

## Groves Falcons

By **BARR SCHIFFER**  
Special Writer

Sports events during the past week-and-a-half have been numerous, and, on the whole, have been won or lost by very close margins. The ninth grade basketball team, on Jan. 10, defeated Anderson Junior High by a score of 17-16, at Anderson, Jan. 15, our varsity basketball team was defeated by Franklin-Livonia, 51-42. Groves' varsity swim team was defeated in a meet at Fitzgerald High School Jan. 16. The final outcome was 64-41. Also on Jan. 16 was the junior high swim meet at Groves with Kimball. The meet began at 4 p.m. and ended with a score of

45-42, Kimball's favor. Jan. 25, Friday night, Groves' varsity basketball team will play Cherry Hill at Cherry Hill. There will also be a varsity swimming meet at Groves with Thurston, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Anne Lawrence, senior, has been awarded the DAR Good Citizenship Award by the Birmingham Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. As part of her award, she and her mother met with DAR members and other nominees for the state award at a tea of the Piety Hill (Birmingham) Chapter on Jan. 6. In March Anne will attend the state contest in Lansing with a DAR member where all representatives will be given impromptu questions to answer. On this basis, a state winner will be chosen to go on to the national finals. This award, sponsored annually by the Daughters of the American Revolution, is based on four points of character and personality: responsibility, service, leadership and patriotism.

## Derby Dragons

By **KAREN PRITCHARD**  
Special Writer

The ninth grade mixed choir is planning what they hope will be the biggest dance of the year. It will be a Sadies Hawkins dance, the girls ask the boys and pay for everything. "Kings and Queens of Groves" will be held in the gym on Feb. 8 from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. A king and queen will be chosen at the dance. The money will help buy robes for the ninth grade girls' choir.

On Wednesday, Jan. 16, Derby's swimming team beat Dandero, 55 to 24. Derby took all first places except in the medley relay. Barnum beat Derby at Derby's third basketball game on Jan. 11. The final score was 14 to 25. Paul Murphy scored the most points with five.

There was a ninth grade splash party on Jan. 18. The money bought bags for the basketball and swimming teams to carry their uniforms in when going to another school.

Three teachers are leaving at the end of the first semester. They are Mrs. Fitzgerald, a music teacher; Mrs. Larson, an English teacher; Mr. Kulkis, a science teacher; and Mr. Snyder, a math teacher. The new teachers will be Mr. John Couter and Mr. Rollin Douma. No replacement was found for Mr. Kulkis as of Jan. 17. Mr. Nichols is returning to replace Mr. Snyder in the math department.

## Academy of the Sacred Heart

By **PATRICIA SHANNON**  
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After a Christmas vacation, the high school held its monthly meeting on Friday, Jan. 4. The successful endeavors of the Christmas Committee were reported and then the girls heard a talk by Father Greene, Maryknoll Missionary and author of "Calvary in China."

On Monday, Jan. 7, five seniors, Rosemary Dempsey, Carol Vieson, Elizabeth Bauer, Patricia Shannon and Justina Stein and the student narrator, Kate Mahony, presented a panel discussion of the events of 1962 to the Fathers' club at its monthly meeting. The program was presented again on Wednesday, Jan. 9 to the Mothers' club.

On the weekend of Jan. 19, the school warmly welcomed 20 girls from Sacred Heart schools in Uruguay who are touring the United States on their summer vacation. During their stay, they visited Greenfield Village, the Shrine of the Little Flower Church, the Detroit Historical Museum, the Van Gogh exhibit and the Academy of the Sacred Heart, Grosse Pointe. The group of travelers sang with guitar accompaniment for the alumni meeting and then attended a party at the home of Elizabeth Moore.

All the members of the senior school are reserving Saturday night, Jan. 25, because each girl has a special job to do at the fifth annual Gourmet Dinner sponsored by the Fathers' Club.

Two new members have been added recently to the student government. They are Rosemary Dempsey and Susan Sennett.

