

Attitude Towards School Education

by Kevin Wolford

High school students should know what is expected of them in high school because it will benefit them after graduation. The first thing that students should have is a positive attitude. In today's society, people are always seeing and hearing about what teenagers are doing. Whether you know it or not, people mainly adults, are always keeping an eye on teenagers to see how they act. They talk about how a person is good or nice and also how a person is mean or cruel towards a person.

At Salem High School many students do not have a positive attitude. Some students have a negative attitude to-

wards school because they think that school "stinks" and they can't stand the teachers or the people. If students have a problem with this they are more than welcome to come and talk to you with your problem with a counselor or a teacher. It is important that students have a positive attitude because after you graduate from high school or college you will have to find a good job to support yourself. The Ohio Council on Vocational Education recently commissioned a study that revealed what Ohio employers look for when hiring vocational graduates. The first quality that Ohio employers look for in job

applicants is whether the person has a positive work attitude. So, if students would start now in high school by having a positive attitude about school and keep that positive attitude after you graduate it will make you a better overall person and a better chance of getting a good job.

Another thing students should do is to control their habits. Habits are those practices we repeat until they become unconscious and almost compulsive

parts of our behavior. Every person has habits whether they are good or bad. Some habits help us live productive lives, while other habits hurt us. Many students here at the high school have good habits such as she or he does their homework, pays attention in class, gets to class on time, and doesn't cause any trouble in class. But, on the other hand, there are the students that have very bad habits. Student aren't prepared for class, they show up to class late, being disrespectful to the staff, being loud in the halls, and doesn't do their homework are all examples of a student who has very bad habits. For these bad habits that certain people do they have to pay the price for it. An example of this would be if a man has a job and shows up late to work over and over he is going to lose his job because of his bad habit of not being on time for work. So it is important to stop your bad habits quickly because it may hurt you later on in the future.

Therefore in conclusion, if students will keep and have a better positive attitude and work hard in school he or she will be a success in the future.

C.B.E. Students Dress for Success

As the students in C.B.E (Co-operative Business Education) strive for excellence in the modern business world, many suggestions are offered for success.

Recently, Lois Azzarello, a representative from Bradford School, set the focus on dressing for the career scene at a presentation for C.B.E students. The students were given many new ideas on how to utilize the most basic wardrobe items and a few accessories to create a new professional look. A simple scarf or belt can greatly enhance a dull outfit. Mixing and matching of various fabrics and prints was presented as the look of the 90's.

The presentation was very informative and was enjoyed by all.

Statewide Proficiency Testing

by Angie Sicilia

The establishment of a statewide proficiency testing program for high school students was provided by Substitute House Bill 231. It was passed in July of 1987. The tests are given at the ninth-grade and twelfth-grade proficiency level. The test covers reading, writing, mathematics, and citizenship to confirm the students' achievements. The test is given two times in the school year. Once before Christmas and then again after Spring Break. The tests will be one the criteria that determine the diploma awarded to the student at the end of his/her twelfth grade.

Ohio Proficiency Test Results Columbiana County - 9th Grade

School District	Number Tested	Number Passed	Percent Passed
Leetonia Ex. Village	64	35	55
Salem City	216	105	49
East Palestine	119	53	45
Crestview Local	82	37	45
United Local	113	46	41
Beaver Local	192	77	40
Lisbon Ex. Village	105	36	34
Wellsville City	93	32	34
Columbiana Ex. Village	81	27	33
East Liverpool City	251	57	23
Southern Local	90	18	20

"National Good Teen Day" Resolution introduced to Congress

Recently the Honorable James J. Traficant Jr., congressman from Youngstown introduced a resolution designating January 16, 1993 as "National Good Teen Day." The driving force behind "Good Teen Day" is Mr. Viencek, SHS English. Traficant, at the request of Mr. Viencek, was asked to be a spokesperson for the holiday. Below is a copy of the resolution introduced to Congress, as well as background material on "Good Teen Day."

Joint Resolution

Designating January 16, 1993, as "National Good Teen Day."

Whereas Salem City Schools in Salem, Ohio, have proclaimed January 16, 1992, as "Good Teen Day;"

Whereas there are more than twenty-four million teenagers in the United States according to the 1990 Census;

Whereas our Nation's teenagers represent an important part of our society, and the many physical and emotional changes and character-building experiences which teenagers go through are an important concern;

Whereas it is easy to stereotype teenagers as either those who have problems or those who excel;

Whereas teenagers should not simply be recognized for their intelligence, abilities, skills and talents, but rather for the good which is inherent in all human beings;

Whereas as unique individuals, teenagers are encouraged to esteem the good as well as the potential that is within each of them;

Whereas a day should be created to focus on the positive qualities in America's youth; and

Whereas teenagers are the future of this great country: Now, therefore, be it

- Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives
- of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- That January 16, 1993, is designated as "National Good Teen Day," and the President is authorized and requested
- to issue a proclamation calling on the people of the United States to observe such day by recognizing the teenagers
- of the United States and by participating in appropriate ceremonies and activities.

Congressional Record

NATIONAL GOOD TEEN DAY
HON. JAMES A. TRAFICANT, JR.
OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, February 5, 1992

Mr. Traficant. Mr. Speaker, I introduced legislation today designating January 16, 1993, as National Good Teen Day. I believe that a national day should be created to focus on the positive qualities in America's youth.

