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Ashtabula High School

Class of 1969

We are the Panthers! The mighty, mighty Panthers!





View of the back!



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The Class Officers say
Hello!

Class President



**“Welcome to our 50th
Panther reunion! Sorry I
can’t be there and I sure will
miss being there with you. I
wish you all a terrific 50th
reunion and look forward to
our 75th reunion. See you
there !**

**Werner Noesner
Cody, Wyoming”**



Class Vice-President



“This is **John DRAMIS**. I won’t be able to attend unfortunately. We moved my parents to Raleigh NC where Jim lives. All good in Fayetteville AR where I live with my wife Pam.

I have fond memories of my time at AHS. Please give my best to everyone there and thanks to everyone who made this happen!.

Best wishes - John”



Class Treasurer

Greetings AHS Class of 1969!



It seemed good to me that as a Class we...

- Embrace memories of the past and acknowledge future possibilities. The paradox lies in clarity and our understanding of necessary action for the future.
- walked toward a precipice of extreme change in society: Woodstock- an “Aquarian Expedition of music history “; Haight-Ashbury- Hippie counterculture; political demonstrations and protests for revolutionary change through the Black Panther Party and Weather Underground ; the Vietnam War; protest marches and boycotts to desegregate and eliminate systemic racism; and, massive technological/scientific change.
- transitioned from LP’s and 45 records to reel to reel tapes, 8 track cartridge tapes, cassette tapes, Polaroid camera instant image photos, computer binary systems, space exploration to launch Apollo putting mankind on the moon.

Despite all these historical leaps- we must remain acutely conscious to global peace and protections for our planet Earth. This is due diligence for our future and future generations.

Best, Rosalind Moody-Lanton

Class Secretary



My family -

In the Name of God

Most Gracious

Most Merciful

I am very thankful for having been a part of the AHS Class of 1969.

The optimism, mutual respect, joy, cooperation, and productivity among our diverse and talented student body ran high.

With our continued right thinking and right acting, the best is yet to come.

May peace, love, happiness, vitality, and success always be ours.

Sincerely,
Anita T. El-Amin



Extracurricular



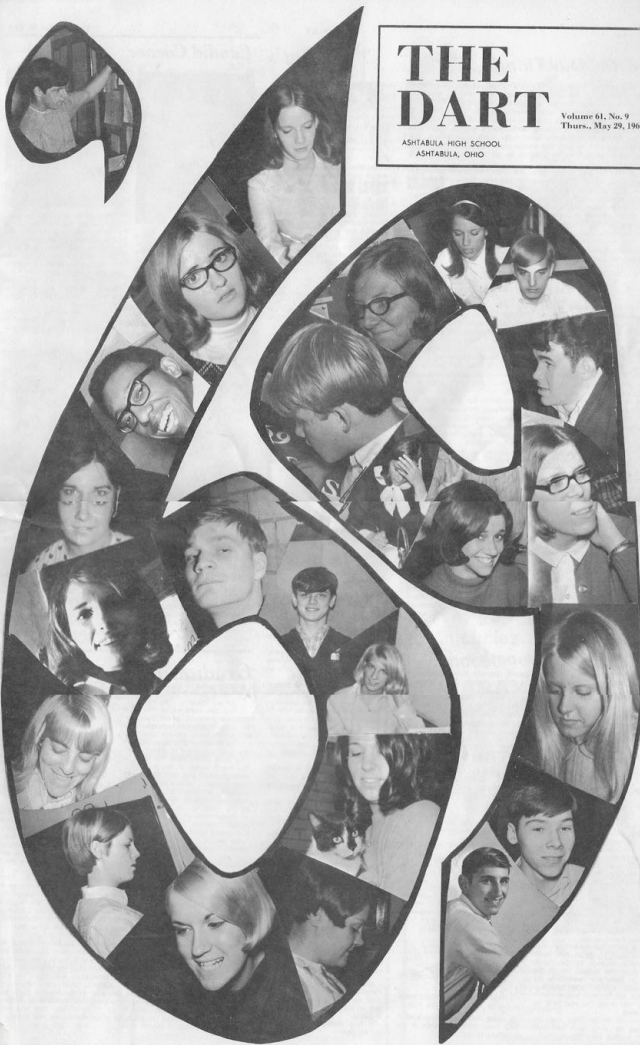




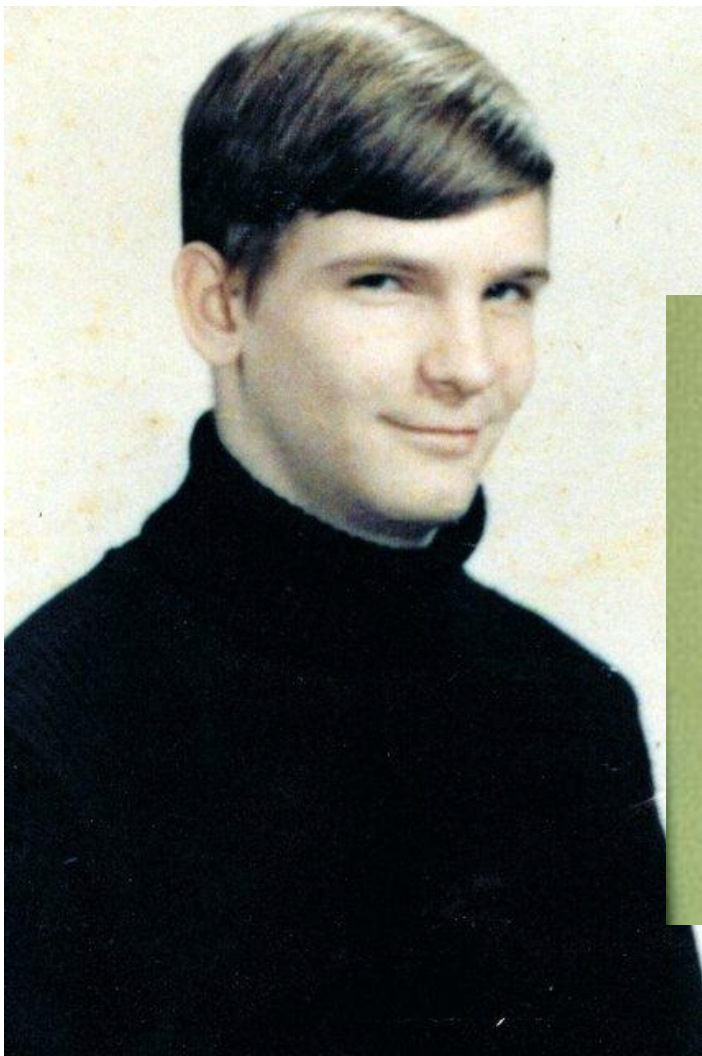
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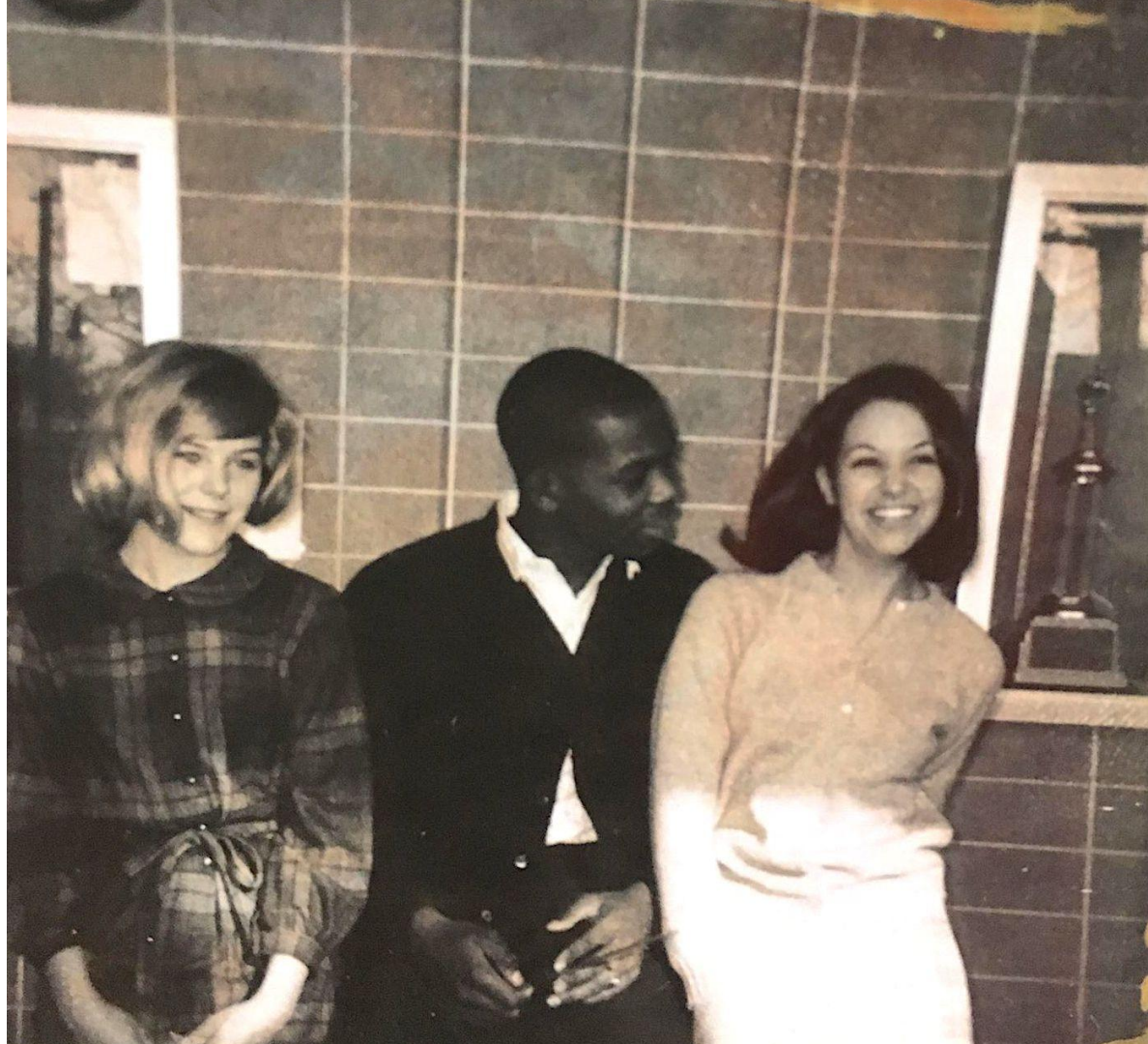












Dark of the Moon

A fuzzy view of the old school auditorium.











