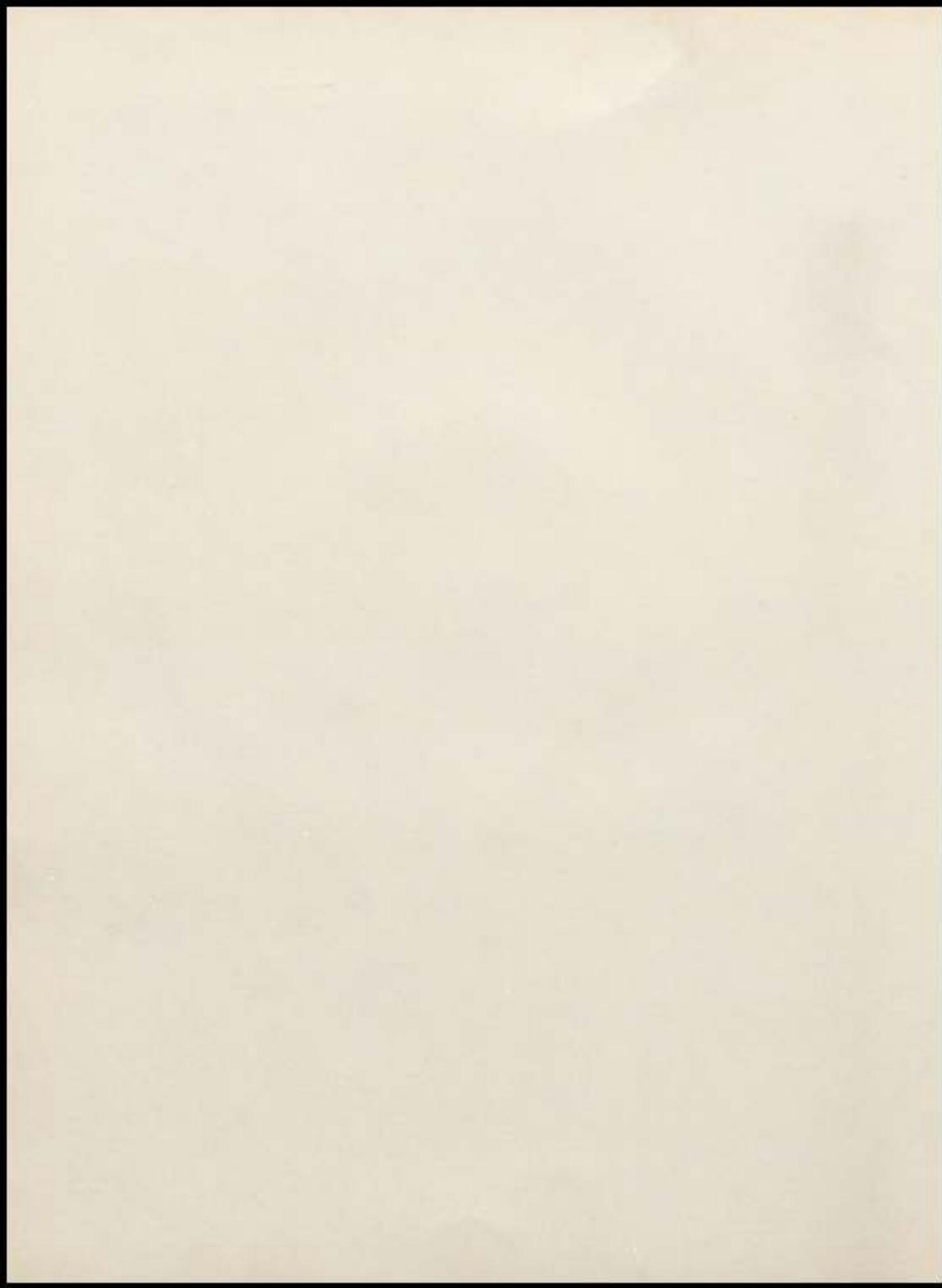




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1. Miss Johnson tries to be the good fairy while decorating for prom. 2. Randy Jesspersen, Tammy Luke, Kristi Jensen, Renae Hansen and Laurie DeVries enjoy lunch at the Senior Return Party.



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Meet The "Real People" Of VHS

We, the annual staff of 1981, are going to take you to the halls and happenings effecting the "Real People" of Viborg High School. You may take a look at every student, organization and event that went on through the year. The staff has chosen to show you all of this by using the theme of television.

As the year started we met two new faculty members, Mr. L. E. Anderson our principal and Mr. Randall Kantack our ag. teacher. At this time we were into the football, girls basketball and cross country season. We journeyed through homecoming, tournaments and Sadie Hawkins. Winter brings boys basketball, volleyball, concerts and Christmas vacation as our spring is track, more concerts, prom and graduation.

This year, our U.S. Government was changed to Republican con-

trol by the election of President Ronald Reagan. Under his direction the grain embargo was lifted and our 52 American hostages were freed from the Iranians.

Another occurrence in the world news was the assassination of former Beatle star John Lennon. Our gun controllers were aroused even more after the shootings of President Reagan and Pope John Paul II. Both were fortunate enough to only be injured and were able to gain their health rapidly. In early June, for the first time in the history of the major league an in season baseball strike took place. This has yet a decision to be made for it.

With the high prices of gas and inflation constantly going up, everyone was forced to stay closer to home and watch how they spend their earnings. In Febru-

ary, the Pavilion burnt to the ground which left our students with no place to get together for the evenings. After this they chose to see more movies such as "9 to 5", "Ordinary People" and "Seems Like Old Times." Throughout the year, VHS along with the entire nation became involved in the weekly episode of number one rated TV series "Dallas." Changes will be brought about in the cast resulting from the death of actor Jim Davis playing the role of the oldest Ewing in the nighttime serial.

And now as we go we leave you with this thought:

As you go through, take a look, remember the good times in our book.

We hope this book will bring a laugh.

But certainly not at your annual staff.

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1. Denise Munkvold, Sandra Petersen and Renae Hansen try to get first hand information about the army. 2. Miss Gramstad works hard with her pep band so they can add their part to homecoming. 3. Mrs. Lillian Noteboom opens a gift at a party given by the teachers for VHS.



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4. Mayor David VerBeek does his part in putting the fire out at the pavilion. 5. Ronda Lockwood and Karen Mark find that pies can be a large asset to a great meal. 6. Some of the yearbook staff,

FRONT - Karen Nelson, Karby Mark, Rhonda Lockwood and Karen Mark; BACK - Karen Miller, Doug Sorensen and Kristi Jensen do a little posing for the camera.



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Executive Directors

Interrupting our regularly scheduled program we take a minute to look into the role of our school board as it guides us through thick and thin for the 1980-81 school year. These people meet the first Monday each month to tackle the decisions that keep our school operating.

1. Mr. William Heiter, Superintendent. 2. Mr. L. E. Anderson, high school principal, driver's education instructor, world history, senior class advisor and student council advisor. 3. Members of the board include: SEATED - Mrs. Viola Larsen, Mr. Arlen Jensen, chairman, Dr. F. G. Nelson, Mr. Ledin Hansen, Mr. Warren Olsen and Mr. Gary Nelson; STANDING - Mr. William Heiter, superintendent, Mrs. Lillian Noteboom, grade principal and Mr. L. E. Anderson, high school principal.



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"It's A Living"

Our teachers not only prepare notes and correct papers, but also find the time to be coaches, club advisors and try to increase the interests of students in the school. Preparing kids for the future is their job and they do this in their many classes and activities.

1. Mr. Dan Clare - K, 1 & 2 pe, Counselor, English I, assistant girls basketball, assistant boys basketball and Freshman class advisor. 2. Mr. Gerald Friier - American History, general math, geometry, 9 & 10 pe, head girls basketball, junior high boys basketball, head boys track and sophomore class advisor. 3. Mrs. Donette Gering - Home Ec I, II, III & IV, crafts, FHA advisor, junior class advisor and cheerleading advisor. 4. Miss Karen Gramstad - hand, hand lessons, all grade school music and junior class advisor. 5. Mr. Gary Jensen - American Government, American Economics, 3 & 4 pe, psychology, sociology, assistant football, head boys basket-

ball, head girls track and sophomore class advisor. 6. Miss Glenda Johnson - English II, III & IV, school paper, plays, declam, pep club advisor and junior class advisor. 7. Mr. Randall Kantack - Ag I, II, III & IV, shop, FFA advisor and junior class advisor. 8. Mrs. Connie Nyhaug - Typing I & II, bookkeeping, consumer economics, business law, 7 & 8 girls pe, yearbook advisor, national honor society advisor, head cross country, junior high girls basketball, head volleyball and junior class advisor. 9. Mr. John Nyhaug - 6, 7 & 8 grade science, biology, 5 & 6 pe, 7 & 8 boys pe, head football, junior high track, science fair and senior class advisor. 10. Mr. Alan Ward - Algebra I & II, advanced math, computer, chemistry, physical science, audio visual, junior class advisor, science fair and science club advisor. 11. Mrs. Ethel Ward - Librarian, library science, mixed chorus, girls and boys glee and freshman class advisor.



"Work In Viborg"

The Viborg School support personnel include a group of fine workers. Without these people our school could not function well. Our bus drivers spend much of their time taking students to and from school. They also spend extra time driving players and pep buses to games. Each week Mrs. DeVries, the head cook, takes time out to plan and balance the next week's menu. The remaining cooks prepare and serve these nutritious meals to each student.

Mrs. Viola Larsen spends many hours balancing all of the money matters of the school. Long hours before, during, and after school are put in by Nancy and Charles Hansen. Their responsibility is to be sure the school is clean and everything is in working order. All of these energetic people are an important part of the school. Nothing could run as smoothly as it does without them.



1. Bus drivers for this school year were: Nancy Hansen, Gloria Jonason, Adeline Morck, Rueben, Morck, and Leighton Peterson. 2. Loretta Hjelm, Doris DeV-

ries, Marvel Morrison, Joyce Jensen, and Emily Larsen prepared noon meals for all the students and faculty. 3. Janitors heading the maintenance of the

school were Nancy and Charles Hansen. 4. Mrs. Viola Larsen balances all the financial records of the school system.

Social Science Classes Prepare Students To Face The Nation



Students from each grade take time out of their day to study one of the offered social science courses. These courses deal with problems, current situations and history of our country and the world.

In world history, taught by Mr. Anderson, the Freshman and Sophomores take a look into the beginning of civilization. They start by studying each section of the world and its political, economical, and social movements during certain eras.

American Government and Economy are required for the senior class. They take one semester of each switching off at the end of the semester. Mr.

Jensen and his classes look into the local, state, and federal governments as well as the basics of the economy that enables our nation to prosper. Their studies were highlighted by a visit to the state capital. Problems of the individual and society as a whole are the topic of main discussion during psychology and sociology. The events leading up to our present day country are examined by every junior during American History. Mr. Freier keeps the students well informed on what is and has been going on. Preparing the students to face the society and understand the system are all a part of each social science class.



1. Kristi Jensen marks down another point as Janine Hansen, Renae Hansen,

and JoDee Frederickson contemplate another current event quiz question during the economy class's favorite break away from the regular routine. 2. Brad Hartmann, Craig Nelson, Troy Lee, Robbie Christensen, Kevin Lee, Alan Rasmussen, and Jay Morrison all seem to be studying hard in Global History. 3. Jon Huber sits back and relaxes through another History test as Denise Munkvold ponders over a question. 4. The economics class gets involved in another controversial discussion.



"Once Upon A Class"

English, a required subject, is taken by all students for their four years in high school. In her English II-IV classes, Miss Johnson incorporates grammar, literature, speech, and a number of things that will be valuable to them in years to come. She also started an advanced composition class which publishes a biweekly school newspaper. Mr. Clare teaches English I. He covers vocabulary, literature, grammar, book reports, and they read three to four novels through the year.

Typing I and II, bookkeeping, business law, and consumer economics are the business courses offered at VHS. Mrs. Nyhaug assigns packets in typing and bookkeeping which are an actual simulation of the students working in an office. In law and economics, the students learn their rights and responsibilities as minors and adults and how the U.S. economics changes and why.

Both English and business have carry over value to every student. Writing a letter, typing an application, balancing a checkbook or writing a resume are just a few of the essentials they will need to know after their graduation day.



1. Robert Rasmussen, Randy Jespersen, Brenda Lee, and Jeff Nielsen balance all the debits and credits in their bookkeeping packets. 2. Mrs. Nyhaug informs Rodney Sletten about the business law assignment. 3. Craig Nelson and Mr. Clare diagram the confusing sentence in English I. 4. Group work can be just as effective in English II, which is shown by Cyndi Sorensen, Karen Mark, Jay Morrison, and Dale Danielson. 5. JoDoe Frederickson is assisted by Miss Johnson on her journal writing.



"Good Neighbors" Developed By Vocational Courses



VHS offers several influential courses for students in the vocational area. Included in these are Agriculture I-IV, shop, Home Economics I-IV, and crafts. Throughout the year in agriculture, Mr. Kantack teaches various farming interests. Such things as animal science, welding, woodworking, and crop science are studied in depth. In shop class, the students go through small gas engines, woodworking, and welding.

Home Economics helps each student to be more self-suffi-

cient. Mrs. Gering directs in the cooking and sewing areas, meat cuts, canning fruits, vegetables and meats, child care and development and marriage. Craft class was offered for the second year and these girls worked with macrame, crocheting, needlepoint, and assorted holiday crafts.

These vital classes help each individual to be a more rounded person. They not only learn a basic education, but many facts that will be valuable to them in years to come.



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1. Whipping up treats for home-ec. Cyndi Sorenson uses her different strokes. 2. It appears that those's company as Mr. Kantack, Jon Huber, and Grant Peterson aren't sure what to look for. 3. Sivikay Khamisukthomvong is learning the basics of putting the pieces together, while Mrs. Gering advises her on the techniques. 4. Mike Miller, caught without his safety goggles on, is just too close for comfort as David Lockwood straightens him out on the situation. 5. If it will come off the pan seems to be the look of Rita Jorgensen and Laura Bartels we're gonna have pork chops for today's special.



