

Joe Tiffany Proposes Reduction In Number of Student Councilmen

Student Council was asked on February 21, to make a radical change in their organization. Joe Tiffany proposed that the Student Council be changed to a Student Senate which would allow for five students to be elected from each class to compose a council of twenty members. Each Council member will take this proposition back to their classes for discussion, and at the next meeting a vote will be taken.

Mr. Barrell approached Student Council to ask for money to be appropriated for the Model UN Club to pay for the members who attend the annual Model UN Convention in Berkeley. Mr. Barrell stated that if Woodside wished to be represented at this convention then they should pay the school fee and the advisor's fee.

Steve Pomeroy suggested that instead of just appropriating money for the Model UN Club that any club be allowed to obtain a loan or be granted money from an amount set aside for that specific purpose. Again no decision

was reached because each member has to discuss it with his class.

Concerning the Ravenswood exchange Joe Tiffany said that he had called Ravenswood and they had suggested a new idea. They felt that the week's exchange that we have always had didn't give the students a real chance to feel the differences in the two schools. They proposed that the group from Ravenswood live in the homes of Woodsiders and the Woodsiders live in Ravenswood homes. The exchange would be from Wednesday to Wednesday so that all the students will have a chance to understand the true atmosphere of the different schools.

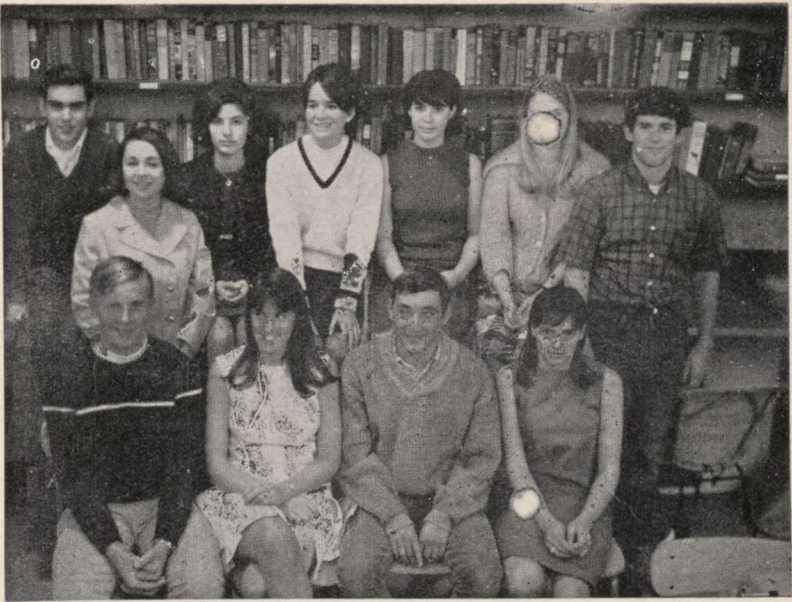
Mr. Bradley has approved this idea, but it will be necessary to find students who are truly interested. It probably will not attract as many people with this new arrangement, but it will definitely serve to eliminate those who are not willing to work.

Judy Levinthal had a chance to express all the points of her Inter-

School Council of Students. She asked to have a committee formed to present all the details this council would entail at the next meeting of Student Council because she couldn't do all the work by herself. They voted to allow Judy to appoint a committee and present all her ideas at the next meeting.

Student Council then voted to have only five pom-pom girls selected next year with no alternate and five cheerleaders also with no alternate. A file will be kept with the scores of all the girls who tried out for pom-pom girl so in case of the loss of one pom-pom girl the girl with the next highest number of votes will be asked to join the others.

Sue Crittenden also proposed that the cheerleaders be selected in the same way the pom-pom girls are. Each group of cheerleaders would make up a cheer and present it before a panel of impartial judges. This group may include "a qualified, unbiased judge from outside the school."



DON AYER, SUE BAIN, Dan Nadaner, and Sylvan Thronsdon, seated in the first row from left to right, are plaque winners in the Bank of America Achievement Awards Program and are now eligible to go on to further competition. Certificate winners, left to right in the second row, are Rick Voakes, Gail Land, Susan Arshakuni, Toni Ghilarducci, Kristen Arnold, and Todd Walton. Not pictured are Vicki Kretchmar, Joe Tiffany, Doug Young, and Don Dawson.

15 Woodsiders Are Named Bank of America Winners

Woodside's four plaque winners in the Bank of America Achievement Awards competition are Don Ayer in the general field of Science and Mathematics, Dan Nadaner in Liberal Arts, Sylvan Thronsdon in Fine Arts, and Sue Bain in Vocational Arts.

The winners of certificates in 11 specific fields are as follows: Todd Walton, Drama; Don Dawson, Mathematics; Rick Voakes, Laboratory Science; Kristen Arnold, English; Joe Tiffany, Social Studies; Vicki Kretchmar, Foreign Languages; Gail Land, Music; Robin Springer, Art; Toni Ghilarducci, Home Economics; Susan Arshakuni, Business; and Doug Young, Trades and Industrial. The 15 students were selected by the faculty.

The plaque winners are required to send transcripts of their high school records and an activities record to the Achievement Awards selection committee. These will serve as the basis for the possible selection of the candidates for the Zone Selection Event, the next level of recognition. In the West Bay Zone, this will take place at the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco on April 13.

At this event, the zone participants of each general field will discuss an unannounced subject related to their field before a panel of business and civic leaders. Scholastic achievement, citizenship, leadership and service, cooperation in group discussion, sound and logical thinking, and articulation and command of English are considered in the selection of winners.

One student from each of the four general fields will be selected to advance to the Final Selection Event. Second and third place zone winners in the four general fields of study will receive cash awards of \$50 and \$25 respectively. First place zone winners will receive no cash award until the Final Selection Event which will be held on May 11 at the Fairmont Hotel. Here they are assured of receiving a minimum of \$150.

The selection process in the Final Selection Event is the same as that at the Zone Selection Events. The first place winner will receive \$1000, the second place winner, \$500, and third place, \$250. Standard awards of \$150 are presented to all other participating finalists.

Jay Voss (class of '64), former Student Body President of Woodside placed first in the Liberal Arts field and won \$1000 in the Final Selection Event.

The Achievement Awards Program was first introduced to the schools of the Los Angeles City School District in 1948, and in 1951 was expanded to include all high schools throughout California.

The purpose of the program is to recognize and honor outstanding seniors whose scholastic attainment, sense of civic responsibility, and evidence of leadership give most promise of future success and service to society.

This year approximately 7,400 certificates, 2,300 plaques, and \$99,000 in cash will be awarded to senior high school students.



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'Tempest' To Be Presented March 10 and 11 in MU Room

We are such stuff  
As dreams are made on, and our  
little life  
Is rounded with a sleep.

This quotation is taken from the beautiful Shakespearean fantasy, **The Tempest**, which will be presented at Woodside on March 10 and 11 in the multi-use room. It is under the direction of CSF Advisor, Mr. Pat Nail and the student direction of Caroline Beverstock.

