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New Tower staff looks to the future

by Greg Burns

Spring is finally here (I hope) and with it comes the most intense, activity-filled season of the year at Adams. Underclassmen are thinking about wrapping up their studies and beginning to make summer plans. Seniors are working out last minute college plans, job opportunities, and graduation. And in the John Adams newsroom, it's time to start looking toward the future. It's time to pass the torch as the seniors begin work on the senior edition and the new underclass staff takes over.

Providing the leadership and expertise for the 1982-83 edition of the TOWER are the new editors-in-chief Cathy Gergesha and Christina Bird.

In charge of layout for the individual pages of the paper will be an exceptional new staff of page editors:

News will be coordinated by news editors Derek Lannuier and Jenny Kingma and their assistant Ted Liu; page two will be handled

by opinion editors Betsy Killeen, Marci Whittenburg and assistant editor Kristi Sivak.

Kim and Kelly Mitchell, along with their assistant Karen Danner, are the new feature editors. Contributing to their page will be feature writers Toni Roman, Charlie Miller, and Anthony Walton.

Covering the athletic program at Adams are sports editors Kevin Miller and John Vittori. Covering girls' sports is Monica Witskin; Alan Engel will cover basketball. And providing play-by-play action and commentary are sports writers Mary Slafkowsky, Val Lane, and Kevin Baer.

From the Adams community come the happenings the students and faculty want to hear about, as writers Janine Anella, Patti Tripathi, Kevin Hughes, and Jennifer Weamer gather the news.

Artists Ann Cowen and Robin Hans will be creating new ways to keep the TOWER looking beautiful; business managers

Colleen Lennon and Roger Kenna and advertising agents Michelle Coussens and Kris Palmer keep the presses running financially.

Under the direction of Head Photographer Ann Krege, the new crew of shutterbugs will be comprised of Mark Orlando, Jerry Donlon, Peter Dundas, Doug Zielinski, and Frank DeCleene. Circulation will be handled by Anthony Tidwell.

Mrs. Babette Maza carries on the task of sponsor for the 1982-83 TOWER and, along with editors Bird and Gergesha is very optimistic about the goals and visions of the new staff.

The graduating seniors and outgoing staff members of the TOWER would like to thank Ms. Maza for her help and guidance throughout the year and to warmly welcome the new staff and our successors. We wish you the best of luck as you work together to put out one of the finest school papers in South Bend.



April Fools!

Cuts threaten school balance

by Christina Bird

Our beloved Dr. Scamman has proposed several plans for reducing excess spending in the South Bend Community School Corporation budget, each striking a different nerve in the community. The three discussed most commonly are the dismissal of part-time non-teaching staff in the system, an increase in summer school fees, and the elimination of so-called "minor" sports as school-supported activities.

Rumors of staff dismissal have flown about rampantly since the beginning of the year. Between 215 and 250 employees are to be dropped. The sword hangs over the heads of librarians, cafeteria workers, guidance counselors, paraprofessionals, and nurses, to name a few. Needless to say, these cuts are controversial, especially in the case of the school nurse, where students' health is a factor.

On Thursday, March 24, the NEA and the School Board held a marathon bargaining session to change the teachers' contract. To save some of their fellow employees, teachers proposed deductions in the pay for substitute teachers and reduction, if not complete elimination, of the dental plan. As of this writing, no decision has been made.

Also possibly being cut are coaches of school sports who do not teach. This would lead to the elimination of many sports considered minor, such as tennis, golf, wrestling, and cross

country. From the outspoken complaints, this proposal is the most unpopular. Many athletes, parents, and patrons have supported the minor sports, and petitions are being circulated to demonstrate the public backing.

The final plan proposed by Scamman and Company is an increase in the summer school fees, in particular driver's education and special education. The drivers' ed increase has caused a particular problem because the teachers have demonstrated a willingness to have their salaries cut by 25% to

save the program, rather than lose it entirely; the NEA refuses to let them do so because, according to executive director Steve Neal, "When you made that decision (to change the teacher's contract after negotiations were closed) you slammed the door."

Editors Note: On March 29, the School Board decided to go through with staff cuts and save varsity sports on the high school level, although no sports on the elementary school level will be competitive interschool.

Sweet sounds of Symphony Hall

by Sheila Huang

On Friday, March 12 a group of about 80 music appreciators from Adams, including Mr. Germano, Mr. Allen, Mr. Pryzbys and SBCSC Fine Arts Coordinator Kenneth Geoffery invaded the terrain of "high society ladies" by taking in an afternoon concert by the Chicago Symphony.

