

# Awards given senior students for outstanding performances

This is a list of awards awarded to seniors who gave outstanding performances in various fields.

**Art**

Wuest Art Award: Awarded to a senior for outstanding service to the school through art . . . Leslie Frey.

**Athletics**

Tim Allen Cup: Outstanding and inspirational track man . . . Ron Brown.

Dorman Trophy: Outstanding and inspirational football player . . . Don Sorber.

**Business Education**

Underwood Award: Outstanding business education student . . . Marcia Hawes.

**English, Speech, Drama and Journalism**

Sallie Burns Cup: Given to a senior with outstanding creative-writing ability . . . Tim Kehoe.

Buskin Cup: Outstanding and inspirational drama student . . . Mollie Grohs.

Ethel Ewer Cup: For acting and spirit in Shakespeare play . . . Rod Reinhart and Tim Kehoe.

Grantonian Award: Given to a senior for outstanding writing and service to the Grantonian . . . Cecile O'Rourke.

Shakespeare Plaque: Scholarship and service in Shakespeare class . . . Denise Hudson and Vicki Sparks.

Speech Department: Awarded to outstanding speaker . . . James Winkler and John Luik.

Stage Arts Award: Given to the student who has given outstanding service toward staging productions . . . Jeff Volvert.

Thespian Award: Best senior actor . . . Kelly Walters.

**Homemaking**

Homemaking Award: Outstanding student in homemaking . . . Diane Saltman.

Betty Crocker Award: Result of a test . . . Linda Guess.

**Industrial Education**

Woodworking: Outstanding student in woodworking . . . Larry Leas.

Drafting: Outstanding student in drafting . . . Doug Gannet.

**Languages**

Classical Award: Outstanding four-year Latin student . . . Martin Schnitzer.

French Award: Outstanding four-year French student . . . Mary Holman.

German Award: Outstanding four-year German student . . . Heidi Walter.

Russian Award: Outstanding Russian student . . . Daniel Doran and Kathy Newmann.

Spanish Award: Outstanding four-year Spanish student . . . Marilyn Block.

**Math**

Euclidean Cup: Given to outstanding four-year math student . . . Martin Schnitzer.

Math Pin: Result of a test . . . Neil Jacobsen.

**Music**

Clefs: Musical contribution to school . . . Brian McCune.

Fred Cone Cup: Musicianship and scholarship . . . Scott Swope.

Handzlik Cup: Given for outstanding work in band . . . Sharlene Vessella.

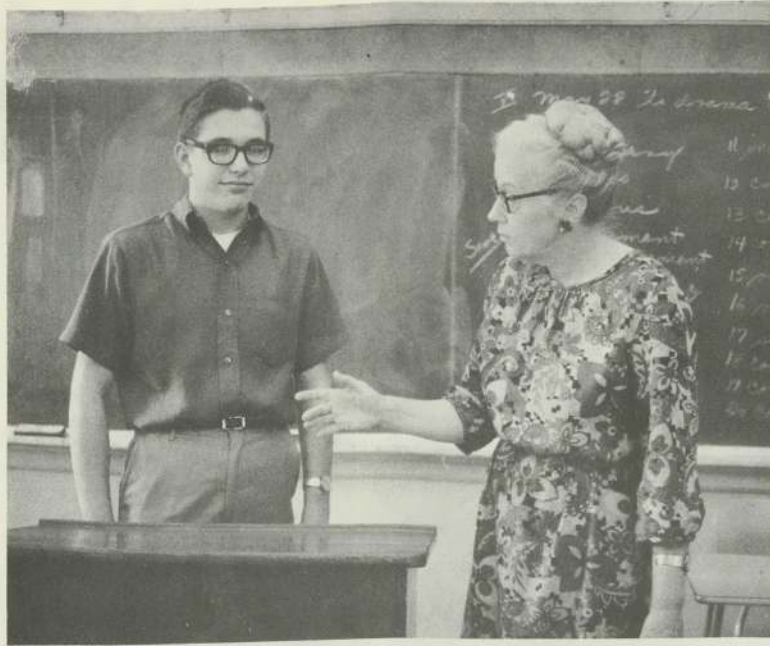
Inspiration Plaque: Given to most inspirational senior in choir . . . Jan Kobiesky.

McDowell Cup: Given to outstanding senior in orchestra . . . Ron Marrs.

Schubert Cup: Outstanding soloist . . . Christa Collier.

**Science**

Bausch & Lomb Medal: Given to outstanding senior in science . . . Martin Schnitzer and Neil Jacobsen.



MRS. OPAL HAMILTON, teacher at Grant for 30 years, gives instruction to John Luik, promising speech student and winner of many awards under Mrs. Hamilton's direction.

# Sylvia Sharp gets city meet second; moves on to state

"Lifetime Objectives" is the theme of this year's Knights of Pythias Annual National Speaking Contest in which Sylvia Sharp placed second in the city competition May 7.

Sylvia's ten-minute speech is on "Positive Thinking as a Lifetime Objective." Sylvia stated, "In the state, regional and national contests I will be competing with only five other contestants in each division."

May 25 is the date set for the state meet which will be held at the Pythian building downtown. The first and second place winners from six divisions compete in this contest. The regional meet will be composed of the six state winners. The first place winner in this contest will go to national.

Prizes in the national contest include: first place, \$3,500; second place, \$2,500; and third, fourth, fifth and sixth place winners, \$1,000. This means that anyone venturing to the national competition is assured of at least \$1,000.

# Mrs. Opal Hamilton receives surprise appearance of alumni

As a surprise anniversary gift to Mrs. Opal Hamilton, a part of today's forensics assembly was devoted to the return of speech department alumni.

Mrs. Hamilton, who has taught here for 30 years, was presented by Mrs. Connie McCready, legislative politician, with a plaque which reads: "To Opal Hamilton, teacher-friend, in appreciation from all your students, Grant High School, 1938-1968."

Other former students who attended were: Clifford Carlsen, lawyer; Jim Schell, Lincoln's vice-principal; Dr. Cornelius Cramer, school administrator;

and former student body presidents George Shaw, Don Hadel, and George Marandas.

Also in attendance were Dr. Herbert Semler; Theo D. Lachman, a lawyer; Jim Parker, a priest; Frank Case, Ted Runstein, Lee Kell and Mrs. Marva Graham.

According to Mrs. Hamilton, the National Forensics League members earned 115 first place trophies and at least 16 sweepstakes.

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