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Mrs. Marlee Parmiter, vocal music instructor, has been selected as the dedicatee for the 1979 Totem Pole.

Mrs. Parmiter has been at Bonner five years and in that time has added much to the curriculum and the agenda of the performances by the vocal music students. Her student load is in excess of 160 students and includes mixed chorus, a cappella and girls glee. In addition she has the Bonner Singers. A popular addition to the programs given by the vocal music department which she started is the annual "Club" programs. They are a showcase of the talent she is able to find and develop among her students.

Mrs. Parmiter has sent her students into competition and had seven students who made State KMEA Choir in Wichita. In addition, her students have performed in the EKL Choir with Dr. Eugene Butler in the area KCK workshop under Dr. McEwen of Arizona State.

Besides her classes and her many programs performed not only for school concerts but in community events, Mrs. Parmiter finds time to take her students to musical events such as the Lyric Opera, touring Broadway productions and the Dinner Theater productions in Kansas City.

To her students Mrs. Parmiter is a taskmaster who gets the best out of them. She teaches them to take pride in their ability and to give their best at all times. Because they have responded, they can be found entertaining some group or organization or giving a concert without hesitation and with enthusiasm.

Thank You, Mrs. Parmiter!
Desiderata

Go placidly amid the noise and haste, and remember what peace there may be in silence. As far as possible without surrender be on good terms with all persons.

Speak your truth quietly and clearly, and listen to others, even the dull and ignorant, they, too, have their story.

Avoid loud and aggressive persons, they are vexations to the spirit.

If you compare yourself with others, you may become vain and bitter, for always there will be greater and lesser persons than yourself.

Enjoy your achievements as well as your plans. Keep interested in your own career, however humble; it is a real possession in the changing fortunes of time.

Exercise caution in your business affairs, for the world is full of trickery. But let this not blind you to what virtue there is; many persons strive for high ideals; and everywhere life is full of heroism.

Be yourself, especially, do not feign affection. Neither be cynical about love; for in the face of aridity and disenchantment it is perennial as the grass.

Take kindly the counsel of the years, gracefully surrendering the things of youth. Nurture strength of spirit to shield you in sudden misfortune. But do not distress yourself with imaginings. Many fears are born of fatigue and loneliness.

Beyond a wholesome discipline, be gentle with yourself.

You are a child of the universe, no less than the trees and the stars; you have a right to be here. And whether or not it is clear to you, no doubt the universe is unfolding as it should.

Therefore be at peace with God, whatever you conceive him to be, and whatever your labors and aspirations, in the noisy confusion of life, keep peace with your soul.

With all its sham, drudgery and broken dreams, it is still beautiful world. Be careful. Strive to be happy. Max Ehrmann
Our Faculty

and Our Enthusiastic Supporters
The Bonner Springs faculty couldn't be better. With dedication and patience they give us their best—in ideas, in example and in encouragement. We don't always respond positively, but we will always remember positively their brief effect on our lives.
A Board of Education is a group of people who meet regularly on behalf of a school district. They are elected and they run because they have a genuine interest in the condition and policies of the school system.

Unified District #204 has an unusual Board. They dedicate themselves to their job and work together in decision making for the 2,000 or more students in the schools. Budget, policy, complaints, planning, accepting and rejecting—these are the areas of work they ponder over. Nine people and their consciences work on our behalf...free...long hours...making the best decisions they can for the good of the entire district.

This year Mr. Rex Heffley will retire from service after fifteen years as a member of the Board. Mr. Ken Boyer served eight years and will retire this year, and Mrs. Carol Duncan retires from the Board after four years. Four members of the Board (Dr. Ted Stolfus, Mr. Rex Heffley, Mrs. Carol Duncan and Mr. Ken Tewell) had teenagers in the 1979 graduating class. Mr. Rex Heffley saw his fifth child receive a diploma.

There is no way to thank these people enough for their interest in our school district or for what they do to get the most and the best for us. But over 2,000 thank yous are in order—one from each and every one of us for a great board and a great job.
The Men at the Top

Mr. Don Stokesbury, Principal

Mr. Ed Nealy, Athletic Director

Mr. Alton Morey, Vice-Principal

These men are always available to any student and to any member of the staff, whatever the need. The three see to it that arrangements are made for the events, that supervisors and chaperones are on duty, that the student body are behaving and that the staff are on duty doing their job. There are no easy days, but they are all busy days.

Mr. Stokesbury and Mr. Morey are seen talking to a student and to a member of the staff.
Records, Fees, Schedules—They Have Them

Mrs. Mildred Bundy—School Secretary. In any given minute, Mrs. Bundy can go 10 different directions.

Above: Mrs. Virginia Charleston—Bookkeeper. All financial transactions are kept straight by her.

Below: Mrs. Mary Ann Allen—Registrar. Schedules and transcripts keep her busy.

Left: Mrs. Peggy Spillman—School Nurse. And when your temperature goes up, she sends you home.

If you want a job that never gets boring, work in a high school office. Between the mail, the telephone calls, the announcements and the telephone ringing, office personnel have still the time to answer questions, find forgotten locker combinations, give messages and keep smiling.
The People with the Answers

Roger Mignot—Counselor

Ardys Kenyan—Counselor

Bety Pino—Guidance Secretary

Bette Carbery—Assistant Librarian

Elsie Hughes—Librarian
Talents to the Ear and to the Eye

Miss Linda Horvath, Art and Photo-Art teacher.

Monty Schneck is a perfectionist with his craft skills.

These music students endure themselves in their singing.

Mrs. Mary Knowles, Crafts teacher.

The Bonner High Music department is one filled with talent and loyalty. The students work hard to entertain an audience with the direction of the two music teachers.

Our Arts and Crafts department is also one of talent, or learning to use the talent that is potential. Students are taught the basics of painting, pottery, working with silver, etc. The skills could prove to be very useful in the future.

Mr. Bill Flores, Instrumental Music Instructor.

Mrs. Marlee Parmiter, Vocal Music Instructor.
They Speak Another Language

Mrs. Sears smiles while thinking about a vacation in Guatemala.

Craig Harden surveys his castle. Above right: Mrs. Sears' Spanish class enjoys some Spanish Cookery.

French teachers enjoy attention from photographers.

The foreign language department has been quite active this year. Spanish Club and French Club went together and sponsored an International dinner where there were many varieties of foreign food. Spanish Club took a couple of interesting field trips, one including a trip to the Plaza to view the Spanish architecture.
The Masters of Metaphors, and the Sorcerers of Similies

Doris Stith—College Composition, Adolescent Literature, Early American Literature, Science Fiction, Mythology, American Novel, Short Story I.

Chris Wood—College Composition II, Adolescent Literature, Mystery & Horror, Late American Literature, Library Research.

Max Brown—Technical Theatre, Short Story I, Drama I, Debate, Forensics.

Jim Conoway—Short Story I.

Georgia Pettis—Bible Literature, Communications, Adolescent Literature, Beginning Writing.

Angie Wind—Magazine & News, Journalism.

Pat Sheley—Language of Persuasion, Consumer English, Adolescent Literature.

This department has the job of acquainting us with a variety of skills in a variety of areas. Not only do they try to teach us to speak, listen and write, but they introduce us to what to speak about, what to listen to and more interesting things to write about.
Among the many areas covered by Language Arts, there is the reading laboratory and the work study program. The reading lab helps students with their reading skills, and the work-study program gives students an opportunity to earn while they learn.
Kevin Moore, a first year teacher here at Bonner, gives one of his students a "disgusting" look of being right.

Mrs. Jared spreads her knowledge willingly to all her students.

Mrs. Haussler, Algebra I and General Math teacher, shows her students how it is done.

Brett Burton gives Mrs. Jared an "I'm so confused look."
"Taking Care of Business"

The Business department, headed by our "fearless foursome," does its best to teach our students office skills, such as typing, shorthand, business machines, and secretarial training.

Mr. Scott Tichenor, teacher of Business Law, General Business, Typing I, and Business Machines, chats with his students in one not so busy moment.

Mr. Ted Stephans, instructor for Distributive Education and Office Education, takes time out to help student Su Sproules.

Mrs. French, teacher of Secretarial Training, Typing I and II, gives her cheery smile for the camera.

Mrs. Mallory, Bookkeeping and Typing teacher, gives one of her students, Tim Umbehower, the "evil eye."

Student teacher for Mrs. French, Donna Nichols smiles at the camera.

Tammy Beeves, typing student, is concentrating very hard on her lesson.
Citizenship Leadership Values

This department teaches the valuable lessons of good citizenship. They expose students to the current problems and aid them in the discussion and research necessary to making good judgments.
The "Nature" of Science Could Be a "Chemical" Reaction

Mr. Richard Nelson: Physics, Chemistry, and Biological Studies

Miss Janet Steiner and Mr. Wilson help each other out.

Mr. Dennis Wilson: Biological Studies.

Mr. Dennis Wilson and Mr. Richard Nelson form an interesting science unit together. If you are interested in living things, Mr. Wilson can be of help in that area. In fact, living things can be observed in his room. He has a few living animals in cages and some preserved ones on display. Mr. Richard Nelson is the one who can tell you all about chemical reactions, demonstrate experiments, and get "physical" about things.

Rick Stine seems to find Biology amusing.