Recently, Mrs. John B. Van Cronkwhite awarded medals to three seniors, outstanding for their service in the Saint Joseph's Junior Auxiliary. Those named for their distinguished work were Sharon Justl, Margaret Mahony and Candace Quail. Terry Gehrig received honorable mention for her service.

placed by last year's liquid formula. The switch came about due to many complaints from students about the "tasteless" powder mix-

## Cranbrook Cranes

By **PETE CUMMINS**  
Special Writer

Thursday afternoon, Jan. 17, the Cranbrook Institute of Science sponsored a lecture which was offered by the National Aeronautic and Space Administration (NASA) on space advancements which are being made by the U.S. at this very moment. On display were many models of rockets, satellites, space probes, and capsules which have been launched by the U.S. or will be launched in the very near future. The auditorium was literally overcrowded with students from Cranbrook School. Two hundred seats were reserved for Cranbrook, but unanticipated interest left many standing throughout the entire lecture.

Friday night, Jan. 18, the weekly skating party was cutting the ice of the Gillette Rink from 8-9:30 p.m. Many students from both Kingswood and Cranbrook took advantage of the cold weather and attended.

As a pleasant end to a weekend which was for most of the students a weekend of mid-year examination review, Mr. Harry D. Hoey, the principal of Cranbrook School, gave a tea for the seniors of Kingswood and Cranbrook Sunday afternoon, Jan. 20. The gathering gave many students a chance to socialize and talk personally to Mr. Hoey and his wife.

## Marian High

By **CAROL JURICA**  
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The Sodality of Marian has been active as it plans a day of recollection on Sunday, Jan. 25, to be held here at Marian. The junior and senior classes will participate in this day of prayer and reflection which will be conducted by Rev. Raymond Ellis. The sodality also prepared a beautiful last Thursday during the lunch hour and after school to the interests of the entire school.

The fraternal mothers' club at Marian sponsored a card party for Marian parents on Friday, Jan. 18. First prize winner of the poster contest held to publicize the card party was freshman Betsy Gottschalk, room 305, who received five dollars for her artwork.

Representative of Marian attended a Byzantine Rite Mass, held at the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral on Saturday, Jan. 19 at 10 p.m. Area Catholic schools were represented at this special Mass celebrated by an Eastern Rite bishop. A holiday will bring to a close the first semester at Marian and also the semester examinations which have been given this week. An all-school ski day will occupy Marian students' day off on Friday, Jan. 25. The annual sports event will take place at Mt. Holly Ski Lodge. Transportation will be by bus from Marian.

Congratulations to Kay Mack and Jennifer Sisson, Marian seniors, who learned last week that they are eligible for National Honor Society scholarships. Kay and Jennifer gained their eligibility from superior scores on the Preliminary S.A.T. taken in October of last year.

## East Hills Junior High

By **BETSY BLOSSER**  
Special Writer

For the first time at the new East Hills Junior High, mid-term exams have been conducted. What a rat race it was! Students were literally running to their classes to look over their notes just one more time, and give a last minute victory prayer. After the tests were over, resolutions were heard through the entire student body to the effect that "Next year I won't wait until mid-term eve for the 'ramming chaos.'" It was a coincidence that last Tuesday night while their children were sitting at home talking about preparing for mid-terms at the school, parents were holding a meeting to talk about preparing for atomic bombs. This cold weather has not only frozen some of the students while waiting at their bus stop, but it has also frozen the pipes in the home economies and hand rooms. As the hand students stiffly walked into the school building last Tuesday morning they were greeted with "You'd better rescue your instruments and blow out the water." Covering the band room floor was a pool of water. Student help for the band students was carried on first hour in the choir room.

Officers were elected for the band last week. Keith Kell is president; Gordon Winfield, vice president; and Dick Pittaley, secretary-treasurer. Modern music is the new unit of study in Band. Mr. Lively, the director, has introduced tunes from "My Fair Lady" and many new marches.

Last week Miss Cleveland's speech class presented "My Client Curly," a humorous play about the life of a caterpillar at the ninth grade assembly.



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