Salem City Schools, in my district, designated January 16, 1992, as Good Teen Day. The city of Salem, OH, as well as the Ohio House of Representatives have extended recognition to Salem City Schools for this important initiative. Good Teen Day festivities in Salem included a baseball card show and a candy sale.

The concept of Good Teen Day was created by Mr. Robert Viencek, instructor of English at Salem High School. He selected January 16 as Good Teen Day because Abraham Lincoln, the 16th President of the United States, was quoted as saying, "When you look for the good in man, you'll always find it." There were other reasons for choosing the 16th as the date to honor teens, according to Mr. Viencek. "Sixteen is a special year in the lives of teenagers. It is the age when many young people start to drive and start to work — it is the middle of the seven teen years - 13-19."

Mr. Speaker, our Nation's teenagers represent an important part of our society. The many physical and emotional changes and character-building experiences that teenagers go through are an important concern. It is often easy to stereotype teenagers as either those who have problems or those who excel. Teenagers should not simply be recognized for their intelligence, abilities, skills, and talents, but rather for the good which is important in all human beings.

Teenagers are the future of our great country. There are more than 24 million teenagers in the United States according to the 1990 census. Therefore, I believe that Mr. Viencek's idea should not be limited to one locality, but expanded to the national level. Mr. Speaker, I encourage my colleagues to join me in honoring the teens across America by cosponsoring National Good Teen Day.

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Salem, Ohio

Club Activity Update

Pep Club

Advisors: Miss Nespeca
President: Jan Penner
Vice President: Erin Funk
Secretary/Treasurer: Michelle Wolf

Activities: The club members are making the arrangements for the winter goody bags. The club holds their meetings biweekly. Recently the sponsored Sweetheart Dance.

National Honor Society

Advisors: Mr. and Mrs. Jeckavitch
Officers:
President: Mary Rottenborn
Vice President: Craig Belaney
Secretary: Robin Oberle
Treasurer: Heidi Auman
Activities: On March 11, they are having the induction for the new members. It will be held in the library and all staff are welcome to attend. Also, they will be helping student council with the Blood Bank on March 6.

SHS Environment Club

Advisors: Mr. Sabo
Officers:
President: Mindi Cyrus
Vice President: Heather Higgins
Secretary: Laura Farkas
Treasurer: Jenny Hyland
Activities: Picking up litter, planting flowers and plants, having a T-shirt sale, hopefully having a poster contest before Earth Day in April. Pass around petitions to get President Bush to attend the Earth Summit in June to cut back on carbon dioxide levels because of global warming. Also, look for our bulletin boards outside the office.

Spanish Club

Advisor: Mrs. Marhefka

Officers:
President: Jason Smith
Vice-President: Mike Bigham
Secretary: Marcy Tkatch
Treasurer: Heather Dugan
Activities: Are planning for future activities.

Key Club

Advisor: Mr. Washinko
Officers:
President: Jason Aldom
Vice-President: Darren Walker
Secretary: Traci Wright
Treasurer: Laura Farkas
Activities: They will be visiting a V.A. Hospital in Cleveland. They are also making plans for cleaning up the picnic tables in the pavilions at Centennial Park.

Interact

Advisor: Mrs. Hutson
Officers:
President: Ben Heineman
Vice-President: Lisa Olson
Secretary: Alicia Chuey
Treasurer: Diana Hutson
Activities: They are having another concession stand on March 14. They are also having an Easter Candy Sale, orders are being taken now. Plans are still being arranged for their spring trip to Columbus for the 500th Anniversary. All of the money raised from the fundraisers will go to the trip.

Academic Challenge

Advisor: Mrs. May
Activities: The group will be taping on March 29 for the television show. Also, they are currently practicing for the County Scholastic Bowl in March.

American Field Service AFS

Advisor: Mrs. Breckenridge
President: Becky Donnelly
Vice-President: Melissa McCrae

Secretary: Jaynie Crawford
Treasurer: Mrkanda Fitch
Activities: The group will be attending a hockey game on Feb. 29. No further plans have been made at this point.

Class of 1994

Advisor: Mrs. Wilms, Mrs. Yakubek
President: Ken Lee
Vice President: Julie Kornbau
Secretary: Jody Wirkner
Treasurer: Duke Dye
Activities: Having a concession stand at the District 3 tournament games here at the high school. Just had a parents meeting. Also, having a spring dinner dance on April 10.

Tact

Advisor: Mrs. Cozza
Activities: The March party will be a talent show. The TACT Olympics are being planned for April, and the big graduation party is scheduled for May. Students from the group will be going to speak to sixth graders at Prospect on Feb. 26

Yearbook

Advisor: Mrs. Tina Hays
Editor: Porsche Hite
Activities: The Yearbook staff have a deadline coming up, and they are taking candid photos all the time. They will be holding a concession stand during tournaments. Money is still being raised for the Senior Patron Page. Letters are being sent to parents concerning the Senior Then and Now section. The deadline for that is March 20. If anyone has a photo they would like to see appear in the yearbook, please take it to the yearbook room. Be sure to include your name, so that it can be returned to you.

Voices

Music: A Part Of Everyone's Lives

by Melissa McCrae

Music has been an influence in people's lives for centuries. The styles and reasons why people listen may vary; but the basic concepts behind music and how it originated stay the same with whatever type of music you choose to listen to.

THE BEGINNINGS

Let's take a minute and take a trip back in back in time to early Egypt where it seems it all began. Egyptian tombs were painted with pictures showing musicians playing instruments; also records indicate that music was developed in China as early as 3000 B.C.

