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ST. CASIMIR HIGH SCHOOL

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Congratulations
Class of 1965
—Faculty and
Students



Evalyn Mason



Wayne Parker

Mason, Parker Take Top Scholastic Posts

Evalyn Mason merited valedictorian honors with her 3.2 average while Wayne Parker's average of 3.1 gave him the salutatorian title.

Evalyn has been an active member of SCH for the last four years. She was librarian assistant for three years and is presently the senior class social chairman. Comprising her extra-curricular activities are the glee club, the civics club, vacs and the school paper.

For her outstanding leadership ability Evalyn has received an Olympic Leadership Trophy as a grand climax to the Gabriel Richard Leadership course in which she participated.

After graduation Evalyn will attend Carnegie Institute where she will train for a career as a medical assistant.

Wayne has held class offices for three years. During his freshman and sophomore years he was class vice-president and is presently senior class vice-president. The Civics club and the choral club have claimed much of Wayne's time.

A three-year honor student Wayne also claims a 4-year perfect attendance record. In September Wayne will attend Wayne State University where he hopes to earn a degree in electronic engineering.

The top ten scholars of the class of 1965 include Carolyn Dillion and Michele Sherman

who tied for third place. Both girls plan to secure jobs to pay for further training, Michele as a beautician, Carolyn as an I.B.M. operator.

Sharon Kampis, who placed fourth also plans to train as an I.B.M. and Key punch operator at DBI.

Office employment is in the immediate future for Georgia Sherman, Barbara Durina, Rita Cwynar and Jean Sherman who hold the fifth through eighth slots.

Barbara Cieluk, ninth, is already enrolled at Carnegie Institute to study for a post as a medical assistant. Theresa Reynolds, tenth-place holder, hopes to become an airline stewardess.

Formal Prom Held At Jeri's

Highlighting the year's activities at SCH was the Junior-Senior Prom "Moon River" held May 13. Jeri's, located on Woodward and Seven-Mile played host to the 32 couples attending the formal affair.

At the prom, which took place from 8 to 1 a.m., the upperclassmen showed their devotion to Mary by singing her praises and presenting her with a delicate blue and white corsage.

"Vyto and the Royal Aristocrats," a four piece band, supplied the music for the memorable occasion.

Graduation Exercises To Climax Weeks of Preparation, Activities

The 36 members of the graduating class of 1965 will participate in commencement exercises in the parish church, June 13, at the 10 o'clock Mass.

Rev. Joseph Karasiewicz, Pastor, will celebrate a solemn High Mass, benediction, and distribute the diplomas. The guest speaker for the occasion will be Rev. Bogdan Kosicki, chaplain of St. Francis Hospital.

Senior Day

On May 23, the seniors attended the Annual Senior Day at the U of D Memorial Building. Father Karasiewicz serv-

ed as sub-deacon at Benediction and Kathi Jamroz led the group of some 5000 graduates in the pledge to the flag.

Because of the tremendous number of graduates from the Archdiocese of Detroit this year, the program was separated into two sessions.

His Excellency, Auxiliary Bishop of Detroit, John A. Donovan addressed the assembly, emphasizing the importance of accepting responsibility and courage for success in any state of life.

After a Pledge to our Country and a Pledge to our Church, the Seniors of 1965

dedicated themselves to the Sacred Heart.

Commencement Week

The week which preceded graduation was devoted to programs prepared by underclassmen to honor the Class of '65. During this week the seniors were fully arrayed in togas.

Farewell Dance

"Till We Meet Again" was the title chosen for the Senior Farewell Dance. It was held Tuesday afternoon, June 8.

Awards Night

At the Awards Night Assembly, Wayne Parker will deliver his Salutatory speech, welcoming the group and Evalyn Mason, Valedictorian, will express the gratitude of the seniors in her discourse. Under the supervision of Sister M. Doloretta, the Choral Club will present a program of musical selections.

Reverend Joseph Karasiewicz distribute the awards merited throughout the year. The awards will include those for leadership, scholarship and student service.

