



Mexico Trip

Special Ed Efforts To Begin

The Special Education class at Ashland High has several projects under way.

Mexico Trip

The class is planning a trip to the Mirical Ranch Orphanage near Ensenada, Mexico, June 12-23. They would appreciate donations of items which are needed by the orphanage, such as food, medicine, clothes, toys, tools of any kind, and educational

materials.

At the orphanage the Special Education class will be helping to build a dormitory, will be painting and repairing other buildings, and will be gardening and doing other chores.

Community Services

As a public service, the class is also asking for coupons of all kinds, Betty Crocker coupons will be sent to the Oregon Kidney

Machine Foundation. Others will be redeemed for the poor people in Mexico.

Cancelled postage stamps will be sent of Norway. There they will be redeemed for milk for the orphans. Persons donating cancelled stamps are advised to leave about one-half inch of paper around the stamp.

Persons wishing to donate any of the above items should drop them off at the Special Education room, H-10, or should call 482-8771 extension seven.

Plans Underway

Prom Committee Prepares Theme For Gala Event

"Color My World" is the theme of this year's spring Prom to be held May 20 in the cafeteria. It will begin at 8:00 p.m. and continue until midnight.

Juniors and seniors are admitted free. A junior or senior can invite a sophomore or a student from another high school if he obtains a guest pass for \$2.00 from Mrs. Margaret Zwick. "No student of junior high school age will be admitted under any circumstances," Mrs. Zwick warned.

Commenting on the decoration for the prom, junior class social chairman Paula Krebs stated, "It's going to be left up to the imaginations of the individuals. There will be mobiles, lines that lead nowhere, blank paintings

and abstracts." The prom committee chose pastel pink, green, yellow, blue and lavender as colors.

Juniors selected the prom princesses. They and their escorts are: Cindy Dale and Rick Gruber; Tana Henry and Randy Litwiler; Karen Kittredge and Bill Turner; Pam Krumdieck and Dana Fey; Linda Massey and Keith Wentela; Becky Nickodemus and Hugh Huck; and Lori Waldren and Kevin Litwiler. Seniors will vote on the queen today.

The Pastels will perform at the dance. Refreshments will be served. Mr. Whit Locke will be present to take pictures. Dress is semi-formal.

Mock City Government and Trial Members Recognized



Council members: Mike Testerman, Dave Jensen, Larry Taylor, Zan Nix and Paul Tumbleson.



City officials: Sue Randles, Neville Archambault, Julie Harrison and Rosario De La Torre.



Trial participants: Dennis Leybold, Berk Palmer, Bill Ellis, John Mayea and Pat Overand.

AFS Seminar Held For District

AFS Day was held at Ashland High Monday May 8. American Field Service students from the District were here. Two were not able to attend the all day event.

The students present were Elizabeth Genter from Sweden, a student at Grants Pass; Luis Quaranta from Argentina, a student at Phoenix; Guillermo Hernandez from Chile; a student at Medford; and Nong from Ashland High. Cynthia Ragland was in charge of the event at AHS.

The panel type discussion was held in the lecture hall. There students from English classes directed questions to the AFS students who would then answer them.

AFS Day was preceded by a picnic in the school cafeteria on Sunday for AFS students and anyone who wished to meet them. The picnic was originally planned for Lithia Park, but was rained out and was held in the cafeteria. Students spent Sunday night at people's homes in Ashland.

Purpose of AFS Day is to "promote cultural understanding."

Mock City Government Draws Interest

The Mock City Government program which was organized and carried out earlier this year by Student Body Vice-President Lesli Peterson, consisted of three seminars and culminated in a mock City Council meeting March 6.

Three Seminars

At the first seminar, held February 15 in the gymnasium, City Administrator Mr. Brian Almqvist talked to the student body about current issues confronting the city of Ashland. He discussed the "Stop and Frisk Law," the disrepair of streets, the hotel-motel tax and limitation of population among other issues.

City officials attended the second seminar which took place February 22 in the Mountain Street Theatre. Almqvist, Mr. Robert Nelson, Director of Finance, Mr. Garth McGuire, Director of Parks and Recreation, Mr. Allen Alsing, Director of Public Works, Mr. Herb Hays, Police Chief and Mr. William

Reed, Fire Chief, each gave a short presentation on the purpose and problems confronting their departments. A question and answer period followed.

Council members spoke at the last seminar which was held February 29.

Officials Elected and Appointed

Students elected the mock City Council members, City Recorder and Mayor February 23. They chose Larry Taylor as Mayor, Sue Randles as City Recorder and Betsy Goff, Jim Huett, Dave Jensen, Zan Nix, Mike Testerman and Paul Tumbleson as Council members.

Mayor Larry Taylor appointed department heads and other officials. He appointed Julie Harrison as City Administrator, Neville Archambault as Parks and Recreation Director, Rosario De La Torre as Police Chief, Nick Choate as Fire Chief, Bill Ellis as City Attorney, Dennis Leybold as Municipal Judge, Mark Wilson as Municipal Judge pro-tem, Sue

Green as Finance Director and Arden Strycker as Public Works Director.

Most mock officials spent half a day with their counterpart in actual city government to see what the job was really like.

The mock City Council meeting was held the night before the real Council meeting and followed the same agenda.

Mock Trial

After the City Government program, a mock trial was organized with mock Municipal Judge Dennis Leybold presiding. In a preliminary session March 29, a jury was selected.

The trial took place during a second session on April 5. Bill Turner was the accuser and Berk Palmer the accused. Bill Ellis acted as Prosecutor and Pat Overand as Defense Attorney.

Lawyers Mr. Jim Barnes and Mr. Hank Hampton and Municipal Judge pro-tem, Mr. Richard Cottle were available for advice.



Prom Princess (L-R) (back row) Cindi Dale, Linda Massey, Tana Henry, Lori Waldren, (front row) Karen Kittredge, Becky Nickodemus pose briefly after learning of their selection. Princess Pam Krumdieck is not pictured.