

# PIONEERS

Instead of elaborating upon all the qualifications of each PIONEER candidate, we want to inform the students what we stand for and what we plan to do and accomplish next year. PIONEERS plan to work as a **team** not with only one person at its head. Prosperity, Industry, Opportunity, Neutrality, Efficiency, Equality, Reliability—these words spell PIONEER and are the ideals carried by the PIONEER when he is in office, as you have seen in previous years. This past year with the help of the conscientious PIONEER secretary, who upheld the above ideals, Student Council has proved efficient. But this coming year with our four candidates working **together** with these ideals, the Student Council of 1966-67 will prove to be one of hardest working, most successful, and finest Central High School has ever had.

We are attempting to bring a new vitality and sincerity of a leadership to the Central High School Student Council. PIONEER, running on a revised and even better platform, will bring to Central the best

**leadership** our school has to offer this year. We are carrying on the following traditions which PIONEERS founded: to offer you a chance to install qualified leaders dedicated to the betterment of your school; the chance to replace promises with **action**. In addition, our platform will show you that the PIONEER PARTY is thinking ahead and coming up with ideas and reforms that you, the student body, initiate.

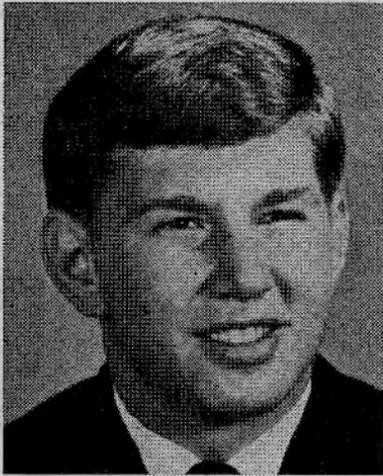
Our candidates have gathered much experience in various activi-

ties at Central throughout their three years of high school. We feel that their combination of scholastic achievement and extensive experience is the combination which can, and will, lead our student body.

Rather than repeat the numerous and ample qualifications of each candidate, you must know that each PIONEER candidate has vowed to work for the individual student as well as the student body as a whole. Realizing this, we are confident that PIONEER will have your vote.

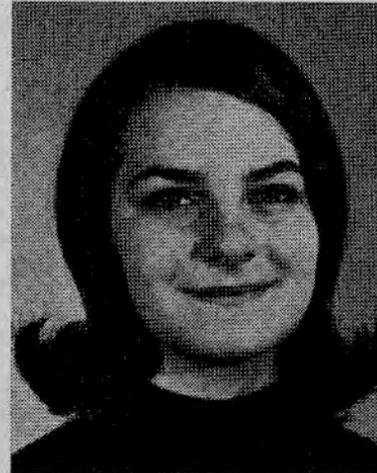
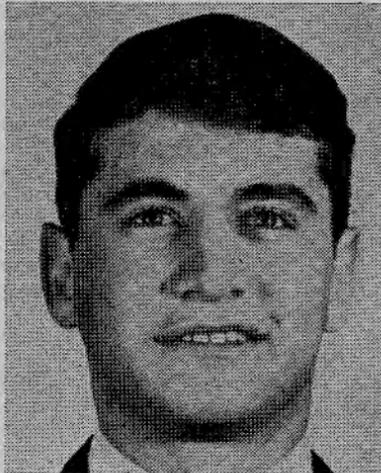
We, the members of PIONEER, urge each Centralite to consider the qualifications of each candidate from the PIONEER PARTY and to carefully examine and compare platforms with past and proposed Student Councils. Immediately, you will recognize the fact that the capable and able PIONEERS deserve your votes.

