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Linfield debate trophy winners from left to right are Dave White, Jane Hennick, Scott Roberts, Trudee Lewis, Tom Reid, Carol Ann James, and Charles Hillestad.

## Debaters Bring Home Six Firsts

Six firsts, four seconds, and three thirds mark AHS's debate squad record at the fourth tournament of the year, Linfield College. With 58 other schools and 1,216 contestants, Ashland

managed to obtain third place in the sweepstakes category.

The first places were as follows: Jane Hennick, Interview; Trudee Lewis, Salesmanship; Carol Ann James, Interview; Charles Hillestad, Radio; Scott Roberts, Salesmanship; and Tom Reid, Interview.

Second places were awarded to Carol Bjork for Extemporaneous speaking; Trudee Lewis for Original Poetry, and Dave White placed second in junior men's debate.

## Girls To Play Boys' Basketball

Remember the girls' touch football game between the sophomore girls and the combined forces of the girls in the junior and senior classes?

The girls at Ashland High are going to invade another area of boys' sports when the junior girls play the sophomore-senior girls in basketball on March 14.

The game, sponsored by the junior class, will be played according to boys' rules, with unlimited dribbling. It will take place in the gym from approximately 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.; each quarter will be four minutes long.

As in the football game, each team will be coached by boys from their respective classes. The coaches for the junior girls will be Ron Boyce, Jan Susee, and Jeff Trost.

Also patterned after the football game will be boy yell-leaders and flag boys. The junior yell-leaders are Bob DeBaer, Richard Oliver, Gene Plankenborn, Tom Thompson, and John Yaple.

Admission will be 25c for students and children and 50c for adults.

## Play Presented By Thespians

### The Ugly Duckling

The Ugly Duckling, a one-act play by A. A. Milne was presented by the Thespian Club for the students of Ashland High on Tuesday, February 26, 1963.

The cast included: King, Jon Ruberson; Queen, Rhea Lisenber; Chancellor, Jim Mayo; Princess Camilla, Sami Everett; Prince, Simon, John Parves; Dukiabella, Gloms Zupon; Carlo, Craig Pennington; Director, Paula Prescott; Technical Director, Claudia Everett; Business Managers, Jane Hennick and Carol Bjork.

## Flirting Season Reigns Supreme

Flirting season reigned supreme as Cupid looked on at the Valentine dance Friday night, February 16, 1963.

The dancers were caught in a web of gaiety and flirtation spun by Cupid in a floating white, red, and pink crepe paper false ceiling held in place by white pillars. This was a perfect setting for Mr. Cupid at this season of the year. Claudia Everett was chairman of the committee on decorations that were so beautifully done.

Music for all tastes was furnished by records under the leadership of Mike Cotton and Kay Moore.

Climaxing a contest, sponsored by the Journalism class, saw Rick Pierce crowned as MR. MOST CONCEITED with John Reid in second place and Dave Lohman earning the title of Mr. Least Conceited.

Cookies and punch were served for the pleasure of the dancers from a lovely decorated table in true Valentine fashion. The chairman responsible for these was Nancy Latimer.

Mr. Most Conceited climaxed his evening of reign by serving as chairman of the clean-up committee.

## Hobby Highlights Reported by Terry

By Charles Hillestad

How does one develop a hobby? When does a person become interested in that amusement or activity commonly known as a hobby?

Terry Skibby, a junior and class president, has developed a liking for photography. The accompanying picture is one example of his work and almost all of the pictures in the annual.

Since the beginning of his sophomore year, Terry's skill in picture taking has been growing. Mrs. Schler, the annual advisor, contacted Terry in search for a photographer for the *Rogue*. Before this time Terry only had "a small interest in it."

Terry's equipment and experience consisted of a very little box camera and just a few small photos. Now the equipment can be valued at hundreds of dollars with special film, strobes, power sources, tripods, developing apparatus, filters, and several cameras.

"I receive a lot of value from photography by meeting people," Terry informs this reporter. "I enjoy most seeing a good picture in print."

What are the results of a hobby like Terry's? It can lead to a career. Terry wants to become a "professional photographer." He enjoys his hobby and doesn't consider it work. Terry hopes to make it a very rewarding job.

When asked about other people who might be interested in cameras, Terry replied "We need to train new people for the annual... if anyone is interested in photography, see me and I'll be glad to help."

## Soloist, Orchestra Thrill Audience

The Ashland High School Chorus and Orchestra presented their Winter Concert Thursday, February 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Gymnasium. An evening of sheer pleasure was experienced by all those who attended this concert.

The chorus, under the direction of Mr. Bernard Windt, presented their numbers with exceptional musical versatility and interpretation. Vocal soloist for the evening were Vicki Gordier, Cynthia Holtgrave, Ann Johnston, Beverly Hartford, Anita Marion, Joyce Hassell, and Roger Williams.

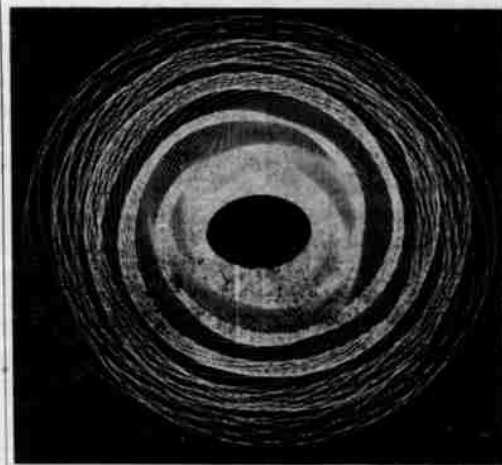
The Orchestra, also under the able direction of Mr. Bernard Windt, played with depth of feeling and skill and showed real musicianship as they played numbers from Verdi's Opera, Aida and McKay's Port Royal.

The highlight of the evening was the piano soloist, Susan Conner, a Junior at Ashland High School. Miss Conner proved herself to be a musician of outstanding talent and sensitivity as she thrilled the audience with her presentation of Capriccio Brilliant by Mendelssohn.

## Jane Hennick Takes First In District

Congratulations to Jane Hennick, Ashland high senior, who took first place in the district competition at Roseburg in the Elks Most Valuable Student contest. She is now eligible to compete in the state finals.

Jane competed with winners from Medford, North Falls, Grants Pass, Klamath, Marshfield and Roseburg. She was chosen on the basis of scholarship, financial need, out-of-school activities, personality, leadership, and resourcefulness.



A COMPOSITION IN LIGHT