The concert soloist was cellist Ralph Kirschbaum who performed the Walton Cello Concerto. Kirshbaum, now in his fifth year of professional performing, was a top prize winner in the First International Cassado Competition in Florence, and was the only cellist from the West to win a prize in the Fourth International Tchaikovsky Competition.

The guest conductor was Andre Previn. Previn led the renowned orchestra through William's Fantasia on a Theme by Tallis,

and Shostakovich's Symphony No. 10, a work written in expression of the tragedy Shostakovich felt from the Stalin years.

Overall student response was a rousing bravo! Most students were impressed by the orchestra's precision and some commented on the ease with which the musicians played. One girl said, "It was superb! I hope we go again next year."

Noble defeat

A fledgling, and perhaps, awestruck Adams chess team showed depth and poise on the way to a 1-3-1 match record at the Merriville regional chess tournament last March 20, finishing in the middle third of the 26 team field. The team of Diane Beaty, Mike McCann, Scott Hamlin, Ted

Bonjour

ecrit par Raoul Miller

Un nouveau club a John Adams est le club français. Monsieur Brady est en charge de ce club. Il y a une vingtaine de gens qui participent. Le president, est Guillaume Bastar, un élève échange français. Les autres officiers: Le sous-president est Chris Toal, le secretaire est Kori Fisher, le tresier est Anne Anderson.

Les membres du club faisait des projets de Geaucoup de choses. Ils feront un voyage a Chicago. Ils changeront la carte a la cantine en français dans une quinzaine de jours. Ils mangeront a un restaurant français a Berrien Springs peut-e tre.

Ils regarderont des films a Notre Dame at a IUSB des projets, a lavenir. Aussi ils jouent aux matchs français. Par exemple, ils jouent x "hangman," aux mille bornes et a 20 questions. Aussi ils disent avec Guillaume des ecoles Francaises.

Sil y a des élèves qui vaudraient nous joindre, nous les accueillierions avec enthousiasme parce qu on s'y amuse beaucoup

Latin lingo

by Jennifer Kingma

Did you notice any students missing from your classes on Friday, March 19? No, we weren't skipping, we were at the sixth annual Latin Day at Notre Dame. Some of the favorite lectures included, "Hocus, Pocus," where the professor discussed the origins of the English language, "Ancient Egyptian Burial Places," all about mummies and the way the Egyptians prepared their dead for burial, and finally a tour of the Sniite Museum when asked for comments MegPatton replied, "I had a fun time. I hope we can do it again next year." Lisa Wappenstein said, "Latin Day is a very pleasing and rewarding experience to many students. I hope the rude and insolent behavior of a few groups of students does not ruin the chance for others to benefit from this in the future." After the lectures many people enjoyed sight-seeing on the campus even though it was raining. Other activities of the Latin students were a traditional Roman dinner at Paul Kosciel-ski's, plays during Activity Period, and a seminar for a few days this summer on the I.U. campus at Bloomington.

murderous field included perennial power Merriville and too-many-time state champion Munster.

For the record, the Munster first string team won the tournament and the Munster "B" team finished second.

Liu, Brian Jones, Pat Grove and Greg Werge won eight games with one tie.

The future looks bright for the team which was composed entirely of underclassmen. One thing for sure, though: in the future the team had better avoid the Merriville regional whose

Student Editorial/Who's stealing school spirit?

by Lori Martin

What has happened to our school and its students? Students are being ripped-off daily by other students. Purses, coats, money, jewelry, books, even locks are disappearing. Three weeks ago, my own purse was stolen - I lost \$17, my calculator, and much more that can never be replaced. The very same day another girl's purse was stolen; and two weeks ago the lock was stolen off my locker. Not even teachers are safe. Teachers' purses and wallets are being stolen from their own rooms and desks. When students were asked about the problem, some responses were: "I think it's dumb, I really do. I don't see why people steal. What's the thrill?" "It's getting worse. It's not only the people you most suspect, but also the people you least suspect, people you look up to." The problem is getting worse. But it's not the school, it is society. Not only the students, but citizens are being

stolen from. Schools are a reflection of our society. The best students are usually the best citizens. Mr. Przybysz agrees. When he was asked what he thought he said, "It's not just the school. There is less respect for people and their property all over. Of course it's getting worse,



