

# HIGH LIFE

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## Gary Clemmons Wins Miss Triad Classic

Gary Clemmons, a senior at Grimsley was recently crowned Miss Triad Classic. She was crowned at a banquet given by the Greensboro Jaycees who are the sponsors of the second annual Triad Basketball Classic for the past two years.

Miss Clemmons was elected from among twelve other contestants by committees headed by Wayne Duncan and Larry Graham. She will serve as a hostess for the invitational Triad Basketball Classic. The Classic includes the following college teams, A&T Guilford College, UNC at Asheville, Winston Salem State. Also the Classic includes four high school teams which include Grimsley, Page, E.C. Glass, Lynchburg, Virginia, and Winston Salem Reynolds. The tournament was held at the Grimsley gymnasium December 3-6. Host teams were Guilford and Grimsley.

Runners up in the Miss Triad Classic were Susan Coleman, from Grimsley; Faye Scales and Paige Via from Guilford College; Ernestine Durham, Francine Key, Pearl Brown, Joan Smith from A and T; Jean Little, Deborah Compton, and Debbie Dean from Page.



Merry Christmas Grimsley

It's time for Christmas, the time of love and peace and good will. Let us try to have Christmas

spirit here at Grimsley. To accomplish this, let us try to have harmony and peaceful co-existence with your fellow students and maybe even some of the teachers.

During this season, let us try not to give the teachers a hard time. No longer shall we make up flimsy excuses for not having homework. If you don't have your homework, make up a decent excuse, one a teacher can really swallow. Also, let us not break into fits of uncontrollable laughter and yell out smart remarks while Mr. Glenn is giving announcements. When the P.A. system goes, "(click) Glunka-glunka-glunka", let us whisper our smart remarks and sustain our laughter until the completion of the announcements. Let us make this last week, "Be kind to Sophomores Week". Let's face it, they cannot overcome this physical handicap known as "Sophomore". Remember you were a sophomore once, maybe not as bad as these, but nevertheless you were once a S.O.P. Also be especially kind to the following teachers, ———. They need all the help they can get.

Do all these things to promote peace in Grimsley, good will toward men, women, boys, girls, dogs, cats, teachers and sophomores.

## J.C.L. Holds Christmas Program

On Tuesday, December 16, the JCL had its annual Christmas program. The meeting was at 3:45.

There was a solo, "O Holy Night" and Donald Drakeman presented the Roman Saturnalia. JCL officers lit the Saturnalia candles.

Debbie Hinton and Meredith Foltz gave the Christmas story in Latin and in English. The entire group next sang various Christmas carols in Latin.

Music was provided by the Singing Strings. There were also refreshments.

## G.Y.C. Sponsors Theatre Night

Again this year the Greensboro Youth Council will sponsor a tenage night at the Barn Dinner Theater, December 29. The play to be presented will be the Odd Couple.

The comedy play, which was a movie starring Walter Matthau and Jack Lemmon, is under the direction of Taylor Greene, a resident of Greensboro. Oscar, the sloppy reporter, is being played by DeWitt McCarley and the neat tidy man will be played by Jack Knight. Poker players will be Walter McNeil, Jim Palmer, Woody Edwards and Frederick Smith. The Pigeon sisters will be portrayed by Judy LeDuc and Cindy Huffling.

The play begins when Felix's wife throws him out of the house for his crazy habits. Oscar invites him to live with him not knowing what he was getting into. One of the rituals is a Friday night poker game which is held at Oscar's apartment. Instead of the usual slum the poker players find that Felix has turned Oscar's

apartment into an immaculate place. Every time they make any mess Felix is right there cleaning up. Seeing things are not working out too well, Oscar suggests that they go out and date. They take out the Pigeon sisters who live upstairs. After Felix absolutely ruins everything for Oscar he is thrown out of Oscar's house. Later Felix returns and they start over again.

The dinner will be served at the Barn Theater at 6:45. It is one especially provided for the holiday season. Entertainment will be provided from 7:45 to 8:15 and the play will begin at 8:15. The price is \$3.00 per person on a first come, first serve basis. Reservations should be made by December the 24th. When confirmed, one will receive a card in the mail which should be presented to the hostess when entering the Barn on the 29th. A maximum of 300 people can be taken. Contact the Greensboro Youth Council for more information and for making reservations.

