

# Hills High Prom Features Motif Of Deep Purple

By PABBY McLEAN

Deep Purple, Bloomfield Hills High School's Junior-Senior prom took place in the school library Saturday, June 5.

The Deep Purple theme was based on summer flowers and shades of purple. The main high school lobby floor was covered with artificial grass and furnished with bamboo garden furniture.

Real trees, purple iris, and soft blue lights lent a twilight garden atmosphere.

In the library people yarn was used for a false ceiling to carry out the color theme. Modern frames of lilac yarn and crepe paper flowers adorned the windows and the wall behind the band.

Neil Kimler and his four Kimmies furnished the music from 9 o'clock until one.

JUNIOR CLASS advisors, Mrs. Stalker and Mrs. Murray acted as chaperones and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Lockwood and Dr. and Mrs. Carl Rice acted as guests.

As the holder of the winning ticket, Pat Homier, won a prize, a white stuffed dog named Fifi.

Larry Seibert and Doug Whipple worked on the lighting and Newell Oren, high school art teacher, advised and assisted the committee. Glenna Miller, Pabby McLean,

# Honor Society Plans Outing

Members of the National honor society met last week to get better acquainted and discuss plans for an outing.

Recently inducted into the society were 11 seniors and 21 juniors.

New senior members are Barbara Aikens, Pat Ashbaugh, Lela Barber, Ruth Cortright, Susan Doberty, Russ Hubbard, Howard Johnson, Genevieve Leland, Dick Loedige, Marilyn Peters, Jane Racine, Martha Sharples, Sue Stant and Luis Vela.

Juniors included Margaret Adams, Nancy Brown, Megan Butler, Helen Chaney, Jim Gillen, Carol Goodhue, Jim Johnson, Marie Koss, Cynthia Kelly, Bob Ketchum, Susan McDonald, Jim Mosby, Mari Lee Podlesak, Betty Quillian, Caroline Schaub, Penny Sears, Ann Seymour, Dick Sillar, Fred Shinnick, Sue Spencer, Marilyn Strasser.

Advisers of the Birmingham high school chapter are E. A. Hubbard and Mrs. Mildred Smart.

Sally Blanchard, Miami Coulter, Debby Walsh, Mary Eckfeld, and Mary Kirby made up the general dance committee.

Before the prom began Dennis Robins held a coke-tail party at her home and Bob Saylor had a dinner party for all the juniors and seniors attending the dance.

Immediately following the prom Jo Beth Brenner had an open house. Miss Hutchins' breakfast was the last party of the evening for most of the dancers.

# Birmingham Hi-Society

By ANN SHENEFIELD

Recently elected officers of Club KST are John Van Alstyne, president; John Beiser, vice president; Bill Watkins, corresponding secretary; Tom Beck, treasurer; Dick Beiser, interclub contact representative; Don Haugh, athletic director.

Enjoying themselves at Bud Brown's hayride recently were Betty Schoonmaker, John Howard, Alan Van Kirk, Don Dimock, Nancy Dowd, John Perry, Betty Milligan, Greg Bevis, Susan Joherty, Thor Halverson, Sharon Hodgson, Jack Kelly, Jill Smith, Wayne Geoghegan, Julie Winters, Eddie Geoghegan, Betty Harmon, John Van Alstyne, Linda Rogers, Jack Graham.

Nancy Wangberg, Bill Hoyer, Pat Boose, Jerry Beck, Pat Ashbaugh, Jerry Mills, Noel Cloutier, Jim Stargess, Sue Taylor, Bob Hoyer, Patty Nyberg, Bob Haugh, Jane McDaniel, Bill Marston, Betty Harmon, Lynn Griem, Mike O'Hara, Sally Kelly, Don Haugh, Judy Essig, Alan Van Kirk, Don Dimock, and Dave Murphy, Bunny Licht and Bud Brown.

RESULTS of the recent FHS election were: Walter Herrlich, president; Jim Mosby, vice president; Noel Strosser, recording secretary; Jim May, corresponding secretary; Pete Kass, treasurer and sports chairman; Doug Lewis, interclub contact representative.

New officers of Future Nurses' club are president, Marie Podlesak; vice president, Judy Boucher; secretary, Ann Willett; treasurer, Eleanor Dodge; activity chairman, Penny Sears.

Although its planned picnic was rained out, the Spanish club had a very successful party in the library.

A SPECTACULAR display of Hawaiian atmosphere was featured at the Tri-A day party recently. Hawaiian attire and eating on the floor were Betty Milligan, Bob Shinnick, George Huffman, Stu Laitlauer, Cheryl Harris, Jerry Beck, Mary Goode, Dick Morgan, Ruth Heller, Terry Adlone, Nancy Slavson, John Sloane, Kitten James.

