

## Baldwin County High School Balcoala 1979 <br> Volume 57 <br> Bay Minette, Alabama

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SPECIAL THANKS to Larry Davis - For the ingenious BALCOALA cover design, the staff is indebted to the young, developing artist.


Learning . . . patriotism . . making tradition . . . breaking tradition. . apd all the while, "Go Tiger!" All of the above mentioned serve to partially describe nineteen years of teaching performed by Mrs. Mildred DeLoach

In almost two decades at BCHS, Mrs. DeLoach taught approximately thfee thousand individual students. If all the hours that teenagers speht in Mrs. DeLoach's room were added together, the sum would be an astronomical (wo million four hundred seventy-five thousand, seven hundred fifty hours.

Miss Mildred Tippen was born orlagus 21, 1917 in Tuscaloosa but was brough-up in Birmingham. In 1942, Miss Tippen began her first teaching job in Bibb Cqunty. The job paid one hundred tyenty-five dollars a month. After nine years of friendship with Mr. Sid DeLoach, Miss Tippen married him on December 17, 1954. Almost two years later the DeLoach's added a new member, Btenda, their only child, to the family.

Mrs. DeLoach graduated from the University of Alabama on August 20, 1964 with a Master of Arts and later added a Master in Guidance. She took further graduate courses in her field as late as 1976.

As an English teacher at Baldwin County High School, Mrs. DeLoach had, natural talent as well as experience. Besides teaching in formal classroom, for several years Mrs. DeLoach spensored the school writing booklet called "SCRIBBLE", $V$. The BCHS teacher also edited a popk written by Kay Nuzum.

Mrs. DeLoach spent muchtime on the large task of educating persons with learning disabilities. She authored a large patt of a book yhich was supported financially by state and federal grants and which is now used widely in Alabama and seven or eight e her states. Miss Katherine Steedley, Supervisor of Secontlary Education, commented more than once, She (Mrs. DeLoach) vas the only person who could really relate to this type of student (slower students) as well as the ad anced student" Being one of the most experienced members of the BCHS faculty, Mrs. DeLoach became a basic part of the "estaft lishment," but all the while she did keep a certain amotuty of ingividuality. In 1971, Mrs. Deloach became "almost as famous as Pat Sullivan" by wearing the firs pants suit everworn by a lady teacher at work. "Pants are warmer," Mrs. DeLoach told the Tiger's Roartstaff. When asked if she might wear a maxi or mini sometime in the future, Mrs. DeLoach said she had no plans to further shock the school.

Students and faculty appreciated this teacher and held her in highest esteem for giving so much of herself to enrich our lives. The BALCOALA is proud to dedicate thils 1979 edition to the memory of a very great, courageous, committed, and talented real person.



When a person comes to BCHS it is a reason for concern because they become a part of the institution of which we are members and by which we are guided. When one leaves it is also reason for concern because all participants in the student body are links in the BCHS chain. After an individual has graduated from our school he/she is not removed from the driving force of it, but he/she is transformed into a less visible but significant part of the school mechanism.

At Baldwin County High School transformations from one level to higher, wider levels are achieved by disagreement, by sickness, by age, and by honor, fairness, and moral rightness. One of the basic ideals behind education is to enable the graduate to gather his/her thoughts into a more comprehensive view of life with its interrelations and uneven changes.

If the ideals of the halls of Baldwin High echo not only in the minds of the establishment, but to all who have taken part in it - then how much more meaning do the goals which are set have to those persons near a newer and larger transformation outside the doors of our semi-convent.

The standards of BCHS apply to those who think they apply to them. Though many persons will come to and go from these public buildings the persons who accept our schools fundamental ideals will continue as real parts of Baldwin County High and will cherish forever the experiences and the persons of those days spent within its virtuous walls.

When the staff first began thinking about a theme for the upcoming year, we tried to think of something special about the Baldwin County High School of 1978-79. Unfortunately, besides the last solar eclipse in thirty-eight years, there was not one unique thing, so far as dates were concerned, that separated this year from any in the past.

After further thought, the realization occurred that the girl in history class really did represent something unique about this school. Soon, the idea of contrasting styles of individual students at BCHS in the 1978-79 school year became a dominant thought in deciding upon the theme. The ' 79 annual attempts to show the style of BCHS from both the inside and the outside. Included in style are history, creativity, and reactions to surroundings.


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## Stepping Out Sports of Sorts Gentle Jocks



. . . the not so pleasant . . . attractive book which effectively captivates the special wholeness of our school during the past year. We hope you will enjoy your yearbook on the first glance through, but even more we aspire that you will appreciate the 1979 BALCOALA in the coming years for its review of both the pleasant and the not so pleasant.


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> Converging

Participants
Supporters

Who does not check the line when the float is bobbing; on the contrary, who does not feel gladness when the race is won? Who does not turn his head to hear his friend, but who can ignore the principles of school? They are constantly being communicated, tested, transferred, and conveyed.

Every individual, through the march of time, who has shared with Baldwin County High School is part of its design. If a clump of a farmer's fertile soil is eroded away by weather, his farm is tapered just as if his home were destroyed by flood - there is a lessening with difference only in degree. If our school loses anyone, each of us is lessened since BCHS is diminished. When an individual values justly the need to locate his/her place with his/her surroundings the meaning of John Donne's words become clearer, "never to know for whom the bell tolls; it tolls for thee."

Becoming inter-dependent with school, its ideals and its people should not be labeled as a weakness or an indirect way of soliciting tribulations; most people have more pains than they desire; the experience is a treasure. When an individual is at one with his/her surroundings even the trials, as well as the joys, are valuable assets. The troubles of others and of oneself lets an individual see the substance of existence in a more authentic light and more clearly reveals true and basic principles upon which to ground a vital essence of being.



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## Baldwin County High's

The Balcoala Staff, in a poll taken early in the school year, asked the Baldwin County High School students to give their opinions on various subjects ranging from televison programs to cars. After the votes were tallied, several traits were noticed.
The classics in literature faired wall against the contemporary best sellers and over-all Chevrolet was the favorite car manufacturer. The results of the poll are listed below.

## Best on the Box

Three's Company
Happy Days
Mork and Mindy
Eight is Enough
Charlie's Angels
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CHiPs
Good Times
Saturday Night Live Love Boat

## Do you think the

 drinking age should be lowered to 18 ?yes-74\%
no $-26 \%$

## How is YOUR love life?

In high school it is better to:
a.) date around - $43 \%$
b.) have a steady $-47 \%$
c.) something else $-7 \%$
d.) not date at all $-3 \%$

On a date I would rather:
a.) go dancing $-23 \%$
b.) watch TV at home - $6 \%$
c.) go to a movie $-54 \%$
d.) go parking $-17 \%$

## Swinging Singers

Billy Joel<br>Elton John<br>Bee Gees<br>Eagles<br>Peter Frampton<br>Ted Nugent<br>KISS<br>Andy Gibb



The Cause of the
Zeal for Wheels
Porsche Z-28
Corvett
Four Wheel Drives
Trans-Am

Do you feel a need for a stimulant?

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& \text { yes }-43 \% \\
& \text { no }-57 \%
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## Idea of Best



## Moving

 MoviesGrease
Saturday Night Fever Jaws
Gone With the Wind Good-bye Girl
Animal House


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Watching TV
Sports
Dating
Getting Drunk
Drinking


## A Decision

To live in the upcoming age, humanity as individuals and as a group must possess moral courage for the righting of wrongs as we know in our minds and souls, and also, creative courage to discover new art, new relationships, and more illuminated, realistic beliefs on which our culture can establish a firmer foundation. An enormous challenge is before us - sometimes we are not even sure we can see it or are ready to face it much less conquer it, but one thing is undeniable, all of our pains will be in vain unless we learn the art of treating our fellow brothers and sisters with love. Only love, composed of maturity, self-knowledge and courage, can make us truly objective. "Today, love is the cornerstone of a truly scientific approach to reality," wrote author Pierre Pradervand.

When our foundations are threatened, we have two choices: we can crawl up into a hole of darkness and take the shallow, suspicious, and indignant attitude of a lonely person(s) in an unfriendly, stolid world or we can look deep inside of ourselves and thoughtfully believe that we must be part of some infinite design of which compassion and honest objective activism is a must.

A major characteristic which makes human beings unique to other life on Earth is their ability to shape the future by their very own consciousness. To keep the "human factor" from making civilization ill-adapted to the ominous threats facing it, a decision must be made. Are we going to forfeit the right to shape our own destiny because of fear or are we going to take courage, keep our conscious sensitivity, and assume responsibility to the whole of creation for the coming generations as well as the present.


Stepping .



## Number One



Michael Barrow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barrow, has the highest scholastic average and has been named valedictorian of the Senior Class of 1979. He has been Key Club president and lieutenant governor, participated on the High School Bowl team, been county chairman for youth in the gubernational campaign, president of Methodist Youth Fellowship, participated in Boys'State, a National Honor Society member, has been selected as apresidential scholar and has been named the winner of a $\$ 1000$ National Merit Scholarship.

Mike says he will attend Harvard University in Cambridge, Mass. to study political service and economics.


## The Dirty Half-Dozen



The Baldwin County High School Bowl Team for 1978-79 consisted of Mike Barrow, Ricky Money, Captain, Steve Klasnich and Russell Wallace; alternates were Debra Fluker and Johnny Emmons. Approximately twenty-five students took the qualifying test administered by Mrs. Martha Howell, Guidance Counselor. Those four students scoring the highest on the test were active members and the next highest scoring two students were alternates. The group travelled to WALA TV in Mobile to meet UMS which resulted in a defeat for Baldwin County.

## Good Citizen - Tim Pimperl



Timothy Pimperl was selected as the 1979 DAR Good Citisen. The teachers nominate several young men and young women and the senior class votes on those nominated. Thus, winning this award is a double honor.
Tim is an " A " student, an active member of the Key Club, a member of the National Honor Society, and was elected as a Senior Class Favorite. In the past, he has held various offices and won various awards. In the ninth grade, he was president of the local 4-H Club and won first place in the local public speaking contest. He placed second in the district contest. He was also awarded the All-Tournament Basketball Trophy and scholastically won the trophy for Outstanding Proficiency in American History. During his sophomore year, Tim again won first place in the local and second place in the district 4-H Club Public Speaking Contest. He attended AIC Convention in Blacksbury, Virginia as district representative of 4-H Club. When Tim was a junior at Baldwin County High, he was selected as a member of Key Club and National Honor Society. He won first place in local 4-H Club Public Speaking Contest and attended the CRD Convention at Point Aquarius as local representative of $4-\mathrm{H}$.

Tim has consistently made the "A" Honor Roll since he began school. He has always worked part-time on weekends and during the summers.

Tim plans to work in Christian education, conservation and ecology upon completion of his college education.

Mrs. Pimperl made the statement "I'm proud of my son." We can certainly see why she is.

MIKE AND JOHNNY
CHART THE WAY TO NATIONAL MERIT


Brains! Brains! Brains! That's something that both Mike Barrow and Johnny Emmons have. In the eleventh grade, students all over the country are given the chance to take the PSAT/NMSQT (Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test). More than one million students take this test. Mike and Johnny became 2 out of 15,000 semi-finalists receiving a certificate of honor. Mike became 1 out of 4100 merit scholars and received $\$ 1000$. B. C. H.S. wishes the best congratulations to Mike and Johnny for their scholastic achievements.

# Sandra Peacock Takes Scholastic Award 

Sandra Peacock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peacock, received the Baldwin County Junior Miss Scholastic Award. During Sandra's four senior high school years, she has held offices in many clubs and received many different awards: Vice-President of Junior Civitan Club of which she has been a member for four years; member of National Honor Society; President of Traffic Safety Club; Vice-Chairperson of Governor's Youth Traffic Safety Council; Second place essay winner in Baldwin County Electric Membership Corporation's Youth Tour to Washington Essay Contest; Honorary Lieutenant Colonel Aide-de-Camp in Alabama State Militia; and representative to Girls' State. Sandra, who is rated scholastically number two in her class, is presently being considered for two scholarships from the University of Montevallo and intends to begin her freshman year at that institute in the fall of 1979.

## Once, Twice, Three Times

## A Shrine Bowl-Queen

Anne Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norbourne Stone, was selected as the 1978-79 Shrine Bowl Queen. Although the two previous queens had also come from BCHS, Anne's charm, intelligence and poise established her as Number Three. Anne rated number four scholastically in her class. She has been a cheerleader for three years, and she was Co -Head during her Senior year. She was a Class Favorite her junior year and was elected as Senior Maid in the Homecoming 1979 Court. She is a member of National Honor Society and served as Interact Sweetheart both in the local club and in the district. She was selected as the alternate Girls' State representative; elected as Sr . Class Secretary-Treasurer, and is a member of the D. H. Holmes Jr. Board. Upon graduation, Anne plans to major in Business and Finance.


## 1978-79 Homecoming Court

Top to bottom, right to left: Shirley English and Timothy Cox; Senior Maid Anne Stone and David Fuller; Junior Maid Martha Roley and Allan Caprara; Freshman maid Ann Lamar and Arnold Cox; Sophomore Maid Pam Burgan and David Vernon. Opposite Page, Top to bottom, right to left: Senior Queen Deborah Bell and Russell Wallace; Junior Maid Pam Johnson and Rodney Thomas; Freshman Maid Pam McNeal and Kenny Parker; Freshman Maid Denise Lee and Eddie Hooks; Sophomore Maid Patricia Smith and Garrett Anderson.


Deborah Bell - "Being selected by my friends and classmates to represent BCHS as Homecoming Queen was one of the greatest honors of all my school years.

It will be a memory I will cherish forever. Thanks to all that made it possible." Shirley English "It was really nice. I was surprised and glad I had won. I couldn't believe I had gotten it." Anne Stone - "I felt it was a great priviledge to be a member of the court." Denise Lee - "Enjoyed it. I always wanted to be in something like that." Pam Johnson - "Honored. It made me feel good to represent the Junior Class." Martha Rolly "Being picked by my fellow classmates on such a special occasion was a thrill and an honor." Patricia Smith - "Special to be chosen over the other girls in the class." Pam Burgan - "It was an honor to be chosen and an experience I will never forget." Pam McNeal "Happy, excited, proud. I really didn't think I'd win it." Anne Lamar "Honored, happy, glad to know that I had won.