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"Name That Tune"

Many VHS students find enjoyment by participating in band and vocal music. These electives provide a brief break in their busy class schedules.

Girls and boys glee and mixed chorus are under the harmonious direction of Mrs. Ward. The participants put on a concert at Christmas time and one in the spring. Every February they travel to Vermillion for the Regional Vocal Contests.

They also sing a number at the Graduation exercises as a final tribute to the graduating class. Our

band, under the direction of Miss Gramstad, has shown great improvement through their hard work. They contribute music for all athletic events and pep meetings. The band also plays at the Christmas and spring concerts adding a little variety each year. Their finale of the year was to march the seniors in and add a special touch to graduation.

These gifted students put much effort into improving their talents. This is displayed by public performances at games, concerts, and contests.

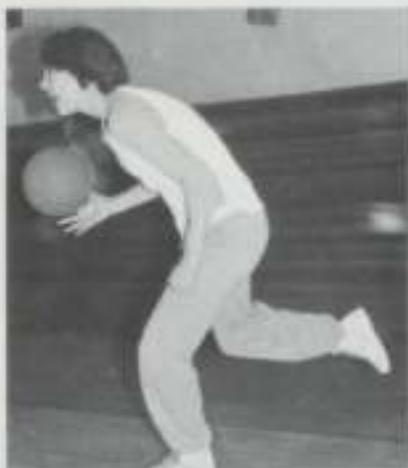


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1. In the brass section, Jon Christensen and Brian Sampson add their touch to the band. 2. The band, directed by Miss Gramstad, works hard preparing for the spring concert. 3. Those incredible singers, JoDee Frederickson, Denise Munkvold, David Jensen, and Drew Peterson, keep the beat moving by their concentration. 4. Renae Hansen and Laurie DeVries work on the alto part to get it just right. 5. How do you rate this drummer section? Karen Jorgensen, Marci Christensen, Craig Nelson, and Robbie Christensen show their "American Bandstand" stuff at the pep meeting.





"Breaking Away" From Daily Routine

Taking time from their regularly scheduled program, students are given the chance to get involved in drivers education, audio-visual class and physical education. Drivers ed was renewed by Mr. Anderson this year. The students spend the first nine weeks in the classroom then put in a certain amount of hours at the wheel before they are allowed to receive their license.

Working in the darkroom, assembling radio kits, video taping the games and lifting pictures are some of the specialties Mr. Ward

teaches his A.V. class. They met every Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday and learned a few new skills each time.

The P.E. classes get involved in many sports related activities. They play a variety of games such as kicker, soccer, and volleyball over the school year. They have a lot of fun doing this but they also get into shape physically. These classes are very special to the people at VHS. They give the students and teachers a little time out from the regular academic schedule.

1. Drew Peterson and Jon Christensen show their great abilities for changing tires. 2. Karen Jorgensen shows off her skill in a little pitching activity. 3. Tammy Luke proves she has great form for catching the ball. 4. Mr. Ward, Terry Weier, Jeff Nielsen, and Jeff Pearson try their hand at cutting metal. 5. Dale Danielsen helps examine the radio for the loose wiring.

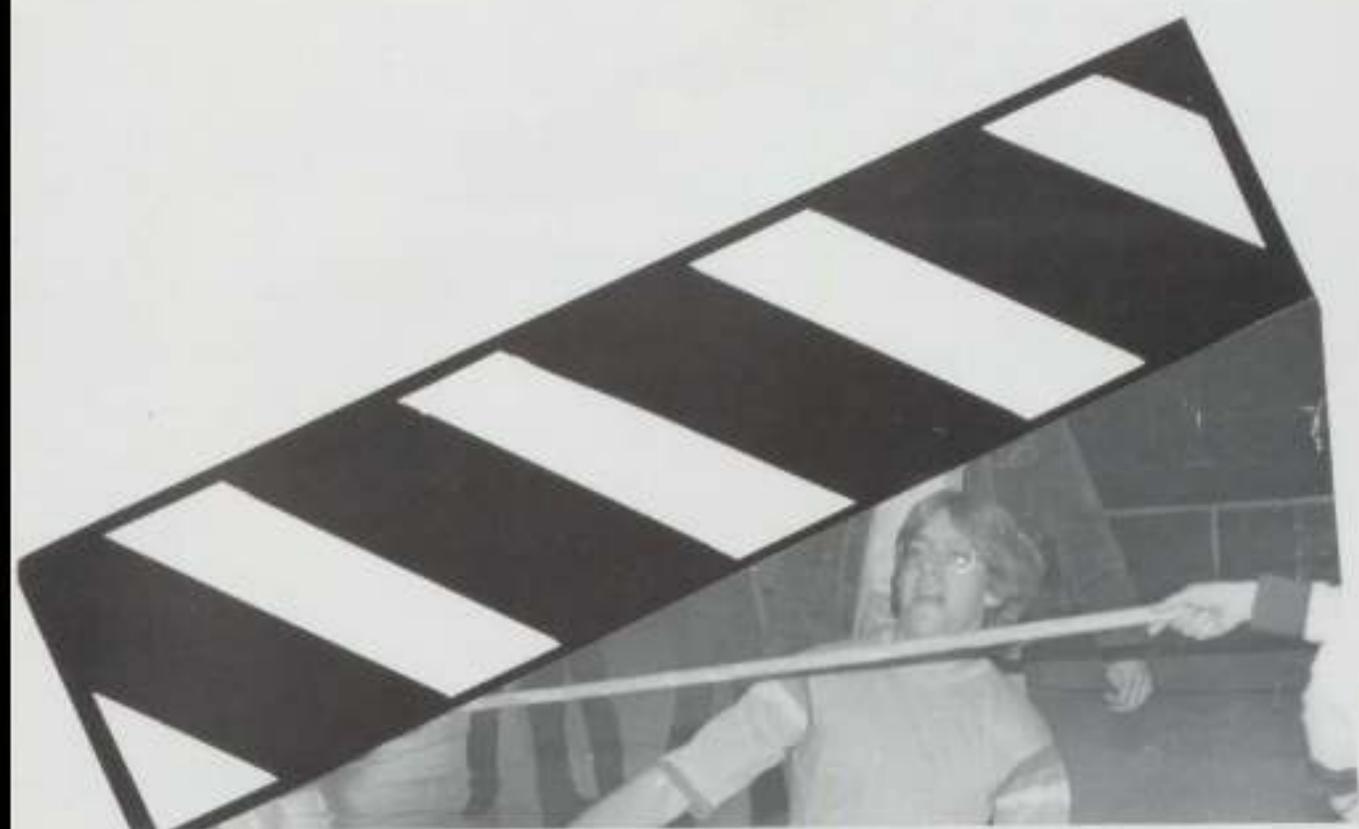
Problems Of The Unexpected

The VHS math and science programs involve quite a variety of classes. Mr. Ward spends much of his time teaching his students the different approaches to a problem or an experiment. His classes consist of Algebra I and II, computer, advanced math, physical science, and chemistry. Biology, a sophomore requirement, is taught by Mr. Nyhaug. He covers plants, animals and the human body structure and introduces self-learning to each student as they dissect organs and animals.

Mr. Freier contributes to the math department. He works hard with his geometry and general math classes encompassing basic arithmetic, angles, sets, and theorems. These essential classes will undoubtedly prove to be helpful to the VHS students in the future.

1. Mr. Nyhaug points out both sides of those amazing animals to Dale Danielson during one of those dissecting sessions in biology. 2. "Well, to tell you the truth, Mr. Freier, I really don't understand what you're talking about," explained baffled Brian Bjerkaas. 3. "Don't worry Mr. Ward, sometimes real people make mistakes too, even me," giggles Carol Nelson. 4. David Lockwood is taking a sneak preview of Jeff Nielsen's results. 5. Tim Peterson and Brenda Alton take on the next Algebra problem.





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Starting A New Scene

"We are not afraid of tomorrow, we have seen yesterday and we love today." Looking to the guidance provided by their motto, the seniors are reminded of the times that started with going to the zoo, all the way to their senior prom and graduation. They will probably remember this year and all of the activities as the highlight of their school days.

Three boys and three girls were chosen from their class as royalty. Selected by the student body were Laurie DeVries and Steve Stange to reign as king and queen over their ultimate home-

coming. Going along with the patriotic theme, "Drive the Raiders Nuts," was exhibited by a peanut decorated car to reflect President Jimmy Carter's peanut farmer reputation.

Along with all the rough and embarrassing treatment of Freshman initiation, the seniors welcome them with a party in the fall. Accompanying one of their required classes of government, the seniors traveled to Pierre to explore the Capitol.

Each year the senior's appreciate their exclusive privileges among

which are eating on the first bell and open study halls the last quarter.

The moment each senior looks forward to is receiving that long awaited diploma. On May 19, 1981, thirty-six determined young adults set out to take on the world.

The final minutes of the school years climax with skip days. Tours of Minneapolis remain the concluding episode in the memories of the class of nineteen hundred and eighty-one.



Ivan Anderson



Laura Bartels



Teresa Campbell



1. Ronae Hansen and David Jensen enjoy the Sweetheart King and Queen dance. 2. James Clare, King Steve Stange, Queen Laurie DeVries and Michelle Hoising ride in the homecoming parade.

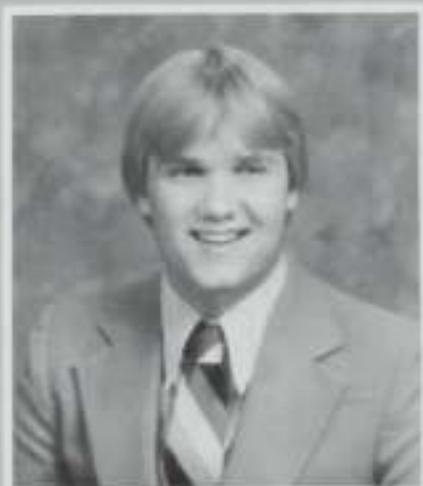


Page 15: 1. Senior class officers were: FRONT - Craig Nielsen, student body president; Kathy Mark, student council; and Janine Hansen, secretary-treasurer; BACK - Steve Stange, vice-president; and

Laurie DeVries, president. 2. The senior boys took a defeat by the teachers on the basketball court. Some players were Kyle Lee, Mr. Dan Clare, Steve Stange, Bryan Lund, Mr. Randy Kartack and Mike Miller.



Laurie Jean DeVries



Carlin Edelman



Brenda Christensen



Larry Ray Christensen



JuDee Ann Frederickson





Dennis D. Hanson



Janine Sue Hansen



Renae Ann Hansen



Mark Jensen



David Allen Jensen



Kristi Jean Jensen



1. The 1981 VHS football team will miss these ten seniors. They are: FRONT - Terry Westergaard, Mike Miller, Craig Nielsen, David Lockwood and Keith Kroppstad; BACK - Steve Stange, Dan

Lindgren, Kyle Lee, Bryan Lund and Randy Peterson. 2. Seniors last day of school looks pretty slack for Terry Westergaard and Robbie Oswald.



1. Getting excited for the Twins and Royals game are: FRONT - Karen Nelson and Bryan Lund; BACK - Terry Westergaard, Steve Stang, Keith Kropotnske and Kyle Lee.
 2. Denise Munkvold presents Carlin Edelman with an all-day sucker for the most creative hat.



Rita Jorgensen



Troy Johns



Keith E. Kropotnske



Kyle Lee



Daniel W. Lindgren



David Michael Lockwood



Frank Lohan



Tony Ludwig



Bryan A. Lund



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Kathy Jo Mack



Sandra Mikkelsen



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1. Buddies, Craig Nielsen and David Lockwood, style their hats for the camera. 2. JoJee Frederickson and Renae Hansen enjoy their lunch at the nursing home. 3. "Don't fool with me," says David Jensen.



Mike Miller



Karen Lee Nelson



Craig A. Nielsen



Jay Nielsen



Robbie Oswald



Randy D. Peterson



Lori Richards



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1. Randy Peterson and Bryan Lund talk over old times before the big moment, as Keith Kropuenske looks on from behind.

2. David Lockwood, Steve Stange and Carin Edelman "hit the books" during study hall.

1. Kristi Jensen sneaks a taste of delicious chemistry fudge. 2. Seniors sticking together for all twelve years at VHS were: FRONT - Kathy Mark, Laurie DeVries, Kristi Jensen, Karen Nelson and JoDee Fredericksen; BACK - Mike Miller, David Lockwood, Ivan Anderson, Dennis Hanson, Doug Sorensen, Randy Peterson, Rodney Sletten, Carlin Edelman, Robbie Oswald, Renae Hansen, Janise Hansen and Rita Jorgensen. 3. Janise Hansen helps Carlin Edelman with his rose boutonniere, these were given by Janise to all seniors.



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Rodney L. Sletten



Douglas R. Sorensen



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Steven C. Stange



Terry G. Westergaard

The Class Of 1982 Starring . . .

Nineteen juniors started the year knowing that they would have to work hard to raise money. All of their earnings gained by their magazine sales and concessions at the football and boys basketball games are consumed by their prom. This year they chose the theme "Stairway to Heaven" and

decorated in light and dark blue. The students that took on the role of juniors, performed to their highest potential, as they grabbed the first place float at homecoming. Two classes, American History and English are required, and electives of bookkeeping, chemistry, Typing II, Advanced English and geometry are classes juniors attend each day.

Looking forward to be rulers of the halls of VHS, the juniors finish one more year. Hopefully, each day they have spent in their eleventh year has helped them to reach their final goals.

1 Junior officers for the 1980-81 school year were: Donise Munkvold, Vice-President; Karen Miller, Treasurer; Brenda Lee, Student Council; Jeff Nielson, Secretary; and Jon Huber, President.



Julie Anderson



Marci Christensen



Sharrie Dornan



Tina Hanson



Jon Huber



Randy Jorgensen



Brenda Lee



Julie Ludwig

1. Carol Nelson, Mary Anderson and Julie Ludwig talk things over in Mrs. Gering's study hall. 2. Karen Miller displays a head full of hats during hat day. 3. Top maga-

zine salesman of the junior class were Jon Huber, Sandra Petersen and Carol Nelson.



