

CORSICA HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

September 19, 1969

GERALDINE V.D., SANDY B., LINDA N.,
BRENT B., ALAN Z., PAUL H., ARE CHOSEN

PEP CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

On Wednesday, September 10, 1969, the first pep club meeting of the year was held.

Heading the pep club as president is Pat Van Roekel and to assist her is vice president, Valerie De Vriese. The secretary is Connie Spaans and treasurer Doug Bordewyk.

It was also decided that in order to receive a pep club pen you must attend all tournament games and can miss only one football game and three basketball games.

The committee chosen to work on the homecoming float are Lonnie Van Roekel, Linda Ligtenberg, Renee Bye, Mel Blom, Gary Van Roekel, Nelson Vanden Hoek and all the pep club officers.

WELCOME BEV AND DIANNE

Two new faces to be seen at CHS are those of Bev and Dianne Mulder. The freshman and juniors would like to welcome their new classmates. They attended school at Armour before moving to Corsica. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mulder.

*Thank you
Mr. Kruse, for
helping us
The Staff*

MR. BILLARS PARTICIPATES IN EDUCATORS VISIT

Mr. Billars, CHS principal, is one of the fifteen area education and high school guidance counselors to participate in an educators' visit to the U.S. Naval Academy, Sept. 15-19.

The Naval Academy hosts secondary school educators to provide an opportunity for them to see the "wholeman" program of education offered to career officers for the United States Navy.

The group will be greeted by Rear Admiral James Colvert, Superintendent, who will give briefings on the physical and moral programs of the institution.

The group will spend Tuesday afternoon in Washington, D.C. They will meet with Sen. Karl Mundt, Sen. George McGovern, and Rep. Ben Roifel.

A tour will be conducted through the White House and Capitol, to the Arlington National Cemetery, the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, and President Kennedy's grave.

Wednesday will be spent going through and reviewing the academic program and extra-curricular activities at the Academy.

HOMECOMING CANDIDATES

Linda Noteboom, Sandy Bamberg, Geraldine Van Dyke, Brent Beukelman, Paul Herrig, and Alan Zwart were chosen by the student body of CHS on Tuesday, as candidates for the honor of Homecoming King and Queen.

The coronation of the King and Queen will be held at 8:00 on Thursday, along with the annual rally and bonfire.

Friday, the 26th, is the big day with the parade at 2:00 in which the theme "Commercials" will be carried out. The game with Avon is slated for 7:30. Following the game a dance for all CHS students and alumni will be held featuring the "Wizards", a group from Southern State College.

ALL-STATERS TO BE PICKED

All-State Chorus practices are being held every Monday and Thursday.

Those trying out are: Pat Van Roekel, Cindy Arlt, Geri Van Dyke, Dawn Bordewyk, Mary Hoekman, Diane Walters, Elva Hoekman, Brent Beukelman, Brent De Boer, and Roy Beukelman.

Final decisions will be made at a later date.

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EDITORIAL PAGE

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Be Kind To Teachers!

by Cheryle Ligtenberg

The teachers in Corsica High School need some help! They claim all the students are picking on them! Are you guilty of this grave offense?

Sometime this month we should declare a "Be nice to teachers week," just to show them how nice we can be. This plan would mean no explaining or excuse making for late or incomplete assignments. Just a simple "Yes, sir" or "Yes, Ma'am" would be sufficient, especially one certain class in which the teacher is constantly sniffing when his students complain. He claims he cries into his pillow every night because of how hard his class works. What other teacher would do that for us? Maybe, in that designated week, we could buy him another pillow. This one would have to be fast-drying because if he cries two minutes for every excuse or complaint, he has enough salt water to start another Atlantic Ocean!

Another teacher deserves a special thank-you in "Be kind to teachers week." This teacher gave his class the answers to two tests. (We just won't mention the fact that he got his tongue all tied up in knots because he was reading them so fast!) But there is another example of a really sweet guy! In that special week, we could give him a tape recorder to repeat his answers into. That way he could speed up the recorder and we will have saved him the frustrating experience of not being able to say all those things right in such a speedy fashion.

