

Semester Exams To Begin Monday

Officers Discuss Senior Projects

On January 8, 1952, the Senior Class officers and Senior Class presidents held an hour session which began at 3:30 p.m. Methods of raising money for the Senior Class was the main topic of discussion.

After DeArmon Hunter, the president of the Senior class, called the meeting to order, he gave a report of the money that the seniors now have in their treasury. The amount comes to about \$212. Some of the projects suggested to make money were selling school class pins, selling stationery, and pencils with football and basketball schedules on them.

The first method of selling school class pins was voted to be the best fund-raising method.

Publicity and poster committees were chosen. Grey Egerton volunteered as chairman of the publicity committee. Doris Phillips and Jim Betts were chosen as his assistants. Bobby Gladwell was chosen to make the posters for advertisements.

After much discussion the meeting adjourned.

Ten of the eleven senior homes were represented at the meeting.

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New Courses in Offing; Curricula To Be Taught In Spring Semester

Several new courses will be added to Greensboro Senior High's curricula at the beginning of the second semester. Classes will be offered in the English and science departments.

Basic math is a new course being offered next semester for sophomores who have failed their tenth grade math. This course will give them more background to begin their sophomore math again.

Geography which will be taught by Miss Blackmon is a new course open to seniors. As most seniors have enough credits to graduate, only people who are interested in world geography will be taking this course.

Sociology will be offered to any sophomores who have begun a subject and have had to drop it for some reason. This course will enable sophomores to make up a credit that they have lost. This course will be taught by Mr. Long and Mr. Glenn.

Shakespeare will be offered to seniors next semester and will be taught during the first period by Miss Mims.

Physical Science will be offered to sophomores mainly who have failed biology. It will be a general course in science and will be taught by Mr. Luttrell.

Another science course is nature study offered to seniors. This course involves field trips and will be taught by Mrs. Blackburn.

Registration Schedule Is Given to Students

Registration for the second semester begins at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, January 24. Honor Roll students are supposed to occupy this time for their registration. All people who have made the honor roll either of the six weeks or both are classified as honor roll students. Therefore, all of these persons are eligible to register on the twenty-fourth.

Seniors are due for registration of their classes at 8:45 a.m., Friday, January 25. Juniors' registration time is ten o'clock on the twenty-fifth. At 1 p.m. on the same day, sophomores will register.

Absentees or tardies on either Thursday or Friday are supposed to register on Saturday, January 26.

Future Teachers Club Organized at G. H. S.

On January 5, 1952, a Future Teachers of America club was organized here at Senior High school. This club is made up of students at GHS that are planning to teach school. As the paper goes to press, they have not yet named the club, although it probably will be named after some famous educator.

On Tuesday, January 8, they met to elect officers for the club. Shay Harris was voted President, Valerie Yow was voted Vice-President, and Christine Hill was chosen as Secretary-Treasurer.

The members of the club are as follows: Pat Coble, Beverly Campbell, Janet Davis, Janet Frederick, Christine Hill, Shay Harris, Mimi Horney, Mary C. Kirkman, Lane McGregor, Sylvia Mayer, Mary Jane Moring, Mary Alice Mitchell, Kenan Neese, Eleanor Patterson, Carol Stroud, Joyce Strother, Martha Stokes, Bobbie Stubblefield, Sandra Summers, Shirley Taylor, Patty Vaughan, Valerie Yow, and Anne Wrenn.

Many Students Apply For Drivers Course

At Senior High, one of the most popular extra-curricular courses is the driving class. This course is offered to those students 16 years of age or older, but due to its popularity, there are usually more applicants than can be handled. Therefore the Seniors are given preference. The class consists of six weeks of instruction and practice driving and at the end of this time the students are able to apply for their license. The course is taken during the students study hall, before school, or after school.

The driving course for the third six weeks began January 7. In the class from 8 to 9 o'clock are Billie Bell, Beverly Campbell, Martha Pierce and Beverly Shoff; from 9 to 10 o'clock, Pat Andehson, Gloria Hayes, Delores Maness and Naomi Wade; from 10 to 11 o'clock, Nan Ahalt, Norma Jean Barbee, Marjorie Edwards and Peggy Gibbs; from 11 to 12 o'clock, Jonny Kirkman, Frank Hall, Phillip Robbins, and Richard Taylor; from 1:30 to 2:30, Duncan Mitchell, Albert Ingram, Donald Mitchell, and Richard Smith; from 2:30 to 3:30, Mary Jane Lassiter, Betty Talley, Patricia Stevens, and Nancy Herndon; from 3:30 to 4:30, Dorothy Brisson, Martha Jordan, Frances Jenkins, and Jane Zager.

Several local firms and organizations have made it possible for Senior High school to have this course. The Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsors the course and furnishes the Ford car in which the students receive instruction and do their practice driving. The Kiwanis Club of Greensboro donated the scientific equipment which is used to check the vision, perception, and reaction of the students to determine whether or not they will be good drivers. The Insurance Exchange provides the insurance on the car. Mr. Dixon, a member of the Greensboro police department is the instructor.

BULLETIN

The Senior High School Library will be closed for inventory January 19-27. All books should have been returned by January 19. A fine of twenty-five cents per day will be charged for all overdue books. It is necessary that all books be in their proper positions on the shelf for a complete and correct inventory. This regular semester task is carried out by the librarian and her assistants. The library will re-open on January 28.



Members of the yearbook staff are shown making last-minute preparations for the Whirligig which will come out in May. Staff members are engaged in writing captions, making the dummy, and writing corresponding material for the class pictures. Miss Virginia Powell, faculty adviser, is shown with Nancy Beeson, Carole Stroud, and Tommy Pearce as they check off final items before the February 1 deadline.