## We Kept Our Word

HIGH LIFE has kept its word! When this school year started, we promised the student body an improved newspaper. The general opinion around school is that HIGH LIFE has definitely done so. We promised an in depth article on drugs and we gave that to our readers. We promised a semi-weekly Whirlie Words column of student opinions and we have done this. The promised movie and record reviews have also appeared. HIGH LIFE will be the first to admit, though, that we still have room for improvement. Any suggestions will be considered by the staff. It has been suggested that we have a column similar to "Hot Line" in the GREENSBORO RECORD. This appears for the

first time in this issue. We emphasize that any student who wishes to do so may write for this newspaper. We welcome the addition. HIGH LIFE has attempted to improve itself this year and we hope the student body has thus far enjoyed the paper.

In this issue of HIGH LIFE is a music review of 1969. The staff has done a lot of hard work on this copy of HIGH LIFE and are glad to have it completed. We think it is our best paper so far this year. All of the music articles are factual and written with no bias toward a single artist. Much of the information came from music trade magazines. Extra copies of this issue are available in the HIGH LIFE room.

## Page Senior Wins Miss Christmas Seal

This year's Miss Christmas Seal is Jacky Reilly, a Page senior. She was chosen from among five girls representing the high schools in the Greensboro area. There were two representatives from Dudley and one each from Grimsley, Page, and Smith.

Girls from the four high schools wishing to participate in the contest filled out their own nominations. The representatives from Grimsley, Page, and Smith were chosen from their school's nominees by the student body. Students voted by putting money into a box for their candidate. The girl with the most money won. Money received from the voting went to the Christmas Seal Campaign.

The two Dudley representatives were chosen by ballot voting. The voting was done during two dances held at the Warnersville and Windsor Community Centers.

On November 26, a Miss Christmas Seal tea was held at the alumni house at UNC-G. Present besides the five girls, were various Greensboro businessmen, Clara

Martin, and several people from WBIG. Also present was Mr. C. P. Brown, head of the Christmas Seal Campaign.

The girls were given points on their answers to a serious and a humorous question. The amount of money each girl received during the voting at her school gained her a few points also. The girl with the most points won. Barbara Holt, a Smith senior, was runner-up.

Gary Clemmons represented GHS in the contest.

## Exchange Editor Wanted

The position of Exchange Editor for HIGH LIFE is now opened to any sophomore, junior, or senior who is interested in working on the staff. The duties of the Exchange Editor are to mail the newspapers to the schools Grimsley exchanges with. The Exchange Editor is also in charge of circulation. For further information please see Miss Lovett in room 410.

## CONTACTS! Questions and Answers

Starting this week, HIGH LIFE will be running a new column. It will be Grimsley's answer to the Greensboro Record's "HOT LINE". WE, the staff, feel that students WE, the staff, feel that students rapid source of information for any questions arising in their minds about the school. All students are urged to cooperate by sending questions to the staff by either handing them to Miss Lovett in room 410, or to any member of the news staff. Questions should be confined to topics concerning some facet of the school or school life. This week, several people were asked if they had any questions or suggestions about GHS that they were unclear on. We hope these examples will give you an idea about the types of questions we are looking for.

Q: What and when is College Day and who is it for?

A: College Days occur twice a year. Juniors and seniors may go and visit a school at which they intend to apply. College Days can be taken in the middle of October and the middle of May. One must write to the college or university to obtain an appointment with the admissions office. Dean Stanton must also be notified in order to certify the absence as excused. Contact your guidance counselor for more information.

Q: Is any student at Grimsley allowed to contribute articles to HIGH LIFE?

A: Definitely. The HIGH LIFE staff encourages students to contribute articles or editorials for publication. As HIGH LIFE is a newspaper for the students, they are urged to participate in and support it activities. Writers can remain anonymous or have their names printed with their works. Please feel free to submit any articles to Miss Lovett in room 410, or to any member of the HIGH LIFE staff.

Q: Will the Juniors get back the results of their last year's SCAT tests? If so, when?

A: Results of last year's SCAT tests have been available at the guidance office since January. They are still available for anyone who wishes to pick them up. See your guidance counselor and she will help you analyze the grading system.

We hope that the student response will be enough to get this new column off the ground. Many students, especially sophomores, have unanswered questions about the school. Let us know, and we'll do our best to answer them for you, quickly and concisely. Thank you.

## CHOIR CONCERT

Grimsley's choir will present an assembly of Christmas music on Friday, December 19 during the first and second periods. The Madrigals will also sing several numbers.

Among the songs the choir will sing are: "Resonet In Laudibus" by Handl, "All My Heart This Night Rejoices" by Mueller, "Carol of the Drum" by Davis, "Carol of the Bells" by Leontovich, and "Christmas Day" by Holst.

The Madrigals will sing "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming" by Praetorius and "Hodie, Christus Natus Est" by Willan.

Mr. Ron Hill is the choir director and Mr. Sam Doyle, the associate director. Miss Polly Teague is the accompanist.

There will also be a speaker for the assembly.