

International Relations Strengthened By AFS

THE Colonial

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Pictured here are Tania Conde, our exchange student and the sketch she submitted to the A.F.S. Christmas card competition.

"Talent 67" Show

Highlights A.F.S. Week

March 13-17 has been set up as this year's AFS week. The AFS committee with their sponsor, Mrs. Olson have been meeting to decide the activities on this year's agenda.

American Field Service has long been a tradition at Clay. This year the Committee has set a goal of \$1000. The Committee has planned a special event for each day of the week.

The highlight of AFS week will be a talent show. "Talent 67" is its theme. The "Mystery Act," a five star performance by two unknown teachers making their debut will be featured in the show.

Following the tradition of past years, AFS committee members and anyone in the school who wishes to participate will wear costumes from different countries.

Throughout the week, Clay will be host to AFS students from area high schools. They will be stationed near the cafeteria where anyone may stop and become acquainted with them.

For the entire week, each committee member will carry a can for students who wish to contribute. A wishing well will be placed in front of the main office for this use. Envelopes will be given out in homeroom for parents who wish to participate in the Community Canvas.

Language Students Plan Summer Trips

Three weeks in Etampes, France, and three weeks in Leysin, Switzerland, is the hope of twelve area high school students.

The group from Clay includes Barb Brown, Cindy Combs, Kathy Hawkins, Susie Keeler, Pam Thomas, Lisa Turfler, and Jeff Durski, Judy Brown and June Keresztes of Riley; Patty Vance from Adams; Tom Moulder from LaSalle; and Lila Beth Young from Michigan City will be going also.

Mrs. Schille, a Clay French teacher, and Miss Martha Fox, from Fort Wayne, are the sponsors for the group. Both have been to Europe under this same program before.

Their reasons for going are the same, but what they are looking forward to doing and seeing is a different story. One wants to go to Rome; one wants to see the Riviera; one wants to blow an Alp-Horn and climb the Matterhorn; several want to meet French boys; and two want to see Brigette Bardot.

Nearly all the students have worked or are working now to save part of the money they will need to go. They want to learn more about the French and Swiss people, their countries, their histories, and how they live. One of the main reasons for going is to broaden the students' knowledge of the French language and have the opportunity to learn it under a native teacher.

Chaperoned by Miss Margaret Cohen, language teacher at Clay, a group of German students from the South Bend area will be making a trip to Austria and Germany this summer. They will be visiting Seefeld, Austria and Duesseldorf, Germany.

Clay students on the trip will be Mary Ann Binder, Bob Lapham, Marc Peterson, and Bev Stucker. Adams and Washington will also be represented.

The students will have classes in the morning where in German language, history, culture, and some literature will be studied. Afternoons will be spent on tours or sight-seeing.

The excursion will last from July 5 through August 11 and transportation will be by jet.

CALENDAR

March 3-4	Oedipus-Rex, Adams High School
6	Colonial Staff Meeting
7	Pop Concert
10	PTA Jonah Fish Fry
13-17	AFS Week
17	St. Patrick's Day

NOTICE

The deadline for the last payment of the Senior New York trip will be due on March 10. Any cancellations can be made before then. After this date, problems should be taken to Mr. Hodge.

Clay Students Participate

In March 10 Science Fair

Plants, planeria and algae are only a few subjects into which Clay science students have done extensive research in order to enter the Annual South Bend Science Fair, March 10 and 11.

The students entering from Clay and their projects are as follows: Dorien de Lusignan, Transferring Planeria; Mike Fountain, Meteorology; Bob Kaiser, Growth of Algae; Sue Keeler, Cancer; Joe Kodba, Hormone Control; Cheryl Lanstrom; Artificial Breeding; Gary Van Bellingham, Learning in Planeria and Sue Whiting, Plant Nutrition.

Each student is required to prepare a research paper containing the problem studied, the procedures used, the findings and the conclusions reached. The paper will be evaluated by expert judges. Each student entering must also present and oral report and answer questions of the judges. Lastly they must exhibit a display of their work.

Those students receiving a 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place will be eligible to enter the regional fair.