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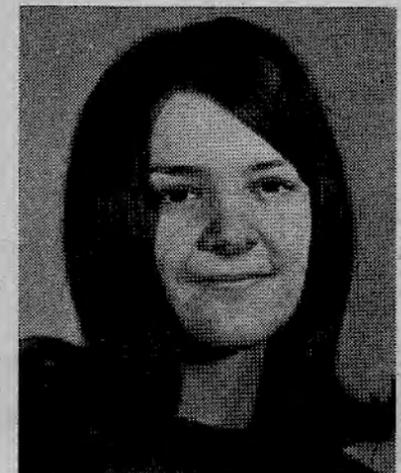
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President

**DAVE FRANK**  
Vice-President



**ADRIAN COLYVAS**  
Secretary

**BETH PARENT**  
Treasurer



## UNITED STUDENTS

The 1966 United Students party was formed early last year through a combination of three of the major 1964 parties involved in the 1964 elections. It arose out of the feeling that this was the time for all conscientious Centralites to unite in an effort to achieve one common goal: an efficient and responsible Student Council. The United Students Party believes that the basis for a strong student body is the ability of its student government to reach the individual student. The party feels that a responsible Student Council must be obligated to keep the students aware of its past, present, and future activities.

In noting the qualifications of each candidate of the United Students Party, leadership and participation stand out. The candidates have participated in and held many responsible jobs in school clubs and organizations during their freshman, sophomore, and junior years.

The United Students Party believes that these students would best represent Central High School's tradition, and asks you, each Centralite, to consider the qualifications of each candidate from the United Students Party, and examine and compare platforms with past Student Councils

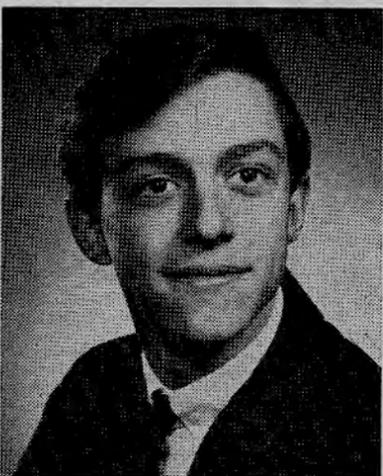
and the present administration which is predominantly United Students.

This year while the United Students party has been in office, many things have been accomplished such as: giving out Thanksgiving baskets to needy families, sponsoring the intramural basketball tournament, holding several successful dances, donating \$50 to the **Interlude** yearbook so that the fine quality of the book might be continued, publishing a Student Directory which has proven to be the best student directory of any school in South Bend, spon-

soring a tour of Central in the fall for the new freshmen, printing and distributing the minutes of each Student Council meeting to let the students know the activities of the council, assisting the Booster Club with funds for many of their activities, sponsoring a Central Clean-up Week and publishing the booklet "Bear Behavior," recently purchasing a new Central Bear costume, re-establishing election procedures, helping to form a city-wide Student Council with John Adams High School, and supporting the Orchestra Concert. We are now in the process of revising the Central High School Constitution.

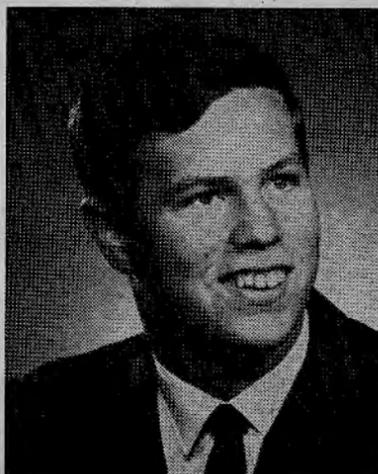
All in all the Student Council has definitely been re-established and made the governing body that it should be at a school the caliber of Central. So continue these fine standards and again let the United Students party represent you in the high fashion they have maintained this past year. Vote United Students by casting a ballot for the most responsible and efficient 1966-67 Student Council. You can believe in the United Students Party because they believe in you.

