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## Stepan Center Site for Prom

Notre Dame's Stepan Center has been selected as the site of this year's senior prom, according to senior class president, Bill Bishop. Previously slated in the Venetian Room of Randall's Inn, the prom has been switched due to the larger area Stepan Center will provide.

Scheduled on May 18 from 9 to 12 p.m., the prom will feature Frankie Kitt's Orchestra at a cost of \$2.50 per couple.

A unique development in the planning has taken place in decorations. The senior Tigers will be sharing the same decorations that the Notre Dame seniors will be using for their prom, which includes carpeting and an estimated \$3000 tab.

The senior class officers are requesting volunteers to help decorate with some Notre Dame students after school from May 11-17.

Parents of seniors are planning the after-prom party, which will last from 1 to 4 a.m. and will be held at the YMCA Coop. Tentative plans for the party include a rock band, a movie, and refreshments. Heading the committee are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arch.

## Captain Talcott Sidelined; Sue Everly Replacement

Junior Sue Everly has moved to the varsity squad replacing varsity captain Pam Talcott, who has been sidelined after reinjuring her leg in a game.

Pam has been a cheerleader for four years and on the varsity squad for three.

Sophomore Chris Widener has been moved to the Junior Varsity squad in Sue Everly's position.

## Myra Cast in 'Riverwind'

Myra Deepe, senior, is in rehearsal for the Presbyterian Players' presentation of "Riverwind," a musical by Hoosier Jonathan Jennings, which will be performed tonight and tomorrow, and on March 1 and 2.

Myra, a Thespian, has previously been in the chorus of the Players' "Blithe Spirits." At Jackson, she has performed lead roles in "The Crucible" and "The Miracle Worker." This will be her first musical lead.

## Mixed Marriages, Schools Attacked at ND Seminar

Status of Negroes in the United States, interracial marriage, "established customs" toward the Negro in the South, and the present school system were a few of the topics presented at the Negro History Conference held at Notre Dame last week.

Stating that he "was afraid to break the established customs," Doctor James Silver, Professor of History, spoke to the Conference delegates about his experiences while living and teaching in the South.

A brief history of the Negro movements in America was the subject of Doctor Emma Lou Thornborough's speech. She told of the Negro's fight for freedom since he first entered the country.

Mr. Jesse Dickinson, head of public housing in South Bend, re-

placed scheduled speaker Miss Marian Wright of the NAACP's legal division in Mississippi. Prejudice between the two races formed the basis for his speech.

Except for the luncheon and a short talk by Mrs. Frankie Freeman, member of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, the rest of the day was devoted to group discussions. Delegates to the Conference were arbitrarily divided into groups, with a proportionate number of each race present in all groups.

## Debaters Enter Competition In Forensic League Meets

Winning one bout against Penn, Jackson's debate team is now preparing for three more St. Joseph Valley Forensic League tournaments. Sponsored by Mr. Bill Maguire, the debators meet after school and hold practice sessions, with members of the teams taking their respective affirmative and negative sides.

National topic for this year's Forensic League tournaments is "Crime." All city debates are held at Central, and the debators will learn their standings at a League banquet in May.

In the first competitive debates Jackson has been represented by Paul Zisla and Pete Ogden, affirmative, and Stan Kohrn and Dan Stump, negative side.

Debaters and other interested students will be able to practice daily during school next year, as debate will be offered as a credit course.

## Registration Begins; Students Get Decals

All students who plan to drive to school any time during the year, even one day, must fill out registration forms provided by homeroom teachers.

Sponsored by Student Council, automobile registration began earlier this week. Each registrant must complete a special application with information concerning himself, his car, and license number. If more than one car will be driven, the student must also register them, too.

A decal designed specifically for this project will be issued to each registered car. This will enable the driver to park in JHS lots.

## Musicians Entrap Statewide Honors

Competing with other musicians from all over the state of Indiana, Jackson band members won fourteen firsts at Indianapolis last Saturday.

Solo first winners are Eric Heller, clarinet; Rick Overgaard, Rick Sprague, cornet; Greg Ewald, Melinda Dolan, Dave Mitchell, snare drum, and Tom Everly, marimba.

Ensembles receiving firsts are: Michelle Geoffroy, Sandy Neidigh, Sandy Kreps, Jill Evenden, flute quartet; Rick Overgaard, Kerry Kirkley, Rick Sprague, cornet trio; Rick Overgaard, Rick Sprague, Doug Evenden, Jeff Bayman, brass quartet.