Ron Hornack
Greg Kaydo
John Houser
Doug Harper
Tom Doll
Jerry Gloss
Chris Flack



The Latin Club

Doug
Harper

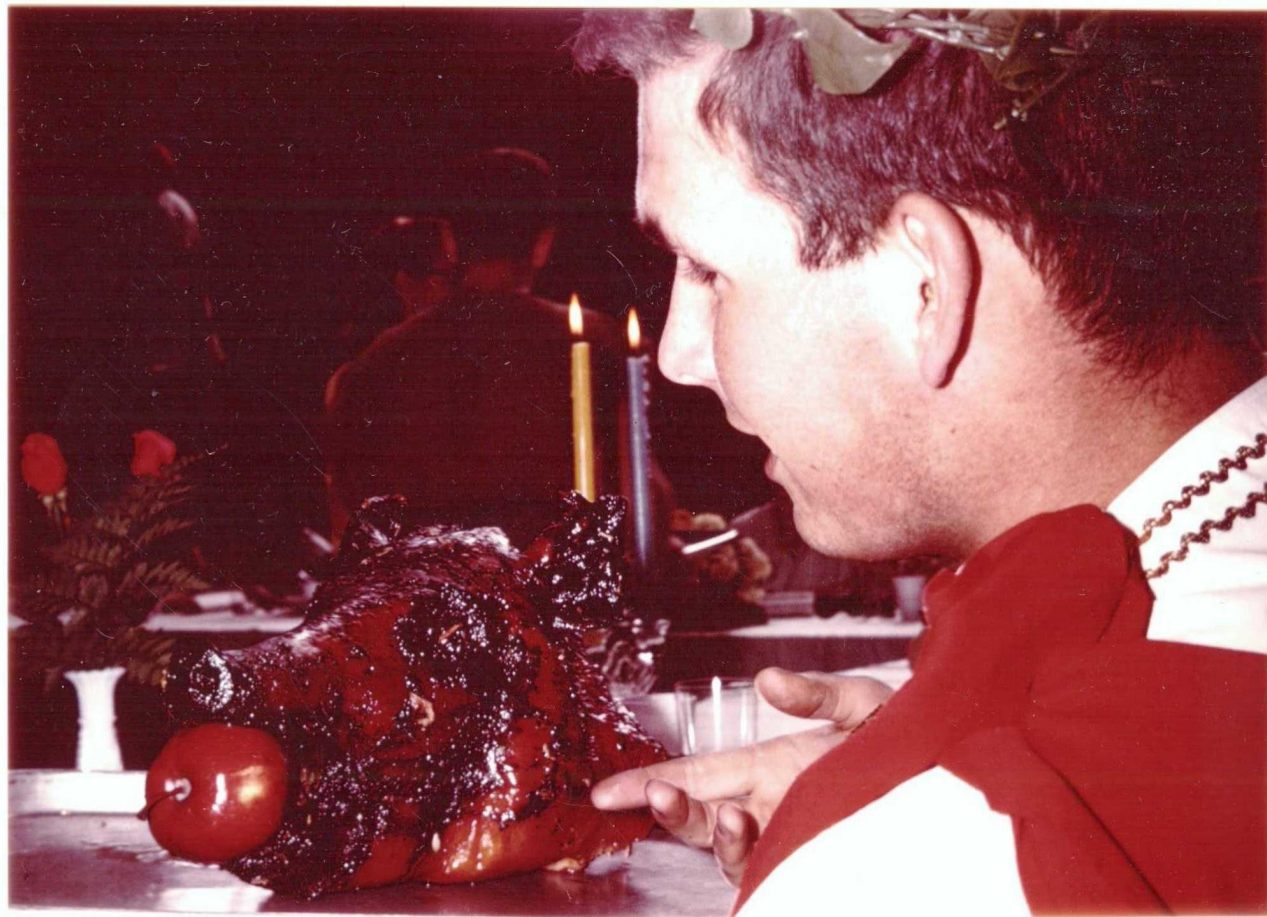
Tom
Dinger







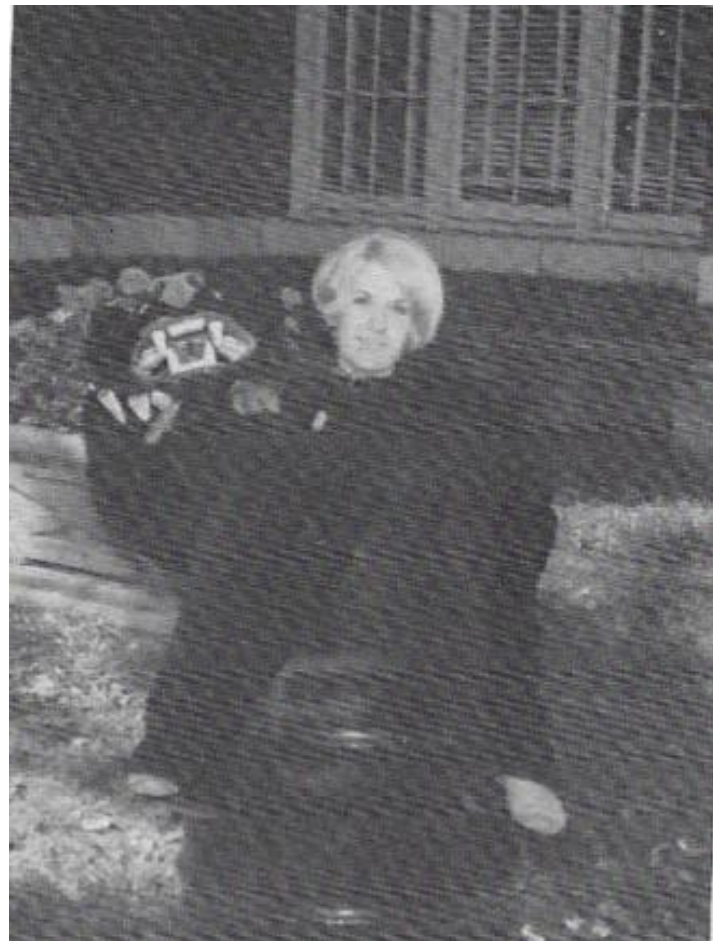
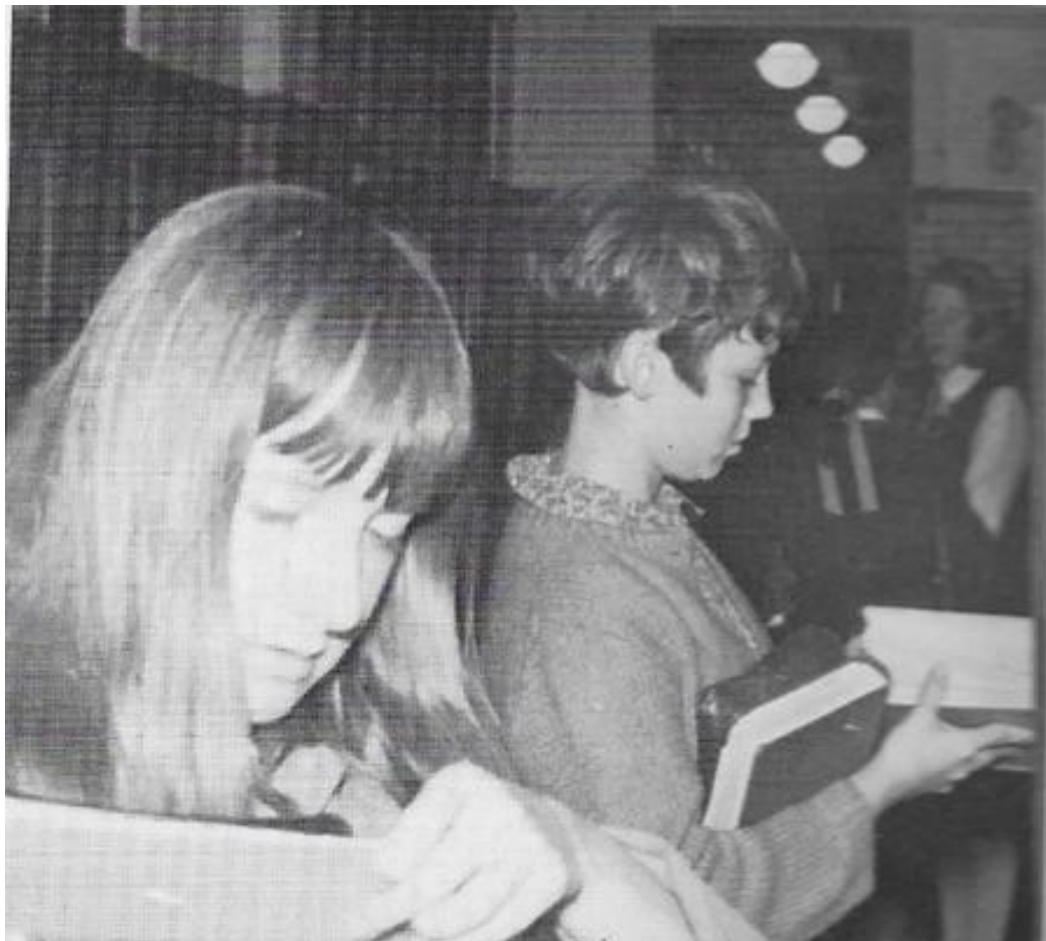
Doug Harper
as Caesar