Yearbook Publication Is Set for Sometime in May

The student body will see the finished product of the Whirligig staff's hard work in May near the date set for Class Day. At the present time, the staff members are busy with final preparations for the annual.

Betty Jane Davis, editor, assisted by Nancy Beeson, is supervising the work of preparing a "Dummy," or a layout for the engraver's convenience indicating the exact positions of all pictures, corresponding information, captions, and advertisements. A Chicago engraving concern, Jahn and Ollier Engravers, has set February 1 as the deadline for this "dummy" preparation. For this work proofs of all pictures are used.

Captions for pictures and all copy is being written by copy writers, Barbara Beavers, Carol Stroud, Shay Harris, Janet Brooks, and Janet Davis. Mose Kiser, business manager, is assisted by Dottie Dil-

lard. All sports features are handled by Tommy Fesperman. Dave Wright, art editor, has completed his duties in that capacity.

Preparations are made by the staff during the Christmas holidays until December 21 and were continued on December 28 through December 31. In addition to the make-up of the Whirligig, members of the staff must make all collections from advertisers before the books are bought.

The cover design for the 1951-52 yearbook has been made by an artist connected with the Lassiter Press of Charlotte.

Total cost of the annual will be between nine and ten thousand dollars, an average of \$9 per book. The student fee of \$4.50 will be supplemented by advertisers and fund-raising projects of the staff. Money for pages in the annual devoted to various school departments also will be added to the funds. Profits of Christmas candle sales will aid in paying the bills.

When the last details of their work is completed, the Whirligig staff is planning to visit the Charlotte printing concern.

Whirligig Staff Sells 104 Additional Copies

The Whirligig staff has just recently held a re-sale of the school yearbook, Whirligig. The net sales of this last drive amounted to 104 books, Wednesday, January 16, making the grand total sold thus far 985 books.

The Senior Class is currently leading in the number of books purchased with a total of 296. The enrollment of the Senior Class up to Friday, January 11, was 364. Coming in a close second is the Sophomore Class with a total of 275 books purchased. The current enrollment of the Sophomore Class is 376 students, making it the largest class in school. The poor Juniors are a mediocre third place with a total of only 250 books sold to a class numbering 389.

The teachers have bought 48 of the annuals. The alumni are responsible for the purchase of 12 of the publications. The drive was carried on by 40 student salesmen who canvassed the homerooms. The drive was only 14 sales short of its 1,000 goal Wednesday, January 16.

Students May Exempt Certain Examinations

Examinations schedules for the fall semester of the 1951-52 school year have been posted in each class room of Senior High school. All examinations will be completed during the school week of January 21 through January 24.

Sixth Period Exams

On Monday, January 21, sixth period class examinations will begin at 1:45 p.m. and run through 3:15 p.m. The regular morning schedule will be followed through fourth period on that day.

Tuesday, January 22, from 8:45 a.m. until 10:15 a.m. is the date for the first period examinations. Beginning at 10:30 a.m. examinations for 11 second period classes will be taken until 12 noon.

Students having scheduled third period exams will report to their appointed classrooms at 8:45 on Wednesday, January 23. The classes will be dismissed at 10:15 a.m. The fourth or fifth period examinations will be given on Wednesday, from 10:30 a.m. until 12 noon.

Final Exam Thursday

On the final day of the examination schedule, students having seventh period classes will take their tests from 8:45 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. on Thursday, January 24.

Silver and gold star wearers, because of their superior grades, are eligible for exemption from one or two examinations on the schedule. Exemption blanks were distributed last week to all capable students. These reports were used to notify teachers of candidates of exemption.

Students having study halls are permitted to take a holiday and not report to school on days scheduled for examination during their particular periods.

Exemptions Listed

Exemptions from examinations cover almost all fields: French, Spanish, Latin, English, Math, History, Chemistry, Physics, and the Commercial subjects.

Four Seniors who are gold star wearers and take five majors are exempted on two subjects. They are Beverly Hall, Steve Leonard, DeArmon Hunter, and Ronnie Stanley.

The Seniors who wear gold stars and have four majors exempting one subject are Emily Sowerby, Margie Goldman, Shelia Harris, Christine Hill, Carolyn Welch, Norma Venev, David Wright, Mary Lee Wells, Valerie Yow, Bobby Clark, John Butt, Doris Joseph, Janet Davis, Franklin Davis, Bobbie Stubblefield, Carole Stroud, and Doris Thompson.

The Senior silver star wearers taking four majors also may exempt one exam. They are Greta Helms, Sara Ann Hickerson, Shirley Henshaw, Barbara Beavers, Rose Waynick, Mary Wiseman, Janet Brooks, Larry Bumgarner, Patsy Eanes, Elbert Parrish, Billy Talley, Carolyn Smith, Joanne Smith, and Nancy Stafford.

Juniors and Sophs Exempt

The Junior silver star wearers entitled to one exam exemption are David Hunzman, Joan Hester, Anne Hunter, Hugh Geringer, Pat Greeg, Dorothy Hart, Gardner Foley, Mary Ruth Mitchell, Martha Moore, Sara Walters, Kate Wharton, Jeanette Oliver, Notra Pegram, Virginia Redhead, Patsy Eways, Barbara Farley, Delaine Turner, John Sauvojoit, Martha Jordan, Joyce Lee, Mary Crutchfield, and James Armstrong.

Altogether there were thirty-six seniors who had exemptions and twenty-two juniors.

The math department headed the list with twenty-two exemptions, while the English department came second with nine.