EARLY RELIGIOUS AND SECULAR

Even though it may not seem like it music plays a role in religion. It may not be the kind of music that teenagers listen to on a day-to-day basis; but it does however play a part. The Bible contains the words to many Hebrew songs and mentions such musical instruments such as the harp, lyre, trumpet and cymbal. Hebrew chants sung in the temple foreshadowed early Christian songs. Among the Greeks the theory of music was highly developed. In the 6th century B. C. the mathematician

Pythagoras accurately determined the numerical relationships between strings that produced tones of different pitches. The Greeks selected and arranged the tones in scales called modes. Two of these Greek modes supplied the foundation for the music of the Western World. Choruses played an integral part in the ancient Greek dramas, sometimes singing as well as speaking. Poet-musicians competed at religious festivals. The amateur players would accompany their poems on the lyre and the virtuosos (one with great knowledge of fine arts; highly skilled musician, painter, etc.)

Era's In Music

Music throughout history can be divided into many different categories. Some of these categories include: The **Baroque Era** — this period of time ranges from about 1600 to 1750. Music like the architecture and painting of the time was majestic and designed on a grand scale. During this period of time many important developments took place; the first opera was made from a poem called 'Dafne' written by Ottavio Rinuccini. Some composer's from this time were Johann Sebastian Bach,

George Fredrick Handel. The **Classical Age** — this era come about around in the second half of the 18th century. Franz Joseph Haydn and Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart brought new and important expression to music with the birth of the Classical Age. The **Romantic Period** — this period of music was greatly influenced by the literature and painting of the time. The first composer to be called an impressionist and who had a great impact on the music of the 20th Century or the music of today was a Frenchman by the name of Claude Debussy. Debussy used a method of shifting harmonies, based on the whole-tone scale, to give it's listener's an impression rather than a clear visualization, of what they are hearing — as in his cycle of 'Nocturnes' for orchestra.

The music of today has come along way since the early days of ancient Egypt. Let's take a minute to take and see how music has changed throughout time. I decided to ask a few students here at Salem High School what types of music they listen to and how if at all their taste in music has changed throughout high school. The following are the questions and responses that I got from the students.

Preference in style of music:

Angie Bartalotti (12) — Rap.
Alicia Chuey (11) — Anything.
Nova Eichler (12) — Rap.
Michelle Hum (12) — Anything.
Lauri Johnson (9) — Rock and Country.
Nicole McLaughlin (12) — Anything from Heavy Metal to Classical. I love music in general.
Favorite Group and/or Singer:
Angie Bartalotti (12) — Boyz II Men.
Alicia Chuey (11) — Steel Heart/Firehouse.
Nova Eichler (12) — Garth Brooks.
Michelle Hum (12) — Marky Mark.
Lauri Johnson (9) — Metallica.
Nicole McLaughlin (12) — R.E.M., Kiss, Billy Joel, Etc.
Favorite Song:
Angie Bartalotti (12) — "ooh-ahh".
Alicia Chuey (11) — "Never let You Go" "Love of a Lifetime".
Nova Eichler (12) — "Friends In Low Places".
Michelle Hum (12) — "Fly To The Angels".
Lauri Johnson (9) — "Enter Sandman".
Nicole McLaughlin (12) — "The Rose".

Has the type of music you listen to changed throughout high school? If so, how?

Angie Bartalotti (12) — Yes I started listening to metal.
Alicia Chuey (11) — Yes I used to listen to just pop.
Nova Eichler (12) — No
Michelle Hum (12) — Yes I used to hate hard rock.
Lauri Johnson (9) — No.
Nicole McLaughlin (12) — Yes I used to like only rock music, but now I'll pretty much listen to anything.
Have your friends been a major influence on the type of music you listen to? If so, how?
Angie Bartalotti (12) — Yes, when I'm at their house they listen to metal so then I started listening to it
Alicia Chuey (11) — Yes, they listen to about anything.
Nova Eichler (12) — No some just don't like the music I listen to.
Michelle Hum (12) — Yes cause they all listen to it and they got me started.
Lauri Johnson (9) — No.
Nicole McLaughlin (12) — No.
So as you can see students as SHS have a wide variety of interests in the music they listen to.

The Rap Of It Entertainment of the "90's"

by Marcie Baker, RPB

The storming new wave of music in today's society is rap. It's making it's move and big isn't the word. In the late 70's rap made a peak into society with the first group the Sugar Hill Gang, it vanished for a while and then reappeared in the early 80's and it's been growing every since then. In the beginning rap didn't take off so hot, but it was something different, had a "snazzy" beat, and was great dance music so it caught on quite well.

In the past few years rap has taken a turn, some for the good and some for the bad. Today you can walk into National Record Mart and Camelot Music or just about any record store and pick up a Digital Underground album or Public Enemy album and find a small white box in the corner stating "Parental Advisory, Explicit Lyrics." The big question is should music like this be sold in stores or anywhere for that matter? People in today's society are very assumptive of their First Amendment rights, and these rappers like Luther Campbell of the 2 Live Crew feel they have the right to present any lyrics in a song that they please. May be it's right maybe it's wrong, a court of law will decide that. Because this Judge found Mr. Campbell not guilty does this give other rappers the edge to just push a little harder and see what they get away with? This I can't answer.

Not all rap has taken a turn for the worst, many rappers have gotten to-

gether and made albums dealing with "Self Destruction" and the tired for public awareness of the growing occurrence of violence and rising drug problems with today's youth. Rappers like M. C. Lyte and Queen Latifa converse about AIDS awareness and the growing rate of teenage pregnancy. So all rap isn't as bad as you think it is, just be open minded and give it a chance.

