

### Editor's Observations

Did you know:

that by the end of the semester each room will have a new flag?

that there is a portable sink in room 224?

that the fire-place in the library is real?

that the "L" is 3 feet by 6 feet? Are you aware:

of a memorial in the main hall dedicated to a Sadye G. Rowley? She was a former teacher here and was killed in a plane crash. The plaque was presented by the 9A class of June, 1936.

of the fact that the **Lowrey Light** is an active member of the Michigan Interscholastic Press Association?

that the Student Council is accredited by the National Association of Student Councils of the National Association of Secondary School Principals?

## FIZZ-KEM PLANS FUTURE

Plans for the year are still in process for the Fizz-Kem Club. In all cases the seniors are planning a physics project that will benefit the school and at the same time they will receive extra credit in their physics class

The year is just beginning, and the club has already had a guest speaker who spoke on earth quakes. They are always alert to find speakers who will come to their meetings to speak to the club.

The club is composed of 11th and 12th graders who number 13 so far. The officers are:

- President—Marynelle Hall
- Vice-President—Fred Moreno
- Secretary-Treasurer—Sandy Broilo

Good luck in the year ahead.

## SENIORS HEAR J.C. REP.

On October 26, a representative of the Henry Ford Community College, Mr. Davies, spoke to several 12A's and 12B's. Mr. Davies spoke about registration and enrollment. Members of the June graduating class will be able to register in March of next year. Tuition for non-resident students is about \$150 a semester. The cost of class fees and books brings the total cost for one semester to about \$200.00. He also stated that credits earned at the Community College will be accepted by the large four year colleges.

## T.B. PROGRAM IN PROGRESS

Tuberculosis is a disease that gives no warning. It is caused by a germ, the tubercle bacillus. Anyone can catch this contagious disease. It is passed on by someone who already has TB. TB can be cured most easily when found early. However, because TB has no early symptoms, it is harder to find than some other diseases.

The test, which was sponsored by the Southeastern Michigan Tuberculin Detection Project, was the Mantoux test. It is given about every three years at Lowrey to pupils from nursery through 12th grade. Approximately 1500 Lowrey students were tested, 20 of which were positive reactors. Chest X-rays are now required of these people and their close contacts and immediate families. A positive reaction does not necessarily mean that the person has TB, but that he has at one time carried the germ in his body.

We are grateful that this program was made available to us for our protection.

## PROFESSOR PROGRESSES

Rehearsals for Lowrey's first play of the year, "Professor, How Could You?" are progressing steadily, according to Thespian Vice-President Henry Pollakowski. Final dress rehearsals will be held the week of November 13, in preparation for performances on the 29th and 30th.

The afternoon performance will be held on the 29th at 2:30. The evening performance, on the 30th, will begin at 7:30. The play runs approximately 2½ hours including intermissions.

Lowrey's Thespians have the reputation of staging some of the best dramatic productions in the city of Dearborn, so a good show is guaranteed.

Tickets will be on sale soon. Activity tickets will admit students at lower prices.

## BULLETIN:

- What: HOMECOMING DANCE
- When: November 3, 8-11 p. m.
- Where: The Lowrey Ballroom
- Who: Everyone
- How: Semi-formal
- Entertainment by the Montereys



## T. V. L. Meeting Held

The Twin Valley League Meeting Conference was held October 11, 1961, at Hamtramck High School. Present were representatives from the Willow Run, Ecorse, Romulus, River Rouge, Hamtramck, and Lowrey High Schools.

From Lowrey, the representatives were Jack Mihalko, Jerry Tripod, Kathy Dearvang, Priscilla Galdes, Gary Midora, Joan Kruszewski, and Traude Buck.

The purpose of the League Meetings is for the officers of the various schools to get together and discuss mutual problems occurring in their respective schools. The meetings work to unify the schools so they can better work together.

Twin Valley league officers were elected this past meeting. They include the offices of president, vice-president, and corresponding secretary.

The topic of discussion set up for the meeting was "How can our Homecoming Program be improved?" Many fine ideas were presented as activities now being done at the various schools. We may see some of these ideas presented at Lowrey in the future.

Lunch was served to the representatives before they again set out for their various schools.

The hosts for the next meeting are members of Romulus High School, on December 6, at Romulus.