No more satirical expressions. But maybe the students and teachers should mentally change places before they do or say something about the other.



ANNOUNCING Sept. 26
Homecoming

HONESTY AND INTEGRITY

You should always be honest in everything you do. You should not cheat or lie in anything you do. It doesn't matter whether it is your best friend or not. Some people think that if you get by with cheating one time you will be able to do it again, sometimes people do get by with it again and again, but it isn't the best thing for them. For if they get by with it and never get corrected when they are young, they will do it also when they are older. This will also lead to greater and worse things. Some people do it so that they will get a better grade, but if you stop and think about it, it really isn't doing you much good. For it is better to get a D or an F and deserve it than get an A or B and have cheated from someone.

So if you do your own work you'll learn a lot more and go much farther in life.

Annuals Here

The Comet, the Corsica High School annual for the 68-69 school term have been distributed to the students of CHS. If you see someone walking around with four or five of them, they probably didn't order that many, they just have a lot of autographing to do. Do you suppose the parents read some of this autographing? The students of CHS would like to thank the annual staff of 68-69 for making these possible.

SPORTS PAGE Winning Streak Is Broken

Corsicas Comets saw a 19 game winning streak break last Friday when the Kimball Kiotes outscored the Comets 14-12.

The Kiotes' line proved to be made of bricks as the Comets could only advance 93 yards rushing and 43 yards passing. Alan Zwart caught a 2 yard scoring play from Brent Beukelman to put the Comets on the scoreboard. The second half saw Rod Shrank plow through the tough front line to end the scoring for the Comets.

The Kiotes tied the game in the fourth quarter when Bruse Duba charged in from the 1-yard line. The game winning conversation came when freshman Joe Bjorkman found Tom Roupal with a pass.

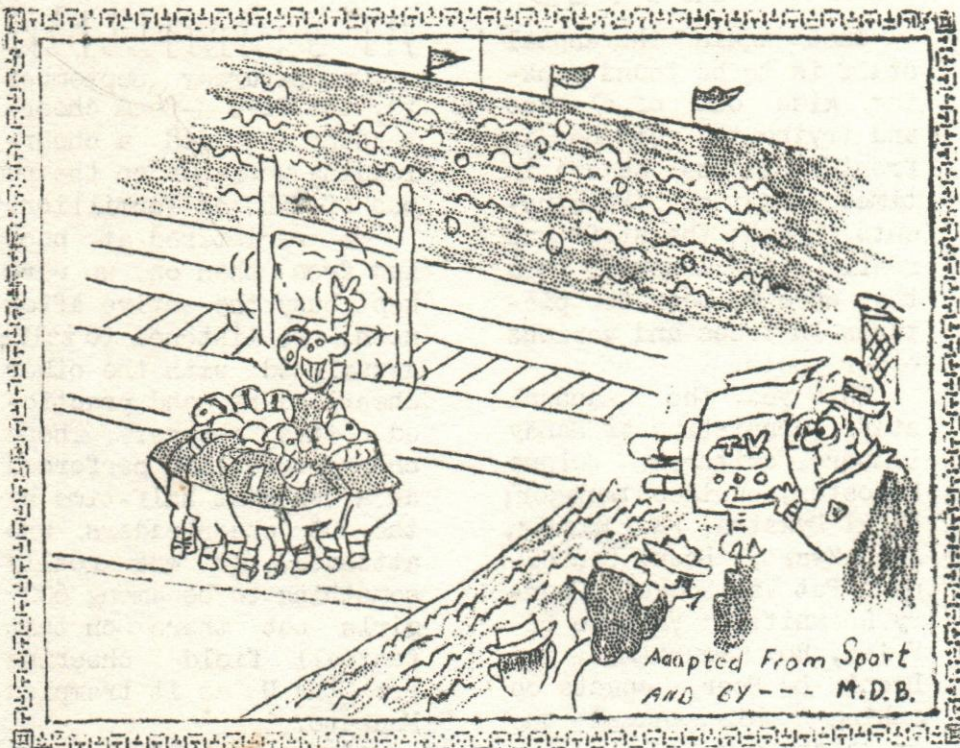
Randy Havlik and Curt Sharping did the fighting for the Kiotes while Von Denning, Joe Maunders, and Randy Jendersee were tough on defense for the comets.