I asked a few people what they thought of rap music in general and this is what they told me....

Allyson Kilmer (12): I like listening to rap that's got a good and a positive message, but I think some rappers get too graphic.

Larry Hingcliffe (10): I like some rap and some I don't, some rapper's are too high on themselves.

Allison Cyrus (9): I don't like it because it's over-rated.

Jenny Metcalf (11): Rap music that is sending out a good message or a good dance beat is awesome, but rap that's totally vulgar isn't worth listening to.

Josh Morlan (12): I HATE IT! I THINK IT'S A JOKE. I'm a rock-n-roll type, and don't see any talent in rapping. Learn to play a guitar, or piano, or drums, then I'll be impressed. YO!

Rap music is a new wave in society, whether this fad will stay or not depends on the biggest critics, our youth and what we decide. But for now it's big, and getting bigger. So, "go with the flow" and what ever happens, happens.

Are Cinemas Worth The Cost?

by Jason Hawkins

Movies have become the main sources of entertainment for many families. Movie cinemas have become much too expensive for the average family to afford. The approximate cost to view a movie in this area is between four and six dollars! That would take a considerable amount of money for a family of four to go out to eat and catch a movie. This is the main reason why many people are staying home to watch movies. I asked students what they thought about this problem and these are the answers I received:

Jenny Covert (12) — I'd rather rent a movie because it is much cheaper.

Nick Schneider (12) — The cinema is better because the movies are much more recent.

Kirk Weitz (10) — Cinema; the sticky floors clean the bottom of your shoes.

Jody Shirley (11) — Rent because you can watch it as many times as you want. Cinemas can be fun too though

because you get out of the house!

Rick Fawcett (10) — I like cinemas because of the Dolby Surround Sound.

Misty Vantasseo (10) — Rent because you can watch it with the people of your choice.

Jeff Boyd (10) — I prefer to rent movies because you can turn it up as loud as you want.

Bruce Blankinship (10) — It is more fun to watch a movie at home because you can pause it when you need to.

Aaron Catlin (10) — Watching a movie at home is more cozy!

Todd Wilhelm (10) — Renting a movie is cheaper and you also have free food.

Mrs. Baillie — I would rather rent movies so I don't have to pay for a babysitter!

As you can see, most of the responses favored renting movies instead of going to the cinema. Hopefully the prices will come down so we can all enjoy that surround sound and huge screen!

Since the time of creation man has always had a form of entertainment: hunting, singing, dancing, story telling, music, movies, video games, game boards, radio, and so on. Society has entertained for over hundreds of years and as our intelligence in technology increases so does our variety of entertainment choices. What do the people of the '90's decade do for entertainment?

Today's society has an advantage to satisfying their boredom when compared to adolescents and adults 25, and even 50 years ago. Transportation is available, and it allows us to journey from one destination to the other, whether it be the movie theatre or a friends distant home. Job openings are increasing allowing many of the un-

fortunate to "pocket" money that can be spent on anything from video games to game boards. There has been a rapid rise in industry in the last decade. A great number of business plazas are being built accompanied by shopping centers, movie theatres, video stores, radio and television stations.

Because of the advantage the public has today, with being able to have a job and a salary, they have the ability to use either public or private transportation, bus or car, and venture to the nearest industrial site, the plaza, to purchase a new CD, or the new Stephen King best-seller, or maybe even relax and enjoy a movie at the local theatre. Society does not have it that bad, yet we hear complaints constantly that there is nothing to do. There is more to entertainment

than movies and music. There are stage and musical productions in many local towns or popular among all ages, hotlines of all kinds, tabloid television, the Maury Povich show for example, sporting events from football games to bodybuilding competitions, amusement parks, miniature golfing, and yes some people even include working out as a part of entertainment.

What do you do for entertainment? Do you read a book, watch television or go to the movies, participate in sports? Whether you are in your prime, aging, young at heart, an "old fogie," young, black, purple, or white you tend to follow the trend in entertainment. Whatever the trend is this year, raising chickens or smashing pumpkins, it was meant to be fun.

The Forgotten Entertainment

by Ashlee Charnesky

A book is the least sought after form of entertainment in the United States today. Books are being overrun by T.V., movie theaters, VCR's, radio. Yet books still hold the imagination better than any other form of entertainment. A book delights the imagination and provides useful information at the same time. When we read we learn. Our vocabulary broadens along with our ability to comprehend new ideas. Why then, have we, as a society of people who strives on being informed, let our information come only from the fastest sources? T.V. new broadcast information is much faster than a newspaper or a book. However, a book or a newspaper provides a more thorough report on a given subject.

As students I'm sure we feel that all we do is read book after book. However, a book is more enjoyable when we decide to read it on our own. So, to find out just what makes imaginations wander I asked a few students to tell me what their favorite books is:

Jerry Timmann (11) Of Mice and Men
Robin Kirkland (11) The Outsiders
Mike Fisher (11) The Contender

Todd Austin (10) That Was Then This Is Now
Julie Ebersbeah (10) I've never read a book
Brad Erath (10) The Pet
Brock Engle (9) Jordan Rules
Shammy Adams (9) Carrie
Ann Huzyak (12) And Then There Were None
Tom Wainwright (12) Sounder
Stacey Koch (12) Silence of The Lambs
Beau Hendricks (12) Tales Of The Fourth Grade Nothing
Although, none of the books students enjoyed were on the top 12 best selling books of all time and each one of them sounds great. The top 12 best selling books are,
The Bible
Quotations from the Works of Mao Tse-tung
American Spelling Book
The Truth That Leads to Eternal Life
A Message to Garcia
The World Almanac
In His Steps
Guinness Book of World Records
The Common Sense Book of Baby

and Child Care
Valley of the Dolls
American Red Cross First Aid Book
Infant Care

There you have it, the Top 12 best selling books of all time.