Others are Rick Overgaard, Rick Sprague, Bruce DeBoskey, Liesl Parker, Stuart Mock, Doug Evenden, Jeff Bayman, Mark Heller, John Veger, Tom Bergan, Scott Cline, brass ensemble; Greg Buchanan, Melinda Dolan, Tom Everly, John Carey, Craig Stoner, Greg Ewald, percussion ensemble; Rick Overgaard, Rick Sprague, Kerry Kirkley, Bruce DeBoskey, cornet quartet; and Doug Evenden, Jeff Bayman, Tom Bergan, John Veger, trombone quartet.

## Junior Achievement To Hold Trade Fair

Junior Achievement companies will hold their annual Trade Fair on Saturday, March 2, from noon to 9 p.m. and on Sunday, March 3, from noon to 7 p.m. in the Junior Achievement Building at 947 Louise Street, just north of the YMCA.

Achievers will have displays of their companies and will be selling their respective products. Tickets are a quarter and may be purchased from any Junior Achiever or at the door.

Door prizes will be given at the Fair. Saturday night's door prizes will be one share of each of the following: Bendix Corporation, Drewrys Limited and Associates Investment Company. Sunday's door prizes include shares of stock in Uniroyal Inc., Dodge Mfg. Corporation and the Gas Company.



THREATENING Oliver because he had the "nerve" to ask for more gruel, Mr. Bumble and Corney sing before the boy's orphan chums in Jackson's production of "Oliver." Chris Moore

portrays Oliver, with Roger Tolle and Betsy DeCroes as Mr. Bumble and Corney, respectively.



## Social Service Club Seeks Pen Pals For Jacksonites' Viet Nam Relatives

Homesickness and loneliness have to be two of the worst enemies of any boys stationed away from home. Helping to combat these two feelings, the Social Service Club collected names and addresses of Jackson students' brothers or friends stationed in Viet Nam in the hopes Tiger students would correspond with them.

The following is the list compiled by the SSC:

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"WHERE IS LOVE?" plaintively sings Chris Moore as Oliver after he is sold to an undertaker to become a junior coffin follower.

## South American Teacher Visits Jackson Classes

By Brenna Meyer

"Hippies," giggled Teresa Ramos of Peru, South America, when asked about the most unusual and interesting thing she had seen in the United States.

Miss Ramos is one of 240 teachers from all over the world visiting this country. The teachers met in Washington, D. C., where they were divided among different universities and states. These groups were later split into groups of ten to visit high schools. Miss Ramos spent two weeks observing Jackson classes before returning to Washington.

Sponsored by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, each teacher was interviewed and tested before being chosen. The purpose of the exchange is to acquaint visiting teachers with the United States. They observe American habits and system of living.

Miss Ramos explained that schools in Peru are free, but subjects are compulsory. The school year is from April to December, with class hours from 8 to 12 in the morning, and 2 to 5 in the afternoon. Students go home for their two-hour lunch break. Students spend six years in elementary school and five years in high school.

Miss Ramos is very impressed with the "... understanding between people in America." She found Jacksonites "nicely different." She enjoys swimming and movies.

## Job Hunting Begins For Jacksonites; State Employment Service May Help

Job opportunities are scarce at this time of year, but as the weather improves, teenagers all

over South Bend will be hunting for part and full time jobs.

Job-seekers can apply for positions in various ways. The first is to register at the Indiana State Employment Service. A work application card is filled out and placed in the Service files. Personal interviews are conducted whenever possible. Employers then send job listings to the Employment Service, which in turn fills them with suitable cards from its files.

Other ways of finding a job are by watching the paper, asking working friends if their place of employment has an opening, and by keeping family and friends on the lookout for jobs.

When applying for jobs, teenagers should keep in mind that first impressions are important and often lasting. The job-seeker should be well-groomed and neat in appearance.

Conduct during a job interview is also important. The applicant should pay attention and answer questions accurately and honestly.

## Tiger Tales

THANKS to the Indiana Bell Telephone Company, French students are now conversing over two new phone sets, so that simulated conversations in French might seem more realistic.

A MESSAGE from Mr. James Myers: To those "appreciative fans" who so kindly TPe'd my home Saturday after the last performance of "Oliver" — I live next door! Thanks anyway . . .

TWO GIRLS at Jackson recently found more to share than their school and first names. Junior Kris Hodson and sophomore Chris Widener can now be heard boasting, "We're an aunt!!!" What?

