this year's Salem High wrestling team is out for.

Coach Daily says this year's team has a new sense of dedication. This sense of dedication shows up in the wrestlers. Junior Jeff Cecil says, "I think we will have an excellent team this year."

Plus there are a number of other factors that could bring more success this year. Coming off a not-sosuccessful season last year brings a sense of improvement and wanting to improve. Several returning lettermen are sophomores Rick Lobdell and Chris Chappell; juniors Dave Sanders, Matt Kilgore, Jeff Cecil, Jeff Graybeal, and Mike Nery; and senior Shane Carr. Three of the four seniors on this year's team are new. They are Brian Pirone, Dave Utz, and Jason Scott. Scott is a transfer from Georgia.

The overall strengths of this team is the experience of the returning wrestlers and the dedication of the



whole team. The experience can help reduce the mistakes players might make. Then again, dedication may be a weakness. It depends on the individual, how hard he wants to wrestle and how bad he wants to win.

The competition for the Quakers this year will be tough. The Eastern Ohio Wrestling League has plenty of competition. The Quaker's toughest opponents, Coach Dailey feels, will be Marlington, their first match, and Ravenna. He feels that both of these teams have the experience and talent, but not the depth. Whoever can escape injuries this year and has the determination to win. "No one in the league is really great, so we really stand a good chance of winning." This year's team is dedicated and determined enough to win, especially in the EOWL. There is also a league tournament in February to showcase some good wrestling talent.

#### A Look Ahead To A Great Season By Rene Nollier

The players and Coach Spack are looking for a good season. The team lost six valuable seniors from last year. The only returning varsity player is Lance Miller. I asked Coach Spack what his main goals were for the season. Coach Spack said, "My main goal is to win the Mahoning Valley championship title. I think a lot rests on the leadership of the seniors setting an example for the younger players." All the seniors feel they should have a good season. Lance Miller stated, "We're inexperienced but we have a lot of ability and good attitudes." Mark Burrier stated, "I'm really looking forward to this year. We'll have a good time and a good season especially with Dave Reed and his three point supremacy." Dave Reed said, "This season should be very exciting, everyone has a great attitude and Mark lights it up." Shawn Binsley points out, "I think we'll have a lot of talent and all we have to do is put it together to win." Charlie Honeywell claims, "We have a good chance of having a better season than last year. It's going to be an exciting year and the fans are going to see plenty of action.' The team and Coach Spack hopes for a good show of team spirit at all their games. I like to wish Coach Spack and the players a lot of luck on a great season.

### Freshman **Finish Strong**

#### By Jill Browne

The freshman football team show a lot of potential for the upcoming years in high school football. They ended their season at 3-4.

Their best game was against Poland in which they won 26-14. When talking with Coach R. B. Mehno he commented that the team had a lot of positive strengths in which help their season a long. Their unity, team spirit, confidence and athletic ability will definitely carry them along way.

The only weakness that Mehno comically stated was "they're not real big, not real strong but they make up for it with their lack of quickness."

Here is a submission of a speech that together the team and Coach Mehno wrote.

These are the Salem freshman football players, but more importantly this is the 1990, 1991, and 1992 Salem High Varsity team. In Salem, so legend has it, young athletes have ambitions. Fans have dreams but this season both have nightmares. Well these young men, along with the nucleus of this year's varsity team will create nightmares for many fall nights in upcoming years. These young men have worked hard all year long. It is a group of characters who process a whole lot of character. The one common factor about these young men is that the halls of this institution of higher learning as well as the streets of this fine community are better places because these young men have graced them with their presence, positive attitude, discipline, and determination.

Thanks R. B., that was very touching.

The team also wanted me to thank R. B. Mehno for being a great coach, teacher and FRIEND. Yeah R.B., me too!

### The Salem Soccer **Team Improves**

#### By Julie Hippely

The Salem soccer team improved this season by four games. Compared to their single win last year, they seem to be getting better with each year. This year their record was 5-12-1, with the hardest team played being Canfield. The soccer team was also invited to tournaments against Canton McKinley. Although they lost, they had an overall better record than in years past.

Next year the team will be without four seniors. They are: Travis Zeigler, Price Daniels, Kirk Mager, and Joe McGrath. The remaining players have high expectations for the future, and we would like to wish them the best of luck!

### Varsity Volleyball Concludes Season By Shawn Hoefler

The Salem Senior High girls' Varsity volleyball team has enjoyed another season of great success. With a regular season record of 19-3 and a final record of 22-4, the team tied the school record which was previously set by the 1987-1988 squad. This outstanding record gave the team their highest ever ranking of third in the state in AA competition. The three losses came from West Branch twice, and Jackson-Milton once. After the Jackson-Milton matches, Salem dropped to seventh in the state. It should be noted that West Branch

### Girls' **Basketball**

#### By Rene Nollier

The opening game for the girls' basketball team will be at Marlington on November 22. They have already scrimmaged against East Palestine, Alliance, Berlin Center Western Reserve, and West Branch. They will be scrimmaging Lisbon tomorrow. A preview of the Girls' Basketball will be in the next issue. The Quaker wishes a lot of luck to the players and Coach Zeigler on the beginning of their season.

and Jackson-Milton are also stateranked teams. The Quaker team traveled to Southeast High School to participate in district tournaments. The Quakers defeated competition such as

Streetsboro, Atwater Waterloo, and East Palestine before losing to Jackson-Milton. Key players in the sectionals were Amie Erath, Justine Morain, Sis Rosta, and Linda Stanley. The Quaker presented various questions to Varsity team members.

1. What was the most enjoyable victory, and what made it special?

Kim Manning: "The victory against Jackson-Milton, because they were no longer undefeated." 2. What did you learn from playing on the team?

Amie Erath: "I learned how to work together with others as a team. I also learned to respect the underclassmen on our team. They contributed their talents to help us to achieve a great season."

3. What has made the team so

successful in recent years? Bridget Roelen: "The team is successful because there is no fighting and everyone is a "team" and not individuals. That's the way a successful team makes it !!"

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Feb. 24	Alliance	Α	6:00

