

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

Girls' Fashion Show

On Tuesday, December 1, the girls were presented with a fall fashion show. The speaker was Miss Sharon O'Brien, from the Simplicity Pattern Company.

The title was "The Fashion Game."

The models showed their new fall fashions; they were chosen very carefully from the students with the best posture, from the sewing classes.

The models were, Linda Alford, Carolyn Ashworth, Lois Bibbs, Janet Blencoe, Louise Burton, Gwendolyn Cammeron, Marlene Chaimberlain, Charlotte Chapman, Linda Clark, Catherine Coppinger, Darlene Duncan, Hollie Gadberry, Janet Garrod, Mickie Grant, Thelma Hichenova, Audrey Hoffman, Connie Hughes.

Also modeling were Joanne Judy, Conne Kennepohl, Celia Leonard, Lilian Llado, Pam Martinez, Paula Miller, Sandi Olson, Debbie Parsons, Marlene Pruitt, Sheila Rogers, Janet Scharf, and Ruth Wallet.

Assisting the show were Mrs. Anderson and Miss Aine, who were the stage directors, and Mrs. Gould from the sewing classes helped to train the models. The show was sponsored by the Simplicity Pattern Company.

Ten Top Tunes

1. I'm a Loser
2. Mountain of Love
3. She's a Woman
4. Come See About Me
5. Sugar and Spice
6. Whenever a Teenager Cries
7. Run, Run, Run
8. Two Many Fish in the Sea
9. I Feel Fine
10. Needle in a Haystack



Modern Dance Creates 'Christmas in Jazz'

On December 17, the girls in the GAC Modern Dance presented "X Christmas in Jazz" at a lunchtime assembly.

They danced to six jazz records and 33 girls participated. They are as follows: Robin Yamamoto, Chris Epperheimer, Holly Gadberry, Bobbie Johnson, Candy Cochran, Debbie Parson, Diane Fisher, Darlene Duncan.

Also Patsy Nielson, Kathy Reeder, Wendy Biggs, Janet Garrod, JoAnne McHale, Monica Dains, Janet Donaher, Linda Clark, Barbara Lamb, Nancy Higgins, Linda Hattenbuhler, Jeanine Sias, and Mickey Jones.

Participating also, were Patti MacKay, Janice Yost, Susan Johnson, Marty Lehr, Linda Graham, Janet Blencow, Dana Berry, Denise Denning, Kathy O'Keefe, and Diane Person.

Wife to husband on the way to a concert: "For your information Beethovens fifth is not something that comes from a bottle."

Christmas Program

"Christmas Has Come to Our School" is the theme for this year's Christmas program directed by Mrs. Newsom. This will be held in the auditorium on December 18 during third period.

The Unhappy Santa is the title of the play which will be presented to us by the Drama I class instructed by Mr. Head. The main characters are as follows: Tim McDuffy as Santa, Vickie Steinbach as Jane, and Steve Benefiel as Billy.

Selected songs will be played by the band under the direction of Mr. Sherman. They will play *The Spirit of Christmas*, *Jolly Ol' St. Nicholas*, *Good King Weneslas*, *Coventry Carol*, *Away in the Manger*, *Pat-A-Pan*, and *Joy to the World*.

The Girls' Glee and the Modern Dance class will together present "*T'was the Night Before Christmas* and *All Through the House*."

A hundred voice choir will be singing Christmas songs such as *Jingle Bells*, *We Wish You a Merry Christmas*, *Silent Night*, *Deck the Halls*, and many others.

Christmas at Fleming

Christmas will be celebrated at Fleming in several ways. We are planning a big Christmas Program to be held the 18 of December. The drama and music classes will present a combined program.

The glee clubs caroled in the halls on the 17th which heightened everyone's spirits.

The Christmas tree that decorated the main entrance is one of the most beautiful we have ever had. The Agriculture and Art departments worked together to make the decorations on the tree and to assemble it.

Merit Award Assembly

With a speech from our principal, Mr. Junke, and the flag salute, the merit award assembly was underway during third period on November 30. This assembly was for those with no "D's" or "U's".

