

January 19 Basketball, Central vs. Riley at Riley - 8:00 p.m.
 January 20 Basketball, LaSalle vs. Riley at LaSalle - 8:00 p.m.
 January 26 No school for students.



Jonah Fish Fry in Riley's cafeteria 3-7:30 p.m.
 Basketball Homecoming, Riley vs. Adams at Riley - 8:00 p.m.

B-team basketball games begin at 6:30 p.m. before the varsity games.

Sign up for the March SAT and achievement tests before February 3.

Buy your pens from the Booster Club at six pens for \$1.00.

JONAH FISH FRY JANUARY 26

A Jonah Fish Fry is being held at Riley High School on January 26 for the benefit of the band and other school organizations. Tickets for the dinner will cost \$1.50 and entitle a person to all the fish he wishes to eat. Carry-outs will also be available. Service will start at 3 P.M.

This dinner has been scheduled on a day when there is no school for students. A band will entertain those waiting in the auditorium for their turn to eat. The Riley-Adams basketball game will be played at 8 o'clock in the Riley gymnasium.

A meeting will be held for parents and students interested in being the American family of Riley's American Field Service students for the school year 1968-1969. The meeting will be in room 104 at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, January 25.

Diane Morrow Heads Hoosier Poet Staff



Diane Morrow, editor of the 1968 Hoosier Poet, plans for this edition to include four large color pictures. The delivery date is to be in the latter part of May. The Opening section editor is Barb Ziker, and her assistant is Donna Surges. Marty Pozil and Mary Jo Knisley are the Activities editors. The Academics section has Hope Hammond and Diane Baney as its editors. Cheryl Lange edited the Faculty section of the year's Hoosier Poet.

The Sports section is in the capable hands of George Burks

and Bob Paulk. Jan Toth, assisted by Lori Simpson, has organized 355 senior pictures into a basis for the Senior section. Underclassmen editors for the classes of '69, '70, and '71 are Dawn Dawson and Roseann Nagy.

Sue Acton and Judy Hoover are taking care of the business division of the yearbook with the assistance of Kathy Gruelich. Fran Reaves is organizing the Index of the '68 Hoosier Poet, and Cindy Ginter is the Advertising editor. Debbie Hickey helps wherever and whenever she is needed. All of the work is being supervised by Miss Darlene Stroup, the faculty sponsor.

Musical Chosen

"Blossom Time" is the musical to be given by Riley students March 7, 8, and 9 in the Riley High School auditorium. Music was composed by Franz Schubert and Heinrich Berte and adapted by Sigmund Romberg. Lyrics were adapted by Dorothy Donnelly. Mr. James Lewis Casaday will direct the production, and Mr. Rocco Germano will serve as musical director. Leading roles have been filled at this time and rehearsals are being held daily.

Dear Orville

Dear Orville:

I just went into a department store and bought a button which says, "Press for Instant Screaming." I took it home and tested it, but it would not scream. What's wrong?

Signed, X

Dear X:

Something is the matter, but not with the button necessarily. There are several well-known psychiatrists in town so don't lose heart.

Dear Orville:

My extra-long 101mm. cigarette keeps burning holes in me when I ride my Honda with my helmet on. Yet, I can't take off my helmet because that would be against the law. What can I do?

Signed, Hurry Up I'm Burning

Dear Hurry:

Simply get a custom-made helmet with a long extension in front for your cigarette. That would be ideal.

Dear Orville:

I have a boyfriend, and I like him very much, but my mother doesn't. How can I get her to come over to my side? It's up to you.

Signed, Confused Girl

Dear Confused:

Just sit down and have a talk with your mother. Tell her that, in spite of his long, greasy hair and dirty jeans, your boyfriend really is very nice. Promise her you will quit riding around with him on his motorcycle, yelling obscene words at little old ladies. Assure her you'll encourage him to finish out the ninth grade, and to quit smoking marijuana in her presence. If your mother has any heart at all, I'm sure she'll understand and change her mind.

Welcome Home, Margaret



After a year in Australia on the American Field Service program, Margaret Foulke has returned to South Bend. Margaret left the O'Donnell family January 5 for a tour of New South Wales by bus with the other AFS'ers in the area. She toured until January 16 and has just returned to South Bend.