In the beginning of the play, a vessel is tossing on the sea near the shore of an enchanted island. On it live Prospero (played by Scott Oakley), his beautiful daughter (Madeline Juri), the fairy sprite Ariel (Lili Pratt), and Caliban (David Biasotti), a misshapen monster who is Prospero's slave.

While watching the shipwreck of this vessel, Prospero tells Miranda how he had been the Duke

of Milan but was overthrown by his brother. Cast adrift in a small boat with his three-year-old daughter he had mastered some books of magic which had been given him and was able to command men, spirits, and the weather.

As they are talking, Ariel comes to tell them that everyone on the wrecked ship, including Prospero's brother, have been saved. The rest of the play portrays their adventures on the island with the castaways.

"In this play much is made of the chances and accidents of life, and of the sudden changes of wordly circumstances due to them. In this play, for the first and last time, Shakespeare treats the power of the resolved imagination to command the brutish, the base, the noble and the spiritual for wise human ends." This is the way John Masefield describes Shakespeare's romantic play **The Tempest**.

Merit Semifinalists Become Finalists

Woodside's nine National Merit Semifinalists, Don Ayer, Don Dawson, Joan Silver, Lynne Shaw, Darrell Jones, Joan Shinkle, Bill Heflin, Patti O'Brien, and Kathy Kohler, have all advanced to finalist status.

To become a finalist, a semifinalist must (1) be endorsed by his school, (2) substantiate his National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test scores by an equivalent performance on the Scholastic Aptitude Test, (3) supply biographical data to the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, and (4) provide NMSC with confidential family financial information.

Each finalist is awarded a Certificate of Merit and is considered fully qualified for a Merit Scholarship. These fall into four categories; scholarships financed with funds provided by NMSC, those allocated by the state, scholarships awarded in one of the NMSC's experimental programs, or a scholarship sponsored by business and industrial firms, foundations, colleges, unions, trusts, and individuals.

Funds provided by NMSC constitute 625 scholarships, the state allocates approximately 500, and about 125 are awarded in the experimental program.

Woodside's nine semifinalists were selected on the basis of outstanding scores on the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test which is administered to juniors in February of each year.

In each state or selection unit (such as the District of Columbia) the number of semifinalists is less than one per cent of the graduating high school seniors in the state or unit.

Creative Writing Contest In Progress

The annual Creative Writing Contest, sponsored by CSF and the **Woodside World**, is now in progress. All Woodsiders are eligible to enter and may submit poetry or prose in narrative, expository, and descriptive categories.

The limit for poetry is 60 lines, and the limit for prose is 750 words. Students may turn in entries to their English teacher or to Mrs. Boettcher, Mr. Cane, or Mr. Nail or they may be placed in the Commissioner of Publica-

tions' box by the principal's office. The deadline for entries is April 14.

Members of the faculty and two or three students from each class will serve as judges. Winners will be announced in May, and the winning entries and honorable mention items will be printed in a special supplement to a May issue of the **Woodside World**.

Cash prizes will be awarded. First prize is \$5, second is \$3, and third is \$1.

Cast and Crew Announced For 'Take Me Along'

Casting for the spring musical, "Take Me Along," was completed on February 27th. The musical version is based on the play, "Ah Wilderness" by Eugene O'Neill.

The music and lyrics are by Bob Merrill, and the book by Joseph Stein and Robert Russell. Woodside's performance dates are May 5, 6, 12, 13.

CAST	
Nat Miller	Todd Walton
Mildred Miller	Sally Duprau and Diane Rumney
Art Miller	Steve Coon
Tommy Miller	Stanton Moll
Essie Miller	Barbara Gilmore and Joyce Grasso
Richard Miller	Jim Stoner and Paul Voakes
Lily	Gail Land
Muriel Macomber	Meredith Rogers and Maureen Joyce
Dave Macomber	David Biasotti
Sid	Joe Tiffany
Wint	Barry Woodruff
Belle	Madeline Juri
CREW	
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Head of Sets ..... Debbe Buchan	Head of Costumes Martha Means
Head of Publicity—Patti O'Brien	Head of Make-up Ann Wilsnack
Head of Props .... Judy Levinthal	Rehearsal Pianist ..... Kit Cane
Head of Ushers	
Annabel Callaghan	
Stage Manager ....Sheila Vreeburg	



from the editor's desk

## Is It Impractical?

At the last Student Council meeting a request was made for a committee to be formed to investigate the formation of an Inter-School Council. The Inter-School Council would discuss the problems that are prevalent in all the district schools. This idea originated when it was recognized that the Student Council members didn't know the problems faced by Ravenswood students and therefore had no foundations with which to discuss matter of integration.

It is definitely wise to have first-hand knowledge about problems which are discussed in Student Council, but an Inter-School Council with a few representatives from each school cannot accomplish this goal.

First of all, it would be useless to have all the schools in the district involved when the students at Ravenswood are really the only ones who know what their own problems are. It would be of much more value to the Woodside Student Council to have a group of Ravenswood students address the entire Council and answer any questions they might have.

In that way all the members would have a chance to hear the problems and ask questions. By having only a few representatives the remainder would have to hear about it second hand and would only know a limited amount.

The Commissioners have the same type of Inter-School Council meetings which, according to several Commissioners, accomplish nothing concrete.

Another chance Woodsiders will have to gain an understanding of Ravenswood's problems will be to attend the week exchange Woodside will be sponsoring with Ravenswood. There is a possibility that the exchange students will actually be living in the homes of students attending the two schools. In this way not only school life, but family life as well can be seen.

All these points add up to one conclusion. The Inter-School Council as presently planned would be impractical and of little value. One alternative had been proposed here which would accomplish the same thing much more efficiently. Urge your Student Council representative to vote *against* the Inter-School Council as it now stands.

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Marilyn Gross, Merry Ann Coon, and Barbara Spain are looking over blue and white checked spring arrivals at TACK, ETC. Marilyn is wearing a suit priced at \$25 and Merry Ann models a bathing suit and matching top, each priced at \$11. Barb models a pants suit, \$26. Spring is almost here. Stop in at TACK, ETC. today. 845 Santa Cruz Avenue, Menlo Park.

## Boutacoff Citizen Of the Month

Eric Boutacoff has been selected Citizen of the Month by the Menlo Park Rotary Club for the month of February. He was chosen on the basis of his active participation in sports and in school government.

As Senior Class President this year, Eric organized the Senior Project during Christmas vacation when a group of about forty seniors repaired the home for autistic children in Ladera.

He was one of five Woodsiders to be named to the 1966 All-SPAL football team in the fall, and he is also on the wrestling team.

The Citizen Award has been set up by the Rotary Club to bring the adults in the community closer to the teen-age population. It is rotated between three schools in the area; Woodside, Menlo-Atherton, and Menlo School for Boys. The award will be presented to a Woodside student again in May.

The Rotary Club Community Affairs Committee selects the Citizen of the Month from a group of seniors who are nominated by the Junior Statesmen of America Chapter in each school.

The presentation of the award was featured in Wednesday's **Menlo Park Recorder**.

## Speech Contest

Juniors Jill Jungnick, Katina Bliss and Mike Oller were finalists in the Woodside Lions Club speech contest. Mike Oller was selected by the Lions Club to represent the Club at the Zone contest on March 16. If Mike wins the Zone contest he will be on to the Regional.

