

Cafeteria draws chicken-lickers, cop-outs



by Larry Jones

With today's inflation eating away at our pocket books, the newly remodeled Ashland High School cafeteria could become the most popular stake out on campus.

In exchange for a few coins, this gigantic lunch box can offer the good ole American "goodies" which seem to satisfy everybody at bargain prices. Due to a lack of refrigeration, other popular beverages could not be bootlegged.

To provide entertainment during the eating hours, a juke box was installed. Such "biggies" as "Don't Panic in a Boom Town," "Never Spit in Somebody's Face, Unless His Mustache is on Fire," and "The Kentucky Colonel Licks His Leg" are available on the turntable. For the benefit of the faculty, "Waltzing Matilda" and "The Yellow Rose of Texas" have also been installed.

This new cafeteria truly has its advantages over the average restaurant. The upstairs balcony and

the four dark corners down below seem to provide a romantic type of atmosphere and to create new extracurricular activities.

There are, of course, some draw backs to the remodeled lunch area. Not a single machine hands out doggie bags for those students who want leftovers the next day. Also, since the cafeteria is off limits for most of the day, cop-outs have found it hard to sneak a cookie or a cracker behind the back of that sneaky and sly truant officer prowling the school grounds. But in general, the cafeteria seems to be a place of happiness, with little complaints arising.

Maybe Ashland High students ought to think a moment before they cop-out for their lunch break. This cafeteria provides almost everything to satisfy human appetites. From now on, spend your lunch hour in the place where it is truly at. Save gas, save money, and save time by eating at today's cafeteria today.

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Promises, Promises

Officers Elaborate On Views

by Sylvia Roderick

In all campaigns ranging from the presidency of the United States to the presidency of Ashland High School, candidates make big campaign promises, but very rarely tell how they plan to fulfill these boasts.

This proved to be the case in the recent AHS student body elections. For this reason the *Rogue News* would like to not only formally present the new student body officials, but also some of their ideas on what they plan to do for the AHS student body and how.

The biggest problem noted by all six of the officers was the apathetic attitude of the student body and the lack of school spirit. Each had their own method of curing this ill, but basically all agreed that it was due to a lack of participation in school activities.

Probably the most likely candidate to promote spirit is Diane Jensen, yell queen. She indicated that a pep club was of utmost importance and holds top priority in the squads list of projects. The head yell leader also said that "the pep club will start projects shutting out school apathy along with giving the



(H.D.) HARLEY DIXON
—First Vice

activities and to "encourage students to support teams in all sports."

Possibly the candidate that made the biggest boasts was Bill Ellis. He promises got him elected second vice president of the student body. Ellis stated throughout his entire campaign that second vice president has been a "token" position for too long and he planned to make it a "job not an office."

Ellis would like to see a "committee set up to review students ideas on ways to present classes and possibly getting some new classes." He went on to say that in recent years there have been problems



DIANE JENSEN—Yell Queen

team the encouragement they need and deserve."

Jerry Scannell, student body president, stated that he planned to follow in the footsteps of his predecessors, but had a few new ideas for improving the school. He plans to institute a "full scale plan to promote school spirit through such techniques as building up clubs" and involving as many people as possible in school activities.

The man in charge of clubs is the first vice president Harley Dixon. However, he felt that his primary interest should be to improve not only pep assemblies, but assemblies in general. He also felt that it was necessary to get more participation and involvement in



JERRY SCANNELL—SPB



BILL ELLIS—2nd Vice



LINDA BROWN—Sec.

with a lack of participation in school activities. However, "no one to my knowledge, has gone out to find out exactly why this is so . . . finding the cause . . . is the first major step in solving it."

Linda Brown, student body secretary, would like to see some changes made within the school. She plans to concentrate her efforts on "creating an atmosphere which will create a desire for the students to participate and react as a student body and not as individuals with conflicting ideas."

This, in her opinion, would result in "spirit and enthusiasm which will unite our school."

A member of the executive council who in past years has tended to be overlooked is the student body treasurer. Next year Terry Benham plans not only to handle the student body's funds, but also to be a "representative voice" for the students, just as the other members of the council are. Miss Benham felt this could best be accomplished by being in attendance at student council meetings and making it known to the AHS student body that they "can have more voice in the running of their government than they have in past years."

Another point that the newly elected officers decided upon was that if any of these plans were to be acted upon and completed they as representatives, would need the backing and help of the entire student body.



TERRY BENHAM—Treas.



CHEERLEADERS—l to r., Rene Wintela, Debby Revel, Becky Warren, Diane Jensen, Debbie Edwards, Susan Travis and Cindy Dale.