

Summer school, driver's training offered by Portland School District

A summer high school and a driver's training program will again be conducted by the Portland Public School this summer. Applications are available at the counselor's office.

Summer school, which will last from June 17 through July 26, will offer all courses in the curriculum if enough students register. Physical education 1-2 and 3-4, which includes health, will be offered for the first time this year.

The summer high schools will be located at Benson, Grant, Lincoln, and Wilson high schools.

Students who are legal residents of School District No. 1 will pay \$20 for a one-unit, or full morning course, and \$10 for a half-unit, or half morning, course.

Students who are not legal residents of School District No. 1 will pay \$50 for a one-unit course and \$25 for a half-unit course.

Driver's training courses, which will be for two hours a day for two weeks, and will be

held throughout the summer, will cost \$7.50 a session. Four students are taken in the car at one time.

"If more students sign up for driver's training than they can handle, those who take the course will be selected according to age, with the older ones having preference," stated Mr. Orr.

Forensics squad wins Sweepstakes in state contest

"They did it again," stated Mrs. Hamilton, speech instructor, "and I'm telling you the whole truth." Yes, the forensic squad once again took the Sweepstakes trophy at the Annual Oregon High School Speech League tournament, which was held in Eugene, April 18-20.

Bob Helfond took the state championship in Humorous Interpretation. Tim Kehoe received a second place in After Dinner Speaking, and John Luik took third in Extemporaneous and Impromptu, with Jim Winkler becoming a finalist in Extemporaneous.

The tournament, which was held at University of Oregon campus, involved 79 schools competing in the final meet after seven eliminations.

On April 26, 27, at Pacific university, five states competed in the tournament of Piers. John Luik and Jim Winkler took both first and second places in Extemporaneous Speaking and Liz Klonoff took third place in Oratory.

Lewis and Clark college will be the scene of the speech workshop to be attended by seven students on August 6.

Mrs. Hamilton will accompany Dave Edwards, Dorice Gross, Liz Klonoff, Jim Ream, Joe Stilwell, Robin Suwol, Dave Taylor and Phillip Bruce to the workshop.

All events that occur in an ordinary speech tournament will be participated in, including debates, oratory, extemporaneous, impromptu, and interpretive.

Martin Schnitzer wins scholarship

Resulting from a National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test taken in his junior year, Martin Schnitzer has been awarded a Merit Scholarship to Michigan State university. Other finalists are Neil Jacobsen, Brian McCune, Anne Burson, and Chris Swan.

"Martin received this scholarship because of what he did on the test, and also because he applied to Michigan State university," commented Mrs. Newcomer, scholarship coordinator. "He did well on the NMSQT, and also on his Scholastic Aptitude Test."

All of the finalists receive a Certificate of Merit, and all are considered qualified for Merit Scholarships. If enough funds were available, they all would have received scholarships.

According to Mrs. Newcomer, "Although all of the finalists didn't receive Merit Scholarships, they all have been accepted by colleges, and I'm sure they're all getting to go to the college of their choice."

The scholarship awarded to Martin is a four-year sponsored Merit Scholarship, which has the college's name, not the donor's name. It was awarded according to criteria established by the sponsor.



Next year's rulers Newly-elected student body officers for fall term, 1968, are: President Dave Edwards; Barbara Gould, Girls' league secretary; Vice-president Robin Suwol; Nancy Swett, Girls' league president; Ben Prowse, General council president; Sue Skinner, service rep; and Bill Flouers, athletic rep. They will be installed in assemblies Tuesday.

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Dads present show tonight

by Marlene Feves

"Socko entertainment" will be the keynote of the 1968 Dad's Club show in the auditorium tonight and tomorrow night at 8 p.m.

About 400 students have been laboring over lines, music, and dancing for several months in order to present a major league show to ticket buyers. Mrs. Janet Howland has been working hard at the production chores and started putting the parts together with the orchestra under the baton of Eugene Kaza a couple of weeks ago.

"Four Blocks Off Broadway" has all the earmarks of being a top-notch variety show that will send the audience away in a happy mood," commented Ray Feves, Dad's club vice-president.

Stubholders will give good marks to the cast as they slam out excerpts from sell-out Broadway musicals such as "Guys and Dolls," "South Pacific," "Hello Dolly," "Mame," and more.

