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## More Tests

### Juniors Will

### Take NMSQT

The National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test will be administered to approximately thirty IHM juniors on Feb. 17, 1970.

This three-hour test is designed to identify talented eleventh-grade students on the basis of their development in English, mathematics, social studies, natural sciences, and word usage. The results are particularly appropriate for comparison with college-bound students' performances.

"We will use the test," said Sister M. Ida, principal, "to help students, parents, and teachers identify individual weaknesses and strengths in each student's educational development and in making a realistic appraisal of his educational and vocational goals."

Results of the tests taken last year showed that Maureen McCammon merited a Letter of Commendation for her distinguished performance on the tests. This means that, of all students in Idaho who took the exams she was in the top ten percent.

## The Night Of The Panther

DATE: January 22, 1970

PLACE: N.I.J.C. Gymnasium

EVENT: Eighth Annual North Idaho Sports Banquet

Veteran IHM mentor Eugene Boyle, along with Bill Miles of Moscow, was honored as Coach of the Year, and his 1969 undefeated football team was selected Team of the Year.

"I think this team, especially the 18 seniors, deserved the award more than any other team I've had," stated Coach Royle while accepting the trophy before capacity crowd of over 600 people.

Along with these awards, Jerry Hendren, leading pass receiver of the nation from the University of Idaho, was unanimously voted Amateur Athlete of the Year, and Dwight Church, Legion Baseball Coach from Lewiston, was picked Coach of the Decade.

## Six Accepted To State Chorus

On Nov. 15, 1969, six students of IHM traveled to Moscow, Idaho, to be judged for acceptance into the Idaho State Choral Association. Word was recently received by Sister M. Alphonsa that they all made it!

The singers are: seniors--Kris Kryger, Jane McFarland, Bob Riggs; juniors--Sandra Georgius, Cheryl Schmidt, and Kevin Roche.

In the judging, each contestant had to sing either "America, the Beautiful" or "America", and arpeggios of their individual range, both without piano accompaniment. In addition, they were required to read and sing their line of a four-part song which they had never seen before.

From March 19-21, the vocalists will attend a gathering of all members of the State Chorus, which will present a public concert at the end of the convention. The music which will be used is now on its way to Sister Alphonsa, who will begin tutoring the six next week.

Letter To The Editor

# Students Commended

Dear Editor,

I must commend the students of IHM for the stamina they have shown at those bogus sock-hops. The majority of clubs deem it a good, simple, inexpensive way to raise money. The truth of the matter is, with the present downhill decline in attendance, that by Sept. 6, 1970, if a club held a dance it would lose \$3.

Of course, all the school looks forward to these fiascos; it's cheaper than cruising the gut for two hours, and more entertaining than "Lawrence Welk." The stagnation and boredom is incredulous! I saw one snowball dance which terminated with two-and-a-half couples, all girls.

The highlight of a dance is when some clown turns on the lights, which brings alive the non-crowd, and fills the gym with booing. I've had more fun playing solitaire in a morgue with a deck of 39 cards.

Sincerely,

Ray Buvel  
President,  
Math and Science  
Club

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### Movie Review

# "Usher" Scary Only To Girls

By Marlis Andersen

After a long delay, the student body met in the gym on Jan. 7 for the presentation of "The Fall of the House of Usher." The Student Council, sponsor of the showing, charged a 50-cent admission.

The movie was accompanied by various sounds from the audience. The girls would shiver and cry out in horror while the boys made cat calls.

This picture of the audience mirrors the movie fairly well. Only a few spots were really scary; such as when Phillip Winthrop (Mark Damon) was searching for his love, Madeline (Myrna Falley), and followed a long trail of blood to her room. She had gone mad and was waiting there to strangle him. Then the house caught on fire, and the butler saved Phillip from both the blaze and Madeline.

### CONDOLENCE

The faculty and students of IHM extend sympathy to Francis Gerdes '27, Mrs. Ann Marie Neuman '28, and Mrs. Dorothy Hill '38 on the death of their sister Mrs. James Flanagan, the former Maxine Gerdes '31; to William '34, Patrick '32, Mrs. Teresa Clements '37, and Mrs. Gertrude Thorpe '38 on the death of their mother Mrs. Mary Reagan; to Sister Francis Borgia on the death of her father.