Next time your bored or looking for something to entertain you take a trip to a book store or a local library and unlock that movie tired mind.

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 protections 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 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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Salem Students Predict The Future In Television

by Emma Roush

Television has been around since after World War II. There have been improvements and additions to the overall aspect of TV entertainment. They have everyday series shows, and these include comedies, such as, "Cheers", soap operas, such as "Days of Our Lives", and many others. There are also movie shows on Sunday and Monday nights, such as "Rambo II," and of course the traditional Saturday morning cartoons, and there are many cartoons which are the watchers favorite.

Mr. Viecek's creative writing class was asked to create a TV show which they would like to see or have on television today. These are some of the shows that they came up with.

Title: Bodybuilders Around the World

Class: Serious

Synopsis: "Bodybuilders Around the World"

People who share the same ideas around the world. Their concepts, and different styles. The environment they have to struggle with. From the soldiers in the gulf, or people without Democracy, their dream is the same, to become the best that they can.

Written By: Dan Bowers

Title: Outer Friend

Class: Science Fiction

Synopsis: The visitor from outerspace reveals scientific secrets to earth. Having lifelike resemblance he tells the planet he is from, taking people back to space with him.

Written By: John Donnelly

Title: Moves

Class: Melodrama

Synopsis: This story would fringe on the hardships of a boy trying to make himself a boxer. The boy would not have enough money to take lessons, but would the will to become a fighter. He would borrow books from the library and try to understand them.

Written By: Ralph Royea

Title: Toxic Police

Class: Drama

Synopsis: The show is about after the earth was all cleaned up, and the government set up a commission of twelve people who started this police force to stop dumpers of toxic wastes since dumping and production of toxic substances was now illegal.

Written By: Tim Hays

Title: Bob the Amazing Dog Boy

Class: Comedy

Synopsis: See Bob, raised by French Poodles take on the world! The first episode features Bob with the waterbed, the microwave and most funny the blender. See Bob every Friday at eight on Channel Six. You won't want to miss it!

Written By: Michele Polen

Title: Blue Grass Skirts

Class: Comedy

Synopsis: The story would be about four girls that go out for a job that is on a cruise to become showroom dancers, and they end up becoming bestfriends. It could include them and all their troubles with men, work, and all the other things women can worry about.

Written By: Terri Bloom

Title: Planet Geezoid

Class: Comedy

Synopsis: Depicts the adventures of an elderly super hero who was exiled to a gigantic retirement center located on a moon of Saturn.

Have You Heard: About Hollywood?

Senior High School Library
Salem, Ohio

by Alicia Chuey

In today's world there is a lot of gossip, but for some reason we're more attracted to the gossip of the famous. There is no doubt in my mind that almost everyone out there has read a National Enquirer or a Star tabloid. They are some of the best selling reading materials out in the world today. In the following you will find some of the best gossip about today's stars and famous people.

JEFFREY DAHMER is an alien. His parents were interviewed and claimed to have been following a UFO and they believe that their son, "The Milwaukee Monster" is being controlled by martians!

JANE FONDA is finally off her 60's war kick and her 70's feminist act. Now she has a new mission: her husband???

TAMMY FAYE BAKKER is cheating on JIMMY BAKKER with his best friend.

JULIA ROBERTS made a secret visit to MOTHER TERESA'S bedside and it has changed her life.

TED DANSON of 'Cheers' has a forgotten first wife.

JASON PREISTLEY, a star of 'Beverly Hills 90210', was offered a \$35,000 car for just appearing at an auto show. The place was mobbed by teenage girls. After only five minutes of being on stage, one girl went wild and PREISTLEY was hustled out the back door.

'Growing Pains' star, TRACEY GOLD is battling deadly Anorexia and losing.

26-year old LUKE PERRY of Beverly Hills 90210 is in AIDS terror. After MAGIC JOHNSON announced that he was HIV positive LUKE got scared to death. He stated that he's going to cut down the fun and the girls.

BILLY GRAHAM says that GOD has told him to retire.

EMILIO ESTIVEZ wants to marry his latest love, PAULA ABDUL—NOW.

The KGB files on PRESIDENT KENNEDY have finally been released...JFK was shot by a Russian agent!

LIZ TAYLOR is buying her young husband's love with a car, a Harley, and a \$1 million to start his own business.

ELVIS PRESLEY and his mother were lovers. When ELVIS was 3 years old his mother moved him into her bed because his father was put into jail for selling a pig for \$4 and changing the check to \$40. When he came back, he was an outcast in the house. ELVIS slept in his mother's bed until he was 15 years old.

ANGELA ZETTEL would get up before dawn so that she could get a good seat to see JEFFERY DAHMER on trial. She was one of a number of women attracted to the serial killer.

What a sicko!

MICHAEL LANDON'S widow is in a hot romance with a married man.

ED McMAHON is getting married again.

JOAN LUNDEN walked out on her husband after 13 years of marriage because she could no longer stand the

strain of financial woes.