Linda Scafuro



Always Studios





Bob Loeffel

Ron Hornack

Norm Cook

John Houser

Chris Flack



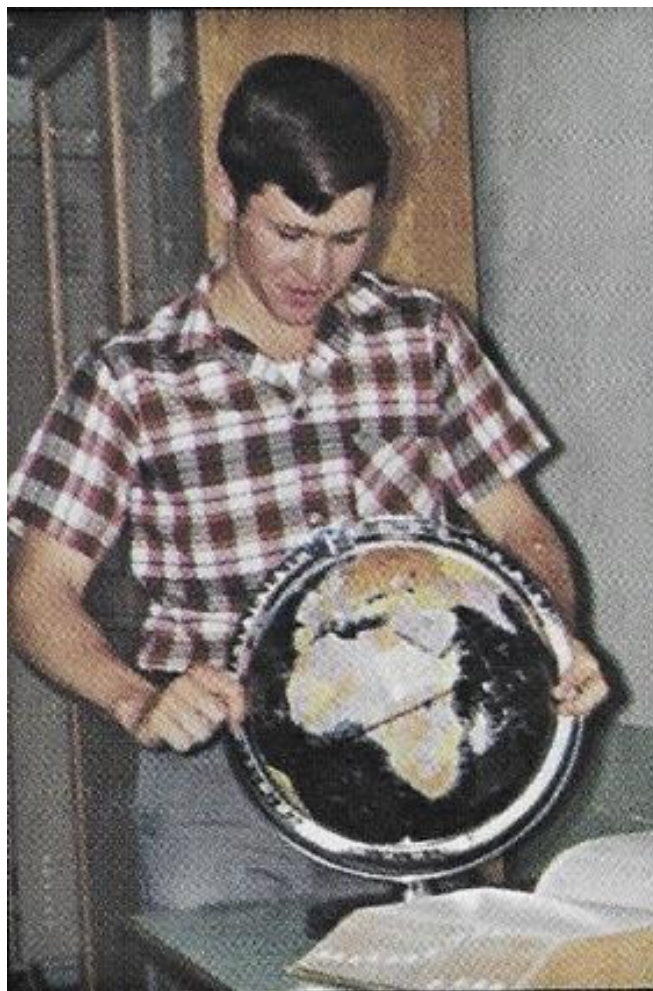


Ron Hornack's
imitation of
Miss Jean
Phillips



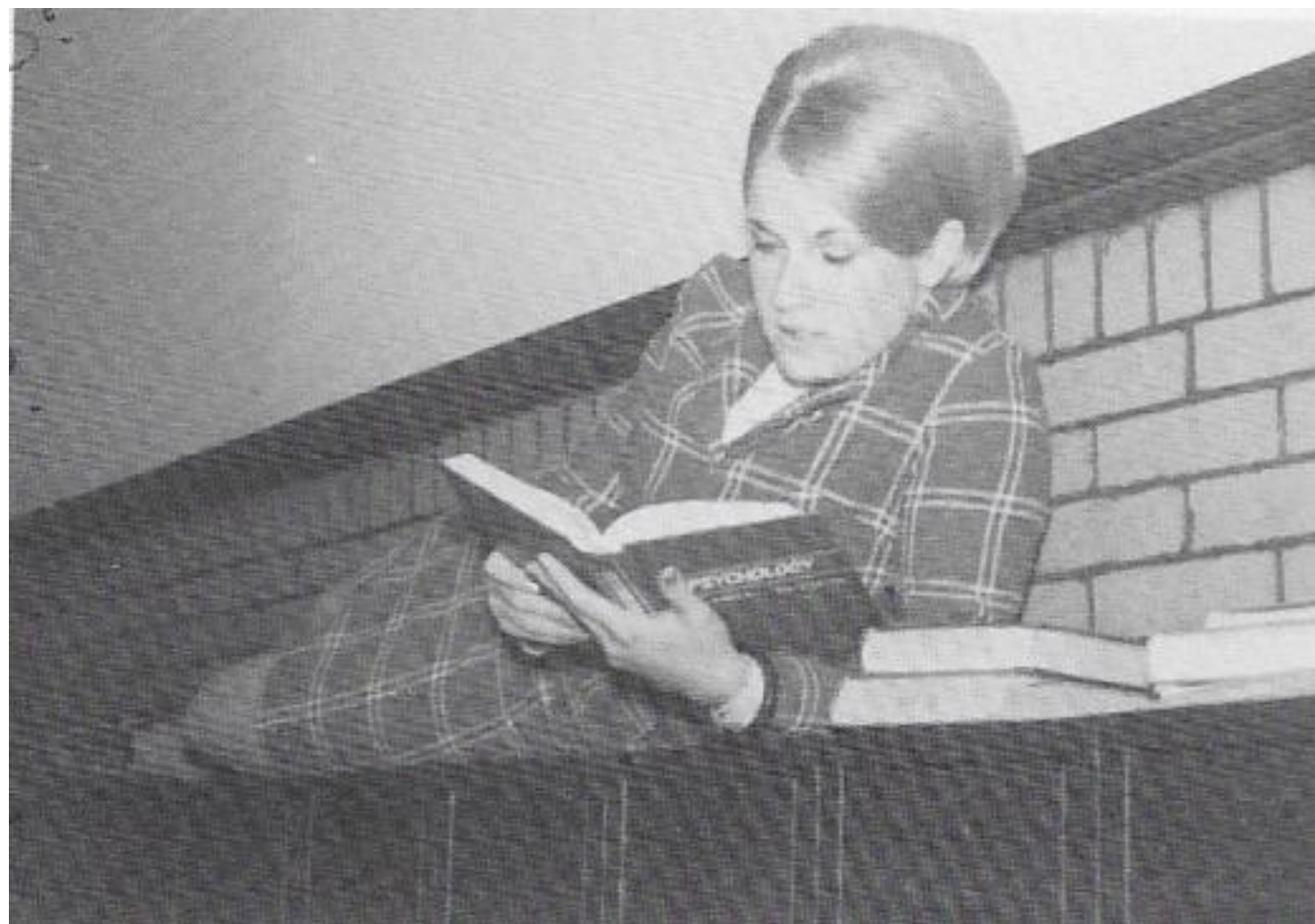
Ron Hornack
Norm Cook













Bruce Burns

Finds a sum of
money in a
library book!