Mr. Junke presented trophies to Karlin Wong for building the winning car model, and to our school.

A representative from Fisher Body Craftsmen Guild Corporation gave a speech about creativity. While he was talking he showed slides on people who have created such things as: music, art, cars, etc. He showed us different cars of the future. He also did an experiment showing that aluminum would melt and graphite wouldn't. We were then presented with a movie entitled, "Proving Ground."

Special Birthdays

Special birthday wishes go to two students who were born on the 25th of December, Christmas day. They are Debbie Medina and Robert Yates.

Don Dahm.....	Dec. 5, 1951
Vencent Freiner.....	Dec. 8, 1951
Becky Gull.....	Dec. 9, 1950
Sam Gerbert.....	Dec. 11, 1950
Robert Erickson.....	Dec. 14, 1950
Janice Blackman.....	Dec. 18, 1950
Connie Fingler.....	Dec. 18, 1952
Paul Cable.....	Dec. 19, 1949
Carmen DeCosta.....	Dec. 22, 1951
Vickie Casas.....	Dec. 28, 1950
Kim English.....	Dec. 29, 1952
Jimmy Aldrige.....	Dec. 30, 1949

After School Sports

MAJORS

TEAM	W	L
Bears	4	1
Lions	4	1
Rams	1	4
49ers	1	4

MINORS

TEAM	W	L	T
Bears	3	1	0
Lions	2	1	1
Rams	1	2	1
49ers	1	3	0

Sometimes

Sometimes, when your feeling important:

Sometimes, when your ego's in bloom:

Sometimes, when you take it for granted, your the best qualified in the room.

Sometimes, when you think that going,

Would leave an unfillable hole,
Just follow this simple instruction
And see how it humbles your soul:

Take a bucket and fill it with water
Put your hand in it up to your wrist
Pull your hand out and the hole
that's remaining

Is the measure of how you'll be missed:

You may splash all you want when you enter

You can stir up the water galore
But—be still in a minute and you'll
find it's the same as before.

Now the moral to this quaint example,

Is do just the best that you can
Be proud of your self but remember
There is no indispensable man.

Leadership Class Very Active

The Leadership classes made a great step forward pertaining to clean-campus. Friday after school and Saturday afternoon both Upper and Lower Division Leadership classes painted the shabby looking trash cans to a nice looking blue with white lettering that says: "Keep Our Campus Clean." All-right Crusaders, leadership has done their part so let's do ours.

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Leadership, both classes, took their second trip of the semester last week. They toured the campus of California Institute of Technology, visited some of the laboratories and ate lunch at the university cafeteria.



Mr. Hirayama

Teacher of the Month

Mr. Hirayama is our teacher of the month this issue. He presently teaches horticulture and math, and has been teaching here for over two years.

Madison Junior High School previously had the honor of his teaching before he joined our staff at Fleming. Mr. Hirayama graduated from California State Polytechnical College. He received a Bachelor of Science degree and a Master of Arts from that institution.

For hobbies, Mr. Hirayama enjoys fishing and eating what he catches. His very favorite food happens to be any type of sea food.

He stated that he enjoys teaching horticulture very much and he feels that the boys are very cooperative and willing to work hard and to learn.

Flower arranging is a class he would like to teach to girls in the future, if enough girls would be interested in taking the class.

It is pertinent to notice at this time that after only one semester of his teaching horticulture at Fleming, our school won fifth place in the city-wide contest among the schools.

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One worker to another, deciphering tape from a computer machine: "It wants Saturdays off."

Seventh Graders Assemble

Seventh graders were assembled last week to hear a safety program presented by the Los Angeles City Police Department.

Officer Parker told the students many interesting and amazing facts about accidents involving bicycles and pedestrians. He related a statistic which should make students and parents think: out of 95 bicycle accidents last year, 90 of them were involving seventh graders.

Officer Parker also stated that most of the accidents were not really accidents. They could have been prevented by simple forethought and preventitive maintenance.

Rick Boehm, Patti Fugi and Dennis Weathrick helped illustrate the reaction time to the students.

One interesting illustration that he made had to do with force. Officer Parker said that a car traveling 35 miles an hour which hits a person has the same force of a car that is pushed off a four story building and lands on someone.