As an AFS student Margaret had to adapt herself to life in Australia and to life with another family. She left South Bend January 18, 1967 and has been living with the John Holman family until the accidental death of Mrs. Holman. Then she completed her stay with the Lester O'Donnells in Richmond, Australia.

Margaret found her experience interesting and rewarding as indicated by her letters home. Riley students welcome Margaret back to the American way of life.

Debaters Are Successful

Riley won four of eight debates at the Hammond High School Invitational Speech Meet January 6 at Munster, Indiana. Riley sent two teams of debaters consisting of Don Lerman and Dennis Gay, and Karl Hoffmann and Joe Thompson. Greg Petry acted as timer.

The subject for the debates was, Resolved: that Congress should establish uniform regulations to control criminal investigation procedures. Debate teams from 12 other high schools in Indiana competed in the meet.

Karl Hoffmann, Dennis Gay, and Joe Thompson will represent Riley in the St. Joseph Valley Forensic League which began Jan. 10. Contests will continue in the league until May when the champion will be named.

Other invitational meets in which Riley will participate are an invitational meet on January 20 and the Culver Invitational on January 27.

Nursing Field Reviewed

Riley's guidance department has planned a series of talks by persons engaged in different occupations. These talks are announced in advance and may be attended by interested students who obtain admits in advance from their counselors. The following is the report of the assembly held on the field of nursing.

I went to the nursing assembly held Jan. 10 at Riley and heard a registered nurse give a very interesting talk about all the different fields of nursing. She told what subjects a student needs to take in high school in order to be accepted by a nursing college.

A student must take three years of college at Memorial School of Nursing to be graduated as a registered nurse. A student may become a licensed practical nurse by taking a year of nurse's training in classroom and hospital work after graduating from high school.



People of the Times

Dave Coffman is one of the more active seniors at Riley, although many of his activities are not centered around Riley. In his life at Riley, Dave has participated in the Booster Club and in Debate. He lettered in his junior year in B-team golf. His favorite singing group is the Rolling Stones.

This year, Dave occupies his time with English IV, international relations, college algebra, world history, and debate. Plans for next year include attending Indiana University at Bloomington to major in Business Administration and fraternity parties. At the moment, Dave plans a career in either finance or investment.

Nothing unusual has happened to Dave since he first set foot in this building, except taking debate and getting to know his fellow debaters. His advice to underclassmen, given with the advice of some other debaters, is not to take high school too seriously and not

to let it interfere with other more rewarding activities and ambitions.

Joan Casper, is one of Riley's busiest seniors. Her school day consists of speech, English IV, government and sociology, French IV and basic. Joan has received honor pins and is a member of the National Honor Society. She has been a member of Student Council for two years and is presently secretary of the French Club. Joan was the Junior Prom Princess last year and was a member of the 1967 Riley Football Court. Presently, she works at Robertson's in downtown South Bend.

Looking ahead to next year, Joan plans to attend Indiana University where she plans to major in French. She wants to become a teacher. Joan advises Riley's students to make the most of their time before their years in high school are over.

Writers Encouraged

Mrs. Vonda Fabrycki's fifth hour creative writing class was privileged to hear on January 9, a lecture on writing by Mr. Dennis Hayes, a published poet and playwright, who is on the dramatics staff of St. Mary's College and the University of Notre Dame.

"Read everything you can get your hands on--everything from phone books to Shakespeare," Mr. Hayes told the class. "Discipline in writing is necessary, and a student interested in writing should practice by writing at least 1500 words daily."

O.T.A.

What about Tom Adams and some cookies, Jan?

It has been reported that the "birds" have invaded Miss Murphy's third hour analytics class.

Did Mr. P. really cut the top of his head while shaving?

Butcher
 It seems that Riley's cheerleaders have been given courses in first aid.

Mr. Goodman, why don't you ever smile?

If anyone should see a herd of guinea pigs running down Fellows Street, would you please contact Dave H.R., 308.