Christopher Hopkins and Tom Cator were finalists in 2nd place at the Menlo-Atherton Lions Club contest. They were in competition against two other students from Menlo-Atherton.

## Letter To Editor

To the Editor,

As a member of Woodside's varsity soccer team, I would like to express sincere thanks to those who came to the Sequoia game. Though the championship game was played at Sequoia's home field, the Woodside fans outnumbered those from Sequoia at least three to one. I am sure I speak for the entire team in saying that the support of these people kept us in the game. Their attendance and support was greatly appreciated.

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## CSF Signs Up 94 Students; 16 Are Life Members

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In order to become a life member, a student must be a CSF member for four of the last six semesters including at least one in senior year. Service points may also be earned. One CSF point is equal to ten service points.

The CSF life members are Don Ayer, Caroline Beverstock, Robert Hanson, Mark Hoyt, Judith Mayer, Loren Miller, Carol Moonie, Dan Nadaner, Patti O'Brien, Jim Shaw, Lynne Shaw, Joan Shinkle, Joan Silver, Louise Spangle, Rick Voakes, and Yvonne Williams.

**Class of 1967**—Kristen Arnold, \*Don Ayer, \*Caroline Beverstock, Ginny Bliss, Mimi Bluford, Lauretta Briosi, Joyce Grasso, Randy Groente, \*Robert Hanson, Michael Hilleary, \*Mark Hoyt, Darrell Jones, Peggy Kono, Alison Krogh, \*Judith Mayer, Laurel Matsukado, \*Loren Miller, \*Carol Moonie, \*Dan Nadaner, \*Patti O'Brien, Steve Pomeroy, Vicki Reid, Lawrence Salveson, Alan Schmierer, \*James Shaw, \*Lynne Shaw, \*Joan Shinkle, \*Joan Silver, Amy Silverstein, \*Louise Spangle, Sylvan Thronson, Joe Tiffany, \*Rick Voakes, \*Yvonne Williams.  
\* CSF Life Members.

**Class of 1968**—Nancy Achorn, Cynthia Adams, Terry Ayers, Karen Beaumont, Peter Connell, Richard Fairbank, Margaret Garms, Sue Harris, John Hess, Michael Hood, Sue Hughmanick, Robyn Johnson, Alan Jones, Henry Klein, Kathy Knight, Carol Larkin, Alison Moonie, Robert Ng, Kathy Price, Lisa Rose, Elaine Sill, Cathy Trotter, Lynn Utsinger, Madelyn van Ryckevorsel, Karen Vertin, Paul Voakes, Vicki Vorhes, Raymond Wenstrom, Dawn Williams.

**Class of 1969**—Marcia Bainbridge, Sharon Bancroft, Chris Berg, Nancy Brandon, Peter Denisevich, Michael Fancher, Sally Flocks, Peter Hursh, Robert Losey, Mark Matteson, Kenneth Ng, Tom O'Hare, Matt Secombe, Shelley Smith, Bruce Stofor, Elizabeth Tanner, Arthur Ting, Frances Wood, Mary Zion.

**Class of 1970**—Corinne Danielson, Clyde Dodge, Fred Frischmann, Sharon Genung, Michael Grodin, Jon Heines, Pamela Huttenburg, Joan McGrady, Dean Meyer, Ellen Morris, Nina Peck, Lorel Schoenborn.

## The Phantom

The Phantom arrived at school bright and early only to find that his victim would not be there for another twenty minutes.

As the first period bell rang, the Phantom was relieved to find his victim walking to her first period class with Brenda Walker. The victim spent the entire time in Mrs. Karcher's Physiology class tickling Mike Selsted.

The Phantom followed the victim to second period. As the victim seated herself gracefully, she was once again reminded that chewing gum was one of the least feminine things to do. The victim shrugged it off saying, "There wasn't much hope," and proceeded to sing in Mr. Clark's A Cappella Choir class with a pack of gum in her mouth.

The Phantom found his victim during third period in Mr. Mathers' Government class. She shyly announced to Carol Teecher and Greg Tripp that she had been invited to the Senior Ball, and after much prodding, she revealed who she was going with.

Fourth period the victim ran to P. E. to participate in her fabulous tennis match. At the end of the game the victim's exasperated opponent nonchalantly excused herself to play an even more exciting game with backboard, saying, "at least the backboard returns the ball."

The Phantom beat his victim to Mrs. Hirstio's sixth period French III class. She came flying in five seconds before the second bell and dropped out of breath into her seat. Mrs. Hirstio then explained the French phrase, "mon petit chou," an endearing expression meaning "my little cabbage," equivalent to the English form, "my little cupcake." The victim immediately leaned over and passionately whispered to John Earle, "mon petit chou." The victim then breathed a sigh of relief after discovering that the dialogue, which she hadn't learned, wasn't going to be due until the next day.

In English IV, seventh period, the Phantom found his victim, Sue Randall, thinking solemnly about her mischievous activities while Mr. Ricci read soul-searching passages from the Book of Job.

## The Round Table

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## Kabir Baburi and Laretta Briosi Express Views on Exchange Week

Woodside's two AFS students, Kabir Baburi and Laretta Briosi attended two different high schools during AFS student exchange week, February 14-17. They expressed their reactions to the exchange in a recent interview.

"I really enjoyed it," replied Kabir Baburi when asked about his visit to Linden High School in Stockton, California.

Kabir, our AFS student from Afghanistan, felt that the exchange week was "really a good week." He felt that it was a great opportunity to get to know and learn about other people.

While staying in Stockton, Kabir lectured Linden students about his country. He thought this would be a good time for them to learn about other things that aren't mentioned in books or encyclopedias.

He was greatly amazed by the small size of Linden. He remarked that the classes were small, and everyone was very friendly.

In comparison to his school in Afghanistan, Kabir stated that Woodside was very similar, especially in size. The difference between the schools is the scheduling system. His school starts at eight and gets out at one. The students go to different classes every day. They take thirteen out of fourteen subjects offered each year, and they remain in one classroom while the teachers come to them.

During the AFS exchange week, Woodside's AFS student from Italy, Laretta Briosi, went to Coalinga High School, located 70 miles southwest of Fresno.

In comparing Coalinga to Woodside, Laretta observed that Coalinga High School was smaller, with approximately 700 students, and it was older. She also said, "because the community was smaller, the students knew each other better." As to the community itself, she explained that the way of living was quite different. The economy, in contrast to suburban Woodside, consisted mostly of cotton, cattle, and oil, and as a whole was more rural.

In comparing her own school in Italy with Coalinga, Laretta stated, "In a certain sense it is closer to my school because it is smaller." When asked about her reaction to the Coalinga students, Laretta explained that because they do not have as many opportunities, and few had ever been abroad, there seemed to be more interest in a foreign student, and as a result the students seemed friendlier.

On commenting on the advantages of the AFS exchange, Laretta said, "I thought the United States was Woodside, but now I realize that Woodside is not California, and California is not the United States."