John Bonee and Janie Ochoa work together on a class assignment.
The Home Ec department, under the instruction of Miss Patterson and Mrs. Honacki, teaches a variety of things related to the home economics category. Housing design, home economics careers, fashion, and the study of fabrics are all included in the class. Students who take this class come out of it with a lot of useful information, other than just how to cook and sew.

Left: Carmen Smith, Pam Hill, and Sue Johnson are very pleased with the results of their cookies.

Above: Barbara Maier, Susan Stoner, and Candie Jeffers discuss what they were just taught.
The Nuts and Bolts Department

Students get a variety of experiences in this department while they learn. They use equipment and tools they have never seen before. In the course of four years, many discover that they enjoy building or fixing.

Amos Davis is the keeper of the toolroom.

Mr. Hervey Fox, General Shop and Electricity. Mr. Richard Burns, General Shop and Drafting.

Mike Crosby is trying to jump-start himself.

Mr. Robert Reeves, General Shop, Metals and Welding. Mr. William Vitt, General Shop, Auto Mechanics.
The Teachers Who Give Us the Run Around

Left: Mrs. Freda Reynolds, Girls' Physical Education. Right: Mr. Bob Chatterton, Boys' Physical Education and Social Science.

A typical day in the gymnasium

One of the sure things around Bonner High is that the Braves like their sports. With all of the freshmen and sophomores in physical education and with the participation of the students in all sports, the courts, stadium and wherever are used and busy. Skills, endurance and good physical conditioning become a fact.

Left: Mr. Joe Mintner, Boys' Physical Education and Biology. Right: Mr. Carl Taylor, Boys' Physical Education.
Cleaning Up the Act

At left: Mr. Charles Bellm. At right: Archie Sanders helps keep the food machines in good working order.
Always Cooking Up Something

Edna Hollenbeck

Helen Walker

Evelynne Conn

Betty Wasson

Top right: Pauline Kimline

Bottom left: Zona Anderson

Dora Pickett

The cooks prepare a nourishing lunch.
Our loyal bus drivers always at our service and willing to please. Center left: Taking the first step home. Center right: These students wait eagerly to board the bus. Bottom: At 2:45, the busses arrive.

Wheels That Get Us Places

Our school district is very lucky to have its bus transportation. The bus drivers drive through all kinds of weather, take students on field trips, sports events, and provide a lot of students with a ride home safely. These bus drivers have a big responsibility, and they do us many favors, so let's give them our respect.
This year is going to be a good year for the French Club, sponsored by Mrs. Nelson. This group is vying for the top position in the French Club Work Shop, which was held Tuesday during lunch hour. The group seemed to be working very hard, and the Work Shop was well attended by a pair of enthusiastic members.
Bonner's many clubs, groups, and organizations keep us involved and in touch with other students, teachers, and our community. From Kayettes and STUCO, to JCL and Thespians, each and every person can find some type of organization to interest him. A different type of school pride and spirit is revealed to all through our organizations.
STUCO, the Student Voice

President Lisa Heffley addresses the student body.

STUCO sponsor Don Craven.

Russell Thogmartin, Ron Bates, Jeff Brown, and Mr. Fox are caught in a rare thoughtful moment.

A Glimpse at the Future

STUCO members involved in a serious meeting.

A preview of our new STUCO president Larry Hardy.

An enthusiastic group jumps for joy at an idea that has just been presented!

New Vice President Janine Allen becomes familiar with her job.
Hard working STUCO members presented the students with a Valentine's disco that left everyone with the "Boogie Fever".

Sound Dynamics provided plenty of music to make the students jump and shout, and all FREAK OUT!
"Shake Your Groove Thing"

Darren, show em' how you do it now.

In every disco couple you could see a little John Travolta!
Seniors Show
Super Spirit

Bonner High students were once again surprised with a lot of unexpected "talent". The second annual Senior assembly exposed everyone's secret desire to be a star.

The winners proudly display their "gold" medals.

Above: Jeff Brown shows his talent of imitating a fish. Below: Sheila Stillman "trucks on through!"

Above: The biggest turkey in Bonner (alias Mark Snavely) struts through arousing Bonner Spirit. Below: Julie Clark goes for the armpit!

Above: Pat Enloe presents the proud winners with their medals. Below: Speed Racer Fletcher tries to bring in the winning run.
The Pep Club, although small in size, kept the spirit going throughout the year...
Freshman cheerleaders keep it going.

Left: Jeri Fletcher rides in style as Pep Club candidate for Homecoming. Below: Angie Newton, Tonganoxie queen candidate.

Congratulations to the Class of 1979 from Reynolds Body Shop

Cohead: Jeri Fletcher.

Head cheerleader: Janis Reynolds.
V—V Victory! for Var Var Varsity!

Lori Ballou

Kim Cochran

Jeri Fletcher

Patti Holloway

Sheryl Laing

Cindy Marvin

Theresa McDowell

Linda Meisner

Lalie Ochoa

Janis Reynolds

Lisa Stanley

Monique White
J.V. and Freshman Squads Become Experienced Pepsters

Junior Varsity: Left to right: Kim Manis, Eva Hickmon, Brenda Doolan, Leslie Regan, Cathy Blancarte.

Head J.V. cheerleader: Cathy Blancarte.


Freshman Squad: Left to right: Jo Kirby, Julie Mitchner, Annette Holiday, Karen Ford, Becky Molder.
The Kayettes are a well organized group and very active throughout the school year. They sponsored a canned food drive, make things at Christmas time, do activities for the nursing homes, have bonfires for the athletes, etc. All these activities are greatly appreciated by everybody.
Kayettes Host Regional Conference

With their big "K" and torch, showing who they are, looming in the Commons and their theme banner of "Alive and Aware" telling everyone what they are about, the Kayettes appeared for their conference. Around 400 Kayettes from the region came to get new ideas and to share ideas and just to get acquainted with other Kayettes.

With the school decorated for the occasion and the guests arriving, Bonner Kayettes were proudly welcoming and checking in the regional Kayettes.
With Inspiration and Cheer Resulting

Meetings are well-attended, and Kayettes and their guests collect information.

Jennifer Hand and Mary Gale Bernardel "keep things poppin'."

Paula Ladd heads for the well.

Jan Cox and Janis Reynolds wheel down the hall with a smiling "coffee, tea or me."

Ideas, inspiration and humor abound as Kayettes gather information to take back to their groups.

Sheryl Laing, Jan Cox, Suzanne Lee, Kim Stanley and Elaine Benz are "Alive and Aware."
Juniors and Sophomores Win Football Frolic


Above: Mies watches while Fletcher gives Cindy Molder last minute pointers. Left: Curious and eager eyes watch while final instructions are given.
The Powder Puff football game is a highlight of the Kayette year. And each year the Kayettes put more into it, making it an exciting athletic event. They put forth great effort—and go to great lengths (bruises, black eyes) to win.

Gail Kirk shows her fearless and fantastic style as she carries the ball for a td.

Determination and physical force along with energy and good coaching make these plays exciting to watch and unpredictable in their conclusion.
Bonner Darkens When Eclipse of '79 Occurs

The Big Cover-Up

orth America's last solar eclipse of the century (right) was obscured by a cold gray cloud cover along much of the path of totality. But eclipse buffs near Roundup, Mont. (left), and other viewing areas in the U.S. Northwest and Canada were luckier. Armed with telescopes, cameras and other paraphernalia, they let out joyful whoops under mostly clear skies as the moon's shadow raced toward northern Greenland. It was an all too brief show—as long as 2 min. 36 sec. in Helena, Mont., less than a minute elsewhere—and a rare one. It will be a spell until the next U.S. performance: A.D. 2017.

Students observe the eclipse through a variety of techniques. The most common type was the use of two pieces of paper, one with a small pinhole in it. The cloudless day made it easy to observe.
Different Faces of FHA

District officers: Freda Fein—Song Leader; Lyne White—Historian; Lisa Knox—Song Leader.

FHA members involved in a serious meeting.

Mrs. Honacki explains the true meaning of "na-nu na-nul".


FHA—HERO Halloween Party

Annette Kelly posed in a rare thoughtful moment.

Brewer's Thriftway Congratulates the Class of 1979.
One of FHA’s projects was collecting canned food for the needy. They sponsored a contest, and Mr. Kevin Moore’s freshman math class won. FHA gave the whole class a party for their generosity.

As seen on the left FHA members enjoy their exercise, especially volleyball. They enjoy making treats in the kitchen. And they enjoy their fun—a hat day at school, and Deidre McDonald wears some kind of HAT!
On November 6, 1979, the Future Homemakers of America of Bonner Springs High School hosted the annual regional conference for the day. Attending schools were Basehor, Tonganoxie, Effingham, Shawnee Mission Northwest and Shawnee Mission North.

The conference included a scrapbook and poster display, a speech and creed contest and contests for ribbons in all areas of Home Ec.

The theme of the conference was “I’m Okay, You’re Okay,”—to learn and to share ideas—and it was carried out thoroughly throughout the day.

Entertainment for the day included a program of song and dance by the Bonner High Singers, a sing-along led by the district officers, a performance by the “Flintstones”, a singing group from the Johnson County Community College.

The highlight of the conference was a speech by Dr. Chub from Baldwin, Kansas.
FHA Installation of Officers Becomes a Banquet

Keith Yergovich wins the door prize.

Mothers are active in FHA also.

Out with the old, In with the new. Melanie Gray, the 1978-79 president, is replaced by Regina Newton, the president for 1979-80.

Eva Hickmon filling her plate at the buffet table.

FHA families, members and guests enjoying the dinner.