Robert Loeffel

Lynda Walton

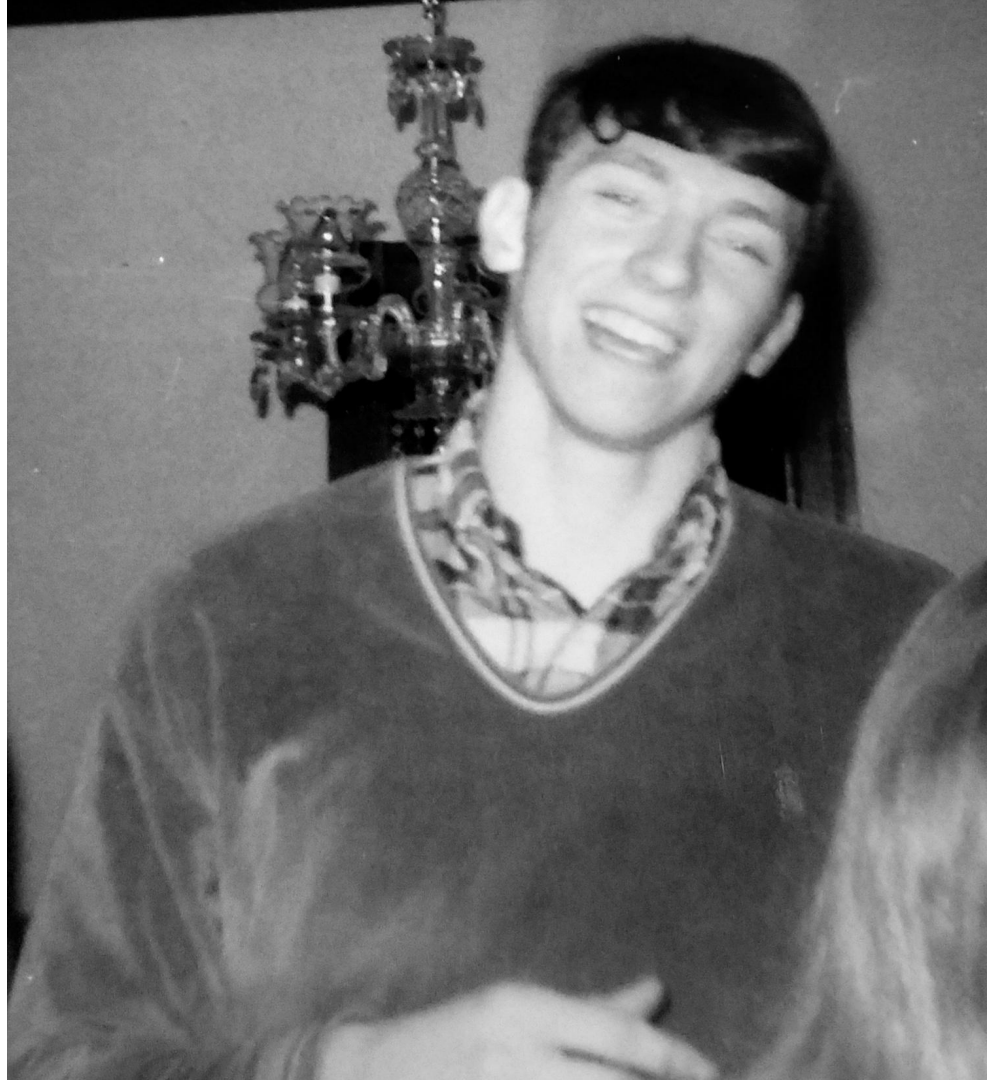
Linda Freede

James Dramis



Outside School - we Partayed!

Doug Humphrey



Sue Amidon
Linda Dalton





Tom Stevenson
Charleen Diedrichs
Judy Pinney

Doug Humphrey
Mary Ellsworth



Jim Dramis



Sara Seme
Charleen Diedrichs
Sandy Marsh
Carol Corlett



1967

Sandy Emmel

Carol Dewey

Tommy Monda (St. J)

Cindy Babcock



THE PROMS!

Jr. Prom

Sue Amidon



Jr. Prom

Deb Preciano



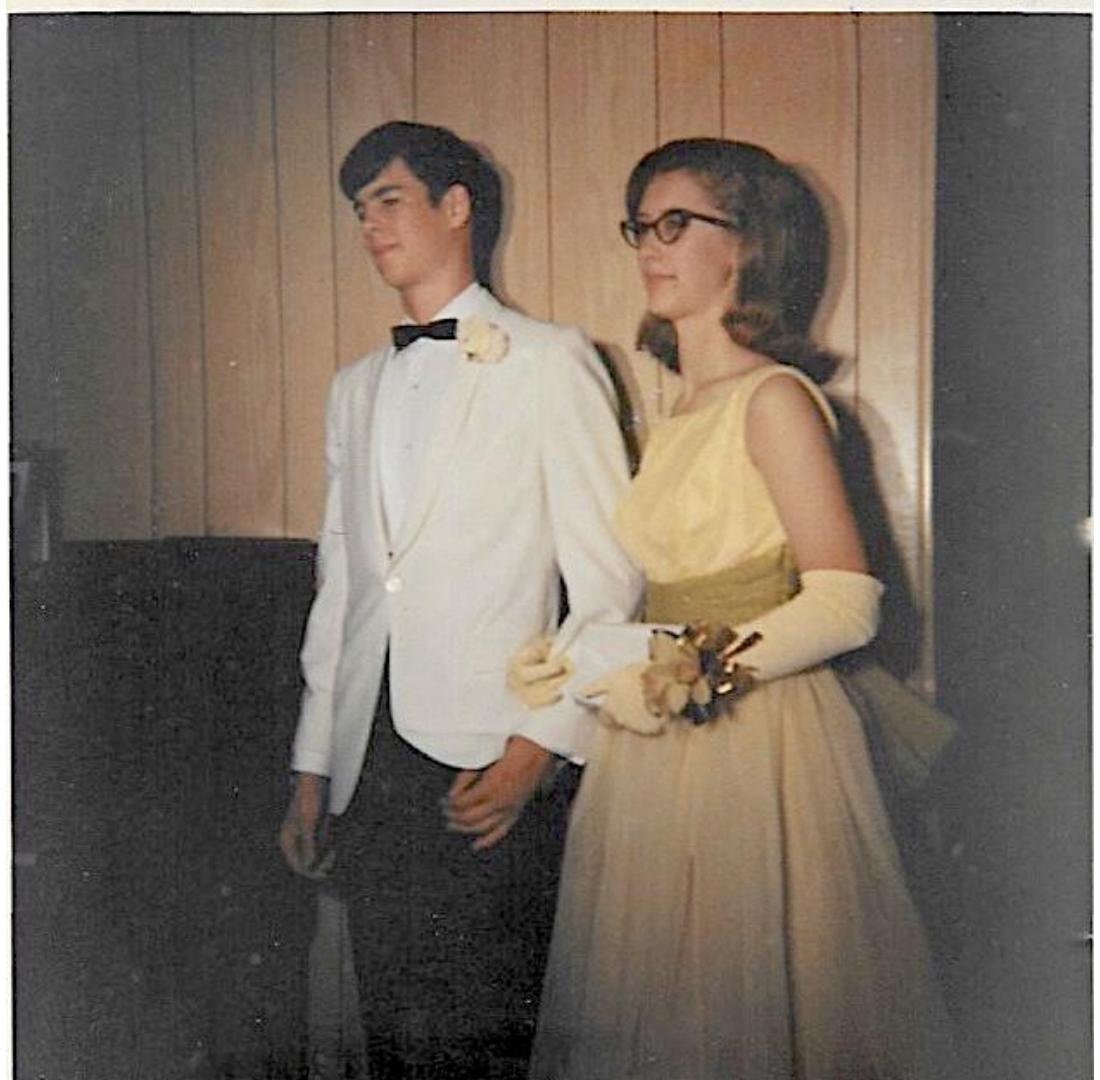
Jr. Prom

Brenda McCool
and date

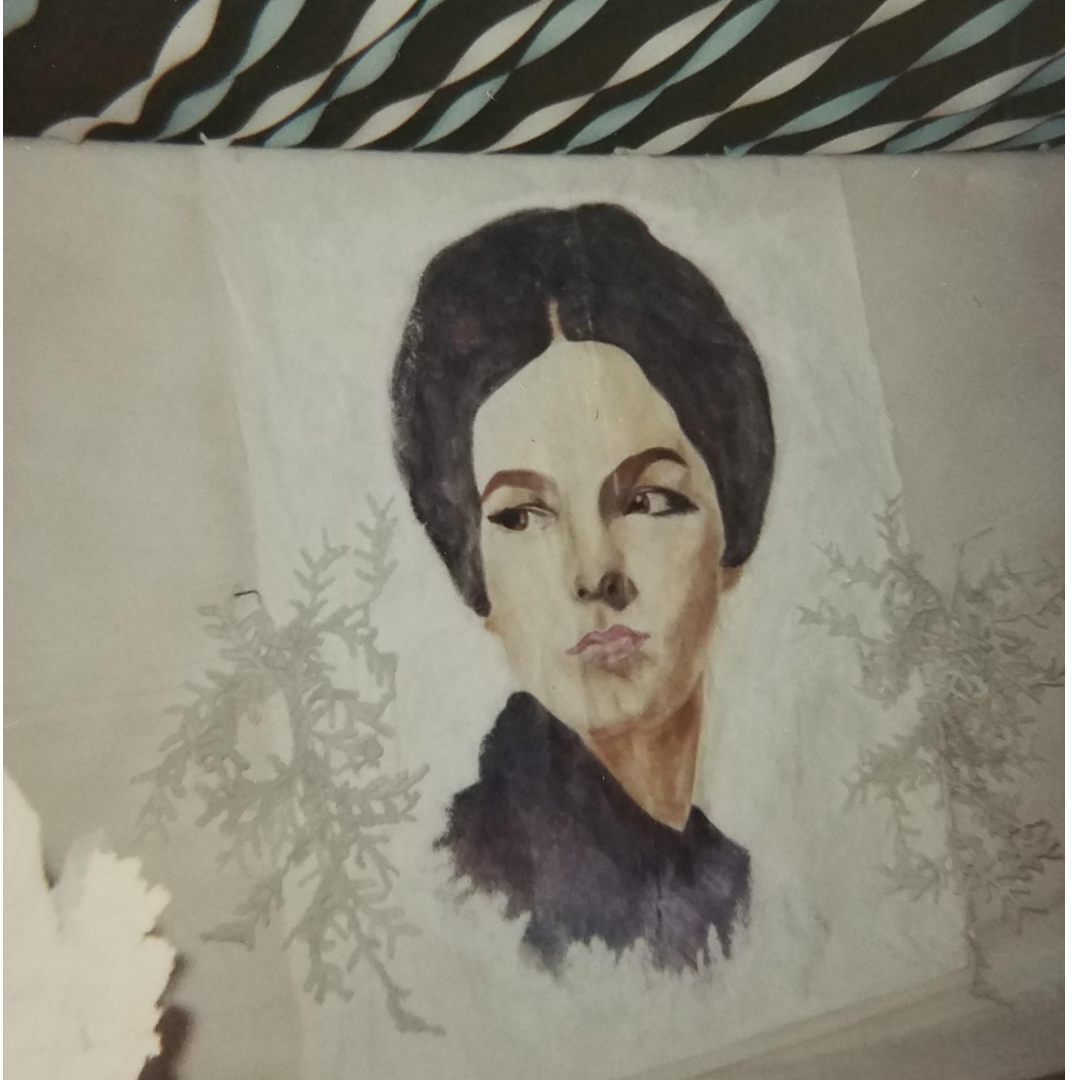


Jr Prom

Bruce Burns
Mary Ellsworth



Dr. Zhivago
Jr Prom theme



Sr. Prom

Linette Lowe

David Chaney

“I spent hours sewing that prom dress.