## The 1978-79

The 1978 Football Banquet with Daniel K. Christenberry as Master of Ceremonies was held on December 7 at the Baldwin County High School cafeteria. The sponsor for the banquet was the Bay Minette Quarterback Club. The decorations for the banquet were prepared by the BCHS Cheerleaders. The guest speaker was Bayliss Biles. Players who were honored for outstanding play were Ricky Burgan - Best Defensive Back, Earnie Ryan - Best Receiver, Perk Fendley - Head Hunter, Marty Stewart - Outstanding Sportsmanship, Chris Norman - Best Offensive Lineman, Johnny Perrett Best Defensive Player and Most Valuable Defensive Player, Jerry Oliver - Best Offensive Back and Most Valuable Offensive Player. Senior players making the All-County were Johnny Perrett, Perk Fendley, Earnie Ryan, Ricky Burgan, Phillip Jackson, Chris Norman, and Jerry Oliver. Senior Players making the All-Region team were Johnny Perrett, Jerry Oliver, Chris Norman, and Earnie Ryan. Earnie was the only senior player to be placed on the All-State team. All varsity players who met the requirements were given letters. Managers also received letters for their dedication to the team. All senior players were given trophies. The Varsity Cheerleaders were recognized for their hard work and received letters and trophies. Cheerleader awards were presented by Wendy Coleman, a former cheerleader at Baldwin County High.


Football Banquet



## Hula Hoop Cheerleaders



Varsity Cheerleaders for 1978-79 were: Standing, left to right: Barb Smith, Lee Anne Bryars, Head; Anne Stone, Co-Head; Deborah Bell, Gidget Stanley. Sitting, left to right: Myra Rogers, Martha Roley, Pam Boan, Crystal Mosley, Pam Johnson. "B" Team Cheerleaders were: Standing, left to right: Patty Diehl, Pam Kleinatland, Jill Perrett. Sitting, left to right: Connie Heaton, Co-Head; Dee Dee Davidson, Lee Posey, Head; Patricia Stone, and Lorie Perkins. Being a cheerleader is not all work and no play. Sometimes you get to hula hoop and play babies. Also you can pretend to be "Rocky" as Crystal Mosley. Sometimes, hysteria takes over (Top Right).

## Pamper Themselves!



The Baldwin County High School Cheerleaders astonished themselves as their diligence acquired them an overall second in competition at Troy State's Cheerleading Clinic last summer. The Junior-High Cheerleaders were determined not to come back empty handed, so with zeal, they won third in overall competition. Sponsors Sharry McDill and Gayle Racine were proud of the achievement.

Being a cheerleader is not all fun, however. During the summer the girls met at 6:00 every morning for practice. They practiced yells, moves, and worked on skits for the upcoming afternoon pep rallies. During the school year, they were responsible for painting the Tiger head, and signs. Each week, they made favors to give to the football players and also served them refreshments before the pep rallies They were responsible for getting wood for the Thursday night bon fires and for organizing these events. Cheerleaders also were responsible for decorating for the Football and All-Sports Banquet.

So, are you thinking of being a cheerleader? Are you ready to WORK?


## The Bengal Band Is



With the guidance of Mr. Bowles, and the direction of Rodger Harville the Bengal Band has accomplished many things
The Senior Band members for $78-79$ are: Page Hayes, Beverly Rieben, Patty Quinley, Lynn Turner, Rickey Money, John Hobbs, Craig Mins, Donna Stokes, Johnny Biggs, Kevin Harvey, Robert Owens Roger Harville, Don Smith.
The Band members are listed according to their instrument groups: FLUTES: Bobbie Betts, Kerry Brabner, Tara Cox, Sarah Davis, Linda Funk. Page Hayes, Mary Mims, Jim Parmer, Alan Peacock, Iris Peacock. Beverly Rieben, Cathy Sanders. CLARINETS: Shirley Bassett, Tracey Burkett. Chuck Diehl, Pam Gray, Sandy Gray, Debra Johnson, Deadra Harvey, Teresa Johnson, Angela Lamar, Veronica Lamer, Velma Lenox, Brenda Parda, Patty Quinley, Wanda Stevens, Cynthia Funstall, Lynn Turner, Cindy Williams. LOW REEDS: Belinda Murchison, Courtney Quina, Kelly Robertson, Deborah Robinson, Marilyn Stevens. TUBAS: Clay Brayars, Rickey Money, John Tuck. DRUMS: Harry Brayars, Leonard Daniels, John Hobbs, Doug Hohnson, Jimmie Johnson, Tim Johnson, Craig Mims, Ray Moorer, Tim Scott. SAXOPHONES: Chuck Barton, Stanley Chastang, Mark Eddins, Travis Harvey, Donna Stokes. BARITONE SAXOPHONES: Sam Tuck. FRENCH HORNS: Sam Gill, Teresa Lane. Kay New son, James Stickrod, Jeff Trawick. Charlotte Williams. TRUMPETS: Cecil Banning. Tina Blair, Tony Edwards. Tim Graham, David Hodgen, Kieth Hollis, Coleman Johnson, Cecil Knox, Elskin Nye, Tommy Parker, Jeff Rees, Arth Stevens, Greg Wallace. TROMBONES: Johnny Biggs, Kevin Harvey, Robert
 Owens, James Singleton, Andy Webb. BARITONES: Barry Grimes, Roger Harville, Don Smith, Phillip Thompson.

The Tigeretts are: Renee Allen, Kristi Johnson, Jeanne Rabon, Rita Kelly, Teresa Owens, Denise Vines, Casey Davis, Maralyn Sewell, Lynn Turner, Iris Peacock.

The Majorettes are: Tessie Moorer, and Kathy Bishop.

## Bustin' Loose



This year's Tiger Band sincerely thanks the people of the community for their generous support. With their help the Bengal Band has grown both in size and in spirit. Besides marching in football games, the Tiger Band marched in Governor James' inauguration parade; also, a stage band to play at basketball games was formed.
Certainly with a continuation of this year's effort, our band will be an excellent trademark of Baldwin County High School


The Wild World Of


## "Ma Ma" Murphy's Music Mania



The 1978-79 Choral Department has to be one of the best ever. Under the direction of Mrs. Marion Murphy the Ensemble went to district competition and received a superior rating. With this under their belts, they then competed in the State Competition and attained a superior overall. Four students, John Hobbs, Roger Harville, Donna Stokes and Mitchell Sims were able to sing in the Alabama All State Chorus.

The Choral Department's activities were also evident at home. They put on a lively show called "Tuesday Night At The Movies." Their Spring Concert was also a really big success even though Mrs. Murphy was not able to attend. With help from student teachers, Marilyn Webbs, Mike Johnson and Ensemble President Roger "Shut Up Harville" the Spring Concert was a real success.

Work And Play

Make .

Top: R to I. First Row: Marion Murphy. Lori Perkins. Linda Blount. Lisa Dixon. Michelle McLain. Katrina Zarr Donna Stokes. Tammy Jeffers, Darlene Marison. Rita Harville. Tina Barnes. Lee Anne Burt. KoKo Carlise. Second Row: Debra Fluker. Kay Walker, Connie Buckles. Donna Carpenter. Melissa Lee. Scott Dewberry, Bobby Zarr. Mack Shiver. Ben Tidwell. Nancy Diel Kim Lancaster. Renee Lyles. Third Row: Pam Johnson. Dianea Harrison. Jody Hill. John Holland. Bruce May, Steve McKissack. John Hobbs. Tony Hurst. Vicki Clemmons. Velma Lenox. Marlene Joiner. Myrtle Engram. Fourth Row: Connie Davis, Becky Biges. Deborah Bell. Shelly Hooper. Clay Bryars. Steve Ryan. Tony Edwards. Mitchell Sims. George Blackmon. Don nie Sims. Mike Snowden. Roger Harville. Pam Burgan. Alicia Blackmon. Lorrie Watts.

Ninth Grade Chorus: First Row, r to I: Karen Price. Patty Diel. Dee Dee Davidson. Alison. Bolen. Dana Hurst. Tricia Williams. Cherill McCuire, Diane Kilcreas. Tara Cox, Marion Murphy. Second Row: Tracy Cofer, Lori Hinote. Tyra McK inley, Anita Rogers. Dee Dee Mins. Shannon Kendrick, Terri KeeMins. Shannon Kendrick. Tern Kee-
van. Kelly Johnson. LK. Sandy Holmes. Janet Giliker. Pam Smith. Debia Mickclleton. Mary Joseph. Cindy MiKican. Sandi Porter. Johnny Clemmens. Debia Robinsen. Worth Hinser. Kim Roberts.

Triple Trio Rto 1: Linda Blount. Michelle McLain. Darlene Marison. Donna Stokes. Lisa Dickson. Lori Perkins. KoKo Carlise. Lee Ann Burt. Tammy Jeffers. Not Shown are the alternates: Katrina Zarr. Tina Barnes. Rita Harvelle.

Girls’ S.S.A. Chorus, rtol: Myrtle Engram. Janice Barnes. Myrtica Linch. Linda Martin. Monica Burch, Patricia Jones.

Bottom Left: Mrs. Marion Murphy. Choral Director.


## Top Band Students



Band director, Mr. Gary Bowlee (middle) poses with the outstanding Baldwin County High School Band members of 1979. Ricky Money (left) had the title bestowed on him by Mr. Bowles himself, while Beverly Rieben captured the honor by a direct vote of the individual band members.
Both Ricky and Beverly were active four year band students who developed their skill to the level of being All-State and of being respected by their fellow band members. Congratulations!

## The B.C.H.S. Stage Band



Harmonizing on classical to contemporary, pop, disco, country, and rock, the Baldwin County High School stage band consistently thrilled their peers, parents, and audience.
For the first time, by popular demand, the band department extended its favors from formal concerts in the city hall and football games in the sometimes damp stadium to basketball games inside the statically noisy, if spirited, gym. The stage band added an extra diminsion of beauty to go along with the athletes on the court and the cheerleaders on the sidelines. After loud cheers of "shish, cum, ba, Go Tigers," it became common for the sometimes hoarse fans to be inclined to say, "I wish the band would play" and play they would.

From the student body to the BCHS stage band, Thanks.


## The 1978 Annual Junior Class Talent Show



The Junior Class got to work early raising for the Junior-Senior Prom with the annual Talent Show. It was a real blast with Mrs. Pat Hudson sponsoring and (Ace) Andy Bailey hosting the event.
The Elementary, Middle, and High School all competed in their own divisions.
Ralph Anglin and Myra Rogers show their talent as they waltz. Sr. Division winners "Long Haired Country Boys" "done sung fer us." Bruce May, grand prize winner, sings the "Goodbye Girl."

Opposite Page, Top to bottom, right to left: "Ooga, Ooga, I want you," says Steve Ryan as he and Casey Davis show some primitive moves. Mack Shiver and Brenda Roberts disco to the beat of the sound. Steve McKissack drives as the girls of the Junior class "do it in the back seat." "Heavy Metal" charms the crowd with "Lady," Marie Boan keeps everyone informed as she brings out the cue cards. Michelle Long and Margaret Fields' act is on the rocks. "A.D. 2000" - this is how we're going to dance. Audrey Joiner and Anne Vernon do the twist.



Seniors + Water $=$ Tacky Day


The Junior class selected "Western Roundup" as the theme for the 1979 Backwards Dance. This dance is held each year in hopes of raising necessary money for the Junior-Senior Prom. This year's Backwards Dance was held on March 10 at the City Hall. The night was just right for all the cowboys and cowgirls who came down to the Roundup as not one so much as grumbled about the rainy weather and not one contestant really minded that Margaret Fields won the title of "Miss Longhorn." The best dressed folks in town that night were Gidget Stanley and Ricky Cotton.




The Frolic is the first formal put on by a freshman class. It is traditionally a really big learning experience for all involved. The class of " 82 " took it all in stride as if they had been doing it all along.

Ron Frazier was disc jockey for the night and the city auditorium was decorated in an array of pastel colors. The backdrop was a moonlit tree scene painted by Lori Hinote, Terri Keevan and Tyra McKinley.
The 1978-79 Freshman Class will long remember this dance as a tremendous success and the highlight of their year.



The theme "Too Much Heaven" certainly described this year's Sophomore Hop. The City Auditorium was decorated beautifully in many pastels accented in much greenery. Over in the corner was the backdrop prepared by Laura Scott and Mr. Hubert DeVine. To top all of the preparation was "Mirage," who had played for the Hop for their second year in a row.

Under the organized supervision of class officers Yolanda DeVine, Karen Stiers and Wanda Stevens the Sophomore class worked diligently with car washes and bake sales to finance the dance. Sponsors Mary Ann Robinson, Maxine Hendrix, Cheryl Owen and Mrs. Bobbie Bishop were really proud and pleased with the Sophomore class endeavors.

## This One's For You

Approximately 600 people attended 1979's Junior-Senior Prom on Saturday, May 7, at the Bay Minette City Auditorium. Leadouts for the Seniors began at 7:30 and the dance began at 8:00 with music provided by the band "Party."



## Mr. and Miss B.C.H.S.



Miss BCHS for the 1978-79 high school year was Lorrie Watts, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Watts. Lorrie entered into Baldwin County High School in the fall of 75-76 school year. Since her enrollment here at the high school Lorrie has been a cheerleader, a member of the 1976 Homecoming Court, a freshman class favorite, and an Interact favorite.

Of course, a list of honors does not get a person elected to highest distinction an institution can give. Some things, like the ability to reach people, are more clearly felt than expressed. The 1979 Miss BCHS, Ms. Lorrie Watts, was definetly blessed with ability.


## . . . The Perfect Match



Mr. BCHS for the 1978-79 year was Ricky Burgan, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Beasley. Since Ricky's enrollment at the high school, he has been an active member of the Interact Club. He has also been an active member of the school's athletic department. Two sports in which Ricky took part were baseball and football. Ricky was named to all-county teams in both these sports. Other honors which Ricky has received were being chosen as Class Favorite during his freshman and sophomore years.