Math and Science Club Presents

## BUVEL'S REVEL

Friday, February 6, 1970

10 →  
L.V. Brown Gym

CASH PRIZES  
Admission 35¢

## Seven Enter GU Tourney

Seven IHM students entered the Gonzaga University Speech and Debate Tournament held Jan. 22, 23, and 24, in Spokane.

Sophomore Kent Brooten earned second place in the Junior Division of the Expository contest. Raymond Buvel, junior, also entered that event, and sophomore Kim Bartel competed in the Oral Interpretive Reading.

Two debate teams participated in the annual tourney. They were: Cathy McCammon and Cheryl Schmidt, juniors; and senior Lynette Brown and Carol Bosanko.

## Roaring 20's Come To IHM

A Roaring 20's theme outlined the Drill Team's performance at Brown Gymnasium Jan. 16. Decked with beads, bows, and garters, the group performed for the first time at the afternoon pep rally, and again that evening during half-time of the IHM-Post Falls game. The Varsity Cheerleaders executed a Charleston cheer within the Drill Team's Big "G", Little "O" formation.

The preceding weekend, at the Kootenai game, the girls staged a military drill. Red and blue stars on white pleated uniforms accented the costumes. Taking leader Joette Wardian's place that drill was Lori Bowser.

## NHS Plans Induction, Bowls

The National Honor Society has tentatively planned to have the induction ceremony for new members in the next few weeks, according to President Joe Foredyce.

Foredyce also said that the college bowls, which were started last year, would be getting underway in the near future. Questions will cover English, Science Math, History, and Social Studies. They are taken from Barron's Preparation for College Entrance Examination.

Any club or organized panel can partake in the contests, which are presented to the student body.

## Two Students Are Winners

Two IHM students were recently named winners in two youth contests in this area.

Senior Jane McFarland placed third in the girls' division of the Elks Leadership Contest, sponsored by the Coeur d'Alene Lodge No. 1254. In another endeavor, Miss McFarland earned second place for her entry in the Voice of Democracy Oratorical Contest, sponsored by the American Legion.

Also in the Elks Leadership Contest, sophomore Kent Brooten was named second in the boys' division.

## Pigs Reign At Sadie Hawkins

The Pep Club held its annual Sadie Hawkins Dance Saturday, January 17, in the Brown Gymnasium. Though it could not be written off as a tremendous success, the Pep Club was able to pay off its debts and come away with a small profit.

Providing entertainment and music was Dan Walker, KJRB disc jockey. Records were given away, and there was also a raffle for the pig, which was the highlight of the decorations. Jan Huetter won the pork. Pictures were taken at the affair by Dorian.

Susie Riplinger, president of Pep Club, had this to say about the event: "It was one heck of a mess, and if I ever catch the kids who wrecked the hay..."

## Schedule Switching Stopped

Because of a few conflicts in the faculty schedule, the previous arrangement of interchanging afternoon classes with the morning classes has been discontinued. Another system has been devised, though, to take its place. The sixth and seventh periods will be switched every other week, allowing at least a little variety.

# TIME OUT

By M.J. Huetter

In 1964, a young teacher-coach named Gene Boyle arrived at IHM High School planning to coach football, basketball, and baseball when he wasn't teaching math and general science.

The first thing he did was engender a spirit into the hearts of the students, a spirit which would later become synonymous with IHM. The second thing he did was begin coaching . . . the results of this would be felt for the next six years.

In his first year, Boyle guided IHM to a 5-2-1 record in football, considered at that time to be one of its finest. For the next three years, his teams would go undefeated, and two would be selected "Team of the Year" in North Idaho.

Granted, some men excel in coaching one particular sport, but Coach Boyle . . .

In 1967, parochial schools were admitted to the Idaho High School Interscholastics Activities for the first time in the state's history. That same year, a "Cinderella" team from "Immaculate Heart of Mary High in Coeur d'Alene" captured the state championship. This team was also named "Team of the Year." And the following year saw an unprecedented repeat performance of the state title victory.

Boyle set up a track program three years ago, and since then has had three District victories, a first and a second at Regional, and co-runner-up at State Track Meet.

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His practices are grueling and agonizing. His game plan changes for each encounter, setting up the trials of learning new defenses and offenses every week. Now the spirit he set up six years ago plays its role, for with all these hardships, 72 out of a total of 112 boys at IHM turned out for football last season.