Lowrey's turn to play host for the Twin Valley League Meeting will come in May.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 3: Homecoming Dance; Student Council; Home football game against Robichaud, 3:30.

Nov. 6-10: American Education Week

Nov. 8: Book Check; Open House

Nov. 10: Veteran's Day Program

Nov. 22: Schools close end of day

Nov. 23: Thanksgiving Day, no school

Nov. 24: No school

Nov. 30: Dec. 1: School Play

These are the six Foreign Exchange students who were at Lowrey on Tuesday, October 24, 1961, for the program that the S.I.O. presented. They are from left to right: Dagmar Pfatschbacher, Austria; Jinette Weber, Switzerland; Wolf-egbert, Klapppruth, Germany; Claude Bourret, France; Mauro Caroti, Italy; Trudy Buck, Germany.

## S. I. O. Assembly

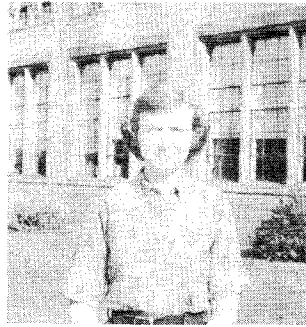
Lowrey's Student International Organization presented a program on United Nations' Day, October 24, at which seven Dearborn exchange students were formally introduced to the senior high student body.

Representing Dearborn High was Dagmar Pfatschbacher, from Austria, from Fordson were Claude Bourret of France and Richard Donnelly who recently visited Japan. Edsel Ford High has three exchange students; Jinette Weber from Switzerland, Mauro Caroti from Italy, and Wolf-Egbert Klapppruth from Germany. Also present was Trudy Buck, our exchange student, also from Germany of whom Lowrey is quite proud. These students said they are happy to be in our country and are enjoying their stay here very much.

Judy Gill, president of S. I. O., introduced these students and gave a speech about the Student International Organization, its importance and function. John Mihalko, Student Council President, also made a few comments on the exchange program.

Guest speakers included Dr. C. Loucks, of the Michigan Council of Churches; our principal, Mr. Romanow; Mr. Leo Beebe, who is chairman of an organization dealing with foreign exchange. Mr. Maurice Kennedy, with whom Dagmar Pfatschbacher is currently staying, gave a very interesting talk on "What It's Like to have a Foreign Exchange Student in our home."

We sincerely hope these exchange students, and others throughout the country, have a rewarding visit in America and take home with them many pleasant memories of their foster country.



## Soph Spotlight

Featured in this issue's sophomore spotlight is Linda Sevenser, 10B-9.

Linda is president of the sophomore class, on the Executive Board of Student Council and also a member of the Booster Club.

She is on a College Prep course and maintains a B average. Her favorite subject is Biology.

Linda's outside interest is Ballet. She has been taking lessons for seven years and plans on being a professional ballet dancer when she graduates.

Her only comment was, "I like Lowrey and it is better than I expected."

## Future Nurses Meet

The Future Nurses Club is open for all people who are especially interested in the field of medicine.

This club has made many interesting plans for the coming year. Among these are field trips, open houses, and guest speakers.

The main purpose of the club is to get young people interested in the field of medicine and inspire them on toward a career in this field.

Young people belonging to this organization are urged to take part in the volunteer programs open in many hospitals in order that they may become a little more aware of the need for people in the medical profession.

Recently the club held a meeting at which the election of officers took place. They are:

President: Barbara Bruder  
Vice-President: Jean Lavendier  
Secretary: Jane Lizon  
Treasurer: Dorothy Dudek

The sponsor of the club is Mrs. Edwards, our school nurse.

Mrs. Edwards and all the members of the club invite each and every one who is interested in medicine to join the club. Meetings are held weekly.

## Alumni News

Denise Toma, class of '61, and Ron Henderson, class of '60, are married.

Martha Perry, class of '61, is attending University of Detroit.

## Meet Mrs. Thomas

With this issue of the Lowrey Light we are presenting Mrs. Mary Jean Thomas.

Mrs. Thomas is a member of our math department. She graduated from Dearborn High and Michigan State, where she majored in math and minored in science, English, and French. Last year she worked with Mr. Powers in our math department here at Lowrey. She has acquired her B.A. degree.

Mrs. Thomas' comments on her first impression of Lowrey were "I liked it very much. The actions of the high school students in the halls impressed me as being as they should."