## Picture Day Set For Wednesday, March 8

Yearbook pictures day is scheduled for next Wednesday, March 8. Pictures will be taken in the gym patio. The faculty will be provided with membership lists and time schedules. A list will also be posted on the bulletin board in the administration building.

Editor Wayne McBrien asks that those participating arrive promptly and return to class promptly.

## Slow Progress for Senior Vaudeville

"Applications are coming in, but not as quickly as they should be," said Mrs. Johnson, advisor to this year's Senior Vaudeville entitled "67 Skidoo." She added that applications can be obtained from her, from senior board representatives, or Wayne McBrien, director.

She continued, saying that the official date for the show will be April 7 and there may be a second performance if the first proves successful. No date has been set yet for tryouts, but Mrs. Johnson emphasized that anyone planning to be in the program should be prepared to practice every day after school for approximately two weeks before the performance.

According to Mrs. Johnson, juniors and underclassmen will be allowed to participate in the show if they are a part of a senior group, and anyone wishing to be a part of it in any way (sets, costumes, etc.) should fill out an application. "If enough applications and acts don't come in soon, there is a danger that we may have to call the vaudeville off," concluded Mrs. Johnson. All applications are due today.

## Mark Zeller Represents ACT for the Woodside English, Drama Classes

The American Conservatory Theater (ACT), one of the finest theatrical agencies in the United States, honored Woodside with an invitational assembly for fourth period English and Drama classes Thursday, February 23.

Enid Kent, John Talt, and Mark Zeller were the representatives from the theater. Mr. Zeller who is not only the Director of Training, but also a voice teacher, gave some background on the theater. It is a repertory theater with revolving plays. They may do one play in the afternoon and a different one at night. The ACT runs at two theaters concurrently, the Geary and the Marines Memorial.

The 150 actors in the company train everyday for as Mr. Zeller puts it, "even the best need practice. The older an actor gets, the more he realizes he is just beginning." Aside from the actors, there is a private staff of wig makers, costume designers, light and stage crews, directors, and producers.

The actors are divided into three categories. First there are the full-time actors, and then the "scholars" who usually get walk-on parts. Last, there is a workshop that gives afternoon performances on Tuesday and Thursday. Now, Mr. Zeller would like to arrange something in the teen department.

"We actors do not act. We play all the time and pretend it is adult because we get money from foundations." For practice, the actors play "theatrical games" which are technical improvisations. The company offers expansion in many fields for the actors. Lessons are given in guitar, piano, tap dancing, voice, singing, and rhetoric to name a few. The main problem with the actors is that they don't know grammar. "Most of them don't know the difference between a noun and a verb."

Mr. Zeller then called up about ten students to participate in a "voice warm-up," which involved all sorts of gyrations with the facial muscles. Miss Kent and Mr. Talt helped in the demonstration of what the actors do daily.

Questions were asked at the end of the assembly about various acting techniques. The Stanislavsky method is one of the best known. In this method, if the emotional expression is good then the rest of the acting will fall into place. The technique that ACT uses is the affective-effective method. The affective part has to do with the internal or emotional feeling. Combined with the effective part, the expression, it produces an excellent type of acting.

The special advice that Mr. Zeller would give to a serious drama students is "... get a good literary background. Study the classics and grammar."

## Essay Contest for Seniors To Commence in Near Future

An essay contest in which all seniors are eligible for competition is being sponsored by the South San Mateo County Council of Republican Women of Menlo Park. The topic of the essay is to be "Sovereignty and Responsibility of the People" and should range from 500 to 1,000 words in length. The student is to base the development of his essay on the following quotation taken from George Washington's Farewell Address of 1796: "The very idea of the power and the right of the People to establish Government presupposes the duty of every Individual to obey the established Government." First prize in the contest will be \$300.00, second prize will be \$150.00, and third prize will be \$50.00.

The essay, which must be written in ink or typed using 8 1/2 x 11 paper, must include a bibliography. Writing should be on one side of the paper only and, if typed, must be double spaced. "A paper that is not legible and

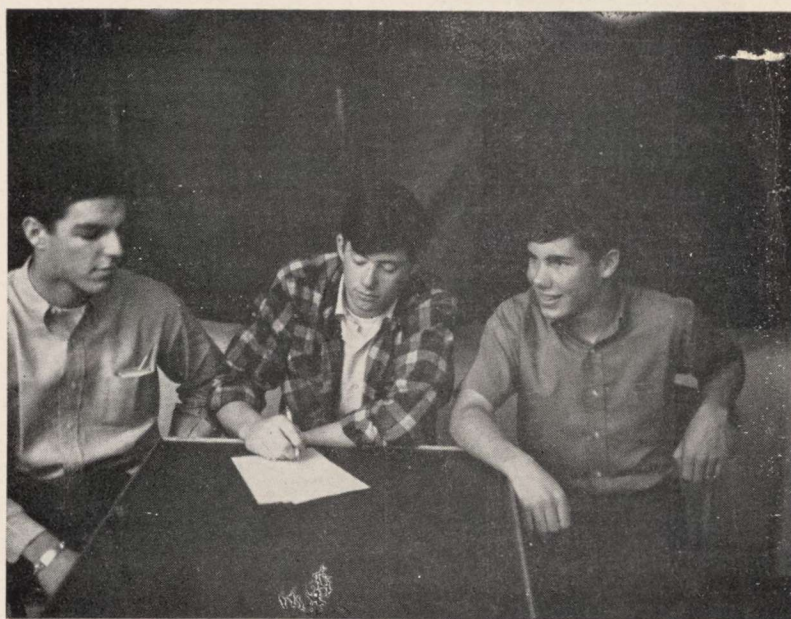
neat will not be considered. The club's decision is final."

The cover sheet of the essay should give the contestant's name, address, school, and teacher's name, but no name or identification mark should be placed on any other part of the essay. A code number to be placed on the essay will be given each contestant.

Only one entry is allowed for each student. The contest will last from March 10, 1967 to April 21, 1967, and the essay should be postmarked no later than April 21, 1967. The mailing address for the contest is:

Essay Contest  
c/o Americanism Chairman  
South San Mateo County  
Council of Republican Women,  
P. O. Box 726  
Menlo Park, California

Winners will be announced in May. For more information, students should contact Mr. Brennan, Mr. Mather, Miss Miller, Mr. Poulson, or Miss Fulton any morning before school in D-18.



HENRY KLEIN, BRENT CONNOR, AND MIKE MONTEITH (left to right above), were recently appointed Student Court Judges by the Board of Commissioners. They will serve until the end of the fall semester next year. They are replacing Todd Walton, Bob Han-son, and Barbara Spain who were appointed to the Court as juniors last year.

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## Club Notes

### Junior Board

The Junior Board meeting was held on February 8. The total balance as of February 8 is \$794.63. Jim Lagiss reminded the board members that each representative is to make sure that his class receives an accurate account of what is discussed at each board meeting and that the minutes must be posted in each basic course class. The board then broke up into its Junior Prom committees with their advisors.

### Homemaking Club

The Homemaking Club met today to discuss the arrangements for the fashion show on May 19. Although a theme for the fashion show hasn't been selected yet, the committees have been chosen. They are decorations, refreshments, publicity, entertainment and music.