Help Share Their Fare During AFS Week,
March 13-19



"WALK TOGETHER, TALK TOGETHER,
O YE PEOPLES OF THE EARTH:
THEN AND ONLY THEN
SHALL YE HAVE PEACE."



AFS Develops Understanding

"This kind of exchange, as it grows and grows, will have a better effect on advancing the peace of the world, of giving greater promise to each of us, young and old, to live fuller and better lives, free of the burdens of armaments, free from the fears of attack, living together in the confidence that humans can trust and believe in other humans."

----Dwight D. Eisenhower

Friendship and increased understanding among their fellow men have been the aims of the American Field Service since 1914. It was founded as a volunteer ambulance service with the French armies in World War I.

In 1947 it began its new work on the teenage level, when fifty-two students came to the United States. Last year more than three thousand came to America.

Since our first AFS student in 1961, we have had students from the following countries at Clay High School: England, Turkey, Arab Republic, Argentina, Belgium, Republic of South Africa, and Brazil.

The Clay AFS chapter is indebted to the families who open their homes to these students. For those who might sometime be interested in hosting an AFS'er, the qualifications are:

A HEART--large enough to share with another child from another land for a year--and probably forever.

A MIND--open to the different life and culture the student will bring with him, open to accepting him for his differences and not for his similarities.

World friendship and compatibility will begin when students decide to start taking an interest in their AFS Program. Any student who is interested in helping is urged to offer his or her services to Mrs. Olson or Chris Johnson.

Tania Conde, our AFS'er this year from Brazil is happy to speak about her country to interested groups.

Tradition Prevails In Ring Selections

The Sophomore Class will follow the new tradition in offering school rings to those class members who wish to purchase them. This ring represents Clay High School instead of one particular class. The class will, however, have a choice of several different colors for stone settings, and a choice of different sizes. The Sophomore Class will be the second class to follow this tradition.

The design and price of the ring will be reviewed by a committee made up of the principal, faculty members, and students every five to ten years. At that time any changes in policy will be discussed.

Dances Restricted To Hops

School dances after games have been a part of the extracurricular program at Clay in the past. Their purpose has been to offer entertainment and "a place to go" for students and provide money making projects for clubs and organizations.

Due to the higher cost of Union Bands it has been hard to make a profit on dances that feature bands. The competition of public dances has also brought a decline in attendance.

The decline in popularity, financial risk, and the Social Committees, (made up of the head class sponsors and the Administrations) desire to protect the dignity of established dances, such as Sadie Hawkins, Homecoming, and the Prom has brought about the conclusion that after-the-game dances should be limited and restricted to record hops.

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Pop Concert

March 7

Jonah Fish Fry

March 10

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Place First At State

At State Music Contest in Indianapolis Larry Thompson entered a trumpet solo, "Trumpet Concerto" by Hayden and returned with a 9-point first. Clay's trumpet trio, composed of juniors Larry Thompson, Dave Strope and sophomore Pat Heiden, earned first place honors for the second consecutive year playing "Chiapeneceas" by Rafael Mendez. They were accompanied on the piano by Bonnie Aurand.

In order to be eligible for state competition, one had to place first, second, or third at the district contest and receive a first in group I at the regional contest. The selection had to be one on a list compiled for state contest entry. Duets are not accepted for state entry. Solos and ensembles were judged according to the points they merit.

In separate vocal competition, individual winners receiving excellent ratings were: Marcia McIntosh, Jan Thielke, and Larry Reininga. Neil Freed and Tom Duckworth received superior ratings. The girls' sextet, Jan Thielke, Jan Burnham, Marcia McIntosh, Molly Maher, Linda Bollinger and Pat McDonald earned an excellent rating. Linda Bollinger also earned an excellent rating on a piano solo. Because this was Clay's first year, no entries were sent to the state vocal finals.