This is a glowing example of the kind of coach Gene Boyle is, and I feel I can't express it better than one girl, who, after the recent Sports Banquet, declared, "He's deserved the 'Coach of the Year' award for the past five years!"

ONLY DUMMIES  
WON'T GO

# TIME IN

## Badgers Squeeze Past IHM

The Bonners Ferry Badgers nipped the IHM Panthers 57-55 at Bonners Ferry Jan. 3.

Wombacher of Bonners led the scoring with 17 points, followed by Panthers Brad Novak, 16, and John Boller, 15. The defeat left the Panthers 2-2 in League play and 6-3 in total games.

## Panthers Roll Over Lakeland

The IHM Panthers outdueled the Lakeland Hawks 64-52 at Lakeland Jan. 23.

Art Webb of IHM and Hawk Warren Gardipe each had 18 points for scoring honors, followed by Panther Brad Novak with 17.

The Panthers boosted their record to 8-4 with the win.

## IHM Edged In Overtime 78-77

The IHM Panthers, outscored 8-7 in the three-minute overtime period, fell to the Post Falls Trojans 78-77 Jan. 16 at the Brown Gymnasium.

Each team traded baskets in the tight contest, with IHM's John Boller leading the pack with 23, and Bowen of Post Falls with 20. The loss gave the Panthers a 7-4 standing.

## Panthers Crush Kootenai 63-41

Putting on a full court press that held their opponents to 18 points in the first half, the IHM Panthers devastated the Kootenai Warriors 63-41 in a non-League contest at the Brown Gymnasium Jan. 9.

Art Webb and Brad Novak led the Panther Charge with 18 and 14 pts., respectively. All but two IHM ballplayers scored in the game.

RAY'S PAYS

## Juniors Pace Panther Win

Two IHM juniors took high scoring honors as the Panthers stopped St. Maries 69-46 Jan. 2 at the Brown Gymnasium.

Brad Novak banged in 21 points and Dan Jacobson tallied 15 to pace the game.

Feb. 6  
The Un-Dance

## IHM Snags Championship

The IHM Panthers basketball squad traveled to St. George's gymnasium near Spokane Dec. 26 and 27 for the annual Christmas tournament, and brought home another trophy when it was over.

On the first night of action, the Panthers were out in front of Selkirk the whole game, and won 83-52. Panther Art Webb led the scoring with 22 points, followed by teammate John Boller, who hit 19. Three other players to hit double figures were Pat King and Dan Jacobson with 11 and 12, resp., for IHM, and Ray Smith who stuffed 17 for Selkirk.

Four Panthers made double figures the following night as IHM raced by North West Christian 74-59 for the championship. Again, Art Webb spearheaded the drive with 22 points, backed by King (16), Brad Novak (15), and Boller (12). NWC had only one high scorer in Matt Scheel, who sank 24 points for the runner-up.

## Jr. Varsity B-Ball

### IHM VS ST. MARIES

The IHM JV's dropped a close 39-38 battle to the St. Maries JV's Jan. 2 at the Brown Gym.

Matt of St. Maries was high scorer with 15 points. The Panthers failed to have a player in double figures. The IHM team sports a 2-4 record.

### IHM VS BONNERS FERRY

Tied with their opponents 34-34 at the end of three quarters, the IHM Jr. Varsity was outscored 21-8 in the final period as they fell to Bonners Ferry 55-42 Jan. 3.

Badgers Allured and Yount scored 20 and 13, as Jack Riplinger lead the Panthers with 13.

### IHM VS KOOTENAI

The IHM Jr. Varsity

inched by Kootenai 41-40 in the Brown Gym Jan. 9. The contest, which saw no player hit double figures, gave IHM a 3-5 mark.

### IHM VS POST FALLS

The Post Falls Jr. Varsity pounded the IHM JV's 54-45 at the Brown Gym Jan. 16.

High points honors went to Boseth and Schumacher of Post Falls with 19 and 13, respectively, while Panther Doug Brown also canned 13.

The loss gave IHM a 3-6 record.

### IHM VS LAKELAND

The Lakeland JV's dumped IHM's Jr. Varsity 40-31 at Lakeland Jan. 23.