Highest Honor Students Named

As the 1964-65 school year comes to a close, a re cap of scholastic achievements and averages show that girls hold the top slots.

Three juniors merited the Honor Certificate this year. A total of 210, 201, and 196 (points for three years) are held by Tom Wozniak, Christine Curylo and Pat Klees respectively.

The Sophomores have two recipients of the annual Honor Award. Charles Bender has a total of 131 points for his two years at SCH while Casey Sobczak follows with a close 127.

Sofia Huron, Joynaba Khan, and Betty Klees merited the honor awards this year. Sofia has 51 points; Joy, 53; Betty 50.

The honor students will receive their awards at the Awards night assembly.

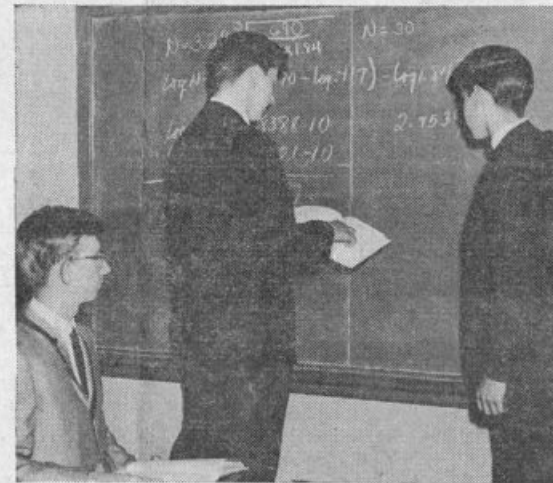
DeWitt Hendricks, journalism instructor at U-D, and Mr. Floyd Kucharski, former editor of the *Varsity News* and journalism teacher at Northeastern High School.

Music Institute

Freshmen Joy Khan, Conrad Tarnacki and John Indyk will participate in Wayne State University's Summer Music Program. The program includes experiences in band, choir orchestra and classes in music theory.

The Summer Music Program is open to all high school students including those who will be freshmen in the fall of 1965.

Summer Courses Draw Schers



Working with logs appears to be easy for aspiring summer students Richard Curylo (L) and David Jatzcak, while Tom Wozniak dictates.

By Chris Curylo

Richard Curylo, David Jatzcak and Tom Wozniak, juniors, will attend summer courses in science and math under grants from the National Science Foundation. These institutes, conducted in colleges and universities throughout the United States, are designed to extend and enrich a student's experience in the fields of math or science by exposing him to material not found in an average high school course.

Richard Curylo will attend Purdue University in Lafayette, Indiana, from June 21 to August 13. Here he will be given a course in elementary number theory, linear algebra and in the programming of a digital computer.

The University of Michigan will host a summer institute in math from June 28 to August 7. David Jatzcak will attend the Ann Arbor college where he will become acquainted with group theory and probability.

Tom Wozniak will study chemistry at Manchester College in Indiana from June 14 to July 31. Here Tom will learn just what is expected and demanded of a chemist. This well-organized program consists of both laboratory and lecture sessions which are designed to teach through experimentation as well as instruction.

Tom, David and Richard were chosen for admission and scholarships on the basis of potential ability in their corresponding subjects, their scholastic achievements and by special written recommendations from Sister M. Joachim, science and math teacher.

Journalism Workshop

Sophomore Charles Bender and Freshmen Sophia Huron, Joynaba Khan, Betty Ann Klees, Kathleen Gruba and John Indyk will attend a two-week summer workshop in journalism at U of D. Here, they will be taught the fundamentals of newspaper writing, reporting and layout. The program will be headed by Mr.

Casimir Clippings

Pat Szewczyk and Richard Sonier were selected as the new Junior Round Table delegates replacing Michele Sherman and Gregory Osowski who will be leaving upon graduation. Pat and Richard attended their first meeting on May 5 where all activities centered upon elections of officers for the up-coming year.