A big man with a big title - Mr. Ricky Burgan - Mr. BCHS.



Strolling through the park one day I saw a clown with some balloons. I asked for the blue in the middle as it was my favorite. And as all people, large and small, have a favorite, so do the masses at BCHS. Which balloon would you pick?

Freshmen (green)
Sophomore (orange)
Junior (blue)
Senior (red)

## Senior's Got Stuck

The Senior Class of 1979 presented "The Stuck Pot," a play by Robert Garis which was based on a story by Kate McNair. The play was held on March 30 and 31 at 8:00 p.m. in the Bay Minette City Hall Auditorium. The Senior Class was able to raise over nine hundred dollars on the play.

The people who made the play successful were the production crew. They were Mrs. Linda Sims, director, Mrs. Vernie Biles, construction director, and Michele Harvill, stage manager. The other mambers of the production crew were Aldo Edwards, Mitchell Sims, Dave Akridge, Russell Wallace, Charles Bryant, Kevin Stewart, Eddie Thompson, Johnny Emmons, Donnie Sims, Vic Stephens, Donna Stokes, Wen Liles.

Eugene Conway, Donna Purett, Beverly Rieben, Margaret Thomley, Beverly Williams, Nancy Smith, and Theresa Nickerson.



## With "The Stuck Pot"

The people who had the task of performing in the play were Melissa Lee - Dean Louise Taggart; Billy Womack - Mr. Sedgewick; Anne Stone - Mrs. Sedgewick; Lee Anne Bryars - Alice Anne; Pam Boan - Mary Jane Thompkins; Deborah Bell - Gail Treat; Ko Ko Carlisle - Kay Emerson; Rober Harville - Edward Mott. Other members of the cast were: Page Hayes, Lisa Dickson, Cathy Nabors, Jo Ann Durant, Debra Fluker, Jeanne Rabon, Lorrie Watts, Vicki Clemmons, Sandra Peacock, Johnny Emmons, Mike Snowden, George Bryars, Ricky Burgan, Aldo Edwards, David Fuller, Shelley Hooper, Deborah Mosley, Robert Owen, Lori Smith, Phillip Jackson, Tim Pimperl, Ana Girald, Tony Hurst, and Mike Barrow.


Sports of Sorts




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Left: Paul Presley concentrates on using his clutch catch. Below: Dr. Jim Devaney took over the responsibility as team doctor. He and Dr. Joe Pierce, a physical therapist at the local hospital, attended every home game and were on the sidelines in case anyone was injured. Players,
coaches, parents, and the community are grateful to these two for their time and efforts. Bottom: Hal Jones takes a breather while listening to Coach Joseph Hendrickson's strategy. Opposite, Top Right: QB Kelly Powell and receiving partner, Earnie Ryan listen to Coach Lyle Underwood's scheming. Top Left: Jo Jo Scott holds on to the ball as he is forced out of bounds. Bottom Big Alabama bound Jerry Oliver leans foward for extra yardage.




## SEASON

Davidson<br>0- 0<br>Murphy<br>B. C. Rain<br>Williamson<br>10-18<br>13- 3<br>14-7 21-16



The Tiger team this year contained a lot of good offensive players and defensive players. Opposite page, Top Left: Perk Fendley tells the crowd that BCHS is No. 1. Top Right: Coach Ellis and Jeremiah Snowden talk out their strategy. Bottom Left: Earnie Ryan shows his running ability that made him one All-State. Bottom Right: Jo Jo Scott dazzles the crowd with his quick action. This Page, Top: Steve Christenberry, Johnny Perrett, and Danny Quinley give a Foley player a hard time. Right: Calvin Marshall tells it like we wish. Bottom: Ricky Burgan brings down an offensive player.


RECORD

| Toulminville | $35-6$ |
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| John Shaw | $35-40$ |
| Foley | $14-20$ |
| Satsuma | $0-6$ |
| Atmore | $42-34$ |

# UPS AND DOWNS PLAGUE BENGALS 




Bottom, left to right: Steve Corley, Bruce Bankston, Steve Christenberry, Ricky Burgan, Sheldon Howard, Johnny Maiteikat, Eric Mosley, Tony Conway, Jo Jo Scott, Earnie Ryan, Johnny Perrett, Perk Fendley, Kevin Stewart, Jim Lyles, Marty Stewart, Chris Norman, George Blackmon, Jerry Oliver, Michael Hooks, Phillip Jackson. Kneeling: Jeremiah Snowden, Allen Caprara, Danny Quinley, Mark King, Joel Bell, Keith Irvin, David Peacock, Mark Deschaine, Jeff Cotton, David Coleman, Andy Wasdin, Wade King, Rodney James, David Mills, Issac Snowden, Joe Conway, "Moe" Holley, Jason Peacock. Third Row: Coach Herbert Ellis, Coach Lowell James, Warren Davis, Keith Ganey, Ray Cox, Donny Baggett, Harold Sledge, Roderick Williams, Robbie Thompson, Don Baker, Ray Stevens, Alvin French, Albert MaGrew, Ray Thornton, Eugene Conway - mgr., Dave Akridge -mgr., Paul Stewart - mgr., William MacWilliams - mgr., Coach Lyle Underwood, Coach Charles Pridgeon. Fourth Row: Gene Miller, Robert Bell, Neal Brown, Mike Quinley, Randy Brock, Roland Blais, Jyon Corbett, John Sliwinski, Hal Jones, Paul Presley, Kelly Powell, Steve McKissack, Paul Hicks, Dempsey Barker, Calvin Marshall, Joseph Hurst, Randy Preston.


## Blood, Sweat and Tears



On Monday afternoon on the 23 rd of October, each class gathered the materials to construct the winning float for the 1978-79 Homecoming Float Contest. The week was filled with hard work, much fun and a lot of loquacious conversation. Friday afternoon finally "rolled around" and the parade was on its way. It ranged from the razzle dazzle Tiger Band to the shining faces of the Homecoming Queens and Court. One of the highlights of the afternoon was the Junior Class Float which won first place in the competition. The sun dropped, but not the Homecoming spirit.
As the pre-game festivities began, the Triple Trio sang the National Anthem and the Alma Mater. During the Halftime ceremonies the crowd was presented with the 1978-79 Homecoming Court.
The BCHS Tigers gave the Satsuma Gators a good try but the game ended with a loss of $0-6$. Although the game was lost, the spirit was not. The dance was a success with "Judkin Mills" as the music makers.

## J.V. - Working for a Starting



Junior Varsity - they are the young men who strive hard in hopes of becoming starters for the varsity game.

Though their fan attendance is low at times this does not deter them. Their spirit is high and their enthusiasm for the game is catching. They try to play as well as possible under the watchful eyes of Coach Charles Pridgeon and Coach Joseph Hendrickson - in hopes that these coaches will mention to Coach Lyle Underwood how well they play or how devoted each seems to be to the game.

The J.V. team dresses out at varsity games where they cheer the other players on. They each have one secret hope that the BCHS Tigers will get a good edge over the opposing team so that maybe one of the better J.V. players will get to play and later tell the others how it felt playing Varsity football.


## Position on Varsity - Jr. High



The Junior High football team is composed of seventh, eighth, and ninth graders. Under the eyes of Coaches James Cox and Harry Shiver the chances are good our youngest B.C.H.S. athletes will develop into outstanding Varsity competitors.

The Team Members Shown Above are listed from Bottom to Top, left to right: Row 1: James Cox Mike Clemmons, Jeff McGee, Donald Jackson, Mike Pitchford, Joel James, Bret Barton, Roy Jones, Jay Eubanks. Row 2: Darren Cain, Bobby Jones, David Agerton, Shawn Major, Boyce Mosley, Shannon Howard, Tracy Newton, Melvin Cox, Shedrick Thomas, Alfred UIner. Row 3: Ronnie Jeffers, Jimmy Johnson, Larry Bailey, Pat Pruitt, Terrance Lambert, Matt Jackson, Danny Grimes, Tony Syphers, John Means, Denny Joiner. Row 4: Greg Hannie, Perry Washington, Guy Bussler, Joseph Pruitt, Karl McMillan, Jeff Barnett, Randy Grimes Mike Langham, Robert McMillian, Brent Bateman, Bart Bell.

## 1979 Varsity Basketball Season:



The Members of the 197879 Basketball Team for BCHS are: Perry Means, Charles Williams, Steve Klasnich, Joseph Hurst, Steve Emmons, Sylvester Grace, Johnny Emmons, Timothy Cox, Micheal Hooks, David Fuller, Kenneth Scott. Kneeling are: Dave Ackridge - mgr., Coach Charles Pridgeon, William McWilliams mgr.


## A Bittersweet Bounce


(Won 11, Lost 17)

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| Williamson | 41 |
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| Satsuma | 49 |
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Shaw ..... 70
Fairhope ..... 68




## Dribble, Dribble - Shoot, Shoot




Varsity Basketball at BCHS is a time for students to sit back and relax - that is if they can. The excitement of the players can be catching to those in the stands. There is a chance that any minute the game will reverse and go the other way. This year's team was no exception to this excitement. All of the games proved to be constant action. The team had little experience but did well inspite of this fact. The tournament standings were good: 2nd place in Bladwin County Tournament, 3rd in the McGill Tournament, and 3rd in the Regional Tournament. Awards received by team members in these tournaments were Sylvester Grace All Tournament in the McGill and BCHS Tournaments; Sylvester Grace - All County; Joseph Hurst and Sylvester Grace - All Region.


1978-79 Basketball Statistics

Name
Sylvester Grace
Joseph Hurst
Perry Means
Michael Hooks
Timmy Cox
Steve Klasnich
Johnny Emmons
David Fuller
Charles Williams
Rodney James
Kenneth Scott
Steve Emmons
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*FGM - Field Goals Made
*FTA - Free Throws Attempted
*FTM - Free Throws Made

## B-Team: Soaring Upward - No Place Else to Go



This year's B-team showed spirit and determination. They came up with a better record (7-12) than those of the past couple of years. In the Baldwin County Tournament they defeated Robertsdale but lost to Fairhope placing them 3rd in Baldwin County. Team members were: Kneeling, left to right: Coach Joe Hendrickson, Joel Bell, Bruce May, Terry Gandy, Herman Morris, Arnold Cox. Standing, left to right: Rodney Thomas, Micheal Godwin, Chris Ackridge, Jerry Davis, Darren Newberry, John Posey, Jeremiah Snowden, Rodney James, Robbie Thompson.

## BASEBALL '79



The members for the 1979 baseball team were, Front Row: David Coleman, Allen Caprara, David Mills, Chip Stein. Middle Row: Pat Stewart, Wade King, Keith Irwin, Ron Thompson, Joel Bell, Ricky Ward, Roland Blais. Top Row: Rodney James, Ernie Ryan, Kelly Powell, Perk Fendley, Ricky Burgan, Mark Deschaine.



## Baseball Fever . . . Catch It To Win!



This year's team worked hard to make it to the top, but they fell slightly short of their goal. They ended their season with an overall record of 7 wins and 5 losses. Most of their losses were by one or two runs or by extra innings. The BCHS team coached by Lowell James should successfully make it to the top next year - because all but four players - Ricky Burgan, Perk Fendley, Johnny Perrett, and Ernie Ryan - will be back to use their experience.


## A Pitch . . . A Hit . . . A Run



Bengal Baseball

BCHS 5 Robertsdale 0
BCHS 2 Fairhope 3
BCHS 9 Toulminville 2
BCHS 0 Williamson 1
BCHS 8 B.C. Rain 4
BCHS 4 Goley 3
BCHS 3 Atmore 4
BCHS 1 Fairhope 5
BCHS 12 Toulminville 2
BCHS 6 Williamson 0
BCHS 4 B. C. Rain 3
BCHS 4 Foley 6
BCHS 11 Atmore


## Boys' Track: Breakin' The Tape



The boys' track team ended their season with a record of 8-2 in dual meets and 2-2 in quad or tri meets. In the Baldwin County Championships they placed first making them the top team in Baldwin County. Three BCHS students went on to compete in the AHSAA Meet held n Selma, Alabama. Steve McKissack placed sixth in the discus, Charles Williams placed fourth in the triple jump and Kenneth Scott placed third in the long jump and the triple jump.
New records made this year were: Kenneth Scott - long jump; Charles Williams triple jump, 440 yard relay; Jeremiah Snowden - 120 yard high hurdles; Eddie Hooks - 880 yard run.







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This year's track team were
Bottom Row: Kenneth Scott, Hybert Bradley, Casey Jones, Warren Anderson, Isaac Snowden. Middle Row: Ray Charles Moore, Adrian Scott, Jeremiah Snowden, Herman Morrison Robbie Thompson, Steve Christenberry. Back Row: Lavesta Stevens, Steve McKissack, Jerry Oliver, Douglas Atkinson, Michael Watson, Norman Palmer, Charles Williams.

## Boys' Tennis: Jumpin' the Net to Victory



This year's tennis team did an excellent job of defeating their opponents. Their record at the end of their season was 7-2. In the District 4-A Tournament two of Coach Charles McKinney's players made it in the semi-finals - Steve Halliday, and Jim Lyles.

This year's players were: Front Row: Steve Halliday, Randall Dyess, Aldo Edwards. Standing: Russell Brantley, Jim Lyles, Michael McLain, Mike Barrow, Mike Steege.

## Boys' Golf: A Putt in the Grass



The 1978-79 BCHS Golf team ended their season with a 4-4 record. The players for this year's team were: Front Row: Tom Deschaine, and Jay Martindale. Standing: Chris Ledbetter, Jackie Brooks, Robbie Roberts, Coach Charles Pridgeon, Russell Brantley, Rusty Davidson, Bobby Zarr.

## Gentle Jocks




## Girls' Volleyball Team Serves



## Another Winning Season



The Volleyball team had a good season this year with 7 wins and 5 losses. Coached by Sherry McDill they placed 2nd in Baldwin County.

