

Language Prizes Given to Area French Students

Winners in the AATF national French contest, Detroit area, have been announced by Howard B. Coan, Cranbrook school-master and chairman of the Detroit and Michigan area contest.

Among the top twelve winners were five from Cranbrook and Kingswood Schools.

Joel E. Cohen, Battle Creek high senior at Cranbrook, took top place in French IV, and Merrill McLoughlin, Kingswood 10th grade from Birmingham, received third place in French III.

THE FIRST TWO winners in French II were Jeffrey Mitchell, Birmingham, and Winifred A. Burks, also of Birmingham.

John Hobbs, Jr., Cranbrook 11th grader from Lathrup Village, took third in French I.

A special award was given to Gerald B. O'Grady III, son of the new rector at Christ Church Cranbrook, for a high score in French III, Gerald, a Cranbrook junior, spent several years in Geneva, Switzerland, where his father, O'Grady was rector at the American Church.

Seaholm Concert Features Choir, Madrigal Singers

At 8:15 tonight the gym of Seaholm High School will again be filled with music as the Seaholm High School Choir of 83 voices presents its annual concert.

This will be the last concert for the 22 seniors in the choir so they are working hard along with the other members to make this performance the best one yet.

Victor Ulrich, the director, has selected for the concert a group of songs ranging from popular religious, that best illustrate the quality of the choir.

PATRICIA SMITH and Douglas Ward will have incidental roles in the beautiful arrangements of "All Through the Night" and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

The Seaholm Madrigal Singers, a group of 20 select singers, will present several numbers from 16th century musical literature.

Judith Clark will be accompanist.

DERBY HIGH Eighth Graders Vie For Class Offices

By NANCY PRICE
Special Writer

DERBY IS PROUD of the ninth-grade music program and of the music teachers. On May 6, Derby's ninth-grade mixed choir performed in the eighth-grade girls' choir performance in the gymnasium. The mixed choir won a one-plus honors rating, which entitles members to the honor program at Walled Lake on May 6.

The ninth-grade girls' choir sang equivalent to a two rating: Miss Janice Sherman and Miss Betsy Strickling directed.

SPRING CHORAL presented by Derby Junior High School was presented at 8:15 p.m., May 11, in the gymnasium. The ninth-grade mixed choir led the program, with Mr. Karl Krueger from Grand High School as guest conductor. The ninth-grade girls' choir followed, with Miss Janice Sherman as director. The eighth-grade general music chorus and the eighth-grade general music class supported the program.

Broadway comes to Derby next heading on the agenda. Four songs were sung from "Oklahoma" and "Guys and Dolls." The combined ninth-grade choirs ended the program with "Rock of Ages."

The accompanists were Rachel Weaver and Susan Perkins. Miss Janice Sherman and Miss Betsy Strickling directed.

Kingswood Students Win Gold Medals

Four Birmingham area girls received gold medals for weaving at the recent judging of the National Sewing Contest in New York. Kingswood School Cranbrook took all weaving honors for the entire United States.

Gold medal winners were Frances Fredericks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Fredericks, 440 Lake Park Drive; Pat Hewlett, daughter of the Thomas Hewletts, 951 Twin Oaks Lane; Judy Linn, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Herman H. Linn, 1520 Woodlawn; and the Hills and Kathleen Severs, daughter of the Ray M. Severs, 915 Kensington.

Kingswood took a total of 50 keys, 78 certificates, and 12 blue ribbons.

GROVES HIGH Induct Honor Society Members At Assembly

By BETH KOENIG
Special Writer

In induction assembly was held on May 2, to introduce the new members of the National Honor Society of Groves. They were presented before their parents and the members of the sophomore and junior classes.

Since this is the first year of the National Honor Society at Groves, speeches were given in the four categories of leadership, service, character and scholarship. The new members are Sue Bredelove, Lee Eyer, Ginny Fleck, Carol Johnson, John Keiser, Kay Lantz, Jean Ann Luger, Sue McClanahan and Jimmie Melke.

Officers for the year are: Nyland, Bob Rice, Bob Rottiers, Charla Rusche, Stan Swiatek, Pat Taggart, and Carol Vine.

The senior choir and band provided the music during the assembly. After the assembly, tea was given in the cafeteria for the new members and their parents.

THE GROVES FOREIGN exchange student coming here next month will be living with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Rice, 6621 E. Dartmouth Road. Their son Bob is a junior at Groves. The foreign student will be a member of homeroom A-26, taught by Mr. McCoy.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS for next year's student council officers at Groves will be held on Friday. The campaigning began on Monday. Anyone wishing to run for office can, at this time, the purpose of the primary election is to elect two candidates for each office to run in the final election which will be held on May 26.

