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## Students experience change

Changes are what every high school student experiences. A person changes physically, as well as emotionally, throughout his high school years.

It is the emotional changes that help us deal with the problems of everyday life. They are what makes us each unique individuals. Each change that we have prepares us for the next step in life.

With new students at THS, the atmosphere changes. Each year is a little different from the last. THS has not changed much over the years, but the students who attended it made it a unique place for a period of time.

Change is permanent. We can never go back and redo something, but we can take what we have and fight the next battle in life.


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World events summarized

As far as world affairs goes, the 1983-84 school year was full of excitement.
'Murder in the Air' is what they called it when the Soviets shot down the South Korean jumbo jetliner en route from Anchorage to Seoul. Flight 007, which boarded 73 Koreans, at least 39 Americans, 28 Japanese, and smaller groups from at least nine other countries, was shot down by a fighter pilot.

President Reagan sent troops to Lebanon as a peacekeeping force. He also sent troops to Grenada to rescue the trapped medical students.

Perhaps the biggest international tragedy that the U.S. experienced was the bombing in Beirut where 289 Americans were killed.

Looking at the U.S. nationally, who could forget the showing of "The Day After'? This movie let the public see the outcome if a nuclear attack happened. It caused much controversy all over the nation and in the schools.

The most interesting thing in politics was the Democratic presidential race between Sen. Gary Hart, Walter Mondale, and Rev. Jesse Jackson.

The big craze of the year was the Cabbage Patch Doll. With these cute little dolls came adoption papers with names on them. No two names of the three million dolls were the same. The price of this doll varied from $\$ 30$ to $\$ 150$, but one doll sold for $\$ 1,000$.

The XIV Winter Olympics Games were held in Sarajevo, Yugoslavia. The school year ended with several countries pulling out of the summer Olympics that were held in Los Angeles.

These were just some of the events that happened in the world and in the U.S. All has happened and nothing can be changed.



## Various styles found at THS

What would student life be if you didn't take a look at the styles? Yes, folks, for another year the "preppy" look was in - whether you wanted to wear a long-sleeved $t$-shirt with a polo under it or wear one polo over another. Every day you could see one of these styles at THS. Other types of popular clothing were rugby pants, Lee, and Levi. On their feet, the daring did not wear socks and many wore topsiders or penny loafers, and the remainder wore tennis shoes.

When it comes to hairstyles there was only one - punk! This hairstyle was very short in the front and on the sides. In fact, many people got what they call "ears cut out." Not literally though, the hair was cut real short around the ear and the whole ear showed. The hair in the back was longer. This cut was what many stylists called a bi-level.

Of course in years to come these styles will change. The clothes and hairstyles that are popular today will be laughed at in the future, but for the 1983-84 school year, they were "in."



Top left: Jeff Jamvold, Roger Whetstine, and Laurie Klaus chat.
Top: Theresa Simpson and Ronnie Shelton freeze while praciticing for Homecoming.

Upper left: While Mike Jamvold snoozes, Craig Grable pouts.
Above: Liessa Martinez models the latest fashions.
Far left: Doing the dirty work is Don Huss
Middle left: Tina Adkins serves her time in the kitchen.
Left: For their noon-hour entertainment, Angela Rush, Steve Smith, and Wanda Adkins play with a puppy.

## THS students spend time with music for entertainment

One might ask what someone does for entertainment in a small town like Troy. Many students of THS would answer that question with one word - party! Besides partyin' students had other forms of entertainment. Most liked to cruise St. Joe and catch a flick. Movies were a big thing this school year. Terms of Endearment won an Oscar for Movie of the Year. Hot Dog, Police Academy, Footloose, and Splash were some of the more popular movies.

Music was another form of entertainment. Whether they just wanted to relax on their bed at home or "jam" their way to a basketball game, this is something THS students could not do without. The familiar groups stayed at the top of the charts while new groups climbed up them also. Journey once again was a favorite rock group. Their new album Frontiers carried such hits as "Send Her My Love," "Can't Stop Falling," and "Faithfully." The Police was awarded the Song of the Year with "Every Breath You Take." Michael Jackson won eight Grammys with such songs as "Billie Jean," "Thriller," and "Beat It" from his album Thriller. The Footloose soundtrack also produced many hits. Van Halen's album 1984 carried such hits as "Jump" and "Panama."

All these songs could be heard on popular radio stations like ZZ99, KY102, and 106.5 KCl . This year was not the year of video games, but the year of entertainment.



Opposite page, top: Rob Karn takes a break in his day and treats himself to a Pepsi.

Top left: While cruising town, Steven Smith stops to show off his car

Above: Charles Adkins stops by the post office to pick up his fan club mail.

Above left: Sherry Smith, owner of The Perfect Touch, gives Doug Meng a trim.

Far left: Julia Simpson is one of the five THS students who work at John's Market.

Middle left: Diana Shelton and Laurie Klaus show some new pants that have arrived at The Trunk.

Left: Trying his luck at a video game is Butch Wendt.


Probably the highlight of each year at THS is the activities that take place. Many students find themselves anxiously awaiting an upcoming event.

It is events such as Homecoming, Queen of Courts, and prom that led up to the final activity of the year - graduation.

As far as changes go in this section, the only difference is that prom took place at the Ramada Inn at St. Joseph, Missouri.


## Queen Laurie reigns

Miss Laurie Klaus was crowned the 1983 Homecoming Queen by head escort, John Marriott, during the pre-game ceremonies October 7. The attendants in Laurie's court were Carrie Chase, Jill Jarrett, Julia Simpson, and Theresa Simpson. Each candidate received a rose and a kiss from their escorts, Greg Ashworth, Robbie Karn, Doug Meng, and Ronnie Shelton.

Crown and gift bearers were Lindsay Christenson, Mandy Robinson, Shane Peden, and Justin Johnson.

After the crowning, the Trojans rolled over the Jackson Heights Cobras, 31-6, capturing the title of first-ranked football team in Class 2A.

Lower left: With Queen Laurie and John are the crown and giftbearers, Lindsay Christenson, Mandy Robinson, Shane Peden, and Justin Johnson.

Lower right: Charles Adkins, 1983 Mr . Thighs, receives a kiss from Laralee Sandy.


Left: Students prepare for Homecoming by decorating the gym for the theme "Total Eclipse of the Heart," and wrapping the flagpoles with school colors, as Brian Klaus is shown doing.

Below: Boxes are lit for the bonfire by cheerleaders, Julia Simpson and Kim Roper.

Bottom: Homecoming candidates Robbie Karn, Jill Jarrett, Doug Meng, Julia Simpson, Queen Laurie Klaus, Head Escort John Marriott, Theresa Simpson, Ronnie Shelton, Carrie Chase, and Greg Ashworth.



## All-school play presented

The THS all-school play "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" was presented November 3, to the middle school students and November 4, to the high school students. An evening performance was also given on this date.

The play centers around Emily and Cornelia. They go through many adventures as they take a cruise to Paris, stay in a run-down hotel, and discover romance.

Cornelia Otis Skinner
Emily Kimbrough
Mrs. Skinner
Otis Skinner
Dick Winters
Leo McEvoy
Madame De La Croix
Admiral
Harriet St. John
Winifred Blaugh
Madame Elise
Therese
Inspector
Purser
Stewardess
Window Cleaner
Stewart 1
Steward 2
Steward 3

Theresa Simpson Julia Simpson Carrie Chase Mike Guy Jeff Jamvold J.G. Koehler Jill Jarrett Robert Sigrist Paula Smith Janet Thompson Pam Oyerly Denise Miller Cindy Buch Mike Thomas Michele Rooney Pat Franken Roger Whetstine Charles Adkins Don Huss


Right: Front row: L. Klaus, M. Jasper, S. Smith, J. Goss, P. Clary, C. Bush, M. Rooney, P. Oyerly. Row 2: M. Guy, R. Whetstine, D. Huss, M. Weber, T. Clary, P. Wykert, S. Smith, K. Tharman, K. Roper, D. Miller, A. Middleton, D. Shelton, K. Wendt, W. Adkins. Row 3: M. Thomas, D. Sutherland, T. Marriott, T. Adkins, S. Theis, J. Koehler, A. Whetstine, L. Johnson, C. Cluck, T. Wykert.

Above right: Theresa Simpson, as Cornelia, frowns at her bed bugs' bites.
(Opposite page top): Front row: P. Franken, D. Huss, R. Whetstine, C. Adkins. Row 2: M. Rooney, C. Buch, M. Guy, C. Chase, T. Simpson, J. Simpson, P. Oyerly, P. Smith, D. Miller. Row 3: M. Thomas, J. Jarrett, J. Jamvold, J. Koehler, J. Thompson, and R. Sigrist.

Opposite page left: Carrie Chase and Mike Guy rehearse a scene.

Opposite page right: Dick and Emily discuss the trip.



## Lisa chosen Sweetheart

Lisa Weber was crowned 1983-84 FFA Chapter Sweetheart at Barnwarming which was held November 19. She was escorted by Bill Griffin and was presented six roses and a crown. Liessa Martinez, escorted by Jeff Jamvold, was first runner-up, and Diana Shelton, escorted by Doug Meng, was second runner-up.

Other girls competing for the title were Angela Middleton, escorted by Ken Tharman, and Janet Thompson, escorted by Mike Foley

The contest consisted of many events. They were threading a bolt, milking a goat, hammering a nail, climbing a rope, driving a tractor through pylons, squaring and sawing a board, and roping an anvil. The girls were also judged on a tool quiz, FFA quiz, and an essay on "Why I want to be FFA Sweetheart."