Karen Miller



Denise Munkvold



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Carol Nelson



Jeff Nielsen



LeRoy Oleson



Pam Overgard



Jeff Pearson



Grant Peterson



Sandra Petersen



Robert Rasmussen



1. Julie Anderson, Tira Hanson, Marci Christensen and Sandra Petersen take time out to relax during class. 2. Jeff Nielson helps out Mrs. Nyhaug by bolting down some typewriters. 3. Julie Ludwig really enjoys putting a pie in Mr. Kantack's face. 4. Renfield, Kazari Miller, looks for some more spiders to eat.

Sophomores Adventure "Happy Days" Again

The sophomores, leaping into their second season, are a smashing hit. They had many new choices to make, such as choosing their classes. Their required courses were English and biology and they could choose from typing, global history, ag, home-ec, and Algebra II.

During the year one of their class projects included the homecoming float. A topic of "Land Where the Raiders Died" maintained a second place finish in the float competition. To compensate for the Sweetheart Ball, the sophomores worked on selling pop-

corn.

Light and dark blue were chosen as their colors for the dance and the theme of "Dreaming" was followed throughout the decorations.

After a year with more responsibility and excitement, the sophomores are ready to take on the junior role. With only two more years remaining, these students will make the best of everything at VHS.

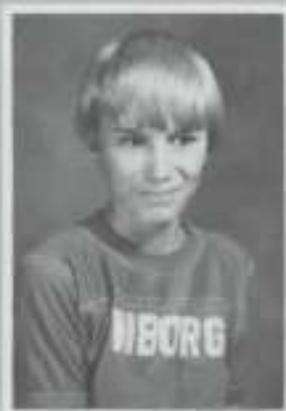
Sophomore officers were: Sandra Jensen, President; Karen Mark, Student Council Representative; Rhonda Lockwood, Vice-President and Brad Hartmann, Secretary.



Mary Anderson



Carol Bartels



Jon Christensen



Robert Christensen



Dale Danielsen



Brad Hartmann



Dale Jensen



Sandra Jensen



Shelley Johns



Kevin Lee



Troy Lee



Rhonda Lockwood



1. FFA workers, Tim Mohr and Drew Peterson, peg up the hogs at the pork show. 2. Jay Morrison investigates the purpose of the gills in a fish.



Karen Mark



Tim Mohr



Jay Morrison



John Pearson



Drew Peterson



Alan Kasmussen



Brian Sampson



Cyndi Sorensen



Mark Wiser



1. Wrapping up the homecoming float, Cyndi Sorensen, Karen Mark, and Rhonda Lockwood put on their finishing touches. 2. Tim Mohr and Robbie Christensen caught clowning around for the camera in English. 3. President Sandra Jensen represents the sophomore class in the huddle during contest at the pep meeting. 4. Using swift strokes, Jon Christensen, Dale Danielson, Jay Morrison, and Brad Hartmann finish up another hard days assignment.





Freshman Learn The "Faces of Life"

The Freshman started out their first year of high school by getting involved in the homecoming activities. Their float, "Statue of Victory," placed third in the high school division of competition. Building the bonfire of the homecoming pep fest was another one of their traditional duties.

The Freshman underwent the circumstances of Freshman initiation. They did this for three days. One highlight of initiation was boys wearing dresses, wigs, and makeup. The girls had fun dressing up in heavy winter coats, caps, mittens, boots, and long underwear. They had a lot of fun even

though sometimes it tended to be a little embarrassing.

In the spring the Freshman held the senior return party. They funded this by selling Christmas candles which turned out to be a great success. It's been a long year of trial and error but each student is prepared to start their sophomore year.

1. Tammy Pearson shows off her winter gear in the middle of September. These freshmen have a lot to learn! 2. Sixxay Khamsookthansong finds it hard to see her paper so she uses her experiment goggles. 3. Tammy Luke, Brenda Alton, Karen Jorgensen, and Greg Nelson are performing a science experiment.



Brenda Alton



Brian Bjerkaas



David Boe



Loren Johnson



Karen Jorgensen



Sitsay Khamsoukthoumng



Lori Ludwig



Tammy Luke



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Craig Nelson



Greg Nelson



Tammy Pearson



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1. Brian Baerkaas shows off his "beauty" in study hall during freshman initiation. 2. Mr. Clare acts as fireman over Tammy Luke, Greg Nelson, Karen Jor-

gensen, and Tim Peterson as they labor over their homecoming float. 3. Loren Johnson concentrates hard while working with the computer.



Tino Peterson



Patti Sanborn



Terry Walter



Nancy Westergaard



1. The class officers for the freshman were; FRONT- Brenda Alton, Student Council Representative; and Tammy Pearson, Secretary; BACK- David Boe,



3. Patti Sanborn and Nancy Westergaard contemplate the next answer on their English assignment.

Homecoming: The Season Premier

VHS held its traditional coronation on Thursday night of Homecoming week. After Craig Nielsen gave the welcome and Coach Nyhaug introduced players and cheerleaders, the senior candidates were escorted down the aisle by candlelight to the decorated yellow and lavender stage.

Undoubtly, the highlight of the evening was the crowning of Queen Laurie DeVries and King Steve Stange. Other candidates were JoDee Frederickson, Karen Nelson, Keith Kropuenske and Terry Westergaard. Speeches were given by the new reigning king and queen and "Viking Royalty" was sung by the girls glee.

After the coronation, pep fests were held on main street and at the bonfire which was built by the freshman. It was led by the cheerleaders with chants, cheers and skits. Speakers were Reverend Norman Wahl, alumnus Kevin Huber and the 1980 royalty.



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1. Laurie DeVries and Steve Stange just being their royal selves. 2. Jonniler Hoelsing and James Clare are waiting patiently for the coronation to begin. 3.



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& 4. JoDee Frederickson, Keith Kropuenske, Karen Nelson and Terry Westergaard are the remaining royalty.



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1. Patti Sanborn, Karen Jorgensen and Tammy Luke building the bonfire as an "After School Special." 2. Jon Huber, painting the homecoming float, demonstrates some "Different Strokes." 3. Sandra Petersen, Sharrie Dozman and Patti Sanborn are cheering at the bonfire as the "Tonight Show." 4. Sandea Jensen and Cyndi Sorensen are shown in another glimpse of "Real People" in action. 5. Karen Mark and Gail Janson find sharing music almost "Too Close for Comfort."



We Now Return You To Homecoming '80

On the sunlit homecoming day, floats lined up for the 1:00 parade, all based on the theme of "Salute to America." Bands participating were Viborg, Hurley, Irene and Parker. Capturing first place in float competition were the juniors with "Victory Train." Eighth grade won in the upper grade division and third and fourth won in the lower grades. That evening the Viborg Vikings took on the Gayville-Volin Raiders for their second game of the season. During half-time, the Viborg Jaycettes awarded money to VHS for the new electronic scoreboard. Also the pep club raffled off the signed game ball which was won by Robert Nelson and given back to the team for the trophy case. The team bettered their record to 2-0, by a tough defensive and offensive effort as they defeated the Raiders, 48-13. After the game, Viborg Alumni, students and dates ended their 1980 homecoming by dancing and listening to "The Roamers."

1. No, it's not Vikings against Vikings, this was just the warm-up for the big game. 2. The junior float, which took first place, is waiting for the parade to start. 3. Coach Jensen on the field at work - now "That's Incredible!"





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1. The band gets the spirit flowing by playing a favorite tune. 2. Julie Ludwig, Carol Nelson, and Thersa Campbell clown around during the parade. 3. Loren Johnson shows the 'ole Statue of Liberty play. 4. Patti Sanborn and Sharrie Dorman give moral support as JoDee Fredrickson and Julie Ludwig cook up something for the crowd. 5. David Lockwood and Terry Westergaard help set up the bleachers for the game. 6. Coach Nyhaug doubles as trainer, when Craig Nielsen is injured in the game.

Time-out For Station Identification

We take a break in our regular programming to take a look at a routine schedule of students at VHS. Each day's busy activities start even before the 8:30 bell. Many students originate from rural families. These kids have an early start each day to catch the bus for school. After arriving by car, by bus, by bike or just walking everyone gathers in the halls a few short minutes before first

period to rush in one last problem, or to discuss the previous nights activities.

During the seven periods of the day, high school students go to required and elective classes, band and chorus practices, study halls, and club activities. Through the noon hour each class is dismissed on a different bell and heads to the lunchroom

for a hot dinner. In the afternoon the students have classes along with other activities such as pep meetings, assemblies, or after school practices.

Now they board the bus to go home, but the day is not yet over for they have many other home and school activities that go beyond the seven periods of the day.



1. Rhonda Lockwood looks pretty bored with school today. 2. Doug Sorenson, Carol Nelson, Robert Rasmussen and Laurie DeVries enjoy the music by dancing at the Senior Return Party. 3. Patti Sanborn checks things out to be sure she's in step. 4. Wow, what a lady! Alan Rasmussen portrays a character in the prom skit. 5. Tim Peterson does his thing for freshman initiation.





1. Our VHS seniors were: FRONT - Robbie Oswald, Dan Lindgren, Kathy Mark, Mark Jensen, Karen Nelson, Jo-Dee Frederickson, Frank Lohan, Renae Hansen, Janine Hansen, Laura Bartels, Lori Richards, Brenda Christensen, Sandra Mikkelsen, Rita Jorgenson, Jay Nielsen, Teresa Campbell, Laurie DeVries and Kristi Jensen; BACK - Troy Johns, Kyle Lee, David Jensen, Larry Christensen, Carlin Edelman, Dennis Hanson, Doug Sorensen, Keith Kropuenske, Steve Starage, Rodney Sletten, Bryan Lund, Randy Peterson, Ivan Anderson, Terry Westergaard, Mike Miller, Craig Nielsen and David Lockwood. 2. Brenda Alton and Tammy Pearson try to study for a while. 3. JoDee Frederickson enjoys putting a pie in Mr. Anderson's face. 4. Larry Christensen, Brenda Christensen, Teresa Campbell and Laura Bartels practice for their graduation night



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"Heart To Heart"

Saturday, February 21, proved to be a terrific night for everyone at VHS. The sophomore class sponsored the Sweetheart Ball. Long before the dance even started, they spent many hard working hours decorating the gym in their selected colors of dark blue and light blue. The highlight of the decorations was trees surrounding a fountain by a park bench. They also accented the decorations with a big heart, framed with balloon covered latices. All was appropriate for their chosen theme of "Dreaming." Selected to keep the refreshments moving were Annie Jorgensen and Ann Christensen. After dancing all evening, the gym became silent as David Jensen and Renae Hansen were crowned as Sweetheart King and Queen. Then the new royalty enjoyed their own special dance with the rest of the candidates. All in all the evening turned out to be a smashing hit.



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1. Our 1981 Sweetheart Queen and King, seniors Renae Hansen and David Jensen. 2. Brenda Alton and David Boe are paired off as freshman candidates for the royalty dance. 3. Eighth graders,



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Annie Jorgensen and Ann Christensen, were chosen as punch pourers for the ball. 4. Slow dancing, shown by Kyle Lee and Sandra Jensen, seems to be one of the favorites of all students.



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1. Doug Sorensen, Randy Peterson and Jo-Dee Frøderickson dance to the music supplied by S and R Sound. 2. Mark Weier and Drew Peterson act as supervisors while Karen Mark and Rhonda Lockwood pretty up the punch table. 3. Sweetheart candidates chosen by their classmates are Craig Nelson, Tammy Pearson, David Boe, Brenda Alton, Brian Sampson, Sandra Jensen, Troy Lee, Rhonda Lockwood, Jon Huber, Carol Nelson, Jeff Nielsen, Karen Miller, David Jensen, Renae Hanson, Keith Kropuenske, Karen Nelson and Randy Peterson. 4. Things can get a little scary while decorating as Jay Morrison and Sandra Jensen hang hearts quite a few feet from the floor.

"Saturday Night Live"

On an unusually warm spring day, April 25, the Juniors honored the Seniors with "Stairway to Heaven." The DBS Hall was decorated in the selected colors of light and dark blue, accented with starred walls, a stairway of clouds and a silver moon.

It all started at 6:30 pm. Jon Huber, the junior class presi-

dent, welcomed everyone. Randy Jespersen gave the invocation which was followed by a delicious meal of pork chops and broasted potatoes served by ten selected sophomores. After dinner the prophecy history and wills were read, and everyone enjoyed listening to Julie Anderson and Randy Jespersen sing the theme song.

At 9:00, music was provided by Crystal Bleu for everyone to dance to. During the dance, punch and munchies were also supplied for enjoyment. As the evening drew to an end, it proved to be an exciting and formal night for each and every person to remember.



1. Alan Rasmussen (the teacher) and Cyndi Sorensen (Joe McCrory) display their talent during the prom skit, "Ain't Nobody Moshin' for that Fire." 2. Juniors and Seniors listen attentively to their selected waiters and waitresses. 3. Julie Anderson and Randy Jespersen sing the theme song, "Stairway to Heaven." 4. Junior class president, Jon Huber, and his date Brenda Alton, enjoy a slow dance prom night. 5. Mrs. Gering wonders if everything will ever be ready for the big Saturday night.



1. As the stars begin to fall Mrs. Gering and Brenda Lee attach the rest of the ceiling. 2. Sharrie Dorman moves the ladder to put up the decorated ceiling. 3. "Hey Juniors, you forgot to clean-up before you left," Mr. Nyhaug thinks while he's mopping the floor. 4. Janine Hansen performs her talent, singing "Copenhagen" at the prom dance. 5. Kandy Peterson and his date, Jenna White, are getting down to the beat of Crystal Bleu. 6. FRONT - Rhonda Lockwood, Cyndi Sorensen, Karen Mark, Jolyn Pearson and Sandra Jensen, BACK - Tim Mohr, Brad Hartmann, Troy Lee, Alan Rasmussen and Jay Morrison were the 1981 prom waitresses and waiters.



