



Activities

# To Find And Give The Best



Practicing for the annual Christmas Carol Sing is one of the more pleasant tasks undertaken by the girl reserves cabinet members during the Christmas season.



Principal David Barnes, Girl Reserve advisor Miss Otteson, and Girl Reserve President Kathryn Kappers greet Niki Papadopoulou at the reception tea for our foreign student.

Under the competent and effective leadership of Kathryn Kappers, the Girl Reserve Club ranks high among the junior and senior girls. Consisting of about 200 members, this group boasts the largest membership of any organization in the school, and performs many services for both the school and community.



Being crowned at the Girl Reserve Prom by vice-king and queen Mary Erickson and Janet Christianson are Jackie Felts and Kathryn Kappers.

Some of the more ambitious girls of the club make decorations for the halls at Christmas time.



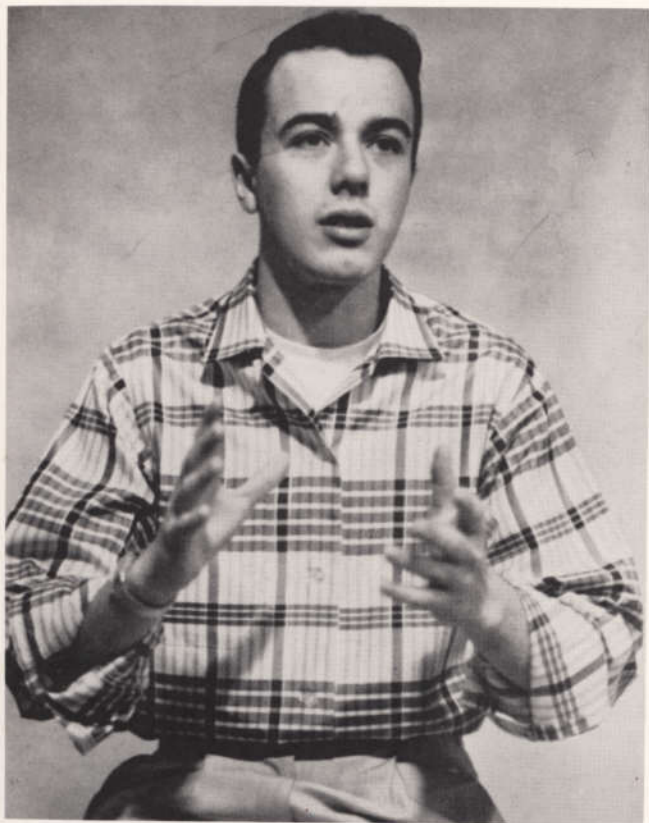
# Niki Acquaints Us With Greece



The friendliness and warmth with which Niki was received is exemplified by the girls in her cooking class.



Niki acquires a proficiency at typing during her ten months visit to Eau Claire Memorial High.



Jerry Welter relates, with his typical enthusiasm, his experiences as a foreign exchange student to Sweden.

A trip across the broad expanse of the Atlantic Ocean is a novel experience for a majority of high school students. But for foreign exchange students, Jerry Welter and Niki Papadopoulou, the quandries of world travel no longer exist.

Jerry spent two months in Stockholm, Sweden as the guest of a well-to-do Swedish family. To Jerry the largest benefit gleaned from his visit was the realization that there is very little difference between Americans and other people; however, he found that Swedes are more conservative in their views.

Niki finds that her favorite class at ECMHS is typing, although her speech course proved invaluable because of the many public speaking situations she encounters. Through living as an actual American teen-ager, Niki was able to better understand them. A tolerance and understanding such as this is one major step toward a lessening of international tension.

# 1957-58 Varsity Cheerleaders



Above are pictured the officers of the varsity cheerleaders. They are: President, Jo Tronsdal; Treasurer, Judy Kruger; Vice-President, Barb Benson; and Secretary, Karen Gabus.

These cheerleaders are waiting hopefully during one of the many exciting plays as the Old Abes trounced Chipewewa Falls.



SQUAD NO. 1: Sherry DeMars, Judy Ecke, Sue Anderson, Judy Fjelstad, Jean Jacobson, and Carolyn Neprud.



SQUAD NO. 2: Janet Stocks, Jo Tronsdal, Judy Persiko, Karen Gabus, and Barb Benson. Absent from picture is Judy Kruger.

# Seasonal Dances Enliven The School Year



This panorama is typical of the many dances held throughout the year in the new gymnasium of Memorial High School.



The Kodak and News Staffs eagerly put on the finishing touches for the annual Sno-Ball over which reigned Jeanne Anderson and Chuck Kuhnert.



The imaginative members of the Lyceum Club show their originality in this appropriate setting at the Turkey Trot.