A dance was held in the old gym afterwards, featuring a 106.5 disc jockey. It was sponsored by FFA.

Right: Lisa Weber is the 1983-84 FFA Sweetheart.
Below left: Julia Simpsn, 1982-83 Sweetheart, poses with Lisa Weber, the 1983-84 Sweetheart

Below right: Liessa Martinez attempts driving a tractor through pyIons.



Below: Liessa Martinez and Diana Shelton take tool test.
Left: Angela Middleton shows skill at threading a bolt.
Below left: Janet Thompson has fun sawing a board.
Below right: Liessa Martinez tries milking a goat.


## Laralee crowned queen

The 1984 Queen of Courts was held January 20, with the Troy Trojans defeating the Wathena Wildcats. The boys varsity had a score of 78-39.

Laralee Sandy was crowned queen by head escort Rob Karn. Other candidates were Carrie Chase, Jill Jarrett, Julia Simpson, and Theresa Simpson. Their .escorts were Ron Shelton, Ken Neumann, John Marriott, and Doug Meng respectively. The gift and flower bearers were Zachary Benitz, Jeremy Grable, Annie Jensen, and Lacey Thomas.

A dance was held after the games with a discjockey from 106.5.


Top right: Queen Laralee Sandy.
Above: Carrie, Rob, Laralee, Ronnie, Theresa, and Doug anxiously await the announcement.

Right: Crown and flower bearers pose for a picture with Laralee and Rob.




Top: Queen of Courts candidates and escorts were Carrie Chase, Ron Shelton, Theresa Simpson, Doug Meng, Queen Laralee Sandy, head escort Rob Karn, Julia Simpson, John Marriott, Jill Jarrett, and Ken Neumann.

Left: Theresa Simpson is escorted by Doug Meng

Above: Marilyn Weber helps decorate for the dance

## Doug Mr. Irresistible

Doug Meng was named Mr. Irresistible, March 22, between the senior-faculty games. Head escort .Jill Jarrett presented Doug with a medallion and a kiss.

Doug's attendants and their escorts were Charles Adkins and Laurie Klaus, Greg Ashworth and Carrie Chase, Rob Karn and Theresa Simpson, and John Marriott and Julia Simpson. The gift bearers were Joel Ashburn and Amy Moore.

The Kayettes chose the candidates and escorts. Mr. Irresistible was selected by the student body, and the senior girl with the most votes was honored as head escort.

The boosters and the THS student council sponsored a dance at the grade school after the games. KCl provided the music.


The seniors were victorious in defeating the faculty and boosters in both the men's and women's games.

Right: Jill Jarrett escorts Mr. Irresistible, Doug Meng, off the court.
Above: Giftbearers, Joel Ashburn and Amy Moore, exhibit mixed emotions.

Top: Charles Adkins displays key chain he was presented with by his escort, Laurie Klaus.



## Clothes modeled

"It's a Good Life at THS" was the theme for the style show presented by the Home Economics Department, May 1. Special guests were invited.

All the Home Ec classes were involved. The girls from Home Ec I and III modeled clothes they had sewn, and the Home Ec II students prepared the refreshments.

The members of the family living class helped with a variety of things. The boys were escorts, and four of the girls were narrators, including Carrie Chase, Theresa Simpson, Denise Sutherland, and Marilyn Weber.


Top: Escorts for the girls who modeled formals were Butch Wendt, Paul Franken, Donnie Huss, Charles Adkins, Greg Ashworth, and Mike Thomas.

Left: Ready for summer, Julie Goss models the top she has made in Home Ec I.

Above: Jill Jarrett gives her nephews a ride while modeling a blue- and white-striped outfit which matches the boys' outfits that Jill has also made. Standing to the left, Marilyn Weber takes her turn as narrator.


One-Act Play Informative Ken Tharman Michele Rooney Julie Goss

## Poetry

Jennifer Scholz Julia Simpson Duet Acting
Julia Simpson and
Theresa Simpson
Paula Smith and
Angela Rush
Serious Solo
Mike Thomas
Denise Milelr
Liessa Martinez
Jeff Jamvold
Humorous Solo
J. G. Koehler

Theresa Simpson
Improvised Duet
Ken Tharman and
Bill Griffin
Oration
Cindy Buch
Julie Goss

| Jeff West | League <br> 3rd | Maur <br> Hill <br> $x$ | Royal Valley | Troy | Regional <br> III | State |
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|  | $\times$ | $\times$ | x | 7th | 11 |  |
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| x | 5th | $x$ | x | $\times$ | 11 |  |
| x |  | x |  | 7th |  |  |
| x | 2nd | 6th |  | 5th |  | II |
| x | x |  | x | 6th | 1 | 11 |
| 3 rd | 5th | 5 th | 4th | $x$ | 11 | 11 |
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x Denotes student's participation
Top: The THS speech team consisted of 23 members. Front row: Renee Bell, Jennifer Scholz, Angela Rush, Wanda Adkins, Pam Guy, Shelbe Theis, Denise Miller, and Liessa Martinez. Row 2: Paula Smith, Theresa Simpson, Ken Tharman, J.G. Koehler, Robert Sigrist, Lisa Weber, Michele Rooney, Julia Simpson, and Sheena Smith. Row 3: Cindy Buch, Michelle Adkins, Jeff Jamvold, Mike Thomas, Julie Goss, and Marilyn Weber.

Right: Denise Miller recites a poem called "Look to Tomorrow," at the Kayette Banquet.


## Members compete

Almost half of the speech team consisted of freshmen, lowering the usually higher amount of upperclassmen. Many freshmen took part in the one-act play, also.

The one-act play cast performed at more places than just contests. It toured places, such as the Pioneer Center, the high school, and the grade school, too. Tina Adkins and Pam Oyerly were assistant directors, attending practices along with the cast.

The speech team was coached by Mrs. Mar-tha-Jean Rockey.


Top: Wearing their "Magic" and "Theatre" T-shirt costumes, the members of the one-act play present "Magic The atre II" for the grade school students.

Above: Seated on the stage are Tina Adkins, assistant director, and the cast as follows: Paula Smith, Theresa Simpson, Ken Tharman, J.G. Koehler, Tammy Clary, Robert Sigrist, Lisa Weber, Michele Rooney, Julia Simpson, and Pat Franken.
"He left me here in the dark all alone," says Jeff Jamvold, as he practices on "The Button," his serious solo, for contest.

## 'All Nite Long' presented

"All Nite Long" was the theme for the 1984 Troy High School Junior-Senior Prom which was held April 28.

Prom was different this year because it was held at the Ramada Inn in St. Joseph, Missouri, in the Ballroom. The meal was catered by Ramada Inn and a dance was held afterwards. The music was provided by "Push."

After the meal, junior class president, Diana Shelton, gave the welcome, and senior class president, Julia Simpson, gave the response. Mrs. Helen Tuley addressed the juniors and seniors and was presented with a gift of appreciation.


Top: Roger Whetstine was the toastmaster for the evening.
Above: Teachers and the speaker begin their meal.
Right: Julia Simpson gives her senior response.



Top: The 1984 seniors pose in the front lobby of the Ramada Inn.

Upper left: Julia Simpson and Mark McClaskey await the speaker's comments.

Above: Sam Adkins, Rhonda Dubach, Jeff Adkins, and his date take a break from the dance.

Right: Donnie Huss, Butch Wendt, and Jill Jarrett discuss their plans for the evening.

Lowerleft: Theresa Simpson and Rob Karn comment on the meal.

Lower right: Julia Simpson and her date Mark McClaskey begin their dinner



Left: Tammy Clary and Mike Anderson enjoy prom.
Below: Lori Masters and Butch Wendt await the speaker.
Lower left: Carrie Chase and Greg Ashworth enjoy their salads.
Lower right: Charles Adkins and Angela Rush wait for their meals.


## Seniors of 1984 graduate

The baccalaureate services for the 1984 Troy High School graduating class were held May 20, and graduation was held May 22 at the C.W. Oliver Gymnasium.

Carrie Chase gave the valedictorian address, and Jill Jarrett gave the salutatorian address. The speaker for the evening was G. Kent Stewart, professor of Kansas State University. Hylen Rush, president of the Board of Education, presented the seniors their diplomas.

Right: G. Kent Stewart addresses the seniors.
Opposite page, top left: Paul Franken receives his diploma.
Opposite page, top right: Ken Neumann performs a saxophone solo.

Below: Butch Wendt and Charles Adkins prepare for graduation.
Lower right: Bill Griffin poses before the ceremony.
Opposite page, lower left: Roberta Nelson and Rhonda Dubach prepare for the ceremony.

Opposite page, lower right: Lou Ann Whittaker receives her diploma.




THS students experienced something that will stay with them the rest of their lives.

This year at THS was an exciting one when it comes to the sports section. The girls' volleyball and basketball teams improved. The football team was ranked first after beating Jackson Heights. The basketball team was never ranked but went on to have an undefeated season. There were a number of students out for track.

Yes, this year had quite a few changes. It also created many memories - memories of the tears we shed, whether it be the only loss of our football season or the winning of the state championship in basketball.


## Trojans have excellent year

Winning the Delaware Valley League title with an 8-0 record made it an excellent season for Troy High School's varsity football team.

The Trojans traveled to Wildcat country for their first game in district play. Troy stomped Wathena, 35-0. The mighty Trojans then hosted JCN for the second and deciding district game. It was a penalty-ridden game, but the Trojans came out on top with a score of $33-12$ to secure a play-off berth.