Degrees are being awarded with Donald Whitaker and Pene Wall receiving junior degrees and Freda Fein and Melanie Gray receiving chapter degrees.

The installation is a success, the party is fun, and FHA members have done it again!
In a new and different way, FHA members and high school Home Ec. students were given an opportunity to teach kitchen safety and good nutrition to the young. A cooperative effort between first grade teacher Judy Miksch and the high school Home Ec. department brought the two groups together for a fun and enlightening morning together. Wide-eyed first graders listened, watched, tasted and "licked the bowl", and a good time was had by all.

Above: Kim Kindred and Sharon Lillich serve the first graders some of the delicacies they helped make.

Below: Dawn Eagle helps a first grader with his first effort at making fruit salad.

Miss Judy Miksch’s first grade class from Mission Elementary School and the Foods II class.

Above: Sharon Lillich and Georgia Banks teach first graders to make chicken salad sandwiches.

That chicken salad is just about ready after you add this cup of chopped celery!
"Que Pasa?" in Spanish Club!

With Chupa Chup Sales, Valentines sent special delivery, and the International Dinner, Spanish Club members found plenty of activities to keep busy.

Betty Crocker (Alias Pat Sears) teaches the secrets of Mexican Cuisine.

Above: Sandy Reimer smiles as she thinks of how she's secretly poisoning John Kobialka. Below: John Kobialka getting poisoned!

Above: Melinda Newton and August Leitzen turn postmen with the sale of Valentines. Below: Members involved in a "Heavy" discussion.
JCL— the Latin Lovers

JCL is one of the active clubs holding together the Latin students in a variety of activities over the year. A slave auction, State convention, annual picnic and just the common bond of learning Latin and early Roman culture give these students that necessary ingredient to enjoy their get togethers.

Jeff Kirby and Laura Kennedy show their award winning entries in State Latin projects. Kirby shows a decoupage of a Roman print, and Laura has a hooked rug she made with a Latin inscription, “Beware of the Dog.”

JCL'ers seem to be enjoying one of their regular meetings.

The regular members of JCL dress up as Romans for their initiation program. Left to right: Tillie Burns, Lori Leach, Brenda Doolan, Mike Thorn and Tony Kerby.

Bryan King as a Roman soldier for State competition in costuming.

JCL members and their sponsor participate in the International Dinner.

Mrs. Doris Stith, sponsor of JCL.
French Club (Ou La La!)

French Club Officers: Kathy Hecke, Jimmy Eikoff, Chris Boles- jack (seated) and Mrs. Nelson, Sponsor.

French students prepare for a feast.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson dare to taste French cuisine a la Bonner style.

Charles Whipple wonders what he is eating!

Everyone waiting for dessert, alka seltzer.
An International Dinner—a Gourmet’s Delight

Once a year the Spanish, French and Latin students pool their culinary abilities and come up with an International Dinner. They try insofar as possible to prepare foods that are typical of the culture they have learned about in their foreign language classes.

The preparation isn’t half as much fun as the eating. A buffet line is full of the “ahs” and “mms”, and the eating is a gastronomic treat.
Bonner's Body Builders Compete for the Title of Injun Joe

Greg Gorman flexes his galvanized deltoids!

Mark Mosier, the Gargantuian brave!

Our messenger of the Gods, Mike Mosier!

A tower of power, Tom Ballard!

Alan Dalsing, the mythical Hermes

Mark Lee shows the true power of the printed word

Russell Pino, our hulk of dynamic energy
In the hallowed halls of Braveland, it is customary to select one Brave who stands out as the best representative of the tradition of the Braves...

- Strong of body...
- Handsome of countenance...
- Wise of mind...
- Loyal of spirit...

The choice for 1979 was Tom Ballard, who was described as 138# of brute strength.

He was introduced with these words: Enjoy the unusual plasticity of those trapezius muscles and the tight but flexible latissimus dorsi muscles as they hug the rib cage firmly. Without question the cervical, thoracic and lumbar vertebrae match each other from the base of his skull to his sacrum—a beam holding up a tower of power.

Where else but in Braveland would you see the rippling beauty of such pectoralis major muscles as they cover a chest that holds a strong loyal heart.

Look now at the flex of those deltoid and bicep muscles that have the power to crush and the gentleness to hold.

This Brave would be Hercules to the Greeks, but to us he is Tom Ballard, competent, competitive Brave.
"Shake Your Groove Thing"


The graduating seniors: Rene Johnson, Robin Gravatt, Lisa Ellington.

Their beautiful captain, Ronna Shultz.

Miller’s Pharmacy of Bonner Springs and Edwardsville Congratulates the Class of 1979.
Performances Count

They march...

and perform.

practice...
Right: Susan Coon and Lisa Hornick proudly display the Bonner Banner. Below: Band Officers: Frank Keller—President; Russell Pino—Vice President; Ruth Wagner—Secretary; Brent Weber—Drum Major; Brenda Mesmer—Drum Majorette.

Brent Weber, drum major, leads band.

Mr. Flores directs the band.
Pep Band

Marching Band

Concert Band
Baritone: Robbie Trotter, Phil Boyer, Tony Kirby.


Contra Bass: Cassandra Whittaker. 
Alto Clarinets: Gina Palmentere, Janet Cline, Denise Bodecker.

Trumpets and Cornets: Back row, left to right: Bill Kuehn, Mike Mosier, Alan Dalsing, Steve Sill, Darren Bennett, Jimmy Eickhoff, Terry Fraker, Danny Ballou, Mike Reed, James Warden, Steve Connell, Rick Burns, Wayne Rolland. Front row: David Lohman, Terry Lohman, Dan Vitt, Bill Rehm, Brad Zumbrunn.

Congratulations to the Class of 1979 from Lamplighter, Inc.

French Horns, left to right: Lisa Hefley, Susan Shevling, Susan Leininger.


I've Got Music In Me

Tubas, left to right: Dennis Parr, John Colgan.


Trombones: Back row, left to right: Derrick Bradley, Danny Vitt. Front row: John Mattox, Brent Weber.
Vocal Music—Many Voices Entertain Us Many Times

The a cappella choir dressed and ready for a concert.

Kyla Stolfus, Carol Stine, Ruth Wagner, Nikki Stine and Brent Weber: Five who also share their ability at the piano in order to accompany the choir.

District Honor Choir: Back row, left to right: George Espinoza, Mark Mires, Shawn Sorrell, Jeff Brown, Philip Boyer, Brent Weber and Lang Howell. Front row: Laura Goble, Mary Gale Bernardel, Carol Stine, Ruth Wagner, Lisa Heffley, Nina Kimbrough and Susan Shevlng.

The officers of the a cappella choir: Erin Shevling, Secretary; Carol Stine, President; Ruth Wagner, Treasurer; and Susan Shevlng, Vice-President.
Performers Who Win and Who Entertain

Mrs. Parmiter happily shows her five members who made State Honor Choir. Left to right: Philip Boyer, Brent Weber, Ruth Wagner, Shawn Sorrell, and Mark Mies.

Members of a cappella as they perform a number from the H.M.S. Pinafore. Left to right: Susan Lieninger, George Espinoza, Brent Weber, Carol Stine, Mark Mies, and Lisa Heffley.

The Bonner High Singers (One of the most popular and performing groups): Back row, left to right: Brenda Mesmer, DaJauna Quillan, Laura Goble, Kyla Stolfus, Janie Ochoa, Susan Sheving and Ronna Schultz. Front row: George Espinoza, Mark Mies, Shawn Sorrell, Brent Weber, Jeff Brown, Rick Stine, Lang Howell and Philip Boyer.

The Bonner High Singers performing Christmas carols at Crown Center during the Christmas season. It was one of their many public performances.
More Groups—Ready to Perform

The Mixed Chorus group—large in number and sound.

Two faculty members join the vocal music department at a concert. Mr. Scott Tichenor with his guitar and Mrs. Parmiter at the piano accompany Mr. Richard Burns in an Irish ballad.

Girls’ Glee Officers: Brenda Mosier, Treasurer; Jennifer Hand, Secretary; Lisa Hornick, Vice-President; Cathy Goble, President.

Mr. Max Brown, drama director, performs a vocal solo at one of the yearly concerts.

The Girls’ Glee Group—beautiful, talented and ready to perform. Their motto: “Have formal, will sing.”
"Spring Fever Night with A Cappella"

Nina Kimbrough

Mark Mies and Brenda Doolan

Jeff Brown gives his rendition of "Always and Forever."

George Espinoza, Annette Kelly, Mark Mies, Carol Stine and Jeff Brown having fun during their performance.

The finale of a fun night—performers and audience had an enjoyable and relaxed night.

The Vocal Music department includes three major groups—A Cappella, Girls’ Glee and Mixed Chorus. It also contains a selected group known as the Bonner High Singers. The department has some 170 students involved in vocal music. These students give school concerts, perform for community organizations and at a variety of community functions. They represent the school at its best—looking good, singing well, and always appearing as if they are enjoying their performances as much as their audience. Mrs. Parmiter’s leadership keeps the agenda for this department an ever enlarging one.
on Tuesday, Needy
Remembered students to
Musical
Open House
Leadership and Participation
Activities

Christmas Variety
"Summer Leslie"
Our activities give everyone something to get involved in. Plays, concerts, dances, debate, publications, and whatever—there is something to suit every student. The involvement is large enough that everyone is a part of something. All he has to do is make a choice, roll up his sleeves and enjoy himself.
The Royal Court

B-Club Candidate
Phyllis Gray

Pep Club Candidate
Jeri Fletcher

Junior Class Attendant
Brenda Doolan

Sophomore Class Attendant
Janie Ochoa

Freshman Class Attendant
Erin Shevling
Glimpses of Homecoming 1978
"And They Danced the Night Away"
A Touching Drama

Director Max Brown discusses the characters, David and Lisa to the lead actors Darryl Corcoran and Joann McNealy.

