



**BLOOMFIELD HILLS HIGH SCHOOL'S NEWLY FORMED TRIPLE TRIO**  
Wins superior rating in vocal festival at Pontiac (Eccentric Photo)

### Bloomfield Hills School Vocalists Win Top Ratings

By PABBY McLEAN  
All Bloomfield Hills High School representatives to the Michigan Vocal Association Solo and Ensemble Festival at Pontiac High School, March 6, earned top ratings. The festival, held annually, is a competition among twenty to thirty schools of varied sizes in the Southeastern area of the state.

The newly formed girls' Triple Trio and piano soloist Julia Hutchins earned the highest ratings of superior in their respective groups. Millicent Fleming and Mary Lou Fuller each won a second place, excellent rating for vocal solos.

Members of the Triple Trio are shown in the accompanying picture with their director Clarence Luchtmann. They are: (front row, left to right) Phyllis Steele, Mary Lou Fuller, Carol Lockwood; (second row) Judy Binicola, Carol Becker, Janet Richards; (back row) Mimi Coulter, Mike Fleming and Barbara Woodson.

**LUCHTMAN**, choir director at Bloomfield, accompanied the girls to the Musical Festival. He has prepared his Junior High Choir of fifty members for the first Oakland County Junior High School Festival, to be held soon.

The girls from Bloomfield Hills High School choir who joined forces recently with the Cranbrook boys' choir for the presentation of the Gilbert and Sullivan Operetta, HMS Pinafore, gave a cast party Friday, March 5. The entire cast, the musical director from both schools and the make-up committee attended the party.

The guests heard the recording of the production and danced for the remainder of the evening.

### High School Girls To Participate In Fashion Show

Selected by three fashion experts of a Detroit department store last week were 41 girls who will model at a fashion show to be presented by the store at Birmingham high school.

Of the 110 who tried out chosen were Rosemary Barnhardt, Lynn Bennett, Donna Bollen, Pat Bozoz, Nancy Buckmaster, Noel Cleatier, Judy Collins, Phyllis Dafeo, Nancy Dowd, Janice Ekew, Mary Goode and Carole Goodhue.

Linda Gray, Carolyn Huntoon, Kitten James, Sylvia Kordiebrock, Elsie Leitch, Hester Lewis, Ann Makenson, Sue McCombe, Ann McDonald, Trudy McKeven, Marilyn Menewich and Carolyn Menewich.

**MYRNA MAXLEY**, Bev Ostermeyer, Sandy Overgard, Pat Palmer, Joanne Pollemus, Betty Quillian, Rosalie Rue, Jean Ruslander, Ann Shenefeld, Pat Sullivan, Mary Tamm.

Judy Vander Pyl, Judy Van Horn, Barbara White, Ann Willett, Elizabeth Williams and Julie Winter.

As part of their training the girls returned to the store last Saturday where they were given exercises in walking. On Monday they went back for fittings.

The fashion show will be presented March 16 at three o'clock in the little theater at the high school.

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### BLOOMFIELD VILLAGE SCHOOL NEWS

First Grade—Mrs. Ayer. Peggy Heier celebrated her seventh birthday, Wednesday, March 3rd. Twelve girls attended her birthday party. Dickie Schuster left for Hollywood, Florida, March 6th. Janice Gataward and Mark Olson are our "Good Citizens".

Second Grade—Mrs. Gregory. Jean Furman celebrated her eighth birthday with a party in school Friday afternoon. A great time was had by all. Our monitor this week was Gretchen Keefe and our best citizens of the week were Christie Bever and Mike Lindquist.

Third Grade—Mrs. Fike. Scott Dietrich went to Florida on a vacation. Jeannie Yager's birthday was on Wednesday and a party was planned but was cancelled because of the weather.

**GOOD CITIZENS** are Mary Hawkins and Johnny Mow. The president is Lynne Beers and vice president is Christie Palmer. Decorations are: patriotic pictures made with red, white and blue colored paper; abstract designs made with colored chalk and stories titled "When I grow up" and "My Favorite Trip". On the science shelf is a caterpillar, a pine cone, a snail, a fungus, a lot of rocks, and a jelly sandwich rock. We got some new books for reading: Reporter, Sandra Lee Eakins.

Fourth Grade—Mrs. Egner. Good Citizens this week are Judy Hartholomew and Hilly Graham. We have started work on a play "Courting Trouble", which will be

presented on the radio March 25. Mrs. Clark from the High School is working with us on it. In Art we have begun work on spring posters for Garden Week.

Fifth Grade—Miss Alcorn. Dotie Ellis is the new president. Michael Horner is the vice president. Pattie Copeland is secretary and Ralph Costa is treasurer. In art we are practicing letters for posters. Some are hard and some are easy.