Senior Wayne Parker attended a workshop and became an honorary member of the American Society of Tool and Manufacturing Engineers (ASTME) May 13 at the University of Detroit. Wayne qualified for the privilege because of his intention to pursue an engineering course at Wayne State. The purpose of the meeting was to focus attention on the growing need of technicians and engineers in various fields.

Juniors Larry Weiss and Richard Sonier attended the annual Junior Day at U. of D. May 15. The program consisted of a campus tour and several lecture sessions based on college life and subjects.

Students Cite Class Highlights

As the school year comes to an end, perhaps it would be interesting to glance back over significant classroom activities, and see just what each group has accomplished.

Who can forget the traditional "stinky" experiment of the junior and senior chemistry students, who, under the guidance of Sister M. Joachim, proceeded to fumigate the school with "The Preparation of H₂S." Their new chemistry books, periodic tables, and a very competent teacher served to make the class interesting as well as educational.

To the senior sociology class was added an appropriate paperback, "Cana Is Forever" by Rev. Doyle. This book was quite in keeping with the theme of the class, as its main concern is the relationship between boys and girls, going steady, engagement and marriage.

The Drafting II students were in for a big surprise when, under the supervision of Sister M. Corinne, they had to draw up their own original floor plans for their dream homes.

After one semester of American Government, under the guidance of Sister M. Euphemia, the seniors can now tell you most of the rights of each individual as an American citizen. As a second semester course, world problems are now their main discussion topics.

English IV students were introduced to one of Shakespeare's favorite plays, Macbeth. In addition, they have also read "Rebecca" and "The Scarlet Letter."

The girls of Shorthand II have increased their writing speed and abilities under the guidance of the late Sister M. Alma, and after several temporary teachers, Sister M. Jude. The sophomores also welcomed Sister Jude as their homeroom teacher in March.

The Juniors of Drafting I were introduced to lines,

After discussing religious tolerance, the Juniors went out to interview ministers of wrote up reports on them. As a supplement to the book, they are now reading "The Spirit of Catholicism" by Karl Adams.

This year's modern Math III class was introduced to lo-



World Problems can be intriguing when you read the news-magazines. Seniors making good use of library time are (l. to r.) Michael Peck, Rita Cwynar, Carolyn Dillon, George Sherman and Dale Daggett.

arithms, base numbers, and more formulae than they know what to do with. But they enjoyed the challenge and learned to think logically.

"Green Pastures" was one of the plays read by the English III class, and it really kept them in stitches. Under the guidance of Sister M. Brunonica, they have studied grammar and various aspects of American Literature.

Latin I students are still swapping quips with one another in their new foreign language. "Tu nil scit," they tell each other, until their victim comes back with one a little more potent. Using a new series of Latin books, the Freshies can now tell you all about Publius and his friends in either Latin or English.

"We've learned about alcoholics, dope addicts, and mental defectives this year, which will help us understand these types of people and the problem they have to live with," was the reply of one of the freshmen health students.

"Or I'll collect my pound of flesh," is a common adage in English I ever since they studied Shylock's tactics in the "Merchant of Venice."

In Memoriam

The shortness of life was brought home very vividly to us during the past few months



with the death of our beloved teacher, Sister Mary Alma, on March 13.

Sister Alma's business classes, her sodality meetings, her friendly smile and eager word of encouragement were ours for almost three years. We had hoped for more months of the many joys that were ours because of her. But God, who gives life, called Sister Alma back home to him after she spent forty years in His service.

As we miss Sister Alma let us remember to commend her eternal happiness to God. Let us also follow the examples of charity and love which she so graciously showed toward all of us.

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Students Admire Graduate

The eyes of the entire school focus upon the envied graduates during the last few weeks of school. To get student opinions of them, the Casmirette staff posed the following questions to the entire student body: "Whom do you admire most among the graduates—and why?"

In part, the answers are given here.

The underclassmen seem to have the greatest admiration for Michele Sherman. She is considered to possess a warm friendliness, a wonderful personality, a cheerful smile, and the virtue of dependability. Connie Renaud summed it up when she said "She is like spring everywhere she goes—always fresh and gay."