The Trojans' only loss came from Jackson Heights in the Bi-Dsitrict Play-offs when the Trojans were downed 2-6. This ended Troy's season with an 8-1 record.

The defensive statistics looked very impressive. The Trojans allowed only 84 points all season, an average of 9.3 points per game. The offensive statistics were equally impressive. The offense scored 328 points, an average of 36.4 points per game. Don Huss topped the yardage charts with 1,179 yards. Doug Meng had over 900 yards rushing, while John Marriott had 390 yards rushing and 742 yards passing.



## SEASON'S RECORDS

 TROYOPPONENT

| McLouth | TROY | OPPONENT |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Pleasant Ridge | 41 | 14 |
| Horton | 53 | 8 |
| Oskaloosa | 33 | 22 |
| Jackson Heights | 31 | 0 |
| Kansas School for the Deaf | 51 | 6 |
| Wathena* |  | 16 |
| Jefferson County North* | 35 | 0 |
|  | 33 | 12 |

Jackson Heights** 2
*District Games
**Bi-District Play-Offs

Opposite page, top: Ron Shelton, number 4, reflects the emotion of the Homecoming victory over Jackson Heights, 31-6.

Opposite page, center: Senior Rob Karn gains yardage against the KSD Jackrabbits.

Opposite page, bottom left: Greg Ashworth, number 33, blocks for tailback Don Huss, who carries the ball deeper into Oskaloosa territory.

Opposite page, bottom right: Front row: Greg Ashworth, Delaware Valley All-League 1st-team kicker: John Marriott, Delaware Valley All-League 1st-team quarterback and 2nd-team defensive back, 1A-2A State 1st-team quarterback, All-State Honorable Mention back; Glen Marriott, Delaware Valley All-League 2nd-team tackle. Row 2: Ronnie Shelton, Delaware Valley All-League 2nd-team defensive back; Charles Adkins, Delaware Valley All-League 1st-team center; Don Huss, Delaware Valley All-League 1st-team linebacker and running back, 1A-2A State 1st-team defensive back. Row 3: Rob Karn, Delaware Valley All-League 1st-team end on offense and defense, 1A-2A State Honorable Mention end; Doug Meng, Delaware Valley All-League 1st-team linebacker and second-team running back, 1A-2A State Honorable Mention linebacker; Ken Neumann, Delaware Valley All-League 1st-team lineman and tackle, 1A-2A State 1st-team lineman.

Top: Front Row: Butch Wendt, Henry Jones, Mike Guy, Charles Adkins, Greg Ashworth, Don Huss, Glen Marriott, Ron Shelton, John Marriott, and mgr. Tom Martinez. Row 2: Head Coach Frank Davis, David Clary, Doug Meng, Rob Karn, Ken Neumann, Bill Griffin, Brian Klaus, Bryan Adkins, Roger Whetstine, and Mike Wiedmer. Row 3: Assistant Coach Bruce Reynolds, J.G. Koehler, Danny Owens, Mike Goss, Mike Jamvold, Paul Gronniger, Craig Grable, Tim Hegarty, Bobby Adkins, Jim Koehler, and Assistant Coach Severt Anderson.

Bottom: Every member of the team shared in the excitement and the intensity of a breakdown.


Top left: Seniors Marilyn Weber, Tammy Clary, Laurie Klaus, Laralee Sandy, and Lori Masters were each awarded a single red rose from Coach Fitch for their hard work.

Top right: Marilyn Weber returns a bump during warm-ups before the Midway match.

Bottom: Tammy Clary serves to the opposing team, the Horton Chargers, hoping to score.

Opposite page, top: Sheena Smith enters the game to give Laralee Sandy a breather.

Opposite page, bottom, front row: Laralee Sandy and Laurie Klaus. Row 2: Jenny Herpich, Opal Jones, Angie Sutherland, Shelbe Theis, and Tammy Benitz. Row 3: Coach Fitch, Pam Guy, Liessa Martinez, Lisa Johnson, Tammy Clary, Lori Masters, Marilyn Weber, Julie Goss, Julie Koehler, Karen Thomas, Sheena Smith, and Mgr. Jackie Herpich.


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## Team record improves

"Considering we were on the road the entire season, except for one home triangular early in the season, I feel like we had some good matches. We played top schools such as Midway and Valley Falls close," commented Coach Debra Fitch.

Five seniors led the squad through a tough season which ended with a record of 4-17. Even though hard work, determination, and enthusiasm aren't reflected by the record, these elements were present in both the team and the coach.

Sub-state finals were held at Jefferson County North, Saturday, October 29. Sixth-seeded Troy drew third-seeded Valley Falls for their first match. The Trojans upset the Dragons in two straight games, $15-13$ and 15-6. The girls then went on to face the second-seeded team, host Jefferson County North. This match proved to be tougher than the first and ended in a Trojan defeat, 9-15 and 6-15.

When asked about her thoughts of the sub-state tournament, Miss Fitch said, "I was pleased at our performance. To defeat the third-seeded team in two straight games was quite an accomplishment. Next, we just fell short to JCN, who later went on to win the sub-state tournament."




## Junior varsity has short season

Even though statistics aren't kept, the THS junior varsity worked very hard on improving their abilities and talents.

The JV season only included two games, Kickapoo and Wathena. Two other games, Horton and Jackson Heights, were cancelled.

The Trojans stomped Kickapoo Nation, 28-14, then were defeated by the Wathena Wildcats, 14-22.

Top: Front row: Jim Koehler, Tim Hegarty, and Craig Grable. Row 2: Bryan Adkins, Mike Wiedmer, and Mike Jamvold. Row 3: Bobby Adkins, Brian Klaus, and Mike Goss. Row 4: J.G. Koehler, Danny Owens, Paul Gronniger, Mgr. Thomas Martinez, and Coach Severt Anderson.

Bottom: The JV also participated in varsity games. Craig Grable, number 61, and Mike Goss, number 83, run to congratulate teammates after the big win over Jackson Heights.


## Cross country team shows promise



Except for Tammy Clary, senior, and Paul Gronniger, junior, Kevin Kelley coached a group of young harriers, Bobby Franken, Brian Hulbert, and Karen Thomas, sophomores; and Robert Sigrist, freshman.
"We kept improving throughout the entire year. We were young. Next year we'll have everybody back but Tammy," stated Coach Kelley.

When you work solely on running, not an offense or defense, it takes a lot of hard work and determination to go to practice every day. Tammy Clary, a four-year veteran, said, "I think that because of the fact that we've changed coaches every year, we really haven't had the chance to build a team. It's been more of an individual sport. I dreaded the practices and the meets, but now that it's over, l'm going to miss it."

Top: Robert Sigrist, Brian Hulbert, Tammy Clary, Karen Thomas, Bobby Franken, Paul Gronniger, and Coach Kevin Kelley.

Center: Paul Gronniger and Tammy Clary catch their breath after the Maur Hill meet.

## Troy takes everything in 1984

The season began when the Trojans won the Delaware Valley League Tournament. In the first round of action, the Trojans defeated Jefferson County North, 56-44. They then conquered the Oskaloosa Bears by a score of 59 to 48 . Then came the final game against Jackson Heights. Both teams were undefeated going into this game. The firstplace trophy and an undefeated record were on the line. The Trojans came out of the game victorious being the Jackson Heights Cobras, 48-41. They won the Delaware Valley League Tournament, but this was only one small accomplishment the Trojans showed they were capable of.

Next was the Highland Tournament. Troy won the tournament easily by defeating Highland in the championship game by a score of 48 to 33. This was the fourth consecutive year the Trojans have won the Highland Tourney.

The Trojans also received the honor of being the Delaware Valley League champions after they defeated Pleasant Ridge in the final game of regular season play.

The Trojans then advanced to Sub-State where they met Onaga in the first round. Troy blew out Onaga by a score of 94 to 46. The next opponent Troy faced was Centralia. Troy defeated Centralia, 67-53. Troy advanced to the final round where they faced Jackson Heights. Troy easily won the game, beating the Cobras, 52-41.

The next step was the State Tournament. The boys won the State championships and finished the season with an outstanding record of $25-0$. The highlights of the State Tournament can be found on pages 94-97.

Don Huss, Rob Karn, and John Marriott received All-League honors and Ron Shelton, Honorable Mention. On the 2A-State level, Rob Karn was a first-team pick, while Don Huss and John Marriott received Honorable Mention.


STATE TOURNAMENT

| Central Burden | 51 | 49 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Oswego | 47 | 46 |
| Quinter | 76 | 74 |



Opposite page, bottom left: Robert Sigrist prepares to shoot while Mike Wiedmer gets ready for the rebound.

Opposite page, bottom right: Ron Shelton drives for an easy two points against the Oskaloosa Bears.

Center left: Rob Karn takes a short jumper in the lane.

Center right: John Marriott puts up a shot during pre-game warm-ups.


## Trojans have winning season

Three girls' basketball trophies were placed in the trophy case this year. The Lady Trojans received the thirdplace trophy in the Delaware Valley League Tournament, a second-place trophy in the Highland Tournament, and a trophy for second-place in the Delaware Valley League.

For the first time in their junior high and high school basketball careers, the six seniors, Carrie Chase, Tammy Clary, Jill Jarrett, Laurie Klaus, Laralee Sandy, and Marilyn Weber, had the same coaches for two consecutive years. Under the second-year coaching of Jodi Giles and Frank Davis, the girls ended their season with a winning record, 11-8.