Alan Swinford works as David's psychiatrist (Bryan King).

David's mother, Lisa Heffley, shows her over-protective attitude about her son.

Jeff Dawson and Lang Howell discuss David's problem.

Best Wishes to the Class of 1979 from the Commercial State Bank.
“David and Lisa,” a touching drama about two mentally disturbed adolescents, did much to captivate its audiences. Cast as David was freshman Darryl Corcoran. Lisa was portrayed by sophomore Joann McNealy. This sensitive drama held the audience between laughter and tears, and brought the audience to their feet.
The Members of the Royal Party

Left to right: Kayette Candidate Sonya Vickers, and her escort, Russell Thogmartin; Junior Class Candidate Lori Ballou and her escort, Roger Dill; FHA Candidate Regina Newton and her escort, Kenny Beasley; Pep Club Candidate Eva Hickmon and her escort, Larry Hardy.

Reigning queen Robin Gravatt crowns Sonya as the Christmas Queen of 1978.
Unable to choose between Santa or Russell, Sonya dances with both as the evening festivities get under way.

Sonya Vickers Reigns Over Christmas Party

"Fairy tales can come true"
Marsha Mindedahl smiles as her date catches 40 winks.

Queen Attendant Eva Hickmon and her date, Larry Hardy, have no doubt that they are glad they attended the dance.

Seniors Jeff Harrington and Kim Cochran enjoy their last Christmas dance together.

Tony Stephan, senior, and freshman Becky Molder seem to be enjoying the whole affair.

Richard Pruitt and his date don't mind the intrusion of the cameraman.
Club '79 Shows Off Their Talent

Singers performing with togetherness.

Phillip Boyer serenades the audience.

Brenda Mesmer, Jeff Brown, and Kyla Stolfus are just bummin’ around.

George Espinoza and Ronna Schultz monkeying around.

Susan and Erin Shevling (are they identical?) sing of sisterly love.

Brent Weber takes Janie Ochie, Erin Shevling, and Mark Mies for a Sunday drive.

Mark Mies and Laura Goble declare their love with “Paper Roses,” as Brent Weber tries to step in on them.
Alumni Return for 5th Anniversary

Janie Ochoa in a rendition of "Goin' Up Yonder."

Susan Leininger in "There's No Business Like Show Business."

Alumna Diane Stine returns to the Bonner Stage.

Alumnus Darrel Newton performs again.

Nina Kimbrough sings the Blues.

Alumnus Roger Lewis shows how much he has changed over the last 5 years.
Students Stage Simon Comedy

Above: David Stewart and Dajuana Quillan, along with Erin Shevling, Jeff Pembleton and Lisa Heffley, brave the sub-zero temperatures inside their house. Below: The cast has a relaxing romp during rehearsal.

Philip Boyer, Jeff Pembleton and Erin Shevling open the play in their "jammies."

Susan Lieninger searches the floor for her spectacles.
God's Wrath Strikes Bonner Stage

Erin Shevling and Jeffy Pemberton pray for an end to the energy crisis in their living room.

Lisa Heffley, Erin Shevling and Jeff ("flipper-feet") Pemberton are reassured of the family's safety.

Left: Susan Leininger informs Phil Boyer of the heartbreak of hemorrhoids. Center: Phil begs God for a new lighting crew. Right: Susan reveals that Brent Weber is the new "God's Favorite".

WHO'S CRAZY
The Characters Face a Variety of Crises

Above Brent Weber delivers a threat to God while the technical crew provide "realistic" lightning and thunder. Right: The play draws to a happy close as Lisa Heffley tells of her successful venture on a celebrity game show and DaJuana Quillian gives thanks for fried chicken.

Phil Boyer does his imitation of a crazed mouse as Brent Weber and Lisa Heffley look on (in disgust).
Bonner’s "Tiffany"—a Night of Food and Fun

Mr. Brown circulates among the guests as they dine on homemade lasagna.

Brent Weber and Janie Ochoa as the Bonner High Singers give their rendition of one of Britain’s "ballads"—the "Ghost of Anne Boleyn."


Laura Goble was as good a "Liza" as you will see anywhere in her rendition of "Oh, Wouldn't It Be Lovely."

Kyla Stolfus, backed by the Bonner High Singers, shows the enthusiasm for singing that made the pre-play performance of the "kazoos" a lot of fun.
The Importance of Being "Earnest"

The second annual "Dinner Theater" production was another highlight in the events presented by the Drama Department. Food, music and a play right here at Bonner High—our competition to Waldo Astoria.

Jeff Pembleton and Bryan King in friendly competition. An argument over whose muffins and whose tea is part of the importance of trivia they illustrated.

Cecily (Erin Shevling) makes a note of Algy's declaration of love. A girl had to make sure then and now.

The play was a farce on English manners, and the students became Victorian in manner and speech. The dialogue was a confusion of names and people—with everyone wondering who was whom and what was what.

Lady Bracknell (Lisa Heffley) personified the dowager type who insisted on absolute propriety—and a rich husband for her daughter.

Prim Miss Prism (Marsha Mindedahl) seems to melt around the dignified Dr. Chesible (Shawn Sorrell)
The Plot Thickens, and Thickens, Then Thins

Cecily and Gwendolyn, at first suspicious of each other, begin to realize they better stick together and do so over tea and cake.

Lady Bracknell dominates her daughter with unrelenting will-power and a "go to the carriage" order.

And Lady Bracknell has to adjust her propriety a bit when she finds out that her daughter's suitor was found in a handbag.

How can a girl get anywhere with her governess and the church rector with her constantly? But Cecily suggests that they take a stroll in the garden, and they seem to think her suggestion is an innocent thoughtfulness.

That prim Miss Prism becomes the one who knows who and where that baby (Earnest) was found.
Talented Students Become Winners

Regional Scholastic Winners at Wichita: Back row, left to right: Cheryl Chambers, Textile Design, Honorable Mention; Terry Bush, Textile Design, Honorable Mention; John Malinowski, Jewelry, Honorable Mention; John Colgan, Jewelry, Honorable Mention; Billy Gardner, Sculpture, Honorable Mention. Seated, front row: Mrs. Mary Knowles, David Bjorgaard, 3-D Design, Gold Key; Monty Schneck, 3-D Design, Gold Key; 3-D Design, Gold Key; Jewelry, Honorable Mention; Wesley Wendt, 3-D Design, Gold Key; Mary Pavicich, Jewelry, Gold Key; Jewelry, Honorable Mention.

This year students in Crafts brought back five Gold Key awards from the Regional Scholastic Art Contest in Wichita.

Then in April, 1979, word came that Monty Schneck and David Bjorgaard had been awarded National Gold Medals for their three-dimensional designs.

Monty's winning entry was an ebony-ivory inlay ring box. David's winning piece was a silver wire woven tea set in miniature. David's tea set will be featured in a film strip, "International Art by Talented Teen-Agers."

The Gold Medal pieces will be on exhibit along with the other winners at the Union Carbide Exposition Hall in New York City, June 6-27. They will be returned to the winners sometime in September.
Once a year the school is open for the express purpose of allowing the parents to go through the school day with their teenager. This is done under friendly circumstances and to help the parents understand the objectives the school and faculty are working toward. With entertainment and refreshments, the evening is one of friendly enlightenment.

Mrs. Wood, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Morey and Mr. Chatterton discuss the school with the parents of their students.

Family and faculty enjoy the refreshments—Bonner High's famous cinnamon rolls.
The Fourth Estate at Bonner High

The Pow Wow staff produces a school newspaper twice a month. This year, under the leadership of junior Alan Stolfus, the Pow Wow's have made every effort to cover the school. This year's staff has some of the most unusual talent ever with Mark Lee, a student sports reporter who is known all over the sports community because of his excellence, and Marsha Mindedahl, who has created bimonthly an appropriate and excellent cartoon for the paper.

Vivienne Murphy, our Australian editor.

Tab Bastion, Super Sleuth

Don Meier, Reporter

Theresa Kobialka, Reporter and Typesetter

Jennifer Stean, Reporter

Matt White, Reporter and Creator of "Car of the Issue" column.

Danny Miller, Co-ordinator between photographer and staff, and advisor and staff.

Congratulations to the Class of 1979 from the Bonner Springs—Edwardsville Chieftain.
The Totem Pole Staff Giving You Its Best!

Lonnie McMurtree, our technician in the darkroom, is never alone.

Bill Kuehn, editor, tries to hold things up for the Totem Pole.

Head hauncho of the Totem Pole, Angie Wind, organizes, plans, and gives orders, but she still has doubts.

Kim Stanley prepares for a day's work.

Co-Editor Darren Bennett takes time out to think of the good side of all that hard work.

Elaine Benz concentrates on what needs to be done.

Assisting in the darkroom, Danny Miller takes a moment out for a pose.

Eva Hickman wonders if the work will ever end.

Janine Allen begins to get it all sorted out.