**SIXTH GRADE**—Mr. Crandall. Officers of the week are president, Fred Sheldon, book chairman, Susan Wagner and Peter Kuss. Room chairman, Fritz and George Harris and secretary, Francis Von Maur.

Good Citizens of the last two weeks were Gus Wade and Jackie Paulus. The Service Squad girl is Fritzie Harris and Patrol Boy is Larry Beck.

Wednesday afternoon we did not have any school because of the weather.

Gary Mow and Sally Nickerson's birthdays are Saturday, March 6. Sally is having a party. Mrs. Edwards, our art teacher is assisting us in making posters for the Safety Poster Contest. Michigan slogans are "Wear White after Dark" and "Cross Only at Corners."

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### Seymour Headlines Southfield High Sophomore Dance

By ELLEN SCHREIBER  
The sophomore class of Southfield High School, (called Club 10 for publicity purposes) presented an all-school dance Friday, in the high school gymnasium.

A record attendance was on hand to dance, chat, and witness the highlights of the evening, a visit from Robin Seymour, popular disc jockey of radio station WKMH, and the current hit recording stars, the Gaylords.

Following the Gaylord's rendition of their recent pop-toller, "From the Vice came the Grape", and the novelty tune, "Mama Polka", Seymour, radio's "Bobbin with Robin", entertained the assemblage with a full hour of music and wit.

During the musical interludes, Seymour willfully obliged his many fans in the audience by signing autographs.

### Swimmers Brace for State Meet

By BRUCE TERRY  
The League champion Maple swimmers journey to Ann Arbor this week to compete in the class A state championship meet.

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### Maples Sink Waterford In Dual Meet Finale

By HOWARD JOHNSON

In their final dual-meet appearance of the season, the Birmingham swim team stunned hapless Waterford 68-10 at Barnum pool recently.

The Maples took all first places while the undermanned Skippers managed only one second place.

Powerful freestyler Ross Hubbard again set new pool and school records in the 100 yard freestyle with a time of :54.2. This battered his old pool record of :55.0 set in Barnum pool this year and his previous school record of :54.3 set at Plymouth early in the season.

**THE 200 YARD** freestyle relay team of Dave Allen, Martin De

lay. Meet captain was Jay Lewis. This win gave the locals 11 victories and one defeat for the season.

**Summary**  
50 yd. freestyle: 1 M. De Haan; 2 E. Terry; 3 G. Wagener; W; time :25.8.

100 yd. breast stroke: 1 G. Stennett; 2 J. Kelley; 3 R. Campbell; W; time 1:07.7.

200 yd. freestyle: 1 J. Lewis; 2 D. Hubbard; 3 D. Latta; W; time 2:15.0.

100 yd. backstroke: 1 D. Schwarz; 2 D. Schutte; 3 Waterford man ineligible; time 1:08.3.  
Diving: 1 D. Allen; 51.3; 2 T. Adlong; B, 34.8; Waterford man ineligible.

150 YD. individual medley: 1 G. Stennett; B; 2 B. Mahoney; W; 3 T. Halvorson; B; time 1:47.1.  
150 yd. medley relay: 1 (H. Knorr, J. Hilly, S. Fow); B; 2 (B. Mahoney, G. Campbell, J. Paxton); W; time 1:54.8.  
200 yd. freestyle relay: 1 (D. Allen, M. De Haan, B. Terry, R. Hubbard); B; Waterford team ineligible; time 1:41.8.  
100 yd. freestyle: 1 R. Hubbard; B; 2 J. Sloane; B; 3 D. Jones; W; time :54.2.

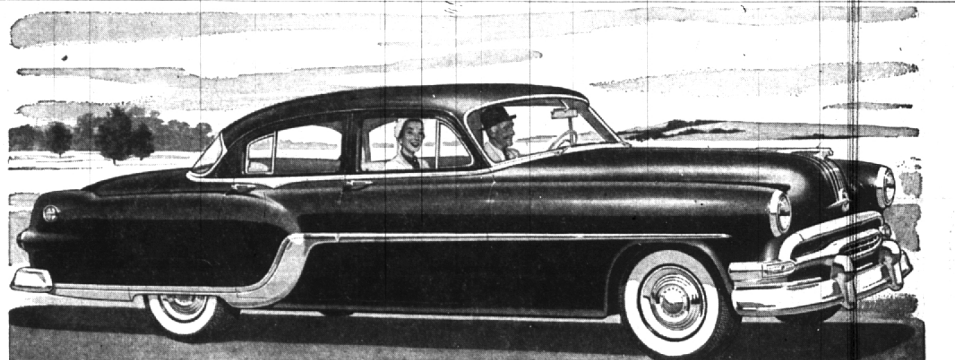
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