The Lady Trojans finished the 1983-84 season with a higher field-goal percentage than their opponents and had only a slightly lower free-throw percentage. The girls also pulled down 681 rebounds and had 181 steals and 190 assists.

Carrie Chase and Jill Jarrett received the honor of being selected for the first-team Delaware Valley All-League squad. Carrie Chase was also named a 2A All-State Honorable Mention player.

Below: Front row: Laralee Sandy (V), Laurie Klaus (V), Tammy Clary (V), Carrie Chase (V), Jill Jarrett (V), and Marilyn Weber (V). Row 2 : Tammy Benitz (JV), Michelle Adkins (JV), Sheena Smith (V), Jackie Herpich (JV), Lisa Johnson (V), Karen Thomas (V), and Shelbe Theis (JV). Row 3: Coach Jodi Giles, Denise Miller (MGR), Liessa Martinez (JV), Jenny Herpich (JV), Julie Goss (JV), Julie Koehler (V), Jennifer Scholz (V), Lisa Weber (V), Pam Clary (MGR), and Renee Bell (MGR).


| Wathena | 26 | 25 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Pleasant Ridge | 33 | 38 |
| Jackson Heights | 56 | 37 |
| HIGHLAND TOURNAMENT |  |  |
| Elwood | 50 | 24 |
| Highland | 21 | 38 |
| SUB-STATE TOURNAMENT |  |  |
| Valley Heights | 43 | 49 |
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Left: Lisa Weber, Marilyn Weber, and Jill Jarrett move in for the offensive rebound early in the first quarter at McLouth.

Center left: Laurie Klaus and Tammy Clary swing the defense towards a Valley Falls guard.

Center right: Tammy Clary tries to move the ball to teammates Carrie Chase and Marilyn Weber through Horton defenders.

Bottom left: Seniors Jill Jarrett and Marilyn Weber run through warmups with the Trojan weave before the Troy-McLouth game.

Bottom right: Tammy Clary, Carrie Chase, and Marilyn Weber play tough defense against the Jackson Heights Cobras.


## Twenty-five Trojans report for track season




Twenty-five Trojans reported for track March 20. Miss Giles coached a three-girl team while Coach Rockey had a squad of twenty-two boys.

The largest meet the tracksters participated in was the Elwood Invitational which involved thirteen schools. They also participated in the Midway Quadrangular, the Highland Night Relays, the County Meet at Midway, and the Delaware Valley League Meet.

Above, front row: Coach Rockey, James Wardlow, David Wardlow, Thomas Martinez, Tammy Benitz, Robert Sigrist, J.G. Koehler, Craig Grable, and Coach Giles. Row 2: Sam Adkins, Bobby Adkins, Mike Wiedmer, Bryan Adkins, Karen Thomas, Roger Whetstine, Jim Koehler, Paul Gronniger, and David Clary. Row 3: Butch Wendt, Henry Jones, Rob Karn, Don Huss, Tammy Clary, Charles Adkins, Greg Ashworth, Kenny Tharman, and Mike Thomas.

Right: Roger Whetstine sprints the 100-meter dash in the county meet at Midway.

Left: Rob Karn sprints to the finish line as the anchor man for the mile relay team at the Delaware Valley League Meet at Oskaloosa.

Center Left: Sophomore Bryan Adkins clears 5'8' to take fifth place in the county meet at Midway

Center Right: Sam Adkins threw the shot $39^{\prime \prime} 4^{\prime \prime}$
Bottom Left: Coach Rockey checks to make sure everyone is accounted for before leaving the meet at Oskaloosa.

Bottom Right: Kenny Tharman gets ready to lead off the mile relay at the Highland meet.



Several members of the track team placed in their events. Following is a list of events and those who placed in each event along with their qualifying distance, height, or time.

In the discus, Ken Tharman placed with a toss of $110^{\prime} 8^{\prime \prime}$.
Rob Karn and Bryan Adkins both cleared a height of 5 ' 8 ' in the high jump.

Two tracksters, Charles Adkins and David Clary, threw the javelin $124^{\prime} 6^{\prime \prime}$ and $163^{\prime} 1^{\prime \prime}$, respectively.

Senior Greg Ashworth and junior Roger Whetstine topped $10^{\prime} 6^{\prime \prime}$ in the pole vault.

Ken Tharman, Sam Adkins, David Clary, and J.G. Koehler were timed at 51.81 in the weight-man's relay.

The 100-meter high hurdles were run by freshman Robert Sigrist with a time of 19.75 .

Juniors David Wardlow and Roger Whetstine ran the 100meter dash with times of 13.49 and 12.37.

Don Huss ran the 200-meter dash in 25.8 and the $400-$ meter in dash in 56.73.

In the 800-meter run, Bryan Adkins was timed at 2:20.5; Karen Thomas at 2:53; and Tammy Benitz at 2:54.



Tammy Clary now holds the girls' school record in the mile with a time of 5:53.12. Other top finishers were Jim Koehler with a time of $5: 33$; Brian Hulbert, 5:56; and Tammy Benitz, 6:32.

Tammy Clary also set the girls' record in the two-mile run with a time of 12:59.51. David Clary was timed at 13:00 along with Bobby Franken at 13:30.

The 440-yard relay team, Don Huss, Rob Karn, Roger Whetstine, and Bryan Adkins, placed with a time of 47.86 .

Rob Karn, Ken Tharman, David Wardlow, and Mike Wiedmer ran the 1600meter relay in 4:05.21.


Top: Greg Ashworth clears $10^{\prime} 6^{\prime \prime}$ for third at the county meet.
Left: Mike Wiedmer warms up for the mile relay.
Above: Rob Karn knocks the bar off at 5'10'" for second place.

## Sports awards given

The 1984 recipient of the Tom Keller Award was Doug Meng. He won the award with a total of 124 tackles for the season.

This year the athletic banquet was different. In the fall, a banquet was held to honor those lettering in football, volleyball, and cheerleading. Instead of having an athletic banquet in the spring, the ceremony wais held on awards night when the academic awards were presented. The letters for basketball, track, and some special awards were given.

Two special plaques were made for the girls' and boys' basketball teams. These recorded the following: most points, Carrie Chase, 165; free throw percent over 50 attempts, Jill Jarrett, $50 \%$; field goals over 100 attempts, Jill Jarrett, 33; assists, Jill Jarrett, 49; rebounds, Marilyn Weber, 176.

The boys' recorded the following: most points, Don Huss, 300; free throw percent, Don Huss, $76 \%$; field goals percent, Don Huss, $49 \%$; assists, John Marriott, 141; rebounds, Rob Karn, 185.

The Bill Foster Award recipient was Doug Meng. Tammy Clary was the winner of the Most Outstanding Female Athlete Award.



Opposite page, top: Doug Meng received the Tom Keller Award for the most tackles during the football season.

Left: Tammy Clary received the Most Outstanding Female Athlete Award. Here she is shown running the 2 -mile run.

Center left: Coach Kelley and Coach Rockey display the plaques the basketball team presented them.

Center right: Miss Giles and Mr. Davis show the girls' basketball awards plaque.

Opposite page, bottom left: Mr. Rockey tells about some of the better parts of boys' track.

Opposite page, bottom right: Miss Giles hands out bars and letters for girls' track.

Bottom: Kenny Neumann was the only person from Troy picked to play in the Kansas Shrine Bowl.



Nothing seems to change at THS - the school looks the same as it did last year and the classes are the same. The only thing that does change is the student body. This year the new students were Michelle Adkins, freshman; Renee Bell, sophomore; Jeannette Cluck, senior; and Barb Thompson, senior. The new faculty members were Mr. Hundley, Vo Ag; and Mr. Nelson, music. These are not the only new faces that we see. Each year THS loses a senior class and gains a freshman class. This creates the difference in our student body.

Not only do the new faces provide change, but we as individuals change also. Over the school year we may grow an inch or gain a few pounds. This is not necessarily the change I'm talking about. I mean the changes in our attitudes and personalities. The different personalities we gain each year are what makes THS the ideal place. Each individual adds the special touch that makes this a place to find friendships that last a lifetime - whether it be a group of friends going out on the town or finding an upperclassman in whom you can confide.

In years to come, I'm sure THS will still be the same - all but the changing atmosphere of people.




Charles Adduces

## Seniors follow tradition

Following tradition, the class of " 84 " picked class colors, flower, and motto in their eighth grade year. They chose blue and silver as their class colors, a blue and white canaton as their class flower, and their motto was "The reason many don't climb the ladder of success is because they are waiting for the elevator.'

As a money-making project, the seniors sold magazines and made $\$ 1,344.01$ profit. Denise Sutherland was high salesperson.


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Adkins, Charles: All-School Play 3,4; Yearbook 3-Groups Editor 4; Newspaper 3-News, 4-News; Photographer 3,4; Football 2,3,4; Cross Country 3; FFA 3, T-Club 2,3,4; Band 2,3; Chorus 2,3,4; Mr. Thighs.

Ashworth, Greg: Homecoming Escort 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2,4.

Chase, Carrie: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,3,4; Kayettes 1,2,3Board, 4-Board; All-School Play 3,4; Homecoming Candidate; Yearbook 3-Sports Editor, 4-Sports Editor; Newspaper 3-Sports, 4-Editor-in-Chief; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Teacher's Aide 3; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; FCA 1; Quill \& Scroll 3,4; One-Ast Play 3; Volleyball 1,2; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; Powder Puff Football 3,4.