FINAL				
Kimball	6	0	0	8
Corsica	0	6	6	12

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of our five fumbles the first half. Corsica soon over came this handicap by coming out on top at halftime leading 22-6.

The first half scoring was led by Rod Shrank, who pushed across the first 12 points of the ballgame. One was made on a one yard plunge and another was made on a 15 yard run. The rest was done by Brent Beukelman on about 10 yards out, cont'd on page 4

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Adapted From Sport
AND BY --- M.D.B.

EXCITEMENT IS ENJOYED!!

by Gordon Heber

Those who made it to the football game last week against Kimball saw a great spectacle of superb football playing. Even though we lost, we showed Kimball that we could play rough and tough football. I don't doubt that the everyone's hearts were pounding pretty hard those last few minutes of the game. Those last couple of minutes stood on the balance. As it turned out, we showed up on the Kimball fifth yard line and it was the second down. For a while I didn't know which side would come out on top because it wasn't until the last seconds that the game was decided.

That we played a fair game against Kimball is noticeable by the very few penalties in the game. I would like to give credit for the wild school spirit
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that was displayed. We haven't had more excitement in a game since we played Tripp two years ago. Remember that game?

Tonight we can store away some of our steam by ripping into Bonesteel. I hear that there is a rumor going around that Bonesteel is pretty tough. Well, let's settle that tonight. Action is better than words, anyway. So let's get out there and show Bonesteel that we're out for more than just revenge!

Comets WIN

The Corsica Comets opened their 1969 Football season successfully Sept. 5, by downing the Delmont Wildcats 40 to 18. It looked as if Delmont would stop our 18 victories in a row for awhile because

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FROSH ARE WELCOMED

The Frosh were supposedly welcomed to CHS with a get-acquainted dance after our first football game. After our victory over Delmont everyone happily rushed to the school only to find that the dance was "ka-put." The freshmen had been taken out of town and made to walk back. Although the dance fell through the lunch was enjoyed. The students of CHS would like to take this opportunity to say, "Welcome Freshmen!"

FIRE DRILL IS HELD!!

As 119 students went to their studies very studiously on Wednesday morning, September 10, the fire bell sounded. Most of the students went out the door smiling. Just as most of them were outside the fire whistle blew three times. The smiles soon disappeared from their faces as they realized good old C.H.S. might burn to the ground, (with all the books!!)

It didn't take the firemen long to get here. Corsica has one of the best volunteer fire departments in the state. But as it turned out the firemen just wanted a practice drill. The firemen had a tour of the high school to get to know it better as most of them didn't know the school building very well. The excitement was over and the students eagerly filed back to their classes.

Beware of the conversationist who adds "In other words. . ." He is merely starting afresh.

ANNUAL STAFF IS SELECTED

Once again the annual staff is to be found yanking kids out of classes and trying to get them in front of the camera in time. Many of the students thought the staff was really going downhill when they were to pose for pictures in trees and various other spots.

This year the annual staff, consisting of Sandy Bamberg, editor; Jolene Plooster, business manager; Vicki Dykstra, Paul Herrig, Alan Zwart, Brent Beukelman, Pat Van Roekel, Sherry Reimnitz, Valerie De Vries, Roy Beukelman, and Brent De Boer, counts on making this annual the greatest ever.

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while Dave Markus picked up 2 points on a safety as he tackled a Delmont punter in the end zone. The second half scoring was done by Brent Beukelman, who had 2 touchdowns, and Brent DeBoer, who had 1 in the second half. Corsica's defense was led by Von Denning, Gary Olawsky, and Joe Maunders. Delmont's offense was led by Terry Sherman as he scored all three touchdowns on runs of 10, 15, and 58 yards. Their defense was led by Charlie Furnes.

ART CAMP

By Merlin De Boer

On June 22, three Corsica High School students Merlin De Boer, Sandra Bamberg, and Susan Dropers registered at the art building on the University of South Dakota campus.