Lisa Stanley expresses her feelings towards the Totem Pole.

Jesse Ford glances back to see how it's done.
The Child Development Class, taught by Martha Patterson, is an educational one, as well as a lot of fun. Students learn the basic things about a child, from the time he is a newborn baby, until the time he is five years old. Later, the children arrive, and the high school students teach them skills, and help them be creative.
Not many students get an opportunity to leave something of themselves at their high school when they leave—something tangible. But Barry Brandon got that chance and left a mural that will make his name echo thru the halls of his alma mater longer than most.

The task of painting a space mural—his favorite subject—seemed relatively simple. All he had to do was transfer the ideas and drawings in his sketch book onto the wall, and he had hundreds of sketches of space objects.

But the 10' by 20' wall became a pretty formidable object, and the task took many more hours and more paint and brushes than he anticipated. It also made him appreciate those painters who had done walls and ceilings as he painted details on a wall taller than he or on a space a couple of feet from the floor.

But the finished product pleased him and many others. He stepped back from his colorful mural and realized that he had indeed achieved an additional dimension with his talent.
Entering the World of Business Via DE and OE

Mr. Ted Stephens teaches students about the world of business. Then he puts them into the world of business in a cooperative program so they may earn and learn. Businessmen become their teachers, and business becomes the name of the game. The students respond to the responsibility by doing so well that the business community is happy to cooperate every year.

Gina Lundblade, a Distributive Education student, straightens the stock while working at the IGA store.

Danyale McDonald, a Distributive Education student, has finished displaying the milk and cheese at the IGA.

Anne Tewell, an Office Education student, gives that electric typewriter a real workout.

Carla Brown, an Office Education student, composes a letter for her boss.

Lisa Everhart, an Office Education student, knows the 10 key calculator like the back of her hand.

Cruz Ramirez, an Office Education student, was the class champion typist.

Pat McCourt, a Distributive Education student, has just rung up a sale at the 7-Eleven Store.
Craftsman of the Year
Jon Espy

Once in a while you get a kid that is bursting with talent and ability. He works endlessly hard, many hours after school extra. He invents his own tools, invests his own money in establishing his collection of tools and supplies, tries all kinds of experimental projects, shows great respect for his materials, puts out great amounts of effort, teaches others around him and generally shows a kind of talent and enthusiasm that generally could be called Old Time Craftsmanship. This kind of kid doesn’t come along very often—that’s why we don’t give this award very often—but this year, for the first time in 3 years, I’ve found this kind of kid; and so we are giving him this special award this year—CRAFTSMAN OF THE YEAR—Jon Espy.
Secretaries Take Their Bosses to a Coffee Break

Happiness is Working with You was the theme of a coffee break that Mrs. Deena French and her secretaries had for the businessmen of Bonner who cooperate in the program of on-the-job training.

This year, the secretaries added a very hospitable and tasty coffee break to their entertainment schedule. Their Bosses' Dinner was held with a banquet and program later in the year.
Their Fingers Do the "Talking"

The Secretarial Training Class and where they worked: Back row, left to right: Jana Bevier, Southwest Elementary School; Brenda Small, McDaniel Grade School; Cheryl Pitts, Central Office, U.S.D. #204; Shelli Hayward, Safeway Stores, Inc.; Lori Gibson, Veterinary Medicine Publishing Company; Linda Reynolds, Southwest Ornamental Iron; Cathy Bombardier, Bonner Springs High School Office; and Mrs. Deena French, Instructor. Front row: Cheryl Beal, Ranch Hand Foods; Barbara Walters, Edwardsville Grade School; Liz Harris, Junior High School; Kristi Hill, Johnstons, Inc.; Paula Ladd, Ed Roberts Chevrolet.

National Business Honor Society: Back row, left to right: Kristi Hill, Cathy Bombardier, Carol Stine, Susan Sproules, Liz Harris. Second row: Cheryl Beal, Julie Clark, Shelli Hayward, Betty Sparks. Front row: Pat Enloe, Paula Ladd, Deena French, Sponsor; Mary Gale Bernardel, Theresa McDowell.

Best Wishes to the Class of 1979 from the Edwardsville State Bank.
An Almost Winning Team

The Year of Four

Pictured above with their trophies are: Left to right: Larry Hardy (1st Baldwin), Erin Shevling and Jeff Dawson (1st Leavenworth), Pat Enloe and Bill Kuehn (3rd Baldwin), DeJuana Quillan and Bryan King (5th Leavenworth), and Lisa Heffley and Carla Kandt (2nd Shawnee Mission North).

The debaters, like the cross-country team, had four year pros this year. This could have only led to a double state championship, and it almost did. But because of some uncontrollable circumstances, the debaters became snowed in at the hotel and snowed out of the Regional Tournament.
The Wild, Wild World of Forensics

Mr. Max Brown and his forensics team are catching a little sun for inspiration. Front row, left to right: Melanie Gray, Annette Kelly, Cheryl Chambers, Cassandra Whitaker, Daryl Corcoran, Jeff Pembleton, Carla Kandt, Jon Bizzell. Second row: Mr. Max Brown, DaJuana Quillen, Grant Manning, Pat Enloe, Mark Glover. Third row: Bob Burnam, Shawn Sorrell, Ronna Schultz, Brian King, Susan Leininger, Regina Newton, Phil Boyer. Fourth row: Dianne Sanders, Susan Sheving, Robbie Trotter, Larry Hardy, Lisa Hef­fley, Jeff Dawson and Jennifer Stean. Not pictured: Bill Kuehn.

Mr. Max Brown, forensic coach who started the program just three years ago, has uncovered talent galore and produced a very competitive team.

Out of this team emerged Lisa Heffley who captured medal after medal with her performances. And she will be the girl representative from Eastern Kansas at the National Forensic League competition held in Cincinnati in June 1979. Lisa won the place with dramatic interpretation, but she will also compete with her original oration and in poetry and prose.
An annual event in the senior schedule is "Senior Night" at Worlds of Fun. And this night includes the seniors in the five counties in Greater Kansas City. Some 20 to 30 thousand seniors descend on Worlds of Fun, and from then on, it is fun...fun...fun...
Sports

Cross-Country
Football
Volleyball, Girls'
Basketball, Boys' and Girls'
Wrestling
Track, Boys' and Girls'
Golf
No matter which sport it is, we have a group of competitive participants and a dedicated coach. With that combination we gave a variety of exciting evenings on the field, court mat or track. This year our cross-country team and our girls' basketball team brought us exciting events as they went to the top—cross-country in the State and girls' basketball to sub-state.

And whatever the sport, the Braves fans are loyal, enthusiastic followers, cheering them on.
They Went for It—All the Way

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They Went for It

The '78 Harriers—JV: Back row, left to right: Assistant Coach Jim Conoway, Dan Ballou, Tom Klotz, Bill Meyer, Ronnie Bates, Jeff Harrington, Leslie Forbach, Don Vitt, Head Coach Ken Atwell. Varsity: Front row, left to right: Russell Pino, Ray Mosier, Kevin Bailey, Don Meier, Alan Dalsing, David Martin, Mike Mosier and John Reed.

Seniors Russell Pino and Don Meier show their winning style.

Senior Harrier Mike Mosier urges Kevin Bailey on to the finish line.
The Senior Cross-Country Runners
or the Men with the Fast Feet

Don Meier—3rd in State meet.
Voted Bonner's Outstanding Cross-Country Runner for the year.

Mike Mosier—Ranks in the top twenty runners in the history of Cross-Country at Bonner. Took 13th place at the State meet.

Bill Meyer (no picture available)—Ran on the Junior Varsity team which took 2nd place at the EKL meet.

Russell Pino—Ranks in the top five runners in the history of Cross-Country at Bonner.

Ronnie Bates—Ran on the Junior Varsity team which took 2nd place at the EKL meet.

Alan Dalsing—Ranks in the top ten runners in the history of Cross-Country at Bonner. Took 10th place at the State meet.

Jeff Harrington—Ran on the Junior Varsity team which took 2nd place at the EKL meet.

Drs.: Mitts, May and Waggoner sponsor this page in honor of the Class of 1979.
They Did It in Record Time

Ray Mosier 7th (9:50)

Alan Dalsing 10th (9:54)

Russell Pino 13th (9:57)

Mike Mosier 22nd (10:13)

David Martin 40th (10:29)

John Reed 51st (10:53)

Not pictured Don Meier 4th (9:43)
Signs of a Winning Season
The State Championship Team

The Cross-Country team line up to be presented as the State Champions at an assembly.

Alan Dalsing presents the 1st place trophy to Mr. Stokesbury before the student body.

The State Championship team and their smiling coaches.
Bravettes End Season with 9-8 Record


JV Squad: Back row, left to right: Sandy Riemer, Pene Wall, Deidre McDonald, Judy Kuehn. Front row, left to right: Delores Anderson, Tillie Burns, Renee Thogmartin.

Freshman Squad: Back row, left to right: Clara Anderson, LaWanda Newton, Susan Schubert, Pattie O’Brien and Coach Mrs. G. French. Front row, left to right: Diane Steinbacher, Brenda Moser, Mary Stephan, Coleen Miller, Ronda McDowell.
and a Third Place Berth in EKL

Coach Pat Sears with her two All-EKL players—Ruth Wagner, left, and Sonya Vickers, right.

Coach Pat Sears stands above the players and watches their style.