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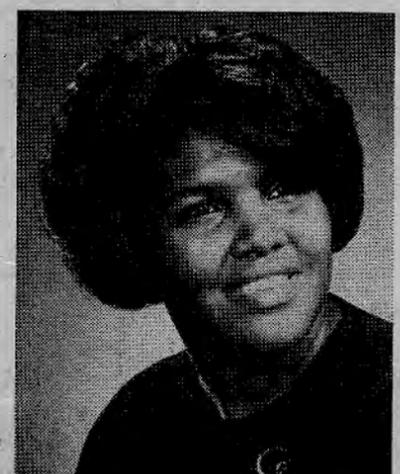
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President

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Vice-President



**BETH JOHNS**  
Secretary

**GAYLE ELLIS**  
Treasurer



# Happiness Is . . .

Happiness is . . . chocolate milk on Mondays . . . walking home from school together . . . making the honor roll . . . seeing your name in the INTERLUDE . . . meeting at the Phil . . . getting your class ring . . . green ice cream at Bonnie Doons . . . downtown on Saturday afternoons . . . collecting yearbook autographs . . . basketball . . . hitting a home run . . . having a date for the prom . . . Spring. Happiness is graduation day.

Unhappiness is . . . flunking a final exam . . . being on the end of a plate lunch line . . . losing a U.S. history book . . . homework . . . missing your bus . . . a car wash on a rainy day . . . being grounded . . . cleaning your locker . . . a burnt pizza and warm cokes . . . final exams . . . a low SAT score . . . saying good-bye to many friends. Unhappiness is graduation day.

# Pioneer Activities

**BILL BARRETT — President**  
 Student Council — 3 yrs.  
 Freshman Class Executive Board  
 Sophomore and Junior Class Executive Boards  
 Booster Club  
 Student Council Executive Board  
 Junior Prom Court  
 Debate  
 Junior Prom Committee  
 Honor Roll  
 Clean-up and Courtesy Committee  
 ★ ★ ★

**DAVE FRANK — Vice-President**  
 Freshman Class Executive Board  
 Sophomore Class Executive Board  
 Booster Club  
 American Field Service  
 Football  
 ★ ★ ★

**ADRIAN COLYVAS — Secretary**  
 94.3% Grade Average  
 Student Council  
 Junior Class Executive Board  
 Sophomore Class Executive Board  
 Freshman Class Executive Board  
 American Field Service  
 Secretary of Youth Group — 3 yrs.  
 NCCJ Representative  
 Booster Club  
 ★ ★ ★

**BETH PARENT — Treasurer**  
 Student Council Executive Board  
 Junior Class Executive Board  
 Student Council  
 Booster Club  
 Student Directory Committee  
 American Field Service  
 Election Committee  
 Junior Prom Committee

# U. S. Activities

**JIM REED — President**  
 96% Grade Average  
 Freshman Class President  
 Sophomore Class President  
 Vice-President of Booster Club  
 Student Council Representative  
 Student Council Executive Board — Freshman Year  
 A.F.S. Semifinalist  
 Junior Class Executive Board  
 ★ ★ ★

**JOHN ABERNATHY — Vice-President**  
 Junior Class Vice-President  
 Varsity Golf — 3 yrs.  
 Kiwanis Representative  
 Honor Roll  
 Junior Prom Court  
 Sophomore Class Executive Board  
 Booster Club  
 Freshman Class Executive Board  
 Student Council Representative  
 Co-General Chairman of Junior Prom  
 ★ ★ ★

**GAYLE ELLIS — Treasurer**  
 Secretary of Junior Class  
 Booster Club Bookstore Clerk  
 INTERLUDE Yearbook and Newspaper Writer  
 Honor Roll  
 Junior Prom Committee  
 Student Council Representative  
 A.F.S.  
 President of Youth Organization  
 Representative for NCCJ  
 ★ ★ ★

**BETH JOHNS — Secretary**  
 96.6% Grade Average  
 Vice-President Future Doctors  
 Booster Club Executive Board  
 Junior Class Treasurer  
 Freshman and Sophomore Class Executive Boards  
 Student Council  
 Girls' Swim Club  
 Representative for NCCJ