Students cited Georgia Sherman as a person of poise, intellect, and refinement, and a real go-getter. Virginia Trevino said "She's the person who will do a job right."

John Gruchala chose Tony Sobczak "because of his willingness to work and a peppy spirit." Tony was also pointed out to be sportsmanlike, polite, and an outstanding athlete.

Kathi Jamroz is looked upon as a fun-loving girl esteemed for her long hard work on the Casmirette. "I admire her courage, get-up-and-go, and downright friendliness," added Pat Klees.

A courteous, congenial, exciting personality is the tag pinned on Sharon Kampis.

According to Janice Ackerman, "She has a smile for everyone."

"She is trust-worthy, lively and loyal to her school" is what Charles Bender had to say about Pat Wilk. Besides this she is admired for her neatness, and great job as cheerleading captain.

Greg Osowski is regarded as a born leader. Laverne Reynolds said "I admire him because he has faithfully fulfilled his duties and obligations as president."

Jim Gruba selected Paul Shay because "He has an excellent ability to speak clearly and understandably." He also is regarded as a great photographer.

Chuch Shinkonis is considered to have a pleasing personality. "He is a good athlete too," added Thomas Koscielny.

"Most friendly" is the quality Jean Sherman seems to possess. "I admire her because she gets along with everyone," said Blanche Lozano.

Sharon Skalski gives most credit to Evalyn Mason because "She did a commendable job as social chairman." Besides, she is considered pert and vivacious.

Antionette Shimelfening possesses those rare inner qualities everyone admires in a woman. "She's a responsible and sincere sodality prefect," says Debby Narkun in summary.

Invest Vacation Time Wisely

By Tom Wozniak

On the national and international level, the most familiar topic today seems to be "poverty." As a carry-over from the Kennedy administration, President Johnson has successfully begun a poverty program. The rest of the nation has reacted to his program favorably and centers for this purpose are being established in many cities.

We have such an organization in Detroit. It is called T A P or Total Action Against Poverty. Its objective is to benefit our community by helping the people within it financially, scholastically and socially.

The locality around our school has been named target area No. 1 by the T A P leaders in our city. Our faculty members have been attending monthly meetings to learn the needs of the underprivileged as well as the means to solve

many of the problems.

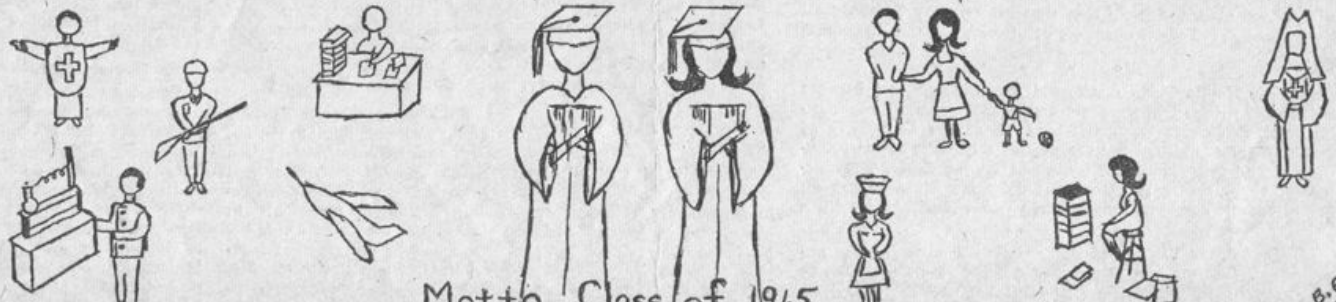
As a special project our parish sodality has set up a private tutoring program for the summer. Many youngsters in our elementary school can benefit greatly from special help in math, reading, English and catechism.

We have been asked to help. So if you are willing to give up some of your time once a week, you are invited to join the corps of volunteers. Contact Sister M. Doloretta, sodality moderator, for details.

Remember that you will be truly rendering service to Christ Himself, through his "least ones." In addition, you will have the satisfaction of joining America's most vital program, and the time you spend will be noted on your permanent record.