T.V. - Views

"...and as usual, if you or any member of your force is caught or killed, the secretary will disavow any knowledge of your actions."

So begins an episode of one of television's most successful shows, "Mission Impossible." Based on the spy vs. spy theme, the show combines a talented cast, mechanical gimmicks, and an insidiously clever plot in pulling off some of the most intriguing escapades ever seen on TV. The show is well written and directed, the action moves along smoothly inviting the audience to think ahead and to try to out-guess the I.M. force. "Mission Impossible" can be seen Sunday nights on CBS-TV and in our opinion is one of the best of its kind. --Jay Schneiders

Swimmers Win No.3 Volleyball Tryouts

By Julius Keresztes

The Riley Flipper squad took a long two hour trip to Hammond and came home very happy after defeating a very tough Bishop Noll team. Bishop Noll is Coach William Echard's former school.

I, a member of the team, have never seen such a performance of team work in all my three years on the team. From the first to the last race, it was nip and tuck with both teams exchanging leads several times. To relate the closeness of each race, I shall give you the time by which we won our last race, the 200 Medley Relay. The team of Bill Jeppson, Bob Ganyard, Bob Jeppson and Kent Vorris outlasted the other team to win by .6 of a second.

Bart Ryan came through with a second in the 200 free, an event which Riley has never placed better than third in when it really counted. Jim Nagy and Kent Vorris both swam in a stupendous way to sweep the 50 yard free style event. Kent placed second by .1 of a second.

In the 200 Individual Medley, Jack Nagy outclassed the rest of the swimmers to win by 1/2 lap, the largest margin of the meet. In diving, Melvin Clark won by .9 of a point to give Riley three precious points. Then Bob Jeppson lost a beautiful race on the last lap by 1/2 a body length. Jim Nagy, a double winner, got his second victory in the 100 yd. back, while Bill Jeppson missed out on 3 or even 2 by missing his last turn, but still only lost by .6 of a second. Bart Ryan took a do or die second in the 400 yd. free. Riley now trailed 40-39.

Riley decided to let Jack Nagy swim with the last relay and hope Bob Ganyard would take a first or second in the breast stroke. Bob swam well and took a second, making up five yards on the last lap to do it. Now it was up to the relay with Riley behind 46-42, and the spoils to the victor. Jack Nagy led off and took a half-lap lead, and Greg Bahler followed. Riley had a two second lead. Dan White followed and Riley was one second ahead. When Julius Keresztes took off Riley was barely in the lead. Julius, not knowing where his competition was, swam as hard as he could. Julius won and turned a pale white after being told how close his competition was. He couldn't stay that way long, because after winning the race by a mere half a body-length, there was no being quiet on the Riley team. This last relay team was literally swamped by their teammates.

The Riley G.A.A. participates each year in competitive volleyball games with other schools in this area. The first tryout practice was held from 3:30 to 5 P.M., Jan. 18. The team will be chosen from this tryout and the one to be held Jan. 25.

Anyone may try out. To be eligible for league play, however, a student must have a C average and a physician's permission.

Volley ball is an exciting sport. Each year several girls who try out have the pleasure of meeting new people from other schools. Through the years, Riley's teams have done quite well as the trophies in the trophy cases prove. The important fact is that lasting friendships are formed through participation in the sport. Girls are urged to attend the tryout next Thursday.

By Gail Rice

Matmen Split

In their first two matches since coming back from Christmas vacation the matmen defeated Penn and barely lost to Niles.

At Penn High School on January 3, the wrestlers won by a score of 25-19. Winners were Don Lerman at 103 lbs; Floyd Jackson at 127 lbs; Robert Mawson at 133 lbs; Kenny Reed at 138 lbs; Ollie Ross at 154 lbs; Bob Foster at 180 lbs; and Phil Kennedy at HW. Al Gammage drew with his opponent at 120 lbs. The outstanding wrestler for the match was Kenny Reed, with special mention going to Ollie Ross and Bob Foster.

The next night, Niles slipped by Riley by the score of 24-23. Winners were Don Lerman at 103 lbs; Kenny Reed at 136 lbs; Ollie Ross at 154 lbs; Bob Foster at 182 lbs; and Phil Kennedy at HW. Robert Mawson drew 0-0 with his opponent.