Outside of teaching, Mrs. Thomas likes to play tennis and bridge, knit and sew, and read. She also is director of her church choir.

Mrs. Thomas said, "I think my advice to students is to work harder."

We wish Mrs. Thomas good luck in her stay here at Lowrey.

## Future Teachers Welcomes You

This organization provides many opportunities to learn new ideas of various teaching methods, ways of handling children, and many other topics. In this plan, members of the club are able to observe various methods of teaching by visiting a particular class for a certain amount of time. Many times it is possible for the person to later teach a class of his own.

The Future Teachers have done many things concerning the field of teaching. They have visited different colleges and Universities such as University of Michigan, Eastern and Henry Ford Community College. These are only examples of the many activities put on by Future Teachers.

Any senior high school student may join the F.T.A., including both boys and girls. The club's officers, Jerry Tripod, President; Anne Marie Lowell, Secretary; and Sharon Thrasher, Treasurer, all extend an invitation to anyone interested in this field to any of the meetings.

## Traditions Are Important

The students of Lowrey High School are constantly clamoring for more school traditions. So, we, of the Lowrey Light staff, decided to look into the matter.

If we are to have traditions at Lowrey we will have to originate them now. It will take a little work, a little money, and a lot of faith in carrying them out.

These are some of Lowrey's "so-called" traditions. However, we feel these should be classified as annual events, rather than patriotic traditions of Lowrey.

Kick-off dance  
Veterans' Day Ceremony  
Christmas Program  
White Christmas  
Varsity Club Initiations  
J-Hop  
Activity Banquet  
Senior-skip days  
Senior Prom

and the newest being the "L" un-tread upon in the sacred "Halls of Lowrey"

This is a misrepresentation of the word "tradition." Webster defines tradition as "... an inherited culture or attitude." We define it as something that makes a school unique, not something that most other schools also have. Here are some suggestions for traditions so as to make future generations proud of Lowrey's heritage.

Homecoming Parade  
Senior Fountain  
Senior Bench  
Senior Autograph Plaque  
Skip-day  
Bermuda day  
Clash day

Mr. Cady stated his personal opinion on traditions, "I would say this—that they, (students), should be more serious about their education. I don't think their parents and their school districts want to set this up as just a place to spend the day. It just seems to me that it's on awful attitude. Its just taken for granted that they, (students), come in here. I used to tell the senior high that it's a do-it-yourself program. We can provide you with the equipment, but you've got to do it yourself."

We agree that we should take our education seriously—but "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy."

Letters concerning this article should be directed to the Lowrey Light staff. No unsigned letters will be considered. Names will be withheld if so desired.

## Student Council Happenings

Contrary to the previous edition of this paper—it was the Student Council who sponsored the Kick-off dance, not the Booster Club.

All in all the Kick-off dance seemed a rousing success. It not only boosted the school spirit, but also the treasurers' books, where a profit of \$109.93 was recorded.

The Student Council sponsored the election of the Homecoming Court, and in case you didn't see the result posted on the bulletin board in the main hall, they are as follows:

Seniors:  
Robbie Cole  
Karen Dearvang  
Sandy Kellner  
Juniors:  
Pat Van Assche  
Lynn Nihill

Sophomore:  
Gwen Snow

We congratulate these girls and know they represent their classes well.

Student Council is presently working on getting the radio fixed and back in the lounge, and in case you haven't heard, this year eating ice-cream in the lounge is allowed, so long as the area is kept neat.

At the present, Student Council is concerned with boosting student morale in the school and community. This is being done by assigning every member of the council under a special committee (publicity, elections, etc.) The morale committee's main function would be to boost school spirit. It will take time, but if the students will try hard, it can be accomplished.

Also, the Student Council is working on the program for the Twin Valley League meeting to be held here at Lowrey in May. The surrounding Twin Valley League student council officers will gather to discuss new ideas on how to solve some of the school's present problems.

This is going to keep the Student Council very busy in the next few months.

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## "Words of the Wise"

A plain bar of iron is worth five dollars. This same bar of iron, when made into horseshoes, is worth \$10.50. If made into needles, it is worth \$4,285. If turned into balance wheels for watches, it becomes worth \$250,000. This is true of another kind of material—you. Your value is determined by what you make of yourself.