Journalism Class Issues Baseball Supplement

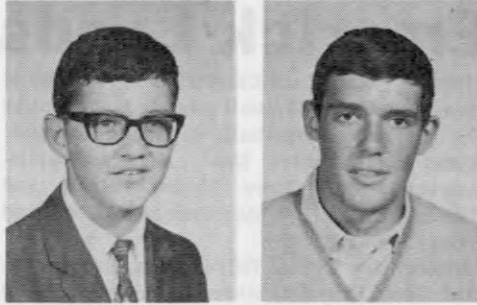
Before Spring vacation, a special baseball supplement, to be sold separately, will be presented by the Colonial. The main function of this Baseball Special is to give students a better viewpoint of baseball, familiarize them more with the team, and to promote better understanding.

Presented in the supplement will be feature stories, descriptions of the players on the team, and the schedule of the team. Information about the home ball club and opponents; a view of the team's future outlook is also included.

The supplement is to be completed by the journalism class with the help of Mr. Reinbold.

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Arthur Heemer, left, and Bob Wyllie, both juniors, will represent C.H.S. in the debate sectionals at Riley.

Riley Hosts Annual Speaking Sectionals

Ten schools will participate in a debate sectional at Riley High School on March 3. Five people from each school will compete in seven divisions. Winners in each division will advance to the regional contest in April.

The following Clay students will participate in this sectional:

Debate: Robert Wyllie, Art Heemer

Discussion: Barb DelVecchio

Extemp: Diane Harney, Mary Tabacznik

Cindy Jordan, Dave Kovasics, James Janowiak, Dennis Gillen

Humorous: Marilyn Horvath, Sue Cook, Linda Lattimer

Poetry: Diane Wagner, Marilyn Horvath, Sue Cook, Linda Lattimer

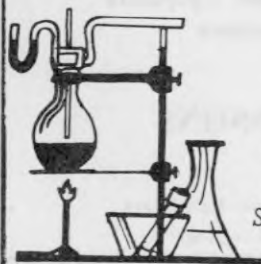
Radio Announcing: Richard Irby, Art Leinen, Sue Keeler

Original Oratory: Mary Beth Wright

Clubs and organizations should begin their planning for the carnival which will be held April 15th. Acceptance of projects will be granted on a first come basis, and can be turned in Monday, March 6th to Su Kollar.

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P.T.A. Awards Presented Today

This year the P.T.A. will be honoring 22 Sophomores, 20 Juniors, and 10 Seniors, who maintained a 3.5 or above average during last year.

Sophomores are: Debbie Ake, Julie Beckman, Tom Bonadies, Judy Brown, Tim Davis, Jim Ferro, Sue Carl, Cindy Collmer, Cindy Lewis, Doug Lindborg, and Sue Mogren.

Also, Karen Montgomery, Steve Nemeth, Sandy Patty, Leslie Peterson, Sheryl Santos, Rick Shriner, Dan Thompson, Jim Toth, John Tousley, Gayle Warner, and Carol Hosler.

The Juniors are: Jan Bartuska, Sue Boits, Jim Bratina, Tim Fick, Dale Fietzek, Linda Finger, Sue Greenwood, Marilyn Hagerty, Jay Heckel.

Also, Tom Leonakis, Dave May, Deb Nosko, Liza Rudhman, Candi Seniff, Cindy Shilt, Brian Simcox, Pat Smith, Joan Tabacznik, Pam Thomas, and Linda Zarochin.

Seniors are: Mike Amato, Terry Carroll, Barb DelVecchio, Rick Hall, Chris McFaul, Marcia McIntosh, Chuck Stewart, Lynda Thornburgh, Marcia Ullery, and Diane Wagner.

The students won these awards for their scholastic work last year only. The presentations were made today during 6th hour in the library.

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Athletics Costs Money

Director Compiles Sports Expense

Since relatively few students realize the high cost of supporting athletics at Clay, Athletic Director, Mr. Robert Turnock felt that they should be informed on this matter. Printed below are a few of the expenditures that Mr. Turnock must deal with.

FOOTBALL			
YEAR	INCOME	SPENT	BALANCE
1963	\$5,386.69	\$7,388.53	-\$2,001.84
1964	5,540.20	5,532.38	7.32
1965	4,403.72	5,055.21	-651.49
1966	7,150.28	5,775.82	1,374.46

Mr. Turnock attributes the profit in 1966 to the building of Jackson field which provided more seats for fans.

