CRUISE

OF 1953

VERGENNES HIGH SCHOOL 1953

VERGENNES VERMONT
We, the Class of 1953, dedicate this book to our faculty, who with strong hand at the helm, have piloted us safely from port to port throughout our high school voyage.
V.H.S.

Down the Champlain Valley
Where the hills are rolling wide,
We find a little high school
Where there's a lot of spirit and pride.

This is not merely a building
Where we congregate each day;
It is truly a high school
Where we come to learn and play.

It has always been a school
With sportsmanship so true.
They always fought for the White,
They will always fight for the Blue.

After leaving this little high school,
And seeking a higher goal,
We find that in our life, this school
Played an important role.

As we look into the future,
We can hear the people say,
"I went to Vergennes High School
And I'm proud of it today."

Barbara Clark '54
Dear Diary:

What a day! Arrived at school two minutes late. ... You try to make teacher believe the clocks are fast! Verdict - 20 minutes ... Drooping, I get excuse ... admitted to study ... Work! Silence. Johnny Jump-up takes his morning walk to the pencil sharpener. Silence. In clomps "you-know-who" with evil delight, takes his seat, drawing a knowing look from teacher who promptly demands excuse from the office. Matter settled. Silence.

Buzzer woke our slumber. Nice to walk the halls with pals, even to a classroom! Then that dread quiz. Why didn't I study! Minutes fly. A voice says, "Pass papers to the front." Happy thought. It's over for today. Buzzer ... a free person once more.

Perpendicular lunch ... off to see Plankey vs. Wightman in Gym ... nice work, boys! Life IS worth living after all!

Back to the grind! Buzzer ... class ... H.H. dying to give us a giggle session, but a gleam in teacher's eye changes his mind ... study ... off to music to warble ... activity period and we really get busy with everything from mowing down chess men to playing volleyball.

School dismissed, except for those in the pen. Basketball games climax the day. Our teams are in excellent form! We win! Rah! Rah! Rah!

Home at last! About 11:30 ... Oh bed, you look wonderful!

Good night, diary.

Marion Parkinson '54
While rivers run into the sea, while upon the mountains shadows move over the slopes, while heaven feeds the stars... so long, Seniors, may you remember the spirit of V.H.S. Bend to the oars with all your might, and sail victoriously on the high seas of Good Life.
LUCILLE INEZ BODETTE
"We don't all of us do what
we ought, do we?"
Patrol 1; Class President 3;
Senior Play Prompter 3; BLUE
& WHITE 3,4; Volleyball 4;
Softball 4; Ping-Pong 4;
Senior Play 3,4; Magazine
Campaign Captain 4; Junior
Prom Committee 3.

KENNETH ROBERT BOOTH
"Meatballs and spaghetti
make a good dinner for the
scholar who acts so true."
Patrol 1,2,3,4; Drill Team
1,2,3,4; Boys' Chorus 2,3,4;
BLUE & WHITE Assistant
Business Manager 3,4; Cross-
Country 4; Senior Play 4;
LOG 4; Dramatics Club 4;
Arts and Crafts 4; Latin
Club 1,2; Volleyball 4.

JOHN BRIGAN
"Why take life seriously,
no one ever comes out alive."
Boys' Chorus 1,2; Basketball
1,2,3,4; Baseball 3,4; BLUE
& WHITE, Sports Editor 3;
Circulation Manager 4; Class
Vice-President 3; Junior
Prom Committee 3; Varsity
Club 4; Ping-Pong 4; Volley-
ball 4.

REYNALD LEOPAUL GODARD
"Roll, not drift."
Patrol 1,2,3,4; Drill Team
1,2,3,4; Boys' Chorus 2,3;
BLUE & WHITE 3,4; LOG 4.

SHIRLEY JANE HAMILTON
"The only way to have a
friend is to be one."
Cheerleader 1,2,3; Mixed
Chorus 1,2,4; Girl's Chorus
1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4;
Co-Captain 4; Patrol 1; BLUE
& WHITE 2, Sports Editor 3;
Senior Play, Girl's lead 4;
Varsity Club 4; Softball 4;
LOG 4; Volleyball 4; Good
Citizenship Girl 4; Music
Festival 1,2,3,4; Junior Prom
Committee 3; Christmas Con-
cert 1,2,3,4; Freshman Ac-
ception Committee 4; Girls' 
State Alternate 3; BLUE & 
WHITE 3.