Form, style and just plain strength shows in the game pictures. The girls' volleyball team polished their skills as the year went by and are now looking forward to the next year.
These Guys Don’t Get No Respect...?
The Sixteen Senior Members of the Gridiron Squad

Tom Ballard, Quarterback and Line Backer; Honorable Mention Quarterback, All-Conference; Team Leading Tackler.

Richard Pruitt, Offensive Guard and Tackle.

Dale Taylor, Half Back; Leading Rusher; Leading Scorer.

Mark Snavely, Offensive Guard and Defensive Tackle; All-Conference Offensive Guard; Honorable Mention All-State Offensive Guard.

Greg Gorman, Center and Line Backer; Honorable Mention Center, All-Conference; Honorable Mention All State.

Dale Berry, Full Back and Line Backer.

Mark Mosier, Offensive Guard and Defensive End; All Conference Defensive End; 2nd Team All-Metro Defensive End; Honorable Mention All-State Defensive End.

Dale Berry, Full Back and Line Backer.

Ernie Blanks, Defensive End.
Magnificent Massive, Mean, Macho Muscle

Tony Stephan, Wing Back and Defensive Back.

Danyale McDonald, Tight End and Defensive End.

Mike Woolworth, Tight End and Defensive End.

Nick Palmentere, Defensive Tackle and Offensive Tackle.


Randy Davis, Defensive End.

Nick Summers, Split End and Safety.

John Kobialka, Safety and Split End.
Bravettes Best Season Ever!

Behind new Head Coach Jim Conaway, and seven returning letterwomen, the girls’ basketball team posted 13-5 record. That constituted the most wins in one season. They had the highest finish ever in a sub-state tournament—placing second. They placed second in EKL and third in the DeSoto tournament.

Junior Cheryl Chambers (21) made all-EKL and was voted the team’s most valuable player. Carol McGraw, sophomore, and Gail Kirk, senior, shared the top-scorer honors for the season.

Coach Jim Conaway was selected as Coach of the Year by the Kansas City, Kansas and the Bonner Springs High School Pow Wow.
At the Top of the Totem Pole

This year only 3 seniors returned to lead the Bravettes. Despite their limited number, Mary Gale, Angie and Gail helped lead the team to their most successful seasons.

Seniors Mary Gale Bernardel and Angie Newton

Gail Kirk

Senior Basketball Braves

Senior Greg Gorman
Senior Alan Dalsing
Senior Mark Mosier

Senior Chris Ragan
Senior Danyale McDonald
Senior Mike Woolworth
Braves Lineup

Senior Jeff Harrington
Senior Bill Meyer
Senior Ron Bates

Our Hopes for the Future

Junior Varsity: Front row, left to right: Steve Sill, Mike Reed, John Young. Back row: Loren McDonald, Mark Newton, Darrell Luckett, Jim Martin, Tim Prichard, Scott Gorman, Coach Kevin Moore.

Sophomores: Front row, left to right: Mike Hall, Derick Bradley, Bryan Scott. Back row: Tom Klotz, Donald Clark, Danny Ballou, and Coach Scott Tichenor.


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8 Wins 4 Losses 0 Ties

Tournaments:
- Bonner Invitational Champions
- East Kansas League Third
- Regional Champions
- Sub-State Third
- State 10th Place

Congratulations to the Class of 1979 from Valley Feed and Supply Co.
The Senior Grapplers

Tom Ballard—Champion: Bonner Invitational, EKL, Regional, Sub-State; Runner-up to the State Champion in 1978.

Mark Snavely—2nd in EKL and Regional.

Nick Palmentere—4th in EKL and Regional.

Mike Mosier—Qualified for Regional.

Dale Taylor—4th in EKL, 3rd in Regional, 4th in Sub-State.
Wrestlers Who Don’t Rest

Featuring young powers at the lighter weights and senior, Tom Ballard at 138 pounds, Coach Dick Burns had another great year on the mats. His team placed tenth in the state, third in the district meet, first in the sub-state tournament and third in the EKL. The Braves also won their own invitational and finished with an 8-4 dual record. Burns will have eight lettermen back next year.
Wrestling Is. . . Training, Discipline, Dieting, Winning

Just her first year at the helm, Coach Jill Mullins directed the girls to their best season ever. Bonner placed second in the state, captured the regional championship and knocked Miege off the EKL throne. Her squad nearly rewrote every school record and claimed a team trophy in eight of their nine meets. And she did this while she hobbled on a leg cast herself.
The 440 relay team: Monique White, Carol McGraw, Diane Sanders, Phyllis Gray.

The 880 relay team: Monique White, Diane Sanders, Carol McCraw, and Viesta Suffren.

The mile relay team: Cheryl Chambers, Nina Kimbrough, Carol McGraw, and Viesta Suffren.

The mile relay team: Kim Manis, Carol McGraw, Kristi Cox, and Cheryl Chambers.

The 440 relay team: Viesta Suffren, Clara Phoenix, Diane Sanders, Carol McGraw.
The 440 relay team: Viesta Suffren, Cheryl Chambers, Monique White and Diane Sanders.

The 880 relay team: Diane Sanders, Angie Newton, Cheryl Chambers and Viesta Suffren.

Viesta Suffren shows her sprinting style as she crosses the finish line.

The 440 relay team: Monique White, Carol McGraw, Diane Sanders and Phyllis Gray.

Cheryl Chambers puts everything to work for herself in her long jump.
The 1978-79 Cindermen of Bonner High


Chris Foulk, Alan Dalsing, Russell Pino and Don Meier — the fastest men in Braveland.

Coach Joe Mintner holds the trophy his team won at the Bonner Invitational.
Russell Pino takes the baton from Alan Dalsing in a distance relay.

Ray Mosier, sophomore, placed second in the state in the mile run with a time of 4:21.95.

Don Meier shows his superior form in a distance relay.

Tom Ballard and Paul Bush made fine showings as javelin throwers.

Ray Mosier, Mike Mosier and Dan Ballou are mile runners.
Left: Mark Mosier shows his shot-put style. Above: John Kobialka, Mark Newton, Greg Gorman and Terry Fletcher—the mile relay team.

Above: Joe Muntner with Mark Mosier and Mark Snavely. Mosier was the shot-put man, and Snavely threw the discus. Left: Ray Mosier, the mile-two miler.

A two mile relay in pictures. Top: Alan Dalsing at the starting line and Don Meier as he receives the baton from Russell Pino.

The foursome on the left claimed the first team medals for Bonner in five years. They won a playoff to capture third place medals in the four-man division of the Garnett Invitational. Mark Hestand, right, was the only senior letterman on the golf team in 1979. Hestand led the 4-man team, also consisting of Tim Prichard, Steve Sill and Kyle Kirchner, to a second place finish in the EKL meet.

Golfers Claim Medals
Standing, left to right: Junior Tim Prichard, Junior Steve Martin. Kneeling: Kyle Kirchner, freshman, and Steve Sill, sophomore.

Senior golfer, Mark Hestand

Best Wishes to the Class of 1979 from Perkins Hardware.
The year goes by, and the Braves put forth their best effort in every area... sports... drama... music... classrooms... club activities... debate... forensics... and at the end of the year we find that we have reached some exciting goals.

There are trophies and statistics that say when the Braves are competing, they give it their best.
Citizen of the Year—Mark Lee

One of the most prestigious awards is the Citizenship Award. The criteria for the award includes the best in values and behavior. They include such measurements as respect for Flag, Constitution and National Anthem, as well as respect for fellow students, community, property and religious convictions of others. The award includes responsibility to build school pride and assume citizenship responsibilities. And, finally, a reverence and concern for life.

Mark Lee has demonstrated these traits in abundance. His devotion to his craft, sports writing, has been with great pride and has brought about a school pride. Coaches and athletes alike know that his writing is always fair to them and that he will write up any and every game with dignity and interest.

His hours of duty have been unbelievable, but it has always been with pride and humor. He never missed a game or a deadline, and he never came back from an interview with a coach or athlete without a new friend.
Kyla Stolfus, the 1979 senior class Valedictorian, not only had good grades, but was also very involved in many activities. These activities include: Student Council, Kayettes, Pep Club, Band, Pep Band, Pit Band, Stage Band, Acappella, Girls' Glee, Vocal Music Contest, Bonner Singers, School Plays, State Piano Contest, District Honor Band, District Honor Choir, and National Honor Society.

The senior class Salutatorian, Carol Stine, also was involved in many outside activities besides her schoolwork. Carol's activities included: Kayettes, Acappella, Vocal Music Contest, Volleyball, District Honor Choir, State Piano Contest, and Active member of National Business Honor Society.
The Scholars of Bonner High

Back row: Mark Lee, Greg Gorman, Tony Kirby, Mike Woolworth, Ron Bates, Russell Thogmartin, Jeff Harrington, Jeff Brown, Mike Mosier, Alan Dalsing.
The Solemn Ceremony of the Challenge of NHS

The Spirit of National Honor Society: Ardy's Kenyan, The Past, Larry Hardy, the Present, Vicki and Cathi Pavicich, the Future, Mr. Don Stokesbury, the school and Mrs Mary Ann Allen, the spirit of National Honor Society.

Sponsors and their students march to the auditorium for the ceremony.

Mrs. Angela Wind proudly sponsors her ace sports reporter, Mark Lee.