The members of the Girls' Volleyball team for 1978-79: Bottom Row, left to right: Kim Lancaster, Joy Blackmon, Dorine Smith, Julie Wilson, Daphne Gilberry, "Cookie" Smith. Top Row: Tammy Keevan, Joyce Overstreet, Becky Rider, Kathy Milstead, Mattie Pruitt, Dione Corbett, Sharon Gilberry, Coach Ms. Sherry McDill.


Girls' Softball: Winners Against the Odds



## Girls’ Basketball: We've Only Just Begun



BCHS added to its sports program a girls' basketball team. They were dedicated to their game and worked long and hard to gain acceptance into Baldwin Countys' sports agenda. Even though their record was low, their spirit soared high. They had fans to cheer them and Miss Gayle Racine to coach them. Two of them gained recognition for themselves and our school Georganne Tobin made All County and Robin Sibley was awarded MVP in Baldwin County. Many of them will be back next year, thinking of how they will strive to make it to the top.

The Team Members for 1978-79 were: Charlotte Williams, Kelly Johnson. Dorine Smith, Michelle Smith, Georganne Tobin, Robin Sibley, Sarah Young, Linda Mosely, Donna Morris, Shirley Hooks. Joy Blackmon, Vicki Thornton. Kneeling: Coach Gayle Racine, Samantha Morris Mgr. Not Shown: Joyce Overstreet.



## Girls' Track: Clearin' the Hurdles



This year's girls' track team worked hard and came up with a record of 6-4 in dual meets and $0-3$ in quad or tri meets. In the Baldwin County Championships the girls came in second. Vernice Bolden was a state qualifier in the 2 mile run. New records were Robin Sibley - discus; Kathy Stevens - mile run, and Yvonne Bush - 100 yard dash.
The members of the team were: Front Row: Yvonne Bush, Drusill Robins, Viola Means, Gwen Booze, Ver nia Bolden. Second Row: Daphne Gilberry, Robin Sibley, Anita Hale, Brenda Fields, Terri Bell, Karen Stiers.

## Girls’ Tennis: No Love Loss



The members of this year's girls' tennis team are: Joyce Overstreet, Tammy Keevan, Shelley Hooper, Dorine Smith, Robin Moorer.

## Converging




of Clubs

The Vocational Industrial Clubs of America began the year with installation of officers. The club was involved throughout the year with community projects such as donating to various organizations and visiting the hospital in a Patient Cheer-Up trip. Members attended District and State Olympics and also attended workshops in Mobile. District winners (top) were: David Vernor, Machine Drafting: Eugene Conway, Sylvia Diedtrich, Carol Martin, Tony Conway. Paul Plumber, (standing) Dennis Williams, Anthony Moore. Ricky Brooks, Steve Emmons, and Mike Godwin, Club Business Procedure: Randy McClelland, Welding; Gordon Crowe, Appliance Repair; Mr. Vica, John Emmons. John Emmons, (bottom) also placed 2nd in the State Mr. Vica competition and will attend National Convention this summer. Gordon Crowe, (bottom right) will attend the National Convention for placing first in state competition in Appliance Repair.




Top: Electronics and Drafting, A.M. Standing: Sylvia Diedtich, Mr. Joe Rushing, Rene Crowe. Don Smith, John Newsom. John Emmons, Mike Godwin. Jeff Raley, Wen Liles, Scott Major, Mike Davis. Steve Emmons, John Barnett, Malcomb Thompson, Tammy Boeschen, Mr. James Weekley, Lisa Knowles. Kneeling: David Vernor, Robbie Coots, Johnny Mateikat, Mitchell McLain, Danny Quinley. Keith Irvin. Sitting: Steve Murray, David Coleman, Todd Smith, Tony Eddins. Center: Officers for AM Vica: David Vernor, Treasurer: Mike Davis. Reporter, John Emmons, President: Robbie Coots, Vice-President: Dennis Williams, Chaplain: Lisa Knowles, Parliamentarian; and Sylvia Diedtrich. Secretary. Bottom: Air Conditioning and Mechanics: Standing: Mr. Porter, Robert Marschall. Tommy Owens, Keith Ganey, Robert Switzer, Ralph Minchew, Jeffrey Boone. Preston Ferrell, Vaughn Thompson, Tim Parker, Hannis Rider, Robbie Dewberry, Gordon Crowe, Tim Scott, Paul Plummer, Mark Eddins. Kneeling: Timothy Williams, Nathan Barnes, Mark Dickman, Larry Gould, David Bullock, Bruce Bankston, Terry Hadley, Marty Keaton. Keith McDill. Sitting: Mitchell Owens, John Cooper, Ray Long, Danny Flowers, Eugene Conway, Keith Galloway, Mr. David Alexander.

The Vica Club won the trophy for Best Club at State level. Rusty Morris was elected as State President for the up-coming year and will attend the National Convention this summer. Mr. Weekley, one of the advisors for the Bay Minette Area, was also awarded Advisor of the Year in the State of Alabama. District Winners in the afternon classes were as follows: Top, Kneeling: Wayne Nabors, 2nd place Plumbing; Jimmy Sims, Outstanding Club, 3rd in State; Barney McClalland, 2nd District, Prepared Speech; Rusty Morris, State President for 1979-80: Standing: Dan Stephens, Ronald Rowland, Steve Jackson, Brian Weekley, Keith Hammond, Opening and Closing Ceremonies, District.


## Follows Suit



Trowel Trades \& Welding: Standing: Mr. Harris, Marcus Phillips, Ken Sprinkle, Ricky Sprinkle, David Whittington, Jim Graham, Rick Rios, Dale Peterson, Larry Greek, Jeff Smith. Kneeling: Ronnie Smith, David Plato, Gary Chandler, Kenny Scott, Roger Roberson, James Minchew, Curtis Moore, Sammy Williamson, Mr. King. Sitting: Ray Hayles. Michael Tate, Michael Anderson, Maurice Riley, Jeffrey Jones, Charlie Bell. Air Conditioning and Mechanics: Standing: Mr. J. W. Porter, Kenneth McLain, Vincent Cowser, Keith Hadley, Allen McDonald, Dewayne Myers, Ricky Byrd, Ancel Sims, Tommy Pimperl, Hilden Wilson, Mr. David Alexander. Kneeling: Daryl Long, Norman Bryars, Robbie Plato, Chuck Owens, Kirk Peacock, Virgil Hadley, Greg May, Greg Barker. Sitting: Kenneth Hayes, Keith Allen, Doug Kircharr, James Donald, Wayne Nabors, Henry Harville, Joe Hadley.


The Key Club of Baldwin County High boasted a hard working membership of sixty. Among the many activities that Key Club took part in were holding a "Toys for Tots" drive at Christmas, conducting roadblocks for the Heart Fund, sponsoring a halloween spook house, and honoring teachers and Top Ten students at a special banquet.

This years Key Club members were: From left to right, Ist Row: Tom Anderson, Roger Harville, Russell Wallace (president), George Bryars (vice-president), Aldo Edwards (vice president), Dave Akridge (treasurer), Mike Barrow. 2nd Row: Richard Lee., Mike Wilson, Robert Owen, Greg Campbell, Jon Holland, Mack Shiver, Clay Bryars. 3rd Row: John Hobbs, Hal Jones, Steve Ryan, Barry Grimes, Tim Pimperl, Tony Hurst, Donnie Sims, Jeff Trawick, Daniel Gay. 4th Row: Tony Edwards, Tim Johnson, Jeff Barnes. Bobby Zarr, John Posey, Jyon Corbett, Billy Homa, Chuck Stewart, Chuck Diehl, Billy Womack. 5th Row: Michael Bryars, Marty Stewart, Andy Bailey, Steve Klasnich, David Fuller, David Trawick, Darren Newberry, Kevin Stewart. Bottom Left: Lovely Key Club Sweetheart Michelle Harville takes time out to grace our camera. Bottom Right: 197879 Favorites from left to right: Jody Hill, Michelle Harvill, Koko Carlisle. 2nd Row. left to right: Lisa Dickson, Brenda Allen, Kay Walker, Katrina Zarr, Tammy Jeffers.

## Key Club Unlocks the



## Secret to Success



Top Left: Mrs. Pat Hudson is presented with the award for Teacher of the Year by Key Club President Russell Wallace. Bottom Left: KISS member look alike Allen Carson shows some of his special talents as Favorite Koko Carlisle looks as if she's seen enough for the night at Key Club's Halloween Carnival. Bottom Right: Key Clubber "Ace" Andy Bailey clowns around with perspective favorites.


## Interact Moves On Up

1978-79 was a busy and tight scheduled year for Interact. They showed their charitable wills by sponsoring a Bay Minette Middle School Dance for future high school Interact members and collected $\$ 5,018$ for the Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy drive on Labor Day.

Despite the fact that Interact had to change sponsors mid-year, with Miss Sharon Harrelson taking over where Mrs. Pat Hudson left off, they made a smooth transition.

On April 6, 7, \& 8 at the Annual Convention at Gulf Shores our BCHS Interact members placed near the top over all with awards for Best Club, Officer of the Year (Michael McLain), Second in International Project and Second in Scrapbook

This year's favorites are from left to right: Lorrie Watts, Sweetheart Anne Stone, Pam Boan. Back Row: Lee Anne Bryars, Cathy Nabors. Lisa Shaw. Deborah Bell. Bottom Left: Interact Sweetheart Anne Stone worked unyieldingly during this year's activities. Center: Mr. Charles Pair. Interact sponsor, and Mr. L. C. Manry show their sense of humor while contributing their time to a worthy cause. Muscular Dystrophy, Bottom, Far Right. Corner: Kelly Powell. Johnny Perrett. Mark Deschaine and Sheldon Howard take a "breather" during a typical Interact meeting at City Hall.



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This years Interact members from left to right: First Row: Cathy Nabors, Tracy Newton. Second Row: Mitchell McLain, Jack Bush, Jeff Raley, Rusty Davidson. Mike Snowden. Third Row: Joel Bell, Russell Brantley, Lorrie Watts, Pam Boan, Michael McLain (president). Fourth Row: Ron Thompson, Mark Deschaine, Ricky Burgan, Johnny Perrett, Lee Anne Bryars, Anne Stone, Lisa Shaw, Shannon Howard, Wayne Nabors. Fifth Row: David Orem, Bruce Bankston. Kelly Powell, Earnie Ryan, Randy Grimes. Sixth Row: Perk Fendley, Scottie Dewberry, Allen Caprara, Tony Conway Seventh Row: Mike Steege, Bart Bell. Deborah Bell. Eighth Row: Jim Lyles, Sheldon Howard, Eddie Thompson, Keith McDill. Bottom Left: Interact members Keith McDill, Eddie Thompson, Allen Caprara and Favorite Cathy Nabors, listen in on during a weekly meeting. Bottom Right: Interact President Michael McLain goes over the agenda for the week.

## Honor Scholars Both Old and New

Baldwin County High School is blessed with a large amount of deserving students, many of which are inducted into the National Honor Society. This year twenty-four people were honored as new NHS members. A separate induction was held at the First Baptist Church for new officers.

The NHS at BCHS not only honors grade worthy students, but also carries on projects throughout the year. Their main project is selling ads for football games. They also sell Christmas carnations and attend state NHS conventions in Scottsboro, Alabama.


Old Members: First Row, left to right: Officers: Page Hayes, Vice-President; Lisa Dickson, Secretary: Russell Wallace. President: Beverly Reiben. Treasurer; Roger Harville, Reporter. Second Row: Holleye Green, Pam Boan, KoKo Carlisle, Michele Harvill. Billy Womack, Lee Anne Bryars. Tammy Jeffers, Joanne Durant. Third Row: Patricia Quinley, Tonya Roley. Tim Pimperl, George Bryars, Aldo Edwards, Donna Pruitt, Debra Fluker. Fourth Row: Melody White. Margaret Tyree, Charles Parker. David Brown, Mike Barrow, Steve Klasnich, Dave Ackridge, Sandra Peacock. Fifth Row: Cynthia Stevens, Allison McMillan, Eric Mosley, Eddie Thompson. Michael McLain, David Evens, Barbie Taylor. Sixth Row: Melissa Lee, Margaret Thomley, Steve Christenberry. Johnny Perrett, Kay Walker, Johnny Biggs, Anne Stone, Johnny Emmons. Middle Left: President Russell Wallce. Middle Right: Top Four: Mike Barrow, Sandra Peacock, Barbie Taylor, Anne Stone. Sponsors: Mrs. Vernie Biles, Mrs. Shirley Scott.



New Junior Members: First Row, left to right: Crystal Corley, Janet Chastang, Nancy Murray, Casey Davis, Kathy Milstead. Debbie Pau. Second Row, left to right: Marie Boan, Rhonda Demko, Anne Vernon, Crystal Mosley, Barb Smith, Michelle Long. Third Row, left to right: Michelle Vines, Mary Jane Thompson, Carol White, Jyon Corbett, David Mills. Steve McKissack. Fourth Row, left to right: Darlene Hall, Alisha Sanks. Tracy Brown, Barney McClelland. Jeff Trawich. Danny Quinley. New Senior Members: First Row, left to right: Vickie Kilcrease. David Fuller. Second Row, left to right: Daline Bell, Denise Lee and Connie Sibley. Bottom Right: Lisa Dickson and George Bryars admire their handywork of carnations to be sold for Christmas.


## Junior Civitan

During the 1978-79 year the BCHS Junior Civitan Club's membership grew from a respectable fifty members at the beginning of the year to an outstanding ninety members at the year's end. Among the club projects was raising money for the National Association of Retarded Citizens by sponsoring the Annual Dance-a-Thon.


Top Right Corner: Mrs. Linda Wright, Sponsor; smiles. Top Left: Officers for the 1978-79 school year are from left to right: Beverly Rieben - secretary, Anne Vernon - chaplain, George Blackmon - president, Page Hayes - treasurer. Bottom Right: George Blackmon is sworn in as District sergeant-atarms by District Governor Tommy Williams. Bottom Right: President George Blackmon pauses to flash u with one of his ever-popular smiles. Opposite Page, Top Right: Dance-a-thon partic ipants manage to "hang in there" during Junior Civitan's March 2 and 3 dance-a-thon. Center Left: "Destiny" supplies the music while non-dance-a-thoners try out their new steps.