ARA COWLES JACKSON
"A person gets no higher
than he aims."
BLUE & WHITE 4; LOG 4; Arts
and Crafts 4; Junior Prom
Committee 3.

RICHARDS WALTER BRISTOL
"A man of silence is a man
of sense."

SHIRLEY JANE HAMILTON
"The only way to have a
friend is to be one."
BRUCE EMERSON BRODERICK

"Each man in his time plays many parts."
Boys' Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 1, 2; Band 1; Baseball 1; Play 1, 2; Soccer 2; Bee Hive Staff 2; Senior Play 4; Dramatics Club; 1-Act Play Contest 4; Chess Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Ping-Pong 4; Volleyball 4.

ANITA LORRAINE CHARLEBOIS

"With faith and courage."
Patrol 1; Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3; Soft Ball 4; Senior Play 4; LOG 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Girls' Chorus 4; Volleyball 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Freshman Initiation Committee 1; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Concert 1, 2, 3, 4.

NANCY ANN CLARK

"So little done, so much to do."
Patrol 1; Drill Team 1; Basketball 1, 2; Girls' Chorus 1; Class Treasurer 1; Vice-President 2, Secretary 3; BLUE & WHITE 2, 3, Majorite 3; LOG 4; From Committee 3; Volleyball 4; Ping-Pong 4; Soft Ball 4; Magazine Campaign Business Manager 4; Music Festival 3; Christmas Concert 1, Freshman Reception Committee 1.

PATRICIA ANN LITTLE

"Why speak when you have nothing to say?"
Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Patrol 1, 3; Drill Team 1, 3; Volleyball 4; BLUE & WHITE 2, 3, 4; LOG 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Class Secretary 4; Christmas Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Ping-Pong 4; Volleyball 4.

ROBERT ERNEST MILLER

"We have nothing to fear, but fear itself."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; All-State Band 4; Senior Play Manager 4; LOG 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Vice-President Senior Class 4; Publicity Manager of Band 4.

RAYMOND EMIL PLANKEY

"God helps those who help themselves."
Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; BLUE & WHITE 2, 3, 4; Class President 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Dramatics 4; Senior Play 4; Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross-Country 4; Varsity Club, Secretary 4; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' State 4; Model United Nations 3; Latin Club 1, 2; One-Act Play 4.

LILLIAN STELLA FLEMING

"Good things come in small packages."
Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; BLUE & WHITE 3; Senior Play 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Patrol 4; Drill Team 4; Softball 4; LOG 4; Student Council 4; Volleyball 4; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Freshman Reception Committee 4; Latin Club 1, 2; Christmas Concert 1, 2, 3, 4.

MARY JANE POLLARD

"Never underestimate the power of a woman."
Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; BLUE & WHITE 2, 3, 4; Patrol 3; Drill Team 3; Editor of LOG 4; School News Reporter 4; Senior Play 4; Volleyball 4; Softball 4; Highest Salesman Magazine Campaign 4; Class President 4; Christmas Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 4; Girls' State 3; Latin Club 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Reception Committee 4.

Valedictorian
PAUL JAMES RIPCHIK
“The higher we climb, the better we view.’
Baseball 1,2,3; Co-Captain 4; Boys’ Chorus 1,4; Patrol 1,2,3,4; Commander; Drill Team 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1; BLUE & WHITE 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Soccer 4; LOG 4; Varsity Club, President 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Latin Club 1,2; Senior Play 4; Boys’ State 3; Volleyball 4; Christmas Concert 1,3,4; Music Festival 1,2,3,4.

PATRICIA ELAINE SHELDON
“When you laugh, the whole world laughs with you, when you cry, cry alone.’
Patrol 1,2,4; Drill Team 1,2,4; Girls’ Chorus 1,2,3,4; Freshman Initiation Committee 1; Music Festival 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 4; Softball 4; LOG 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Play 3.

SALLY ANN SPEAR
“Experience is the best teacher.’
Patrol 1,2,3; Girls’ Chorus 1,2; Volleyball 4; LOG 4; BLUE & WHITE 4; Softball 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Play 4.

ROBERT W. STEBBINS
“If experience is the best teacher, who taught experience?”
Band 1,2,3,4; President 4; Patrol 1,2; Drill Team 1,2; Class Treasurer 1; Boys’ Chorus 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 3,4; Basketball Manager 3,4; Volleyball 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Play 4; BLUE & WHITE 4; LOG 4; New England Music Festival 4.