Clary, Tammy: Cadet Teacher 4; Kayettes 1,2,3,4; All-School Play 1,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 3-People Editor, 4-Organizations; Newspaper 3-Sports, 4-Sports Editor; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Teacher's Aide 4; Girls' State 3-Alternate; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; FCA 1; OneAct Play 3; Forensics 2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Powder Puff Football 3,4.

Dubach, Rhonda: Pep Club 1; Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Library Aide 3,4; Basketball 1; T-Club 3.4; Pom Pon 3.

Franken, Paul: Chorus 1,2,3; Basketoall 1; Stage Crew 1,2,3.
Griffin, Bill: All-School Play 2; Football 1,3,4; FFA 1,2-Sentinel, 3Secretary, 4-Treasurer, T-Club 2,3.

Guy, Mike: All-School Play 1,2,3,4; Football 4; Cross Country 3; TClub 3.4.

Huss, Don: All-School Play 4; Homecoming Escort 3; Track 1,2; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; T-Club 1,2,3,4.

Jarrett, Jill: Pep Club 1,2-Vice-President 3,4; Cheerleader 1,3,4Head; Kayettes 1,2-Treasurer, 3-Vice-President,4-Board; All-School Play 2,3,4; Homecoming Candidate; Yearbook 3-Activities Editor, 4Copy Editor; Newspaper 3-Editorial, 4-Editorial; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Girls' State 3; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; FCA 1,2; Quill \& Scroll 3,4; One-Act Play 2; Forensics 2; Powder Puff Football 3,4. Office Aide 4; Class Officer 1-Vice President.

Jones, Henry: Pep Club 3; Track 4; Football 4; Basketball 3,4; Class Officer 3-Treasurer; T-Club 4; Chorus 1,4; Football Manager 3.

Karn, Rob: Stuco 2,3-Vice-President,4-President; Homecoming Escort 4; Track 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 3; FFA 2,3-Reporter; T-Club 1,2,3,4.

Keller, Becky: Kayettes 3.
Klaus, Laurie: Pep Club 1,2,3-President; Kayettes 1,2,3-Board, 4Board; Homecoming Queen; Track 1,2,3,4; Powder Puff Football 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; FCA 2; Pom Pon 1,2; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; All-School Play 2,3-Student Director,4-Student Director.

Marriott, Glen: Football 1,2,3,4; Track 2; T-Club 1,2,3,4.
Marriott, John: Homecoming Escort 3, Head Escort-4; Track 1,2,4; Library Aide 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 3; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Queen of Courts Escort 3.

Masters, Lori: Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Library Aide 2,3; Teacher's Aide 4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,4; Volleyball 2,3,4.

Meng, Doug: StuCo 1,3,4; Homecoming Escort 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Boys' State 3; FFA 1,2,3-Treasurer, 4-Secretary; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; Queen of Courts Escort 3.

Neumann, Kenny: All-School Play 2; Football 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Boys' State 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4 .

Sandy, Laralee: Stu-Co 3-Secretary/Treasurer, 4-Vice-President; Track 1; Powder Puff Football 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4.

Shelton, Ronnie: Cadet Teacher 4; Homecoming Escort 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; T-Club 1,2,3,4.

Simpson, Julia: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Kayettes 1,2Board, 3-Board, 4-President; All-School Play 1,2,3,4; Homecoming Candidate; Yearbook 3-Groups, 4-Layout Editor; Newspaper 3-Feature Editor, 4-Editorials; Basketball 1,2; Class Officer 1-Secretary, 2President, 4-President; Girls' State 3; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; FCA 1,2; Pom Pon 1,2-Captain; Quill \& Scroll 3,4; One-Act Play 1,2,3,4; Forensics 1,2,3,4; Office Aide 2; FFA Sweetheart 3; Powder Puff Football 3,4.

Simpson, Theresa: Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Kayettes 1,2,3-Board, 4-Board; All-School Play 1,2,3,4; Homecoming Candidate; Yearbook 3-Activities, 4-Ads; Newspaper 3-News Editor, 4News; Library Aide 1; Basketball 1,2; Office Aide 4; Class Officer 2Secretary, 4-Secretary; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; Quill \& Scroll 3.4; Basketball Manager 1; One-Act Play 2,3,4; Forensics 1,2,3,4.

Sutherland, Denise: Cadet Teacher 4; Pep Club 3,4; Kayettes 1,2,3Treasurer, 4-Board; Track 1,4; Yearbook 3-Ads, 4-Academics; Newspaper 3-News Aide \& Business; 4-News; Library Aide 3; T-Club 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3; Pom Pon 1,2; Stage Crew 3,4; Student Director 4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3.

Tharman, Ken: All-School Play 2,3; Track 2,3,4; Teacher's Aide 4; Class Officer 1-President, 2-Vice-President, 3-Secretary; FFA 1, 2Reporter, 3-President, 4-Vice-President; T-Club 3.4; Honor Society 3,4; One-Act Play 4; Forensics 2,3,4.

Thomas, Mike: Pep Club 3,4; All-School Play 2,3,4; Track 1; Library Aide 4; Football 2,3; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 3,4; FCA 1,2.

Thompson, Barb:
Weber, Marilyn: StuCo 3-Representative, 4-Secretary/Treasurer; Kayettes 1,2,3-Secretary, 4-Vice-President; Stage Crew 2,3-Student Director 4-Student Director; Yearbook 3-Sports, 4-Book Sales; Newspaper 3-Sports Editor, 4-Sports; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Teacher's Aide 4; Class Officer 4-Treasurer; T-Club 2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; OneAct Play 3,4; Volleyball 3,4.

Wendt, Butch: All-School Play 3; Track 3; Football 3,4; FFA 1,3,4; TClub 4; Chorus 4.

Whittaker, Lou Anne: Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Library Aide 3,4; Chorus 4.
Wykert, P.J.: Kayettes 1,2,3,4; All-School Play 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 3Academics, 4-Photographer; Newspaper 3-Feature, 4-Feature; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; T-Club 2,3.4; Band 1; Chorus 2; Pom Pon 2; One-Act Play 2,3,4; Forensics 2,3,4; Stage Manager 4.



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The senior class officers were Julia
Simpson, president; Mrs. Goss, sponsor;
Kenny Neumann, vice-president; Marilyn
Weber, treasurer; and Theresa Simpson,
secretary.

## Juniors hold prom at Ramada Inn

Jeff Jamvold Lisa Johnson Liessa Martinez Angela Middleton Danny Owens

Brenda Petersen Diana Shelton Janet Thompson James Wardlow Lisa Weber



Jeff Adkins Sam Adkins Sherry Adkins


Tina Adkins David Clary Jay Cluck


Scott Collins
Mike Foley
Paul Gronniger

The junior class once again ran the concession stand. In past years the class was supervised by Mrs. Goss, but the class sponsors, Miss Roebkes and Mr. Reynolds, took over the operation.

Another change was having the concession stand inside during football season. This was due to the fact that the outside one needed too many repairs.

Early in the year, the juniors looked at class rings from Balfour and Jostens. The class picked Jostens.

The junior class also sponsored prom, which was held at the Ramada Inn.

Below: junior class officers, Diana Shelton, president; Jeff Jamvold, vice-president; Lisa Weber, secretary, Deanna Winzer, treasurer; and class sponsors, Miss Roebkes and Mr. Reynolds. Far left: Publications student Diana Shelton works on story, while Angie Middleton and Tina Adkins pose for the camera.


## Biology a challenge

The sophomores found this year just as challenging as last year. Again they had to put up with the upperclassmen's criticism, but the biggest challenge was biology.

English and biology were the only required classes for the sophomores.

Right: The sophomore class officers were Karen Thomas, secretary; Bobby Franken, vice-president; Mr. Nelson, sponsor; Pam Guy, president; and Paula Smith, treasurer.
Far right: Jim Koehler and Joey Cluck relax in the hall after lunch.


Renee Bell
Pat Bembrick
Joey Cluck

Jenny Herpich Brian Hulbert Opal Jones

Traci Marriott Angie Rush Jennifer Scholz



Bobby Adkins


Bryan Adkins


Bobby Franken
Pam Guy
Tim Hegarty
Jackie Herpich


Tim Keller
Brian Klaus
John Klaus
Jim Koehler

Paula Smith
Karen Thomas
Regina Thomas Mike Wiedmer

Michelle Adkins Tammy Benitz Cindy Buch Pam Clary

Julie Goss Mike Goss Craig Grable Jessica Harris

Paula Liechti
Tom Martinez Denise Miller Pam Oyerly

Steve Smith Joe Suman Angie Sutherland Tim Tharman



Christy Cluck
Joe Collins
Martin Couchman
Patrick Franken


Kim Roper Michele Rooney
Robert Sigrist
Sheena Smith

## Board changes

Some things did not change at THS. Mr. Pharr continued as superintendent with Mrs. Nell Larzelere as secretary.

Mr. Steven Johnston also continued as principal for his third year. Mrs. Gail Clary served as secretary for her fifth year at the high school.

Some things did change. The school board met the first Monday of each month. It had some new members. The 1983-84 school board was (as shown in picture to the right) Jerry Scholz, Hugh Kinsey, John Smith, Bill Koehler, and Hylen Rush. Not pictured are Warren Grable, Jr. and Kenny Reder.




## Students' attitudes change

If anyone should notice the changes at THS, it would have to be the teachers. They are the ones that see the different classes make their journey through high school. The teachers were asked, "What is the biggest change you have noticed in your years of teaching at THS?'