it's worse everywhere." Even the freshmen are noticing. When Susan Martin, a freshman, was approached, she said, "I think the school students should think twice about stealing the property of others, because they wouldn't want their victims to steal from them. In my opinion, the situation is really out of hand. Further-

more, it stinks." Great emphasis is put on school spirit, supporting your school and teams. Spirit weeks, dress-up days, and pep assemblies are all special occasions to show school spirit. But we also show school spirit every day. What are we showing about our school spirit when students are constantly stealing from other students? As Laura Fritz replied to this question, "The spirit is deteriorating to nothing. The people who steal are really low." Part of school spirit is respect for others and their property. We must not think much of our school, or ourselves, when we can steal from one another.

What can be done about this problem? Most students feel the school is to blame and should be responsible. Comments Mr. Przybysz, "The kids think it's the school's fault, but it isn't really. Most times a theft is a result of carelessness." Some students feel we need more responsible

hall guards. Says senior Debbie Nieter, "The hall guards don't help. They never ask for passes, letting students run the halls and giving them perfect chances to steal." Another student replies, "Get responsible hall guards and get down on the people roaming the halls." Mr. Przybysz agrees. "We should have more respon-



Drawings by Ann Cowen

sible hall guards. But I can't know about these problems unless someone tells me." He's right. He can't know about the problem unless we, the students, let him know. The problem with this is, students are afraid of being labeled "Narks" or "Tattle Tales." These are the students who are witness to a robbery,

know who stole something, but don't tell. Without this information, Mr. Przybysz or anyone else, can do anything about the theft but feel sorry. As Mr. Przybysz said, "We can't help you unless you help us." There is also a great deal of carelessness involved in stealings. Students who set their locks on their lockers, leave valuables lying around, and don't put some identifying mark on their possessions, are "inviting" the theft. Mr. Przybysz advises not bringing valuables or a great amount of money. If valuables must be brought to school, watch them carefully, do put some identifying mark on your money or valuables, protect your property somehow. Don't be so "trusting" with your possessions. The school officials can do no more; the only thing they can do is remind. The rest is up to us, the students, to stop the stealing, show what kind of people we are, and really show our school spirit.

Editors' Note: Students who find it necessary to bring a large sum of money to school may bring it to the Bookstore to be kept in the safe.

Scamman leaves for El Salvador

by Roger Kenna

Integration changes were announced today. According to William Przybysz many different changes will be in effect as of next year.

Credit requirements were the first major change by Scamman. Scamman proposed that credit requirements be brought down to only 16 credit hours. For his proposal Scamman was told to leave the Corporation. Scamman was reported being seen taking off and then winging his way to his new job as El Salvador School Corporation Superintendent. William Przybysz was then appointed as new Superintendent for the corporation.

Przybysz reportedly said that he wishes to change the credit requirement from 36 credit hours to 50 credit hours. When asked about this, Przybysz said he thinks that 36 is way too easy for students and that he thinks 50 credit hours would give the students something to strive for.

Class requirements are also due for a change, according to Przybysz. Gym is to be taken for three years. Przybysz said that gym is good for the body and mind. I think that with gym this long one will keep in shape.

One year of English is all that will be required. Przybysz said he believes that English is not a high school subject. English would be taught in grade schools better. He came to the conclusion that you should already know how to read and write the its . . . Sor-ry

New classes are scheduled for next year. These classes were the ones most requested by the students.

Research Preppie is Adams most requested course. A journey through the world of Izods, Polo's and monogrammed sweaters would be a fun course taught by Mrs. Maza and Mr. Reed Learn when the first Izod was made. Delve into the land of boat shoes, and Ivy Leaguers. Try to find out

the purpose of preppiness (if there is a true purpose).

Homework - this class is not required but highly recommended.

A required class is only 1/2 year of Social Studies. Przybysz commented that he found no good reason to have to sit through an hour of satire and corny humor freshman year. Then junior year is a repeat of 8th grade. Senior Crime and Law is the only valid class throughout the year.

Integration changes are ahead

for the school system. The plan that follows will be practiced next year. First LaSalle and Washington students will switch with each other for next year. Adams students will be bussed to other schools besides Adams. Anyone within a one mile radius of Adams will be allowed to stay at Adams. Anyone in a two mile radius will be bussed to Clay High School. Anyone living at least ten miles away from Adams will be bussed to Adams. All other schools will stay relatively the same

Think about it

Anonymous

Do you ever just think why something is the way it is? Yeah, me too. But usually not when I have the time to think about it. It usually happens when I should be studying for a test or quiz. Anyway, here are just a few of the things I think about when I should be doing something else.