The solemn ceremony of the National Honor Society induction of seniors is one that is felt during the ceremony and never forgotten.
Kansas State High School Activities Association Citizenship Award

Mark Lee

Scholarships

K.U. Watkins - Berger Scholarship
Brenda Mesmer

Wyandotte County P.T.A. Scholarship
Sheila Stillman

BSKNEA Teacher's Association Scholarship
Kyla Stolfus

Commercial State Bank Scholarship
Russell Thogmartin

Mike Bell Journalism Achievement Scholarship
Mark Lee

Kansas City Community College Trustees Scholarship
Mike Mosier

Kansas University Larremore Music Scholarship
Jeff Brown

Kansas City Community College Academic Scholarship
Ron Bates
Monique White
Sheila Stillman

Rotary Scholarship
Russell Thogmartin

Kansas Board of Regents State Scholars
Ron Bates
Alan Dalsing
Pat Enloe
Lisa Heffley
Brenda Mesmer
Sheila Stillman

National Merit Commended Students
Lisa Heffley
Carla Kandt
Brenda Mesmer

National Merit Finalist & Presidential Scholar
Sheila Stillman

Kansas State University Outstanding Math & Science Award
Greg Gorman

John Philip Sousa Award
Frank Keller
Class of '79

Most Popular: Tom Brady and Janis Reynolds.

Most Talented: Barry Brandon and Lisa Heffley.

Most Likely to Succeed: Russell Thogmartin and Shiela Stillman.


Best Sense of Humor: Russell Pino, Phyllis Grey, and Betsy Hornick.
Senior Favorites

Best Dressed: Debbie Keating and Rick Delich.

Friendliest: Kim Stanley and Jeff Brown.

Best Looking: Jana Bevier, Alan Dalsing, and Robin Gravatt.

Most Spirited: Mark Snavely and Jeri Fletcher.

Most Athletic: Angie Newton and Greg Gorman.
Booster Club Honors Athlete with Fall Banquet

Below: Coach Pat Sears congratulates the volleyball team on their good season. Second down: Mr. Jim Conoway, assistant cross-country coach, tells the champion cross-country team that he was proud to be a part of their team. Third down: Coach Ken Atwell proudly tells the guests about the champion cross-country team and their records.

Coach Jo Mintner awaits his turn to present the football team as Mr. Ed Nealy, Athletic Director, opens the program at the Sports Banquet.

Twice a year the Booster Club sponsors a sports banquet to honor the high school athletes and their coaches. The community shows their appreciation of the efforts of the coaches and their pride in their teenagers' achievements by reserving this special evening for them.

Mark Lee, super sports reporter, in his most inquiring pose. The Booster Club surprised Bonner High's ace reporter by presenting him with an electric typewriter as a token of their appreciation for his four years of excellent reporting of the sports activities of the high school. Below: Mr. Conoway presents the certificates to the senior members of the cross-country team.

Best Wishes to the Class of 1979 from Interstate Federal Savings and Loan.
Many athletes, coaches and managers received honors, but Greg Gorman and Angie Newton claimed the top awards as Most Outstanding Athletes at the Spring Sports Banquet. A committee selected the athlete of the year winners based upon their participation, varsity letters and recognition in their athletic career at BSHS. They also said that the main purpose behind the award is to encourage athletes to participate in three sports every year.

Approximately 100 athletes and managers received honors in basketball, wrestling, track and golf. Cheerleaders, Pompon girls, sponsors, administrators and Bonner Booster Club members were also recognized for their contribution to BSHS' athletic program.

Some special awards and announcements were made at the banquet. The wrestling team honored their head coach, Dick Burns, with a wonderful wrestling trophy. After 17 years at the helm, Coach Burns is the Dean of all coaches at BSHS.

Ken Atwell, cross-country head coach and distance track coach, received a bright orange running suit from his senior team members.

In girls' track, freshman sensation Viesta Suffren was voted the most inspirational runner of the year by her teammates.
Mr. Max Brown, Drama director, hosted the Thespian Grammy Award night at the Washington Street Station. The award night ends an exceptional year in forensics, debate and theatre here at Bonner Springs High. Upper left: Best Actress, Lisa Heffley. Upper right: Best Actor, Darryl Corcoran. Lower left: Technical Award, Scott Hoch. Lower right: Best Supporting Actress, Erin Sheving. Middle: Best Supporting Actor, Lang Howell. A job well done.

All the winners are standing by their fearless leader, Max Brown. They honored him for his great leadership.
The Forensics, Debate and Theatre students have a busy year preparing their debate arguments, their forensics presentations and putting on their plays. They end the year with a night of fun, food and awards at the Washington Street Station — and the Bonner Springs version of the "Grammy" is anticipated.
Each class has its individuality. All classes have a member loyalty that goes from freshman year thru graduation. The class personality and pride is carried over into their participation in the classroom, in the clubs and organizations and in the extracurricular activities such as sports and cultural events.

No matter, each member of a class is proud of his membership in his class and proud to be a Brave.
Freshmen Take First Awkward Step

Lisa Adams
Jay Allbee
Steven Alonzo
Alan Anderson
Johnny Anderson

William Anderson
James Avant
Chris Ballenger
Diana Barlow
Carl Baysinger

Tamara Beeves
Frank Bell

Sheila Bell
Kay Bernard
Rosalyn Bernard
Janice Bizzell

William Blair
Kevin Blanks
Tammy Bliss
Rhonda Boddy

Regina Stillman—President
Becky Molder—Vice President
Colleen Miller—Secretary
Annette Holliday—Treasurer

Denise Boedeker
Charles Bradshaw

Mike Brady
Troy Brady
Frosh Learn the Brave Way

Blaine Brandon
Gail Brown
Jouvanet Brown
Michael Brown
Troy Brown

Richard Burns
Kristy Burton
Tina Carlyle
Cindy Carriger

Bethea Carroll
Kim Carver
Tammy Chappell
Chris Clark
Renee Clark

Darryl Corcoran
Tanya Cox
Anne Crisswell

Jamie Crosby
Jesse Davis
Valerie Dawkins

Harold Debus
David Delana
Dennis Delana

Maria Deleon
Buddy Dougherty
The New Kids on the Block

Karen Ford
Marion Fortman

Lawrence Gray
Marian Groves

Kristi Foster
Terry Fraker
Craig Geary
Onorio Gonzalez

Frank Dressler
Gayleene Duley
Lavonne Dunn
Scott Durham
Douglass Eagle
Sherri Edwards

Raymond Elmer
Charles Emery
Patricia Epton
Vicki Fish
Mark Fix
Derrick Fogle

Richard Gumm
Kenneth Guyer
Angela Hackney
Dale Hammontree
Max Hankins
John Hecke

Michael Hembree
Brenda Henley
Robert Herring
Barbara Hickmon
Eddie Hickmon
Randall Hixson
Freshmen Become Part of the Tribe

Stephen Madl
Wendall Mallory

Danny Maltsbarger
Rhonda Manning

Ronda McDowell
Sheri McGee
Cheryl Mason
Raymond McGowan
Tammy McCoy
Carol McCleary
Timothy McGraw
Barbara McCurdy
Michael Melton
Carl Mies
Coleen Miller

Julie Mitchener
Rebecca Molder
Deborah Moore
Lori Moore
Regina Moore
Brenda Moser
Carolyn Moss

Myra Newson
Lawanda Newton

Patricia O’Brien
Daniel O’Hare

Medea Parker
Dwayne Petty

Linda Phillips
Clara Phoenix

Regina Powers
Frank Ramirez

Kelley Ratliff
John Reed
Freshmen Show Their Brave Pride

William Rehm
Roy Robinette
Hank Robinson
Carrie Rodaway
Kim Romero
Serese Rutledge

Faustino Salazar
Eric Sawalich
Kelly Schellhorn
Bradley Schons
Kevin Schrader
Susan Schubert

Eddie Seaton
Jodell Shelton
Erin Shevling

Jeffrey Shuster
Danette Smith
Gregory Smith

Jeffrey Smith
Donald Sovrens

Karen Sovrens
Ann Sproules

Ronald Stanley
Dean Stanridge
Eager to Climb the Totem Pole

Brenda Stark
Daniel Stark
Diane Steinbacher
Mary Stephan
Todd Stephens
Regina Stillman

Lisa Stolfus
Tammy Stude

Chris Surritte
Tony Sweet

David Tavis
Dan Taylor
Shelly Taylor
Danny Thomas
Robyn Thomas
Michael Thompson

James Trager
Kelly Trager

Brenda Tucker
Sandra Turner

Paul Van Cleave
Curtis Venerable
Looking for a Place to Fit In

Dennis Vitt
Jolleen Vogan

Dennis Wagner
Rex Walker

Ledrue Wall
Oudy Wall

Gary Webber
Tom Weir

Jeffery Weller
Tommy White

Deborah Wilcox
Sandra Williams

Harold Wooten
Bradley Zumbrunn
Sophomores Giving It All They Have
Looking for the Action

Debra Carpenter
John Carson
Patty Carver
Jeanne Chambers

Above—The Sophomore float and their very own masterpiece. Below—Robbie Trotter stops off for a shot of well-water. Right—Janie Ochoa at Homecoming.