Issues & Answers

As the sun rose behind them, twenty-five Viborg seniors and nine Hurley seniors met in Hurley at 5:00 am on January 21 to board the Hurley bus for a long ride west to Pierre. After stopping for breakfast in Kimball they arrived in Pierre around 10:30. They started out checking the sights by taking a tour of the capitol. The guide pointed out all the history of our capitol and how our government functions. After a break at noon, we joined the House and Senate to observe their sessions. During these sessions, many of the governors appointments were confirmed, they discussed

members for the board of regents and a committee for the railroad situation. As the sun set behind them, the seniors headed east for the trip home. It ended as a very educational day. Procedures involved in government were observed by all.



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1. A special from Sesame Street? No, just Cookie Monster Keith Kropuenske concentrating on his next play. 2. Mr. Jensen gets caught sleeping on the job. 3. Everyone looks on as the steam rises from the fountain. 4. Hey, is that Charlie's Angels? No, it's just Renae Hansen, Laurie DeVries, and Teresa Campbell. 5. Look at that, Randy Peterson just found the lake and he's showing Keith Kropuenske and Bryan Lund. 6. It's been a long day according to these "enthusiastic" students: Linda Christensen (Hurley), Steve Stange, Karen Nilsson, Carlin Edelman, Randy Peterson, Dan Lindgren and Renae Hansen.



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VHS In Minneapolis

At 6:00 a.m., on Thursday, May 28, twenty-three seniors and six chaperones were destined for Minneapolis. Reaching there at dinner time, they were greeted at Cenex, treated to dinner and a tour of their plant. Thursday remained free time for the graduates to get settled into their rooms, swim and unwind. Breakfast on Friday was at the grain exchange. Here they learned about how grain is bought and sold. From there it was on to the GTA. After a film and dinner, the Como

Zoo and Omni Theater were the next interests for all. Friday evening, the VHS students enjoyed a baseball game between the Minnesota Twins and Kansas City Royals.

Saturday was pretty sleepy for everyone. Arousing the nappers at Shakopee, the bus load had breakfast and headed home. The Viborg Elevator is to be thanked by the seniors for sponsoring their skip days. It was a time many will never forget.



1. Mike Miller rocks to the music. 2. Those attending skip days in Minneapolis were: FRONT - Mr. John Nyhaug, chaperone, Kristi Jensen, Robbie Oswald, Laurie DeVries, Kathy Mark, Karen Nelson and Teresa Campbell; BACK - Dennis Hanson, Carlin Edelman, Kandy Peterson, Bryan Lund, Kyle Lee, Keith Kroppenske, David Jensen, David Lockwood, Steve Stange, Terry Westergaard, Rodney Sletten, Mike Miller, Ivan Anderson, JoDee Frederickson, Laura Bartels, Renae Hansen, Brenda Christensen and chaperones, Mrs. Martha Nielsen, Mr. Jerry Nielsen, Mr. L. I. Anderson and Mrs. Yvonne Anderson; NOT PICTURED - Mrs. Connie Nyhaug. 3. "That mummy is unbelievable," seems to be the expressions of Terry Westergaard, David Lockwood, Steve Stange and Laura Bartels. 4. JoDee Frederickson and Renae Hansen look things over at the Omni. 5. Keith Kroppenske stands by the mud shack in the museum.

"Walking Tall" Into The Future

On May 19, thirty-six seniors experienced an ending as well as a new beginning. Graduation is a long awaited time for every senior. They have been through recesses, music contests, basketball and football games and even meeting in the classroom, will be a memory of their school days. Some will go to college, others will join our nations armed forces, some will take on married life and others will immediately seek a job.

The first step towards their graduation was Baccalaureate, May 17. Pastor Norman Wahl delivered the Baccalaureate sermon to the seniors. Senior chorus students favored the crowd

with their final number "Movin' On," accompanied with flute by Patti Sanborn. Marching towards the stage decorated in light and dark blue and a few tears in each one's eye these young adults experienced a final memory of the entire class together. Each senior carried or wore a red rose, a gift from Janine Hansen. Lt. Governor Lowell C. Hansen gave the commencement address entitled "I RACE." Valedictorian Kathy Mark and Salutatorian, Janine Hansen, spoke of past memories and new experiences to meet the seniors.

At this time twenty-two eighth graders received their certificates from Superintendent

Heiter to move onto high school. Now was the all important moment. With butterflies of nervousness, the seniors moved down the stage as school board chairman, Mr. Arlen Jensen, presented and congratulated each senior with their diploma. Music was provided through the evening by the mixed chorus and concert band. "We are not afraid of tomorrow, for we have seen yesterday and we love today," was the motto that they will look to for guidance. We hope they will remember the special advice given to them by each speaker. VHS is sad to lose such a great class and wish them the best of luck always.



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1. Among the seniors receiving recognition for their many achievements are: FRONT - Janine Hansen, JoDee Frederickson, Carlin Edelman, Laurie DeVries, Larry Christensen, Brenda Christensen, Teresa Campbell, Laura Bartels and Ivan Anderson; BACK - Kyle Lee, Keith Kroppenske, Kathy Mark, David Jensen and Dennis Hanson. 2. Receiving her diploma from school board president, Mr. Arlen Jensen, Valedictorian Kathy Mark becomes one of the many VHS alumni. 3. Lori Richards and Sandra Mikkelsen take time for a few last minute preparations.



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1. Renae Hansen and Kristi Jensen put the final touches on the decorations for the graduation stage. 2. Terry Westergaard, Steve Stange and David Lockwood are hastily putting on their graduation robes for the big night. 3. Robbie Christensen and Larry Larsen advance up to the stage for their moment of glory. 4. Recalling a few old memories, Salutatorian Janine Hansen moves through the crowd. 5. School board president, Mr. Arlen Jensen, awards Bryan Lund his diploma as Lt. Governor Lowell Hansen prepares to give his congratulations.

We Wish To Remember . . .
Leighton W. Peterson
July 22, 1912 - March 27, 1981

It is with mingled sorrow and pride that we, the Yearbook Staff and student body of VHS, pay tribute to our friend and bus driver, Leighton W. Peterson.

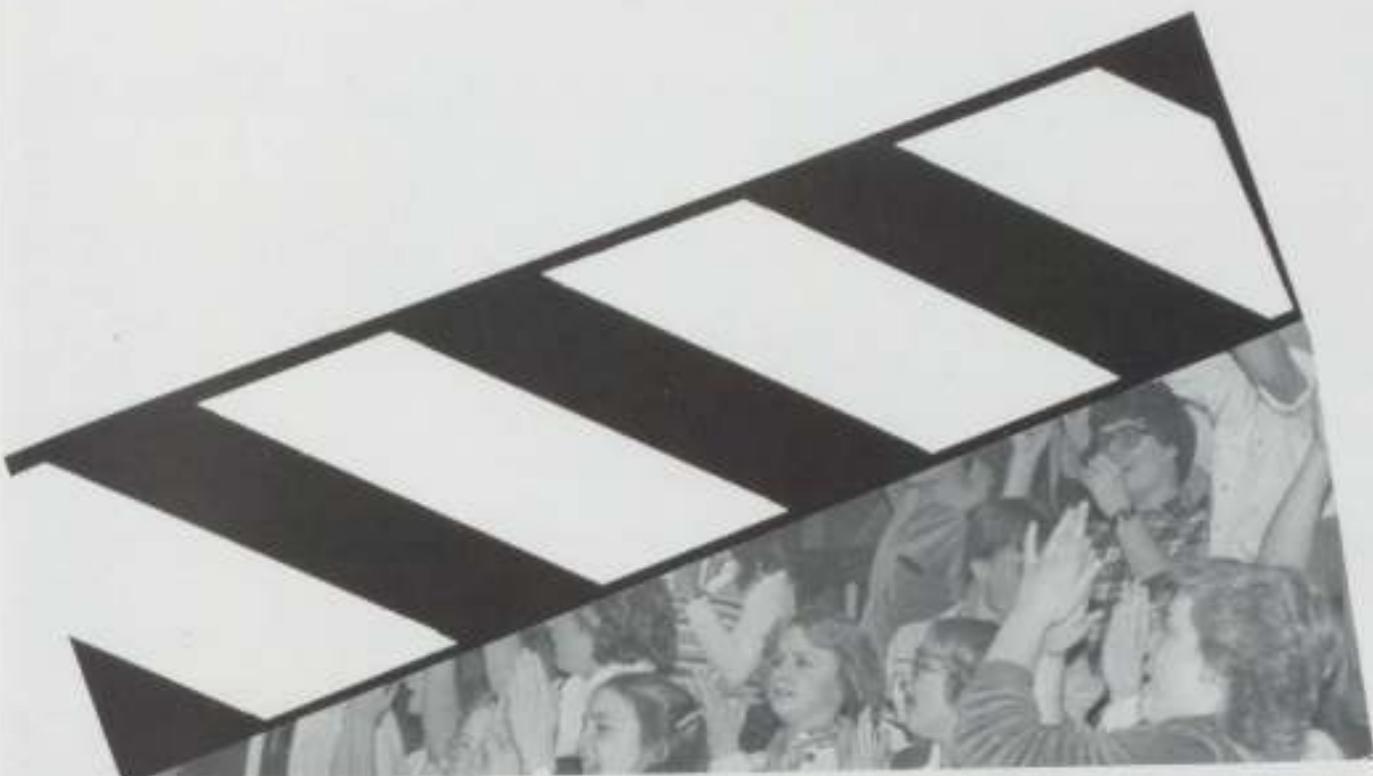
There's a soft emptiness inside VHS now. Words come not easy; nor do smiles. For we have lost a great friend that shall never be replaced.

But he has left behind a gift that no one shall ever take away. We have the memories; they are ours to keep for him safely in our hearts.

That teasing smile - remember?
Leighton's Squirrels Nest - remember?
Those long athletic trips - remember?
Remember
And remember too, that he's left
us now on wings of gold
To meet the sunset
And to talk with God.



Leighton W. Peterson was born July 22, 1912. He was a member of the Viborg American Legion, Our Savior's Lutheran Church and was a bus driver for the Viborg school system. He was loved and respected by all who knew him. Leighton died of cancer on March 27, 1981.

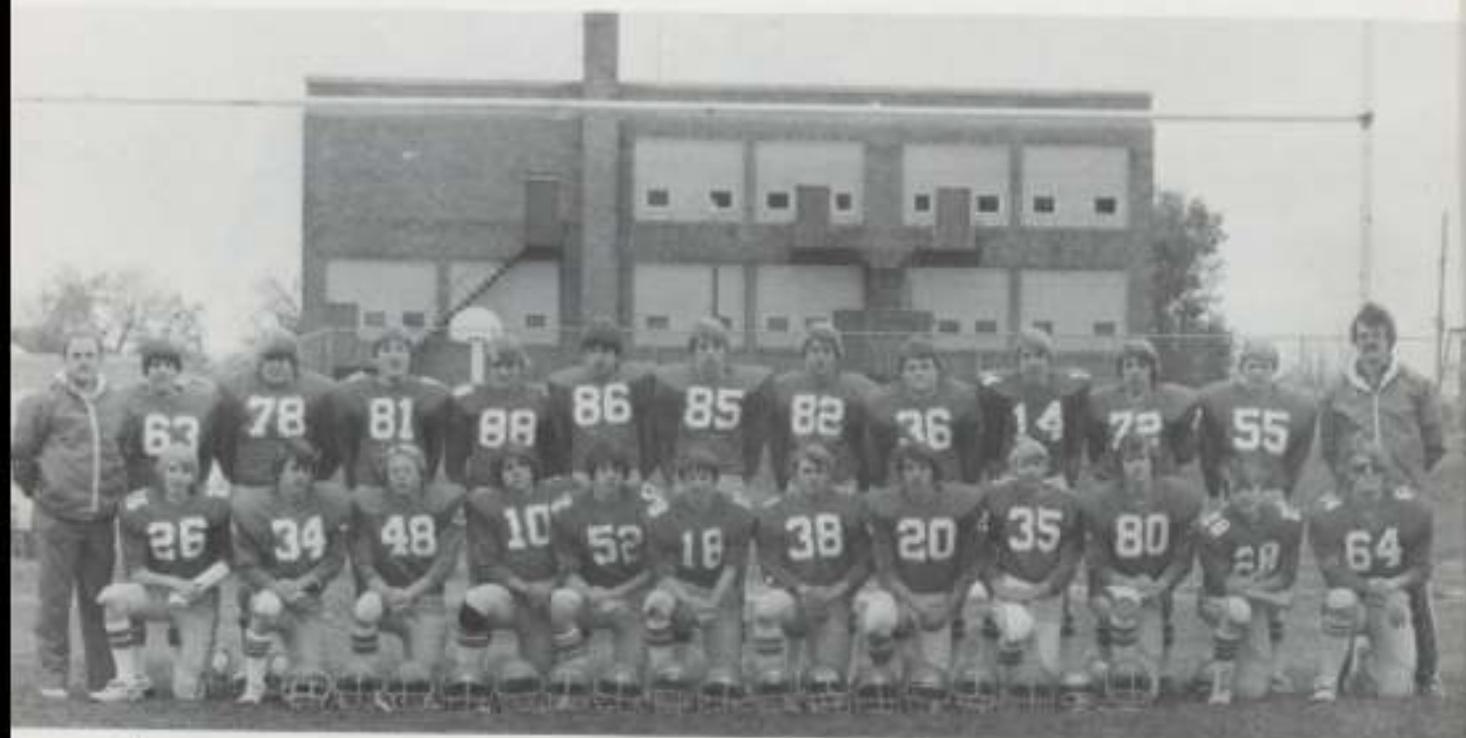


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Sports



S*M*A*S*H Up Season

Ten seniors led the 1980 football team to a victorious 7-1 season. Talent of the strong offense and defense was proved by outscoring their opponents 310 to 104. The team rushed for a total of 1583 yards for an average of 5.1 yards per carry. They also passed 798 yards. A second place conference finish was claimed by the gridgers.

