

Graduation for 511 Planned at Seaholm

BY KATHY PORTER
Special Writer

June 11 marks the end of a high school career for 511 graduating seniors at Ernest W. Seaholm High School. At 10 a.m. Thursday they will march into the gymnasium to the traditional strains of "Pomp and Circumstance" to receive their diplomas.

Leading the Class of '64 as Valedictorian will be Robert Swanson. For his scholastic achievement Bob has also received the Regents Alumni Scholarship to the University of Michigan, the Michigan State University Alumni Distinguished Scholarship and a scholarship to Princeton University. He has also received the Alumni War Memorial Scholarship to Colgate University and the Mine Safety Appliances Company Scholarship.

JUDITH STEERE has been named Salutatorian of Seaholm's Senior Class for 1964. Judy has received the Chrysler Corporation Fund Merit Scholarship to the University of Michigan and the Rensselaer Polytechnic, Detroit Alumni Medal for excellence in mathematics.

A total of 31 students are graduating Cum Laude with a scholastic grade point average of 3.5 or better. Receiving Cum Laude honors are Peta Adams, Sue Ault, Larry Bell, Tina Bencker, Barb Benton, Chuck Bethel, Karlyn Bowditch, Bruce Cronander, Nancy Diamond, Car-

ryn Emmett and Joan Finneren. Other scholars include Bob Hamilton, Diane Harrington, Nancy Herrmann, Debbie Jehle, Rick Keyes, Sue Knopf, Julie McCain, Rick Nuffer, Bill Patton, Karen Piel, Glenn Quackenbush and Kathy Quinn.

More are Ron Reinhard, Marrie Richards, Dick Simmons, Frank Smith, Pam Terry, Roger Ulrich and Dave Zimmer.

BILL MEESKE, present editor of the "Highlander," Seaholm's newspaper, was triumphantly elected president of Student Congress for next fall. Jim Christensen was elected vice-president and Linda Carlson for treasurer. Kathy Kennedy was elected secretary.

Kathy Kennedy also has recently received word from the American Field Service Chapter in New York with information regarding her selection and placement as an AFS student to go abroad this summer. Her home for the summer will be in Singapore, Malaysia.

Her father abroad will be Tan Kern Khoo a building contractor. She will have four sisters and one brother. One of her new sisters is now attending the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

News also has been received that one of Seaholm's AFS students to come to Birmingham in the fall is coming from Winterberg, Switzerland. Her name is Regula Allen-

Retarded Children Council Meets

Three special guests reported on recent developments in programming for the mentally retarded at the annual spring meeting of the Oakland County Council for Retarded Children last Thursday in the Birmingham Community House.

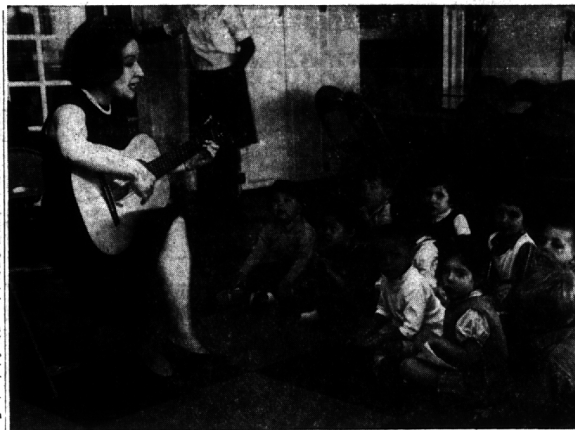
These guests were William Wagner, of Berkeley, vice chairman of the newly-created Community Mental Health Service Board of Oakland County; Duane Koschok, of Lansing, staff assistant, Michigan Department of Mental Health; and Mrs. Rita Charron, of Royal Oak, member of the State Mental Health Advisory Council and chairman of the Governmental Affairs Committee of the Michigan Association for Retarded Children.

In addition, the meeting heard a report on the formation of NEW HORIZONS of Oakland County, which is planning a center for vocational training and sheltered employment.

Wagner and she will be staying with Kathie Davis.

Over 128 Seaholmites received awards at the annual awards assembly held May 21. Recognition was given to students because of their achievements in various fields.

THE VARIOUS fields included sports, journalism, scholastic writing, mathematics, debate, Forensics, science, homemaking and National Merit Scholarships.



Putting Their Lessons to Music

Thursday has become a special day for nursery, kindergarten and first grade pupils at Bloomfield City and Country School. Kay Peven, known nationally as Kay Britten, comes to teach them folksongs. School officials hope the experiment will develop good taste and familiarity in folk literature

in the students as well as provoke interest in classical music and literature in the future. Mrs. Peven expands the list of songs from time to time. Although the reasons for the "hotomany" are educational, one glance at the pupils' expressions reveals it's also a lot of fun.

Berkshire Jr. Future Teachers Hold Dance

BY MARGARET BROWNING
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The eighth grade students feel the Future Teachers' dance, "That Was the Year That Was," should be repeated. Approximately 200 students attended. The Future Teachers' dance will probably become an annual event. The proceeds will be used next year for the Future Teachers' convention and award pin expenses.

Future Teachers' pins were awarded to the following people: Barbara Ball, David Ball, Carolyn Beauvais, Christine Burroughs, Claire Burstaidt, Cheryl Caruso, Michele Chitren, Pat Corcoran, Gail Eubank, Allan Goode, Gail Granader and Barb Hunter.

OTHERS RECEIVING pins were Ann Karpick, Jaque Jaques, Michael Kidney, Bari Lane, Barb Mangrum, Diane Martin, Pam Pajas, Wendy Ricker, Julie Robertson, Katie Theurer, Wendy Thomson and Joyce Valentine.

Carolyn Beauvais received the Future Teachers' award of the year because she willingly and dependably contributed the most to the club.

Mrs. Laura Smith and Miss Barbara Davis prepared a showcase which gave recognition to 250

students for their contributions to Berkshire. The memberships of the continuous honor roll, band and orchestra, student council, swimming team, journalism staff library and office staffs were listed.

Pictures and names of those students who had won awards during the year were displayed. Awards were presented in the Future Teachers' Club, Industrial arts, bowling, Centennial Art Contest and Scholastic Writing Contest.

ON THURSDAY, June 4 Berkshire hosted the final student-supervisor press conference. Dr. John Blackhall Smith and Miss Barbara Marx met with journalism students and advisors representing Birmingham's fine Secondary schools.

The monthly conferences have provided opportunities for students to meet administrators from the Hill Building. Each guest was class questioned on school topics from lights for the football field at Groves to the current proposed millage.

Jim MacDonald and Margaret Browning attended the luncheon meeting with their advisor, Miss Margaret Carter.

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