



SENIORS PRESENT CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

Orchestra Delegation Of All-State Members Bound For Greenville

On January 26, a delegation 35 strong of Senior's orchestra will travel to Greenville, North Carolina, to participate in the 1956 All-State High School Orchestra.

The assemblage will be held at East Carolina College, whose Music Department dean, Dr. Kenneth H. Cuthbert, is to be the clinic host. The guest conductor for the 125-piece orchestra will be Professor Nathan Gothschack of Oberlin College. He is now on a fellowship at Boston University and has formerly been the assistant conductor of the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra.

Featured activities for the January 26-29 week-end include two concerts, television and radio appearances, a dance, a banquet, and other entertainment. As a special attraction, the Griller String Quartet from the University of California will perform.

Representing Senior on the first violins will be Julia Adams, Laura Adams, Henry Flynt, Lynn Rankin, Janet Snider, and Martha Yates. Playing second violins will be Anne Cole, Susan DeVeny, Betty Harrell, and Janice Thompson.

Marcia Felt, Kay Kinsey, Louise Matthews, Jan Phillips, Judie Phillips, Sylvia Sox, and Joan Weinstein will play violas while Linda Cashwell, Joyce Jones, Phala Jones, Katherine Leonard, Susan Levine, Caroline Sikes, and Helen White will play cellos.

Angela Butt and Sandra Rogers will be on basses, and Doris Guill will play flute. On oboe will be Rufus Russell and on clarinets, John Gardner and Mary Lou Wall.

Dan McConnell will play the bassoon. Shelly Morganstern, the French horn; Bill Kellam the tuba; and Ann Rountree and Bob Wilkinson, the percussions.

There are two alternates from Greensboro. They are Carol Stout on the bass and Ronda Dandliker on the flute.



Of Men and Angels. Peace — Good Will — The Ideal that cannot be destroyed.

'Of Men And Angels' Theme For Pageant Directed By Hundley

"Of Men and Angels," the traditional Christmas pageant produced annually by the Senior Class, was presented to the entire student body this morning during the first period.

Written by Miss Louise Smith, senior English instructor, the one-hour presentation emphasized the religious aspect of the Christmas season. The combined tableaux and action scenes were staged and directed by Mrs. Martha Hundley, Miss Julia Brown, and Dick Robinson, student chairman. These were assisted by Mrs. Mary Madlin, senior class adviser.

Music provided by the combined chorus and by selected members of the Senior High School orchestra under the direction of Miss Eula Tuttle and J. Kimball Harman respectively, predominated throughout the program.

Narrators Eve Purdom and Shirley Smith introduced the first scene after a prelude "Adeste Fidelis," by the combined choir and glee clubs. The ancient Biblical prophesies of Moses, Isaiah, and Daniel foretold the coming of the "Prince of Peace." Edmund Schenck, Louis Glascock, and Chic Forbes portrayed the prophets in the first tableaux.

The three annunciations were pictured in the next scenes. Zacharias, John Gardiner, was confronted by the angel Gabriel, Caroline Sikes, in the Jewish temple. Mary, Janie Walters, was next visited by the angel Gabriel last appeared to Joseph, Jim Martin.

The arrival of the three wise men portrayed by Der Hong Hanson, Alton Brewer, and Tim Goodman, in the court of Herod was pictured in the third scene. James King, as Herod, presided over the court scene where the wise men's mission was revealed.

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Youth Council Open House Conducted After Ball Game

With the help of the Recreation Department and the Parent Teachers' Association the Senior High Youth Council was able to conduct an Open-House, the first of the basketball season, last Friday night, December 9, in the girls' gym. A combination of musicians, supplied by Charlie Morrison, leader of the Washington Street All-Stars, appeared to play music for the dancing and listening pleasure of the open-house group.

"The Youth Council will strive to have Open-houses every Friday night after the home basketball games. Open-houses are planned for the entertainment and recreation of the students, and they will continue only as long as the students conduct themselves in a manner becoming young adults." Gail Kirkman, vice-president of the Youth Council and Chairman in charge of post-basketball game open-houses, also states, "Students must learn to obey and observe the rules set down by the PTA, Recreation Department, and the Youth Council." The open-house rules are as follows:

1. Senior High Students must have an identification card along with an admission ticket—there will be no exceptions.
2. Students may have as a date someone who is not a member of the student body, provided the conduct of the guest is guaranteed by the student and the guest signs the guest book.