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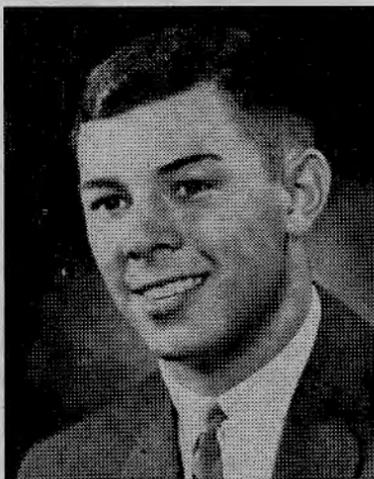


# Sports: Karl's Specialty

Karl Simon, one of Central's outstanding athletes recently received two of the highest awards that can be given to a Centralite involved in sports. At the winter sports awards assembly on March 25, he received the Kiwanis Award in basketball and Central's Gold Award in basketball. He was presented with these honors not only for his basketball abilities but for his all-around qualities as a Central student.

Karl's activities during his past four years at Central have revolved for the most part around sports. Besides playing varsity basketball for three years he has played varsity football and baseball for three years. Besides being involved with sports, Karl also has been a member of the Booster Club, was the Rotary Club representative from Central, and was a member of the Junior Prom Court. This year he will also be a member of the Senior Prom Court.

As for his studies, Karl has four majors which are English, social studies, mathematics, and German.



Outside of school, Karl's interests lie in music, pool, and sports of all kinds. Next year he plans to attend college where he will major in busienss. He also has hopes of becoming a pro-baseball player.

## UNDER THE CLOCK

# Spy-onda Rides Again

Secret agents I. M. Spying and Peek-a Boo were caught by the clock on a special mission for the S.R.A.E.B. They were sent to find out all they could about Central and its students. As they stole through the halls they searched desperately for dark hide-aways from which they hoped to watch the students. Finding none, they continued slinking down the brightly lit corridors of Central.

They saw strange sights. While passing room 212 they observed some UFO's — later identified as golf balls — flying around the room. The little man controlling these UFO's was later seen snatching popcorn in a movie from such studious-minded pupils as John Remble, Beth Johns, Marianne De-Croes, Kathy Cashman, Stevie Young, Ray Lentych, and Martha Strickler. Next the agents came upon a group of seniors huddled

under a clock fashionably discussing the 'mod' look. These master models of fashion go by the stage names of Janina Bratina, Marsha Mason, Nancy Buckowski, Ginny Reed, Mickey Tuesley, Fred Beckman, Denny Grzegorek, Karl Simon, and Gregg Barth. Agent Peek-a Boo's reaction to the show was "Holy Madras!" What Crazy spots and stripes!" Many sunburned faces followed them on their tour and after further investigation they discovered the latest Central fad is going South to bask in the sun and things; too much sun can get you all bandaged up. Track down Sue Reuthe for further details.

Laughter bellowing from the Chemistry lab drew their attention next. They arrived just in time to witness Mr. Carrier fiendishly smashing molecules much to the delight of his tinker-toying students. Hysterics let loose and I. M. Spying and Peek-a Boo were so unnerved they decided to split immediately. They were last seen tearing down St. James Court on their SPY-onda; you meet the nicest people on a Honda!

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# Former Central Student Describes LaSalle High School

Last September, when we walked through the doors of "our school," we were as unknowing as freshmen. The strange faces and building confused us and we were lost (I was, anyway). We were surprised to see some of our favorite (and some of our not so favorite) teachers sitting behind desks waiting to feed us from their storehouses of knowledge. Our principal is Mr. F. Gordon Nelson, formerly assistant principal at John Adams High School.

Everyone noticed certain contrasts to Central right away. For instance, all hallways and classrooms were brightly lighted, and we did not find any grooves in our stairs. We did not hear any bells ringing either; instead we saw a small rectangular box in each room with a red, yellow and

green light in it. These lights were to signal the changing of classes (they did not work for the first two or three months).