THS librarian, Miss Denise Roebkes, replied, "The student body seems to support athletics better. Also, the students seem to do more reading now." This was Miss Roebkes' third year at THS.
"Students don't seem to want to work as hard," was Mrs. Martha Rockey's response. Mrs. Rockey has taught English and the publication class at THS for 10 years.

The other English teacher was Mrs. Babetta Israel. The only change she noticed was the removal of art and foreign language from the curriculum and the raising of graduation requirements. Mrs. Israel has taught at THS for 11 years.

Mr. Bill Foster has taught in the science department at THS for 17 years. When asked the question, Mr. Foster stated, "The competitive attitude in the area of athletics has shown a big improvement." In past years, Mr. Foster coached some athletics in the high school and middle school.

As one of the new faculty members, Mr. Mike Nelson replied, "The student body seems to be a fairly tight-knit group and are willing to work for the same goals which brings everything together for an enjoyable experience." Mr. Nelson is in charge of the music department.
"The maintenance of the building, mostly the renovation of the restrooms and the new gym. There is a better principal and the students are just as ornery,"' was Mr. James Hundley's answer. Mr. Hundley was also new to THS. He taught Vo Ag.

For 34 years Mrs. Anna Goss has taught Home Economics at THS. Mrs. Goss replied, "More course offerings now than before; the curriculum has changed.'
"The addition of the new gym and middle school," was the change that Mr. Fred Folsche noticed. Mr. Folsche taught the industrial arts classes and an algebra class. He has taught at THS for 20 years.




## Teachers see changes

Mr. Bruce Reynolds stated, "The everyday attitude of the students has improved in the last few years." Mr. Reynolds has taught social sciences at THS for six years.

For the past three years, Miss Debbie Fitch taught mathematics at THS. Miss Fitch said that the change at THS she noticed was the graduation requirements, especially in math and science.

Mr. Lyle Rockey, Jr. thought that the students are not as willing to work as they used to be. Mr. Rockey teaches the social sciences and is assistant basketball coach and is one of the track coaches this year. He has taught at Troy for 14 years.

Mr. Dale Whiteside has taught in the business department at THS for 24 years. He noticed the change of the addition of the new gym.

## Faculty notices changes

For the past three years Miss Jodie Giles has taught physical education. When asked if she noticed any changes at THS she said, "Yes, the gym is warmer."

Mr. Frank Davis also teaches physical education. He has been at Troy for eight years. His answer to the question was, 'I really haven't noticed a change in the students or the school."

Another physical education instructor is Coach Kevin Kelley. He has been teaching at THS for the last five years. His comment was, "The band has improved and we got a new paint job."'

The school's counselor, Severt Anderson, has been at Troy for five years. He noticed that the students were more academically oriented.


## Staff discusses THS

The people that keep THS running smoothly are not only the faculty, but also the cooks, janitors, bus drivers and our new maintenance man, Louie Thomas.

Most may have noticed Louie as one of the janitors, but this year he became strictly the maintenance man.

These people were also asked if they noticed a change at Troy High.

The cooks noticed that the students were more cooperative, and that most had a better attitude.

Mr. Lyle Rockey, Sr., who has been at THS for five years, commented, "They are computerizing things now, and there are more kids out for sports than ever before."

Bus driver Charlie Grable, who has been at Troy for four years said he really didn't notice a change in the school.

Top left: Cooks Colleen Duncan, Chloe Winder, and Margaret Sutton prepare for lunch.

Left: Mr. Rockey takes a break from work.

Below left: Bus drivers from left to right, Charlie Grable, Harold Wykert, and Louie Thomas.

Below: Kay Clark gets ready to work.



A freshman comes into high school with fear and anxiety. He has heard that the high school courses are much different from grade school.

The freshman's schedule is more or less outlined for him. The sophomores and upperclassmen choose a class that interests them or will benefit them in the future.

Academics at THS have not changed much over the years, but they have changed some. A foreign language class is not offered now when it used to be. This year Mr. Foster taught zoology/botany. Business math and economics were combined to form consumer economics which Mr. Reynolds taught. Mr. Whiteside took on a math course called general math. Miss Fitch taught a three-week course on computers in each of her math classes.

It seems that this school does offer enough variety of classes. All of the classes touch in some ways a career that interests each of us. It is our responsibility to take the challenge and conquer the classes with the best of our ability.



## Computers new in math class




The theme for the 1983-84 yearbook was "changes." Changes can be found throughout the school, including the math and science department.

Computers were used in the math room extensively. Every student enrolled in a math class took a three-week course instructed by Debra Fitch. Miss Fitch felt the computers were "a great addition to the school, and should eventually become an advantage to all departments."

Mr. Folsche's Algebra I class was also a change. This was Mr. Folsche's first year to teach Algebra I, and he liked it. "It's a lot more fun than general math. I enjoy reviewing and like to work with unknown (x)."



Top left: Brian Klaus and Bobby Adkins watch Ms. Fitch plot an algebra problem on the board.

Top middle: Mr. Folsche points out an equation for his Algebra I class.

Left: James Wardlow tries to find parts of his worm.

Bottom left: Traci Marriott has fun on a new computer in algebra class.

Bottom middle: Roberta Nelson works on programming the computer.

Below left: Kenny Tharman works on a worm.

Below: Becky Keller pins a worm.


## Science class popular

Botany/Zoology was a course that had not been taught at THS for several years. This course was offered to juniors and seniors and involved notes, memorization, and dissection.

With the popular response, it may be around next year.

Mr. Foster taught the course.


## 'Mock wedding' at THS

The year was a big year for Mrs. Goss and her home economic students.

A big change for the students was the "mock wedding" that the family living class put on. The bride was Theresa Simpson and Charles Adkins was the groom. Theresa's "parents" were Rhonda Dubach and Donnie Huss. Charles' 'parents' were Butch Wendt and Roberta Nelson. Jill Jarrett was the flower girl, and candlelighter. Marilyn Weber was the maid of honor and the bridesmaid was Denise Sutherland. Charles' best man was Paul Franken, and the groomsman was Greg Ashworth. Mike Thomas was the ringbearer. At the guestbook and in charge of the reception was Carrie Chase. The Home Economics II class make the wedding cakes.

Mrs. Goss has been teaching home economics for 35 years.

Top left: Wedding party witness big kiss.
Top right: Jennifer Scholz and Mike Thomas discuss material.
Bottom: Charles Adkins feeds his new "bride," Theresa Simpson.



## Vo Ag has new teacher

The year's biggest change in Vo Ag was the teacher, Mr. Hundley. Jeff Jamvold said, "Since Mr. Hundley has been here, more work seems to get done and each class is involved more."

In industrial arts, the teacher was still Mr. Folsche, but they were still busy. The first year in industrial arts, they make projects and draw plans. In the second year, they usually draw all but maybe one quarter. In the third and fourth years, they work on projects most of the year.

Top: Christy Cluck, Michele Rooney, and Denise Miller work on books.


Middle: John Klaus thinks over drawing.
Bottom: Bobby Franken remembers a forgotten line.

## Acting class taught

Mrs. Martha Rockey and Mrs. Babetta Israel taught the English courses this year.

The English classes were American westerns, science fiction, early English literature, early American literature, modern American literature, research, children's theater, acting, high school vocabulary, and spelling and grammar reviews, as well as the usual classes for underclassmen.

Acting had not been taught in five years.
Top left: Tim Tharman and Mike Jamvold work vigorously on their book reports.

Top right: Brenda Peterson writes a note.
Right: Laralee Sandy tells an exciting story to eager youngsters at library, as Mike Guy looks on.


## Reynolds gets class

Mr. Lyle Rockey, Mr. Severt Anderson, and Mr. Bruce Reynolds taught the social science classes.

A new class was consumer economics taught by Mr. Reynolds.

Other social science classes were American history, psychology, geography, government, and current events.

Top left: Butch Wendt and Glen Marriott help each other on tax books.

Top right: Rhonda Dubach and Roberta Nelson study government papers.

Left: Mike Guy and Paul Franken look at the blackboard for tax booklet instructions.

Middle: Geography class shows off maps.

## New sport played

The p.e. classes were taught by Mr. Frank Davis and Ms. Jodie Giles. They taught p.e. and advanced p.e. A new game they played this year was flickerball. Some other sports they played were tennis, soccer, volleyball, softball, and flag football.

Top right: Charles Adkins returns a serve in racquetball.
Bottom left: John Klaus and Bryan Adkins hustle down the field during a soccer game.

Bottom right: Glen Marriott and Greg Ashworth wait for Mr. Davis to serve the ball.



## Film made on inflation

Mr. Whiteside taught Typing I, Typing II, general business, accounting and general math. The general business class made a movie on inflation. The whole class wrote the script and built their own sets.

Top left: Jennifer Scholz and Joey Cluck concentrate on their typing.

Top right: Kenny Neumann is working vigorously.
Bottom left: Paul Gronniger speeds through his typing assignment.

Bottom right: Laurie Klaus consults Deanna Winzer, Paul Gronniger, Angela Middleton, and Diana Shelton on an accounting problem.

## Students receive awards

Awards night at THS is a chance for the students to be recognized for their hard work and achievements.

This year the American Legion Award went to Julia Simpson and Ron Shelton. Theresa Simpson and Rob Karn received the honorable mention award.

The citizenship award went to two seniors, Theresa Simpson and Ken Tharman.

Carrie Chase received two awards for academic standing, the Kansas Board of Regents Scholar Award, and the award for outstanding math and science student.