Got married at Methodist Church across from
high school.

Aug 16 will be our 44th Anniversary!”



Tina Pedro
Sonya Houck



Sr. Prom

Doug Humphrey

Janie Welty

Mary Ellsworth

David Tidd

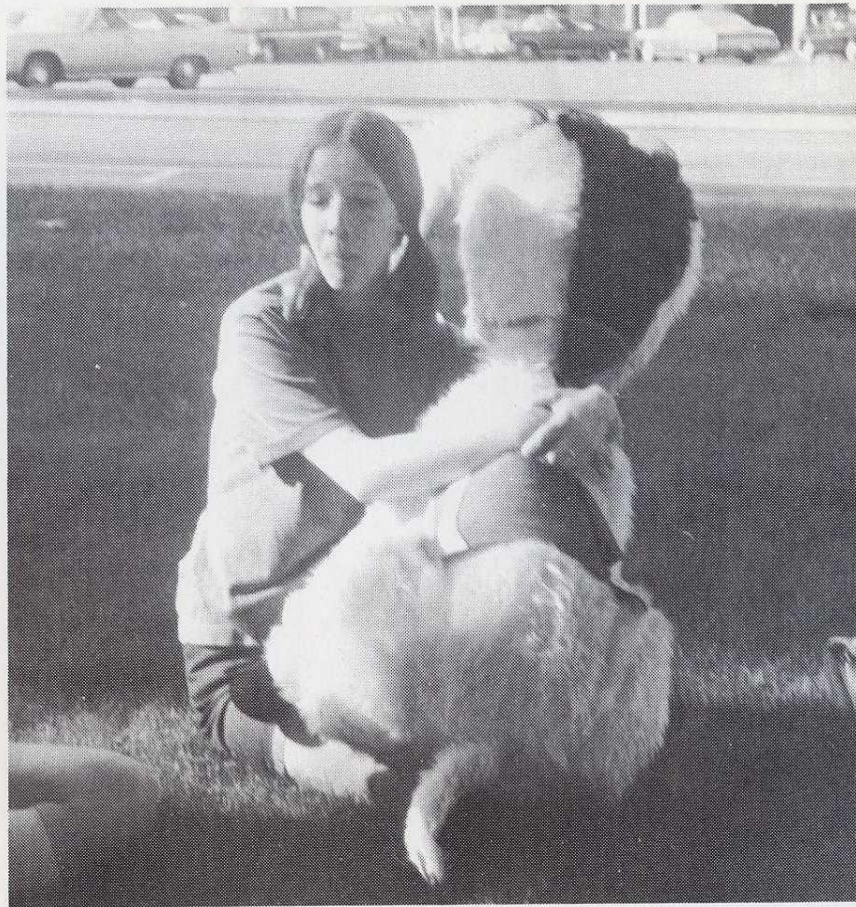


Senior Day





Typical (?) six-year-olds



“Murf” and friend



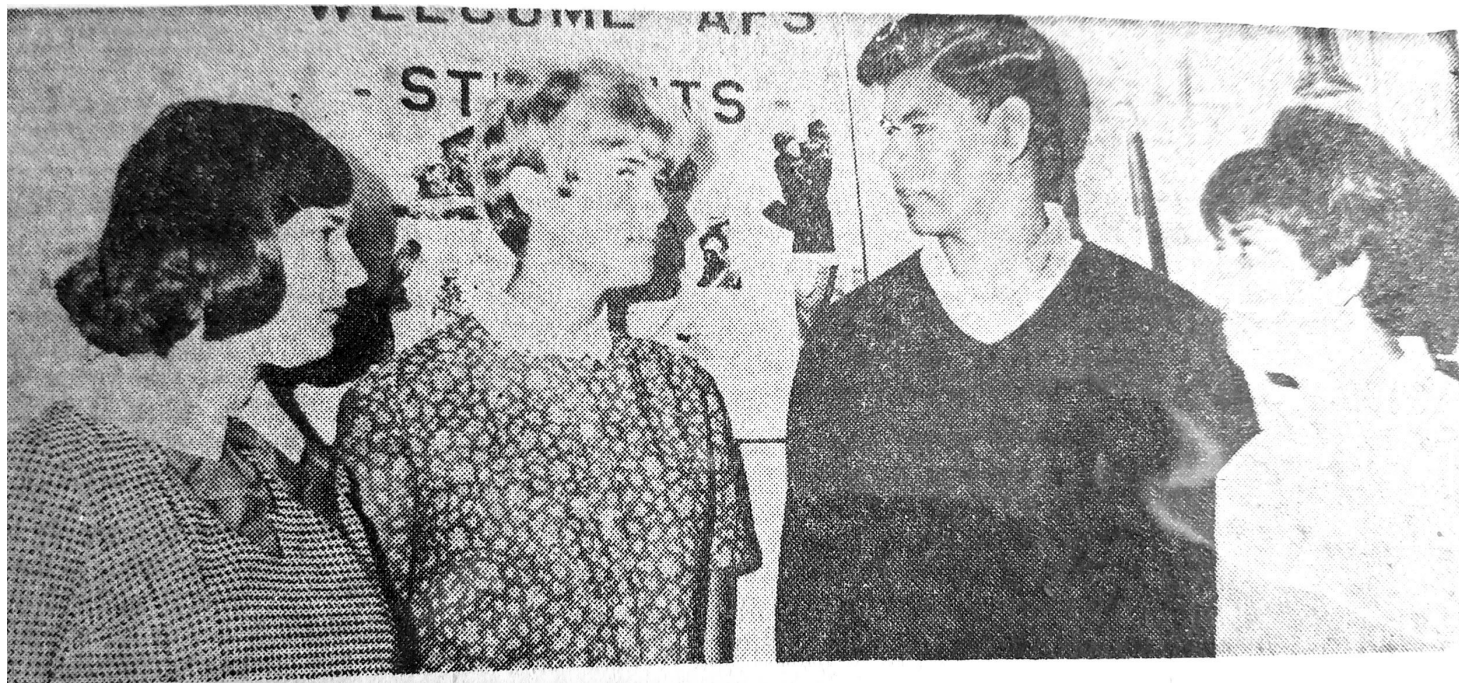




AFS

“... Linette Lowe is leaving for Turkey...”

- The Star Beacon



AFS STUDENTS give an American students information on what it is like to travel and live abroad. Miss Linette Lowe (second from left) will be leaving for Turkey. The three AFS students staying in this area will be returning home this summer. From left they are Serena Maheno, New Zealand; Miss Lowe; Angel Villalba, Paraguay; and Agnes Lauwens, Belgium. The students were feted at a luncheon Thursday at the Cedars Trivet Room.

Judy Pinney
Carlos Morales
Sandy Marsh









SPORTS



Julie
Fassett

Carol
Dewey

Kathy
Hanselman

Sherry
Cooley

Cindi
Frost

Ellen
Wilson

Linette Lowe

“Sewed my GAA letter on my winter jacket. My deepest regret - no girl's sports teams for us at AHS.”