'Cheers' star WOODY HARRELSON is targeted for death because people think his father killed PRESIDENT KENNEDY.

MICHAEL JACKSON didn't bat an eye when a camel went berserk during filming of his new music video "Remember The Time". The camel kicked over lighting equipment that had taken half the day to set up. As director JOHN SINGLETON tore his hair out, worried Michael asked! "Is the camel O.K.?"

PRINCESS STEPHANIE whipped off her cashmere sweater and danced totally TOPLESS at a gay nightclub in Paris.

MAGIC JOHNSON to the rescue! A newspaper delivery boy wrecked his moped and broke an arm on the Hawaiian island of Maui. MAGIC, vacationing there, was out jogging when he found the 11-year-old on a lonely road and carried him 1 1/2 miles to the nearest doctor.

SLY STALLONE admits that he injects himself in the butt three days a week for six weeks with an antiaging drug.

ELTON JOHN shelled out \$30,000 for a hair weave.

A fanatic female fan follows GARTH BROOKS to concerts saying she's his mother.

Well I hoped you enjoyed hearing the juicy gossip about the stars. The information was taken from NATIONAL ENQUIRER and STAR tabloids.

Now You Hear It — Now You Don't

by Allyson Kilmer

Some of the oldest fables tell us of the power of music. The ancient Greek hero Orpheus is said to have charmed the very trees and stones with the music of his lyre. So powerfully does it affect the emotions that it was once thought to have been the perfect product of inspiration. This belief is seen in the origin of our word "music", for it comes from a Greek word which means "the art of the Muses" - the mythological goddesses of inspiration. Music more than any other pursuit offers us an opportunity to get away from the ordinary things of life. In proportion as we understand great music, we are lifted out of ourselves into an ideal realm of imagination.

The music that fills our hearts and souls has been drastically altered through the years and each and every one of you have indefinitely experienced some sort of motivation because of the music that you listen to. The music entertainment has had such categories as: Jazz, Folk Songs, Country, Pop Rock, Classical, Progressive, Alternative, Reggae,

Rhythm and Blues, Old Folk, Contemporary, Rap, and Heavy Metal. If you are looking for the latest craze in the music world, you would probably want to check out the New Wave category. This type of music would begin to make people really think and analyze the ideas and theories based in this original mode of contemplation. There are several varieties of music that people enjoy listening to and there may be several different reasons as to WHY they listen to that specific type of music so I decided to kill our curiosity and find out exactly what type of music that the students here listen to and WHY?!

Marcie Baker - Pretty much anything but absolutely NO COUNTRY. It all has to have a pretty good beat.

Brian Lippiatt - Soft, mellow music is more my style because I enjoy the soothing, relaxing emotions that I encounter when I'm in contemplation.

Kirk Gainor - Heavy Metal because it's a lot better than what Lippiatt listens

to .
Shari Morrison - Pop Rock because it's pretty good while it lasts.

Brian Grewe - Heavy Metal because it deals with good musicians who can drive a good beat.

Alicia Chuey - Everything because there's always a nice variety.

Chris Chappell - Progressive/Alternative because it's a change from your everyday Guns and Roses music.

Ashlee Charnesky - Everything because you get bored with the same old stuff all of the time.

Eric Pim - Heavy Metal because it SLAMS the most.

Kristy Ebinger - Enjoys all music as long as it carries a meaning, but the favorite is Alternative because it has some form of hidden emotion. Totally Cool!!

POETRY CORNER

The following poems were taken from a poetry writing activity in Mr. Ladner's Freshman English classes. Here are some samples.

PEOPLE

*When I go walking down the street
There's lots of people I'd like to meet
like the pretzel shop with the pretzel man
and the rockstar if I can
And the movie star advertising for Bic
and Cookie Johnson wife of Magic
Oh, there are many people to view
Walking down the avenue*

by Nathan Walker
with thanks to Marchette Chute

A BLUE BIKE

*So many children depend upon
a blue bike, covered in mud
laid to rest by the house*

by Rick Sebrell
with thanks to William Carlos Williams

FRIENDS

*When I go walking down the street
I remember my friends I use to meet
Meeting at the deli shop
chewing on a pork chop
Sipping at the shakes
hearing about our heartbreaks
The friends I used to meet
were sure hard to beat.*

by Erin Hubbard

HUSBAND AND WIVES

*Husbands and Wives is what this is about
And if you are part of it you should not doubt
Not many words to say what they're thinking.
Conversation is something they're not making.*

by Vanessa Board
with thanks to Miriam Hersonson

POLICEMAN

*Policeman-one who spends his life
Watching over the city to come home to see his wife
Both knowing they might not see each other again
Praying his life will never end.*

by Ray Esterly
with thanks to E.B. White

OLYMPIAN

*Olympian-one who spends his game
Being the best and staring at the flame.
A man who goes through pain
Just so his country can gain.*

by Ben Horvath
with thanks to E.B. White

BOYFRIENDS AND GIRLFRIENDS

*Boyfriends and girlfriends
With friends between them sit at home
So I can call them on word only
From heart to heart so much for love
So close to marriage.*

by Mike Riesen
with thanks to Miriam Hersonson

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Tom Furlong - Heavy Metal because it's rebellious and daring.

Stacy Koch - Heavy Metal because it doesn't put you to sleep.

Health Crowe - Heavy Metal because it makes me CRAZY!

Okay, so there you have it. As you can see, people like different types of music for one reason or another and to each his own. If you like a particular type of music, then you should go with it no matter what anyone else thinks. The music entertainers range from young to old with various ideas of what you want to hear so be original and go with what works for you!



