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## Brother Rice Fresh Elect 7 Class Homeroom Officers

By JOHN MCGUCKIN  
Special Writer

Election returns are still coming in from this year's freshman homeroom elections at Brother Rice High School. Held immediately after the end of the first marking period, these elections determined the fresh representatives in the Brother Rice Student Council. While only one freshman will represent his homeroom in SC deliberations, many of the seven freshman classes at BRHS elected a full slate of four officers.

Tom Quail is the president of

the General Science homeroom. Bob Brown, Kelly Lyons and Greg Zuchowski serve as vice-president, secretary and treasurer respectively. The elected officers of Room 103 are Michael Heisler, president; Edward Shaffo, vice-president, and Greg Lambourne, secretary-treasurer.

Donald Kacy, David Baughman, William Teeffey and Frank Veraldi are the officers of homeroom 113. Paul Monocauli is president of Room 106 and Paul Burke holds the same position in his homeroom, 105.

BESIDES electing officers, the class of '67 has been busy holding try-outs and practice for this year's freshman basketball team. Under the direction of Brother E. V. Kelly, the fresh team plays its first game tomorrow afternoon. They will take on Catholic Central in the BRHS gym.

Playing on the Warrior freshman team are Brian O'Hara, Ken Meredith, Jim Faught, Brian McCullagh, Mike Bowen, Bob Gleason, Jim Burbott and Paul Lutz. Lee Just, Mel Boomer, Dan Phelan, Greg Pellette, Dave Palms and Tim O'Connor form the rest of the squad.

The BRHS varsity opens its first season in the Catholic Central Division at 7:30 this evening. The Warriors are playing Catholic Central High School in the CC gym. Coach Ken Yastic's strong squad hopes to better last year's 8-4 record.

NOT ALLOWING themselves to be outdone by freshmen activity, this year's sophomores held their first dance on Thanksgiving Eve. The all-sophomore committee which planned the "Plymouth Rock" was headed by Buzz Stacyszynski, secretary of the class of '66. This dressy dance was held from 8 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Music was provided by the Promolite.

Working under Buzz were committees on decorations, tickets and publicity, and refreshments. John Sullivan, Brian McNaught and Jim Varley handled decorations, while Jim Hurrell worked on refreshments. Sophomores Bob Ringer and Roger Trembley were in charge of tickets and publicity.

Senior vocation week was held at Brother Rice during the week of Nov. 11 to 15. During this week the members of Brother Rice's first senior class were asked to seriously consider the religious life as a possible vocation. Four members of the Brother Rice faculty spoke to each senior homeroom on this important topic.

CLIMAXING the entire week was a short address by the Rev. Father Brown from Precious Blood Parish. Father spoke to the Brother Rice juniors and seniors on Nov. 18. Rev. Father DuCharme of Saint Gerard Parish spoke to the freshmen and sophomores on vocations on Nov. 17.

In one of its first major activities the Brother Rice Sodality prepared Thanksgiving baskets for the poor in the Detroit area.

## Track Coach Talks To Groves Athletes

By PAM CARPENTER  
Special Writer

Students were informally introduced to various career possibilities at the first biennial Career Day at Groves, sponsored by the Birmingham Rotary Club Nov. 18.

Leon Hart, former Detroit Lions player, and Mr. Robert Thom, well-known artist for Parke-Davis, were two of the many speakers who participated in the program.

MR. KERMIT AMBROSE, cross country and track coach at Seaholm High School, was toastmaster at the fall sports banquet, held on Monday. The mothers' committee was in charge of the event.

Chairmen who planned various portions of the program were Mrs. J. Albert Stephenson, of the mothers of the football team; Mrs. H. B. Speicher, cross country mothers committee; and Mrs. James Steele, chairman of the cheerleaders committee.

Winning first place cash awards in the combo-clash, sponsored by the Birmingham Exchange Club, was the band, "The Marauders." Jim Dubois and Greg Campbell were two of the players in this band representing Groves.

JUNIOR CLASS candy sales are now in full swing. This year, Fanny Farmer Candy is being sold, with a selection of three different types: pecan dices (turtles); milk chocolate assortment; and the home assortment.

The senior class is selling fruit

cake as a means to raise money for their various yearly expenses.

Debaters from Groves challenged the team from South Lake High. Their topic was "Medicare for Everybody." Our team is sponsored by Miss Joyce Malin.

Yearbook sales were continued until Nov. 27. This year's Talon will be 10 pages larger than it was last year; it will also contain colored pictures. As of Nov. 21, Karen Palmer, and Paul Hurstadi were the top salesmen.

SCHOOL WAS dismissed early, Wednesday, Nov. 27, celebrating Thanksgiving vacation. A pep assembly, organized by the cheerleaders was presented during fifth hour, to introduce members of the winter sports teams which are basketball, swimming and wrestling.

The assembly was also a kick-off for the first basketball game tonight. A sock hop following the game will be sponsored by the Ski Club.

Business machine classes of Mr. Otto, visited the Oakland County courthouse Nov. 20. They attended a court case, and viewed machines used in this field of work.

The Henry Ford Museum was the field trip destination for United States history classes taught by Mrs. Cherna and student teacher Miss Wesch. Three of the foreign exchange students Molly Francoise, and Ragnor, were the guests, along with Mrs. James Steele, and Mr. Cook.



## Mayor Welcomes AFS Students

Mayor William H. Burgum (right) presented keys to the City recently to the girls Hansen, Hesselager, Denmark; Marie six Birmingham American Field Service students at Seaholm High School. From left

Gabriele Glassing, Hamburg, Germany; Birsen Bursons, Quito, Ecuador; Peter Poldervant, Brussels, Belgium, and Tommi Kihlberg, Helsinki, Finland.

## B'field Jr. High Slates Contest To Name Paper

By MARCIA MOYER  
Special Writer

The first edition of the 9th grade school newspaper came out Tuesday. It was given the temporary name of "The Unknown." A contest is being held in which all students will have the opportunity to submit a name. Mr. Draschil is the faculty advisor.

Star Volley Ball team were chosen last week. They include Sharon Camps, Claudia Carriek, Amy Cameron, Nan Deidhorn, Diane Dickerson, Sue Henderson, Michele Heussner, Sue Heselberger, Diane Lamb, Kathy Mauck, Penny Stresen-Rauter and Betsy Wolfe. Plans are being made to play East Hills Jr. High and Norup Jr. High of Berkley.

## 3 Cranbrook Students Tour United Nations

By DOUGLAS LIEBERMAN  
Special Writer

Just before Thanksgiving, three Cranbrook students joined a YMCA tour group on an excursion to the United Nations. The boys, Peter Hamlin, James McQuaid, and John Piraino, traveled to New York by train, and spent three days at the YMCA.

Their schedule took them on guided tours through the U.N., with admission to several current conferences, and also to the United States and Russian embassies, where they held discussions with a minister from each. The evenings were spent studying and debating what they had gathered through the day.

In the field of home politics, the Cranbrook Political Forum has held four meetings to date. The current problems under discussion are the school prefect system, and the grading system. For many years Cranbrook has had a student government body consisting of elected seniors, "Prefects," who generally have supervisory jobs.

SEVERAL NEW systems have been proposed, as well as some debate in terms of a new grading system. Mr. Carl G. Wonnberger, head of our English department, spoke on Friday, Nov. 15, about his feelings toward these issues.

Wednesday, Nov. 20, the results of the all-school grade tabulations were announced. Sophomore Tom Elliot had the highest average in the school, and Daybo House Towers was awarded the scholarship plaque for the 15th time in a row.

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