- Why no one ever leaves when Mr. Goodman says, "Go home!" or "Get out of here!"
- Why anyone would want to watch a basketball game when Dick Vitale is doing the color.
- How "boat shoes" ever got on land. P.S. They deserve a burial at sea.
- Why, if O.J. Simpson can fly through airports, he needs to rent a car.
- What makes some of the math teachers in this building color blind.
- Who really knows more about basketball - Billy Packer or Al McGuire.

- Why teachers dish out homework like their class if the ONLY one YOU take.
- How many Snickers candy bars Mr. Goodman wins every year.
- How anyone could watch an entire golf or bowling tournament on T.V.
- How freshmen can EVER mature enough to be sophomores. (Some never do).
- How half the noise in a library is made by the librarians saying, "shhh" and "shut-up."
- How anyone could think they have the ability to write better "Adams Satire" than Rick Conklin. P.S. Why anyone would want to edit his article
- How anyone could not like Mr. Schutz.
- How anyone could wear three shirts and/or sweaters AT THE SAME TIME.
- How anyone could write a dictionary. (Think about it).
- Why Mrs. Aronson hasn't been nominated for sainthood. (Maybe . . . he's a bit gentler at home).

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Dyslexia puzzles students and experts

by Betsy Killeen

If you tell someone that they have laryngitis and if they have never heard the word before, they will look at you with terror in their eyes and hoarsely ask you what this dreaded disease is. "Laryngitis" is simply an elaborate medical term for the loss of voice. The word "dyslexia" works the same way - a "dyslexic" is simply a person who never learned to read.

The definition of this condition baffles everyone, including neurologists (the experts). Consequently, everyone has a definition for dyslexia, but no one can prove their meaning. Some neurologists think that "dyslexia" results from brain damage. Others, however, believe the "dyslexia" results from other causes, such as genetics or the inability of certain children to learn under normal educational methods.

So "dyslexia," a term that is too broad to define precisely, is actually a euphemism for a person who cannot, from some cause, read. "Dyslexia" is used to pinpoint the reason a person cannot read. Medically speaking, "dyslexia" sounds clear cut and defined. But the causes are too obscure to actually define dyslexia as a disease or disorder.

Dyslexia does not necessarily mean that a person is mentally disabled. Albert Einstein, Nelson Rockefeller, and Woodrow Wilson all had "dyslexia."

Surveys have determined that about ten to fifteen percent of the U.S.'s school children have reading disabilities. (The term "reading disability" is considered preferable to "dyslexia").

Mr. Cripe, the disabilities teacher at Adams, says that the frustration for students with

reading disabilities comes in their classes with other students. Their peers and teachers expect them to be able to perform "normally." That is, unaware of the disability, they will expect them to be able to read. Moreover, a reading disability does not simply go away. People who have "dyslexia" must cope and struggle with it every day. Until they learn to deal with it, everyday occurrences such as reading what the cafeteria is serving for lunch can be frustrating and disheartening.

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Teacher epithets

Shanley A good student would say yes

Hoffman You students have to think Davis Beautiful, Beautiful

Kline You're making this too hard Aronson/Only a fool does more work than he has to Smith Well, my son in California . . .

Seeley If you want to hear the story of my life, come in at 2:35 and catch the 2:37 bus.

Connely Any questions? Well, I have some questions for you. Take a 3 or 4 minute break. Clear your mind, talk to your neighbors, sharpen your pencil.

Goodman If you believe that, then I have some swampland in Osceola to sell you.

Primrose You people need to know this for the test. [Alyea's student teacher]

Aronson You goomba . . .

Krouse Well, that sheds an entirely different light on the matter.

Przybysz You may now proceed to second hour.

Precarious premonitions prove promising

by Anonymous

"Okay," we are told, "Now, the earth's going to end on March 10 because all of the planets will align and cause floods and famine and loss of TV reception and all sorts of terrible things." Well, guess what? Your car insurance is still due in April.

"Okay," we are told, "De Paul is going to win the national championship this year. They've got so much talent and . . ." Well, the guy who pulled them in Ken Jacoby's NCAA pool is still crying.