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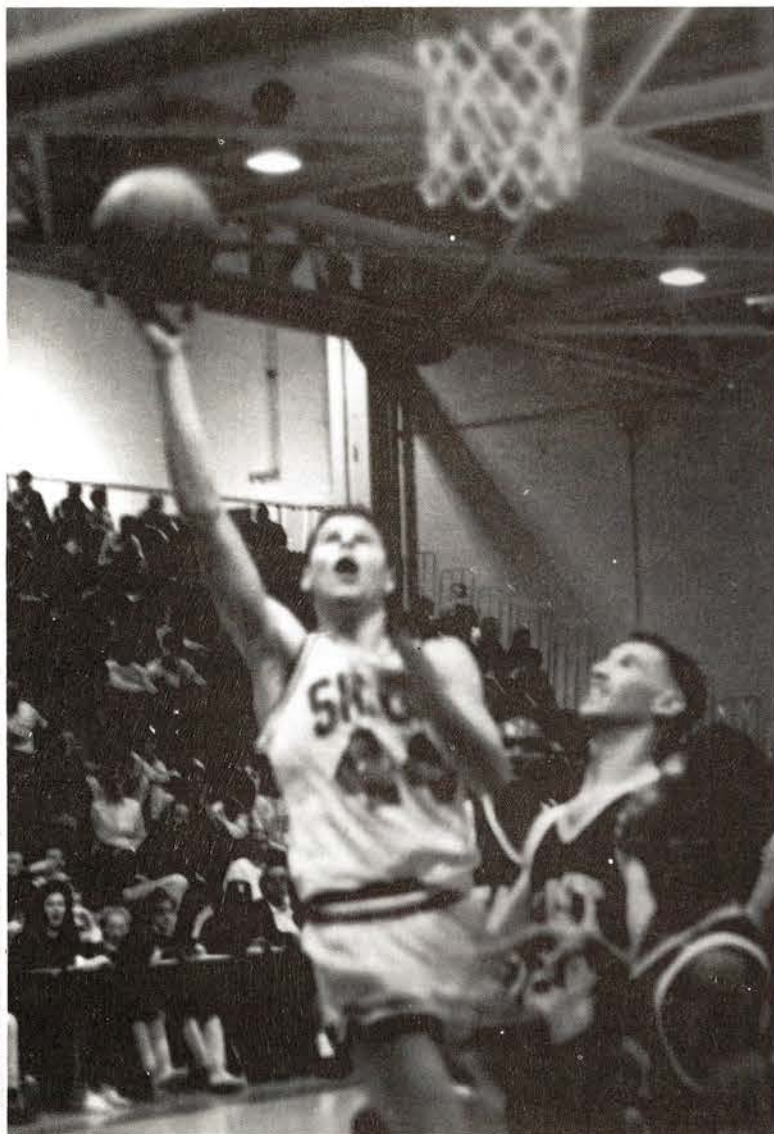
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"Soft Touch" — Brian Petrucci drives to the basket in an early season win against Youngstown East. Photo by Rick Lobdell

Lady Quakers End Regular Season

by Israel Karlis

The Salem Girls' basketball team ended their regular season last Thursday by losing to Howland. The final record for the Quakers' is 10-10 overall with a 7-5 record in the M.V.C. Next for the Lady Quakers is the winner of the Cardinal Mooney-Youngstown East game in the sectional tournament at Canfield.

Salem beat J.F.K. by a score of 44-36. Valerie Scott led Salem with 16 points and 6 steals. Kristen Ehrhart had 12 points and cleared 15 rebounds. Salem was 8-9 overall and 6-5 in the M.V.C.

Salem has to go to overtime to beat East Liverpool 45-44. Christy Lippiatt hit a jumper to tie the game and then Scott hit a free throw with :07 seconds left to win it. Scott has a terrific all around game. First, she set the record for most steals in a season. She led Salem with 21 points, 12 rebounds and

8 steals. Ehrhart also has a good game with 16 points of her own and 12 rebounds.

On Feb. 17, Salem held off a late surge by Campbell Memorial to win 64-63. Scott has 21 points and 10 rebounds. Leah Lutsch had 10 points. Ehrhart chipped in with eight points and nine rebounds. Salem's record was now 10-9 overall and ended M.V.C. play with a 7-5 record.

Last Thursday the Quakers' lost to Howland 58-37. Scott has 11 points and Marcie Baker totaled 10 points. Salem's final record stands at 10-10.

Coach Ziegler thinks that the team has a good chance of beating both Cardinal Money or Youngstown East in the tournament. "We have a good chance of beating either Cardinal Mooney or Youngstown East. A win will put us in the district game. We will probably be playing Canfield for the third time this year.

The girls' worked hard this year. We started the year at 3-7 the first half of the year but finished the second half strong with a 7-3 record. Our M.V.C. record was 7-5 and we beat every team except for Canfield."

Salem will play on February 29 because of their first round bye. Good luck, girls!

Salem Boys' Poised For Tournament

by Israel Karlis

The Salem Boys' basketball team completed their regular season with a 11-9 record following last Friday's game against Campbell Memorial.

Shawn Sauerwein's two free throws were the winning margin for Salem as they beat Marlinton 64-62 on Feb. 11. Brian Petrucci led all scorers with 20 points and clearing 14 rebounds. Beau Hendricks has 18 points which all came on three point shots. Jeff Holenchick chipped in 11 points.