Nick Colbert, Norman Harrigan, Frank Phillips, Judy Essig, Martin De Haan, Carolyn McKee, Bill Allen, Bev Bieskey, John Buick, Jeanne Pedder, Phil Berger, Edith Williams, Bill Nechman, Helen Black, Bill Bowe.

Ann Duffield, Tom Beck, Jill Matthews, Bill Nolta, Judy Collins, Bruce Sammut, Nancy Clark, Doug Shaw, Betty Quillian, Ed Peters, Sandra Sanders, Dick Stuffer.

Lydia Bennett, Chris Christie, Shirley Dusebeier, Roger Hood, Pat Peloso, Don Kipp, Mary Knecht, Mick Phillips, Ann McDonald, Ronnie Nightingale, Bob Karch, Barb Timmer, Dorothy Olson.

John Campbell, Pat Palmer, Bill Watkins, Judy Boyd, David Allen, Judy Reynolds, Debra Boyce, Lela Williams, Pete Schwenk, Carol Olson, Jim Trua, Gwen Smith, Don Dupuis, Ann Shenefield, Jim Johnson, Marie Lindquist, Dick Delorina, Nancy Ducharme.

Bill Donaldson, Mimi Neff, Russ Nordin, Sharon Stanton, John Conroy, Denise Baldwin, Pat Harmon, Bob Jenkins, John Van Alstyne.

Pat Hefflin, Dave Andree, Ann Gardner, Ed Sison, Mary Timmerman, Jim Fry, Sandra Sison, Lee Leavenworth, Sarah Colwell, Payson Chapman, Sylvia Kordelberg, Gordon Pade, Trudy Coze, Bob Goldsmith, Gina Walters, Bob Han-

# Maples Nosed Out By Mt. Clemens For League Crown

By BRUCE TERRY

Decided by the final event, the 880 yard relay, the championship of the Eastern Michigan league was won by Mt. Clemens with a scant 100 yard margin over second place Birmingham on the Hazel Park track and field last week. The final score being 87 1/2-54 1/2.

Mt. Clemens was defending champion and Birmingham dual met the first score being 87 1/2-54 1/2.

Absence of Bill Dove, the dual's regional 100 and 200 yard dash champion, probably made the difference. Dove had defeated his league opponents in dual meets but could not run in the League meet because of a leg injury.

Only triple winner in the meet was the 120 yard high hurdles, the broad jump, and set the only record of the meet in the 150 yard hurdles at 2:04.4, a half second better than the old mark.

BIRMINGHAM took six first places, Mt. Clemens six, Ferndale two, and East Detroit, Hazel Park and Ft. Huron one.

Maple Chuck Erickson took first in the shotput with a heave of 45 1/2 in Captain Russ Hubbard tied with Chuck McKinney of Ferndale for the win in the high jump, clearing 5 feet 7 inches.

The medley relay teams of Bob Libby, Marc Frank, John Appleford and Pat Hurman won their event in 2:41.0. John Perry, regional champion in the 440 yard run, took first in the first race in 53.8 and Ron Reuter won the second 440 race in 54.1. Dave Long, half mile champion in the regionals, took a first in 2:09.0.

Preliminaries were run by place in time, in many cases keeping fast men from qualifying for the finals because they happened to be in the first race.

Scores of other League teams were: Ft. Huron 29 1/2, Ferndale 28, East Detroit 17 1/2 and Hazel Park 14.

# Torry Sixth Grade Presents Operetta

Sourwood Mountain, an operetta depicting a children's frolic in the Kentucky mountains was presented Wednesday night June 2 by the sixth grade class of Torry school. All students in the class participated.

The cast of characters included Kent Rathbun, Curtis Harrison, Nancy Corley, Warren Reading, John Horner, Sue Wilson, Bob Schanze, Fred Reese, Paul Robertson, Tom Lamb, Mike Daly, Beverly Groves, Patty Jackson, Tommy Scott, Deloris Pooley and David Mager.

Students participating in special square dance routines, included Christina Weik, Joan Smith, Carl Lisewski, Kathleen Kikar, William Ellis, Patsy Campbell, Nancy Jo Zimmerman, Gary Van Geisam, Janet Talsky, Diana Ratz, Bonnie Herberg and Sandra McKinnie.

Songs sung by members of the cast were Sourwood Mountain, Billy Boy, Paper of Pins, The Blackbird in the Crows, My Love, Morning in May, The False Young Man, Barbry Allen and Old Joe Clark.

Lead, Trudy McKewen, Dave Pew, Doug Green, Cynthia Kelly, Penny Todd and Don Haugh.