You have nothing to lose but so very much to gain! Join today!

YOUTH IS NOT MADE FOR PLEASURE BUT FOR HEROISM.



Maths Class of 1965

B. E.



Science Project awards are a source for teacher and student alike. Sister M. Joachim and Christine Curylo agree.

SCH Takes 7th Chem Award

By Charles Bender

Christine Curylo, junior took the seventh place award in the Chemistry division of the Detroit Metro Science Fair. She was among the six students of SCH whose projects were exhibited at Cobo Hall in April.

Chris was cited for her work on "Crystallization Patterns of Cryohydrates." The project entailed growing the crystals, photographing them, and making comparisons.

Tom Wozniak's project entitled "When the Solubility Product Is Not Constant" won him a blue ribbon for outstanding work. His information on the fact that some solutions do not have an equal rate of diffusion was accompanied by a three-dimensional graph.

An honorable mention was granted to Richard Curylo, who worked on a "Mathematical Approach to Geotropism." After revolving plants on a turntable, he measured the bend in them and devised a formula that would predict the angle of the bend.

Another honorable mention winner was David Jateczak, for his work in the "Thermal Expansion of Liquids." After heating solutions to a specific temperature, he measured the expansion rate and formulated a method of determining the rate of expansion of solutions of a different density.

Charles Bender, a Sophomore, received an honorable mention for his presentation of "A Finite Projective Geometry." After determi-

ning all the geometry, he applied the seven basic axioms to show that the 18th century system is still practical.

Richard Sonier was the recipient of an exhibitors award for his lead trees. Entitled "The Theory for the Formation of Lead Trees," Richard's project fostered the growth of dendritic precipitates in a sil-

ica gel to which a mild acid and metal salts had been added.

The Science Fair, sponsored by the Detroit News and the Engineering Society of Detroit, had 5,000 entries. These were narrowed down to 1,500 which were put on exhibition at Cobo Hall by the Regional Fair, held a week earlier.

PATRONS

Rev. Joseph Karasiewicz
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Sophomore Class
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Sodality Completes Season of Activities

Mary Jo Gawlek, junior, was named Sodality Prefect for the next scholastic year by M. Doloretta, moderator. Maryl Jo will replace Antoinette Schimelfening, graduate, who held the position for two years.

Sandra Spraker will assume Rita Cwynar's position as vice-prefect. The two remaining candidates, Lydia Slikas and Virginia Trevino, will occupy positions of secretary and treasurer, depending on the outcome of a majority vote among the sodalists.

On May 2, the Sodalists paraded, which began at school and continued to the convent garden, where the ceremonies took place.

Prefect Antoinette Schimelfening crowned the Blessed Mother as the court consisting of man, and Sharon Kampis led the congregation in the singing of the May Crowning Hymn. The procession then of Rita Cwynar, Michele Sher-continued to the church where Rev. Joseph Karasiewicz, pastor, concluded the ceremonies with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Sister Doloretta attended Marian Day ceremonies at U. of D. Stadium, May 15 with Sodalists Mary Jo Gawlek, Sandra Spraker, Virginia Trevino, Linda Wozniak, Betty Ann Klees and Helen Wilk.

Final Roll Call For Class of 1965

Footsteps echo down the hall leading to 301. For thirty-six seniors, roll call will be taken for the last time. Just the names will be called, but just the memories will be heard.

James Andrzejewski—Senior Class President, Civics Club, Student Council, 2 baseball letters, bowling trophy. Michael Buchanczenko—VACS, Gabriel Richard Institute Certificate, Car Service. Barbara Cieluk—Senior Class Treasurer, Civics Club, Sodality, Choral, VACS, Student Council, Cheerleading, Journalism, Future Scientist Award, Science Fair Blue Ribbon, ADF Award. Tom Connolly—VACS. Rita Cwynar—Sodality Vice-Prefect, Choral, Journalism, Sodality, VACS, A.D.F. Award. Dale Daggett—Athlete Manager, GRI Acolyte, Civics Club.