Two separate elections will be conducted; one for the senior high and one for the junior high since the year council will be divided into a senior council and a junior council.

ON FRIDAY the newspaper and yearbook staffs will be attending a convention in Ann Arbor. Classes will be concluded in the morning and afternoon to give advice to the newspaper and yearbook attendants. Lunch will be served at a large banquet given for all the students and advisors attending.

A SOCK-HOP was sponsored by the KKW club of Groves on May 5. The dance was given for the senior high students. Profits were donated to the AFS club.

Homeroom G-8, Mr. Johnson, has been selling Groves' key chains to help raise more money for the foreign exchange student coming to Groves next year.

A CHEERLEADING clinic has been provided for girls wishing to try out for next year's varsity and junior varsity cheerleading squads. The clinic was held in the gym on Wednesday and Thursday after school.

The purpose of the clinic was to show the girls the various skills they would be expected to be able to do when trying out. Try-outs will be held in the near future.

THE CHAIRMEN of the various committees for Gym Night and the variety show were announced last week.

Chairmen of Gym Night, which will be held on Friday are grand chairman, Pat Taggart and Bruce Ricks; pool, Percy Cummings; sports, Charla Rusche; tickets, Tom Beaumont; decorations, Lin Boynton and Kathy Lantz; and refreshments, Elaine Chapin and Jan Taraska.

The variety show will be in the evening, June 2 and 3. Chairmen are grand chairman, Tom Wood.

Cranbrook Academy Shows Art Work

Cranbrook Academy of Art Academy students are arranging and hanging paintings and art objects for the annual exhibition of student work which opens May 27 and continues to mid-September.

The exhibition details works done throughout the year by students of the academy's eight departments — painting, weaving, ceramics, metalworking, graphics, sculpture, architecture and design. It occupies the major gallery and will be open daily from 2 to 5 p.m. except Mondays and major holidays.

Opening the same day, and remaining up throughout the summer, is an exhibition of children's work in the Young People's Art Center Gallery. YPAO was founded by the Junior League of Birmingham and Cranbrook Academy of Art Galleries.

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About 150 pupils at City and Country School in Bloomfield Hills are using mathematics and science equipment purchased by a \$1,180 federal loan.

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B'FIELD JUNIOR HIGH Election Time Arrives With Spring Weather

By JUDY RASKIN and LEO MARSHALL
Special Writers

On Friday, the eighth and ninth grade classes held a "Roaring Twenties" dance. The students came dressed in flapper costumes or dressy clothes. The Roaring Twenties' dance was also carried out in the entertainment, an old record was used, as well as a Charleston album.

Friday night is the annual banquet for all people who acted in or worked on the spring play. The buffet style dinner will be served from 6 to 9 at the Rotunda Inn. The gold play pins will also be presented then.

RESULTS of last Wednesday night's game and track meet against Walled Lake showed Walled Lake winning both; the game by a small 3-4 margin and the track meet 34 to 54.

But our Lancers don't lose them all. We won against Clawsonville two weeks ago by a score of 13-1.

CLASS OFFICER nominations for next year's 10th grade were also made. The candidates were announced in a ninth-grade assembly while the seventh and eighth graders had a student council assembly. Results will be announced after elections take place.

Since the civics classes have studied the State Legislature and government, the trips brought textbook material to life and made the study more interesting. The Tuesday group was lucky enough to witness the legislature in action, it adjourned later the same evening.

Both groups left at 8 in the morning by bus. The trip included a tour of the capitol building, the Michigan State Police station, and meeting Governor Swainson and Representative Hogan.

SPEAKING of field trips, last Tuesday the student publications classes took a field trip to an area newspaper to see how a big city newspaper was printed. The classes had studied printing methods and writing, and the trip showed the use of the printing press.

APPLICANTS must also write a 100-word theme on their achievement in all four fields. They will be voted upon by the faculty. New members will be announced at an assembly later this month.

PARTICIPATING in Groves' second annual spring instrumental concert were 165 students in grades 7-11. It was held May 11. Both the senior and junior orchestras played a Buchbinder, a sophomore, played a violin solo, "Bruch Violin Concerto."

GROVES SENIOR orchestra traveled to Ottawa Hills High School in Grand Rapids on April 29, to be judged. They received one superior and two excellent ratings. Seven other Michigan orchestras were also judged.

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