Getting a little sick of pseudo predictions? Self-proclaimed "seers of the future" appearing in various trashy tabloids spewing forth their "insights" and "visions" like so much bad breath? Bullet heads like Jimmy the Greek telling us why he

predicts Team X over Team Y, and never giving equal time to explain why Team X gets flogged? The clods who say Gerry Cooney can beat Larry Holmes (he can't even shave his face right)?

Well, I'm here to separate the individuals with true insight into the future, from your everyday Billy Bob who flips his coins and enny-meeny-miny-moes his predictions much to the chagrin of sophisticated swamis such as myself. So, crank me Jean Dixon, 'cause here are fourteen predictions you can bank on:

1. The world will end in 2021 because all the planets will be as far apart as possible.
2. People who play video games will be denied the right to vote.
3. The watching of soap operas will cause a 15% decrease in

average IQ across the nation.

4. The Notre Dame Bengal Bouts will be moved to the Coliseum in Rome.

5. Barry Manilow fans will be denied US citizenship.

6. Every discotheque that burns down will be a suspected case of



7. "Nancy" will be declared the second most unfunny comic strip of the decade (following Carrier Toons).
8. Pinching people who do not wear green on St. Pat's day will be outlawed in 21 states.
9. Teenage males who wear two shirts at the same time to school will be put to a painful death.
10. Physics will be declared a pseudo science.
11. Rita Jenrette's statue will be raised on Capitol Hill.
12. The 1982 Senior class will be heralded as the greatest in school history.
13. Rick Conklin will be a wealthy jet-setting international playboy at age 27, and Ram Neta will tend his garden.
14. Ten years from now I will look at this article and say, "ten years ago I bet this was funny."



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Spring! Kingsmen in sight

Baseball

by Alan Engel

Coming off an 18-9 season is easy for any coach, especially when he has most of his varsity team returning. "We have ten out of sixteen varsity players returning this year," commented baseball coach Len Buczkowski. That means the team has much depth and experience. But Coach Buczkowski is quick to stop talk about this team going down state. "Sure, we had a good summer, but the conference competition is always good. The kids are working hard and they all have good attitudes but we're going to play this season game by game," said Mr. "Butch." The hard working players Coach Buczkowski is referring to are infielders Scott McMahon at first, Rick Romeo at second Kevin Weesner and Ray Szajko playing shortstop, and Edgar Cabello and Brian Biggs at third. On the mound are seniors Rich Zielinski, Dave Henkel, and Pete Stinchcomb. Junior pitchers are Dave Skidmore and Dan Manier. Behind the plate is Brian Lennon and Doug Henkel. The outfielders are Bill Martinov in left, Kevin Williams in center, and Eric Swartz in right. Dave Izdepski will be playing DH. The team starts their season on April 2 against Concord on the Adams diamond. They then play a rugged 25 game schedule in less than two months. Coach Buczkowski concluded, "If we're lucky and sustain no injuries, this COULD be a good year."

In addition to most of the varsity returning, last year's sophomore B-Team compiled a very impressive 21-3 record and captured the NIC crown.



Girls' Track

by John Vittori

Having won the Sectional, City, and NIC crowns the last two years, the girls' track team enters the 1982 season with some big shoes to fill. Coach Bob Reed's squad boasts 10 returning lettermen, only 4 of them being seniors, and the youth along with the experience of the team, should combine to produce another winner.

The team's strength is centered around its sprinters led by Tessa Billups, Julie Davis and Norine Ivy in the 100 and 200, and co-captains Beth Carter, Judy Hamilton and junior Dianne Farmer in the 400. The team's depth in the sprints will also provide for strong 400, 800 and mile relays.

Distance runners Monica Witskin, Linda Hemphill, and co-captain Linda Lowman, all strong finishers in the first girls' cross country semi-state will lead the 800 and the mile. Last year's two leading hurdlers were both lost to graduation but Annette Schaumber and Denoris Jenkins should be able to pick up where they left off.

The girls should be able to score more than enough points on the track but with the exception of the high jump they are much weaker in the field events due to graduation. Amy Bali and LeAnne McKnight in the shot and discus and Peggy Vanderburg in the long jump are being counted on to pick up points in their events. Former state qualifier Beth Carter and Denoris Jenkins will lead the high jumpers.

If Coach Reed is able to develop his younger and inexperienced athletes in his weaker events the girls should be able to turn the Sectional, City, and NIC hat trick for the third straight year.