1. Members of the 1980 football team are: FRONT - Tim Mohe, Jon Huber, Terry Westergaard, Jeff Nielsen, Jay Morrison, Brian Sampson, Mike Miller, Brad Hartmann, Greg Nelson, Loren Johnson, Brian Bjerkaas and David Boe; STANDING - Head Coach John Nyhaug, David Lockwood, Craig Nielsen, Randy Peterson, Bryan Lund, Dan Lindgren, Kyle Lee, Steve Stanage, Keith Kropuenske, Troy Lee, Alan Rasmussen, Kevin Lee and Assistant Coach Gary Jensen. 2. Jeff Nielsen ends around the right side and turns on the speed. 3. The generals, Coaches Jensen and Nyhaug, watch their troops at the battle.



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OPPONENT

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 Gayville-Volin
 Alcester
 Wakonda
 Hudson
 Irene
 Centerville
 Hurley

THEY	WE
10	44
13	48
33	6
8	38
0	56
18	32
16	20
8	66

7 wins - 1 loss - Second Place in Conference

1. Craig Nielsen and Keith Kropuenske, this year's co-captains. 2. Craig Nielsen, Kyle Lee, Dan Lindgren, Randy Peterson and Coach Jensen watch on calmly as Loren Johnson provides encouragement. 3. Keith Kropuenske finds blockers like Terry Westergaard very helpful for a few extra yards. 4. Jeff Nielsen commands the offense as Randy Peterson, Bryan Lund and David Lockwood prepare for blocking. 5. Centerville plans strategy, but as the board shows, to no avail.

"One Game At A Time"

We come to you from the VHS gym. Here the girls have practiced hard all season long to complete their hard earned 10-10 season. The girls ended up their season second in the conference and also second in the

district. Leading the team offensively was Karen Miller as top scorer and Laurie DeVries handling the boards as top rebounder. The coach's thoughts for the season are that everyone hustled, and they played some very good ball games. Coach Freier remarked, "We had a successful year and I am looking forward to next year." And that's the way the season ended on November 21, 1980.

1. Involved in 1980 girls basketball team were Sandra Jensen, Rhonda Lockwood, Brenda Lee, Laurie DeVries, Mary Anderson, Karen Jorgensen, Rita Joergensen, Cyndi Sorensen, Lori Richards, Kristi Jensen, Karen Miller, Tammy Luke and Coach Gerald Freier. 2. The girls show a lot of enthusiasm as Coach Freier gives them a pep talk. 3. Kristi Jensen waits patiently for the basketball.





OPPONENT	THEY	WE
Parker	50	41
Irene	27	38
Cayville-Volin	60	43
Alcester	47	56
Beresford	57	46
Wakonda	45	49
Freeman Academy	35	36
Freeman	83	42
Irene	45	42
Centerville	55	52
Alcester	57	40
TRI-VALLEY TOURNAMENT		
Wakonda	59	48
Hurley	25	39
Irene	48	59
Menno	58	65
Hurley	43	50
Wakonda	56	48
Marion	29	50
DISTRICTS		
Centerville	39	40
Hurley	50	47

1. Laurie DeVries shows her great shooting ability. 2. Brenda Lee and Lori Richards hustle under the basket for the rebound. 3. Karen Nelson, Karly Mark and Karen Mark are the 1980 statisticians for the girls basketball team. 4. Karen Miller, Kristi Jensen and Rita Jorgensen wait for the slap of the ball. 5. Karen Miller denies Denise Smith of the basketball. 6. The 1981 Co-Captains were Karen Miller and Laurie DeVries.



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Sneaker Preview

A total of seven people made up both boys and girls cross country teams. This did not hinder the runners from receiving team placings and medals.

The conference championship was won by the girls team with the help of a few extra runners. They managed to capture first, second, and third places. The boys team placed third in the conference with Rodney Sletten placing third and Craig Nelson placing ninth. Karen Nelson and Karen Miller both qualified for the state meet held in Huron. Varsity letter winners for the 1980 season were: Karen Nelson, Rodney Sletten, Karen Miller, Sandra Jensen and Craig Nelson.



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1. Travis Lee, Brett Nelson, Rodney Sletten and Craig Nelson get started for the big run at the Conference meet. 2. Proud of their first place conference trophy are: FRONT- Sandra Jensen, Karen Nelson, Karen Miller, and Rhonda Lockwood; BACK- Coach Connie Nyhaug, Tammy Pearson, Rita Jorgensen, Lori Richards and Brenda Alton. 3. Running for the Vikings this year were Travis Lee, Brett Nelson, Craig Nelson, Karen Nelson, Sandra Jensen, Coach Connie Nyhaug, Rodney Sletten, and Karen Miller. 4. & 5. Trucking in for a first and second place finish are Karen Miller and Karen Nelson. 6. Rodney Sletten and Craig Nelson stretch out for the long run.



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"Tomorrow's" Teams

An important part of each season's action is the young players getting started. The girls B-team coached by Mr. Clare has a season record of 6 wins and 9 losses. The boys placed fourth in the Freshman-Sophomore Tournament in Viborg. Great entertainment was witnessed by the crowd, and we expect to see them moving up next year!

1. Members of the boys b-team are: FRONT- Greg Nelson, Brian Bjerkaa and Craig Nelson; MIDDLE- Jon Huber, Brian Sampson, Loren Johnson, and Tim Mohr; BACK- Coach Dan Clare, Kevin Lee, Troy Lee, Robbie Christensen, Brad Hartmann, and David Boe, manager. 2. Troy Lee, Brian Sampson and Robbie Christensen are watching attentively as the ball goes through the net. 3. Brenda Lee is waiting patiently for a rebound. 4. Robbie Christensen comes down hard with the rebound as Troy Lee watches on. 5. The girls who played for b-teams are: Ann Christensen, Cleo Anderson, Tammy Luke, Mary Anderson, Gail Jonason, Teresa Jorgensen, Karri Jorgensen, Linda Johnson, Brenda Lee, Cyndi Sorensen, Tammy Pearson, Rhonda Lockwood, and Sandra Jensen. They were coached by Dan Clare.





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Overtime Games: "To Close For Comfort"

"We had an excellent season and I am very proud of everyone. This year's team was a group I'll never forget. I'm afraid we peaked a little early but we still won the conference tourney and title." This was how Coach Gary Jensen summed up the season. Overall, the boys won fifteen including eleven in a row and three overtime games and an exasperating triple overtime season opener, while only dropping five. The Vikings won not only the confer-

ence title, with an unblemished 7-0 conference record, but the conference tourney as well, a feat not often accomplished.

The boys dreams of state tournament were shattered when they were upended by powerhouse Beresford in the District 22 opening game. But, though little consolation, the 80-81 Vikings once achieved a rating of 10th in the state polls.

1. The Vikings after defeating Alcester in the conference tourney. Team members are: FRONT - Mike Miller, Keith Kropuenske, Doug Sorensen, Kyle Lee, Randy Peterson and Bryan Lund; BACK - Coach Gary Jensen, Jon Huber, Jeff Nielsen, Steve Stanage, Troy Lee, Dan Lindgren, Tim Mohr and Assistant Coach Dan Clare. 2. Keith Kropuenske tears down a rebound. 3. Randy Peterson, Doug Sorensen, Bryan Lund and Kyle Lee prepare for the slap of the ball.



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OPPONENT	WE	THEY
Dell's St. Mary's	57	55
Irene	66	49
Gayville-Volin	62	37
Marion	42	64
Alcester	63	61
Freeman	50	69
Wakonda	68	60
TRI-VALLEY TOURNAMENT		
Centerville	62	60
Hurley	67	41
Alcester	66	56
Hudson	90	34
Bridgewater	54	49
Irene	57	54
Freeman Academy	61	54
Centerville	64	49
Emery	53	34
Hurley	61	30
Parker	58	73
Garretson	43	46
DISTRICTS		
Beresford	36	61



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1. Kyle Lee sets a screen for Dan Lindgren's shot. 2. Girls keeping record of all the action on the court were Karen Miller and Karen Nelson. 3. Captains leading the basketball team are Kyle Lee and Keith Kroppenske. 4. Mike Miller penetrates into the lane for his jump shot. 5. Randy Peterson, Kyle Lee, Doug Sorensen, Keith Kroppenske and Bryan Lund share their moment of glory as they receive their Tri-Valley tournament first place trophy.



Volleyball: "Checkin' In"

Girls volleyball got underway for the second competitive season at VHS. Hard work did not prove to pay until the end of the season as the lady Vikings lost all matches in regular season and struggled to a second place finish in the state tournament.

During the game season, Brenda Lee represented the team as captain and Kristi Jensen took on

the duty at the state tournament. These girls led their team against such schools as Freeman Academy, Parker, Jefferson, Lake Preston and O'Gorman.

Off to a slow start but ending with a big victory, these girls proved that never giving up will pay off. Their second in the state win will be with them forever.

1. Kristi Jensen gets into ready position, as Karen Nelson serves the ball. 2. The girls volleyball team, FRONT - Mary Anderson, Karen Nelson, Karen Miller, Laurie DeVries and Kristi Jensen; BACK - Amy Nelson, student manager, Lori Ludwig, Sandra Jensen, Rhonda Lockwood, Brenda Afton, Karen Jorgensen and Coach Connie Nyhaug show off their second place state tournament trophy. 3. Laurie DeVries gets ready for the ball to come to her. 4. Lori Ludwig bumps the ball for a set up. 5. Brenda Lee was the 1981 volleyball captain.



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1. Rhonda Lockwood shows her perfect setting form. 2. Brenda Lee covers behind Laurie DeVries with a bump. 3. Kristi Jensen, Karen Nelson and Karen Miller relax after a long day of a round-robin tournament. 4. The 1981 Viborg Volleyball team consisted of: FRONT - Karen Jorgensen, Lori Ludwig, Rhonda Lockwood, Coach Connie Nyhaug, Sandra Jensen, Tammy Luke and Jolyn Pearson. MIDDLE - Kristi Jensen, Laurie DeVries, Brenda Lee and Tammy Pearson. BACK - Julie Anderson, Karen Miller, Karen Nelson, Mary Anderson, Brenda Alton and Student Manager Carol Nelson.



OPPONENT	WE	THEY
PARKER TOURNAMENT		
Elk Point	0	2
Beresford	1	2
Jefferson	0	2
Freeman Academy	0	2
ROUND-ROBIN TOURNAMENT		
Beresford	0	2
Canton	0	2
Ennox	0	2
Jefferson	0	2
Elk Point	0	2
O'Gorman	0	2
Parker	0	2
Freeman Academy	0	2
Jefferson	0	2
STATE TOURNAMENT		
Lake Preston	2	0
Parker	0	2
Crow Creek	CC	Forfeit
Freeman Academy	2	1
Parker	0	2

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Star Track

Both track teams had great weather for the season this year. From the first day of practice to the last, they were always able to be outside and on the track.

Once again, the girls team lacked depth. Only five tracksters were under the direction of Coach Gary Jensen. But they did manage to qualify for state in the 3200 meter relay. With a good number of boys out, Mr. Jerry Freier traveled with his team to places such as Centerville, Parker and Dell Rapids. They claimed many second place team finishes, one being the conference. Four track boys qualified for state, they were Bryan Lund in discus, Dan Lindgren in high jump and Randy Peterson in the 400 meter dash. Two proudly accomplished state places, Bryan claimed fourth and Dan fifth in both of his events.

At regionals, VHS runners were disappointed in not qualifying more for state. All of the athletes attending did a great job and should be proud of all that happened throughout the season.

1. Members of the 1981 boys track team were: FRONT - Terry Westergaard, Kyle Lee, Mike Miller, Loren Johnson and Drew Peterson; MIDDLE - Tim Peterson, David Boe, Jon Huber, Craig Nelson, Jeff Nielsen and Coach Jerry Freier; BACK - Troy Lee, Brad Hartmann, Rodney Sletten, Randy Peterson, Bryan Lund, Dan Lindgren and Tim Mohr. 2. Mike Miller takes the quick hand-off from Jon Huber. 3. Randy Peterson finishes hard at the end of his dash. 4. Karen Miller and Karen Nelson nervously get ready for the mile run.





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1. Girls track team consisted of: FRONT - Terisa Jorgensen and Tammy Luke; BACK - Julie Ludwig, Karen Nelson and Karen Miller. 2. Dan Lindgren makes his fast approach for the pole vault. 3. Jeff

Nelson tries to embarrass Karen Nelson in front of the camera. Brad Hartmann thinks it's pretty boring. 4. Tim Peterson looks like he must have said one too many words.

1. Kyle-Lee lifts up and over the high jump bar. 2. Setting his pace for the two mile run is freshman, Craig Nelson. 3. Rodney Sletten tries to find the extra strength to finish his race. 4. Jeff Nielsen, Coach Jerry Freier and Rodney Sletten watch the rest of their team members. 5. Coach Gary Jensen stands proudly with his state qualifying two mile relay team. They are Tammy Lukan, Karen Miller, Karen Nelson and Julie Ludwig. 6. Teresa Jorgensen takes a little rest after a hard day's work.



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After School Skills

These students are the athletes who excelled in VHS's wide world of sports. The all-conference and all-state players are chosen by coaches and sportswriters. At the regional competition, track participants must qualify for the state meet by meeting certain standards. These athletes did a great service to their school and community by hard work and dedication to themselves and their teammates.



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1. These athletes were chosen as all-conference football players. They are: FRONT - Bryan Lund (Honorable Mention) and Kyle Lee (Honorable Mention); BACK - Keith Kropuenske, Randy Peterson and Jeff Nielsen. 2. Chosen by sports writers and casters are the South Dakota All-State football players. VHS qualified Randy Peterson (Honorable Mention) and Keith Kropuenske (First Team). 3.

These five basketball players were selected as Tri-Valley all-conference players. They are: FRONT - Randy Peterson, Kyle Lee and Keith Kropuenske; BACK - Doug Sorensen (Honorable Mention) and Bryan Lund (Honorable Mention). 4. Karen Miller and Laurie DeVries were voted as VHS's all-conference girls basketball players.

