

Gryphon grappler Jerry Brabham wrestlers before a capacity crowd. (Photo by Gerlinger)

SPORTS SHORTS

By: Sara Jane, Joe, and Bill

Well, the basketball season is over, and we must say that it has been memorable. The Jayvees were simply fantastic, the girl's team was - well, interesting, and what more can be said about that super Varsity team? One of the main reasons for the success of the RMSH basketball program this year has got to be the great vocal support the fans have given to their team this year. Yes, the Gryphons are what it is, and the fan's mouths are certainly where it's at.

Did you recognize that famous nose at a recent Gryphon-Northern Nash basketball game? That distinctive appendage belonged to the face of none other than Dean Smith, head basketball coach of the University of North Carolina. Coach Smith and his assistant, Eddie Folger, were here to get a look at the fantastic Phil Ford, but came away impressed with the whole team as well. "The Gryphons have had a great year," commented Eddie Folger, "and every member of the team should be complimented.

Dean Smith, interviewed by one very excited Gryphon sports reporter, was very effusive in his praise of Coach Hicks, Phil Ford, and the whole team. "I'm very impressed with this team," offered Coach Smith. "They play a very good defense. They're a super team with great morale, and Coach Hicks has done a great job."

William Farmer, 1973 graduate of RMSH is student manager for the freshman basketball team at Carolina. That's a pretty big distinction. RMSH grads seem to make it big anywhere they go.

One day at basketball practice, John Fish came wheeling through the doors of the gym on his bike. He rode down the side of the gym, and when he got to the dressing room, someone opened the door for him. John just cruised right in. took a second look at him Weird.

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Sports Crossword Puzzle

Out of nothing better to do, Joe Reeves, Bill Matthews, and Sara Jane Collier, co-editors of the sport's department, designed this intricate puzzle for all you sports fans out there to blow your minds on. There will be no prizes offered. So grab a pencil (or better yet, grab an athlete who would know the answers) and have fun.

ACROSS

1. Fantastic coach of girl's tennis, basketball, and track teams.

4. The next Jim Ryun - RM-SH's star miler Toler

5. Linebacker ---McDiarmid

6. Head coach of Gryphon Grapplers (2 words)

8. Lady Gryph's backcourt magician Bradley

10. RMSH's All-American 12. "Slow-motion" wrestler, -

-Dawes 16. RMSH's girl's basketball star, - Armstrong

18. The league Bobby Orr plays in

The "Mouth" of ABC's Monday night Football 22. Gryphon All-State Tackle

Watching Gryphon basketball is -Nickname for Lady Gryph's Thelma Battle

28. Gryphon football coach 30. Carlton

"Lank" of the Varsity Basketball Team 34. Louis Lucas' sport

36. What one plays hockey on 38. Basketball sophomore. sensation Charles

40. Head of all Gryphon athletics

DOWN

1. This Gryphon cager can really sky

2. Howard Cosell's sidekick

3. Mark Spitz is all -4. Coach of John Lucas

-" Jones

7. The Gryphons turn us -

9. The "Dean" of UNC basketball 13. His curve carried RMSH to

the State Baseball Championship in '73. 18. The "Juice" of the Buffalo

17. The Wizard of Westwood 21. Minnesota's defensive star

23. The Wilson -

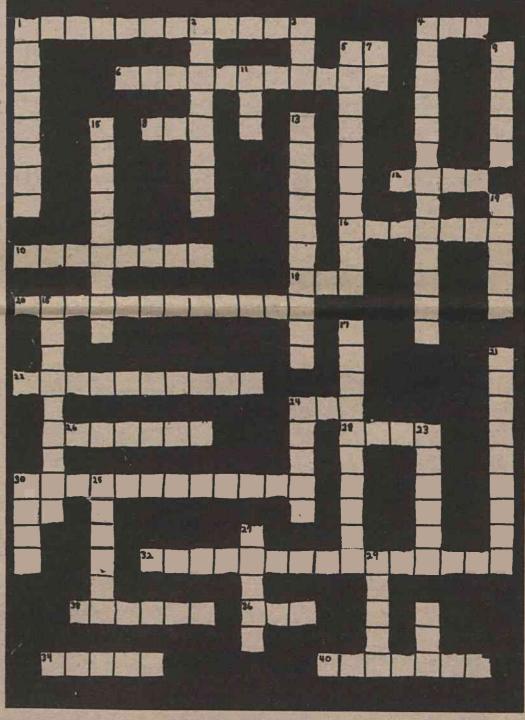
24. Gryphon's manager

25. RMSH's star trainer 27. Gryphon's play-by-play

announcer

30. The U.C.L.A. Bruins success depends on his

31. Number 22 of the "Thundering Herd.



TWIRP DANCE SCHEDULED

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guest band for the night is the Armageddon. Only students from Senior High School are permitted to attend this

social. Identification cards will be issued for this event.

The week prior to this dance is declared Twirp Week. Many fun-filled activities are being planned for each day. The uniqueness of this dance is that the girls are responsible for asking the

boys to escort them to the dance. So -- come on girls, choose your man, and get him before someone else can!

Where there is little concern in the head, there is little beauty in the heart.

If we meet and you forget me, you have lost nothing; but if you meet JESUS CHRIST and forget Him you have lost everything.