JUDITH MADELYN SUMMERTON
“Better late than never, but better never late.’
Volleyball 4; Softball 4.

NANCY ANNE SWENNEY
“Knowledge is better than strength.’
Patrol 1; Drill Team 1; Majorette 3; Girls’ Chorus 3; BLUE & WHITE 3, Assistant Editor; LOG 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Christmas Concert 3.

NELDON VICTOR WHITTY
“Faith and perseverance -- keys to the future.”
Patrol 1,2; Assistant Commander 3; Drill Team 1,2; Assistant Drill Master 3; Drill Master 4; Boys’ Chorus 1,2,4; Mixed Chorus 1,4; Class President 1; BLUE & WHITE 2; Business Manager 3,4; Basketball 3,4; Senior Play 3; Class Treasurer 3; Christmas Concert 1,2,3,4; Soccer 4; Baseball 4; LOG Business Manager 4; Student Council, Treasurer, 4; Varsity Club 4; Boys’ State 3; Projectionist 2,3,4; Volleyball 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Latin Club 1,2; Magazine Drive, Home Room Captain 1,3. Business Manager 4.

GEORGE DAVID SPENCER
“Not finished, just begun.”
Boys’ Chorus 2,3; Christmas Concert 2; Spring Concert 2,3; Volleyball 4; Latin Club 1,2.

NANCY ANNE SWENNEY
“Knowledge is better than strength.”
Patrol 1; Drill Team 1; Majorette 3; Girls’ Chorus 3; BLUE & WHITE 3, Assistant Editor; LOG 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Christmas Concert 3.

Salutatorian
PHILIP HENRY WIGHTMAN

"Be not merely good, be good for something."

Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; Patrol 3, 4; Drill Team 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; BLUE & WHITE 3, 4; Editor-in-chief 4; Boys' State Alternate 3; Class Treasurer 4; Cross-Country, Captain 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; State Champion 4; Volleyball 4; Senior Play 4; LOG 4.

As we, the Class of 1953, peer through the portholes of our ship, the S.S. Commodore, toward the shores of 1969, we see ourselves just getting on deck, to enlist and receive orders from our Admiral, Mrs. Bodette.

SEPT. 1949

Accepted as swabies, after official reception by our immediate superiors... At first regional meeting, elected Neldon Whitty, class president; Nancy Clark, vice-president; Pauline Martel, treasurer; Jeanne Sullivan, secretary... First year of Apprentice Seamanship closed with a cruise to Brumby Beach for our divisional picnic.

SEPT. 1950

Seaman Second Class under our new Admiral, Miss Houlton... elected Raymond Plankey, president; Nancy Clark, vice-president; Jeanne Sullivan, secretary-treasurer... Our crew staged an assembly in the gym, from our own talent, directed by Admiral Miss Houlton... Celebrated promotion in rank with a cruise to Lake Dunmore.

SEPT. 1951

Seaman First Class... Lucille Bodette, president; John Brugian, vice-president; Neldon Whitty, treasurer; Nancy Clark, secretary... A new admiral, Mr. Palermo... Vic danced! Food sales! To earn money for a ball for our immediate superiors! We transformed the gym into an outdoor, night scene - stars suspended from the ceiling with colored spot lights playing on them, in one corner a big moon shining, along the walls, evergreen boughs. We were all very proud! Patricia Little and... Richard Tarte reigned as King and Queen, voted by the faculty... More honors! Bob Stebbins and Lucille Bodette chosen to represent us at a Student Council meeting in Burlington... Mary Pollard and Lucille Bodette elected to Girls' State with Shirley Hamilton, alternate; Paul Ripchik, Neldon Whitty and Raymond Plankey, delegates to Boys' State, with Philip Wightman, alternate... Decorated gym again for Class Day and President Lucille Bodette received the school key.

SEPT. 1952

Promoted to Third Class with Mary Pollard, president; Robert Miller, vice-president; Philip Wightman, treasurer; Patricia Little, Secretary and Mrs. Bodette, our Admiral... Neldon Whitty and Lillian Fleming voted Student Council representatives from our class... Shirley Hamilton chosen Good Citizenship girl... To raise money for our Class Trip we staged a 3-act comedy, A CASE OF SPRING-TIME, directed by Mr. O'Ryan... More dances and food sales! At last! We cruised to Montreal for the weekend of February 8, 1953, to see the Ice Follies! Mr. and Mrs. Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Douville, chaperones, kept all shipshape and saw that everyone had a good time without wrecking the ship.

