

Assembly Borrows Variety Show Acts

Traditional rivalry between Birmingham and Royal Oak is re-neged by an exchange assembly. Birmingham's program will be chosen by a student committee from the variety show acts and various school talent.

Pat Boeze is student director.

Cranes Lose Second To Bloomfield Hills

The Cranbrook Loaves School football team lost its last game of the season to an eleven from Bloomfield Hills school by a score of 7-6.

Both teams threatened the opponent's goal line several times throughout the game with Vasu and Butzel almost scoring for the Cranes. The Cranbrook score was achieved on a spiner play from Vasu to Butzel while the Bloomfield score was made on a 50 yard run.

On November 5th, the Cranbrook riders lost a close contest to Bloomfield Hills 6-0. Again Bill Vasu and John Butzel highlighted the Cranbrook play.

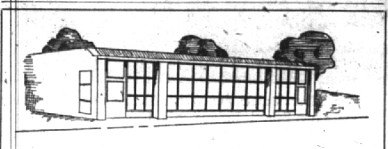
Maple Swim Team Developing Fast

The Maple swim team is off to a flying start this season bolstered by 16 returning lettermen.

School records in the 50 yard freestyle, 150 yd. medley relay and the 100 yd. freestyle were broken unofficially in recent time trials. Stiff competition is creating rapid improvement in all other events.

Diving this year is showing much improvement and has possibilities of surpassing the first place diving in the past.

Swimmers on the football team will begin practicing shortly after the Thanksgiving game, and this year's captain will be elected.



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DICK NASH GEORGE STINNETT JOE MOYER
Royal Oak grid co-captains meet Maple representative.

Maples, Acorns Feted At Dinner By RO Kiwanians

The comparing of a strong winning Royal Oak High school eleven with a mediocre Birmingham team was the topic of discussion at the Royal Oak Kiwanis club's banquet last Thursday noon for school officials and team captains from both schools. The banquet regularly precedes the Royal Oak-Birmingham Thanksgiving Day game in Royal Oak.

Frank Whitney, athletic director for Birmingham schools assured

Royal Oak that their squad was a tough one for any school beat but added that Birmingham would do its best to give the Acorns a snit battle.

Royal Oak Coach Jim Manila accepted the crying towel from both Whitney and Lou Parry, assistant grid coach for Birmingham, and told the audience that the Birmingham walls were nothing but propaganda and that his team would prepare for the worse in the tilt.

"OUR BIG JOB is to keep the boys up for our last game of the season (Friday, Nov. 13 against Highland Park) and get them to forget the big one with Birmingham the week after," Manila concluded.

As the Maple team does not pick their team captain until immediately before the holiday contest, Birmingham could not send a captain to the banquet. George Stinnett, injured Maple grider represented the Birmingham team. Dick Nash and Joe Moyer, Acorn co-captains were also present and promised to make a real game of the traditional contest.

Kiwanians explained that the origin of the rivalry on the Thanksgiving Day dated back to 1933 when the Royal Oak club promoted the tilt to help out the school district's first game budget. Since that first game 20 years ago the spirit of the game has brought out more and more spectators, they added, and today it is one of the big athletic events of the year in this area.

One feature of the banquet was the appearance of the American Male Chorus, currently performing in Royal Oak while on a cross-country tour.

Sports Banquet To Fete Football, Harrier Teams

The fall sports banquet honoring members of the football and cross-country teams will be given December 9 in the Maple room at the high school.

Mothers of the boys of the teams, teachers, and coaches are working hard to make the banquet a success. General chairman is Mrs. John Chapman Jr., football and Mrs. E. G. Rockwell, cross country.

Junior chairmen are Mrs. M. J. Taup and Mrs. J. A. Watkinson. Working under them are various other committees consisting of program, Mrs. H. S. Christie, Mrs. Frank Rising and Miss Vida McGiffin; invitations, Mrs. A. R. Roeben; Mrs. A. A. Appleford; Mrs. R. Kraus and Mrs. F. C. Hamie; tickets, Mrs. R. A. Swaney; Mrs. James Black; Mrs. E. L. Beyer; Mrs. Alvin Teichman, Mrs. H. R. Abbecht and Mrs. H. C. Blake.

In charge of hospitality are Mrs. G. R. Libby Jr., Mrs. A. Nechman, Mrs. G. A. Schwenk and Mrs. Jack Allen. Responsible for pies is Mrs. E. S. Beck; placecards, Mrs. W. H. Hohmeyer; Mrs. L. S. Lavery; Mrs. W. A. Newman; and Mrs. L. C. Tabor.

On the decoration committee are Mrs. A. O. Thalacker, Mrs. F. B. Hubert, Mrs. R. W. Long, Mrs. T. C. Morgan, Mrs. E. C. Wedge, Mrs. M. P. Cayle and Mrs. George Huffman.

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Sixty-Six Students Make Honor Roll At Hills High School

Sixty-six Bloomfield Hills High school students were placed on the school's honor roll at the beginning of the first marking period this term. The following students were cited for either honors or honorable mention:

D. Arnold, J. Ford, B. Irvine, P. Johnson, L. Kimbrough, G. Lewis, M. Ronson, B. VanDyk, J. Angevine, E. Blakeman, B. Glass, J. Grate, J. Jarkel, J. Macgregor, J. Norvell, J. Vandemere, C. White.

J. Jones, R. Treadway, A. Hammonds, S. Kraus, S. Kimbrough, S. Quinn, M. Jacobs, M. Fleming, D. Robins, B. Benjamin, T. Sikorski, S. Longyear, D. Wengren, R. Arnold, D. Bailey, T. Bree, L. Myers, B. Sterling, J. Saunders, S. Sanford, J. Bessell, J. Duncan, N. Harger, J. Sikes, M. Welsh, T. Costello, M. Eckfeld, M. Kirby, P. MacLean, J. Allen, C. Becker, P. Doty.

D. Allmon, J. Bugas, V. French, C. Klug, S. Smith, A. Wright, E. Johnson, E. Martin, G. Baesler, G. Clark, S. Kennedy, G. Dumville, M. MacKenzie, M. Spiess, P. Steele, F. Spener.

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Ticket Proceeds Used For School

Members of the Birmingham high school faculty met recently to decide upon the allocation of \$926 in extra funds from activity ticket sales.

According to Ross A. Wagner, principal, \$300 was transferred to school publications, \$200 to Student Congress, \$50 to contest speech, and \$396 to the athletic fund towards building a public address booth and a concession stand at the new field.

The committee also decided that all activity tickets must be signed in ink to be valid or they will be confiscated.

Students losing their tickets must present letters from the faculty before a faculty committee and give good reasons for loss before a new ticket will be issued.

High School Competes For Journalism Awards

The Wayne University press association is sponsoring a contest December 4 when high school reporters will compete for certificate awards in journalism.

Birmingham students attending the luncheon and conference will be staff members Alice Bastford, Bob Beatty, Mary Eiler, Ed Susan, Doherty, Jim Hogan, Ed Hubbard, Bob Jenkins, Jan McCall, Dick Perry, Frank Phillips, Gordon Provan, and Tom Sheehan.

The conference is supervised by Sigma Delta Chi. Papers will be judged in letterpress and offset classes. Awards are set up for the best individual work in journalism and for the best news and sports stories and editorials.