Anyone interested in joining the club or even helping with the fashion show is welcome to come to the next meeting on February 1.

### JSA

The Woodside and San Carlos Junior Statesmen chapters lost their bid for hosting the third regional convention at the recent Golden Gate Region convention. The gathering will be held at Campolindo High School in April.

The second GGR was held at Hillsdale High on February 18. Statesmen attended such activities as legislation, a speech on Ethan Allen and the New Hampshire Land Grants, the movie *Fail-Safe*, and a dance featuring "The Primates."

### Art Club

The Art Exhibit will take place on March 10 and 11 during the evening performances of the play, *The Tempest*. March 4 is the deadline for all entries to be in. Entries may include such creations as paintings, sculptures, and jewelry. The entry fee is \$.35 per entry, or four for \$1.00. Prizes and awards will be given. The Art Club will use the money received from the exhibits for an art festival which will be held sometime in the future.

Future Art Club events include the following: March 2, a guest speaker from the Pacific Academy of Arts will speak at Woodside; March 8, Charle Chapman will appear in the film *Pawnbroker Immigrant*.

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### Senior Board

The Senior Ball is scheduled for March 18, 9:00 to 12:00 at Palo Alto Hills Golf and Country Club. The title for the ball is "Scheherazade" from the book *Arabian Nights*. Scheherazade was a Sultan's bride and told the tales which made up the *Arabian Nights*. She tells these tales to save her life by keeping the Sultan interested in them.

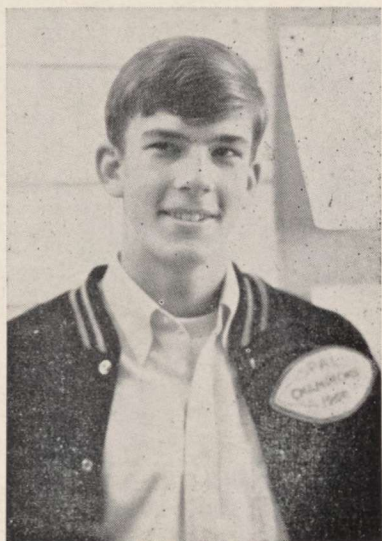
The overall theme for the night is the Arabian Nights. The band will be "The Generation." The bids will be done in black with gold lettering and the interior of the club will be decorated in pink, orange, and red colors.

The committee heads are as follows: Bids, Eric Boutacoff and Judy Mayer; Decorations, Sue Crittenden; Refreshments, Toni Ghilarducci; and Queen Selection, Brian Madigan.

### Rick Lewis Called Greatest Trumpeter

"The best trumpet player ever at Woodside," says Mr. Bubb, "is junior Rick Lewis." Because of his exceptional talent, Mr. Bubb personally tutors him every Thursday for forty minutes after school.

Rick, a transfer from Bremerton, Washington, started playing the trumpet in the seventh grade when he took lessons from a professional instructor. His family is very musical. His father plays the guitar, his older brother plays the trombone, his sister plays the piano and flute, his younger brother plays piano and clarinet, and his mother "turns the pages."



RICK LEWIS

Although Rick doesn't plan to make a career of music, he would some day like to form a dance band for rock and jazz music. He belonged to a jazz band in Washington.

Rick can't belong to the school band because his credits from Washington don't coincide with Woodside's credits, but the Music Department would like to see him spend more time with his music. He devotes most of his time to sports. Mr. Bubb commented, "It's too bad he won't divide his time equally between the two."

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## Brown Heads Reps At UN Convention

The fifteenth annual Model UN Convention, held at Cal at Berkeley, was attended by nearly 1200 high school students, February 9, 10, and 11. High schools from throughout the Bay Area, each representing a country in the UN, sent delegations of students to take part in the three day convention.

Amy Silverstein, Russ Regnery, Raymond Wenstrom, Barrie Lane, and Steve Pomeroy made up the Woodside delegation, representing Uganda, with King Brown as the head delegate and Mr. Barrell as the advisor. Ruth Donig also attended as an observer and did not take part in the actual proceedings.

Thursday, February 9, after registration, all the delegates attended the First Plenary Session in the Pauley Ballroom of the Student Union. Following their introduction to the general proceedings of the convention, the delegates heard Ambassador Pederson speak on the UN and the convention. Ambassador Pederson has been the U.S.A. Ambassador to the Security Council in the UN since it was first established in 1945.

Following their arrival at the convention, the delegation was divided into five committees, each of which was required to prepare a resolution most benefiting to other countries as well as the country of their representation. The resolution topics were as follows:

1. Social, cultural, and humanitarian conditions.
2. Political security in regard to Southeast Asia.
3. Charter revision.
4. Security Council and peace keeping.
5. The function of the world court.

Thursday evening, all the countries represented were grouped into blocks (such as the Afro-Asian block of which Uganda was a member) which were in turn divided into the five committees. Of all the resolutions submitted on one committee, one was chosen to be presented at the General Assembly.

All of Friday was devoted to committee meetings which took place at five different locations on the campus. At these meetings six speakers were chosen for each of the resolutions to speak in regard to the submitted resolution at the General Assembly. Three of the speakers were to speak for and three against the resolution, with five minutes of speaking time being granted to each. Raymond Wenstrom, speaking in support of his committee's resolution was the only speaker from Woodside.

The general Assembly came into session at 8:30 a.m. February 11 and concluded at 5:30 p.m. The presentation of each of the resolutions was followed by twenty minutes of debate in which amendments to the resolutions were made. Then a vote was taken to pass or defeat a resolution. Three resolutions were passed and one defeated, and due to the lack of time, a vote was not taken on one.

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life  
Creating flesh; pulsating, alienated  
to love, companionship, and joy.  
Oh tormented being, what is the  
future, but timeless time  
Inflicted by verminous raging hells.  
The fair thought of men die  
Burdened by sorrow,  
Self imposed, peppered by others.  
The living dead,  
Forlorn in life, forgotten in death,  
Walked doomed, enshrouded with  
robes of pity,  
sorrow, and hopeless dejection.*

BY RAYMOND S. WENTROM

### An Ode to Milk Wood

*seen nary a mite since when  
cold-lipped and bare chested in  
sinbad's sailor mind  
have I forgotten thee o Polly garter  
in your gartered garter martyrdom  
today  
kaffe-klatch mary  
and joy in my tea tingling to the toes  
on this bloused, skirted, aproned-in-  
sleep  
Christmas morning.*

BY D. L. R.

Bring old paperbacks to the  
barrel in the office to help pay  
for an AFS student to stay at  
Woodside next year.

## Author to Speak At Portola Meeting

Dr. Allan Watts, a well-known philosopher and author, will be the speaker at the Portola Valley PTA Meeting on Tuesday, March 14 at 8 p.m. in the multi-use room at Portola Valley School. His subject will be "Education for Nonentity."

Dr. Watts holds a master's degree from Seabury-Western Theological Seminary in Illinois. He has been editor, Episcopalian minister, professor, graduate-school dean, and research fellow of Harvard University.

He has written more than 15 books and has given more than 500 radio talks. His 39 video-taped lectures have been circulated among non-profit and educational stations across the country.