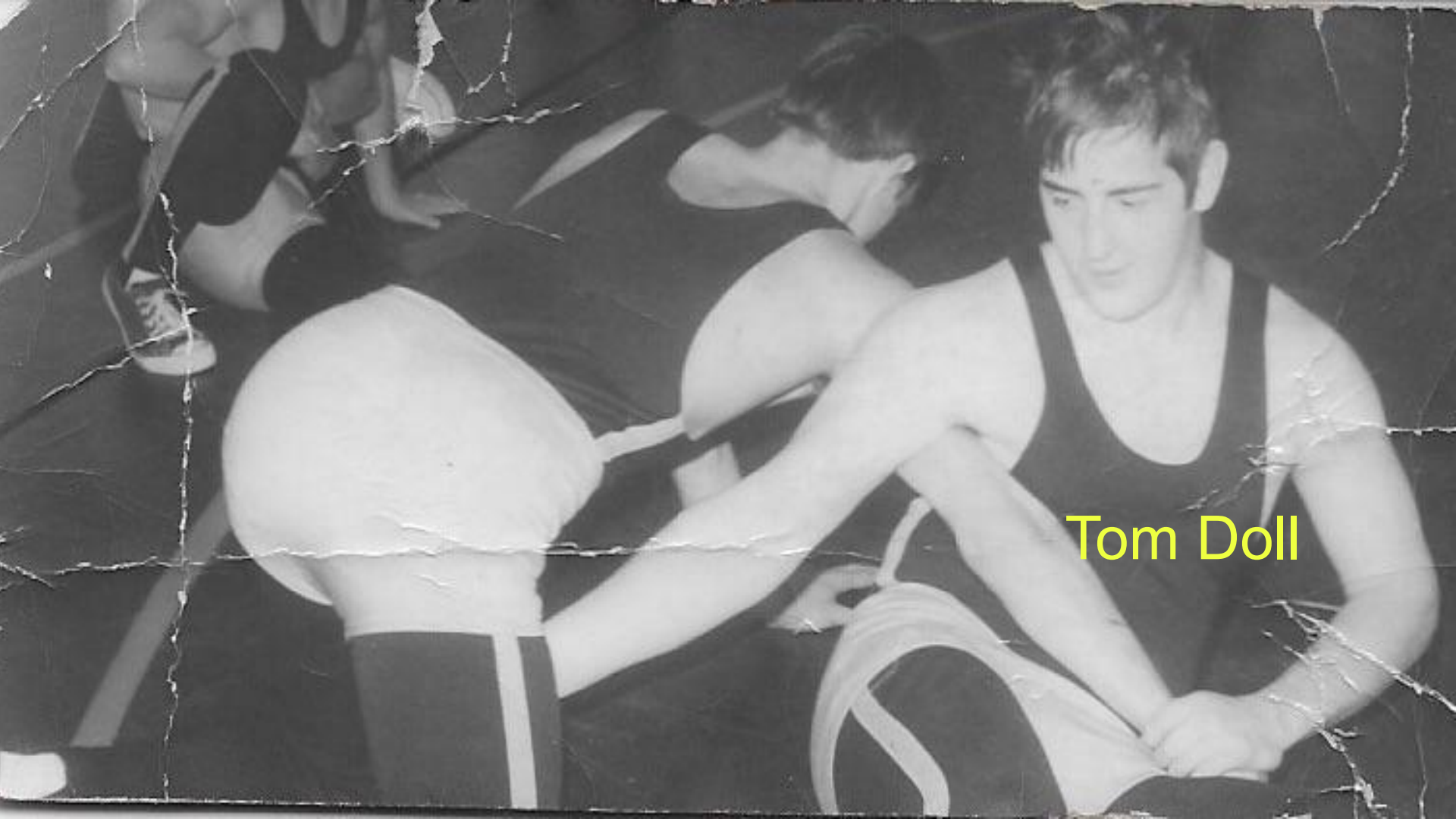


Bob McCarty John Hovier Norm Cook Doug Harper Chris Fleck Ranger Cockenn Jeff Scafuro Bill Green