Vaudeville acts will be sprinkled throughout the bash to make the show keep a fast pace. Ron Brown in a stand-up comedy monologue; The Youngfolk Trio, Debbie Chung, Jim Mills, and Ken Bell, in folksongs; and The Three Softshoes are just a few of the between production numbers.

"This is the Dad's club annual fund raising event and is hoped to be a blockbuster. \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for students will put you through the turnstiles and into the auditorium for two hours of fun," Mr. Feves explained.

This is an all-out effort to get some funds that will be used by the many students at Grant. So invest in some entertainment and at the same time insure some money for yourself. The curtain goes up at 8 p.m. tonight and tomorrow night. Lights, music, curtain, entertainment . . . applause . . . applause . . . applause.

Courses available for additional credit

Correspondence courses are being offered by the Office of Independent Study to aid juniors who are finishing the year one or more credits short of their grade level.

According to Dr. Viron Moore, head of the office, "High school juniors will have difficulty making up their deficiencies during their senior year. Students are often forced to attend an extra semester of school to graduate."

Ten high school courses, all accredited by the State Department of Education, can be taken by correspondence. With the approval of the high school, the courses can be applied toward graduation requirements.

High school students may also take college level correspondence courses on a deferred credit basis, with the credit applying toward a college degree.

Interested students should contact their counselor.



INTENSE PRACTICE for the Dad's Club Spring show is displayed in this dress rehearsal. The show will be presented tonight and tomorrow night in the auditorium. Show time is 8:00 and the laughs and entertainment will continue until 10:00.

Honor Society, executive councils make plans for year-end banquets

Dates have been set for the annual National Honor Society banquet honoring the seniors and the traditional annual fair and spring executive council dinner.

The NHS banquet will be held next Wednesday at 6:30 in the cafeteria. The menu will include lasagna, and various salads and desserts provided by the junior members, according to Mrs. Doris Hanlin, NHS advisor.

Debbie Chung, Kenn Bell, and Jim Mills will provide entertainment at the dinner.

Held May 14 at the Officers' Club at the Portland International Air Base, the executive council dinner will have John Stuckey, activities director, and members of the administration as guests.

A choice of lobster tails and filet mignon will be offered at the dinner.

"The executive council will be the guests of Grant High School, as an appreciation of the countless hours that they have spent in service for the high school," explained Mr. Stuckey.

Paper roses, moon decorate prom

Pink paper roses and a large shiny moon will make "Moonlight and Roses," the theme for the senior prom, a reality when it is presented May 25 in the

Masonic Temple from 8-11 p.m.

According to Jodi Cornwell, one of the co-chairmen of the decorations committee, there will be eight topiary trees throughout the room. "They are being constructed of broom handles and green napkins," she commented, "and will resemble the trees used in the Shakespeare plays."

A rose covered trellis at the entrance of the ballroom, as well as small bunches of roses on each of the twenty-five tables will add to the pink-tinted garden look. Even the powder room will be sprinkled with pink crepe-paper roses.

"We're also going to have pink colored lights," explained Jodi. "It's a good rosy color that makes everyone look good."

One highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the Rose Festival court and their escorts. According to Scott Casey, senior class president, the princesses will be announced individually and will probably begin one dance.

The music for the senior ball will be provided by Gene Rene and his orchestra.

Everyone, however, will be announced as they enter," explained Scott. "If not by me, then by the senior class president-elect for next year."

Juniors also will play a part in the senior prom as they will compose a clean-up committee. This has been the tradition at Grant for several years.

"All preparations are running along smoothly and right on schedule," concluded Scott.

Senior receives award for Grantonian service

The Grantonian award, given annually to the outstanding senior member of staff for writing and service to the Grantonian, has been awarded to Cecile O'Rourke. The announcement was made at the annual staff dinner.

The Eric W. Allen Certificate of Newspaper Service was also awarded to Cecile. Merit awards were received by juniors June Ammon and Jan Kelley.

Tamera Brandt, Anita Austin, Kathy Newman, Judy Bates and Nikki Taylor received George S. Turnbull Certificates of Yearbook Service; Marcy Stere and Joan Kline were recipients of Merit awards.