The members of Junior Civitan for 1978-79 were from left to right: First Row: Karen Stiers, Yolanda Devine, Kim Hill, Scarlet Rider, Karen Price, Iris Peacock, Lee Ann Catrett, Anne Page. Second Row: Mrs. Linda Wright (sponsor), Alicia Blackmon, Beverly Rieben. Rhonda Wingate, Mike Wilson, Anne Vernon, Melissa Lee, Diane Stevens, Casey Davis, Sylvia, Diedtrich, Melanie Murchison, Hal Jones, Brenda Allen, George Blackmon, Stephanie Gordon. Third Row: Velma Lennox, Chuck Diehl, Mary Alice Hall, Kristi Johnson, Renee Allen, Patricia Quinley, Chuck Barton, Cheri Hinote, Linda Blount. Fourth Row: Kim Lancaster, Margaret Holcombe, Teresa Johnson, Sarah Davis, Debbie Paul, Lisa Scott, Wendy Coleman, Becky Catrett. Fifth Row: Renee Lyles, Terri Bell, Donna Carpenter, Sonya Tillman, Linda Flowers, Monica Langham, Crystal Mosley, Courtney Quina, Karen Powell, Lori Perkins, Michelle Vines. Sixth Row: David Hodgen, Robbie Roberts, Daniel Gay, Jimmy Rowel, David Peacock, Marty Stewart, Kevin Stewart, Eric Mosley, Eugen Conway, Vicki Hadley, DeAnna Corbett, Kim James, Kathy Wilson, James Stickrod.


Future Homemakers of America


Morning Heros

First Row: Sheila Moore, Ann Stewart, Sharon Gilberry, Vernice Bolden, Veronica Lamar, Sharon Williams, Donna Broughton. 2nd Row: Tammy Russell, Lori Smith, Martha Green, Renatta Thicklin, Lynetta Thomas, Tammy Wiggins, Lisa Williams. 3rd Row: Cheryl Horne, Vera McCants, Nathan Jones, Dianne Henry, Carolyn Gray.

Officers: First Row: Sharon Gilberry, President; Martha Green, Vice-President; Vernice Bolden, Photographer; Renatta Thicklin, Historian; Veronica Lamar, Reporter; Lynetta Thomas, Chaplain; Sharon Williams, Secretary; Tammy Wiggins, Historian.


## "Heros" of Tomorrow



## Afternoon Heros



First Row: Carol Bennett, Darlene Hall, Barbara Duck, Julie Wilson, Carolyn Deer, Lula Andrews, Sherry Bonner, Cathy Henry, Shirley French, Morna Judge, Stephanie Bonner, Daphne Gilberry, Brenda Roberts, Bess Stewart. 3rd Row: Mary Cooks, Pam Morrissette, Judy Butler, Brenda Fields, Linda Griffin, Rose Shoots, Tammy Gilliam, Debra Welch, Selma Mack. 4th Row: Cynthia Atchinson, Vickie Anderson, Margaret Ruffin, Rebecca Wright, Kathy Montgomery, Connie Hadley, Janet Sands, Sophia Rider, Donna Hurst, Rhonda Jones.

Officers: 1st Row: Julie Wilson, Reporter: Barbara Duck, Secretary; Carolyn Deer, Parliamentarian. 2nd Row: Deborah Hollis, Vice-President; Lisa Smith, President; Darlene Hall, Historian. 3rd Row: Carol Bennett, Photographer Daphne Gilberry, Historian; Sophia Rider, Chaplain.

## Working Together Future Farmers



## Morning F.F.A.

Working together, the morning and afternoon Future Farmers of America had an active year. Among the club's many undertakings were a Christmas Cheer program, a Toys for Tots for needy families, land and Nursery landscaping and livestock judging contests. At FFA District Convention the club placed first. Some members attended the state convention and several attended the international convention which was held in Missouri.


## of America Reach the Top



Afternoon F.F.A.


Opposite Page, Top: Hubert Williams, George Hulbert, Charles Williams, Ernest Fields, Nathan Taylor, Melvin Cooks, Lester James, Charles Bryant, Hubert Bradley, Terry Gandy, Don Long, Randall Dyess, Eddie Hooks, Mike Quinley, Mitchell Nye. Middle Row: Gayle White, Kim Martin, Rugh Daw, Latecia Cushion, Deby Perdins, Rebecca James, Melissa Durant, Robin Moorer, Louise Goins. Front Row: Byron Patterson, David Brown, Ed King, David Owens, Charles Parker. Bottom Right. Back Row: Kim Martin - Parlimentarian, Randall Dyess - President, Hurbert Williams -Vice-President, Mike Quinley - Committee Chairman, Louise Goins - Secretary. Front Row: Ruth Daw - Sentinal; Latecia Cushion Treasurer; Debbie Perkins - Sweet Heart: Rebecca James - Public Relations; Melissa Durant - Chaplain, Robin Moorer - Reporter. This Page, Top: Royce Lamb, Kal Brown. Bertice Powell, Mike Watkins, Aubrey Wilson, Ronnie Taylor, Aubrey Jackson, Charles Bramlett, David Langham. Middle Row: Tammy Lang, Joyce Overstreet, Marla Toler, Pam Stewart, Terri Joiner, Tammy Mosley. Bottom Row: Chris Smith, Bobby Brown, Donny Langham, Grey Quinley. Bottom Page, Back Row: Charles Bramlett-Reporter; Kal Brown - Vice-President; David Langham - President. Front Row: Tammy Long - Centenial, Pam Stewart - Secretary, Terri Joiner.

## F.B.L.A. - Meets Practical Needs

Future Business Leaders of America has striven to integrate into their program various speakers, projects and field trips so that they could learn more about the world of work. Several guests speakers were Mrs. Bonnie Harville of the Baldwin Times, Barbara Bryant of First Alabama Bank, Mrs. Terrie Beck of Faulkner State Junior College Business Department. The Club toured the local Dental-Ez facilities and also the new IBM facilities in Mobile. Persons from local businesses participated in mock interviews with the girls. State competitors from the club were Barbara Deer, Miss FBLA, Teresa Nickerson, Accounting II and Margaret Tyree, Accounting I.


Morning Members: Top Photo, Front Row: Denise Coleman, President; Margaret Tyree, Secretary-Treasurer; Barbara Deer, Reporter 2nd Row: Becky Davis, Lucy Hastings, Janet Powell, Margaret Thomley, Theresa Nickerson, Martha Roley, Pam Story, Brenda Dempsey, Daline Bell. 3rd Row: Kristi Johnson, Brenda Allen, Stephanie Gordon, Beverly Rieben, Kathy Hinson, Martha Stevens, Yolanda Lawson, Janice Stewart, Yolanda Jerkins, Deborah Mosley, Rachel King, Lynn Turner.

Afternoon Members: Bottom Photo, Back Row: Donna O'Gwynn, Reporter; Kay Smith, Secre-tary-Treasurer; Mary Jane Thompson, Angela Moorer, Janice Porter, Donna Sims, Tammy Keevan, Renee Williams, Anna Washington, Karen Williams, President; Janet Chastang, Vice-President. Middle Row: Tonya Brown, Debbie Whittington, Debbie Buck, Tracy Brown Vera York, Nancy Murray, Tina White, Audrey Joiner, Ora Caldwell. Front Row: Cathy Poston, Rosalind Hall, Regina Roley, Shannon Lindsey, Annette McReynolds, Maybell Peoples, Kathy Presley.



S.A.F.E.

Sponsored by Mrs. Eleanor Underwood the SAFE organization gives high school students a chance to decide if teaching is to be their occupation. It enables elementary teachers to take a rest from "their kids" of the first through fifth grades. High school students have a chance to test patience, skill and attitude.

SAFE's biggest project is the annual Valentine sucker sales. Admirers send secret messages to the sweethearts of their choice and of course, it really boosts the ego. This year's sucker sale was an overwhelming success. Officers Anne Stone (pres.), Lee Anne Byars (vice-pres.), Pam Boan (treas.), and Debbie Paul (sec.), were pleased.



Front Row, left to Right: Karen Price, Mrs. Eleanor Underwood, (sponsor), Pam Born, Debbie Paul, Anne Stone, Lee Anne Byars, JoAnne Durant, Katraina Zarr, Jody Hill, Dorine Smith. Second Row: Michelle Harville, Koko Carlisle, Patricia Stone, Margaret Holcombe, Margette Corbett, Robbie -, Pam McNeal, Debbie Allen, Dana Hurst, Dona Sims, - Hooks, Kathrine Trimm. Third Row: Jeannie Rabon, Carol Roberts, Lisa Fowler, Debra Bell, DeeAnne Deshiane, Jill Pereette, Karen Powell, Vicki Clemmons, Kim Hill, Kathy Wilson.

## Student Council



Student Council stood the test by sponsoring the Christmas Door Contest, The Winter Formal and all the many Homecoming Activities. They sponsored the "Tiger" at all the football games and have a scholarship awarded each year.

Student Council proved their abilities outstanding as always. This year their list of duties and projects were numerous, but they were accomplished successfully with help from officers Cynthia Stevens and Mitchell Sims, (Pres.); Casey Davis, (Vice-Pres.); Monica Burch, (Sec.); and Karen Price, (Treas.). Faculty Advisors Mrs. Imogene Robinson and Mrs. Linda Sims did much to help.

Front Row, right to left: Karen Price, Monica Burch, Cynthia Stevens, Mitchell Sims. Second Row: Jennie Smith, Patty Dielh, Deedee Davidson, Aliceson Bolen, Meri Brown, LeeAnne Catret, Lee Posey, Monica Langham, Iris Peacock, Courtey Quina, Dorine Smith, John Hobbs, Debra Fulker. Third Row: Virginia Butler, Drusilla Robins, Patricia Smith, Sam Gill, Wanda Skinner, Kathy Wilson, David Trawick, Cecil Banning, Shannom Kenderich, Mary Alice Hall.

Middle: Student Councils New Officers Casey Davis (pres.), Monica Burch, (Vice-Pres.) and Karen Price (sec.). Bottom: Homecoming Court on their float.

## Band Club "Turns the Beat Around"

On Club Day, the Band Club studied filmed footage of other band techniques. Our BCHS Tiger Band smoothed out their own sound and letter formations as a result of this.

1st Row, left to right: Kerry Brabner, Tony Edwards, Pam Gray, Chuck Diehl, Page Hayes. 2nd Row, left to right: Tessie Moorer, Angela Lamar, Sarah Davis, Kelly Robertson, Debra Johnson, Deadra Harvey, Cynthia Tunstall, Wanda Stevens, Velma Lennox, Teresa Johnson, Sandy Gray, Cathy Sanders, Mary Mims, Debra Robinson. 3rd Row, left to right: Mrs. Marion Murphy (sponsor), Sam Tuck, Jeff Reese, Tim Graham, Cecil Knox, John Hobbs, Stanley Chastang, Teresa Lane, Kay Newsom, Linda Funk, Sam Gill, Mr. Gary Bowles (sponsor). 4th Row, left to right: Greg Wallace, Jim Palmer, James Stickrod, Chuck Barton, Phillip Thompson, Robert Owen, Charles Brown, Larry Finch, Harry Bryars, Elskin Nye.


## Beethoven Music "Goes from Waltz to Disco"

This year's Beethoven Music Club had influences of Beethoven's "Fur Elise" combined with the Bee Gee's "Night Fever" to harmonize with their encounters with a variety of music styles.

1st Row, left to right: Joy Blackmon. 2nd Row, left to right: Michelle Vines, John Hobbs, Donna Stokes, Marie Boan, Chuck Barton. 3rd Row, left to right: Page Hayes, Mitchell Sims, Koko Carlisle, Lee Ann Burt, Roger Harville, Kay Walker. 4th Row, left to right: Pam Gray, Deborah Bell, Kerry Brabner, Lorrie Watts, Mack Shiver, Renee Liles, Chuck Diehl and Mike "Snowman" Snowden.


## Traffic Safety Steers Toward Better Driving

Traffic Safety a relatively new club at BCHS , accomplished a great deal. Among its activities were preparing an "Alcoholic Bulletin Board" for Driver's Ed. class, sponsoring a "Bike Rodeo" for the Elementary School, attending the Governor's Youth Traffic Safety Club meeting in Montgomery and painting the student/ teacher parking lot.

1st Row, left to right: Roland Blais, David Quinley, Billy Homa, Pat Blankenship, Raymond Williams, Jeannie Modispacher, Marlene Joiner. 2nd Row, left to right: Mr. Edward Fortner, Mr. Edward Bankster, Brenda Jackson, Angela York, Tina Hall, Lynn Morris, Jennifer Stickrod, Donna Pruett, Sandra Peacock, LaDonna Phillips, Rachel Dase, Beth Goram, Virginia Bracken, Treva Gregg, Ellen Pigg, Denise Vines, Mr. Wilbert Parnell. 3rd Row, left to right: Christi Fail, Cindy Peters, Carla Smith, Sonya Jones, Laura Scott, Anne Page, Vicki Jackson, Linda Blount, Kim James, Pam Kleinatland, Gail Thompson, Charlene McMillan, Cheryl Lewis, Iris Peacock.

## Psychology Club Analyzes the Human Mind



The Psychology Club, a fairly small club, discussed rather large subjects on Club Day. Visited by Mrs. Lois Hollingsworth from Faulkner State Junior College and Dr. Steve Scott, members gained pointers on "How to Keep Good Mental Health" and took part in preference tests.

1st Row, left to right: Mike Barrow, Gidget Stanley (president), Casey Davis, Mrs. Connie Cheshire (sponsor). 2nd Row, left to right: Aldo Edwards, Kay Walker, Tony Hurst, Allison McMillan. 3rd Row, left to right: Andy Bailey, Roger Harville, Jeff Trawick, David Fuller, Chris Hendrix, Thomas Lee, Dave Akridge, Russell Wallace, Donna Stokes, Tina Barnes, Pam Bealsey. Not Shown are: Crystal Corley and Beverly Roberts.