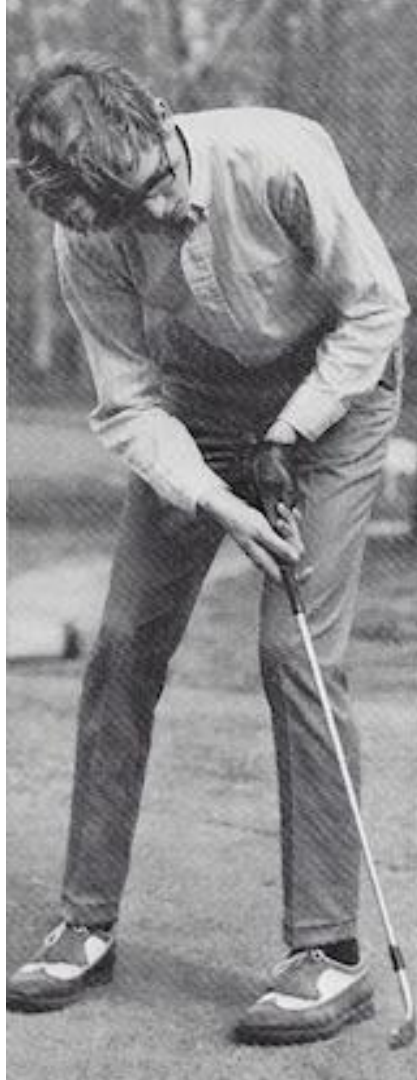


Tom Doll

Jim Mason



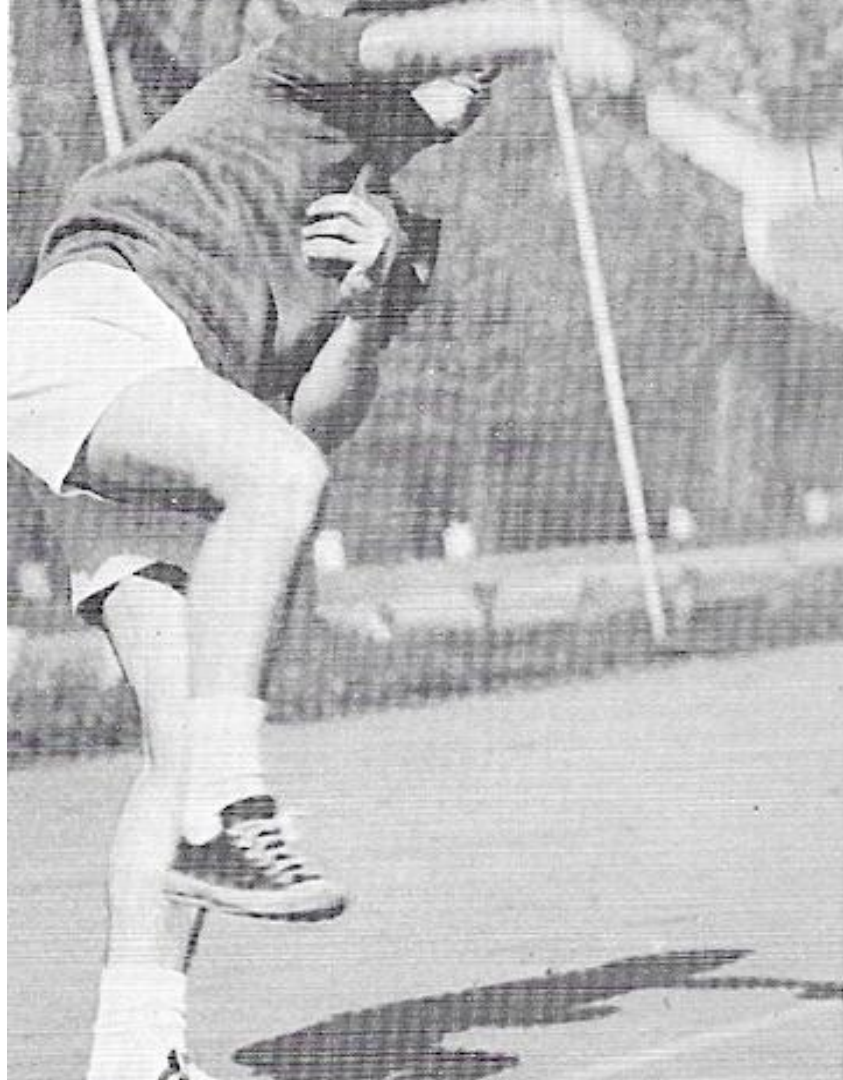
Denny King

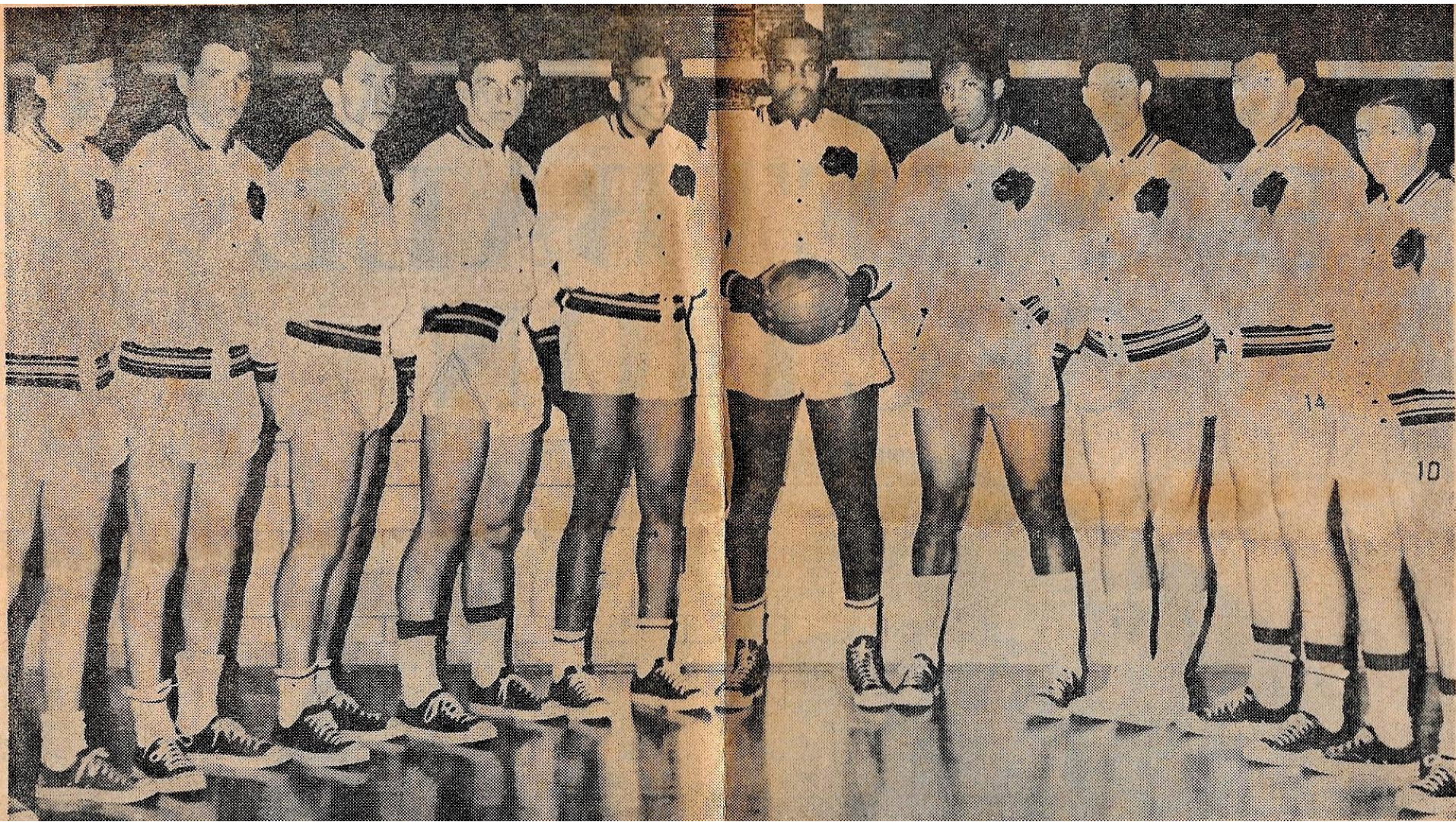


Dan Parrett



Dan Aronson





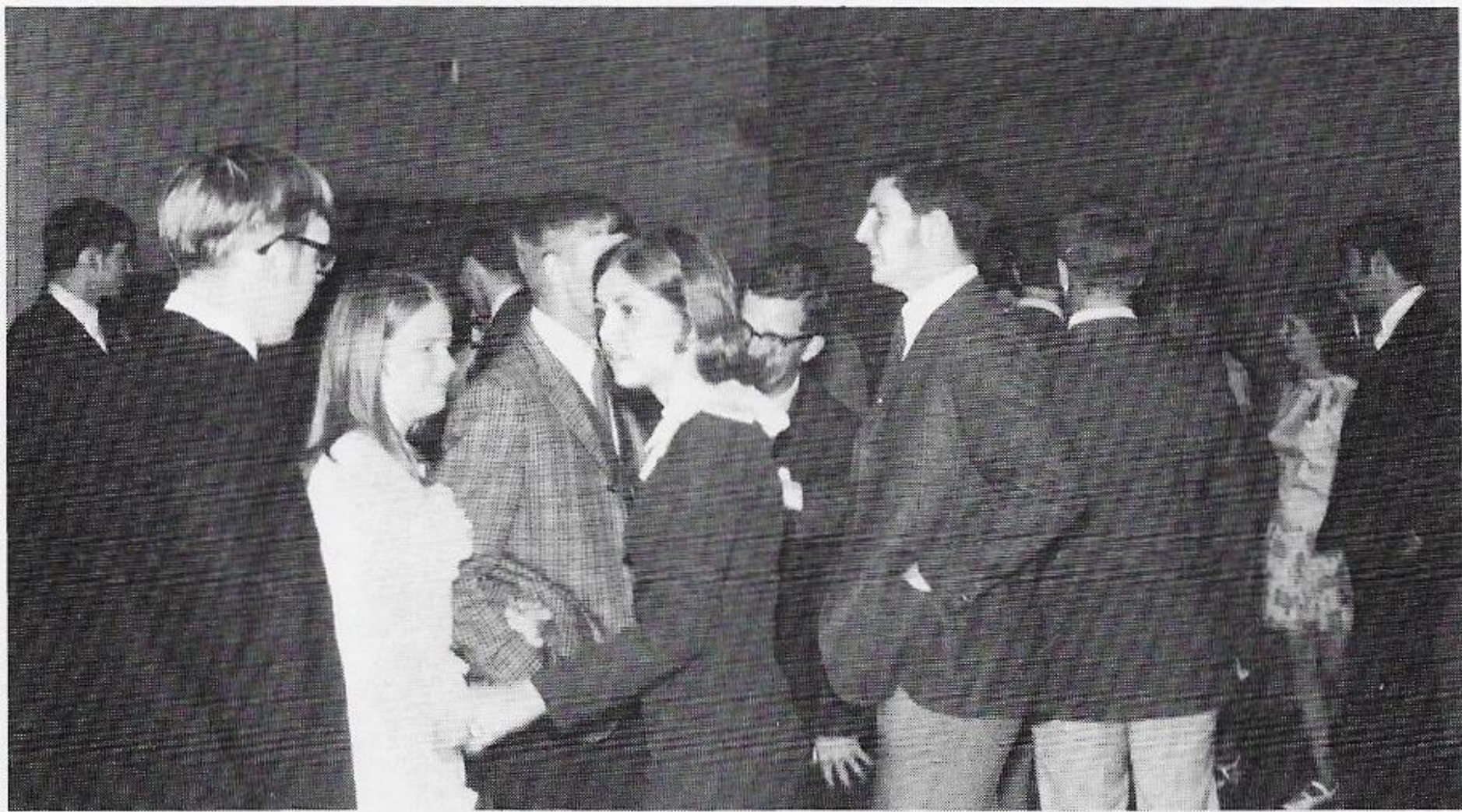
Senior Banquet











Graduation Day



Carlos Morales
Principal Rowley
Doug Harper



Jim Mason
Sharon Wilson
Carlos Morales
Marcia Burg
Dan Aronson









Marjorie Long
Lois Linderman
Peggy Calendar
Patty Foy



Jim Green
Bonnie Simonds
Mary Ellsworth
Linda Whipple
Linette Lowe
Nancy Airacksinen
Marilyn Brown





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Marzec
Cook
Hornack
Loeffel
Houser
Flack





Sherry Cooley
Anita Trotter
Carlos Morales
Rosalind Moody





Some Years Later

1979

Jane Norton





1979



1979

Mike Wisnayi
Jerry Maunus



1989



1989



1999



1999
Paul Cochran
Bob Sheer





2001

2004

Eugene Hartman

Bud Staley



2004

Jim Tidd

Tom Partridge

James Green



2004

Tom Partridge
Doug Harper
Tom Doll



2004
Glenis Cutlip



2009

Sandie Marsh

Charleen Diedrichs

Mary Ellsworth

Sheila Eckholm



2016
Dan Aronson
David Grant



2018

Wayne Kaikko

Marilyn

Linda Dalton

John Houser

Mary Ellsworth



“Hello Everyone!”

Notes from class members who
wish they could be here tonight:



Hello from Florida!

Carol Dewey Sage and Lee Sage,
on vacation in Baniff

Rae Dubach Bush

Hello from Florida!

Two of my granddaughters
and I hiking at Old Man's Cave





Hello to all my
wonderful AHS friends!
Sure wish I could join
you for our 50th
reunion!

Have a great time,
Susan Hill White

Don Platz

HELLO
FROM NC!



Anna Petro Allshouse

“Tell everyone I said
hello and hope you all
have a great time!”



Lois Linderman Vaughn

Hello to everyone from the Bluegrass. I've lived here 45 years.

This is the last picture that I have of me with Mother at a Christmas party. She passed away in Aug of '17.



❄️ 2016 ❄️

Mary Beth Broadston Chickering

"Hello everyone!

I picked this picture because it sums up our family life perfectly!

[note niece photo bombing!]

I wanted to get to this reunion so badly, I considered telling my niece (getting married Saturday) that I'd catch her next one."



Sue Amidon

Sue's husband, Mark, sends the following from Sue:

“Please know Sue thinks the world of you all & Hope's all enjoy the reunion!”

Note: Also from Mark - “Sue will not be attending the reunion, as she is very sick in one of OSU's Medical ICUs.” More info will be shared.



Connie Vettel

Hi all!

Missing you this weekend! Due to health reasons, I can't attend
Sending my love for all the memories.

❤️ Connie



Rick Fenton says

“Hello classmates. I’m
sorry I could not attend
the reunion. Hope you
are all having a great
time!!”



Linda Scafuro Petros

“I have so many wonderful memories of our class. Give my love to all with sincere apologies - I wish I could be there.”



**A few of the interesting people
from the
AHS Class of 1969**

There are many more - we apologize we could not
including everyone!

Jim Dramis

Texas Instruments -
programming some of the
most memorable **video
games** for the computer,
including

- [Car Wars](#)
- [Munch Man](#)
- [Parsec.](#)



Jim von Tesmar

Comic actor...

Author ...