So, as we bring our high school voyage to a close, we wish to thank our new Commander-in-chief, Mr. Pearl, our Admiral, Mrs. Bodette, and all the deck hands who have helped us so very much during the past four years.

Lucille Bodette '53

Class Motto—"Choose Knowledge Rather Than Gold"
Best Looking
Most Likely to Succeed
Most Popular
Best Sense of Humor
Best Sport
Best Disposition
Most Civic Minded
Quietest
Most Active
Best Dancers
Poll

Paul Ripchik
Nancy Clark

Neldon Whitty
Mary Jane Pollard

Philip Wightman
Lucille Bodette

Philip Wightman
Patricia Sheldon

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Shirley Hamilton

Ara Jackson
Philip Wightman
Anita Charlebois
Patricia Sheldon

Neldon Whitty
Mary Jane Pollard

George Spencer
Sally Spear

Paul Ripchik
Shirley Hamilton

Robert Stebbins
Patricia Little
Class Trip

To Montreal

7 a.m.
Sleepy-head

Hungry At 4:30 A.M.?

Whom Can We Call Now?
Sleeping Beauty

Leavin' So Soon?
Caught ya!

Where's Cinderella?

Cozy Kids

Flashy "PJs", eh?

Homeward Bound

Dick & Ernie

Sleep At Last

Sightseeing?
Full speed ahead, Underclassmen, with the vigor of Lanier's brook,
"I hurry amain to reach the plain,
Run the rapid and leap the fall,
Split at the rock and together again,
Accept my bed, or narrow or wide,
And flee from folly on every side
With a lover's pain to attain the plain..."
... for it is you who constantly re-
plenisli the life stream of V.H.S.
Juniors

FRONT ROW: R. Lawrence, J. Peabody, W. Farnsworth, N. Charbonneau, J. Underwood, P. Milo, L. Surprise
SECOND ROW: A. Langeway, J. Swenor, S. Mitchell, D. Little, R. Ross, Mr. Love (faculty adviser), M. Ripchik, W. Hanna, R. Cunningham, J. Sweeney, S. Danyow

Freshmen
Sophomores

SECOND ROW: E. Bidwell, T. Russell, M. Palmer, A. Berry, S. Baker, Mr. Davis (faculty adviser), H. Bull, H. Hallock, P. Cameron, R. Charlebois, M. Tatro
BACK ROW: E. Stearns, B. Douglass, C. Easter, L. Evarts, H. Atkins, H. Grant, M. Spicer, J. Campbell, W. Ganson, B. Cunningham

FRONT ROW: M. Carpenter, S. Blacklock, D. LeDoux, R. Panton, R. Danyow, C. Wrisley, J. Danyow, L. Clark, R. Payea
SECOND ROW: R. Atkins, S. Tracy, M. Young, Miss DeMeritt (faculty adviser), P. McNulla, C. Peabody, R. Vincent, M. Veysey, Mr. Crown (faculty adviser), S. Jerger, B. Purcell
Eighth Grade

FRONT ROW: A. Robarge, M. Dike, M. Rivers, Mrs. Nelson (faculty adviser), S. Chamberlain, J. Booth, E. Hallock, J. Evans
SECOND ROW: S. Sprague, L. Mitchell, C. Bristol, G. Hier, N. Swinton, J. Thompson, N. Mitchell, D. Danyow
BACK ROW: B. Ganson, S. Knapp, R. Hamel, P. Stanilonis, M. Dudley, J. Litch, R. Williams

Seventh Grade

FRONT ROW: S. Olson, J. Rivers, R. Clark, D. Curler, J. Collett, L. Cunningham
SECOND ROW: V. LeBeau, J. Litch, P. Milo, S. Murray, Miss Yankowski (faculty adviser), L. Husk, C. Schroeder, L. Clark, J. Barrows
"Let us then be up and doing ..." for the world is full of so many interesting things! Activities invite us to widen friendships through teamwork, to develop fair play and sportsmanship, and to broaden our outlook. They encourage us to reach out always for life that is bigger and better.
Girls’ Basketball

SECOND ROW: B. Chamberlain, P. Aubin, Miss Yankowski (coach), C. Chamberlain, J. Sweeney, M. Booth
BACK ROW: R. Bristol, A. Langeway, S. Bush, M. Veysey

V.H.S. girls' basketball team chalked up a busy season this year playing 13 games and winning seven. Under the direction of Coach Yankowski, the team shaped up nicely with Shirley Hamilton, Shirley Mitchell, and Margaret Hanna playing front court, and Joyce LeBeau, Mary Palmer, and Jessie Cochran taking the guard positions.