## Pen Pal Writes to Learn

This year the Pen Pal Club wrote letters to war-torn Korea and mysterious oriental Japan, in an attempt to break political issues and to try to find out what the people are really like.

Ist Row, left to right: Tammy Hall, Loree Hadley, Lee Taylor. 2nd Row, left to right: Judy Powell, Laurie Sheffield, Dana Powell, Nancy Smith, Ann Thompson sponsor.


## The Same Yesterday, Today, and Forever

The F.C.A., expressed their concern for their fellow classmates this year by hosting a revival and also sponsoring a "Crusade For Christ," with Sammy Hall and Charles McPheaters as the guest speakers.

The Officers of the F.C.A. for 78-79 are as follows: George Blackmon (President), Beverly Rieben (Vice-President), Kathy Milstid (Secretary-Treasurer), Alicia Blackmon \& Ann Vernon (Program Committee), Belinda Murchison (Chaplain), Joe Hendrickson, Charles McKinney, and MacArthur Tisdale (Advisor).


## Different Strokes for Different Folks



The Art Club consisted of talented young people who tried to improve their skills by competing against themselves as well as others in the annual art exhibit.

First Row, left to right: Mr. Ardee Robertson, Constance Williams, Tim Moore, Vera York, Tina Moore, Lewis Lee, Duyon My Ho, John Crowe, Donnie Baggett, Kevin Phillips, Angela Stewart, Angela Phillips, Chris Seales. Second Row, left to Right: Karen Walley, Janet Turner, Tim Norton, Sid Reed, Perry Dairson, Melanie Duck, Nevelyn Miller, Regina Vinson, Barry Mosley.

## Drama Club Strives for Perfection



The members of the ' 79 Drama Club worked to better their acting abilities through study and practice. During the later part of the year the members planned to give a play for the elementary students. So, get all their autographs. Who knows with the pretty faces in the picture you may be collecting something valuable.

First Row, left to right: Allison Bowlan, Angie Sullivan, Angela Hammond, Gwenn Stacey. Second Row: Kristi Deane, Dee Dee Davidson, Patty Diehl, Connie Hargus. Third Row: Donnie Sims.

## F.H.A. - Working For Their Family

The Future Homemakers of America worked to develope their capabilities to show that they care by spending time and making many things. They made dolls for the children, little presents for the elderly, and clothes for the less fortunate. By these projects the F.H.A. has helped to better the community as well as themselves.

Officers: Shirley English — President, Carolyn Williams - VicePresident, Michelle Porter - Secrtetary, Teresa Davis - Treasurer, Jeanetta Cox - Chaplain, Vanessa Clopton - Historian, Janice Benjamin - Program Chairman, Annette McReynolds - Sunshine Chairman; Joyce Crook - Social Chairman; F.H.A. sponsors are Mrs. June Bailey and Mrs. Ora Carroll.


## Yolanda Lawson - State Parlimentarian


"After attending a State F.H.A. meeting in Montevevallo, Alabama my greatest desire since Basic Homemaking was to become a State Officer.

I felt that if I could be a State Officer, then I could see the value and the help I would be to my chapter and to my school. I studied hard, learned the fundamental necessities to become an officer, and off to the state meeting I went with a determination to win.

To become a state officer, I had to write and say a speech in front of 2,400 people. and then be voted on. I became an F.H.A. State Officer on March 12, 1978, and really enjoyed the campaign because I met a lot of new faces."

## Checkers Is a National Pastime

Developing concentration to stay one move ahead of competition, the Checkers Club members strove to hear the words, "crown me."

1st Row, left to right: Karen Williams, Holly Green, Tracy Brown, Janice Walker, Nancy Murray, JoAnn Sharling. Shelia Cooper. 2nd Row, left to right: Myra Rodgers, Cynthia Gould, Michelle Long. Cheri Hinote, Terri Bell, Vicki Hadley, Megan Jones, Mary McMillian, Linda Flowers, Tammy Buxton, Eugene Stewart, Charles Pridgeon, Margaret Fields, Renee Lyles. LaDonna McCormick, Rene Colman. 3rd Row, left to right: Barb Smith, Kim Lancaster, David Peacock, Gene Miller, Kevin Schwartz, Tony Reid, David Mills, David Agerton.


## Outdoorsmen Learn About Nature

With approximately one hundred members, the Outdoorsman Club has grown to be one of the largest clubs on campus. Discussions with game wardons and techniques of turkey calling were part of the programs presented.

The Officers of the Outdoors Club for 78-79 are: Michael Wilson (President), Richard Lee (VicePresident), Diane Weaver (Secretary-Treasurer).



Actually, there has never been an annual staff quite like this one! Between Ms. Ponthier's nervous break downs, Mac Shiver's love songs, George Blackmon's promptness for deadlines, Cathy Nabor's temperamental (if focused) camera, Debra Fluker's VICA pages, Marty Stewart's scientific explanations, Gidget Stanley's fantastic job of raising her mom, (the ham and cheese crackers were great), Andy Bailey's delightful but continual upper lip, Carol White's shaving cream at workshop, Linda Blount's short shorts on work nights combined with Michelle Vineś adolescent innocence, Craig Catrett's, well that man is beyond any short description, and finally our beloved editor Steve "Halo Head" Christenberry, the ' 79 BALCOALA was finally bound together. To say the least, it was an experience.


Participants



Participants




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Davis, Sarah
Davis, Sherry Davis, Ward Davison, Perry Dean, Kristy Dean, Ray
Deschaine, Deanne

Dewberry. Scotty Diehl, Patty Duck, Melonie Emmons, Bobby Eubanks, Jay Fail, Christy Fields, Claudia

Fields, Donald Gandy, Sarah Garner. Jacquie Geck, Tommy Germany, Richard Gholston, Richard Gilbert, Janet

Givens, Gina
Goodwin, Marione Goodwin, Melanie Goodwin, Todd Gray, Sandy Green, Sara Gregg, Treva

Grimes, Danny
Hadley, Loree Hadley, Randy Hadley, Wanda Hale, Terry Hale, Mary Hall, Norris




## Three Cheers for the Freshmen

Milstead, Stoney Mims, Angela

Mims, Mary Mims, Willie

Mix, Loretta Mixon, Diana

Mixon, Michelle Madispacher, Gente

Montgomery, Troy Moore, Tom

Moorer, Jeffery
Moorer, Todd
Morgan, Samantha Mosley, Boyce
Mosley, Gary
Mosley, Mike
Nelson, Nathan

Newton, Tracy
Norton, Tim
Nye, Elskin
Orem, David
Overstreet, David
Owens, Teresa
Palmer, Virginia

Parker, Spencer Parker, Tommy Parmer, Jim Peacock, Iris Perkins, Neldon Perrett, Jill Phillips, Greg

Phillips, Kevin Phillips, La Donna Pierce, Thomas Pigg, Ellen Pitchford, Mike Porter, Sarah Poweli, Johnny


## Voicing Their Opinion



Stewart, Robin Stewart, Tina Stone, Patricia Stoudmire, Modell Sullivan, Angie Sullivan, Joel Syler, Kenneth

Szakats, Rae
Taylor, Debbie Taylor, Lee Taylor, Robert Taylor, Traci Thomas, Marilyn Thompson, Mike

Thompson, Jeannine Tillman, Tony Toler, Tom Trimm, Cathy Trawick, Jamie Tunstall, Cynthia Turner, Janet

Vines, Denise Vinson, Regina Wainwright, Terry Walley, Karen Weaver, Diane Welch, Charlene


## The "Ups" and "Downs"



Welch, Terry
Wessler, Kerry
White, Donald

White, Jimmy
White, Susan
Wiggins, Chris

Williams, Cindy
Williams, Constance Williams, Nannette

Williams, Patricia Williams, Raymond Williams, Timothy

Williams, Veronica Williams, Vincent Williams, Yolanda

Williamson, Steven
Wilson, Cathy
Wright, Curtis

Wright, Tony
York, Angela


There is a difficulty in being a middle child that remains unique to that individual. In effect, the Sophomores have been that child. Not old enough for class rings and no longer the new kid on the block, they have valiantly sought for unity and attained it.

Just as no man is an island, no class can stand alone on its own merit. The Sophomores are to be commended for being a strong link in the chain that leads to graduation.


Whats holding you up, pardner?


Anderson, Gloria Anderson. Richard Arnette. Darrell Baggett, Donnie Bailey. Gordon Banning. Cecil Barbarow. Shonna

Baric, Elaine Barnes. Tina Barnett, Monty Burnett. Jimmy Barton. Chuck Beasley. Pam Bell, Robert

Bell, Terri
Benton. Larry Benton, Lori Berchant, Mavis Betts, Barbara Biggs, Brenda Bishop Kathy

Blackman. Alicia
Blair. Tina Blais. Roland Blakinship. Pat Bochen, Carolyn Bonner, Sherri Boone. Angie

Bramlett. Charles Brantley. Jaye Brown, Neil Brown, Robert Brown, Sharon Brown. Thomas Bryant, Vanessa

Buckles. Connie Burch. Moncia Bush. Johnny Bussler, Guy Butler, Virginia Byrd. Patricia Byrd, Ricky

Carpenter, Donna Caton, Marty Catrett. Becky Catrett, Jean Catrett, LeAnne Chandler, Gary Clopton, Beverly

Cook, Ricky Corbett, Deanna Crenshaw, Connie Day, Kathy Deer, Carolyn Deschaine, Mark Devine. Yolanda

Dickens, Margaret Diehl. Charles Dietrich, Rita Eady, Tammy Ellis, Danny Emanuel, Ruth Ferrell, Charlene

Sophomores Say "If You've

Fields, Brenda Fincher, Jerry

Fleming, Brian Flowers, Linda

Fowler, Lisa Francis, Rusty

French, Sandra Funk, Linda Gay, Daniel Gholston, Michelle Gould, Cynthia Grace, Eliabeth Griffin, Ricky

Griffin, Wanda Hadley, Craig Hadley, Mary Hadley, Pauline Hadley, Tony Hadley, Vicky Hale, Terry

Hall, Tina
Hall, Thomas
Hamilton, Wanda Hammond, Keith Harris, Lisa Harvey, Deadra Harville, Rita

Hayles, Anita
Heaton, Connie
Hendrix, Chris
Hinso, Juanita
Hill, Kim
Hinoje, Cheri
Hodgen, David

Holcombe, Margaret Holly, Timmy Holman, Teresa Hooks, Shirley Jackson, Barbara Jackson, Vicki James, Kim

James, Rodney Jarrell, Tony Jenks, Geri
Jeffers, Keith
Johnson, Douglas




Got it - Flaunt it"


Johnson, Ken Johnson, Teresa Johnson, Tonya Joiner, Marlene Jones, Megan Jones, Sonya Kelly, David

Killcrease, Joy Killcrease, Judy Killcrease, Keith Killings, Marilyn King, Dan
King, Wade
Kleinatland, Pam

Lamp, Stacey Langham, David Langham, Monica Lathan, Angie Lee, Richard Lee, Thomas Lewis, Cheryl

Lingnau, Donna Long, Daryl Lyles, Renee Mahathy, Helen Martin, Linda Martin, Mark Marshall, Emma

Mathew, Jimmy McCryndle, Jimmy McDowell, Larry McGhee, David McLain, Michelle McMillian, Charlene McMillian, Mary


Sophomores Jog

McMillian, Rebecca Means, Viola Megan, Jamie Middleton, Lynette Minchew, Peggy Modispacher, Tony Moore, Bernadetta

Moorer, Curtis Moorer, Tessie Morgan, Angela Morris, Donna Morris, Lynn
Morrisette, Anthony Murchison, Melanie

Newberry, Darren
Newsom, Kay
Nickerson, Ethel
Odom, Tina
O'Gwynn, Mary
Overby, Rhonda
Owens, Johnny

Page, Ann
Palmer, Lisha
Patt, Linda Peacock, Allen Peak, Dave Perkins, Lorie Peters, Cindy

Phillips, Cynthia Phillips, Margaret Phillips, Marcus Phillips, Teresa Phillips, Tina Posey, Lee
Powell, Debbie

Pugh, Johnny
Quinley, David
Quinley, Greg

Quinley, Mike Rammer, Johnny Radford, Douglas

Reid, Keith
Rider, Eugene
Rider, Scarlett

Rider, Sohia Riley, Maurice Roberts, Carol


## At the Hop



Robbins, Drusilla Roberts, Jackie Robinson, David Roley, Angie Rowell, Jimmy Ruffin, Sharon Scott, Dennis

## Scott, Kenny

Scott, Laura
Sewell, Marilyn Shehan, Mary Shivers, Morna Shivers, David Sibley, Robin

Singleton, Curtis Singleton, James Sliwinski, Susan Smith, Carla Smith, Elaine Smith, Jeff Smith, Patricia

Spencer, Wanda Stacey, Gwenn Stacey, Rhonda Stanclif, Ricky Stapleton, Wilton Steele, Regina Stephens, Daniel


Stevens, Sharon
Stewart, Chuck Stewart, Danny Stewart, Kena Stewart, Lisa Stewart, Pat Stewart, Sheila

Stewart, Teresa Stewart, Willie Stiers, Karen Summerall, Sonya Tayor, Wendell Thomas, Rodney Thompson, Gail

Thompson, Phillip Thompson, Tammy Tidwell, Ben Tillman, Sonya Toler, Douglas Trawick, Sharon Tunstall, Doris

Turner, Randall Walker, Janice Ward, Ricky Wasdin, Andy Washington, Carla Washington, Gwen Watson, Emma



Webb, Andy
Weekley, Brian
Weeks, Eric
White, Ramona
Whittington, Becky
Wiggins, Glenda
Williams, Annette

Williams, Brian
Williams, Carl Williams, Charlotte Williams, Darlene Williams, Mary Williams, Mytice
Williams, Sammy

Williams, Vernae
Wilson, Rene
Wingate, Rhonda
Willard, Tracy
Wright, Rebecca
York, Vera
Zarr, Bobby




Class Officers, left to right: Michelle Vines - Vice-President, Marie Boan - President, La Donna McCormick - Secretary.