—James K. Hughes  
Farmers Almanac

## GREAT DAYS IN NOVEMBER

The eleventh months of the year was the ninth month of the Roman year when it consisted of 10 months. It has thirty days, and in Great Britain is generally regarded as perhaps the gloomiest period of the year. The first day of the month is All Saints Day. The Anglo-Saxons called it Windmonath, and also Blodmonath (blood month) from the practice of slaughtering cattle during this month to be salted for the winter. In the United States, Thanksgiving Day comes in November. The birthstone for November is the Topaz, and the special flower of the month is the chrysanthemum. There are many great events and happenings in the month of November. They range from the commemoration of All Saints Day on November 2 to Forget-me-not Day on November 11. There have been many great people born and many great traditions in the month of November. When we think of November we think of brisk, chilly days with Thanksgiving turkey and cranberry sauce filling the air with its inviting and scrumptious aroma. We think of the motley laden leaves falling to the frost-bitten earth, and of the hunting of the wise pheasant. These are the main things we think of but what of the things we don't hear about so much? There are many great occasions in the month of November and here are some of the things that have happened in this holiday-filled month of the year.

1. Feast of All Saints
2. The birthdays of the great American frontiersman Daniel Boone, and Marie Antoinette, Queen of France
2. The birthdays of the eleventh President of the United States, James Polk, and of the twenty-ninth President, Warren Harding.
3. The birthday of the American Poet, William Cullen Bryant.
4. The birthday of American humorist, Will Rogers.
5. The birthday of pioneer journalist, Ida M. Tarbell.
6. The birthday of James Naismith, the inventor of basketball.
7. The birthday of Polish-French Physicist, Marie Curie.
7. The outbreak of the Russian Revolution.
8. Montana was the 41st state admitted to the Union in 1889.
9. American Education Week begins.
10. The birthday of Martin Luther, founder of Protestantism.
10. United States Marine Corps was created in 1775 by the Continental Congress.
11. Armistice Day, commemorating the cessation of hostilities in W. W. I.
12. The birthday of Elizabeth Stanton, American leader in the fight for equal rights for women.



## SENIOR TAKES TRIP

This summer, Ken Gendron, a senior, made an unusual trip to California. Ken and an alumni of Lowrey, Bill Rawski, rode their motorcycles there and back.

Ken had many unique experiences on his trip. He spent nights in motels and also camped out. It took him thirteen days to get there and only seven to get back. He went out of his way to see Yellowstone National Park. While he was there he saw some geysers and encountered four inches of hail.

Some of the places Ken visited included: Las Vegas, Beverly Hills, Santa Monica, Hollywood, Pasadena, and the Grand Canyon. He saw Mt. Rushmore, the Petrified Forests, the Painted Desert, and the Bad Lands.

Ken said, "The Bad Lands are really rough." He said the temperature reaches 103 degrees. Immediately after leaving the Bad Lands, they entered a town in which the temperature was 110 degrees in the shade. But he said the comparison was "like coming out of a blast furnace."

Another outstanding memory was when Ken saw a meteor crater that was one mile across. There were houses and shacks down inside the crater.

Ken ran out of money on the way back. For three days he lived on candy bars and water.

Ken's comment on his unusual trip was, "It's really cool in California. I'm going again next summer."

## A High School Boy's Guide to Popularity

1. Own a car
  2. Be a good conversationalist
  3. Own a car
  4. Present a good personal appearance
  5. Own a car
- Note: If the car is a red convertible, forget rules 2 and 4.)
13. The birthday of the celebrated Scottish novelist, poet, and essayist Robert Louis Stevenson.
  14. Birthdays of American engineer Robert Fulton and Prime Minister of India, Jawaharlal Nehru.
  14. The observance of Book Week.
  15. The Articles of Confederation were adopted.

## GUESS WHO!?!?

This "Oh Romeo" is an 11B student who came from Annapolis district 7.

His hobby is playing pool. Almost all his spare moments are spent practicing.

He is on a general course and has not yet decided what occupation to pursue when he graduates. When he graduates if he has not decided his occupation he plans to join the Navy.

Look for this Junior's name at the bottom of the page.

## Booster's Point System

Booster Club held their third meeting on October 3, 1961.

A report was given on the amount of money that was in the treasury. Out of the total of \$70.00 in the treasury \$50.00 is owed to the Activity Fund.

There was a discussion about getting Booster buttons for people who have been to three consecutive meetings as was in the past. Two type of buttons were discussed a large red button and a gold pin. No final decision was reached.