The art camp took on a new name this year. It was called the Seminar on Visual Perception. Robert

CHEERLEADERS ATTEND CLINIC AT VERMILLION

On Saturday September 13, the five A-team cheerleaders attended a cheerleading workshop on the campus of USD at Vermillion.

We registered at noon and from then on we were kept busy the entire afternoon. We listened to talks, acquainted with the other cheerleaders, and practiced five cheers. These cheers were then performed as a show at half-time by the 600 cheerleaders who attended. It was really something to be among 600 girls out there on that football field cheering for the U as it trampled Mankato.

After the half-time show we headed our weary bodies for the car. We had a good time, but we were glad to get home.

The next few days will probably be spent with stiff muscles from somersaults and pyramids.

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Simone was its director.

The day's schedule began with morning classes dealing with painting, under the direction of Robert Aldern, chairman of the department; sculpture under Dan Packard, assistant professor of art; hand weaving, under Phyllis Packard, and hand painting 16mm film, under Mr. Simone. In the afternoon Mr. Simone conducted a general drawing class and in the evening we were shown films on famous American artists.

These are a few words that Mr. Simone said concerning the seminar this year.

LINDA JEAN GIVES VIEWS

Miss Linda Jean Noteboom, daughter of Mr. and senior at CHS. She was born in Mitchell Methodist Hospital, February 3, 1952

Since she was born on February 3, she belongs to the Aquarius Constellation. Her horoscope reads, "All-around person, but specializing in nothing. Fond of imparting knowledge to others, and would make a good teacher but poor mathematician. Kind, generous, courageous. Never gives quick or drastic decisions. And a good public citizen."

Her favorite food and drink are pizza and pepsi. Favorite actor, show, and song are Steve McQueen, Romeo and Juliet, and "Jennifer Tomkins", respectively. She has two favorite teachers, Miss Harrington and Mr. Englehorn. Her favorite pastime is riding motorcycle. She takes part in band, chorus, cheerleading, journalism, and drama club, of which she is vice-president.

She plans to go to college after graduation.

Her opinion of CHS: "It's a great school with a great bunch of kids."

Freshman Capers —

The freshman class would first like to thank the Sophomore class for the dance sponsored for their benefit. They are glad that an initiation program was not held to welcome them into the halls of CHS. They have found studying and other activities very different from grade school but they are all glad to become a part of CHS.

BE ON TIME WITH
YOUR STORIES!

JOLENE MAKES THE SCENE!!

Making her debut in this world on November 12, 1951, was Jolene Plooster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Plooster. She is a ravishing red head with hazel eyes and a winning smile.

Her friends say her most admirable trait is her ability to laugh at herself.

As a part-time student, part-time farmer's daughter, Jolene spends her spare time reading. When someone bothers her, she puts into action her favorite saying, "Oh get outa here!"

When asked what her comment on CHS was, she replied; "I think it's the greatest school around and I'll sure hate leaving."

Soph. Speak-

The sophomore class would like to thank all those who attended their dance Friday evening, Sept. 5, after the football game.

They are now getting ready for homecoming as they have chosen a title for their float, but are keeping it under cover for a while.

The class takes pride in saying they have the most boys out for football with a number of 15.

Juniors Work

The "log cabin" is once again in full use as the hard working juniors are kept busy by the hungry spectators at the football games. The last couple of weeks they have been out selling magazines for the magazine campaign.

The juniors are all thinking hard, to come up with a good theme for their homecoming float.

WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF -

Mr. Billars didn't look at his watch?

Cheryl Menning got to class early?

Mr. Selchert didn't drink Pepsi?

the Comets hadn't lost to Kimball?

Mr. Wagner didn't smile?

Ralph Starkenburg couldn't talk?

the sophomore girls didn't use sign language on tests?

Nelson Vanden Hoek wasn't a pest?

teachers wouldn't butt into the lunch line?

CHS boys were gentlemen?

Mr. Droppers didn't wear white socks?

the band played at per rallies?

we had good meals at school?

Senior Views

The active seniors are really getting into the swing of th

C.H.S. The seniors talked to Mr. Barid about pictures and now they're trying to decide when they should pose for this big event.

Those who plan on taking their ACT tests are also trying to decide which is the best day to go to see how smart they are.