In speech many students lettered, but the award for the top speech participant during the 1983-84 season went to Kenny Tharman for receiving 33 points. Julia Simpson received the top speech senior award for accumulating 114 points throughout four years.

All the members of journalism and student council were recognized for their efforts throughout the year.

All the students in chemistry who participated in the Missouri Western Chemathon were given certificates of participation.

Of the students taking the Emporia State Scholarship tests, several students won awards in Class 2A and there were some who also placed at the state level.


Upper right: Carrie Chase receives the Kansas Governors Scholar Award for being in the top one percent of all the students taking the ACT tests.

Right: Theresa Simpson and Kenny Tharman receive citizenship awards.

Opposite page, top left: Denise Miller, Michele Rooney, and Pam Oyerly receive speech letters.

Opposite page, top right: Paul Gronniger receives award for chemistry

Opposite page, middle left: Lori Masters and Doug Meng receive music awards.

Opposite page, middle right: Angela Rush, Liessa Martinez, and Jennifer Scholz receive speech letters based on medals from Mrs. Rockey.

Far right: Julia Simpson receives American Legion Award.



Emporia State Scholarship Tests
History- Honorable Mention 2A- Paul Gronninger and George Wykert
Chemistry- Honorable Mention 2A- Paul Gronniger
Typing II- Second 2A- Deanna Winzer
Honorable Mention All State- Deanna Winzer Home Ec. 1- First 2A- Julie Goss

Second All State- Julie Goss
Health- Honorable Mention 2A-Michele Rooney
General Science- Honorable Mention 2A-Michele Rooney
Perfect Attendance
Mike Thomas, Paul Gronniger, Lisa Johnson, Mike Jamvold, and Michele Rooney

> Music

John Philip Sousa Award- Doug Meng
Instrumentalists- Laralee Sandy and Ken Neumann Arion, Choral- Lori Masters
Chemathon- Lisa Weber, Paul Gronniger, Carrie Chase, Liessa Martinez, Henry Jones, and Roberta Nelson.


Can you imagine going to a school with no organizations? Wouldn't THS be boring if you didn't have someone bothering you each day to buy a candy bar or M\&M's?

Students belong to organizations so they can have a sense of belonging.

Memberships in three of our organizations are gained by paying dues. These include Kayettes, FFA, and pep club. Student council members are voted on by their classmates. The teachers vote on membership to the National Honor Society, and lettering in some activity is the requirement for T-Club. Of course, publications is a class offered to THS students.

No matter what the requirement is for being a member of these organizations, the students of THS take pride in them. Each student's contributions to the organization are what make it a success.

In the past year, there have been no changes in any organization. Unfortunately, another thing that has not changed, is that each group continues to sell things year after year.


Right, front row: Mrs. Israel, J. Simpson, M. Weber, P. Guy, J. Scholz, T. Simpson, and D. Winzer. Row 2: J. Jarrett, C. Chase, L. Klaus, K. Thomas, D. Shelton, T. Adkins, and L. Weber. Row 3: D. Sutherland, T. Wykert, C. Cluck, R. Bell, A. Rush, P. Smith, and A. Middleton. Row 4 T. Clary, J. Koehler; T. Benitz, M. Rooney P. Clary, D. Miller, and K. Roper. Row 5: C. Buch, A. Sutherland, S. Smith, J. Goss, A. Whetstine, S. Theis, J. Harris, and W. Adkins. Row 6: Jenny Herpich Jackie Herpich, L. Masters. L. Whittaker. O. Jones, T. Marriott, and K. Wendt. Row 7: M. Adkins, R. Nelson, J. Thompson, R. Dubach, S. Adkins, L. Martinez, L. Johnson, and B. Petersen.

Opposite page, top: Some seniors pause for a moment after the banquet.

Opposite page, center: Freshman Kayettes get initiated by having a chocolate sundae built in their hands.

Opposite page, right: Deanna Winzer and Julia Simpson model their Kayette shirts.

Right: The 1983-84 Kayette Board members were, front row: T. Adkins, D. Shelton, K. Thomas, and L. Weber. Row 2: Mrs. Israel, J. Simpson, M. Weber, T. Simpson, D. Winzer, P. Guy, and J. Scholz. Row 3: D. Sutherland, L. Klaus, C. Chase, and J. Jarrett.

Opposite page, bottom right: Julia Simpson accepts the Kayette of the Year Award.

Opposite page, bottom center: The 1983-84 Kayette president, Julia Simpson, poses with the newly installed president, Lisa Weber.



## Kayettes active

The annual Kayette installation banquet was April 30. Entertainment for the evening was Theresa Simpson doing a humorous solo act and Denise Miller doing a prose reading. The theme was "Chase A Vision, Weave A Dream.'"

During the year Kayettes did many things for the school and community. Some of their projects were selling candy bars, having a slumber party, and going on a shopping trip. They also had Secret Sisters, visited the nursing home, and cleaned out the trophy case twice during the year.



## FFA Chapter stays busy

The annual FFA Banquet was held May 14. The speaker was Ron Weiniger, the National FFA President. The new officers were installed. They were Paul Gronniger, president; Tim Hegarty, vice-president; Jeff Jamvold, secretary; Craig Grable, treasurer; Michele Rooney, reporter; and Tim Tharman, sentinel.

In November of the 1983-84 school year Lisa Weber was chosen Chapter Sweetheart. Her attendants were Liessa Martinez, first runner-up; and Diana Shelton, second run-ner-up. Janet Thompson and Angie Middleton also participated in the activities.

Some members of the chapter attended the District FFA Banquet at Hiawatha. Lisa Weber ran for District Sweetheart and received an FFA necklace for second runner-up. Kenny Tharman retired his position as treasurer.

Below: Front row: Julia Simpson, Mike Foley, Jeff Jamvold, Bill Griffin, Doug Meng, Ken Tharman, Ken Neumann, and sponsor James Hundley. Row 2: Butch Wendt, John Klaus, Brian Klaus, Tim Hegarty, Mike Wiedmer, Bobby Adkins, Paul Gronniger, and Tim Tharman. Row 3: David Wardlow, Jackie Herpich, Christy Cluck, Michele Rooney, Denise Miller, Joey Collins, David Clary, Jim Wardlow, Craig Grable, and Mike Jamvold.



Opposite page, top: The candidates that tried out for sweetheart: Lisa Weber, Diana Shelton, Liessa Martinez, Angela Middleton, and Janet

Top left: Ron Weiniger, National FFA President, is pictured giving a speech at the banquet on participation in FFA.

Opposite page, center: Lisa Weber, Chapter Sweetheart, gives a speech on her experience in the FFA.

Center: The 1983-84 FFA officers: Mr. Hundley, Ken Neumann, Kenny Tharman, Doug Meng, Bill Griffin, Jeff Jamvold, Mike Foley, Butch Wendt, and Sweetheart Julia Simpson.

Lower left: Bill Griffin, Kenny Neumann, and Tim Hegarty wait while another member takes the auction block. The auction was a major mon-ey-making activity.

Below: Kenny Tharman talks with Stacey Campbell, former district president, before the banquet.


Right: Pep Club takes a break until the next cheer begins.

Far right: The cheerleaders try to raise spirit at the pep rally for Homecoming.

Below: The 1983-84 cheerleaders are, front row: Carrie Chase, Julia Simpson, and Jill Jarrett. Row 2: Theresa Simpson, Karen Thomas, Lisa Weber, and Paula Smith. Row 3: Kim Roper.

Center (far right): Mike Guy spray paints the basketball hats for Trojan mascots.


Right: front row, Karen Thomas, Theresa Simpson, Julia Simpson, and Kim Roper. Row 2: Lisa Weber, Jill Jarrett, Carrie Chase, and Paula Smith. Row 3: Shelbe Theis and Tammy Benitz. Row 4: Traci Marriott and Annette Whetstine. Row 5: Sheena Smith and Pam Guy. Row 6: Deanna Winzer and Jennifer Scholz. Row 7: Angela Rush and Sherry Adkins. Row 8: Jessica Harris and Pam Oyerly. Row 9: Pam Clary, Opal Jones, Tina Adkins, and Angie Sutherland. Row 10: Kim Wendt, Julie Koehler, and Julie Goss. Row 11: Mike Thomas and Robert Sigrist.

Far lower right: The 1983-84 Pep Club Officers are, front row, Kim Wendt, secretary, and Jennifer Scholz, president. Row 2: Debra Fitch, sponsor, and Tammy Benitz, treasurer.


## Group supports teams

The cheerleaders and pep club are a very important part of a school. They were really spirited this year as the teams went through the seasons, and especially when the boys' basketball team took state. These two groups did many things for the teams, such as, decorate lockers, gyms, and buses, bake food for them to eat, and give out a new award. This was the Thighsman Award. It went to the man, who was Charles Adkins, with the best thighs.

It takes money to do these and other things for the teams so pep club had many money-making projects. They sold M\&M's and candy bars, license plates, and spirit buttons, and had numerous bake sales.


## Organizations keep busy

The National Honor Society sponsored a Hi-Q test this year. Any student in the school could try out. Four students were chosen: Paul Gronniger, Julia Sii npson, Pam Oyerly, and Carrie Chase; and two alternates, Julie Goss and Ken Tharman.

The student council this year sponsored the Homecoming and Queen of Courts dances. They also purchased basketballs and volleyballs for the lunch hours during school.

The T-Club held two banquets. The first banquet was for the fall sports. The second one, in the spring, was for basketball and track.



