

Correspondent For Eccentric Is Honored

Sue Hallas, Birmingham Eccentric special writer and school correspondent for Bloomfield Hills High School, has been named a runner-up in a national achievement awards competition.

runners-up are recommended to colleges and universities as good candidates for scholarship aid. Only one nominee for each 500 enrollment is allowed to enter the competition and must then submit three compositions as well as test results indicating their ability in composition and literary awareness.

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FOR AND ABOUT TODAY'S YOUTH KINGSWOOD SCHOOL Programs for AFS Result in Funds, Fun

By BETSY WRIGHT Special Writer

Because of the very unexpected and very welcome free afternoon on March 3, granted in honor of Sylvia Tryphall, a Kingswood alumna who was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, the seventh grade AFS project was postponed until last Friday.

To earn money to finance next year's exchange student, the class held a show entitled "Kandid K.S.C." Some very humorous and often embarrassing candid slides of both students and faculty were projected on a screen before the delighted audience. Needless to say, "Kandid K.S.C." was a big crowd-gatherer and a great success.

CRANBROOK SCHOOL Finalists Completing Scholarship Tests

By BOB HUGHES Special Writer

On March seventh, 25 members of the class of 1962 took the National Merit scholarship qualifying test, beginning the long journey

OPENS BIRMINGHAM OFFICE

Mr. Harry D. Hoey, Mrs. W. Boyce Ricketts, Mrs. Carl G. Wonnberger, Mr. Edmund S. Snyder, Mr. William Schultz, and Mr. Herbert V. Davis received their awards in assembly, March 6.

DERBY JUNIOR HIGH Tank and Cage Squads Put on Good Shows

By NANCY PRICE Special Writer

Brant Conley, Mark Fritz, and Mark Lindsey did it again in an exciting basketball game against Clawson. These three boys were Derby's top scorers in the game with a total score of 41-34, in favor of Derby.

SPASH DAY'S February 27 and 28 could have easily been noted as such. Derby's swimming team competed in the All-City Swimming and Diving Meet. In diving, the seventh grade put on a terrific show, first-place was taken by Paul McGuire and third-place by Lee Griffin.

Eighth grader Bob Spinning received a second-place award and the ninth grade won a fourth and fifth place taken by Ken Left and Bob Park.

There were eight events in swimming, and each event was repeated by each grade. The first event was the 50-yard butterfly. Bill Kinosh and Chuck Geggie took fifth and sixth place and Doug Hamilton and John McCurdy took second and third place for the ninth grade.

The second event was the 50-yard backstroke. The seventh grade had two champions, Craig Newton and Mark Filioet. Ted Blackless and Bill Bullock were the eighth grade winners. The ninth grade record of 32.0 was set by Rick Lotero. Craig Johnson swam in second place.

Tom Draper, of the eighth grade, set a record of 42 in the 50-yard freestyle. In the eighth grade, Bill Prew also set a record of 33.5 in the same stroke. Dave Zimmer and Sub Hagby, for the ninth grade, stepped into first and fourth place.

Bill Kennedy and Barry Weiss excelled the seventh graders, placing first and second in the 100-yard freestyle. The eighth grade took third and fifth place. Lynn Smith set a new ninth grade record of 60.1 second, with Noel Burnham coming in second.

Bob Kercher set a new record in the 160 yard individual medley. Bill Prew and Steve Zimmer now hold second and third place respectively.

Troy Band Merits Superior Rating

On Feb. 25, the Troy High School Symphony Band competed against ten other bands at the Utica High School.

Troy was the only "B" school band to compete against "A" school bands, and was one of the few to receive a superior rating.

The jury will now go to Ann Arbor to compete against other Class "A" bands for a state rating.

Science Study Unit Subject of Article

A box of beach sand and a bottle of sea water was all that was needed to start a unit on the "Study of the Sea" by first graders at Colerain School in Troy.

An article on the science study unit is currently appearing in the April issue of The Instructor magazine, a nationally circulated publication for elementary school teachers and educators.

Written by first grade teacher Mrs. Katherine L. Ballard of Huntington Woods, the article describes the results after one of the pupils took to class his souvenirs of a Florida vacation.

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