Carolyn Dillon—GRI Certificate. Catherine Dowdy—Choral, VACS, GRI Certificate. Barbara Durina—Sodality Treasurer, Choral, Journalism. Anita Fradette—Civics Club Secretary, VACS, Fighting 69th. Pete Garbaty—American Legion Hockey, Baseball. Joseph Henn—Holy Name President, VACS Chairman, Choral, Civics Club, Fighting 69th, Student Council, GRI Certificate. Sharon Henning—Fighting 69th, VACS, GRI Best Speaker Award. Kathleen Jamroz—CASMIR-ETTE Co-editor, Choral, VACS, Student Council, Civics Club, Cheerleading, Fighting 69th, Betty Crocker Future Homemaker Award, Optimist Club Youth Appreciation Citation, ADF Award, GRI Best Speaker Award.

Sharon Kampis—Student Council Treasurer, Sodality Secretary, Librarian, Choral, VACS, Sodality, Civics Club, GRI Certificate. Rose Kerr—CSMC President, Choral, VACS, Civics Club, Student Council, Journalism, GRI Certificate. John Lysogorski—Choral, VACS, Basketball. Evalyn Mason—Social Chairman, Student Council, Civics Club, Choral, Librarian, VACS, Journalism, Valedictorian, GRI Olympics Award. Gregory Osowski—Student Council President, Vice President (10), President (11), Choral, VACS, Civics Club, Acolyte, Future Scientist Award.

Detroit Police Youth Award, Basketball, Baseball letters.

Wayne Parker—Senior Class Vice-President, Salutatorian, Civics Club, Student Council, VACS, Choral. Michael Peck—Civics Club President, Student Council, Fighting 69th. Patricia Perez—Choral, VACS, Fighting 69th, GRI Certificate. Edward Polak—VACS, Intramural Basketball, Car Service, GRI Certificate. Theresa Reynolds—Choral Representative, CYO, VACS, Choral, Civics Club, Student Council. Dolores Rychlinski—VACS, Choral, Fighting 69th, GRI Certificate.

Antoinette Schimelfening—Sodality Prefect, Journalism, VACS, Choral, Cheerleading, GRI Certificate, VFW Challenge of Citizenship Award. Paul Shay—Acolyte President, Photography, VACS, Student Council, Civics Club, GRI Certificate. Charles Shinkonis—Baseball, Basketball, Bowling, Six sports letters, Two trophies. Georga Sherman—Librarian, VACS, Choral, Cheerleading, Sodality, Civics Club, Student Council, GRI Certificate. Jean Sherman—Senior Class Secretary, Choral, VACS, Civics Club, Student Council, Homecoming Queen (11), GRI Certificate.

Michele Sherman—Student Council Secretary, Sodality, VACS, Civics Club, Choral, Cheerleading, GRI Certificate, Detroit Police Youth Award. Anthony Sobczak—Student Council Vice-President, Civics Club, VACS, Acolytes, Optimist Club Youth Appreciation Citation, Basketball-All City, All State, Honorable Mention; All City, Honorable Mention.

Donald Sparks—VACS, Choral. Jose Villarreal—Four Baseball letters, Two Basketball letters. Patricia Wilk—Cheerleading Captain, Homecoming Queen (12). Ray Ziemba—Choral, VACS.

Thus, four years of students, fun and memories, will be neatly packaged and handed to the members of the Class of '65. It is theirs to keep.

We the Graduates bequeath . . .

Four years have passed and a multitude of new worlds have been opened to the seniors. We feel, that for all the favors received, it is only fair that we give something in return . . .



To Father Karasiewicz, we, the seniors, bequeath our Leadership course; may it aid you in spreading the Faith.

To Father Oberc, we bequeath the 7:45 Mass which has brought us infinite graces.

To Sister Mary Euphemia, we bequeath a new set of "Darlings"; the Class of '66.

To Sister Mary Corinne, we, your seniors, bequeath our hearts.