# Last Bonfire Highlights Homecoming



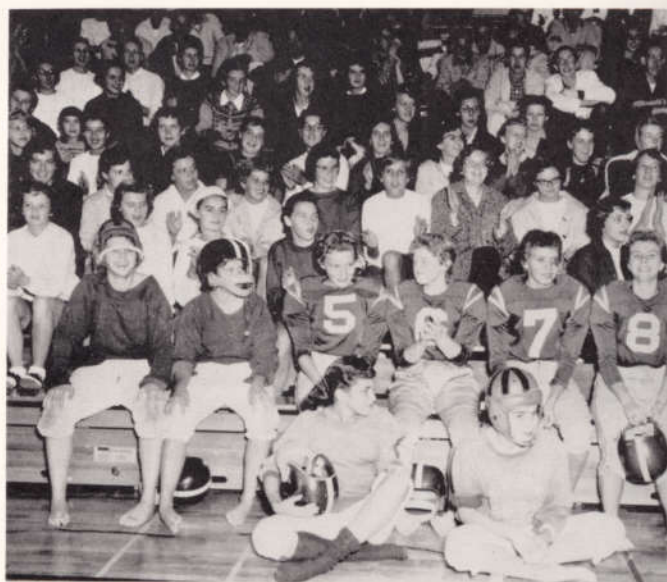
At the Thursday night bonfire, first of the Homecoming events, this surprise couple was announced to reign over the Pow Wow weekend.



Kay Bernicke, Homecoming Queen, is escorted by Mr. Bernie Nelson who proxied for King, Al Perry.



Queen Kay and Bernie Nelson, who substituted for the King, are crowned at the victorious Homecoming game.



The senior girls present their version of "Medic" at the annual pep assembly which introduced the Pow Wow festivities.



### HOMECOMING ATTENDANTS AND ESCORTS

Kay Bernicke .....	Al Perry	Toni Bennett .....	Brad Easterson
Beret Brown .....	Bruce Neuman	Judy Kruger .....	Jack Hoard
Judy Stringer .....	Jan Bliss	Barb Benson .....	Bob McQuillan
Judy Carroll .....	John Anderson	Jackie Paape .....	Mike Tietge
Linda Harsh .....	Jack Hanson	Geri Tweet .....	Skip VanGorden
Marcia Wilson .....	Kirk Clark	Fat Friedeck .....	Bob Nicolai
Sue Anderson .....	Dick Hove	Jeanne Anderson .....	Chuck Kuhnert



Mike Tietge's 40 yard ramble contributes six points to the 26-0 romp over Chippewa Falls.



Decorating for the big homecoming game are the above senior girls.



Students in German class practice reciting the German language with the help of their books.



FRENCH CLUB — *Front Row:* J. Targart, M. Thompson, S. Kelly, J. Laycock, L. Peterson, T. Bennet, J. Tronsdal, B. Brown. *Second Row:* J. Rood, D. Waters, B. Ziehasdorff, M. Mierow, G. Wrigglesworth, K. Turney, S. Anderson, C. Moss, J. Finn. *Third Row:* J. Hanson, J. Wing, R. Denson, G. Neubauer, B. Aberg, M. Olsen, B. Mencil, M. Gilbertson.



J. Hibbard, A. Block, and E. Midelfort exhibit their Latin Club projects.

*La Page des Langues*

French

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Latin

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English

The ancient streets of Rome, the gay fiesta of Spain, the beauty of a sidewalk cafe, are scenes brought to life for students of E.C.M.H.S., through the study of foreign languages. Latin, French, German, and Spanish are the four languages students have the opportunity to take at Memorial High. Through the study of a foreign language students not only learn to speak the language, but also learn about the country in which it originated.

In many of our colleges a foreign language is mandatory and for this reason our schools are stressing the importance of every student taking a foreign language course. It may be said that language is the key to world understanding.



# Future Farmers of America



The ceremony for raising greenhand farmers to the degree of chapter farmers includes showing that "In unity there is strength", as demonstrated by Jim Warden and Ronnie Carey.



Ronald Russell is participating in the annual speaking contest open to all members of F.F.A.



With the help of Mr. Cordes these boys: Steve Surguy, vice-president; Gary Mayer, secretary; Richard Jarosch, sentinel; Joe Schimmel, president; Jack Powell, reporter; and Lyle Bien, treasurer, direct F.F.A. activities.



Two candidates, Mike Blom and David Day, are receiving their chapter farmer degree pins from Steve Surguy.



Arthur Henning, county chairman of polio, receives the \$500 collected by the F.F.A. through their Corn for Polio drive.



Foreign Student Assembly Program