N.I.C. All Sports summary at the end of winter sports season.

1. Penn -- 241.25
2. Adams -- 236.25
3. Elk. Cent. -- 232.25
4. Riley -- 224.00
5. Mishawaka -- 218.75
6. Clay -- 215.00
7. Elk. Mem. -- 209.25
8. M.C. Elston -- 206.25
9. LaSalle -- 187.50
10. Washington -- 169.25



Softball

by Kevin Baer

It should come as no surprise that once again the Girls' Softball team is a favorite to take the City Title. For the past two years straight they have fallen to the hands of a strong Riley squad in the final game of the City Tournament. This year, however, Coach Flora feels confident his team will dominate the field. 15 players return from last year's squad, 6 of which were members of the World Series National Finalist team which competed over the summer. This valuable experience will help them down the road. Good luck to Head Coach Flora, and to new Assistant Coach Lucas.

Boys' Track

by Monica Witskin

As coach Doug Snyder begins the 1982 Boys track season, he is faced with an arduous task: to overcome the team's lack of depth and experience primarily due to the loss of 12 seniors, leaving him with a mere six returning lettermen.

Co-captain Todd Parker and mutual letterman Michael Holmes are top prospects in the hurdles. Returnees Cecil Gilbert and Chris Taylor will compete in the 100 and 200. Riley transfer Scott Vinson will help out in the 400 as well as the long-jump. These runners will also be utilized in the relays.

Sophomore letterman Kevin Otolski is a standout in the 800, and newcomers J.P. Simon, John Vittori, and Chuck Powell will be contenders in the mile. Co-captain Lenny Randazzo and Jeff Sypniewski both perform well in the mile and are outstanding in the two-mile. Sypniewski, a 1981 sectional champion and state qualifier, turned in a superlative performance in the recent Penn Invitational.

In the field events seniors Steve Quimby, Steve Marino, and Andre Robertson will be hurling the shot and discus. Rod Forbes, the lone letterman in the field events, has recuperated from a broken vertebrae suffered as a junior, and has the potential to break the school pole vault record.

The Eagles are currently training for the S.B. Classic and their first dual meet against Elkhart Memorial.



Winter Sports Wrap-up

by Kerry Kinney

The Winter Sports Banquet was held for Adams athletes on March 15. The dinner was hosted by Adams Athletic Director Ed Szucs and sponsored by the Adult Adams Booster Club.

At the banquet, Mr. Szucs raised the possible specter of sizeable cutbacks being made in the South Bend athletic programs, noting the possible loss of Adams 'minor sports' programs (wrestling, track, swimming, etc.).

Cheerleading, boys' swimming, wrestling, girls' basketball, boys' basketball, and pom-poms made up the athletic squads being honored. For the cheerleading squad, seniors Mona Eskridge and Paula Ross were cited for being the 1981-82 co-captains; Eskridge was especially noted for her two year involvement on the varsity cheerleading squad.

Seniors Jeff Dennen and Andy Jacobs were recognized as the co-captains of boys' swimming, while freshman Rick Dennen was awarded for his excellence in his post-seasonal/Sectional performances. John Overmyer was also cited; the senior won the Tom Mennucci Memorial Award for his team spirit and sportsmanship. The Monogram Club's MVP Award was conferred by Monogram President Kevin Sweeney to Rick Dennen, while Mr. Roland Kelly named Jeff Dennen for the Kiwanis Award.

Senior co-captains for wrestling were Dave McNarney, Steve Quimby, and Lamar Taylor (in his absence). Both the MVP and Kiwanis Awards for wrestling went to Dave McNarney.

Senior Chris Allsop and Judy Hamilton were the co-captains for girls' basketball. The MVP Award was given to senior Stacey Adams, while senior Kathy Conley received the Kiwanis Award. The 1981-82 girls' basketball squad was also conferred various Tournament trophies and the Sectional Championship trophy, all of which they referred to Mr. Przybysz.

The boys' basketball team was represented by co-captains Andre Robertson and Brian Lennon. Senior Andre Robertson won the MVP Award, while senior Brian Lennon received the Kiwanis Award.

The success of the Adult Booster Club at Adams, plus the great community support for Adams sports were extolled by all the after-dinner speakers; most notably by Ed Szucs and Booster Club President Ron Joers.

The Tower Sports Department commends all the coaches, athletes, and participants of every kind for their solid backing and support for the Winter Sports Program at Adams.

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