We started the season off with an exciting game in which we bowed to a highly-rated St. Mary's team by seven points. Since Vergennes is no longer in the Champlain Valley League, we have dropped the games with some of the smaller schools, which has left us meeting stronger opponents.

Co-Captain Shirley Hamilton played her last basketball games for V.H.S. this year and she will be missed greatly next season. With her favorite shot, a right-handed hook from the side, she racked up a total of 199 points, an average of 13 points a game.

To replace the loss of this veteran, there are many promising substitutes. Among them are Ann Langeway, Marjorie Veysey, and Rachael Bristol.

Due to an injured ankle, Co-captain Margaret Hanna was forced to watch three games from the sidelines. However, she hit the nets for a total of 147 points, averaging 13 points per game. Shirley Mitchell, who is quick and plays a good floor game, has tallied for 142 points, an average of 9 points per game.

In the back court the guards proved their playing ability by intercepting passes, getting rebounds, and thoroughly confusing their opponents. Margaret Booth, Barbara Chamberlain, and Sally Bush have also played hard and showed their value to the team.

Next year we hope to come back with an even stronger team, since all the players will be veterans except one new forward.
Vergennes High School basketball practice for the 1952-53 season started propitiously last November with the new coach, Ronald "Moose" Davis eyeing his unfamiliar proteges very carefully. From the 21 boys at that first practice, Coach Davis rounded up a fine varsity team, and also an up-and-coming Junior Varsity Club.

In a busy season of 18 games, the team rolled up 10 wins over their opponents, thereby totaling 794 points for Vergennes. Ripchik, playing forward, walked off with high-scoring record of 249 points which he copped in 15 games, making him an average of 16 points per game. Lackard chalked up 120 points in 17 games, averaging him 7 points a game, while Whitty won 117 points in 18 games, averaging 6 points a game.

The team will lose three able veterans, Ripchik, Lackard and Whitty, in the graduating class this year, but other promising material is forthcoming, including Hubert Atkins, Tom McCormick, Fred LeBeau, Ken Drew, and Robert Ross.
SECOND ROW: Miss Yankowski (coach), C. Tucker, S. LeBeau, B. Purcell, C. Chamberlain, J. Sweeney
BACK ROW: P. Cameron, M. Miller, J. Chamberlain, S. Clark

FRONT ROW: S. Danyow, I. Booth, W. Ganson, P. Ripchik, E. Lackard, R. Plankey, J. Burgey, L. Clark
SECOND ROW: Mr. Davis (coach), N. Charbonneau, L. Veysey, C. Coupe, J. Campbell, K. Drew, C. Peabody, C. Ross
Boys' J. V. Basketball

BACK ROW: Mr. Davis (coach), J. Peabody, J. Hawkins, J. Hawkins, J. Underwood, L. Evarts, A. Norton

THIRD ROW: C. Quenneville, J. Ripchik, A. Berry, S. LeBeau, C. Chamberlain, M. Palmer, I. Rose, S. Spear, L. Bodette, S. Danyow, M. Pollard
FOURTH ROW: P. Sheldon, B. Purcell, M. Veysey, S. Mitchell, R. Cunningham, M. Hawkins, B. Clark, B. Chamberlain, J. Chamberlain, M. Miller, M. Booth

Softball
State Champions!