Juniors had a hot-rod of a year. They raced past seniors with a first place homecoming float, demolished sales records for the Talent Show, burnt the track up with a very successful Backwards Dance, and most important of all, they had a fun time doing it all.

## Juniors "Bustin’ Loose" With

Allen, David Anderson, Vickie Anglin, Ralph Bankster, Telesa Barnes, Janice Bell, Joel Betts, Barbara

Biggs, Becky Blackmon, Joy Blount. Linda Boan, Marie Brabner, Kerry Brantly, Russell Brock, Randy

Brooks, Jackie Brown, Janet Brown, Kyle Brown, Tracy Bryars, Norman Buck, Debbie Buck, Jeffrey

Burch, Monica Byrd, Sammy Carson, Brian Catrett, Craig Chastang, Janet Clopton, Angela Clopton, Regina

Coleman, David Coleman, Rene Cooper, Shelia Corbett. Jyon Corley, Crystal Cowser, Vinson Crook, Joyce

Crowe. Gordon Cushion. Laticia Davidson, Rusty Davis, Casey Davis, Ken Davis, Larry Davis, Randy

Demko, Rhonda Durant, Melissa Duck. Barbara Dyess, Randall Eddie, Tony Edwards. Tony Emmons, Steve

Engram. Myrtle Fields. Margaret Flemings, Brenda Fowler, Patricia French, Ann French, Shirley Galloway, Keith

Gill, Sam
Gilliam, Tammy Godwin, Michael Goins, Louise Gordon, Phylli Graham, Jim


1st Place Homecoming Float.


Gray, Pam Griffand, Linda Grimes. Barry Hadley, Connie Hadley, Keith Hall, Darlene Hall, Rosalyn

Hastings, Gloria Hayes, Kenneth Hayles, Ray
Hearn, Kelly Henry, Cathy Holland, John Hollis, Debra

Horne, Cheryl Hulbert, George Hurst, Donna Hutto, Hugh Irvin, Keith Jackson, Aubrey Jackson, Steve

James, Kenneth James, Rebecca Johnson, Gwen Johnson, Pam Johnson, Tim Joiner, Audrey Joiner, Terri

Jones, Hal
Jones, Rhonda Lambert, Matt Lee, Lewis Lee, Robert Lennox, Velma Lindsey, Shannon

Long, Mechelle Long, Tammy McCall, Rubie McClelland, Barney McCormick, LaDonna McKissack, Steve McLain, Kenneth

McLain. Mitchell McMillian, Eddie Macks, Selena Major, Scott Marshall, Calvin May, Bruce May, Greg

## Miller, Gene

Mills, David Milstid, Kathy
Mix, Faye
Moorer, Angela
Morris, Rusty
Mosley, Crystal

Murchinson, Belinda
Murray, Nancy
Murray, Steve
Nabors, Wayne
O'Gwen, Donna
Owens, Chuck
Owens, Mike

Terrific Talent Show.
Packer, Wanda Parker, Craig Parker, Kenneth Parker, Pat Paul, Debbie Peacock, Kurk Peacock, David

Perkins, Debby Plato, Robbie Porter, Kathy Posey, John Posten, Kathy Powell, Kelly Presley, Kathy

Presley, Paul Quinley, Danny Quinn, Stephanie Raley, Jeff Reed, Tony
Reynolds, John
Roberts, Beverly

Roberts, Brenda Roberts, Bobby Robinson, Roger Rogers, Myra Roley, Martha Roley, Regina Rowland, Ronald

Russell, Tammy Ryan, Steve Sanks, Alicia Sanks, Janet Scott, Adrian Scott, Lisa Schwartz, Kevin

Shaw, Jo
Shivers, Mack Silvers, Charlotte Sims, Ancil Sims, Donna Sims, Jimmy Singleton, James

Sledge, Georgette Smith, Barb Smith, Chris Smith, Kay Smith, Lisa Smith, Rusty Sprinkle, Mike

Sprinkle, Keith Stanley, Gidget Starling, Jo Ann Stewart, Pam Stinson, Michelle Thicklin, Renaita Thompson, Mary Jane

Toler, Marla Toler, Tom Trawick, Bill Trawick, Jeff Tuck, Sam Vernon, Anne Vines, Michelle



Wallce, Greg
Warren, Evelyn
Wasdin, Tony Welch, Debra
White, Betsy
White, Carol
White. Tina

Whittington, Debbie Williams, Hubert Williams, Karen Williams, Renee Wilson, Aubrey Wilson, Hildon Wilson, Julie

Wilson, Mike



Get ready! Get set! GO! The B.C.H.S. senior class officers are ready to race into the business world as they prepare to graduate. Above, left to right: Steve Christenberry, vice-president; Dorine Smith, vicepresdient; Yolanda Lawson, vice-president; Anna Stone, secretary; Perk Fendley, vice-president; Kathy Nabors, vice-president; Russell Wallace, vice-president; Michelle Harville, vice-president; and in the center sitting: Kevin Stewart, president.

Akridge, Dave Allen, Renee Baggett, Ricky Bateman, Audy

Bankster, Samuel Bankston, Bruce Barnes, Cathy Barrow, Michael

Bell, Charles Bell, Daline Bell, Deborah Benjamin, Janice

Bennett, Carol Biggs, Johnny Blackmon, George Boan, Pam

Boeschen, Tammy Bolden, Vernice Boone, Jeff Bradley, Hybert



Catrett, Joanne
Catrett, Frank Christenberry, Steve Clemmons, Vicki

Cooks, Melvin
Cooper, John
Coots, Robbie
Conway, Eugene

Conway, Tony Cox. Timothy Cox, Jeanetta Crowe, Reneé

Davis, Connie

Davis, Michael

Davis, Ronald

Deer, Barbara Dempsey, Brenda Diehl, Nancy Dickman, Mark



English, Shirley Evers, David Farrell, Larry
Farrell, Preston

Fields, Ernest Flowers, Don Fluker, Debra Fuller, David

Gatrey, Lawrence Gilland, Patty Goodlet, James Gordon, Stephanie

Gray, Sharon Grdjan, Lori
Green, Hollye Green, Martha

Griffin. Ray Hadley, Denise Hadley, Terry Hall, Edwin

Hall, James
Hargis, James Harvey, Kevan Harvill, Michele



Jeffers, Tammy Jerkins, Yolanda Johnson, Christi Jones, Jeffery

Jones, Patricia Joseph, Willie

Keeton, Marty King, Ed

King, Rachel

Kilcrease, Vicki
Klasnich, Steve
Knowles, Lisa
Lawson, Yolanda

Lee, Denise Lee, Melissa Liles, Owen Long, Darlene



Long, Ray

Lyles, Jim

Marshall, Robert Martin, Brenda Martin, Carol Mateikat, Johnny

McClellan, Randy McDill, Keith McLain, Michael McMillian, Allison

McReynolds, Annette Mims, Craig
Minchew, Ralph Moore, Anthony

Moore, Lisa
Moore, Shelia Moore, Maggie Lee Moore, Maggie Lynn

Moorer, Robin
Morgan, Sykenia
Morrison, Darlene
Mosley, Debra

Mosley, Eric Mosley, Tammy Myers, Dewayne Nabors, Cathy

Newsom, John

Nickerson, Theresa


Norman, Chris
Norton, Anthony Nye, Mitchell Owen, David

Owen, Robert Owens, Mitchell

Owens, Tommy Palmer, Norman



Parker, Charles
Parker, Tim

Patterson, Wilson Peacock, Sandra

Peacock, Trey Peak. Ula
Perrett, Johnny Pimperl, Tim

Phillips, Shelia Presley, Morris Propst, Dee Pruett, Donna

Pugh, Karen Quinley, Patricia Rabon, Jeanne Rider, Rebecca

Rider, Hannis
Rieben, Beverly
Roberts, Teresa
Roley, Tonya

Roye, Ken
Ruffin, Linda
Ryan, Ernie
Sanders, Darnell



Scott, Jo Jo
Seales, Chris
Shaw, Lisa
Sibley, Connie

Sims, Donnie
Sims, Mitchell Smith, Dorine Smith, Donald

Smith, Lorie
Smith, Melvin Smith, Nancy Smith, Ronnie

Smith, Todd
Snowden, Mike
Steege, Mike
Stevens, Cynthia

Stevens, Martha
Stevens, Kathy
Stevens, Vic
Stewart, Ann

Stewart, Janice
Stewart, Kevin
Stewart, Marty
Stone, Anne

Story, Pam

Stickrod, Jennifer

Stokes, Sheila

Taylor, Barbie




Taylor. Donna Thicklin. Renatta Thomley, Margaret Thompson, Eddie



Thompson, Lanette

Thompson. Malcom

Thompson, Vaughn

Turner, Lynn

Tyree, Margaret Vernor, David

Vines, Duane
Walker, Kay
Wallace, Russell
Washington, Joyce

Watkins, Michael Watson, Jo Anne Watts, Lorrie Wiggins, Tammy



Williams. Beverlv Williams, Dwight Williams, Dennis Williams, Herbert

York, George Zarr, Katrina Fendley, Perk Allen, Brenda


Williams, Lisa
Williams, Sharon Wilson, Rachael Womack, Billy


Left to Right:
MacDaniels, Gherlin: Asst. Principal
Williams, Wallace: Principal
Hardy, Shedrick: Asst. Principal
Nall, Byron: Vocational School Principal


## Administrators




Tisdale, MacArthur: Algebra, Pre-Algebra

Wright, Linda: English, Biblical Literature

## Carrol, Charles: History

Biles, Vernie: English


Robertson, Ardee: Art

## Weekley, Bobbie: Math

Pridgeon, Charles: History, Coach

## Robinson, Imogene: Business Math



Thompson, Ann: Math

## Fortner, Edwin: Drivers Education

Hendrix, Maxine: English

Robinson, Mary: History

Many teachers at Baldwin County High School gave much of their personal time to activities which were not salaried. For instance, Edwin Fortner, Wilbert Parnell, and Edward Bankster - sponsors of the Traffic Safety Club - aided the active members in painting the parking lot of the school. The senior play is always a success with the help of Linda Simms. Shirley Scott and Fran Pridgeon gave their time in typing and distributing tickets for the Junior-Senior Prom. During Homecoming, several of the teachers spent long hours helping the students build creative floats to be placed in the parade. Mrs. Linda Wright, in aiding her students, often gave up her recess and lunch to talk about problems, school related or otherwise. Pat Hudson contributed a lot of her time to help the Juniors in their various activities such as getting ready for the Talent Show by staying after school for performances and rehearsals. She also assisted the Junior Class in all the fund raising activities and meetings involved in the planning of the Jun-ior-Senior Prom. Ruth West and Benita Parnell organized the refreshments and refreshment tables for the prom. Mary Ann Robinson was Junior Civitan sponsor for one semester, and during that semester she contributed a great deal in helping the students. She also gave of her own personal time for many activities held outside of school time. Marion Murphy rehearsed with her choral students many hours after school. Garry Bowles spent many hours after school building pride in performance in band members. The evidence clearly indicated that his time was well spent. Charles McKinney held a morning devotion every morning for the students. Imogene Robinson and Linda Simms helped organize elections and they also helped with the Special Olympics and Homecoming. Vernie Biles and Shirley Scott spent many hours compiling grades for National Honor Society. George Price kept Key Club members on their toes by helping to co-ordinate road blocks, clean up the stadium after football games and by sponsoring dances. Wanda Ponthier involved in the election of Class Favorites which took time in counting the votes. She also spent a lot of her time helping to prepare the annual.
The teachers at Baldwin County High School have been exceedingly helpful and are greatly appreciated. Thanks to the teachers for their leadership, friendship and time.

Hayes, Emily:
Science, Biology
Langham, John:
Science
Glasgow, James:
Algebra, Geometry
Owen, Cheryl:
English


Dean, Betty:
History
Payne, Mariette:
Science
Bankster, Edward: Drivers Education

Tunnell, Adelle:
Title I Reading


Hudson, Patricia:
English
Stewart, Wray: History

Pridgeon, Fran:
Typing I, Business Math

Scott, Shirley:
Typing I, II


Price, George: History

West, Ruth:
Spanish, English
Stewart, Eugene: Biology

Hendrickson, Joe: Drivers Educaton, Coach


Cheshire, Connie: Algebra, Geometry

Parnell, Benita: English

Underwood, Eleanor: English

Hartner, Edward: Chemistry, Physics, Science


Bowles, Garry Band

Carroll, Ora: Home Economics

Carter, Annie: Library

Dees, Judy:
Resource Teacher


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- inspiring: they have been through it all!



Taylor, R. A.: Construction

Hoffren. Ted: Horticulture

Cormier, Ruth: Vocational School Secretary

King, Calvin: Welding

Harris, Charles:
Trowel Trades
Whitt, Janene: Child Care

The Area Vocational Center offered a great deal to the student this year. They prepared the student for life after school, for instance, before school began this year Ted Hoffren visited each student and their parents to explain what would be expected of that student. Joe Rushing set up interviews with industry for graduating students. Calvin King, like the others, helped the students find jobs and he also participated in fund raising projects, community services projects, and writing news for the radio and the newspaper. Catherine Long as Co-Sponsor of FBLA, attended several competition meets. Mrs. Cobb and Janene Whitt, sponsors of FHA, made toys for Talledga School of the Deaf, designed and distributed christmas cards to shut-ins. James Weekley, Electronics Instructor, attended all VICA meetings which were held after school and on weekends. David Alexander aided each individual in air conditioning and refrigeration on the jobs that the state had lined up for them. Teaching is more than class room lecturing!!!


Brown, Henry:
Maintenance
Henson, Kenneth:
Maintenance
Supervisor
James, Eliza:
Maid
Johnson, Violet:
Maid


Munnerlyn, Mattie: Maid

Middle Right:
Canteen: Conway,
Patricia; Munnerlyn Mattie; Waldrop, Ruth; Wallace,
Margaret
Top Right: Cafeteria Workers


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Mom, Ellen, Becky, and Rudy


Congratulations

From Daddy, Mama, Sammie, and Gloria


Congratulations, Lisa! May the Lord continue to bless you.
Love,
Dad, Mom, \& Trey


Congratulations, Robin! May the future hold the best of everything for you.