Geist Esser

The Story

Jim von Tesmar

Einar Olsen

Who CANNOT be summarized in 15 words or less!

- Teacher and practitioner of Transcendental Meditation
- Speaks Hindi
- Natural health practitioner and teacher
- To-be-published books of poetry (600+ poems)



Bonnie Simonds - Muralist

Prince Georges County, MD



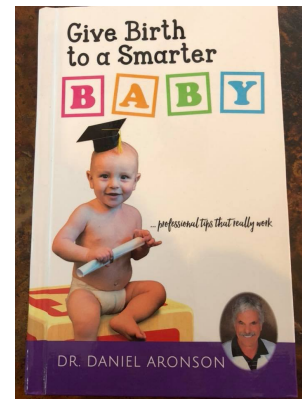
Dan Aronson

Song writer/musician

🎵 Rock Me in Cleveland 🎵



Pediatrician,
teacher and
author!



Tom Simon

22 years as City Solicitor
Ashtabula, OH

- Began practicing law in 1981.
- Became city solicitor in Dec 1985
- In office until Dec 2007.

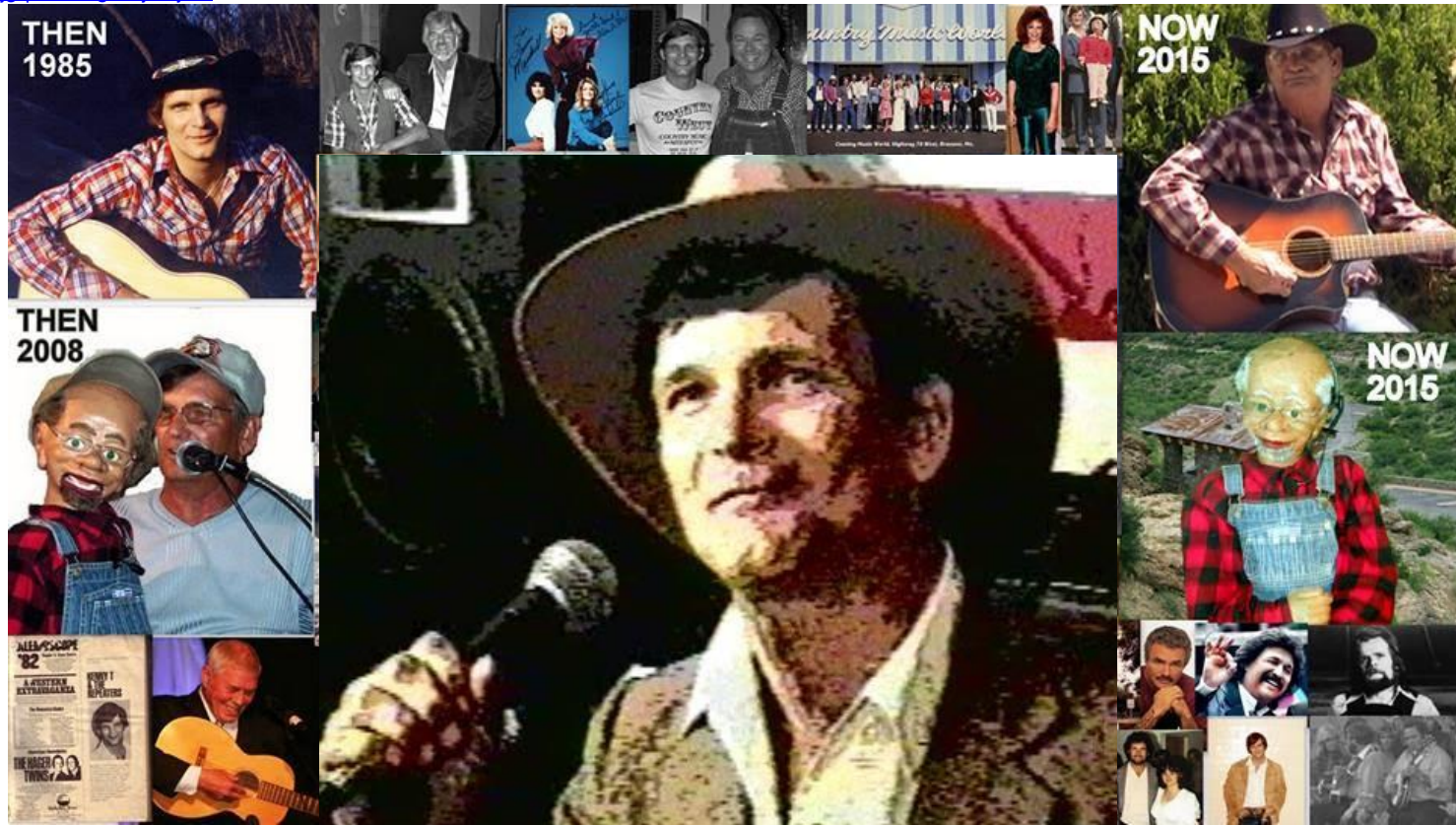


Kenny Tackett - singer song writer

Performed in Nashville and Branson, opening act for Reba McEntyre, performed on Heehaw, and more.

Star Beacon article from 2010:

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Mike Wisnyai

Climbed Mt. McKinley



Mike Wisnyai



“I climbed with 3 fellow grad students from my program at OSU. Part of the experiential outdoor adventure education field.”

“My view from the summit...”



Linette Lowe Chaney

I entered my very first swim meet at age 66.
I qualified for the
National Senior Games
in 3 swimming events at
the North Carolina State
meet, 2018



Sue Svenson - Broke the glass ceiling at the YMCA

Coshocton Tribune, Mar 1973

DIRECTOR HIRED

"The Tuscarawas County YMCA for the first time in its history, has hired a woman to direct women's and girls programs.

She is Sue Svenson, 21, Rochester, MI, a graduate of Bowling Green State Univ."



Intercollegiate Swim Team

a special interest organization

ON LADDER: K. Haas; M. Moon; C. Dion. TOP ROW: A. Smith; N. Schaffner; N. Foust; P. Brown. ROW TWO: B. Parrish; K. Slowins; S. Svenson; D. Baltz, secy.-treas.; P. Hammon, co-captain. BOTTOM ROW: J. Haker, co-captain; M. Roper; Mrs. Campbell, advisor; M. Cogan, mgr.; D. Hoover; T. Mencil.

Charles Holmes - Pilot



Charlie's Cessna Citation Sovereign

Charlie flew for Smuckers for 40 years, with such memorable passengers as Margaret Thatcher, George Bush, and Van Halen



Charlie with Van Halen and his entourage
“We had the band on the plane for almost two weeks.”

Charlie lands the Falcon 20



Thank you to everyone who dug around and sent pictures!

Connie Vettel

Carlos Morales

John Houser

Linette Lowe Chaney

Ken & Sharon Tackett

Linda Scafuro

Mary Ellsworth

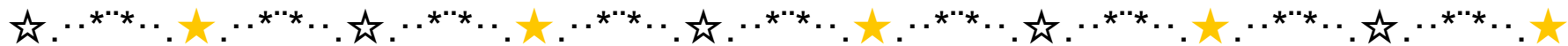
Carol Dewey

Bonnie Simonds

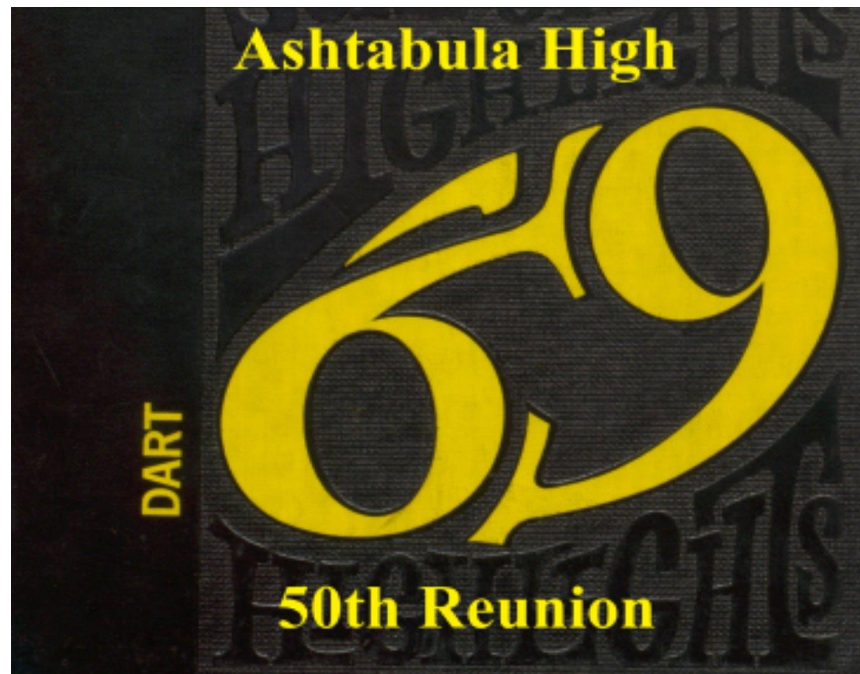
Mike Wisnyai

Charlie Holmes





Memories We Share *"So sad, so fresh, the days that are no more."*



WE HAD JOY WE HAD FUN



WE HAD SEASONS IN THE SUN