

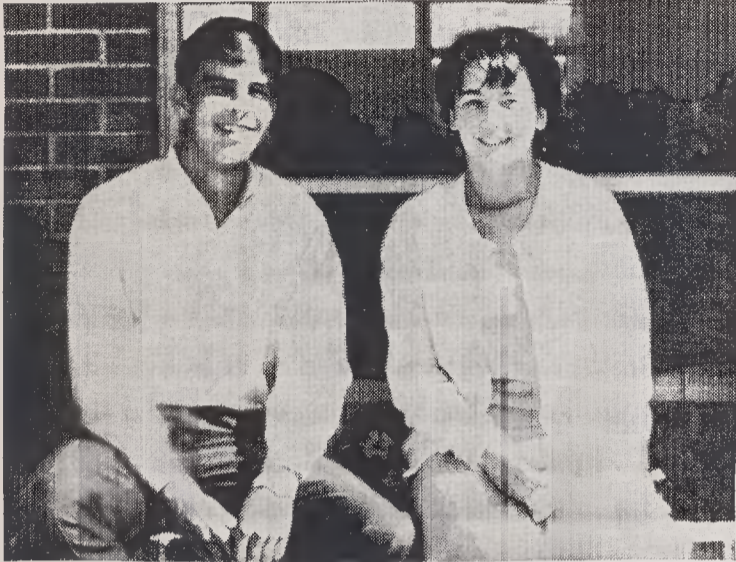
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## L.S.H.S. HOLDS COLLEGE NIGHT



### LSHS WELCOMES TWO FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENTS

This year LSHS is fortunate in having two foreign exchange students; Martha Occhi, from Argentina, and Truls Disen Bastiansen, from Norway.

Martha is living with the Fred Calhoun family on Weaver Drive. When asked about her first impressions of Lexington Senior High School, she replied:

"I like the friendly relationship between teachers and students. Students here have more liberty to study and to work than we have, and I think this liberty develops a sense of responsibility in them. You have to choose your subjects, but to do this selection properly, you have to know what you want to be in life. This is a hard thing perhaps for the freshmen because they do not care about what they want to be in the future; however, for one thing, they have to think about it, and this is important."

"Of course, I do not like pop tests, and I think that this feeling is universal. I have been at Lexington Senior High only a month, but I began to love it since the first pep rally, as I found myself shouting and screaming at the football game in a Spanish-English, and not even I know what I said."

Truls, a very versatile boy, is staying with the Banks Hankins family on Country Club Drive. Here is his first impressions of Lexington Senior High School and our town:

"I like Lexington, and I hope this will be a good year. The people are so nice and kind over here. My first impression of the youth here in Lexington was elephant-jokes and boys talking only about girls."

### HOMECOMING A BIG SUCCESS

The Homecoming game was with High Point on October 4. Clubs and homerooms were encouraged to enter floats in the big parade which was held Friday, October 4. Prizes for the floats were as follows: First Prize — \$20.00, Second Prize—\$10.00, Third Prize—\$7.50, and Fourth Prize—15 passes to the Carolina Theatre. Many clubs and local businesses contributed to the long list of prizes given to the winners. The following are donors: Junior Civitan Club, Athletic Association, Lexhipep, Literary Club, Monogram Club, Office Assistants Club, Carolina Theatre, and Lexington Drive-In. Classes were dismissed at noon to provide time for preparing for the parade.

On Thursday night a pep rally was held. On Friday students reported to the gym for another pep rally and the crowning of the 1963 Homecoming Queen. School spirit was high, and the participation of LSHS students was rewarding. The football game was at 8:00 p. m., and

### Senior Superlatives Announced

The following seniors were elected as senior superlatives: Most Popular, Kathy Brown and Doug Pritchard; Most Versatile, Lou Raker and Johnny Clark; Best Looking, Sydney Young and Tad Meade; Cutest, Prissy Cecil and Larry Evans; Best Personality, Susan Moore and Thompson Miller; Best Dressed, Libby Leonard and Johnny Shoaf; Wittiest, Libby Smith and Alan Palisoul; Most Dependable, Larry Young and Durante Griffin; Most Sincere, Jane Leonard and Wayne Berrier; Friendliest, Jo Philpott and Bob Philpott; Most Athletic, Bebs Mann and Harvey Fulbright; Most Talented, Ruth Davis and Stephen Shaffer; Most Likely to Succeed, Tennie Sink and Hugh Bingham and Most Intellectual, Connie Beck and Robert Botsch.

Open House was held at the YMCA afterwards.

A two-page pictorial of all the events which make up Homecoming can be found on the inside of the paper on pages four and five.

### SCHOOL HOLIDAY ON OCTOBER 11

On Friday, October 11, school will be closed for the faculty to attend the Central North Carolina Education Association assembly at North Rowan High School. Even though classes will not meet on that day, students will note that the regular football season will be followed. October 11 will be the last school holiday before Thanksgiving.