To Sister Mary Joachim, we bequeath one, uninterrupted hour of Math IV Class.

To Sister Mary Jude, we, the seniors, bequeath our "typing skills."

To Sister Mary Doloretta, we, the seniors, bequeath our "golden voices."

To Sister Mary Brunonica, we, the seniors, bequeath 2,000 bookmarks: one for each book.

To the underclassmen, we bequeath four short years of student life.

Crescents Finish in 2nd Slot; Post 7-2 Baseball Record

By Pete Garbaty

As the prep baseball season ended, most of the hopes and expectations of the 1965 edition of the Casimir Crescents were fulfilled.

After the last game of the season against St. Elizabeth, the Crescents were riding high on a 7 won, 2 lost record. This 2nd slot on the Class C division was achieved by good pitching and timely hitting.

The Crescents met a good Patronage team in their opening game. As the battle progressed, SCH reigned. Stan Plewa hurled a one-hitter and

struck out ten. Tony Conant's timely hit left the score Crescents — 2, Patronage — 0.

St. Cyril's was a determined team. Despite the tremendous efforts of our team, the East sides were victorious, 1-0.

St. Gabriel's was stunned by the 9-2 defeat given to them with the aid of the fine team work. Tony Conant and Stan Plewa sparked the win with two hits each and Stan also pitched a 4-hitter.

The St. Casimir-All Saint contest had tension mounting in the first inning, but the bats began to boom. Jose

Villarreal scored 4 and drove in 3. Tony Conant drove in 4 and Stan Plewa followed with 3. The Crescents walked away with an easy 14-0 prize.

After the two consecutive victorious plays, the Crescents were labeled new champs. However, Nativity retaliated by taking a 7-1 victory from the Crescents aided by our three costly errors.

With the pressure off, the Crescents rolled up a 13-run lead in the first inning and final score of 22-1 to defeat a Sweetest Heart Club.

Joe Baker and his famous 51 strike-out record was the main obstacle for the Crescents against St. Leo. But Jim Andrzejewski's 2 for 2 and Tony Conant's 2 for 3 helped the Crescents to easily overpass it. Stan Plewa pitched a one-hitter, walked two and struck out 10. Final decision: 8-0.

Jim Andrzejewski's 2 for 4 and Jose Villarreal's 2 RBI's let the Crescents beat the St. Martin Team. This win enabled the Crescents to cinch a second place with a possible playoff spot.

With second place already clinched, the Crescents rolled over St. Elizabeth in the final game of the season. Behind Stan Plewa's 3 hitter the Casimir Crescents ended a very successful season by a score of 10-2.



Selected as most valuable players by their teammates are Tony Conant (l.) and Stan Plewa. In the previous basketball vote, Tony Sobczak and Tony Plewa ranked "most valuable."

Basketball Stars Honored; Plewa Receives All-City

St. Casimir High was the recipient of a great athletic honor this year. Three excellent hardcourt stars earned the titles of All-City, All-State and All-Metro.

Tony Sobczak was appointed as an All-City basketball player by the DETROIT NEWS. He was also chosen All-State honorable mention by the NEWS and All-City honorable mention by the MICHIGAN CATHOLIC.

Tony, who scored 270 points in the last season, had an average of 19 points per hardcourt performance.

The baseball league was fortunate enough to have Tony's fielding talents working for them. He maintained a .222 average with six hits in 27 trips to the plate.

Selected for the All-Metro league, Tony Conant was also

appointed to All-City by the MICHIGAN CATHOLIC, with an honorable mention position.

With an average of 13 points per game, Tony collected a total of 170 for the hardcourt season. The prize hitter has a .555 batting average with a 13 for 25 record.

Casey Sobczak seems to be following in his brother's footsteps. He was proclaimed All-City honorable mention by the MICHIGAN CATHOLIC.

With a total of 250 points, Casey has kept a 16 point-per game average.

In nine trips to the plate this baseball season the young Sobczak has four hits to his credit giving him a .444 average.

Stan Plewa merited the title of All-City for his baseball performances.