With over eleven hundred students we were quite cramped until all of the classrooms were completed. We have a large swimming pool (it is being used as a wishing well right now) and a gym that will seat more than two thousand people. The library has wood furnishings as well as several cushioned chairs. It is also surrounded by several conference rooms. All of the shops and science laboratories have the latest forms of equipment, and the language laboratory has many modern teaching aids. The entire school is air conditioned.

### Extra-Curricular Activities

Shortly after the beginning of

school, the **EXPLORER**, the school newspaper, was published. The **EXPLORER** is published every other week and plans some special issues for the near future. About the same time as the **EXPLORER** was established, a Student Advisory Council was selected by the faculty. The purpose of this body was to write a Student Council constitution. After the constitution was ratified, elections were held. Paul Sovinski was elected president, and Cynthia Paxson was elected secretary. Both are former Centrals.

The **LANTERN** will be the name of the full-size yearbook that will be published this year.

Mr. John Merriman, a former Central teacher and yearbook advisor, is the advisor to the **LANTERN**.

Extra-curricular activities have been former as students have requested their establishment. The activities include Booster Club, Chess Club, the Potpourri Players (Drama Club), French Club, Future Health Careers Club, Future Teachers Association, Girls' Swim Club, and Science Club.

People laughed at us when we said we were going to have an athletic program. They are no longer laughing. All of our teams, except one, have had winning seasons. The team that did not have a winning season gained

much needed experience. Our basketball teams all proved a great source of strength. The freshman team won the first Basketball Tourney (LaSalle's first trophy also) and the varsity team, which was composed mainly of freshmen and sophomores, had a winning record against teams that were older and more experienced than it.

A question in the minds of sophomores and juniors from Central was whether or not there would be school spirit at LaSalle. We were foolish for having any doubts about spirit—the students have all worked to establish that spirit.

—By Marcia Katz

## Central Enters Contest

This year Central High School is entering a safety contest sponsored by the South Bend Police Department for all of the city high schools, in co-ordination with the coming Safety Check Campaign. Each school will operate one or more check lanes, and will be judges upon the number of cars checked and the quality of work done by the particular school. Mickey Tuesley is the Central Student Chairman. Mr. Ed Szucs and Mr. Dorwin Nelson are the Faculty Advisors. Sarol Krueger is in charge of a booklet to summarize our treatment of the safety week. It will contain pictures and committee reports showing Central students at work. Prizes totaling as high as \$1,000 will be given on the basis of the material in the presentation booklet.

Mickey Maros and Mr. Devon Phelps will photograph the events, and Sue Reuthe will head the Public Relations Committee. Working with her will be Jerry Vancik, Sandy Cohen, and Thom Hall. The Publicity Committee Chairman is Sharon Fabian, helping her will be Anne Boehm, Sandy Frank, and Helmut Haefke. Pat Boorda will organize newspaper coverage of the program, and Sandy Frank will handle advertising.

Joe Almassy is responsible for organizing service stations to help us and Fred Beckman is soliciting auto service centers. Sue Reuthe is working on a project with used car lots, and Nancy Powers is organizing raffles and free sample give-aways with local merchants. Other workers are Sandy Crile on industrial solicitation, Helmut Haefke on radio and TV coverage, Steve Hart on drive in soliciting and Chris Kagel on parking lot solicitation.

The actual committee that will run the check lanes from May 2 to May 14 is headed by Gregg Barth, along with Guy Madison, Don Stratigos and Angela O'Brien. However, many volunteers are needed for a successful program. Interested students are asked to contact Mr. Szucs, Mr. Nelson, or Mickey Tuesley.

The purpose of the contest is to enhance community interest in the safety check program and to get as many cars checked and passed as possible. The winning school

will receive the "Circle of Safety Grand Award." Other awards will be given for excellence, merit, and achievement. The smallest amount of cash to be won is \$100 for achievement. Judges for the contest are Mayor Allen; general Safety Check Chairman, Mr. Donald Dake; South Bend Police Traffic Captain, Loren Bussert; Chairman of the mayor's Traffic Commission, Jerry Vogel; and the representative of the Association of New Car Dealers.