Boy of the Month

This month our feature personality is Donald Hartlieb. Donald is in the B8. He has brown eyes and brown hair.

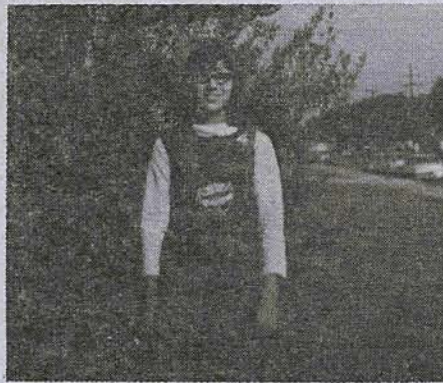
When Donald watches television he likes to watch "Surf's Up". His favorite record is "Something Good" and his favorite pasttime is girls. Some of his other favorites are: food, pizza; sport, surfing; hobby, saving money; teacher, Miss Anderson; and his favorite subject is history.

When Donald graduates he plans to become a photographer. Donald has many friends but he says his best friend is Gary Hornbeck.

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Q. Why do psychiatrists' make so much money?

A. They get to keep the change they find in the couch.



Loretta Jimenez

Girl of the Month

Loretta Jimenez was chosen as Fleming's Girl of the Month. Loretta stands five feet and one inch and has lovely dark brown hair. To match her hair she has beautiful big brown eyes. She is now in the B8, 13 years of age and was born August 10, 1951.

Loretta is not particular about who she gets for a teacher because she likes them all. Although she has no favorite teacher she does have a certain like for English and science.

The TV show that appeals to her this season is "Shin Dig." Her favorite band is the "D.C. 5". To fill her she likes to eat steaks that are medium done and pizzas. Her favorite colors are blue and green because they flatter her.

Loretta has held a "B" average since the seventh grade and is now in Archers.

Birthdays

Jim Berry.....	October 2
Eddie Ortiz.....	October 4
Charolette Brumick.....	October 6
Alice Betancourt.....	October 7
Vicky Alvarez.....	October 10
Trudy Bolin.....	October 14
Diana Smedes.....	October 16
Brenda Barnes.....	October 19
Diane Trujillo.....	October 21
Wendy Briggs.....	October 26
Ralph Riffle.....	October 28
Carolyn Ashworth.....	October 29

Song Dedications

Linda to Larry — Something Good
 Gary to Vicki — Love Me Do
 Larry G. to Mackie H. — We're Gonna Love Again
 Colleen to Steve — Come See About Me
 Carla to Steve T. — Let It Be Me
 Melody to Ricky S. — Baby I Need Your Lovin'
 Janet to Greg P. — He's Sure the Boy I Love
 Debbie to Ronnie — I Can't Stop Lovin' You
 Cindy to Norm — This Love Of Mine
 Rita to Phil — How Do You Do It
 Elvia to Mike — Is It True
 Peddie H. to Josie M. — Go Away Little Girl
 Phillip to Pam — Do The Jerk
 Dennis to Rossan — Sugar and Spice
 Janice to Steve — How Sweet It Is

Scholarship Trip

Every semester Scholarship takes a trip for both fun and education. This time it was to the Los Angeles County Aboritum.

The Lower Division went on November 23, the Upper Division on December 8. Both groups left at 9:00 and returned at 2:00. The Lower Division was supervised by Mr. Mohle and Miss Hoffman. The Upper Division by Mr. Henderson and Mrs. Owens.

They spent about an hour at the aboritum and another hour at a park where they ate their lunches. The remainder of the time was spent riding on the bus.

A total of 74 people went, 38 Lower Division members, 36 Upper Division members.

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How do you get an elephant off a tree?

Put him on a leaf and wait 'til Autumn.

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Did you hear about the near-sighted turtle who fell in love with an army helmet.

Nomination Assembly

On Thursday, December 9th, a Nomination Assembly was held for all candidates running for office.

Running for Student Body President was Don Griffin and Marty Lehr.

The boys running for Boys' Vice President were Pat McDowell and Mike Schultz.