Bohn and Slendon lead the Hawks with 14 and 11 points. The IHM squad now stands 3-7.

## Frosh Compile 2-3 Record

In their first winning effort this month, the Panther freshmen took their initial home game victory over Kootenai 41-21 on Jan. 8. P.J. Sands was the only scorer to hit double figures with 12 points.

Two days earlier, the IHM frosh traveled to Bonners Ferry, and met a 49-38 loss, Chuck Hawley was high scorer with 14 points.

The following week, the freshmen dropped two more, one at Sandpoint and one home with Kellogg. In the former, P.J. Sands slammed in 17 points, but IHM fell 48-39. Against Kellogg, IHM effected a late rally to overcome a 25 point deficit, but could plug in only 14. P.J. Sands banged in 12 points in the 59-48 contest.

Four freshmen hit double figures as the IHM frosh conquered Mullan 55-51 at the Brown Gym Jan. 23. Dan Stockwell pumped in 20, while Chuck Hawley, P.J. Sands, and Steve Spinazza each racked up 11.

## Magazine Drive To Be Launched

It's once again time to check with neighbors, relatives and parents about buying or renewing subscriptions--the annual Magazine Drive is starting!

As in the past, prizes are given to the highest individual salesman, and to the class which brings in the most orders. Also, there are prizes for selling various numbers of subscriptions.

The program, designed to raise money for the Student Council, is set to begin early in February, and will last about a week.

BLOW YOUR  
MIND  
AT RAY'S

## Thirty-Four Earn Honors

The following students merited honors at the end of the second quarter, Jan. 21:

### FIRST HONORS

Seniors: Joseph Foredyce, M. J. Huetter, Siegfried Kirchner, Walter Matson, Dennis Smith.

Juniors: Raymond Buvel, David Jessick, Thomas Michelich, Sherrill Peterson.

Sophomores: Carol Mae Bosanko, Jill Giovanelli, Linda Stoddard.

Freshmen: Joann Hebert, Julie Koep, Michael McDowell, Kristine Ratliff, Donna Torgerson.

### SECOND HONORS

Seniors: Geraldine Gillhoover, Robert Riggs.

Juniors: Lonnie Brown, Phyllis Brueggeman, Michael Ciercya, Kathy Hammrich, Joan Harrington, Bruce Huetter, Christine Moyles, Joseph Wachsmuth.

Sophomores: Marcia Johnston, David Lyon, Kelly Moons, Mark Palmer, Susan Peterson, Susan Torgerson.

Freshmen: Mickey Elgee, Dana Kindler.

## Unity Octave Observed

The Christian Church in today's world is composed of many varied religions and splinter groups. A number of these found faults in the Catholic Faith and formed their own beliefs. Over the centuries, suspicion has characterized peoples' outlooks on the different sects.

Now, Christians all over the world are beginning to realize that, basically, all men have many of the same religious beliefs. This is why Pope Paul VI called Christians throughout the globe to join in the yearly Church Unity Octave observed the week of Jan. 18-24.

We all live by Christ's rule of love. Therefore, during the Unity Octave, we have been asked to join in a spirit of love for our fellow man.

## Math And Science Mind Bender

## ALUMNI NEWS

Jan (Valente) Peterson '68 gave birth to a baby boy, Brandon Michael on Jan. 22.

Kathy Kryger '64 has announced her engagement to Harvey McGowen from Tacoma, Wash. A summer wedding is being planned.

Suzanne Koontz '66 is engaged to Norm Anderson of Coeur d'Alene. The wedding date is set for June.

Dan Peterson '67 is presently stationed in Thailand as an aviation electronics engineer.

Ginny Karst '67 and Leslie Rickles of Spokane became engaged recently. No wedding date is set.

Jan (Karst) Augustson '66 and her husband returned Jan. 9 from a three week vacation trip to Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kryger '57, presently employed by American Airlines, are spending their vacation at a ski resort on the Alps of Austria.

Wayne Tyrrell '65 was joined in marriage to Nancy Crow of Tacoma, Wash. during the month of December. Mike Peters '66 was best man; Gary O'Connell '65 and Mike Elgee '66 served as ushers; and Mrs. Elgee (Ann Matson '65) played the organ for the double ring ceremony.

## MADCAP ANTICS