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CRANBROOK SCHOOL

Students Reminisce About Ski Holidays

By BOB HUGHES
Special Writer

Cranbrook students, blessed with an entire week of vacation after New Year's, had many stories to tell of the various ways that week was spent.

Skiing dominated most of them; hardly one well-known ski resort in the state lacked one or more sons of Cranbrook, while many students visited areas in many states.

Several boys went with Mr. James Young for a look at Dartmouth, and a fling at New Hampshire's hills.

RETURNING ON Jan. 11 from the gay life of skiing and New

Year's Eve parties to studies, getting in shape for sports, getting up too early, and attending chapel services, students looked toward exams — less than three weeks away.

ON THE BRIGHTER side, it was announced that Cranbrook had been awarded a grant by the Donor Foundation. This grant, given to the 15 preparatory schools the Foundation judged the best in the nation, consists of \$300,000. It will be invested and the income used as a faculty fellowship.

THE SOCIAL year of 1961 was inaugurated on Saturday when the "K" Club of Kingswood presented a "get-acquainted" dance.

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SECTION B

FOR AND ABOUT TODAY'S YOUTH
DERBY JUNIOR HIGH
School Nurse Directs Vision, Hearing Tests

By NANCY PRICE
Special Writer

Vision and hearing screening are now in progress. Under the direction of Mrs. Salton, our school nurse, 30 mothers are helping with the screening, assisted by 36 students from their study halls.

Many thanks to PTA health chairman Mrs. Sedewick and her assistant, Mrs. Hoehn, for the organization of this worthwhile project.

It should be understood that these screenings are not diagnostic. If there is any indication of trouble with a child's vision or hearing, the parents will be contacted and a referral will be made.

THE SCHOOL office is also a busy place at any time of the day. This is why we need students' help. Along with our salaried workers, Mrs. Evelyn Schwartz, Miss Elizabeth Schaele, Miss Charlene Bacon, and two students from high school, Miss Joan Vaseel and Miss Barbara Blow, several ninth grade girls have volunteered their time from study hall.

There are many jobs for the girls such as answering the telephone and running errands. Some of the girls who may answer your calls are Bonnie Maynard, Alice Henderson, Cheryl Roddy, Pam Kirchner, Judy Holb, Karyl Chinnick, Lin Harvie, Jeri Hagstrom, Jane Hopper and Sue Edwards.

Other girls who may be preparing for their future careers are Teri Fournier, Pam Terry, Marsha White, Mary Holland, Judi Cory, Cheryl Clark, Jody Wisby, Sue Timmins and Sue Sawyer. The office appreciates the services of these girls and the girls enjoy working in the office.

DERBY'S student council has voted to request that a traffic light be installed at the corner of Derby and Adams. This will reduce the traffic jams at that corner in the morning when parents are driving their children to school and again at the close of school when the students are being picked up.

APPLICATIONS are now available.

SEAHOLM HIGH
Washington Jaunt Has Seniors Agog

By VEE VOELKER
Special Writer

Seniors are beginning to get excited about the annual Washington trip, March 20 to April 8.

Mr. Gene Hubbard, who has sponsored this event since 1935, held a meeting recently for all students planning to take the trip. At this time movies were shown of the good times experienced by the students attending the trip in the past two years.

Mr. Hubbard informed the students that they will be electing a Washington group-president and picking out hotel roommates in the near future. A monthly installment plan is being used by the students to finance the ten-day vacation.

The five senior foreign exchange students are being financed by various clubs and organizations of Seaholm. Jerry Peterson and Chuck Toledo, the AFS students, will have their trip financed with proceeds from the Senate dance on March 11.

Hans Jurgenemann, the German student, is being financed by Pep Club. Skip Seyffer, from Holland, will be going, courtesy of the proceeds from the winter play "Witness to the Prosecution," presented by Prosenium members, Pierre VanEve, also from Holland, is being sent on the Washington Trip by donations from various clubs.

SIX STUDENT teachers from Michigan State University have recently arrived to practice teaching in Seaholm classrooms. Miss Mary Eberhardt is student-teaching German; Mr. Bernard, history; Mrs. Nancy Hartung, speech; Miss Barbara Hershey, math; Miss Ruth Schetterhelm, business education and Miss Sandy Spencer, English.

THE "MADHATTER'S BALL," sponsored by the Assembly Club, was an unusual and interesting dance. Students were urged to decorate eggs and wear them to the dance. Which was held as a celebration of the basketball game. Seaholm won, 64-56, over East Detroit.

Marty McNeely, WXYZ disc-jockey, played records for the students' dancing enjoyment. Also appearing at the dance were the "Thundertones," a Detroit "rock 'n roll" music group.

A prize for the best hat was awarded by Hag Dunne, Assembly Club president, to Judy Christ. Judy's large hat was indescribable!

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KINGSWOOD SCHOOL
Vacation Memories Linger on at School

By BETSY WRIGHT
Special Writer

Christmas vacation finally came to an end on Jan. 11, after three weeks of relaxing freedom. We all returned to Kingswood full of wonderful memories of places we had been and things we had done.

In addition to many boarders who returned to their homes in various parts of the country, several other Kingswood students also turned up. Favorite among their vacation spots was Otsego, some of whose guests were Diane Bugas, Mary Ellen Douglas, Bev and Sally Feud, Joan Getsinger, and Diana Gornick.

Also enjoying the excellent skiing weather were Lynne Carey, Amy Falvey, Ann and Suzy Fuchs and Carol Haskill who journeyed to Boyne Mountain. Senior Pat Gauntlett was fortunate to have been able to do some skiing in Switzerland.

Traveling to areas closer to home were Jenny Greene and Sally Lynch, who visited Port Huron and Indiana. Florida beckoned several KSC girls. Among them were Alice Bushong, Sue Gass, Avery and Stephanie Guething, the Schaffers and Judy Sanden.

Donna DeLong went west to a ranch in Arizona over Christmas. Livingstone, Chris Myers, Margie

Barnum Students Will Present Mystery Comedy

By KAREN L. PIEL
Special Writer

"The Haunted Tea Room," a mystery comedy, will be presented again this year by Barnum's ninth grade by popular demand. Lyla McCormick, dramatics instructor, will direct the play, with Candy Heussner and Tom Simpson as student directors.

Rehearsals will be held each morning during homeroom for several weeks. The play will be presented on Feb. 23.

Two pretty young sisters will be portrayed by Karen Olson and Janis Finley. Donna Guld will play the part of a "tomboy," while Nancy Diamond has the part of a "perfect lady." Karen Piel has the role of the kitchen girl.

Held in the Cranbrook auditorium last Saturday, the informal dance was enjoyed by all. Records supplied by Fran Fredericks and her committee were played while Jenny Greene's committee served refreshments during intermission. Susy Fuchs was chairman of decorations, and "K" Club arranged for the Kotas to help with the entertainment.

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