BASKETBALL			
YEAR	INCOME	SPENT	BALANCE
1962-63	\$4,299.24	\$2,374.19	\$1,925.05
1963-64	5,530.47	2,399.31	3,131.16
1964-65	5,254.73	2,417.19	2,837.54
1965-66	5,021.46	2,765.46	2,256.00

Cost of Special Equipment

Football, basketball and wrestling	
Officials.....	\$475.00
Twelve pairs of football shoes.....	191.00
Eight footballs.....	106.00
Forty-four helmets.....	908.00
Transportation for football team.....	170.00
Films of games.....	168.00
New football equipment.....	960.00
Twenty-four pair of basketball shoes	190.80
One basketball.....	18.00
One white basketball uniform.....	2.77
One purple basketball uniform.....	2.55
Trip to Muncie.....	274.00
Meals.....	114.00
Transportation.....	303.00

Emerick Leads In Awards

Senior guard Tom Emerick won four out of five possible basketball awards last night at the annual Basketball-Wrestling banquet. Voted to Tom were: Most Valuable, Sportsmanship, Most Free Throw Points, and Captain-Elect. Dennis Papczynski earned Most Rebounds.

Seniors Joe Kodba, Bill Brooks, Ron Knight and Tom Emerick were nominated for the Kiwanis award; one was chosen on the basis of athletic and scholastic performance.

Rick Patesel took two wrestling honors, High Point Man, and Most First Takedowns. Another senior, Jim Bayer was given the Sportsmanship trophy, and junior Ken Jones was

Most Valuable Player.

Dr. John Neher, Clay's athletic physician, received a watch from the athletic department as a token for his long service to Clay.

Cheerleaders on the varsity accepted letters and pins; certificates were issued to the B-team.

Senior basketball players honored were; B. Brooks, J. Kodba, G. Grenert, R. Knight, J. Neely, T. Emerick, D. Papczynski; wrestling seniors were: G. Hubbard, J. Bayer, R. Kaiser, J. Reihl, K. Jacks, and R. Patesel.

Colonials Enjoy Dip After Penn Game

Victory is sweet when a team beats an opponent in the closing moments of a game. This triumph is made even more precious when they discover that the showers do not work and the door to the swimming pool is unlocked.

Such a situation confronted the Colonials in their victory at Penn. After a close game all the way, Clay was able to pull it out in the last 30 seconds. The team went to the shower room expecting a nice refreshing shower, but found to their chagrin that the showers weren't working. Many thoughts ran through the minds of the players, such as; "Do they do this to every team that beats them?" or "Boy, I'll sure smell great at the Meth tonight."

Someone suddenly yelled "Hey the pool door is unlocked." After being invited the Colonials did get a cleansing.

With coaches and managers watching intently the Colonial team gave the Kingsmen a few lessons in the art of splashing, swimming, and diving. When it was time to go, the Clay team left the Kingsmen to clean the ring around the pool.

Senior Spotlight: Ron Knight

"Next to looking at girls and music--they're year-round--I think sectional time is the greatest," says Ron Knight. He started playing basketball in the fourth and fifth grades at Muessel School. He continued at Swanson, Clay Junior High, and then at Clay High, but he hasn't seen the limelight since 8th grade.



Ron added: "I like to mess around in other sports, but there's no point in wasting your time and others' in the school, if you can't excel a little bit."

Ron confessed that he was a monster when he was younger, but after being disciplined, he soon learned to suppress that part of his nature. The disciplinary action left a permanent scar; self-consciousness. He's been trying to overcome this handicap ever since. Ron added, "One thing about Clay kids, they help you get over this."

Because he admits he can't speak publicly very well, and because he likes to express his opinion, Ron joined the Colonial. He received the P.T.A. Award for scholarship his sophomore year, and has been in N.H.S. for two years. Although he likes to read, he believes there are other experiences besides what you can find in books--namely getting along with people.

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