Classes Compete; Juniors Reign

After the regular basketball season, intramural basketball was re-established at SCH. Basketball among the classes was discontinued five years ago, but Sister M. Joachim believed it an excellent opportunity for the students to learn sportsmanship, physically develop themselves and learn to enjoy the game.

First on the agenda was the senior-junior conflict. Under the direction of Tony Conant, the juniors made the going rough for the seniors. Bob Chote and Jerry Egyed averaged 20 points per game and thus claimed a junior championship by winning all three games.

The sophomores, under the direction of Ray Campos, could not overthrow the freshmen.

The sophs took the first attack, led by Jerry Cwynar with 16 points, but the freshmen retorted by coming back to win the remaining two. George Mrozowski, Gerald Zlotorzyski, Hector Villarreal and Mark Jatzcak were high men on the frosh team.

The juniors now challenged the freshmen and easily defeated them. The last step for a perfect record would be a victory over the J.V.'s.

Tony Conant coached the first-string juniors, but because of fouls, he ended up with only half his team. JV's Michael Pietrzyk's 20 points and Andy Kososki's 12 tossed the decisive blow as the reserves won in overtime by two points.

Thus ended an exciting and colorful intramural program.



Graduates bowing out the Crescent scene include Tony Sobczak (r. insert) Gregory Osowski (l. insert), Chuck Shinkonis (standing), (l. to r.) Jim Andrzejewski, Jose Villarreal, Peter Garbaty.

CRESCENT BASEBALL AVERAGES

	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	SB	AVE.
Conant, A.	31	9	16	1	15	1	.519
Sobczak, C.	10	2	4	0	1	1	.400
Andrzejewski, J.	29	13	11	0	2	6	.378
Campos, R.	27	9	6	0	5	1	.370
Plewa, S.	27	6	10	0	5	2	.378
Garbaty, P.	29	4	10	0	6	1	.350
White, M.	3	1	1	0	0	1	.333
Villarreal, J.	30	12	10	2	13	4	.333
Osowski, G.	3	1	1	0	0	0	.333
Shinkonis, C.	27	3	6	0	3	1	.222
Sobczak, T.	29	11	6	0	5	6	.200
Makulski, D.	11	2	1	0	1	0	.099
Villarreal, H.	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
TEAM	236	63	73	3	63	19	.299

PITCHING

Garbaty	4	3	2	2	1	24	5	3	8	48	2	1.08
Plewa	5	5	4	4	1	29	7	4	8	46	2	1.32
Conant	1	1	1	1	0	5	1	0	3	9	0	0.00
TEAM	9	9	7	7	2	58	13	7	19	103	4	1.06

Seniors Conclude Athletic Careers

June graduation will leave a large gap in the foundations of the Crescent athletic scene. It will not be easy to fill in for six departing seniors.

Jim Andrzejewski has participated in Varsity baseball since his sophomore year. His flawless field plays on the diamond and his .325 average will be sorely missed in the future. Jim also joined the '63 bowling team and received a trophy for his efforts.

Holy Redeemer contributed an outstanding sportsman when Pete Garbaty transferred to SCH this year. He was a

valuable asset in the Crescent fielding and pitching department, hitting a .350. His summers are spent playing baseball for Edison Co., while hockey consumes his winter leisure hours.

Greg Osowski's fine efforts will be surely missed on the diamond and the hardcourt. After two years of both baseball and basketball, Greg has a .333 average on the diamond and kept a 12 pt. record on the court.

Basketball is where Tony Sobczak make his mark by qualifying for All-City and All-State, honorable men-

tion, with a 18 pt. average. In baseball, his .200 average and scoring abilities will be hard to replace.

Jose Villarreal will be completing a close to perfect four years of baseball with a .375 average. His talents weren't directed to baseball alone, as he also received two basketball awards.

Chuck Shinkonis proved himself an all-around athlete by participating for four years in basketball (10 pt. average), baseball (.222 average) and for two years, bowling. Chuck's maneuver-ability on the court and diamond will be a great loss.

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