Riley's record now stands at 3 and 3. Their next matches will be against Washington, here on January 16, and Adams there, on January 19.

'C' Students Badly Needed

The head of one of the nation's top engineering technical schools says there's an exciting and well-paid place in the space age for the high school 'C' student.

Dr. H. Russell Beatty, president of Wentworth Institute in Boston, said the jobs will open up in a variety of fields from aerospace to mining.

Dr. Beatty said a recent federal survey reported that within ten years the nation will need 830,000 college graduate engineers--but will be capable of producing no more than 500,000.

"There is only one way in which this shortage of engineers can be overcome," he said, "and that is by the education and utilization of a greatly expanded corps of engineering students."

Dr. Beatty said in an interview that there is consequently a pressing need for the highly motivated high school 'C' student. These are the boys, he said, who are interested in hot rods, ham radios and similar pursuits in which they want to get their head and hands involved in their hobby.

Dr. Beatty defined a technician as the man in the field or on the job anywhere who provides liaison between the engineer and the artisan.

Technicians, he said, translate blueprints into buildings, roads, or missiles.

Wentworth is one of the largest accredited endowed institutes in the country for training engineers and industrial technicians. Dr. Beatty noted that last year the U. S. graduated only 16,000 engineering technicians compared with more than 100,000 in Russia.

He said that currently the U.S. is producing seven technicians to every ten graduate engineers. But for adequate utilization of engineering skills, he said, the ratio should be nearly 3 to 1 -- 30 technicians for every 10 engineers.

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Bowlers Swing Again

League play got under way again on January 6 after the vacation period for Christmas. Competition was very intense and all seemed to be happy to get back to bowling again.

The Christmas vacation period included a Scotch Doubbs tournament in each league on December 18. The A league champions, who won beautiful trophies, were Barb Canoy and Kris Wonisch with a very impressive score of 1343. The B team winners, who also were awarded trophies, were Ralph Gartner and Pat Bartell with a score of 1129. Congratulations to these two teams who carried off all the "loot."

Highlights of the bowling on 1-6-68 was a B league high series by Gary Nieter of 538. This score replaced the previous high of Paul Rerick. Paul has the high single game of 217 for others to try and beat. Marilyn McGrane, who started out the year with a 45 average, bowled a 152 this week and raised that average to 75 pins.

The A league had a fine series by Wing Mark of 578. This was not quite sufficient to top the impressive 603 rolled by Lewis Mark on the last Saturday before Christmas vacation. Wing also had a 226 to be the "Star of the Week" in both single and series scores. Barb Selisky was "Star of the Week" in both single and series also. She had a fine 429 which included a 172 single game.

Regular league bowling will continue each Saturday from now on through March 16. A big surprise is in store for all team members on March 16, as well as March 23.

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RILEY MEETS CENTRAL TONIGHT

Riley's basketball team is set for tonight's game against Central. This game promises to be one of the big games of the season and all available seats are expected to be filled. Riley students are urged to cheer the Wildcats to victory.

Riley Clouts Emerson

Behind a fine team effort, Riley's basketball team earned their fourth victory in ten starts by defeating a quick Gary Emerson squad. Top jobs were turned in by all the players.

Starting slow, the Wildcats found themselves down 8 to 2 but managed to fight back to a 14-13 first quarter score with Emerson ahead. From then on it was all Wildcats. Behind the fine rebounding of Tom Uzelac and Jim Schuhl and the twisting turning shots of Gloston Jackson, Riley popped out to a 34-24 half time lead.

After the start of the second half, Riley continued to dominate the game. With the play making of Kevin Powers and the shooting of Pat Kramer, the Wildcats built up a lead that Emerson could never overcome. Top scorers for Riley were Gloston Jackson with 29 points and Pat Kramer with 18.

FUTURE WRESTLING SCHEDULE

Jan. 17 Washington T
Jan. 19 Adams H
Jan. 24 Jackson T
Jan. 28 Conference H
Feb. 4 Sectional - Adams
Feb. 11 Regional - Purdue
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