Booster members are looking into the possibility of a homecoming parade with floats sponsored by different clubs.

Many have asked what are the points each Booster member receives when attending school activities. The Merit system is as follows:

- 2 points home events
- 4 points away events
- 7 points participating in these events
  - a) Football
  - b) Basketball
  - c) Swimming
  - d) Track
  - e) Tennis
  - f) Baseball

Guess who: Dana Oma, 11B.

## Booster Story

6 points awarded to student members in good standing of these clubs:

- a) Booster Club
- b) Bowling Club
- c) Future Nurses
- d) Future Teachers
- e) Cheerleading Squad
- r) G. A. A.
- g) Fizz-Kem Club
- h) Majorettes
- i) Student Council

3 points awarded to students who obtain a B— or above average for each card marking.

5 points to any student in the Booster Club who has purchased an Annual that year.

12 points awarded to elected officers of the following clubs:

- a) Booster
- b) Bowling Club
- c) Future Nurses Club
- d) Varsity Club
- e) Fizz-Kem Club
- f) Thespians
- g) Future Teachers

7 points will be awarded to students elected to the following organizations or positions.

4 points will be awarded to students who act as chairman of committees of the Booster club.

5 points will be awarded to students appointed captain of team activities in the following clubs.

- a) G. A. A.
- b) Bowling Club
- c) Cheerleading squad
- d) Majorettes

3 points will be awarded to students who become dependable members of a Booster Club activity, committee, etc.

5 points will be awarded to students who attend the following school-sponsored activities.

- a) Dances
- b) Plays
- c) Band concerts
- d) Chorus concerts
- e) Student-faculty events

The total of points to be earned for a red letter "L" is set at 200.

# Features from the Bleachers

## Hamtramck Rolls Over Lowrey

Lowrey's injury riddled varsity football team suffered their fourth loss of the season 44-0 against Hamtramck on October 13.

Hamtramck has also suffered many injuries but they have a very strong second team. Most of Hamtramck's first line was out of the game Friday. The Hamtramck team that saw action played well and made the most of their chances.

So far this year Lowrey is supporting a 1-4 won-loss record. All four losses have been shut-outs. Walled Lake, Romulus, Willow Run and Hamtramck have been the victors.

Lowrey's largest amount of injuries has been in the backfield. The loss of Marty Hotvedt and Tom Gary has hurt the Lowrey team this year.

## Ecorse Beats Lowrey

Lowrey suffered their fifth defeat of the season against Ecorse 13-7, on October 18.

Lowrey's lone touchdown was scored in the first half by Don Damayo. At the half Lowrey held a 7-0 lead. Lowrey was overtaken by the recovery of the Ecorse team in the second half.

Damayo's touchdown broke Lowrey's scoreless streak which had lasted 4 games.

## Reserves Defeat Hamtramck

Lowrey's reserve football team played Hamtramck at Hamtramck on October 12, and our boys came home with a 13-7 victory.

Lowrey out-played Hamtramck most of the afternoon. Ted Glore, 10B, plunged 3 yards for one touchdown. Also scoring was Cris Stephens who scored on an end sweep that covered about 10 yards for Lowrey's second touchdown. Then Jack Tynan ran for the extra point which put Lowrey ahead at the end of the half 13 to 0.

During the second half Hamtramck scored once which ended the scoring at 13-7. On defense Jack Bogada and Bob Ortega were outstanding as they made a lot of tackles. Coach Gretzner said, "The boys looked good and had a lot of hustle."

## T. V. L. Standing

	W	L
Hamtramck	3	0
Romulus	3	0
Willow Run	2	2
Ecorse	1	2
River Rouge	1	2
Lowrey	0	4

## Varsity Club Holds Election

Lowrey's Varsity Club has just held its annual elections and the results are as follows: The new president is John Antonelli, who is head of the varsity committee. The vice-president is Gary Johnson who is head of the constitution committee. The new marshall is Tom Gary and he is head of the initiation committee.

The members of the varsity club, whose main goal is to help the athletic events and earn enough money for a 16mm movie camera, are going to rewrite their constitution.

