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## Sports Showup

BY STU SCHEIFELE

The swimming team, with its first meet Friday at 4 p.m., shows prospects of an exceptional season. Coach J. Jay Myers has cut the squad to 45 men and plans to leave it at that. The first meet is with the strong Hazel Park team. Taking the place of record-holder Don Goldenith in the 200 yard free style will be Ted Schwarz. Jim Newman and Gary Osterbeck have both broken the 50 yard school record in practice, and Marc Joslyn did the best time of his life in the 100 yard free style.

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# SCHOOL PAGE

This page is gathered and written for the most part, by Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills and Cranbrook school students.



## DISCUSS CHRISTMAS PARTY PLANS

Rev. Walter Young, Joan Howlett, Jack Alway

### Christmas Party For Handicapped Children Dec 15

For the tenth year, Kingswood and Cranbrook schools will again play hosts to about 60 handicapped children from the Oakland County area Saturday afternoon, Dec. 15. The Cranbrook school assembly hall is decked with greens, holly and a Christmas tree and student Phil LeMessurier will don the red suit to assure the appearance of Santa Claus.

The Visiting Nurses association is arranging for transportation to and from the party and they have picked out a gift for each guest. Girl Scouts are making Christmas stockings and filling them with candy and nuts and the Cranbrook and Kingswood students, under leadership of their church choir, are planning entertainment and refreshments.

Women from the Birmingham area associated with the Visiting Nurses association and helping with the party are Mrs. Howard H. Robinson, Mrs. E. S. Wellock, Mrs. V. G. Perry and Mrs. Bernard Zinn.

The Birmingham Puppeteers of the AALW will present a marionette production "Beebebraim Goes West." In addition a Christmas puppet skit is planned.

### Debators Take Two Wins From Hazel Park Team

BY VIRGINIA ROBERTSON

The Birmingham debate team scored two wins with no defeats in a match with Hazel Park there last week.

On the negative were Marv Adams and Dudley Chapman and Don Adkin and Peter Guck made up the affirmative team. Judging the debates were Wayne Professors James Mangale and George Hinds.

The team's next debate will be with Warren high school there. The squad is directed by Charles P. Thumser.

### Commercial Students See Demonstration Of IBM Typewriter

An IBM typewriter demonstration was given recently for commercial students at Birmingham high school.

The demonstration consisted of a 30 minute technical movie outlining the student's training with an IBM. Following the movie, an IBM representative explained the difference between the use of an IBM and conventional typewriter.

Also present were interested journalism students for whose use the Birmingham board of education has purchased an IBM with type face to make possible a school newspaper.

### Bake Sale Slated By Members of Future Nurses Club

BY ANN MACDONALD

The Future Nurses' club met last Tuesday after school to plan a December project. A bake sale directed by Pat Hubbard will be held this Saturday at Grinnell Brothers store on Woodward.

Proceeds from the sale will finance a Christmas party for crippled children at the Sigma Gamma hospital in Mt. Clemens. The members will entertain the children with games and distribute presents.

The next meeting is scheduled next Tuesday at the home of Nancy McCall. All interested girls are invited to attend.

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## Students Attend Pigskin Prom

BY ANNE SWARTWOD

The finest band heard by the Birmingham students in a long time was Herbie Ross's Saturday at the annual Pigskin Prom presented by the Student Congress in honor of the cross country and foot teams, with Russ Sanders as general chairman.

Intermission program with Bud Deloria as master of ceremonies presented Coach Duncan Heinrich with a tribute to the cross country team. Then Coach Vincent Scortimone gave a short talk retelling Tom Tracy's number 20. Micky Plumstead and Dave Campbell sang "Grand Canyon '79" and the Wolf quartet, consisting of Parker Wolf, Dave Campbell, Bill Minor and Dick Armstrong, played "Black and Blue" and "Castle Rock."

Theme of the prom was "Alicia in Wonderland" with Martha Brown elected as "Alicia."

## Cranbrook Cage Squad Defeats Walled Lake

The Cranbrook varsity basketball quintet handily defeated Walled Lake in a 49-41 defeat, winning its first game of the season Dec. 4.

The game started rather slowly with neither team taking a comfortable lead. Cranbrook edged out in front at half time and led 24-23. Both teams came back spirited in the second half and presented a hard fought see-saw battle. With three minutes remaining, the score was tied 35-35.

The games put on a last minute twist for a final score of 49-41. Leading in the scoring for Cranbrook was Capt. John Edison with 17 points closely followed by Bob Newey with 15. High scorer for Walled Lake was center Dick De Co with an outstanding 21 points.

Cranbrook will play at Flint Technical high school Friday night beginning at 8:15 p.m.

## Christmas Play Cast Selected

BY NANCY JOHNSON

Thrust for "Christmas in the Catskills" to be presented at the Birmingham Christmas assembly, was selected by William Kegal, author and director.

Members are Peter Guck, Mary Palko, Nancy Cupp, Betsy McQueen, Dick Emery, Bruce Carlisle, Jean Stillman, Bob Luceombe, Jamie Barnes, Bill Mallerder, John Fichtner, and announcer, John Hayes and Stuart Leslie.

"Christmas in the Catskills" is a two-act play concerning a troupe of actors stranded at a mountain inn because of a snowstorm. During their stay a mysterious stranger, named Nicholas appears out of nowhere and captures the hearts of all.

This play will be part of the program at the Christmas assembly for students and alumni.

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