His interest in the relation of Eastern thought to psychotherapy has led to lectures before many professional groups, including the C. G. Jung Institute in Zurich, and to frequent consultant service to mental hospitals.

Tickets to his lecture at Portola School are available at Simpson's Hardware, Village Square Market in Portola Valley or by calling Mrs. R. J. Thornley, 851-8245, or Mrs. Roger Dorr, 851-0874.

### A Linen Glove

*A linen glove  
So finely made  
Of the purest threads  
Only hides the  
Weathered hand.*

BY JIM LAGISS

### Nothing Else Matters

*Emptiness and indifference, refuge  
from all weighted troubles,  
Hang heavily.  
Walking with a purpose, yet I know  
not where;  
Unwilling to continue, knowing that  
deeper straits lie before,  
Yet knowing that I must.  
Coherence gone,  
Confusion eddies and whirls;  
Shadows run from the face of the  
dying sun.  
And yet, I know she is there.  
Her face, her smile, break up my  
sadness.  
My eyes meet hers,  
And nothing else matters.*

BY JEFF DAVOREN

### The Orange Bird

*Songs of an orange bird  
polish  
the dull black of the night.  
Abrupt silence . . .*

*Oozing odor of sage,  
the night air waits heavily.*

BY CYNTHIA ADAMS

## Orange Peelings

By Barbara Spain

Speaking of regression (who was speaking of regression?) Mike Monteith got a score of thirty-five when he went bowling a couple of weeks ago. He got a ninety-one in cub scouts!

Judy Mayer, senior class vice-president, is home in bed with the German measles. Eric Boutacoff, senior class president, is in the hospital with a bunch of diseases that I won't even try to spell. 'Looks like the senior class is in pretty sick shape. That, my friends, was two-thirds of a pun . . . P.U.

A certain couple going to the senior ball have been officially named as members of the *Junior Jet Set* (by me). 'Seems they're flying down to the Nepenthe Restaurant in Big Sur before the dance for dinner.

You oughta see the beautiful picture Larry Miller has of himself on the soccer team . . . it's just beautiful.

If you don't have anything to do tomorrow night you might drop in at Thatcher's barn, or the Aud., or what ever you want to call it. Anyway, Larry Thatcher is one of the nicest people you'd ever want to meet and his place up there is really great . . . they even serve homemade raviolis.

Judy Orr and Don Bunce have really clashed this time. Judy feels that boys should open the door for girls, whether it's a door to a car or a door to a house. Don could care less *where* the door goes, he ain't gonna open no doors for nobody . . .

FLASH! I just heard that Mrs. Johnson, advisor to the senior class, is home sick with the measles. Without an advisor, a president, or vice-president, how are they suppose to hold board meetings? Lee Eiger!!

It's too bad that the only way Meg Mowry can get a good grade in Mr. Glenn's class is by wearing so much perfume the class is practically asphyxiated.

### CLASS REUNION!!!

All students who know alumni of Sequoia graduating classes of 1944-47 are requested to inform them of an upcoming all-class reunion May 27, at the Sheraton-Thunderbolt Hotel. For information contact the following representatives, according to their respective year:

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1945—Ed Hussong, . . . 366-9960  
1946—Dan Baldini . . . 366-2396  
1947—Bill Beeger . . . 368-8989

THANK YOU ! ! ! !



## Work Experience Program



Senior Chris Kambick is shown above demonstrating her secretarial abilities. Chris aids Mr. Goularte with the Work Experience Program. Students wishing to participate in the program are urged to contact Mr. Goularte of the business education department.

## 'Sound of Music' Band Concert Hosts Four Local Elementary School Bands

A large crowd was present Thursday night, February 23 to hear the 1967 Woodside High School Band Concert entitled "A Sound of Music."

The evening's entertainment consisted of several selections by the Woodside Band including a delightful medley of the works of composer Henry Mancini. These included Moon River, Baby Elephant Walk, and others. Senior Paul DeYoung was also featured in a saxophone solo entitled "Saxophone Royale."

Following the band's performance there was a performance by future Woodside High School students from all seventh and eighth grades in the area. These young musicians were invited by the Woodside music department to perform in order to further their interest in the high school band so that they might continue their band participation during attendance at Woodside. Elementary schools represented were Kennedy, La Entrada, Portola Valley, and Woodside Elementary. Musicians from these schools were under the direction of Mr. Lopez, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Hilborn, and Miss Gaglian respectively.

Three movements of the "Ballet for Young Americans" were performed by the "elementary band." The first was titled "The Teenage Overture," the second, "Daydreaming" featuring Steve Feehr on the trumpet, and "The First Driving Lesson" in which three authentic cauto horns donated by Van Nes Auto Supply were used. The program concluded with the combined efforts of both the Woodside band and the elementary school musicians playing the United States Field Artillery March.

As an incentive to increase ticket

sales by the Woodside Band members, a cake was offered by Mr. Baker and Mr. Clark to the member who sold the most concert tickets, and the cake was won by trumpet player Don Price.

## Swimming Schedule

**Today**  
SPAL RELAYS at Sequoia  
2:00 and 7:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, March 7**  
Hillsdale here, 3:15  
(practice meet)

**Friday, March 10**  
Palo Alto there, 3:15

**Friday, March 17**  
Sequoia here, 3:15

**Friday, March 31**  
Carlmont there, 3:15

**Tuesday, April 4**  
Gunn here, 3:15

**Friday, April 7**  
Cubberley there, 3:15

**Tuesday, April 11**  
San Carlos here, 3:15

**Friday, April 14**  
Menlo-Atherton here, 3:15

**Friday, April 21**  
SPAL TRIALS at San Carlos  
1:00, FINALS APRIL 28  
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Friday, May 5 and 6, 1:00  
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Friday, May 12 and 13, 1:00