BACK ROW: R. Ross, J. LeBeau, K. Drew, Mr. Davis, N. Whitty, M. Hanna, Mr. Crown
Soccer

FRONT ROW: D. Clark, P. McNulla, L. Veysey, R. Ross, P. Ripchik, K. Drew, E. Lackard
SECOND ROW: C. Peabody, R. Vincent, L. Surpise, J. Burgey, W. Ganson, S. Danyow
BACK ROW: L. Evarts, J. Peabody, N. Whitty, Mr. Davis (coach), C. Coupe

FRONT ROW: B. Ganson, A. Robarge, J. Collett, T. Charboneau, S. Knapp, R. Clark
BACK ROW: B. Lasher, J. Litch, P. Stanilonis, J. Parkinson, B. Hamel, Principal Pearl (coach)
FRONT ROW: J. Swenor, S. Danyow
BACK ROW: R. Charlebois, J. Ripchik, B. Cunningham, Miss Laura Demeritt (coach)

SECOND ROW: S. Danyow, W. Farnsworth, N. Charbonneau, K. Booth, D. Little, P. Wightman, R. Plankey
BACK ROW: R. Stebbins, J. Hawkins, I. Booth, N. Whitty, C. Kelly, R. Lawrence

Band

FRONT ROW: M. Parkinson, C. Purcell, S. Mitchell, B. Cunningham, M. Tatro
THIRD ROW: J. Cochran, A. Berry, C. Chamberlain, P. Jaquith, M. Hanna, R. Bristol, M. Ripchik, C. O'Connor, J. Sweeney, Mr. Andrews (director)
FOURTH ROW: D. Clark, W. Milo, R. Miller, S. Danyow, M. Palmer, P. Stanilonis, D. Little, N. Charbonneau, A. Norton
BACK ROW: H. Grant, I. Booth, P. Ripchik, K. Drew, R. Stebbins, C. Kelly

FRONT ROW: L. Clark, A. Berry, M. Parkinson, N. Young, J. Cushman, P. Aubin, S. Danyow, J. Ripchik
BACK ROW: Mr. Andrews (director), M. Booth, J. Sweeney, P. Stanilonis, C. Kelly, I. Booth, C. Chamberlain, P. Jaquith

Orchestra
FRONT ROW: A. Norton, J. Provencher, R. Panton, P. Wightman, R. Vincent, R. Ross, 
M. Dudley, B. Ganson, L. Clark
SECOND ROW: S. Danyow, M. Rivers, M. Dike, K. Russell, J. Chamberlain, P. Cameron, 
Mr. Sorton (director), R. Charlebois, T. Russell, E. Hallock, J. Booth, S. Jerger
THIRD ROW: S. Chamberlain, R. Drew, B. Cunningham, C. Bristol, B. Purcell, J. Ripchik, 
FOURTH ROW: P. Aubin, I. Rose, B. Clark, C. Chamberlain, G. Hier, P. Ripchik, 
R. Lawrence, D. Little, M. Palmer, S. Stearns, J. Cochran, M. Hanna, C. O'Conor
BACK ROW: P. Stanilonis, R. Godard, J. Hawkins, M. Whitty, J. Hawkins, L. Evarts, 
K. Drew, J. Peabody, W. Farnsworth

FRONT ROW: K. Booth, C. Chamberlain, M. Ripchik, R. Drew, P. Cameron, M. Palmer, 
Mr. Sorton (director), L. Fleming, B. Cunningham, P. Sheldon, P. Aubin, S. Danyow, 
D. Little
SECOND ROW: M. Whitty, M. Willard, H. Jackson, K. Russell, C. O'Conor, B. Clark, 
BACK ROW: R. Panton, A. Norton, J. Provencher, R. Godard, P. Ripchik, J. Hawkins, 

Drill Team
FRONT ROW: M. Young, J. Chamberlain, Mrs. Bodette (faculty adviser), J. Sweeney, L. Fleming
BACK ROW: S. Danyow, R. Ross, N. Whitty, W. Ganson, N. Charbonneau

FRONT ROW: J. Sweeney, Mrs. Nelson (faculty adviser), R. Stebbins, N. Whitty, M. Pol­lard, M. Hanna, Mr. Love (faculty adviser), S. Clark, P. Little
BACK ROW: R. Godard, P. Ripchik, R. Ross, K. Booth, R. Plankey, P. Wightman, A. Jackson
Dramatic Club

FRONT ROW: L. Collett, S. Spade, E. Clodgo, Mr. O'Ryan (coach), E. Brown, R. Drew, S. Clark
SECOND ROW: B. Clark, J. LeBeau, E. Porter, B. Douglass, W. Farnsworth, H. Hallock, P. Whitney, S. Sauter

FRONT ROW: D. Clark, L. Evarts, H. Grant, J. Miller, B. Broderick, B. Ganson
BACK ROW: P. McNulla, L. Veysey, S. Baker, W. Ganson

Chess Club
The Blue and White

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