## Love you always,

Mom, Dad, Todd, \& Tammy


Congratulations, Debra! We are very proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Granny, \& Dad


To Jeanne, my first grandchild - I'm very proud of you and pray that you'll always come out on top when facing life's hardships.

With love, Grandma Long


We wish you the very best of luck in everything you do.

We love you, Dad, Mom, Jo, \& Chasity



## Dear Jeanne,

The most meaningful wish we could ever have for you is that you may someday have a daughter to give you as much pride and as many pleasures and blessing as you have given us.

We Love You,<br>Mama and Daddy



You are my sunshine.
Love Daddy


Pictured Above: Front Row, I. to r.: Tim Pimperl, Billy Womack, Michele Harvill, Marty Stewart, Tammy Jeffers, George Bryars, Katrina Zarr. Second Row, I. to r. Mike Barrow, Robert Owen, Kay Walker, KoKo Carlisle, Lisa Dickson, Aldo Edwards, Jody Hill, Roger Harville. Third Row, I. to r.: Donnie Sims, Wen Liles, Tony Hurst, Steve Klasnich, Robbie Coots, Dave Akridge, John Hobbs. Fourth Row, I. to r.: Russell Wallace, Kevin Stewart, Johnny Emmons, David Fuller.


## KEY CLUB SENIORS



John H. "Judge" White graduated from Baldwin County High School sixty years ago this year. He graduated valedictorian of the class of 1919. In 1953, Judge became the First District Administrator of the Alabama District of Key Club International. He worked to bring the district from a less than a hundred members in 1953 to thousands of members in 1979. Judge was the first of only three men from Alabama to be presented the coveted Key of Honor by Key Club International. He has served as Kiwanis adviser for the Baldwin County High School Key Club for twenty-six years. His influence has helped to shape the attitudes of thousands of young men. Members of the BCHS Key Club, past and present, would like to thank Judge for twenty-six years of unselfish dedication to the club and to wish him many more years of happiness with the club.

## INTERACT SENIORS

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Awards won at convention: Best Club
Officer of the Year -
Michael McLain
Second International Project
Second Scrapbook


Front Row, I. to r.: Pam Boan, Lorrie Watts, Anne Stone, Lee Anne Bryars, Cathy Nebors, Lisa Shaw, Deborah Bell. Second Row, I. to r.: Bruce Bankston, Eddie Thompson, Keith McDill, Jim Lyles, Tony Conway, Ricky Burgan, Michael McLain, Johnny Perett, Mike Snowden, Perk Fendley, Mike Steege, Sheldon Howard, Jack Bush.

## JUNIOR CIVITAN



SENIORS OF 1979


## ENSEMBLE SENIORS

B.C.H.S. thanks our Ensemble seniors for their excellent performances throughout the year.

Roland, You're the most special person in the world to me!
Best of luck Class of '79, many thanks to those closest to me and that very special someone
Perk, Best of luck in the future. Remember I Love You!
Lorie, Even though we have our ups and downs We'll always be friends
Cindy, I'll love and need you always
Best Friends. I Love You Both
Hannis, Thanks for the precious memories we have and the laughter we've shared
To the Seniors of '79, And so it goes
Beulah, We Love You!
Jo, Thanks for making my life so special! I Love You
Michael, Thanks for making my days here so bright
Karen, Thanks for being there, my friend
To all FCA members: Keep on for Christ
Bart, You're the sunshine of my life . . . Keep on shining
Perk and Nancy, To the cutest couple. Hope to be in the wedding!
Lisa Dickson, You're great!
Jo, Good Luck in the future
Mrs. Hudson, We couldn't have done it without you
Jody Hill - Remember this . . Thank you for being a $\qquad$
Ron, You've made my life so very special. I Love You Ron
Randy, Thanks for the best times
Thanks Granny, Mom, and Daddy. I Love You!
Seniors, Things won't be the same without you
Mon and Dad: I Love You
To all of my classmates of ' 79 ... I'm going to miss ya'll!
Shelly, Congratulations and best wishes in the future
Pam, You've been a great sister and I wish you the best of luck
Mr. Mac, People were starting to think we were having an affair Miss ya,

Love always, Cindy
Deb
Nancy
Love ya, Chuck
Roland
Katrina
Love ya, Rhonda
Ace Bailey
Anonymous
Sisters forever, Jean
Love, Jo Ann
Love, Terri
Beverly
Anọnymous
Love, Patty and Jill
I Love Ya, Katrina
Love, Craig
Juniors
Katrina
Karen
Love, Gidget
Debra Fluker
Good Luck, Juniors
Beverly Rieben
Katrina
Love, Mom and Dad
Love, Marie
Katrina

## Dorine Smith

Milton \& Martha Kay Jackson
Hugh \& Jane Dickson
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'79 Senior Check-out List


Well, after talking to practically every girl in P.E. and bringing up a new subject every time Jill came near, I finally decided to go ahead and ask the big question. When she got in the line next to mine I hesitated, but then resolved that now was the right time not after exercises that was for sure - to make my move.

## His Move . . . SOMETHING WE

What he envisions
"Jill, would you like, like to be lab partners in chemistry?" Right in the middle of my asking Jill, Dan, a good
P.E. buddy but a disgustingly habitual compulsive match-maker had called Donna over to him. Now I was in one of the toughest situations an individual could be

Maybe it is just a stage that all adolescents go through and outgrow, but man, being left alone with a really nice girl to make conversation is rough, complicated, and sometimes just simply awful. Before Coach McKinney had blown his whistle to signal the beginning of exercises, I not only had asked Jill to be lab partners but had clumsily invited myself over to her house hoping that in
a more relaxed atmosphere we could get to know one another more intimately.

Coming from a family of eleven and knowing the habits of parents while they work on taxes, I understood what Jill was saying when she explained why her house would not be good to study. Beginning to feel more comfortable, I offered my house as a place to study for a chemistry test on the upcoming Monday. Though I must admit I was hesitant, since my brothers and sisters are not the most angelic group, I said, "Well, Jill if not at your house how about mine, this Friday Night, and we'll make an evening of it."

Right when I thought I had things under control Jill wanted to go dancing. Of course, the rest of the expenditures would follow, like drinks to cool off, maybe a pizza afterwards, and the gas, GAS! Dad would have the Thunderbird out of town Friday: I'd have to use "Old Blue," my truck, I was caught between a rock and a hard spot, and I was being crushed. Besides the other complications, how could I spend money? I was in debt to Sam, my brother. All my money was in "Old Blue's" alterna-
tor, whick did not always work.

Soon I realized the seriousness of my plight. Sam had no more money to lend me and Old Blue's sick alternator was dead. After Jill and I had finished studying, I decided to change my approach, "Actually Jill, I don't want to go dancing tonight and I'm thrilled that we can be lab partners and we can study together, but really Jill,
you have a beautiful smile and I don't care so much about the other things, I just would like to be alone with you. How about some fresh air?"


Oh Bruce, Bruce, Bruce, he was all I had been able to think about day and night for two weeks, but other than chemistry class we had only gym class together and we were on separate sides of the gym, that is no way to build on a relationship. Soon it occurred to me that Donna, a close friend of mine, was exercising in a line next to Bruce's line, so I took the opportunity to switch lines and make my move to get to know Bruce better. With Donna near conversation would be less of a problem.

## ALL DO IN TIME . . . Her Move

What She Foresees


When he asked me to be his lab partner I nearly fainted. But my house would not be a good place to study until well after the first chemistry test. "Bruce, I'd love to be partners with you, but I have three little sisters who would be making racket in every room except the guest room and in there my father would be working on income tax returns.


I didn't want Bruce to get the wrong impression because I had to decline our first study date. Bruce was far too cute and I had come way too far to lose him now. I gave him my full compliance on his second offer, "Jr. Civitan is having a dance Friday night. Would you like to go dancing after we finish studying, Bruce?"


The thought that I might have gone overboard in my acceptance of Bruce's invitation tended to worry me at first, but I remembered that Bruce worked at Beasley's, as a matter of fact he sometimes even carried my mom's groceries to her car. It really didn't take me long to realize that my worries were in vain. Bruce is really a together guy in both chemistry and P.E. as well as other things.
"Oh, Bruce, you dashing devil. You had this planned all along didn't you." Boy, some guys sure do beat around the bush for a long time before they make their move. "You're so romantic Bruce. I'm sure that we'll learn a lot of chemistry together, Bootsy."


## "What do you think

 about student competency testing which would determine the type diploma a student received?""I believe that students should be tested in order for teachers to know in what area (s) to help each individual, but if teachers pass students in the required courses, I feel that literacy tests should not determine the type of diploma he or she receives. I also believe that this test should be only for the use of the school and that it should be destroyed upon the student's graduation.
I would also like to see a test of some kind given to teachers in order to see if they have the ability to instruct."

- Marty Stewart



## "With the current trends,

 in your opinion, what does the future hold for the traditional family?"The future will hold only true families. The culture and traditions of the past have mandated marriage for everyone, but a change is being witnessed. Persons are more free to choose their lifestyles - politically, economically, and socially. Women are working and encouraged to do so, to limit population. The economy demands two bread winners for an average family to purchase a home and educate two children. In the past children have been a financial asset. No more. Persons who have a family must be truly committed to each other."

- Katrina Zarr

"You are a Senior and have spent four years at BCHS. Upon graduation what do you think your thoughts will be?"
"Baldwin County High School will stay forever in my heart for its teachers who sometimes seemed to be too hard on me, but were only trying to teach me a thing or two. Leaving this school will bring tears to my eyes but the thought of going on to higher education brings joy. I plan to further my education at Tuskegee Institute, but I will always remember all the good times I had and all the friends that will forever be close."


## - Chris Seales

"Yes, in my opinion it does. At 18 you're legally an adult, so naturally you're going to have more freedom. Also you have more responsibilities and you get to handle them as you see fit, not as your parents tell you to. People began to trust and respect you as an adult. It's almost like starting out new. You get tomake your own decisions and decide for yourself what's right or wrong. The rest of your life is left up to you and you have the freedom to either destroy it or make it a success. The choice is yours."

## - Jeanne Rabon

## "Does reaching eigh-

 teen years of age give a person a more complete sense of individual freedom?"

## "Considering the

## BCHS student body as

 a whole, do you feel that
## you are accepted for

what you really are?"
"The students at BCHS accept me for what I am because I do not have to put on a front when I am around my friends or anyone else. I have learned from experience that just being yourself is what really counts. God made each of us different for a reason, so why should we try to change his creation just to be popular. Why not be different!!! We only have one life to live so why not live it being yourself instead of someone you're not. I am Alicia Blackmon and not anybody else and I am proud of it."

- Alicia Blackmon

"Where do you stand on the current question, rather debate, concerning teacher competency testing?"
"I feel that the teachers should take competency tests. If the students have to take the test the teachers should too. Some teachers don't know as much as they should know. Some do. We want to separate the ones that know from the ones that don't know. I also think it would be a good idea to have a group go around to the classes to see how well the teachers come across to the students. Some individuals that leave high school and don't know anything could be the result of poor teaching and not a lack of wanting to learn."
- Curtis Moorer


## "With the varying complexity of courses <br> in mind, what do you <br> think about the grading <br> system now in use?"

"I think that they should have a different way of finding your grade-point average. There should be a way of putting subjects in categories so that it would be fair to all. Some people take the easiest subjects so they can just breeze through school, while others take the more advanced classes and learn something while they are in school. The people who take the easier subjects usually have a higher grade-point average. It's not fair to the others who work hard for their grades to be below the one's who take the easier subjects."

- Renee Allen

Baldwin County High, enveloped in the heart of Bay Minette with its sheltering body, is enclosed in a veil of self-containment. Our high school is a little world within itself, complete with work, recreation, and hot news about campus and administrative activities.

Outside the Tiger world and beyond the classes, halls, and mall, the rest of the nation's and World's people are living. Typewriter keys, rushed to keep apace, fill newspaers, magazines, and books full with recordings of the people entwined in events which become history for the future to consume.

Today many persons, as individuals of every era shout, "simplicity, simplicity, simplicity," but in actuality, has the world ever presented a simple age? Henry David Thoreau, before the Civit War in a small New England village, conclubed that by no less than a complete break from the animating forces of the period could the basic, deliberate life be won.

Challenging a common modern judgement - we might influence others that the conditions of our time make life simpler than it was during our forefather's years. Flipping a switch for light is less complicated than buying oil, trimming wicks, lighting matches, and carrying an extermemly flammable fire hazard from room to room. Drawing water with a bucket and carrying it back into the house is more detailed than turning a faucet. Parking a car on a cold winter night and going directly inside the house is much simpler than taking care of an animal. The small family of today is easier to care for than the large ones of the past. Flying across the Atlantic Ocean is less perplexing than being blown across in a sailboat. $\qquad$
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any fellowship existing between person.
At one time the classic nuclear family provided an individual with economic strength, security, education, and recreation. The family provided safety and consolation. It provided a complete enviroment for growth. We were born in a world of closeness with much caring and uncritical acceptance. The tender feelings surroundng us were so omnipresent that in our young consciousness the miracle of our beginning was lost, and the peace of our lives was taken for granted. A great misfortune it is for one to continue in such ignorance once we realize the pricelessness of true fellowship with our family.

A daring proposition is before us that will hopefully be used in considering the atomized, depersonalized societal patterns that many scientists claim await us. When you are with a person in or outside of school, whether there is a blood relationship or not, search for commonness in spirit. Who is he/she? What do you enjoy sharing? How do you feel in their presence? What brings you together? If you could appropriately express your thoughts and the occassion would allow, what would you want to express? The closeness in which we were born is brought back to consciousness every time you reach for it with trust. New possibilities arise each time a once formal relationship to teachers, coaches, counselors, librarians, administrators, and peers is given a chance to bloom. Is not being accepted for one's real nature actually what has brought us to where we are, and could accepting others on the same basis be what total living is about?