## Junior Sue Ryon Receives 3rd Place in Essay Contest

"USA: Profile of Prejudice," an essay by Sue Ryon, was awarded a third place in city wide competition during Negro History Week. Sue received a ten-dollar prize.

The panel of judges consisted of James Ullis, Mrs. Barnard Streets, Miss Judy Jarrett, Jesse L. Dickinson, and Mrs. James Bures.

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# Tiger Streak Ends at 4; Armev Sets Scoring Mark

The Tigers beat the Eagles' full-court press, their zone defense, their man-to-man defense and their offense; the only thing they lost was the last thirty seconds and it cost them the game.

Adams scored the winning basket with sixteen seconds left to down Jackson 80-78 and end regular season play for both teams with identical 9-11 records.

**THE TIGER FOUR-GAME** win streak was snapped but Coach Taylor says "That ought to sober us up for the sectional." After hitting fifteen free tosses in a row, the JHS hoopers failed to cash in on one-and-one opportunities with 53 and 24 seconds left on the clock. Overall, the Tigers hit 27 field goals in 67 attempts for 40 per cent.

Terry Armev broke his own scoring record and set a new Jackson gym mark as he poured in 30 points on ten field goals and ten free throws. Jerry Tetzlaff followed with 17, Bill T'Kindt 13 and Craig Marten chipped in 10.

Assuming the cagers eliminated Argos from the sectional tourney at LaVille yesterday, a sectional championship for the Tigers would make a winning season out of the best season Jackson has had, despite what happens in the tourney.

**COACH JOE KREITZMAN'S** B-squad finished their season with a record almost identical to the varsity's. The Cubs closed at 8-11, also losing to Adams, 64-58.

Some mention has to be made of the way Jackson fans have finally rallied behind the team. The gym was packed with Tiger rooters and ten seconds never went by without explosive cheering from the cheering section which extended the full length of the floor.

## Girls Open Swim Season

The girls' swim team from Jackson will open their dual meet season against LaSalle next Tuesday, Feb. 27, in the Tigers' pool.

This will be the first meeting between the teams. Admission will be fifty cents at the door.



**COACH TAYLOR** shouts instructions to his cagers in the Adams game as assistant Joe Kreitzman examines the action.

## Dunlap, Weldy Lead All-Stars to Victory

Jackson's Faculty All-Stars inched their way past Riley last Feb. 13 in the Tiger gym by a slim four points, 51-47. "Dangerous Dave," known in civilian life as Mr. Dunlap, mild-mannered teacher of government and sociology, broke a 47-47 tie with 33 seconds left by driving through the middle and dropping in a lay-up.

The score remained 49-47 Jackson's favor until the final two seconds when "Dangerous Dave" added two free throws for the final margin.

Wilt(the stilt) Weldy paced the Tigers veterans throughout most of the contest, hitting several jump shots from the corners and canning numerous sweeping hook-shots with both left and right hands!

# Swim Team Places Sixth in State; Haines, Dodd Post School Records

By Mike Hostetler

Tying for sixth place at the Indiana State finals last Saturday the Jackson swim team closed out a successful season. South Bend Adams won its third consecutive state championship, scoring 52 points. The Tigers compiled 12 points in the competition which was held at Indiana University at Bloomington.

**THE 400-YARD FREESTYLE** relay team, made up of Craig Hitchcock, Jim Oakley, Doug Jessup, and Paul Baker, finished fourth with a time of 3:28.8. Jackson had four individual finishers in the finals.

Howie Haines took fifth place in the 400-yard freestyle with a time of 4:12.9. Swimming in the 100-yard breaststroke for fifth place and a time of 1:07.4 was Bill Dodd. Chris Jones captured sixth place, swimming the 100-yard butterfly in 1:00.2. Taking sixth in the 100-yard freestyle was Doug Jessup with a time of :53.7.

Haines and Dodd set school records in the qualifying rounds in the 400-yard freestyle and the 100-yard breaststroke, respectively. Haines posted a time of 4:08.5 and Dodd had a 1:06.8.

**COACH AL DAVISON** reports that three special awards will be given to outstanding team members at the winter sports awards assembly. The Most Valuable Swimmer Award, the Pain Award,

and the Kiwanis Award will be presented at the assembly next month.

## Trackmen Open Practice; Indoor Meet March 27

Track practice began last Wednesday in the Jackson gym. Any boy not already out for track who would like to participate may still enter the program by contacting either Coach Ganser or Coach Meilstrup.

Track competition starts March 27, with the Washington Invitational indoor meet at Notre Dame. Trophies will be given to the winners in this annual opening meet for all city schools.

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