Cheering For "Games People Play"

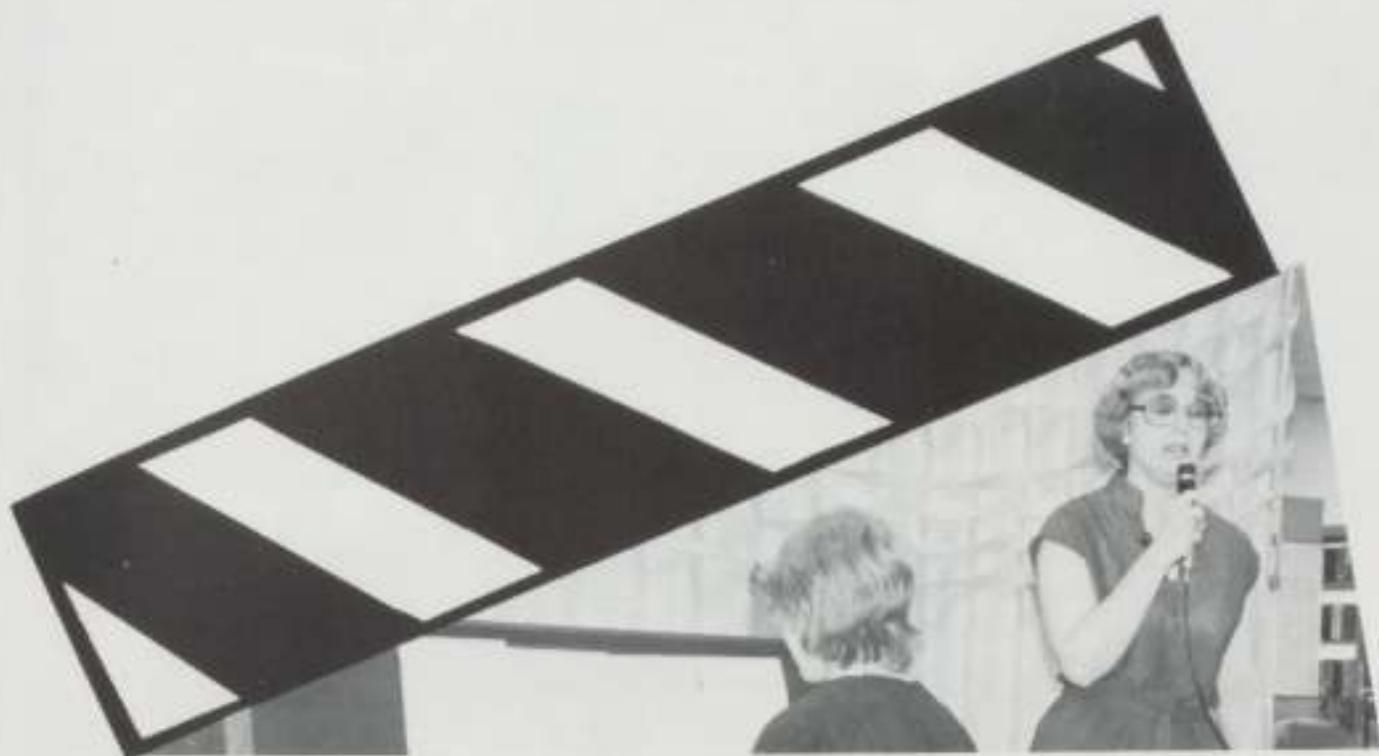
A new look was brought into the Viborg Viking cheerleaders this year. All seven girls joined together to encourage the football team. During girls basketball, Denise Munkvold, Sharrie Dorman, Sandra Petersen, and Patti Sanborn were chosen as varsity and JoDee Frederickson, Carol Nelson and Julie Ludwig as B-team cheerleaders. Then during boys basketball they switched A and B squads, with all seven doing the cheers together.

In the summer, three girls increased their cheerleading ability by attending a camp at Dakota State College which was sponsored by the National Cheerleading Association. Then in the fall, the squad attended another clinic at the University of South Dakota.

Many activities were put on by the cheerleaders. To make money, they sold mums during homecoming and had a teacher pie throw. They joined with the pep club to sponsor parents nights by serving punch and cookies. One pep meeting was put on a week and something special happened at each pep meeting. For example skits, teacher pie throw, puzzles made of pep signs, bubble gum blowing contest and a shoe race. Support of our athletic events is a large part of our school. These girls helped to get the school pepped up and the crowds going to push each athlete a little farther.



1. The cheerleaders for this year were: Top-Patti Sanborn, Across-Sandra Petersen, Carol Nelson, and Denise Munkvold, Bending over is Julie Ludwig and sitting is Sharrie Dorman and JoDee Frederickson. 2. Patti Sanborn turns to the crowd for support as Denise Munkvold starts a yell. 3. JoDee Frederickson performs actions to a peppy cheer.



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Organizations

Fine Tuning

"Left! Left! Left! Right! Left!"

VHS marching band was very active this year. They marched to the popular tune of "It's So Easy."

After appearing in their own homecoming parade, they traveled to Hurley and Wakonda. Their majorette was Brenda Alton.

Members of the marching band were seen playing in the pep band also. The pep band had the privilege of learning several new songs. They allowed the crowd to enjoy such songs as "Escape," "Live Talking," and "Dallas." A good year was enjoyed by all the kids who had a lot of fun showing their talent.



1. Brenda Alton was in the spotlight as the marching band majorette. 2. David Jensen keeps a close watch on his step and looks out for CHiPs—the horse-kind that is. 3. Members of the 1980 marching band include: banner carriers - Lori Ludwig and Renee Hansen; ROW ONE - Janine Hansen, Ann Christensen, Patti Sanborn, Kristi

Jensen, Steve Mohr, Robbie Christensen, Craig Nelson, Marci Christensen, Drew Peterson, Tina Hanson and Karen Jorgensen; ROW TWO - Sandra Petersen, Denise Munksgaard, Laurie DeVries, Susan Stange, Karen Miller, Howard Loog, Rhonda Lockwood, Pam Overgard, Anni Jorgensen and Brenda Alton, Majorette; ROW THREE -

Sharrie Dorman, Dale Jensen, Mark Powell, Teresa Jorgensen, Tim Mohr, Cyndi Sorensen, Karen Mark, Gail Jonason and Director, Karen Gramstad; ROW FOUR - Doug Sorensen, Robert Rasmussen, Tim Peterson, Brian Sampson, Dan Lindgren, David Jensen, Randy Jespersen and David Boe.



Different Notes

Each year the concert band presents to the community a Christmas and Spring concert. The highlights this year at Christmas time were "A Christmas Party" and "Adeste Fideles." After hours of preparation, the students delivered songs such as John Lennon, "A Celebration," "Gloworm" and "LaBanda Fiesta" for their spring concert. Their hard work and dedication paid off, for both concerts were a great success.

1. Members of the 1981 concert band are: FRONT - Kristi Jensen, Sandra Petersen, Janine Hansen, Cyndi Sorensen, Brenda Alton and Laurie DeVries. MIDDLE - Howard Long, David Boe, Denise Murkvold, Sharrie Dorman, Lorriann Shatter, Patti Sanborn, Ann Christensen, Kerstin Christensen, Terese Jorgensen, Susan Stange, Gail Jonason and Karen Mark; BACK - Jon Christensen, Brian Sampson, Ann Jorgensen, Rhonda Lockwood, Tim Mohr, Randy Jespersen, Dan Lindgren, David Jonson, Karen Miller, Drew Peterson, Tim Peterson, Steve Mohr, Dale Jonsen, Robert Rasmussen, Mark Powell and Doug Sorensen; STANDING - Miss Karen Gramstad, Director; Robbie Christensen, Alan Rasmussen, Tina Hanson, Craig Nelson, Marci Christensen and Karen Jorgensen. 2. An evening with the Viborg High School band shows Jon Christensen, Brian Sampson, Howard Long, David Boe, Denise Murkvold, Sharrie Dorman, Kristi Jensen and Janine Hansen playing a number for the spring concert. 3. Taking recognition for a well-done performance, Brenda Alton and Laurie DeVries stand while director Karen Gramstad bows to conclude the band segment of the program.



Music's My Line

In February, several students traveled to the University of South Dakota to compete against other schools in vocal and instrumental ensembles. David Boe, with his bass solo, and the brass ensemble performed to the highest recognition in their divisions with superior ratings. All participants performed well for the many hours of practice prior to the contest.



1. The people who participated in the instrumental ensembles were: FRONT- Mark Powell, Rhonda Lockwood, Karen Miller, Kristi Jensen, and Janine Hansen; MIDDLE- Brenda Alton, Sandra Petersen, Gail Jonason, Cyndi Sorensen, Karen Mark, and Laurie DeVries; BACK- Randy Jepsersen, David Jensen, Dan Lindgren, Doug Sorensen, and Tim Mohr. 2. Those girls participating in vocal ensembles were: FRONT- Janine Hansen, Julie Anderson, Patti Sanborn, Lori Ludwig, and Sandra Jensen; MIDDLE- Kristi Jensen, Sharrie Dorman,

Cyndi Sorensen, JoDee Frederickson and Renae Hansen; BACK- Sandra Petersen, Laurie DeVries, Kathy Mark, Karen Jorgensen and Karen Mark. 3. FRONT- Dale Jensen, Robert Rasmussen and Brian Bjerkaas; MIDDLE- David Boe and Tim Mohr; BACK- Randy Jepsersen, David Jensen, and Bryan Lund were the male competitors at the vocal contest. 4. David Jensen, Daoug Sorensen, Karen Miller and Mark Powell received first place at the instrumental contest.



Those Amazing Singers

Many long hours of practice have contributed to the great Christmas and Spring Concerts presented by the VHS boy's and girl's glee. A note of excitement stirred among the chorus, as they competed at the Region I Vocal Ensemble Contest in Vermillion.

1. Members of the boys glee were: ROW ONE- Dale Jensen, Brian Bjerkaa, Robbie Oswald and Director Mrs. Ethel Ward; ROW TWO- Tim Peterson, Brian Sampson, Mark Weier, and Tim Mohr; ROW THREE- David Boe, Robert Rasmussen, Jay Morrison, and Drew Peterson; ROW FOUR- Randy Jespersen, Ivan Anderson, Bryan Lund, and David Jensen. 2. Performing at the Christmas concert are Robbie Oswald, Robert Rasmussen, Mark Weier, Ivan Anderson, David Boe, and David Jensen. 3. Girls glee included: ROW ONE- Director Mrs. Ethel Ward, Janine Hansen, Sivsay Khamoukthovong, Patti Sanborn, Sandra Jensen, and Lori Ludwig; ROW TWO- Julie Anderson, Renae Hansen, Sharrie Dorman, Karen Mark, JoDoe Frederickson, Laurie DeVries and Tina Hansen; ROW THREE- Nancy Westergaard, Denise Munkvold, Sandra Petersen, Kathy Mark, Karen Jorgensen, Cyndi Sorensen, and Kristi Jensen.



Notes Landing

The mixed chorus keeps busy year round. In December they have their Christmas concert, in February they have the vocal contest in Vermillion and to finish the year off they hold a spring concert in May. A lot of hard work and effort is given to

prepare for these performances.

1. The accompanists who put in many hours of practicing are Kristi Jensen, Laurie DeVries and Julie Anderson. 2. Those students participating in all-state chorus this year were: FRONT- Robert Rasmussen (tenor delegate), Julie Anderson (soprano delegate), Laurie DeVries (alto delegate), David Jensen (bass delegate); CENTER- Dale Jensen (tenor alternate), Ronae Hansen (alto alternate), Kristi Jensen (soprano alternate); BACK- Randy Jespersen (tenor delegate), and Drew Peterson (bass alternate). 3. Mixed chorus members include; ROW ONE- Janine Hansen, Sivixay Khamsoukthavong, Robbie Oswald, Brian Sampson, Dale Jensen,

Patti Sanborn, Sandra Jensen, and Lori Ludwig; ROW TWO- Julie Anderson, Ronae Hansen, Sharrie Dorman, Tim Mohr, Mark Weier, Tim Peterson, JoDee Frederickson, Tina Hanson and Mrs. Ward, director; ROW THREE- Nancy Westergaard, Denise Munkvold, Robert Rasmussen, Randy Jespersen, Jay Morrison, Sandra Petersen, Kristi Jensen, and Laurie DeVries; ROW FOUR- Karen Mark, Karen Jorgensen, Drew Peterson, Ivan Anderson, David Jensen, Doug Sorenson, Kathy Mark, Carol Bartels, and Cyndi Sorenson.



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Star Students



Each year a number of students are rewarded by the community for their dedication and leadership. Among these are the girls and boys state, Daughters of the American Revolution and Voice of Democracy. Carol Nelson and Randy Jespersen were chosen as girl and boy stater by the American Legion Post No. 117. These

two students were judged on the basis of academics and community leadership. They will both represent Viborg this summer at camps in which they learn more about the effect and the works of our government. Voted in by her classmates and the faculty, Karen Nelson was selected for the Daughters of the Ameri-

can Revolution Award. Her honesty, leadership, trustworthiness, and neatness helped her to achieve this accomplishment.

"My Commitment To My Country", written by Sandra Petersen, helped to gain her the Voice of Democracy award. Sandra was sponsored by the Viborg American Legion and placed third in the district with her speech. At the Memorial Day Services, the community enjoyed the sound of patriotism to their country.

Our congratulations go out to these fine young people. Their accomplishments will always be an asset to the community of Viborg.



1. Representing Viborg High School as Girl and Boy Staters were Sandra Petersen, alternate; Carol Nelson, delegate; Jeff Nielsen, alternate and Randy Jespersen, delegate. 2. Karen Nelson was the senior chosen as this year's Daughters of American Revolution candidate. 3. Placing first in the local Voice of Democracy contest was Sandra Petersen.

Production Of "Spoon River Anthology"

On November 17 and 18 the curtains opened as the seniors presented their play, "Spoon River Anthology". This was a ghost story in which each senior portrayed a different ghost, rising from their graves and commenting on their lives. This year's production included acting talent as well as singing talent. Eleven seniors put these talents to work. They were: 1. FRONT - Rodney Sletten, Keith Kropuenske, David Jensen, Doug Sorensen and Carlin Edelman; BACK - Kristi Jensen, Laurie DeVries, Janine Hansen, Kathy Mark, JoeDee Frederickson and Renae Hansen.