3. Anyone thought to be consuming alcoholic beverages will not be admitted.
4. Positively no smoking in the building.
5. The right to refuse admission upon refund of money is reserved.

Identification Cards which have been lost may be replaced by contacting Bill Hanna president of the Youth Council, or a member of the Council.

Tickets for the open-houses, which are chaperoned by members of the PTA.

Danford Wins Prize For Best Choir Act

Jerry Danford, senior choir member, was chosen by several judges as giving the best performance at the Choir-Orchestra Show Thursday, December 1.

As a prize for his pantomime of "The Yaller Rose of Texas," Jerry received a silver bon-bon dish which he will have engraved with the date and occasion.

Jerry states that this has not incited him to a future on Broadway, but that he will continue to pursue a profession in medicine. The award was based on the compiled opinions of several people who viewed the show.

Basketball, Wrestling Explained To Students In Special Assembly

Members of the wrestling and basketball teams, directed by their respective coaches, presented the assembly program, Wednesday, December 7, in the school gymnasium.

The purpose of this assembly was to familiarize the students with the fundamentals of the two school sports.

Demonstrating wrestling techniques were Kent Carter, Jackie Jones, and Larry Rogers. Also on the wrestling team were Edward Meade, David Levy, Lewis Gunter, Benny McKee, Roger English, Dwight Witty, Bill Ward, Bobby Brown, Charles Whedbee, and Bert Wilder. Coach Glenn supervised the wrestling.

Bill White, from the city recreation department, explained basketball fundamentals. On the basketball team were Fred Hitchcock, Doug Orr, Brad Anderson, Bill Hanna, Doug Albright, Larry Gill, James Spence, Harry Smith, Paul Dyson, Owen Johnson, Wilson Carruthers, and Mike Haley. Coach Manzi acted as referee for the basketball game.

Before the sports demonstrations, Judie Bittinger gave her devotional. Houston Groome, student body president, announced plans for the Christmas bulletin board contest, which was judged December 14.

Special Honor Roll Pupils Announced For Six Weeks

As the second six weeks of school have come and gone, 68 students made the special honor roll. The Senior home rooms and students are room 6, Lisa Anderson, Linda Barham, Reggie Bell and Jean Battle; room 201B, David Beschere, Leon Boggs and Angela Butt; room 201A, Shelba Creed; room 2, John Gardiner and Emma Garvin, room 11, Diana Harmon, Howard Hinshaw and Hilda Holt; room 24, Ruby Hough, Barbara Jessup and Jerry Kersey; room 25, Kay Kuykendall, Katherine Leonard and Louise McGee;

room 21, Betsy McKeel and Beverly Mitchell; room 311, Eve Purdom and Dick Robinson; room 304, Diane Schwartz; and room 203B, Sue Spence, Toby Stanley and Beth Stout.

The junior home rooms and students who made special honor roll are room 102, Elizabeth Antrim; room 202, Larry Brown and Ann Butler; room 106, James Ebert and Alec Decker; room 307 Stratton-Eldridge, Henry Flynt, Gilbert Frank and Libby Garvin; room 204, Elwood Hartman; room 4, Tom Hudgins; room 13, Jack Jessup and Mary Katsika; room 303, Jane Lynch, Ruth McCulloch and Jane McLennan; room 301, Gary Massel; room 1, Jean Ogburn and Maranell Pearsall; room 306, Margie Rose; room 3, James Spence; and room 103, Kitty Waggoner and Kay Weston.

The sophomore home rooms and students who made special honor roll are room 8, Julia Adams, Mary Lee Adams, Helen Allen and Brenda Alvis; room 10, Judy Hartsook and Sarah Heath; room 20, Carol Hinshaw; room 301, Joanne Horne and Myressa Hughes; room 206, Peggy Martin and Jean Medearis; room 27, Laura Pearce, Barbara Phillips, and Jean Phillips; room 308, Peggy Sink; room 23, Carol Weitzel; and room 16, Wallace Williams and Camille Wimberly.

Science Club Hears Hi Fi Demonstration

Riley Brown and Rufus Russell presented a demonstration on high fidelity at the second meeting of the Science Club, Tuesday, December 13.

The boys began the demonstration by giving a general explanation of the technical terms, also giving the members a definition of high fidelity. They then assembled a Hi Fi system for the group, after which they played old records on the set. Following this, high fidelity records were played to show the contrast between the old records and new ones.