The class is really looking forward to Homecoming and would like to wish the team - GOOD LUCK!

Highlights

LETTER SENT IN SONG

"Honey"

Today was "Jennifer Tomkin's" birthday so we got together and did some "Laughing". "It Hurt so Bad" it made me "Dizzy".

"In the Year . . . "Jack and Jill" "Put a Little Love in Their Hearts" and were married. They are "So Happy Together" "Workin on a Groovy Thing". I'm Sure Gonna Miss Her", though.

"Running Bear" wanted me to take a "Journey to the Moon" with him but I prefer "Jackson", but I've been "California Dreamin" so ya never know. Why don't you "Come on Down to My Boat, Baby?" We could have some "Sweet Cherry Wine" and listen to "Good Ole Rock and Roll Music".

"Words" could never express my feelings for you "Sweet Caroline" so you'll just have to put up with my "Sounds of Silence".

"Sugar, Sugar", please "Let It Be Me". Let's Get Together and you can "Share Your Love With Me". I'll "Cherish" you always.

"Help!"

"A Boy Named Sue"

SENIORS TO P JUNIOR SALES

The magazine sales ended Wednesday, Sept. 18, with the senior class on the top. The senior class sold a total of \$585.99 followed by the juniors with \$479.13

Leading the magazine sales was Doug Bordewyk who sold \$136.37 worth. Second was Pat Van Roekel who had a total of \$117.45.

Next week prizes will be sent out. The top two salesmen and those who sold a certain percentage of 50 per centers will have a choice of prizes.

SORRY! WE GOOFED!

CORRECTION:

Freshman class officers are as follows: president, Tom Eggers; vice-president Jean Hoekstra; secretary-treasurer, Lois Groen, and student council representative, Jerry Dykstra.

POETRY-

Nothing worries a pessimist more,
There isn't a single doubt,
Than listening to an optimist say:
"There's nothing to worry about."

SANDRA SUE SPEAKS TO YOU!

One of the most talented students in CHS is a person who has won awards in almost every area. She has won three declamation awards, two typing awards, an award for library, year-book, and a medal for being selected as a member of Journalism City, Girls State. Here she received the coveted title of "Outstanding Journalist". As a result, She won a scholarship of \$200, and will attend Girls State again next year as a Junior Counselor.

She was born May 1, 1952 to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bamberg at the St. Benedict Hospital at Parkston. They named her Sandra Sue Bamberg. She is now a blue-eyed senior, standing at 5'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". She says her hair is about 10 different colors so we'll just say it's dark blonde.

Sandy names her favorite food and drink as shrimp and Dr. Pepper. Her favorite TV program is Mission Impossible. Biology and English were her favorite subjects. As for her favorite teacher, she says, "Each one is special in his own way. I like them all."

Sandy's hobbies are painting, drawing, knitting, stamp collecting, playing piano, and reading. Besides this, she is active in declam, drama, cheer-leading, band, chorus, journalism, and is editor of the paper and the annual.

Her opinion of CHS is "I think it's a good school made better by the students who compose it. They're a great bunch of kids."

WANT ADS

LOST: Class ring and watch. . Brent Beukelman
WANTED: A win over Bonesteel. . Coach, team, fans of CHS
FOUND: Memory test. . Roy Beukelman
GIVE AWAY: One early morning bell ringer. . Miss H.
WANTED: A cat named Sloopy. . Mr. Wiens
WANTED: Bulletin board ideas. . Office Practice Class
GIVE AWAY: One headstrong pop machine. . Faculty
WANTED: Polack jokes. . Greg Rexwinkel
GIVE AWAY: Reading lessons. . History class
GIVE AWAY: One faulty door. . Psychology class
LOST: One pair of braces. . Sandy Bamberg
WANTED: Polite Senior Guys!. . Senior girls
WANTED: Better typists in Office Practice. . Mr. Kruse
WANTED: Lots of correction fluid. . Journalism class
LOST: Almost a week. . Miss Harrington
WANTED: Lots of cooperation and hard work to make this Homecoming the best ever!. . Students, faculty, and friends of CHS.

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