Above far left: Some members of Honor Society grade Hi-Q tests.
Above left, front row: T. Simpson, J. Simpson, J. Jarrett. Row 2: M. Weber, T. Clary, C. Chase. Row 3: K. Tharman; F. Folsche, sponsor; D. Meng; and K. Neumann.

Above, front row: T. Simpson, C. Chase, J. Simpson, J. Jarrett. Row 2: C. Adkins, G. Ashworth, R. Whetstine, D. Huss. Row 3: R. Karn, M. Weidmer, J. Koehler. Row 4: L. Martinez, T. Clary, L. Klaus, M. Guy. Row 5: L. Weber, J. Marriott, K. Neumann, D. Meng. Row 6: J. Scholz, P. Guy, L. Johnson, D. Sutherland, M. Weber, B. Wendt, K. Thomas, P. Smith. Row 7: L. Masters, K. Tharman, P. J. Wykert, L. Sandy, R. Shelton, B. Griffin, T. Hegarty, B. Klaus, B. Adkins, B. Franken, G. Marriott. Back row: A. Middleton, D. Shelton, T. Adkins, J. Thompson, R. Dubach, S. Adkins, M. Thomas, H. Jones, P. Gronniger, B. Hulbert, D. Clary, D. Owens.

Far left: Members of the Student Council take a short breather during a meeting.

Left front row: Mr. Anderson, L. Sandy, M. Weber, C. Chase, L. Martinez, J. Scholz, M. Rooney. Row 2: R. Karn, D. Meng, M. Foley, T. Hegarty, R. Sigrist. This was the Troy Student Council.

## Seven reach state

Each year the publications class, instructed by Martha Rockey, keeps busy putting out nine issues of the Trojan Trumpet and working to get the yearbook put together.

The publications students attended the regional journalism contest held at Kansas University in Lawrence. Seven students qualified for the KSPA State Journalism Contest. They were Jill Jarrett, Theresa Simpson, Julia Simpson, Carrie Chase, Charles Adkins, Janet Thompson, and Tina Adkins. Jill Jarrett received third place at state in the cutline competition.

Most of the publications class attended Communications Day at Missouri Western State College. Christine Kraft was the guest speaker. She talked about her recent trial about sex discrimination.

The class raised money by selling M\&M's, items from Lincoln House, and remaining items from 1983.




## Journalists inducted

To be a member of Quill and Scroll you must be exceptional in at least one phase of journalism. The old members vote on the new members for the upcoming year.

Jill Jarrett, Carrie Chase, Julia Simpson, and Theresa Simpson were the 1983-84 members. Mrs. Martha Rockey is the adviser.


Opposite page top: Jeff Jamvold works hard on story.
Top: Julia Simpson, Jill Jarrett, Carrie Chase, and Theresa Simpson were inducted into Quill and Scroll for the 1983-84 school year.

Opposite page center: Mrs. Rocky checks over ads.
Above: Students work on the Trojan Trumpet
Bottom left, front row: Jeff Jamvold, Theresa Simpson, and Roger Whetstine. Row 2: Liessa Martinez, Jill Jarrett, Carrie Chase, Julia Simpson, and Marilyn Weber. Row 3: Mrs. Rockey, P.J. Wykert, Denise Sutherland, Lisa Johnson, Janet Thompson, Diana Shelton, Deanna Winzer, Lisa Weber, Tammy Clary, Charles Adkins, Angela Middleton, and Tina Adkins.

Left: Theresa and Marilyn work on a layout.

## Nelson directs

The band and chorus, both directed by Mr. Mike Nelson, attended the music clinic at Atchison. They had spring and winter concerts and also attended regionals at Shawnee Mission East.

The band received a two at regionals. They showed their spirit by performing at football games, pep rallies, and by following the boys' basketball team to the state tournament in Topeka. They also performed at graduation.





Top left: THS band performs at their spring concert.
Top right: front row, Mrs. Rockey, Jessica Harris, Traci Marriott, Renee Bell, Sherry Adkins, Lou Ann Whittaker, Michele Rooney, Kim Roper, Michael Jasper, Mike Thomas, and Mr. Nelson, Row 2: Julie Koehler, Shelbe Theis, Paula Smith, Karen Thomas, Jennifer Scholz, Charles Adkins, Greg Ashworth, Cindy Buch, and Henry Jones. Row 3: Kim Wendt, Tina Adkins, Angi Sutherland, Pam Oyerly, Opal Jones, J.G. Koehler, Robert Sigrist, Angela Rush, and Denise Miller. Row 4: Annette Whetstine, Sheena Smith, Laurie Klaus, Jenny Herpich, Mike Goss, Jeff Adkins, David Clary, Butch Wendt, Bryan Adkins, Lori Masters, and Wanda Akins.

Center left; front row: Pam Oyerly, Lisa Johnson, Brenda Peterson, Janet Tharman, Laralee Sandy, and Tammy Benitz. Row 2: Mr. Nelson, Chris Benitz, Jonnette Smith, Kelli Moore, Janet Thompson, and Chris Bond. Row 3: Jeff Simpson, Robert Sigrist, Kevin Needham, Mike Goss, Gary Huff, and Chad Swavey. Row 4: Jason McNemee, Kenny Neumann, Doug Meng, J.G. Koehler, and Robert Johnson.

Center right: Sextet two sings at the concert.
Bottom far left: Doug Meng and Kenny Neumann take a break between songs.

Bottom center: J.G. Koehler plays his heart out.
Left: Chorus performs for the local crowd.

## Trojan team travels to state tournament

After defeating Jackson Heights for the third time this season, the Trojans began to build confidence. Thus far, the climb up the ladder had been successful. There were only three steps left to the top.

Needless to say, the Trojans were not ranked all year, but with a $22-0$ record, they traveled to the state tournament for the second year in a row.

It all began when the Trojans completed the first step up the ladder by defeating the Raiders of Central-Burden, 51-49. Troy fell behind in the first quarter and didn't take the lead again until 18 seconds were left in the game. Rob Karn made a basket and was fouled on the shot. Under pressure, Karn sank the free throw. The Trojans went on to win the first round.

The next step of the ladder was just as exciting. This round Troy was matched up against Oswego. All four quarters of play were a struggle. With 18 seconds left, Oswego was 46-45, and their best free-throw shooter was at the line. The free throw was missed and the Trojans brought the ball down the court. With 10 seconds left, Ron Shelton put up the game-winning shot from the top of the key. It was after this 47-46 victory that the Trojans acquired the nickname the "cardiac kids."

Top: THS cheerleaders prepare to fire up the student body and fans.

Middle: John Marriott takes the shot in the championship game.
Right: Robert Sigrist, Ron Shelton, and John Marriott listen closely to Coach Kelley's words of wisdom.

Upper right: Rob Karn powers up the shot while Don Huss observes.

Far upper right: Team members encourage Bryan Adkins.
Far middle: Many jv players support team members on the court.
Far right: The 1983-84 Class 2A State Champs are: Mr. Lyle Rockey, Jr., Brian Klaus, Mike Wiedmer, Don Huss, Ken Neumann, John Marriott, Rob Karn, Doug Meng, Jeff Adkins, Bryan Adkins, Robert Sigrist, Ron Shelton, and Coach Kevin Kelley.



## 'Cardiac kids’ win title, 1st time in THS history

Below: The champs finally get to rest after all the excitement.
Right: Don Huss lays the ball up for an easy two points.
Bottom: Cheerleadersexpress their emotions and prepare to present the "cardiac kids" their medals and the state trophy.



For the third-straight night, the Trojans traveled to Topeka. They had to beat Quinter to reach the top of the ladder.

The Trojans trailed by two points at halftime and immediately took a 43-33 lead. The game went into overtime tied at 66; and for the first time in THS history, they won the state championship, 76-74.

The Trojans were the second team in the tournament's 76year history to be undefeated champions. Other records that they broke in their class are (1) the highest total score for both teams, (2) the highest winning score, (3) most fouls for a winning team, and (4) most fouls for both teams.

Don Huss, Rob Karn, and Doug Meng received individual honors. Don Huss was the third-leading scorer in the tournament by scoring 42 points. Doug Meng and Rob Karn received fifth-and sixth-place honors by scoring 34 and 32 points, respectively.

Of course the moments after the game were only the beginning of the celebration. The Trojans received a police escort from the county line to Troy where a pep rally was held at 1:30 A.M.

The Trojans received many write-ups in the local newspapers. They received recognition at the Mini-Opry and the Capitol Building in Topeka. They also attended dinners put on by the Lions Club and the First Baptist Church. The booster club had a dinner at the armory. They also made permanent signs.

Who could forget the roar of the crowd when Rob Karn dunked the ball or the final-second shots that brought victory? The Trojans did not have one hero; they were all heroes. It was the intensity of these 12 young men and two coaches that gave a small town something to talk about for years to come.


Upper left: Doug Meng pulls down a rebound.
Left: Coach Kelley is boosted up on the team's shoulders.
Below: Coach Kelley explains the strategy in the locker room.



The Trojan not only looks at the changes in the school system; it also looks at the changes in the community. The town of Troy had many changes in its businesses.

Charley's Feed \& Grain, and Peden's expanded. Myers Farm Supply moved to the old lumberyard. Robert Guier sold his abstract firm to Euler \& Euler and joined them. Knapp's Supermarket changed its name to John's Market. Steve Tetlow is the new owner of the Kansas Chief. Travis Lucas is the new owner of DX Performance Shop. Alan M. Boeh and Robert Reeder joined together and formed Reeder \& Boeh Attorneys.

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