# STUDENT CONGRESS IS PLANNING A PICNIC AT KENSINGTON PARK SOMETIME BEFORE SCHOOL IS OUT.

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# BLOOMFIELD VILLAGE SCHOOL NEWS

Fourth Grade—Mrs. Egner, Good Citizens this week are Donna Seehy and Robert Weibury. We had a spellingdown on the year's words, in which Mini Newton was the winner and Kitty Starkie the runner-up. The final word was "rosy". An error occurred in our last week's news—Mini Newton is the vice president.

Fifth Grade—Miss Alcorn. Today the fifth grade had a music program in the third grade room. The songs were "The Star Spangled Banner" and "The Home Song". Estelle Loud, Mary Gillen, Joie Paulus, Jan Struthers, Dale Koss, Sally Cunningham and Patsy Copeland sang "Down in Mexico it's Sunny".

Alan Kenfil, Richard Webb and Peter Van Horn sang the "Marine Song". Wayne Andree, Tim Barnum and Bill Bertling sang "Ten Bottles of Beer on the Wall". Jamie Eggert and Royce Beers sang "We're in the Army Now". Larry Crawford played "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" on his accordion.

JUDY HELGESON played "Night Ride" on the piano. Billy Purdy played a piece on the piano. Mary Ann Brown, Tom Herrlich, Linda Hawkins played "America" and "Oh Beautiful" on their horns. Joyce Keeler played "The Swan Song". Jana Berno played the "Winter Song" on the piano. Susan Kries played "The Star Spangled Banner" on the piano. Wienrich and Linda Hawkins played on their horns. Reporter, Patsie Copeland.

Sixth Grade—Mr. Crandall. Tuesday we elected officers. They are: president, Fritzie Harris; vice president, Marilyn Michaels; reporter, Bob Eggert, Susan Ganter.

During this week Miss Link, a student from the High school, who wishes to become a sixth grade teacher, came to visit us. She helped with the teaching to see how she liked it.

One of the builders found a broken bat and gave it to Mr. Crandall. We took it around to all of the rooms. Four sixth graders had their birthdays this week. They are: Chase Curry, Mike Hall, John Sison and Judy Meloche. In Social Studies we are studying the thirty

# Barnum School Has Honor Assembly

Barnum students were presented with awards for music, scholastic work, attendance and sports in an assembly last Thursday morning in the Barnum gymnasium.

Awards went to student council members, participants in intramural baseball, winners of music awards at various musical festivals held earlier in the year, students with perfect attendance, members of the library staff, winners of scholastic art awards and students who have been on the honor roll all six marking periods.

A list of student council members and honor students will appear in this column next week.

Barnum students will be dismissed the noon of June 16.

Barnum intramural baseball ended last week. In the seventh grade Dan Bendle's team won all of the games played except one. This was won by Phil Russell's team. Very few boys went out for seventh grade baseball to there were only two teams.—PHIL BROWN.

human rights. The United Nations has adopted this Declaration. There are only 8 1/2 school days remaining this year.

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Prisoner: "Sort of a weather forecast, eh, Judge?"

"Fine today, cooler tomorrow."

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Second Traveler—I had to. The sound was too loud.

The Bloomfield Village kiddie round-up was held Monday, June 7. Mother's of prospective kindergarten children were invited to visit the school and meet the teachers. Mrs. Wilson, principal, greeted mothers and children. Dixie coze and cookies were served by the room mothers to the children.

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**JUNE JUMBLE**

You should be glad you can look forward to the advent of SPRING at this late date. Which reminds us that we have home fine GLAD BULBS with such exotic names (and exotic colors) as: THE CORONA of LEADING LADY was but GOLD DUST to the RED CLAW of VALERIA and the RED HAWKEYE of KING LEAR watching PRESIDENT EISENHOWER returning from BAGDAD with ELIZABETH THE QUEEN attended by MISS WENCONSIN the SNOW QUEEN a real BIT O' HEAVENSON.

The same kind of lingo will present the BEMEROCALIS (day lilies) such as:

BARONET, HONEY RED HEAD and CAPRICE or LINDA and J. S. GAYNOR at the BLOU.

Hint for the DABILA group such as SANHICAN'S MONARCH the CHATAQUA GIANT and DETROITER, the COMMODORE of JERSEY'S BEAUTY.

May we remind you that you will need HOSE and SPRINKLERS despite Mr. Oakes predictions. We have both and have tested the sprinklers with mama's cereal bowls so we know, the water distribution characteristics of these fantastic mechanisms.

Coming up to air for a moment we wonder if you have found any real hard spots in your lawn.

If so they should be provided with AIR by using a spiking tool after they are softened with rain or a hose.

Tick—Tick—Tick

Now this reminds us very definitely TICKING—and by very curious coincidence we have—of all things—some elegant picnic TABLE CLOTHS and APRONS made of—all things—blue and white TICKING. Fancy that!

And we have some that are not ticking at all—they are simply BLUE and BROWN.

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