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## Choir Sings Carols, Santa Guest Stars

Grimsley's choral department is following a busy schedule for the Christmas holiday season.

The annual choral Christmas concert was Tuesday, December 5. Singing were the Concert Choir,

Mixed Madrigal Singers, Girls' Madrigals, Advanced Girls, and Beginning Chorus.

Soloists performing in the concert were Debby Severs, John Coble, Sam Lewis, and David Watson. "The Night Before Christmas" contained several small solos sung by Mary Jean Riggsbee, Karen Gipple, Katy Friggle, Brenda Tagert, Nadine Sprinkle, Laura Jackson, and Donna Summers.

The Mixed Madrigal Singers performed for Centenary Methodist Church Dec. 14 and will sing for the Greensboro Civitan Club today. December 2, they performed for the Home Federal Bank Christmas Party at the Embassy Club.

Girls' Madrigals, a group in their second year together, performed at the Torchlight Induction ceremonies several weeks ago.

Concert Choir, Mixed Madrigal Singers and Madrigals plan to perform for Southeast and Lindley Jr. High Schools the 17th and 18th, respectively.

After the choir finished their final song, Santa Claus (Phil Anderson) ran through the audience distributing candy canes and shouting "Ho, Ho, Ho! Merry Christmas." One member of the choir returned "Welcome Ho Ho Baby—zap us some canes."



Torchlight Members Inducted On November 21

## Whirligig Wraps Up Another Fall Drive; 859 Yearbooks Sold

The Whirligig staff wrapped up another fall yearbook sale with good success. Out of an order of 1650 books, 794 were sold to students for \$5.25, and including teachers the fall sale total is 859. Approximately 800 more annuals will be sold in the second semester for \$6.00.

The cost of producing this yearbook is staggering. The total printing bill is paid in three parts and total between \$12 and \$14 thousand. The first payment of \$4,000 has already been sent to the printers.

Along with this sum of money \$600-\$700 was spent on photography alone. The second part will be paid in January, and the final payment early in February.

The Whirligig started its string of awards in 1950. Every year since it has won the highest national ranking (All-American) with the exception of one year when it won first place.

The Whirligig is sent to the National Scholastic Press Association for grading on such areas as photography, writing, overall plan, total coverage, and concept.

## Eighteen New Members Inducted In November 21 Torchlight Ceremony

Torchlight, the National Honor Society, had its tapping ceremony Tuesday night, November 21, in the library.

The ceremony began at 7:30 after the parents and teachers had been seated. David Morrow, Debby Severs, Chuck Clark, David Murray, and Monjul Sharma made the speeches explaining the five different candles on the table and lit them.

David Morrow lit the candle of knowledge, Monjul Sharma lit the candle of scholarship, David

Murray the candle of leadership, Debby Severs the candle of service, and Chuck Clark the candle of character.

After the speeches, the new members were inducted while the Girls' Madrigals sang background music. New members are Tom Alspaugh, Carolyn Beavers, Gretta Buckner, Sarah Edwards, Steve Ellis, Karen Henson, Mark Hepler, Critel Mack, Jimmy Matthews, and Anne Nipper.

Others inducted include Debbie Schenker, Betty Self, Libba Strankle, David Simel, Nadine Sprinkle, Karen Tager, Thomas Townsend, and John Llewallen.

The new members were escorted to the front of the library by old Torchlight members. David Morrow handed them a card, shook their hands, and Debby

Severs pinned flowers on them. The new members recited a pledge after David Morrow.

There was a reception following in the library.

The traditional torchlight ceremony was staged in a student assembly. They have since become private ceremonies because of disorderly student conduct and dissent.

There are two tappings every year. In the fall only seniors are tapped. In the spring both juniors and seniors are tapped. The students are selected by their teachers. They must have a 3.4 grade average, good character, leadership and service quality.

Torchlight has no definite plans for this year, but will continue their regular meetings and programs.