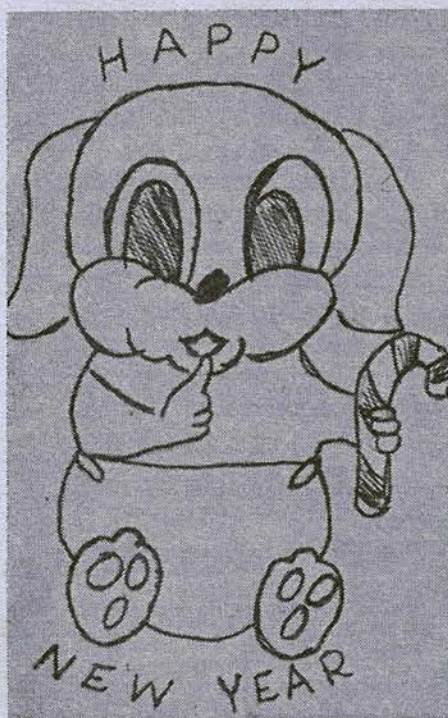
For Girls' Vice President Carol Lopez and Yvonne Wathen are the candidates.

Four girls were competing for Secretary, they were Paula Christenson, Sharon Mathews, Marlene Pruett and Catherine Wilson.

A lot more people were running for Treasurer; more than any other office, they were Nancy Higgins, Dennis Donald, and Angie Nicopoulos, also Wendy Petty, Peter Rothe, Tom Trefethern, Pat Wilson, Chenny Wong and Steve McAdow.

Final Football Standings

MINORS	W	L	T
Bears	9	3	0
Lions	7	4	1
Rams	3	7	2
49ers	3	8	1



New Members In Gym Club

Gym Club has now resumed its regular schedule. The two instructors, Mr. Gilson and Mr. Olson, met on Tuesday after school. They meet with the boys in Gym Club for one hour after school. Gym Club meets at approximately 3 p.m. and finishes up at 4 p.m.

The members of Gym Club are as follows: Joe Penn, John Moore, Kirk Lund, Keith Diffee, Larrie Mann, John Wells, John Sabella, Larry Lamper, Wayne Kiyokane, Greg Patrick, Dan Wagester, Mario Ferguson, Mark Snyder, Vic Lansen, Mike Dillon, Mike Watanabe, Tom Matthewson, Earl Russel, Lee Rivers, Ed MaGar, Reggie Jones, Steve Keller, Dan Sanders, and Eric Zobriskey.

Athletic Events

On December 4, the schools athletic events were started. There are six different events that will be held at the boys' athletic field and in the gym.

The contests that are held every year will be the punt and pass contest which has already been held, the basket per. minute contest, the dive roll contest, the bar snap contest, and the rope contest, which will be held in the gym along with the dive roll contest.

So far the winners of the punt and pass contest are Lynn Huges and Pat McDowell.



Fleming Bowl Success

by James Eakin

On Wednesday, November 25, the annual Fleming Football Carnival was held. The B9 versus A9 game was held on the girls' athletic field, while the B8 versus A8 and the B7 versus A7 were held on the boys' athletic field.

The victorious teams were A9 over the B9, 13-0; A8 over the B8, 21-2; and B7 over A7, 30-12. Outstanding players on the A9 team were Larry Bailey, Bobby Bump and Wayne Kiyokane, and outstanding players on the B9 team were Roger Scott and Carl Valliere. The B9s believe their defeat was due to the fact that the opposing team was bigger and heavier.

Also, Daniel Wagester, Larry Buchanan and Kenny Weems proved outstanding for the A8s, with Darrell Imoe and Chuck Chant doing their best for the B8s. The A7s had Mike Graham, Steve Cannon and Craig Tarado going strong for them, while the B7s had Tim Lopez and Mike Bibbs on their team, who did a fine job for the underdogs.

All rooting sections were well organized, but the outstanding A9 and B9 sections deserve special mention and congratulations on a fine job.

Housewife to friend: "For our anniversary he gave me some albums of mood music—"Music to Iron By" . . . "Music to Wash By" . . . "Music to Scrub By" . . .