On Feb. 14, Salem romped J.F.K. 95-70 behind Jeff Mooney's 27 point effort. Petrucci had 22 points and 15 rebounds. Holenchick and Jeff Andres

each had 12 points. Hendricks had 10 points also. The Quakers' record was 11-7 overall and 7-4 in the M.V.C.

The next day Salem played Alliance and lost 74-58. The Aviators averaged 6-5 along their front line and weariness took its toll on the Quakers. Petrucci led Salem with 18 points and Holenchick had 10 points and seven rebounds.

Last Friday Salem played its final regular season game and lost 70-64 to Campbell Memorial. Petrucci and Hendricks both had 17 points to lead Salem. Sauerwein chipped in 11 points and Holenchick had 10 points and seven

rebounds.

The Quakers finished the regular season with an 11-9 record overall and a 7-5 record in the M.V.C. Next up is the sectional tournament at Boardman. Third seeded Salem will play Poland on March 4 at 8 P.M. Salem has beaten Poland in both of their meetings this year.

Salem's jayvee players had a fine year despite losing to Campbell 62-59 Friday. Leading the way for Salem was Bill Schneider with 19 points. Ryan Keating also had 11 points. The Quakers' finished 10-10 overall with a 6-6 record in the M.V.C.

Salem High Wrestling Keeps Rolling

by Rick Hoffmaster

Many students here at Salem do not realize that there is potential in the wrestlers. The wrestlers have great potential they just need a little encouragement to help them along the way. Some students hate to go to wrestling matches because they feel that they are totally boring. But when the wrestlers show up to a basketball or football game they cheer along with everyone else. Now is coming a time where they are going to need help as they begin to enter tournaments and high level challenges.

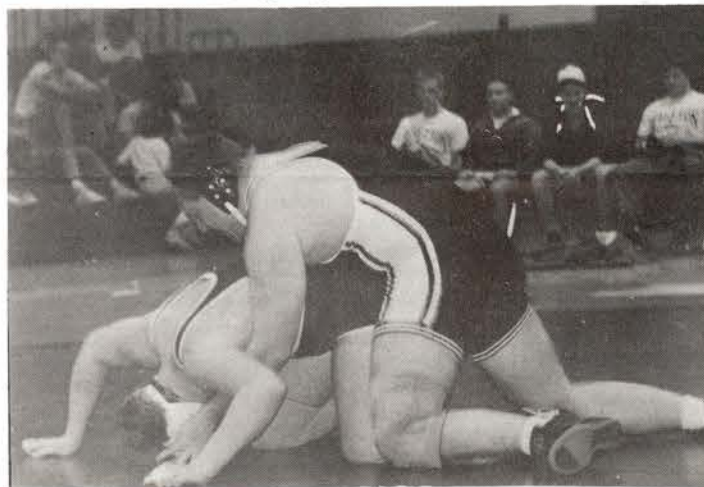
As you sit in class daydreaming about how you love to play a certain sport, think of how the student body was there to cheer you on. Next think that you loved to wrestle, but when you show up to the matches you wonder where are all of your friends and the rest of the student body for whom you cheered on.

If everyone could think back to 1980 when Kirk Lowdermilk won the state championship; he was also the first wrestler from Salem to make it to state. Now that we have a chance to send another wrestler to state he needs the support of the entire student body. I am sure that when Lowdermilk went to state that everyone cheered him. Now that he is gone we need to think of another wrestler with tremendous talent with the will power and the strength to go to state.

Everyone seems to think that the only sports there are is football, basketball, and baseball. But there are many more sports that people do not realize. In every sport at Salem High there is a chance that they can go far. But without the support of at least half of the student body, no one will ever find out how far a team can go.

Rick Lobdell turned in a fine finish in the Eastern Ohio Wrestling League

(E.O.W.L.) tournament. The big story, however, was Nelson Cope who finished first in his weight class. The Sectional tournament will be held this weekend at Louisville High School. Each time one of our wrestlers wins a match it is one step closer to the state championship in Columbus. All of the wrestlers had a great season and we are wishing good luck to Lobdell and Cope in the sectionals.



"Clamping Down"

Mike Petty "puts the clamps" on an opposing wrestler in a match earlier this month.

Photo by Kevin Wolford

Sweetheart is Crowned on Valentine's Day

by Nicole McLaughlin

On Feb. 14, the Senior Class chose Stacy Koch as their Sweetheart Queen. She was crowned at half-time during the Homecoming basketball game against Warren JFK. Her escort was Whit Robinson.

Members of her court included the following: Tara Baquer, escorted by Ben Edgerton; Kristen Ehrhart, escorted by Eric DiPasquale; Amy Heineman, escorted by Aaron Nye; Mary Rottenborn, escorted by Brian Ostarchvic; Emma Roush, escorted by Mike Cranmer; and Tricia Wilms, escorted by Tom Wainwright.

The Queen and her court were honored later that evening with a dance held in the cafeteria. The dance was sponsored by the Pep Club and lasted from 9:00 until 11:00 P.M. Portraits of all seven girls could be seen on the cafeteria walls. These were provided by the National Art Honor Society.

Overall, this year's Homecoming was a success. The basketball team celebrated a victory, and the Senior Class crowned a queen. For Stacy Koch, Valentine's Day was certainly a happy occasion.

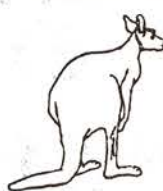


Salem 1992 Sweetheart Queen Stacy Koch and her escort Whit Robinson.

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