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2. The good ole' boys gather for some fun but the wives think differently. 2. Much hard work is put on by the people behind the scenes also. They were: FRONT - Karen Nelson, Assistant Director; Julie Anderson, Accompanist; BACK - Brenda Christensen, Assistant Director; Miss Glenda Johnson, Director. 3. Carlin Edelman, as the city doctor, prepares to go out on a housecall. 4. Laurie DeVries, JoeDee Frederickson, Kristi Jensen, Kathy Mark and Janine Hansen exhibit their singing talent. 5. David Jensen and Doug Sorensen talk about hard times.



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1. The Junior class play cast consisted of: ROW ONE - Grant Peterson (stage crew), Jeff Nielsen (Jonathan Harker), Robert Rasmussen (Van Helsing) and LeRoy Olsson, (stage crew); ROW TWO - Brenda Lee (Dark Sister #1), Marci Christensen (Fair Sister) and Tina Hanson (Lily and Dark Sister); ROW THREE - Sharrie Dorman (Countess), Jon Huber (Dracula), Jeff Pearson (Dracula) and Denise Munkvold (Odd Sister #2; Gretchen); ROW FOUR - Julie Ludwig (Odd Sister #1), Julie Anderson (Mrs. Half-Nelson) and Carol Nelson (Lucy); ROW FIVE - Sandra Petersen (Miss Hearse), Karen Miller (Renfield) and Randy Jespersen (Dr. Seward, Jonathan Harker). 2. Julie Anderson (Mrs. Half-Nelson), Julie Ludwig and Denise Munkvold (The Odd Sisters) speak of other people being odd. 3. Karen Miller (Renfield) grabs Randy Jespersen's (Dr. Seward) leg, begging him not to send her away. 4. Jeff Pearson comes out for a bite.



"The Incredible Bite"

"I want to suck your blood," is the famous line heard during "An Evening in the House of Dracula" performed by the talented junior class. The program consisted of two-one act plays which each junior participated in.

The first play, "Escape from Dracula's Castle" took place in the 1890's in the dreary city of Transylvania. The suspense of seeing Dracula proved to be quite a thriller.

"Seven Wives for Dracula" was a lighter version of the Dracula episode. This was a modern comedy held in an asylum for the mentally disturbed located on the outskirts of London. This play kept the audience laughing throughout the entire performance. Under the direction of Miss Glenda Johnson, the junior class succeeded in putting on a fantastic production. Enjoyment and laughter was experienced by both young and old.

"I'm A Big Girl Now"

Well, the FHA girls are all grown up now. This year was a busy one. They started it out by lining up two convertibles for the royalty to ride in. In October, some of the girls traveled to Huron for the State meeting. The theme this year was "Wanted: Healthy Babies" and our voting delegate was Teresa Campbell. For money making projects they held a Sarah Coventry party, soft acrylic reflections and posters. They were all a success as each girl contributed her time and efforts.

The annual Senior Citizens' Snowball was in December. Alma Nelson and Charlie Jensen were crowned king and queen. Also during the Christmas season the girls went caroling at the nursing home and had a pizza party at Mrs. Gering's house. From February 8 to 14 was National FHA week. VHS found their girls busy with different activities during this time, such as visiting a funeral home, teacher appreciation day, a luncheon at the nursing home, career day and red and white day. In March, part of the chapter attended the Regional meeting in Scotland. The theme was "Put on a Happy Face." Throughout the year each girl got involved in the chapter activities. Their concern and hard work within the school and community was recognized and appreciated by everyone.



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1. FHA officers were: Karen Mark, Secretary; Renae Hansen, Historian; Tammy Pearson, Treasurer; Karen Miller, Reporter; Laurie DeVries, Vice-President; Sandra Petersen, President. 2. FHA members were: ROW ONE- Laurie DeVries, Karen Miller, Tammy Pearson, Sandra Petersen, Karen Mark, and Renae Hansen; ROW TWO- Tina Hanson, Julie Anderson, Teresa Campbell, Kristi Jensen, and JoDee Frederickson; ROW THREE- Iolyn Pearson, Brenda Lee, Karen Jorgensen, and Mrs. Gering, Advisor; ROW FOUR- Kathy Mark, Cyndi Sorensen, Rhonda Lockwood, and Sandra Jensen. 3. Sandra Jensen and JoDee Frederickson help serve lunch at the Senior Citizen's card party.



VHS Salutes The Viborg FFA



The Viborg Future Farmers of America got off to a fast start. In the fall, three students represented Viborg at the national convention in Kansas City. Kyle Lee and Robert Rasmussen attended as delegates and Randy Jespersen was a member of the FFA National Chorus.

One large activity that the members get involved with is the State Pork Show which is held in our gym. They help to get things set up and to be sure things run smoothly through the week. This year the swine judging team placed third at the pork show.

A number of other judging teams are found in the FFA. Throughout the year they inspected meats, livestock, land, and crops. In the spring, they are busy maintaining their park, which is found at Swan Lake, and planning their banquet. To fund their banquet, the members sold fruit, fire extinguishers and had a number of raffles. These young people work hard to assist the school and the community of Viborg. Their hard working role will hopefully be carried on and valued by everyone.

1. Keith Kroguenske is shown pushing the hog out of the weighing pen.
 2. Officers of the Viborg FFA were: FRONT- Robert Rasmussen, Parliamentarian; David Jensen, President; and Carlin Edelman, Secretary; BACK- Larry Christensen, Sentinel; Randy Jespersen, Reporter; Bryan Lund, Treasurer; and Doug Sorensen, Vice-President.
 3. Members of the Viborg FFA were: ROW ONE- Robert Rasmussen, Larry Christensen, Randy Jespersen, Bryan Lund, Carlin Edelman, Doug Sorensen and David Jensen; ROW TWO- Dale Danielsen, Dennis Hanson, Rodney Sletten, Janine Hansen, Tim Peterson, Terry Weir, and Keith Kroguenske; ROW THREE- Jon Christensen, Drew Peterson, Troy Lee, Kevin Lee, Alan Rasmussen, Brian Bjerkaas, Loren Johnson, and Greg Nelsen; ROW FOUR- Robbie Oswald, Kyle Lee, Robbie Christensen, Tim Mohr and Dale Jensen; ROW FIVE- Ivan Anderson, Mike Miller and Mr. Randall Kantack, advisor.



Speak Up VHS

The students also have their own type of government. They are represented by the Student Council. They held the student body president election in the spring of 1980. Running for this important position were Craig "Can" Nielsen and Kathy "Stretch" Mark. Both led a tough campaign which involved much hard work. Craig eventually came out on top by a slim margin. This year the student council was kept busy by providing different activities for the students. They put on the Sadie Hawkins Dance in which Karen Jorgensen and Mark Weier were picked as best dressed hillbillies. They also planned the annual Christmas party which was cancelled due to technical difficulties (bad weather).

During the year they held meetings where the students could voice their opinions. And as the year closed they prepared for another election so stay tuned for next year's episode of "The Student Council."

1. Janine Hansen, Laurie DeVries and Troy Johns get their lunch at one of the school parties. 2. Craig Nielsen, CAN campaign, was our student body president this year. 3. Brenda Alton, David Boe, Sandra Jensen, Karen Mark, Brenda Lee, Jon Huber, Kathy Mark, Laurie DeVries and Craig Nielsen were on this year's student council.



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"Declam" Starring . . .

This year declam started off with a big boom. The declam participants practiced many strenuous hours to get ready for their local contest held in October. Eleven nervous speakers displayed their talents and learning experiences. District qualifiers consisted of seven declamers and two went on further to compete in the regional.

A conference seconds contest, for the local second place winners, was held at VHS. At this contest Viborg captured two first places by Rhonda Lockwood and Karen Mark in the dramatic division and Laurie DeVries in prose. Declam proves to be a growing activity at VHS. Miss Glenda Johnson puts a large effort into helping each speaker reach their goal.

1. Two girls went on to compete in the regionals, they were Kathy Mark and Brenda Alton. 2. District competitors were Carol Nelson, Kathy Mark, Brenda Alton, Karen Miller, Denise Munkvold, Sharrie Dorman and Kristi Jensen. 3. Students expressing themselves in declam this year were: FRONT - Sharrie Dorman and Carol Nelson; BACK - Tammy Luke, Advisor Ms. Glenda Johnson, Brenda Alton, Kristi Jensen, Karen Mark, Kathy Mark, Rhonda Lockwood, Laurie DeVries, Karen Miller and Denise Munkvold. 4. Place winners at the seconds contest were Rhonda Lockwood, Laurie DeVries, Tammy Luke and Karen Mark.

Best Of Organizations

Activities that dominate the spring months are characteristic of the Science Club and the National Honor Society. Science students displayed their projects for competition Saturday afternoon, February 28, at the local fair. Individual and group projects were selected to represent Viborg at the regional fair in Brookings. April 24, six students traveled to Vermillion to deliver a ten minute speech on their project. Viborg science students were honored to be awarded many prizes ranging from bronze medals to electronic calculators. Each year the National Honor Society strives to achieve high scholastic standards at VHS. Their main activity was an evening meal at JoDean's in Centerville which was enjoyed by students, advisors and guests before they gathered in the home-ec room for their ceremony. Gary Nelson, the guest speaker, delivered a message on the importance of high achievement.



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Experience gained through these extra-curricular activities will influence students throughout their lives.

1. This year's members of National Honor Society are: FRONT - Sandra Jensen, Rhonda Lockwood, Karen Miller, Karen Mark and Julie Ludwig; MIDDLE - Kristi Jensen, Jon Christensen, Jeff Nielsen, Terry Westergaard, Tim Mohr, Steve Stange, Randy Jespersen, Mark Weier, Brian Sampson, Cyndi Sorensen, Sandra Petersen and Renae Hansen; BACK - Mr. L. E. Anderson, Mr. Alan Ward, Carol Nelson, Kathy Mark, Karen Nelson, Laurie DeVries and Advisor Mrs. Connie Nyhaug. 2. The officers for the 1980-81 National Honor Society were: President Kathy Mark, Secretary Karen Nelson, Treasurer Sandra Petersen and Vice-President Laurie DeVries. 3. FRONT - Carol Nelson, Karen Mark, Kathy Mark, Kristi Jensen and Sandra Petersen; MIDDLE - Karen Nelson, Karen Miller, Tammy Luke, Janine Hansen and David Boe; BACK - Jeff Nielsen, Randy Jespersen, Tim Mohr, Craig Nelson, Brian Bjerkaas and Jon Christensen were the members of Science Club.



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All In Our School

There were many academic areas in which students have the opportunity of showing off their skills. Two are the librarians and the people involved in business skills.

Library science is offered by Mrs. Ward to any student who may be interested in learning about the special techniques of running a library. During and after these classes they are allowed to work in the high school and grade school libraries.

The business skills students showed great results this year. The competitions was held in Viborg and our students proudly placed first and received a plaque.

This shows the students special talents in two different ways. They are able to keep a library organized by their own personal work and yet another group may show academically by competing against other people.

1. Dan Lindgren was seen a lot in the library working on the computers. 2. These six girls competed in the business skills contest. They are: Jolyn Pearson, Karen Mark, and Oyndi Sorensen (Typing I, Marc Christensen, Denise Munkvold and Sharrie Dorman (Typing II); NOT PICTURED - Randy Jespersen, Julie Ludwig and Jeff Nielsen (Bookkeeping). 3. Our librarians were: FRONT - Sandra Petersen; BACK - Teresa Campbell, Laura Bartels, Renae Hansen, Nancy Westergaard, Julie Anderson, Advisor Mrs. Ward and Sandra Mikkelsen. 4. Randy Jespersen prepares himself for the bookkeeping skills contest.

VHS's Top Ten

Hours of hard work and careful thought, are put into each and every page of this book from the beginning to the end of each year. The ten members of the staff are always involved in write-ups, lay-outs, cutlines, headlines, typing and proof-reading. A number of the pictures are taken and developed by our very own staff.

Throughout the year we have followed the theme of "television" and have tried to involve it with all the activities that go on at VHS. One of their roving reporters and photographers are always at the scene of a school function to get first-hand information. They apply this during their seventh period work hour. They hope that every moment has been captured in a way that will touch each one's memory. How it is, is how it was at VHS.



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1. Members of this year's annual staff are: FRONT - Mrs. Connie Nyhaug, Advisor, Doug Sorensen, Tim Mohr and Karen Nelson; BACK - Laurie DeVries, Kristi Jensen, Rhonda Lockwood, Karen Mark, Karen Miller and Kathy Mark; NOT PICTURED - Carl Nelson. 2. Karen Mark and Kristi Jensen try to figure out a good

cutline. 3. As editor of the yearbook, Kathy Mark has the never-ending job of looking for proofs to use in the yearbook. 4. Karen Miller, Tim Mohr and Rhonda Lockwood have a few laughs while working hard on the yearbook. 5. Karen Nelson works tediously on a lay-out.



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VHS Special Report

The commercial breaks in the school routine are provided by the newspaper staff and pep club. Complete coverage of all activities is provided by the newspaper staff. This year the Viborg Community Club helped finance a bi-monthly edition of "The Viking" in the Viborg Enterprise. Each issue, packed with interesting articles, provided up to date coverage on everything and anything happening at VHS.

An active group, whose name was scattered throughout these articles, was the Pep Club. At the beginning of the year, as a newly

founded organization, they wrote a constitution providing a floor-mat for members. The first thing any club has to do is to raise funds for activities. The pep club sold shakers and sweaters along with a winter bake sale, although their main objective was to cheer on the various athletic teams and lead them to victory.

Each of these organizations gives the students a chance to become involved in our school. They provide the students with a chance to grow and learn and work together as one.