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## Sports Schedules

### Tennis Schedule

**Monday, March 13**  
Hillsdale—Here

**Monday, March 27**  
Crestmore—There

**Tuesday, March 28**  
Gunn—There

**Thursday, March 30**  
Palo Alto—There

**Tuesday, April 4**  
Carlmont—Here

**Thursday, April 6**  
Cubberley—Here

**Tuesday, April 11**  
Menlo-Atherton—There

**Thursday, April 13**  
San Carlos—Here

**Tuesday, April 18**  
Sequoia—There

**Thursday, April 20**  
Gunn—Here

**Tuesday, April 25**  
Palo Alto—Here

**Thursday, April 27**  
Carlmont—There

**Tuesday, May 2**  
Cubberley—There

**Thursday, May 4**  
Menlo-Atherton—Here

**Monday, May 8**  
SPAL Tournament

**Tuesday, May 9**  
SPAL Tournament

**Wednesday, May 10**  
SPAL Tournament

**Tuesday, May 16**  
San Carlos—There

**Thursday, May 18**  
Sequoia—Here

**Saturday, May 20**  
Central Coast Tournament  
All games at 3:00 except Hillsdale  
at 2:45.

### Track Schedule

**Today**  
Woodside at Aragon

**Thursday, March 9**  
\*Woodside at Ravenswood

**Thursday, March 16**  
\*Menlo-Atherton at Woodside

**Saturday, March 18**  
Andrew Hill Invitational at  
Foothill College (night)

**Easter Week, March 20-24**  
Practice Mon. through Thurs.

**Thursday, March 30**  
\*Woodside at Cubberley

**Thursday, April 6**  
Lincoln (S.F.) and St. Francis  
at Woodside

**Thursday, April 13**  
\*Woodside at San Carlos

**Tuesday, April 18**  
\*Palo Alto at Woodside

**Thursday, April 20**  
\*Carlmont at Woodside

**Saturday, April 22**  
Blossom Hill Relays at Leigh  
High School, San Jose

**Tuesday, April 25**  
\*Woodside at Gunn

**Thursday, April 27**  
\*Sequoia at Woodside

**Tuesday, May 2**  
Sequoia District Trials at  
Terremere Field

**Friday, May 5**  
Sequoia District Finals at  
Terremere Field (night)

**Tuesday, May 9**  
SPAL Trials at Terremere Field

**Friday-Saturday, May 12-13**  
SPAL Finals at Terremere  
Field (night)

**Saturday, May 20**  
CCS Region I, at San Francisco  
State College

**Saturday, May 27**  
CCS Finals at Piedmont Hills  
High School, San Jose

**Friday, June 2**  
Hollister Relays at Hollister  
(night)

**Friday-Saturday, June 2-3**  
State Meet at San Diego  
\* League Meet

### Varsity Baseball Schedule

**Monday, March 6**  
St. Francis—There, 3:30

**Tuesday, March 14**  
Burlingame—Here, 3:15

**Friday, March 17**  
San Carlos—There, 3:15

**Saturday, March 18**  
M-A Easter Tournament—There,  
time to be announced

**Monday, March 20**  
M-A Easter Tournament—There  
time to be announced

**Wednesday, March 22**  
M-A Easter Tournament—There  
time to be announced

**Wednesday, March 29**  
Gunn—Here, 3:15

**Friday, March 31**  
Menlo-Atherton—There, 3:15

**Tuesday, April 4**  
Palo Alto—Here, 3:15

**Friday, April 7**  
Ravenswood—Here, 3:15

**Tuesday, April 11**  
Cubberley—There, 3:15

**Friday, April 14**  
Sequoia—There, 3:15

**Tuesday, April 18**  
Bye

**Friday, April 21**  
Carlmont—Here, 3:15

**Tuesday, April 25**  
San Carlos—Here, 3:15

**Friday, April 28**  
Gunn—There, 3:15

**Tuesday, May 2**  
Menlo-Atherton—Here, 3:15

**Friday, May 5**  
Palo Alto—There, 3:15

**Tuesday, May 9**  
Ravenswood—There, 3:15

**Friday, May 12**  
Cubberley—Here, 3:15

**Tuesday, May 16**  
Sequoia—Here, 3:15

**Friday, May 19**  
Bye

**Monday, May 22**  
Carlmont—There, 3:15

**May 23, May 25**  
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## B'ball Team Meets St. Francis Monday

The Woodside varsity baseball team began practicing two weeks ago in preparation for their first contest against St. Francis. Coach Tollner was pleased with the fine turnout and is looking forward to an excellent 1967 season.

Returning varsity from last year includes first baseman Dick Balocco, along with starting outfielders Don Bunce and Jim Shaw. These two men, along with second baseman Rick Betchley and Cullen Smith may possibly be tried out at short stop in order to fill the gap there. Another returning varsity player who saw quite a bit of action last year is catcher Bill Knapp. With Knapp, and junior Dave Gustafson, catching should not pose much of a problem for Woodside this year.

Woodside should also be strong in the pitching department, as the Wildcats have Barry Woodruff, Mike Rackurell, and Mike Hilleary returning from last year. Woodside also has a number of fine juniors including Charlie Brennan, Tom Barrett, and Kim Fosgate.

Also returning this year will be Mike Cocco, who played well last year in the outfield but may be moved into an infield spot if necessary. Coach and senior Dave Jensen have been working out at the third base position.

At second base, the Wildcats have two juniors, Eddy Brown and Mike Whitaker. Coach Tollner is undecided as to which one will be starting against St. Francis.

Another junior who should do well this year is frosh-soph star Mike Peterman. Peterman was selected All-SPAL last year and may be starting at left field in the beginning game.

## Dana Ayers Named To All-American Polo Team

Dana Ayers, a member of Woodside's third place water polo team and a member of the SPAL All-League First Team was recently named to the Interscholastic All-American Water Polo Team.

Ayers, who led the team all year, was named because of his fine swimming and ball-handling abilities.



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## Hoopsters After 9-7 Record This Afternoon at Gunn

Woodside's 1966-67 basketball team winds up its season this afternoon against the Gunn Titans at Gunn High School. Win or lose the Wildcats will end up in fifth place while Palo Alto and Sequoia battle for first place, and Menlo-Atherton and Ravenswood battle for the third position.

The Wildcats faced all four of these contenders in the last three weeks. The last game on Tuesday against Ravenswood was a Menlo-Atherton and Paly. Against Menlo-Atherton the Wildcats held their own throughout the game and there were few large differences in scores. In the first half Woodside led on the fast break by guard, Dana Ayers, kept pace with the hot shooting Bears. Going into the third quarter the rebounding of Roscoe Dudley was countered by the scoring of Woodside's Jim Shaw. The Bears then ran into foul trouble and were able to stay ahead of Woodside only after the Cats shooting attack cooled off. Shaw led the Cats scoring with 27 points but was not good enough as M-A came out on top 79-74.

Just prior to this defeat the Paly Vikings humiliated the Wildcats with a 90-54 beating. The difference was unnoticeable by the end of the first quarter. Woodside had taken many shots, but was unable to find the range, as was evident for the remainder of the game. However, the Wildcats were also playing an excellent defensive game to limit the Vikings early scoring. Paly's leading scorer Ron Wyden and good shooting Val Vitols were stopped by the defensive efforts of Don Bunce and Bob Hanson. At quarter's end Paly led by a mere three points. The second quarter was much the same, but Paly again had a slight edge, with a nine point advantage at half time. The third quarter began as an even match and nine point lead could not be broken. Midway through the quarters the Vikings began to shoot and could not miss. By the end of the game the Vikings had 90 points 40 field goals (a league record) and 66% shooting from the floor, another league record. This can be compared to Woodside's average of 37% shooting.

The week before Woodside did see victory against the San Carlos

## Juniors Dominate Inter-Class Track

The second interclass track meet ended last Tuesday, February 21, with the last year's winning sophomore team continuing as juniors with a dominate 30 point win over the freshman. Final class results are as follows: Juniors 150 points, Freshman 121 points, Sophomore 86 points and Senior 70 points.

The twenty boys in the meet who competed for their classes also competed in the Pentahalon events. The class A winner was Ben Welch with 335 points. High finishers in that class are, Dave Smith 347 points and Ken Ezell 335 points. In B's, Greg Luque won with 235 points and Vic Hollinger was second with 240 points. The C division winner was Chan Warden who won 293 points and Rob Sorenson was second with 271 points.