Many new people have been inquiring about the initiation for the new members of the varsity club. The initiations, according to Mr. Bach, will be just about the same as last year. Each new member must do some sort of work towards earning his letter. This year the members are making rubber mouthpieces for the football team. The new member must also get a very short hair-cut a quarter of an inch long. Then comes the actual initiation which will take place in the boys gym in the near future. Well, boys, we wish you luck and we hope you have a very prosperous year!

## Cheerleaders

### Visit Eastern

Our cheerleaders made an unusual trip to Eastern Michigan University on Saturday, October 14. Seven of the eight girls went to Ypsilanti for a cheerleading convention. They spent the entire day at Eastern.

Mr. Newt Lokin, a gymnasium teacher taught the cheerleaders new cheers, sideline sayings, and songs. Between 75 and 100 schools were represented at the convention. After lunch, which was eaten on campus, Mr. Lokin gave them pep rally ideas and all the girls who attended had to cheer. Over a thousand girls were there to cheer.

Barbara Bruder, a Lowrey cheerleader, commented about the convention, "We cheerleaders feel we have gained a large number of new ideas as well as having been given the opportunity to meet a lot of girls with the same interest as ours; boosting our school spirit through cheerleading."

If you've noticed our cheerleaders lately, you'll note the many new cheers and ways of presenting them that are being used. The girls are looking better all the time. Keep up the good work!



From left to right, they are Virginia Kea, Mary Aann Willett, Lois Bellotti, Sandy Broilo, Pat Moody, and Danya Landry.

## Meet the Majorettes; Seven Busy Girls

There are seven girls who have been working with the band each day so that we might have some entertainment during the half-times of our games. These girls are the majorettes, and they are working hard to make the student body proud of them. They stay after school several nights a week because not all of them are experienced, and they feel they have to practice often to do their best.

We would like to take the opportunity to introduce you to each of the girls individually:

### Mary Ann Willett, 12A-3:

To Mary Ann, a College-Prep student and Captain of the Majorette squad, "Being a majorette is quite an honor." Mary Ann also stated, "We stay after school quite often, and I don't think any of us like this part of it; but we do have to practice." Mary Ann regrets that she will leave the squad in January, but she is sure that the others will be able to carry on and will do a good job on Memorial Day. "Good Luck to them and to our band," added Mary Ann.

### Lois Bellotti, 11A-1:

Lois, a College Prep student who is a returning member of the squad is co-captain of the majorettes this year. She enjoys being a majorette because it is a chance to get to know more people and to help raise more school spirit. "Being a majorette is worth our effort because of all the time we put in after school, but with a little more practice and working together, we could accomplish a lot more than we have in the past." She then added, "I feel that I encourage others to participate in more school activities."

### Virginia Kea, 12A-2:

Virginia, who is on a College Prep course, is also a returning member to the squad. Virginia feels that becoming a majorette has helped her in understanding football. Virginia says she would very much like to march on the opponents' fields as well as on our own field for this reason: "It doesn't matter about the condition of the field or the people around you. All

you're concerned with is just arousing the spirit of the spectators." Her final words were: "I like being a majorette, and I sincerely hope that the squad can accomplish bigger and better things."

### Sandy Broilo, 12B-2:

Sandy, also a College Prep student, says, "It's a pleasure to be majorette. It takes a lot of time and hard practice, but I feel it's worth it because I'm doing something extra for the school." She likes to entertain our school and the visiting school during the half-time show. Sandy added, "It shows the visiting school that we have school spirit, and I feel that school spirit is very important."

### Kathy Calvin, 11B-1:

Kathy, another College Prep student, is new on the squad this year. She feels that becoming a majorette has greatly inspired her interest in football. "I'm more interested in the game when we march because I am peeper, have more school spirit, and I feel as if I am doing something for the team," said Kathy. She sums up her feelings about the squad in saying, "I enjoy being a majorette very much."

### Danya Landry, 11A-2:

Danya is another new member to the squad this year. She became interested in majorettes while in her sophomore year but did not try out for the squad. This year she made up her mind to try out and was very happy that she was chosen. Danya said, "We have a very good leader this year. I think if we keep practicing hard like we have been doing, we can develop a pretty good squad, and one to make the kids of this school proud."

### Pat Moody, 12B-6

When Pat, a Commercial student and new member to the squad was asked how she felt about being a majorette, she replied, "It's an honor." She agrees that it does take a lot of hard work and practice, but she enjoys marching with the band. "I think it shows the team that we are behind them," added Pat.