Check lanes will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Later during the month of May a Grand Car Rodeo will be held for everyone who participated in the program.

### SENIORS

A personnel representative from Bethlehem Steel Corporation in Burns Harbor will be at Central in May to interview seniors for full time employment. Those interested should leave their name in the guidance office.

### The Copper Groove

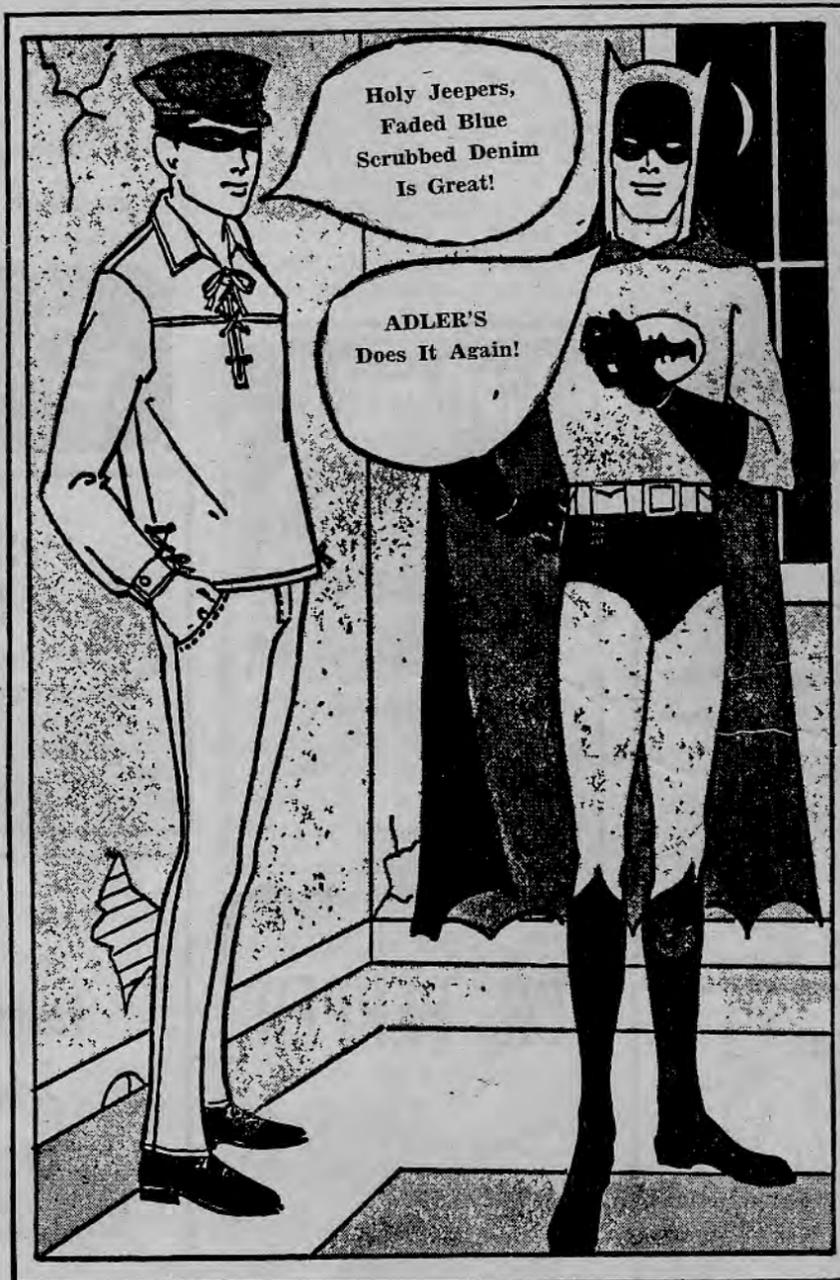
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# Track And Baseball Are Underway! Girls Present Ballet