Beth Clark
Donald Clark
Keith Clark
Sarah Clark

Janet Cline
Jimmie Cochran
Evelyn Cole
John Colgan
Cynthia Cop
Kristi Cox

Nancy Burns
Janice Burris
Brett Burton
Terry Bush
Joel Butner
Sandy Camren
Learning to be Future Leaders

Stephan McMahan

Joann McNealy
Tammy Mead
Paul Meir

Ann Middleton
Victor Miller
Lynna Moore

Mary Morris
Raymond Mosier
Angelia Murphy
Eddie Myrick
Angela Newton

Lorenzo Nichols
Berl Noe
Janie Ochoa
Elizabeth Ontiveros
Donald Osburn

Charlotte Owens
Gail Owens
Gina Palmentere

Kevin Payne
Randall Payne
John Peterson
Robert Pitts
Anthony Porter
Sophomores Caught in the Middle

Jeff Porter
Terri Pruitt
Franklin Purinton
DaJuana Quillen

Leslie Ragan
William Reaves
Michal Reed
Bruce Reynolds
Sandra Riemer

Rocky Robinson
Wayne Roland
Thomas Rousseau
David Russell
Stephanie Saldana
Diane Sanders

Eloise Sanders
Jeron Sanders
Joe Saunders
Marcia Sawyer
Sandra Schrimsher
Twila Scott

Diana Shockey
Staci Shultz
Stephan Sill
David Sloan
Bill Small

Brenda Smith
Carmen Smith
Debbie Snyder
Mike Stark
Sophomore Spirit Lifts Them High

Evelyn Steinwachs
Robert Stewart
Jack Stimatze
Nikki Stine

Mark Thompson
Michael Thorn
Jeffrey Townsend
Robert Trotter
Keith Turner
Steve Turner

Rick Stine
Kecia Stolfus
Thomas Swafford
Scott Taggart
Renee Thogmartin

Jimmie Utter
Kevin Verdict
Daniel Vitt
Ruth Wagner
Kevin Walters
Scott Walters

James Warden
David Weller
Rennae Werle
Charles Whipple
Donald Whitaker

Matthew White
Jean Wisthoff
Sara Woltje
Mark Zaring

Donald Barton
Sheree Craig
Junior Smiles Brighten the School
Juniors—Coming Up Leaders!

Lanny Buck  
Cheryl Chambers  
Steve Conn  
Glenda Cook  
Susan Coon  
Melinda Cop

Tony Craig  
Mark Crittenden  
Amos Davis  
Carolyn Davis  
Randy Davis

Jaun Dodson  
Brenda Doolan  
Marita Dusil  
James Eickhoff

Scott Enloe  
George Espinoza  
Scott Eveland  
Freda Fein

Cindy Finley  
Terry Fletcher  
Ben Fogle  
Rodney Ford  
Billy Gardner

Kevin Geary  
Mark Glover  
Scott Gorman  
Mike Graham  
Melanie Gray  
Robert Gunnels
Reaching for the Top

Ronald Hernandez
Eva Hickmon
John Hoch
David Hohman
Glendia Holliday

Patti Holloway
Andy Holmes
Lisa Hornick
Lang Howell
Brent Huonker
Bob Jackson

Candie Jeffers
Janice Jennings
David Johnson
Ronnie Johnson
Sheila Keating
Annette Kelly

Larry Hardy
Steve Haufler
Tim Hawthorne
Sara Hedrick

Jeff Hane
Nancy Hane
Keith Hanks

Walter Hadley
Jimmy Hand

Teresa Gunnels
Mark Miller  
Cindy Molder  
Eric Mostar  
Stacy Mulich  
Mark Newton  
Melinda Newton

Regina Newton  
Lalie Ochoa  
Mary Pavicich  
Jeff Pembleton  
Ronald Peterson  
Patricia Poor

Timothy Prichard  
Joel Purtee  
Paul Ramirez  
David Rehm  
Steven Ritchie  
Brian Robertson

Margaret Robinson  
Paul Russell  
Archie Sanders  
Curtis Sawyer  
Arlen Schief  
Monty Schneck

Larry Schweizer  
Bruce Scott  
Tess Seaton  
Susan Shelving  
Ronna Shultzz

Roy Shumaker  
Mark Shuster  
Peggy Slote  
Gary Smith

Harold Smith  
Troy Smith  
Shawn Sorrell

They Have the Pride That Counts
Always Looking for New and Better Things

Mary Spencer
Timothy Sproules
Lisa Stanley
Charley Stark
Randall Stark
Jennifer Stean

Jeffrey Stephan
Alan Stolfus
Donald Stovall
Robin Styles
Lesa Surritte
Tom Swafford

Lory Swanson
Louis Thompson
Dallas Thorn
Vicki Trotter

Kenneth Vandelinde
Sonya Vickers
Alan Vitt
Vernon Walker

Pene Wall
Tina Wall
Wesley Wasson
Brent Weber
Wesley Wendt
Cassandra Whitaker

Lyne White
John Young
A Beginning, Not an End

Michelle Erlene Andrews
Pamela Ann Arensman
Fredrick Allen Baker
Thomas Patrick Ballard
Troy Andrew Bastion
George R. Bates, Jr.
Cheryl Lynn Beal
Terry D. Bell
Darren Jay Bennett
Tamera Sue Bennett
Elaine Catherine Benz
Mary Gale Bernardel
Vivienne Murphy
Rhonda K. Meyers
Angela Lannete Newton
Jeffrey K. Nickell
Nicholas J. Palmentere
Cindy Parr
William Russell Pino
Cheryl Ann Pitts
Richard Allen Pruitt
Christopher Charles Ragan
Maria De La Cruz Ramirez
Janet Lea Reitzel
You're Old Enough to . . . Dance the Night Away

The prom of 1978-1979 was a "Moonlight Serenade" held at the Holiday Inn. Music was provided by The Butch Silver Band. The prom proved to be a fun and entertaining evening with the music, the refreshments, and the atmosphere of friendship.

Best Wishes to the Class of 1979 from Bonner Florist.
Tammy Bennett and alumnus Glen Dowding seem to be a happy couple at the prom.

Richard Pruitt begins to wonder if Mary Gail is going to shy away from him the whole night.

Couples attending the dance rest for a moment to listen to what one of the band members had to say.

Russell Pino and Kathy Bennett take time out from their fun to pose for the camera.

Darren Bennett thinks his plans for the evening are pretty slick. His date, Susan Harvey, seems to agree with him.

Jana Bevier straightens Alan Dalsing’s boutonniere before they leave for the prom.
Mr. Stokesbury once again puts his two cents in!

Sha-Na-Na live on Bonner Stage.

Senior Banquet Becomes a New Tradition

Jeff Harrington reveals the truth about Miss Sheley’s trip to Paris!

Mark Mosier wonders what kind of fish that this would catch.

Justin reveals the true secret of super glue!

Mark Lee gets crowned Turnip King!

The Clothes Horse sponsors this page in honor of the Class of 1979.
A Fine Way to End a Fine Year

Mark Mosier goes for it!

Seniors pause for a rare thoughtful moment.

Vida Groves sings "Memories"

Singers sing their final farewell.
Baccalaureate Services—Invitation to Adulthood
The '79 class did a very outstanding job at Bonner High. The Yearbook class wishes them a great future.
The Moment We Anticipated. . .and We Were Sad

Carol Stine delivers the Valedictorian address.

Kyla Stolfus gives us the Salutatorian address.

Sheila Stillman gives the "Senior Gift" to Mr. Kenneth Tewell, Superintendent of Unified District #204.
Andrews, Michelle Erlene — O.E. Program 4
Arensman, Pamela Ann — Pep Club 1, 2, Kayettes 1.2.3.4, FHA 1, Herpetology Society 2, Girls’ Glee 1. Vocal Music Contest 1, Class Officers: Treas. 3.
Baker, Frederick Allen
Ballard, Thomas Patrick — Kayettes 3, B-Club 1.2.3.4. Wrestling 1.2.3.4, Football 1.2.3.4, Honor Banquet 1.2, Class Officers: V. Pres. 4, Sec. 3, Inn- jun Joe 1979
Bastion, Troy Andrew — Pow Wow Staff 3.4, Debate Club 1, 2.
Bates, George R. Jr. — Student Council 1.2.3.4. V.P. 3. Kayettes 1.2.3.4, Band 1.2.3.4, Pep Band 1.2.3.4, Pep Band 3, Music Contest 2, Class Officers: Pres. 1, Drum Major 2.3.4, X-Country 4, Honor Banquet 1.2.3, Kansas State Scholar 4, National Honor Society, Scholastic Honors Most Intelligent Boy.
Beal, Cheryl Lynn — Kayettes 4, Secretarial Training 4, Student Council 1, Pep Club 1, Volleyball 1, Track 1, (Washington High School) Active Member of National Business Honor Society 4, National Honor Society.
Bell, Terry Duane
Benjamin, Darren J. — French Club 1.2.3, Band 1.2.3.4, Pep Band 2.3.4, Pit Band 3, Music Contest 2.3.4, Piano Teachers, Treas. 3, Sec. 4.
Benn, Elaine Katherine — Pep Club 1, 2, Kayettes 1.2.3.4, Spanish Club 2, Vocal Music Contest 1, Girls’ Glee 1, Pit Tone Staff 3.4, Sophomore Cheerleader 2, Basketball Manager 3.
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As we, the Class of 1979, have graduated, we have left behind much more than just empty chairs. We have left all the smiles, jokes, and generally crazy things we have done which will linger in the minds of those who follow us. We have set the example for next year's seniors to follow, and although the effect of that example has not been felt yet, we hope that the example they produce for the Class of '81 to follow will be even better than ours. But most of all, we wish to all of you the success and heartbreak and the happiness and tears that our high school years gave us.

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