### LEXHIPEP HOLDS ASSEMBLY

On Wednesday, September 25, 1963, the LEXHIPEP staff gave an assembly to launch their subscription drive. It was a "do-it-yourself" assembly illustrating different parts or pages of the paper. Every member of the staff made his debut in order to help the student body realize how much information the LEXHIPEP reveals.

Carolyn Beck presented the devotions which followed the theme of freedom of speech and freedom of the press. Elaine Yates, editor, then spoke on the importance that the LEXHIPEP has in school affairs. After the functions of the paper were given, members of the staff presented comical skits, with the purpose in mind of enabling LSHS students to better understand the various sections of which the LEXHIPEP is composed. In conclusion, Anne Bingham, assembly editor and hostess for the assembly, urged each student to subscribe to the LEXHIPEP. The LEXHIPEP editor, Elaine Yates, reports that the subscription returns are larger than ever before, proving the assembly a success.

### Pep Club Holds First Assembly Of The School Year

Our first assembly of the 1963-1964 school year came the Wednesday after the glorious tie with Reynolds. The Pep Club presented the program, which began their drive for membership with speeches by Coach Mull and Co-Captain Hugh Bingham. In the assembly, members of the Pep Club showed how the organization affects the relationship between the football team and school spirit. Coach Callcut, sponsor of the Pep Club, and Pam Grandolfi, President, asked for the support of the Student body. The Pep Club should consist of every student enrolled in this school. Each person should back our team by joining the Pep Club and participating in all school activities.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- October 4—High Point — here Homecoming
- October 9, 10, 15—Pictures for Lexicon
- October 10—College Night
- October 11—Holiday — N.C.E.A. Meeting
- October 11—Asheboro—here
- October 17—Grimsly—there
- October 25—Burlington—there
- November 1—Page—here
- November 7—Gray—there
- November 11 — Armistice Day Parade—4:00 P. M.



### SENIORS HOLD INITIAL CLASS MEETING

On September 10, the Senior Class of '63-64 held its first official class meeting. The purpose of the meeting was to elect class officers. Mr. Wike announced that the Class of '64 is the largest in the history of Lexington Senior High School, having 220 members. Nominations and elections for class officers were then conducted, and the following were elected: Thompson Miller, President; Hugh Bingham, Vice-President; John Clark, Secretary; and Teenie Sink, Treasurer. With President Miller presiding, the class then voted for two of its beauty queens. Kathy Brown was chosen to represent LSHS in the "Miss Davidson County Contest" at the Davidson County Fair. For its Carrousel Princess in the Charlotte pageant, the members of the senior class elected Sydney Young. After this business had been completed, the meeting was adjourned.

### TONIGHT IS COLLEGE NIGHT

This year College Night will be held on October 10, from 7 to 9 P. M. There will be three twenty-minute periods and a free period during which one may visit other college representatives. Junior and senior students, along with their parents, are urged to attend.

The purpose of College Night is to acquaint Lexington and Davidson County students with schools of nursing, technical schools, business schools, armed forces, and colleges. Representatives from each school or college will advise the student and discuss the following: admission requirements, tuition, courses of study, and purposes of the college.

College Night is an annual project of the LSHS Student Council. It is designed for the students and is considered a necessary event of the school year. Everyone is urged to take advantage of this opportunity to prepare themselves for the future. Thirty-five representatives are attending our College Night to guide us in choosing the right destination.

The following schools and colleges will be present:

Appalachian, Atlantic Christian, Brevard, Campbell, Catawba, Charlotte, Chowan, Coker, Converse, Davidson, Duke, East Carolina, Elon, Gardner-Webb.

Greensboro, Guilford, High Point, Lees-McRae, Lenoir-Rhyne, Louisburg, Mars Hill, Meredith, Methodist, Mitchell, Montreat-Anderson, N. C. State, Oak Ridge, Peace.

Pfeiffer, St. Andrews, Stratford, Salem, UNC—Chapel Hill, UNC—Greensboro, Virginia Intermont, Wake Forest, Western Carolina, Wingate, Gaston Tech, Davidson County Industrial Center.

#### Schools of Nursing

Cabarrus, Charlotte Memorial, City Memorial, Grace Hospital, High Point Memorial, Martin Memorial, N. C. Baptist, Presbyterian, Rowan Memorial.

#### Schools of Business

Ashmore, Draughon, King's, Lexington.

#### The Armed Forces

Army, Air Force, Marines, Navy.

### LSHS STATISTICS

Total enrollment	1143
Number of students in each grade:	
Ninth	310
Tenth	293
Eleventh	317
Twelfth	223
Number of teachers	45
Number of teachers coaching sports	8
Number of sports	7
Number of subjects offered	48