The Central track team, with a 2-2 record, is well into its season. The team opened its season with a close 68-50 loss to Goshen. The Bears then took a second in the Washington Invitational. The team suffered its second loss at the hands of LaPorte by a ---- score. The Bears' first dual meet victory was over Clay by a score of 96-22. The most important event this week is the Goshen Relays. The Bears will run against such schools as Elkhart, Gary Froebel, Gary Tolleston, East Chicago Washington, Goshen, LaPorte, Michigan City, Mishawaka, Niles, South Bend Adams, Riley, Washington, St. Joseph's, Fort Wayne Central, Fort Wayne North Side, Indianapolis Howe, and Warsaw.

The CHS "Batmen" opened their 1966 season on somewhat of a sour note. In their season opener at Washington on April 12, the Bears were shut out by a score of 2-0. Tom Butler, on the mound for the Bears, gave up only 3 hits and struck out 6 men. The Bears collected 4 hits, striking out 10 times. On April 13, the Bears were back in form, shutting out St. Joe 3-0. Leading the hitters was Karl Simon with 2 hits, one of which was

a 400-foot, 2-run home run in the 6th inning. Rick Niezgodski and Ken Skodinski had 3 hits and 2 hits, respectively. The line-up usually looks like this: 1st base, Ron Green; 2nd base, Ray Lentych; short stop, Dennis Grzegorek; 3rd base, Ray Nick; right field, Ken Skodinski; center field, Karl Si-

mon; left field, Rick Niezgodski; and catcher, Dick Smith. The pitching staff consists of John Remble, Tom Butler, Norm Martin, and Werner Vernon. Coach Newboldt commented that it was too early to make a forecast, but he expects at least an average season.

## BEAR FACTS BY CUBSKIN

Well, spring is here at last. Spring brings birds, flowers, green grass, and spring sports. In reviewing the spring sports activity, we first turn to the less publicized sport of golf. Although golf doesn't call for intense physical exertion, it demands a great deal of concentration and skill. Golf qualifications were over last week and Mr. Dorwin Nelson, the team coach, has announced his varsity roster. The varsity members are: Spike Abernathy, Mike Fuzy, Dick Locsmondy, Jim Lane, Lee Mason, and Bob Kepler.

In an effort to improve the quality of golf, coach Nelson will be taking films of the golfers so that he will be able to see what corrections should be made in the boys' stance, swing, etc.

Central's track and baseball teams have entered competition.

The track team has been improving with each meet and has a 2-2 record. Watch for fast times in the hurdles, the mile, and the half-mile. The baseball team, with a 2-1 record as of April 20, has turned in a couple of real good showings. The team is strong in the pitching department and has a number of good players. The Bears are strong contenders for the city championship this year.

# Girls Present Ballet

The Girls' Swim Club will present a water ballet entitled "As Time Swims By" on April 22 at 7:00 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. in the Central pool. (The ballet will also be given in the school's pool on Saturday, April 23 at 7:30 p.m.) Miss Betty Mathews is the sponsor of the club and Sue Reuthe and Marilyn Boyer are co-chairmen of the event. Sandy Cohen will be mistress of ceremonies. Numbers featured in the ballet will include a James Bond suite trio. The "IN" Crowd and Take Me Out To The Ball Game, a comedy number.

"As Time Swims By" will be the grande finale of the ballet.

Other swimmers in the ballet will be: Kathy Baird, Nancy Bennett, Janina Bratina, Helene Britton, Nancy Buczkowski, Lily Burgess, Marianne DeCroes, Gail Fulnecky, Ilona Fuzy, RoseMarie Fuzy, Betsy Hager, Pam Harden, Beth Johns, Marie Nozykowski, Diane Nyerges, Virginia Reed, Donna Sandine, Paula Siganevich, Debbie Wishin, and Pam Womer. There will be special lighting, costumes and decorations provided by the Art Service Club.

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