## Student Council Holds Carnival For Clubs

The greatest show on earth arrived at Grimsley on December 9. No, not the Ringling Brothers, but the carnival sponsored by Student Council.

From noon until 4:00 p.m., many people had the time of their

lives as they visited the booths set up by various service clubs on the upper level of the boys' gym.

When asked why Student Council decided to hold this event, Chairman Ruth Kabat replied, "Student Council wanted a school activity that everyone could attend and participate in and have a lot of fun."

She added, "This was not held to make money and does not count as a money-making project. Any money made is supposed to cover the cost of decorations of the booths, and if a club happens to come out ahead in funds, it is purely coincidental."

Some of the better booths included a bake sale, movies, an arm-wrestling contest, and a nature exhibition which included a boa constrictor.

Price of admission was 10c for people with a GHS ID and 15c for everyone else. One person there commented, "It is such a small price to pay to have such a good time."

Clubs and organizations that sponsored booths and exhibits include Civinettes, Civitans, Mrs. Davis' homeroom 804, Exchangeettes, Future Homemakers of America, Jaycees, Jaycettes, Key Club, O. Henry Juniors, Pep Board, Seniorettes, Student Council, and Sub-Juniors.

## Alianea Espanola Gets Under Way; Future Planned

"Pasame el Tacos, Jean." Tuesday, November 28, the Grimsley Spanish club held a dinner meeting. (It will now be accredited with the other clubs—we all like a little pleasure with the business.)

Several items of business were covered by the club members including a name for the club, La Alianza Espanola.

The program committee made several suggestions for activities that they could carry out in the future. Some of these suggestions were to hold several Latin American dinners, folk dances, field trips, etc., for the members.

Three students were nominated for the program committee chairman: Kenna Smith, Janet Hummel, Joy McFarland. Miss Smith was elected as chairman.

The constitution committee drew up a constitution and a few rules pertaining to membership, attendance, and amendments.

There will be meetings once or twice a month and for membership, the only prerequisite is completion of the year of Spanish. There are no grade restrictions.

### Exam Schedule

#### Tuesday, January 9

1:45- 3:15 ..... 6th period

#### Wednesday, January 10

8:45-10:15 ..... 1st period  
10:30-12:00 ..... 2nd period

#### Thursday, January 11

8:45-10:15 ..... 3rd period  
10:30-12:00 ..... 4th or 5th period

#### Friday, January 12

8:45-10:15 ..... 7th period  
10:30-12:00 ..... Make-up

BUS DRIVERS WHO HAVE A 4th AND 5th PERIOD CLASS are to take the 4th period exam as scheduled above on January 11th at 10:30. 5th period exam to be taken during make-up period 10:30-12:00 on January 12.

### SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Boy	Most Intellectual	Girl
John Glass		Katherine Oakley
	<b>Most Musical</b>	Carmen Craft
David Morrow		
	<b>Most Dependable</b>	Leigh Salls
Chuck Clark		
	<b>Most Artistic</b>	Leslie Salls
Bob McCulley		
	<b>Wittiest</b>	Donna Summers
Fred Stang		
	<b>Most Courteous</b>	Stephanie Lanier
Brad Ashley		
	<b>Best Personality</b>	Donna Upchurch
Jim Coble		
	<b>Best Looking</b>	Sally Lutz
Charlie Broadway		
	<b>Friendliest</b>	Mary Mitchell
Chip Atkinson		
	<b>Cutest</b>	Mary Ann Burdette
Robert Hager		
	<b>Most Popular</b>	Angie Dixon
Pete Chauncey		
	<b>Most School Spirited</b>	Sherri Blount
Dan Franklin		
	<b>Most Likely To Succeed</b>	Kathy Whitcomb
Rob Malburg		
	<b>Best Athlete</b>	Janet Ditto
Gil Vance		
	<b>Most Athletic In All Sports</b>	Ann Deaton
Charles Lindsay		