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1. Here the spirited pep club members form a "V" representing "Vikings." FRONT - Sandra Petersen, Denise Munkvold, Sharrie Dorman, Cyndi Sorensen, JoDee Frederickson, Tammy Luke, Karen Jorgensen, Marci Christensen, Karen Miller, Julie Ludwig, Carol Nelson, Sandra Jensen and Rhonda Lockwood. BACK - Patti Sanborn, Tammy Pearson, Brenda Lee, Julie Anderson, Karen Nelson, Tina Hanson, Teresa Campbell, Brenda Christensen and Advisor, Miss Johnson. 2. Pep Club officers are Julie Anderson, Secretary; JoDee Frederickson, Vice-President; Carol Nelson, Treasurer; and Denise Munkvold, President. 3. The newspaper staff consisted of: FRONT - Doug Sorensen, Robbie Oswald and Carlin Edelman; BACK - Miss Johnson, Sharrie Dorman, Denise Munkvold, Renae Hansen, Julie Ludwig and Pam Overgard. NOT PICTURED - JoDee Frederickson. 4. JoDee Frederickson gives Miss Johnson a few pointers to assure making their deadline.

"Station Break" For Students

Three teachers are hired to devote their time to some students that might need a little extra help now and then. Mrs. Hatle, our Title I reading instructor, assists students in grades K-8 in reading related skills by using different reading services and materials. Miss Grorud gives

supplementary help in math and language arts for grades K-12. Our speech therapist, Mrs. Kantack, tests preschool through grade 12 on hearing, speech, and language. She travels between the Viborg, Wakonda, and Hurley school districts.



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1. Phonphit Souvannarath learns the English language by reading books. 2. Mrs. Hatle assists Vichith Souvannarath with his new language. 3. Mrs. Dorla Kantack is the speech therapist for Viborg, Hurley and Wakonda. 4. Our special education instructor is Miss Annette Grorud. 5. Mrs. Joanne Hatle is the Title I reading teacher.



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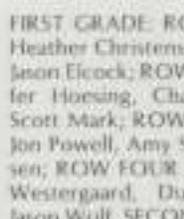
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KINDERGARTEN: ROW ONE - Shelly Andal, Janice Anderson, Moshel Coelho and Darcy Duncan; ROW TWO - Aaron Hoelsing, Billy Jo Hummel, Jessica Kessler and Jennifer Koetzle; ROW THREE - Eric Larsen, Darrell Mark, Kolesa Morrison and Marcus Munkvold; ROW FOUR - Jody Nelson, Kelly Nelson, Roger Ness, Lisa Ohlen, Amy Olson and Bryce Olson; ROW FIVE - Andrea Schooley, Jermy Schwartz, Jennifer Simonson and Angela Swanson. 1. Mrs. Pam Chaussee, kindergarten and first grade instructor. 2. These all-star arm wrestlers, Jason Wulf and Chad Johnson, put on a show for the rest of the cheering crowd of Scott Eli, Karen Westergaard and Sam Collins. 3. Looks like the girls have to give the boys a lift this time as Vicki Water and Sheila Wallace help Jerome Nesheim up.

First Grade



FIRST GRADE: ROW ONE - James Clare, Heather Christensen, Jennifer DeVries and Leon Elick; ROW TWO - Scott Eli, Jennifer Horsing, Chad Johnson and Curtis Scott; ROW THREE - Rex Peterson, Jon Powell, Amy Sorlein and Heath Swansen; ROW FOUR - Aaron VanHull, Karen Westergaard, Dsane Westergaard and Jason Wolf. SECOND GRADE: ROW ONE - Neil Andal, Michelle Flyger, David Hansen and Jeffrey Nesheim; ROW TWO - Jerome Nesheim, Mark Pederson, Melissa Pederson and Jeremy Saylor; ROW THREE - Brenda Schweitzer, Christopher Seversen, Susie Sporensen, Brenda Sprouse, Sheila Wallace and Vicki Weier. 1. Mrs. Lillian Notelboom, grade school principal and first grade teacher. 2. Mrs. Ardis Boe, second grade teacher.



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Third Grade



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ROW ONE - Ryan Devitt, Chris Ferdig, Christy Goodale and Jason Jacobson; **ROW TWO** - Jason Johns, Rodney Ness, Jr., Shannon Larsen and Shelly Lonning; **ROW THREE** - Kimberly Mark, Shawn Olsen, Byron Olson and Jason Oswald; **ROW FOUR** Jason Poppe and Brent Sampson; **ROW FIVE** - Melissa Townsend and Kimberly Verbeek. Not Pictured Matt Collins.

1. Mrs. Ardene Petersen, third grade teacher. 2. A surprise shot of Shawn Nielsen, Julie Ostroot and Dan Ne-sheim while participating in games. 3. Shannon Larsen, Rodney Ness, Jr., and Jason Poppe enjoy their treats at the Halloween party. 4. Kerry Devitt and Angie Nelson are dressed in their costumes for the annual Halloween march.



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Fourth Grade

ROW ONE - Michelle Andersen, Cindy Christensen, Kerry Devitt, Brett Downing, Barbara Eli and John Eli; ROW TWO - Michelle Hoelsing, Paul Jacobsen, Karl Jensen, Marlin Johansen, Karla Johnson and Stacey Johnson; ROW THREE - Ni-

cole Jones, Coe Jorgensen, Arnon Larsen, Kenneth Lee, Todd Luke and Gregory Nunkvold; ROW FOUR - Angela Nelson, Dan Nesheim, Shawn Nielsen, Tamara Olesen, Marc Olsen and Wendy Olson; ROW FIVE - Robbie Ottrem, Julie

Ostroot, Vicki Ovesgard and Kevin Sampson; ROW SIX - Sherry Schweitzer, Troy Simonsen, Mark Westgaard and Mrs. Gail Nielsen, teachers aide. 1. Mrs. Darlene Faherty, fourth grade instructor.

Fifth Grade



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ROW ONE - Leland Andersen and Kristi Bjerkaas; ROW TWO - Erik Christensen and DeAnne Duncan; ROW THREE - Brian Harris, Brenda Hansen, Brett Hartmann, Sherril Jorgensen, Trent Lanning and Troy Lanning; ROW FOUR - Daniel Mohr, Amy Nelson, Chris Nielsen and Matthew Schooley; ROW FIVE - Craig Simonsen, Phonphit Souvannarath, Renee Swanson and Todd Townsend; ROW SIX - Michael Weier and Matthew Wirth; NOT PICTURED - Becky Shatter. 1. Fifth graders who form the C band are: FRONT - Amy Nelson, Sherril Jorgensen, DeAnne Duncan, Renee Swanson, Matthew Schooley and Todd Townsend; BACK - Phonphit Souvannarath, Craig Simonsen, Becky Shatter, Erik Christensen, Brenda Hansen, Matthew Wirth, Brian Harris, Daniel Mohr, Leland Andersen and Kristi Bjerkaas. 2. Mrs. Barbara Miller, fifth grade instructor. 3. Amy Nelson shows off her stuff at recess time.



Sixth Grade

ROW ONE - Audra Bartels, Michael Doering, Stephani Doering and Ricky Heirig; ROW TWO - Darin Hjeltn, Theresa Johnson, Tamara Jones and Jean Jorgensen; ROW THREE - Kyle Knutson, Sheila Lee, Tom Luke and Kim Munkvold; ROW FOUR - Linda Nelson and Chris Nielsen; ROW FIVE - Rosanne Nielson, Peggy Sampson, Vichith Souvaranath and David Westergaard; NOT PICTURED - Shawn Collins. 1. Sixth grade teacher, Mrs. Evelyn Gors. 2. Sheila Lee, Linda Nelson and Peggy Sampson use the school as a wind block during recess. 3. Mrs. Miller and fifth graders, Renee Swanson, Deanne Duncan, Becky Shatter and Chris Nielsen have a little lunch at their valentine party. 4. A rumble on the playground, as Kyle Knutson, Daniel Mohr and Brett Hartmann roll around on the new snow.



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Seventh Grade

ROW ONE - Cleo Anderson, Julie Edelman, Kathie Eli and Dayle Hall; ROW TWO - Benita Hanson, Ronette Johns, Linda Johnson and Travis Lee; ROW THREE - Brett Nelson, Mark Olesen, Krista Olsen, Timothy Peterson and Richard Schweitzer.



1. Members of the sixth and seventh grade B-band include: FRONT - Travis Lee, Stephani Doering, Benita Hansen, Tamara Jones, Linda Nielsen and Theresa Johnson; BACK - Brett Nelson, Dayle Hall, Julie Edelman, Rosanne Nielsen, Jean Jorgensen, Timothy Peterson, Chris Nielsen and Darin Hjelm. 2. Mrs. Wanda Sorenson, seventh grade instructor. 3. Julie Edelman and Dayle Hall look as if they really enjoy their Valentine's Day party.



Eighth Grade



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 ROW ONE - Kevin Anderson and Troy Bergh; ROW TWO - Ann Christensen and Kerstin Christensen; ROW THREE - Robbie Christensen, Todd Christensen, Renee Hansen, Neil Huber, Timothy Johnson and Gail Jonason; ROW FOUR - Ann Jorgensen, Jay Jorgensen, Jeff Jorgensen and Teresa Jorgensen; ROW FIVE - Jerry Kessler, Kim Lee and Howard Long; ROW SIX - Steve Mohr, Mark Powell and Susan Stanga. 1. The 8th grade float, "Let Freedom Ring a Victory," proved to be victorious. It took first place honors in its division. 2. Mrs. Marie Swensen, the eighth grade teacher.



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Stay Tuned For . . .

The future of athletics at VHS will rely on these young people. In the conference, the girls basketball team received fourth place and the boys fought for second. During track, the boys acquired first in the conference and Teresa Jorgensen, the only member, brought home three first place medals. Results from their learning and hard work show a bright spot for all of them.

1. The junior high boys track team show their conference trophy. They are: FRONT - Travis Lee, Neil Huber, Robbie Christensen and Steve Mohr; BACK - Coach Jerry Freier, Mark Powell, Kevin Anderson, Jay Jorgensen and Jeff Jorgensen. 2. Girls of the junior high basketball team were: FRONT - Ronnie Johns, Linda Johnson, Benita Hanson and Susan Stange; MIDDLE - Kerstin Christensen, Cleo Anderson and Ann Christensen; BACK - Teresa Jorgensen, Ann Jorgensen and Gail Jonason. 3. Teresa Jorgensen was the only girls track member this year for the junior high. 4. Junior high boys basketball players were: FRONT - Brett Nelson, Steve Mohr, Howard Long, Kim Lee, Mark Powell, Travis Lee and Tim Peterson; BACK - Coach Doug Sorensen, Troy Bergh, Kevin Anderson, Robbie Christensen, Jeff Jorgensen, Larry Larson and Jay Jorgensen; NOT PICTURED - Coach Jerry Freier. 5. Cheering their players to victory were Dayle Hall, Ann Jorgensen, Ronnie Johns and Kerstin Christensen.



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lot of crazy things go on
in this little school of ours.
We started to school by bike,
and usually ended up in cars.

From grade school to high school
we turned work into fun,
making others wonder
how we ever got things done.

We endured thousands of long, boring lectures.
But upon hearing the noon bell, we madly raced uptown,
while a frantic teacher yelled after us
"You've just got to buckle down."

The people of Viborg Public School
find good times wherever they go.
During bus rides, recesses or just sitting around
the giant pile of memories still continued to grow.

All the different organizations and clubs
kept us pretty busy too.
But we always seem to manage
to achieve in the various things we do.

As the end of the school year drew near
pep meetings, games and dances became few.
For everyone was busy with graduation
having millions of things to do.

No matter what we did in school
we usually had a blast.
Therefore, everyone should buy a yearbook
to make the memories last.

We capture all these memories because
How it is, is how it was!



1. Mr. Clare is hard at work once again.
2. Craig Nielsen puts a big smile on his face for it's the last day of school.

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL
THE BUSINESSES FOR CONTRI-
BUTING TO OUR BOOK. ALSO A

SPECIAL THANK YOU TO MER-
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WHENEVER WE NEEDED HIM.

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Buckstead's Cafe
 Christensen Plumbing & Heating
 C. O. Rasmussen, Spot Farm
 Dr. Harmon Kier, D.D.S.
 Farmer's Lumber Company
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 Hairport pH
 Huber's Home Foamers
 Hurley State Bank
 Hurley Leader
 Jones' Jack & Jill
 Larry's Floor Covering

CAPS
 Muth Electric
 Sid's Farm Supply
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 VerBeek Water Conditioning
 Viborg Coop Elevator
 Viborg Co-Operative Oil Co.
 Viborg Drug
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 Viborg Medical Clinic, Ltd.
 Viborg Veterinary Clinic
 United National Bank
 Zeta's Kut Hut

SILVER BOOSTERS

Farmer's State Bank, Irene
 Madsen - Knudsen Agency
 Riley Company, Inc., Irene
 Snack Shack
 Spomer's Market, Hurley



1. Bethany Lutheran Church placed the Vietnamese family on their float. Phonpit and Vichit Souvannarath enjoyed riding through the parade. 2. The Vi-

borg Jayettes got involved in a pep meeting this year. They are Kelley Mikkelsen, Brenda Melegard, Mylene Daninzen, Cindy Wirth and Beba Bjerkaas.

RED BOOSTERS

Bob's Amoco Service

Bud's Mobil

H & J Hog Co., Inc.

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Nielsen Construction

Skogen/Peterson, Inc.

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Coop, Inc.



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Dakota Cooperative
Telecommunications, Irene

Darell's Amoco, Hurley

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Irene

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Gloria's, Irene

I. & I Clothing

Lynn's Clip & Curl

Lynn's Welding

Mike's Place, Irene

Mills Distributing, Hurley

Mill's Dress Shop

Osvog Motor Sales

P & A Cafe, Irene

Pit Stop

Rick's TV and Appliance

Rube's

Sid's Oil Company

Westra Implement



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1. Our cheerleaders, Carol Nelson, Julie Ludwig, JoDee Frederickson, Sandra Petersen, Patti Sanborn, Sharrie Dorman and Denise Munkvold, form an I during the school song. 2. Kyle Lee and Keith Kroppenke think about what it's really going to be like on graduation night. 3. The music boosters, who are a great support for our music department, contributed their part to the homecoming parade.



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