With the first track meet today against Aragon, the Woodside team should be in a very good shape, because of the good practice and the outstanding results of this second interclass track meet.

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Dons. The Wildcats led all the way and had little trouble in overcoming the hustley of the much smaller Dons. Jim Shaw got 20 points to lead Woodside and Bob Hanson got Woodside's athlete of the week award for his efforts.

Yet, even with this not too bright picture the team was one of the best in our school's history. While excelling in shooting ability and an effective fast break, our defense and rebounding skills could hardly match the likes of Charles Lowry, Charlie Johnson, Ron Wyden, and Roscoe Dudley. As Coach Guttormsen noted, it was not a disappointing season merely because of the tough competition we had to face. Early in the season we won the consolation trophy of the James Lick Tournament and entered league play as a black horse in the race. With injuries hitting key men, such as Chris Connaway, little could be expected of Woodside's hopes. As was predicted at the beginning of the season, Woodside came in fifth behind Sequoia, Ravenswood, Palo Alto, and Menlo-Atherton. Tonight Paly and Sequoia play for first place with M-A and Ravenswood in third and fourth.

## Thirty Sign up For Golf Team

The 1967 golf team appears to be in good shape with seven golfers reporting for the first practice last Tuesday at Sharon Heights Golf Course. Although the team has only two golfers returning from last year's squad, they should fair very well in league action.

These seven golfers are Rod Badger, John Walchen, Tom O'Hare, Mike Sargeant, Kirk Moon, Mark Smith, and Mark Hoyt.

## Baer Optimistic About Swim Team

After two weeks of hard training, the 1967 swimming team is looking strong and should do very well this season. According to Coach Roger Baer, the team has a very good chance to finish in the upper division of the league. To finish in the upper division, though, the team will have to make some very good showings against the all-powerful swim teams of Menlo-Atherton and Palo Alto.

Tonight, Woodside will be competing against all the other teams in the SPAL Relays at Sequoia. The meet which will start at 7:00 p.m. will feature the best swimmers in the league, and several records should be broken. Next Friday, March 10, Woodside will open its season with a dual meet against Palo Alto.

This year's outstanding swimmers in the varsity division are, Doug Taylor, Bill Breeden, Al Mathews, and Ed Taano. The B team will be led by Randy Madison and Larry Demuth. For the C's, Carl Utzinger and Bill Waggoner should prove to be outstanding swimmers.

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## Wrestlers Finish 3rd Jauregui Wins 1st, Loses 2nd in CCS

The Woodside varsity wrestling team ended its season tied for third place, with a final record of 5-3. In Woodside's final match of the season the Wildcats were defeated by San Carlos and thus ended the season tied for third with the Dons.

Returning varsity wrestler for next year will be Mike Jauregui, with a 6-3 record this season. Jauregui was also winner of the SPAL tournament, but lost his second CCS match in overtime 1-0. Other returning varsity wrestlers will be Jim Friend, 6-4 on the season, Art Ting, also 6-4 on the season with five pins, Dink Walkup, and sophomore Ed Randolph who ended the season with a fine record of 5-4.

Returning junior varsity wrestlers whom Coach Wall feels should benefit the team are the VonBerg brothers, who along with Dave Lampert, wrestled in the 138 lb. division this year.

In the SPAL tournament this year, Woodside did fairly well with Jauregui taking first in the 115 lb. division, team captain John Fries captured a fourth place in the 148 lb. division, while lightweight Art Ting also took a fourth in the 98 lb. division, and heavyweight Henry Bryson and Dink Walkup captured a third and a fourth in the 198 lb. and unlimited divisions respectively.

Coach Wall feels that he had a very successful season and hopes to better his record next year. He also wishes to compliment the junior varsity wrestlers for doing an excellent job, ending the season in second place with a record of 6-2.

## Bunce Named To North Shrine Team

Don Bunce has been named to the 25-man North team that will meet the South in the annual North-South Shrine high school football game in the Los Angeles Coliseum in early August.

## Netsters Begin Season March 13

Woodside's tennis team will play its first match against Hillsdale High on March 13 on the Woodside courts.

So far, 28 players have signed up, about 10 of whom will be on the varsity team. Coach Dick Burke, who is new at Woodside this year named several others, Dave Bluford, Dean Jansen, Toby Plough, Ken Kornberg, and Pete Hersch as probable varsity choices.

Since 1962, the Cats have either tied or won the tennis championship. Coach Burke is optimistic about Woodside's prospects this year, although he said the league is "very tough." Paly, Gunn, and especially M-A are considered to be top contenders for the championship.

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WOODSIDE'S MIKE COCCO steals the ball away from two Sequoia Cherokees in the last game of the season, while Neil Platts (1) and Carlo Holquin (32) stand by to help. The game ended in a 1-1 tie, and left the SPAL championship tied between Woodside and Sequoia.

## 'Cats Tie Sequoia 1-1; Place Three on All-SPAL

The showdown of the SPAL soccer league between Woodside and Sequoia on Tuesday, February 27 at Sequoia resulted unsatisfactorily for both teams; they tied the game 1-1 and tied the championship too. Before the game, Sequoia, Woodside, and Gunn each had fifteen points. Since Gunn had a bye, the decision lay solidly between the Cats and the Cherokees.

In beautiful weather and on very dry ground, both teams gave good performances from the beginning. Sequoia's forwards, excellent in handling the ball, laid constant pressure on Todd Walton's goal throughout the game. Woodside defended on quick and surprising counter-attacks and sudden long passes as usual.

Woodside's defense again did an excellent job against the effective passing game of the Cherokees. Bert Baldocchini, Sequoia's dangerous inside, received special attention by Carlo Holquin and Klaus Kempe respectively. In reverse, Neil Platts of Woodside was under special coverage by Sequoia in return. Despite this he managed to tie the game in the fourth quarter with a beautiful head. Five minutes before, Sequoia's Bianco had scored with a head, too. Till then, the game had been slightly dominated by Sequoia, but the last ten minutes of the fourth belonged to Woodside. The quarter resulted in a score by Neil Platts. He, Cocco, Kahn, Green and Robinson were named by Coach Mather for outstanding performances.

Woodside had a long way to go for the championship. At the beginning of the season, the team was discouraged by losses in practice games against Priory and Serra and in the first league game against underdog M-A. Throughout the first round of six games, Coach Mather and the Cats tried to find a formation and a way of playing that best fit their needs.

Woodside made the decisive step forward when the Cats beat Carlmont and Paly each 2-1, and Sequoia tied Gunn and lost to Cubberley 2-0. The final tie between the two teams tied the championship. Woodside's record is: won 5, lost 1, tied 6.

Before the last game Woodside's team elected Neil Platts as captain; Platts, Green, Cocco, and Miller as most valuable players; Brent Connor as most improved player; and Todd Walton as most inspirational. Coach Mather added one title of his own. He named Ken Reeves as the varsity player with the best attitude, because he never lost his patience and good mood. Woodside's all-league choices are Platts, Cocco, and Green for the first team; and Miller and Holquin for the second team.

Coach Mather resigned from soccer with this year's championship due to a heavy work load. He will leave with an excellent coaching record; two second places, one tied, and one undisputed championship.

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