



# A SALUTE TO EDUCATION



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## Nyssa Schools Observe National Education Week

"America Has A Good Thing Going--Its Schools," is theme of National Education Week, November 10-16, 1968. A feature of the NEA week observances in Nyssa schools will be the Parent-Teacher conferences on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 12-13. They have been scheduled for parents of elementary and junior high students. High school instructors will be in their classrooms from 2 to 4 p.m. Parents wishing to talk with them are asked to call the high school office and make an appointment.

Themes planned for each day of education week include stimulation of moral and spiritual values, strengthening of the Nation, quality teaching, equal opportunity, fostering life-long learning, promoting economic prosperity and striving for healthy personality development.

National Education Week has been celebrated for nearly half a century, growing out of the revelation during World War I that a large percentage of young men selected for the armed forces were illiterate and phy-

sically unfit. In an effort to remedy the problem, the National Education association and American Legion joined with the United States Office of Education to establish a yearly audit, or report, which subsequently became National Education Week.

Acting as Nyssa chairman for National Education Week is Miss Christine McPike, elementary school teacher. Also on the committee are Mrs. Josephine Rigney, Mrs. Hazel Lane, Miss Joleen Reece, Miss Marie Coate and Mrs. Ilea Hall.



SALUTING THE AMERICAN FLAG ARE SOME OF MRS. Marguerite Leslie's first-grade pupils. They are (l to r) Madalena Sifuentes, Linda Dotson, Brigetta Drydale, Efrén Ramirez, Ricky Toombs and Rolando Guardiola (with flag).



APPARENTLY ENJOYING THEIR FRIDAY 'FUN-TIME', these second-grade students color pictures. In the background, Mrs. Eulah McConnel supervises the children's painting project.



UTILIZING ONE OF THE LATEST TEACHING DEVICES are Nyssa Instructor George Carter and students in his first-period Algebra I class. Carter is using an overhead projector which allows him to write on a screen in front of the pupils while talking directly to them.

## Home Ec Girls Study Cooking

"Anyone can cook, so they say. The girl who cooks with her hands is a laborer, the girl who cooks with her head and her hands is a craftsman, but the girl who cooks with her head, heart and hands is an artist," is a saying that comes to the mind of Mrs. Virginia Steffens when asked about activities of her Homemaking II classes.

During the first semester, the Homemaking II girls are studying 'Creativity in Cookery.' Their goals are to develop easily prepared dinners while consuming maximum amounts of vitamins and inexpensive proteins. They must keep in mind the nutritive values of the basic four foods and cutting costs by using foods grown in this area.

The students have tasted many new vegetables such as garbanzos, cactus, artichokes, mushrooms and mustard greens.

The NHS girls have studied techniques of mixing and baking light breads, pies; the cooking of fruit condiments, fruit and vegetable pickles, preserves and butter marmalades. These are all used to enhance the four basic foods.

To end their 'cookery' study, the students will learn meat preparations.



HOMEMAKING II STUDENTS KATHY TUTTLE, MARILEE Wilson and Jolene Holmes seem to enjoy their meal which was prepared in class. Looking on is Adviser Mrs. Virginia Steffens.



BUSILY AT WORK ARE THESE INDUSTRIAL ARTS I STUDENTS Joyce Jennings, Don Bishop, Shagay Share, Gene Cruson, Tony Conales, Jerry Garza, George Martinez, Jon Morgan, Ken Schilling, Maurice Smith, Lupe Grijalva, Carlos DeLeon, Lee Barton, Juan Escabedo, David Edmonson, Greg Blanch and Assistant Dennis Orr. Instructor George Fanning and his Assistant Mike Hust did not get in the photo.

## IA Instructor Lists Projects

Freehand and pictorial sketching, such as isometric and oblique drawing, have been two of the main projects studied in the Industrial Arts I class. The students have also learned to enlarge a pattern by the 'grid method' with squares, according to NHS instructor George Fanning.

Next semester they will be introduced to formal drafting, and will utilize drawing boards and 'T' squares.

In Fanning's woodworking classes, the students are learning tool processes and assembly. On their book racks, they are incorporating about five types of joints while learning their uses.

Students in the IA I and shop classes have been designing, and are now completing pencil holders for their desks.

Beginning with orthographic drafting, members of the drafting class will also do shape description.

During the second semester, advanced students will begin architectural drafting.



PREPARING THEIR LUNCHEON ARE HOMEMAKING II Students Patty McGinley, Shelly Schuithuis, Mardi Tensen, Eva Klinkenberg, Becky Blaylock, Gloria Jaramillo and Martha Heider.



ADMIRING SOUVENIERS OF A TRIP TO MEXICO ARE Nyssa Elementary Teachers Mrs. Elaine Nelson and Mrs. Mary Hatt. The bulletin board in background was prepared by students in Mrs. Hatt's sixth-grade room. The pupils are gaining first-hand knowledge of that country. In addition to studying about Mexico in their textbooks, members of the class have heard two guest lecturers. Mrs. Nelson, who recently returned from Mexico City where she attended the Olympic games, spoke to the students and showed her souvenirs. She stressed the point that there is very little lumber in Mexico. Houses are made of brick and clay and the native cactus has a variety of uses. A purse and doily which she brought back are made of cactus, as is much of the paper used by our neighbors to the south. Mrs. Hatt's students also enjoyed a Mexican dinner prepared by Mrs. Duane Holcomb and Mrs. Navarro. Speaking at the dinner was Father Charles Young of St. Bridget's Catholic church. He is a former resident of Mexico.

## Band Students To Leave Today For Corvallis

Nyssa high school marching band students will leave today for Corvallis where they will present pre-game entertainment for the UCLA-OSU football contest Saturday afternoon. Among other activities the band will play for the Corvallis high school game.

Today, Nov. 7, the musical group had their final rehearsal before boarding the bus at 9:45 a.m. At 7 p.m. the bus will arrive at the Milwaukie high school and they will spend the night with members of the MHS band.

On Friday, members of the band will visit downtown Portland, the zoo, and then will go to Salem where they will visit

the State Capital. At 3:30 p.m. the students will meet at Corvallis high school where they will present the halftime program for the Corvallis high school homecoming game that evening.

On Saturday the band will present the pre- and post-game entertainment, before leaving for home. The group should arrive in Nyssa about 3 a.m. Sunday.



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WORKING WITH CLAY ARE STUDENTS IN MRS. MADGE Thomson's fourth-grade classroom. In the background (l to r) are Bruce Goodell, Mike Ausman, Dustin Kassman, Charles Davis, Carolyn Lassiter and Irene Vielma. In the foreground are Laurie Wright, Mrs. Thomson and Allen Ballantyne. Most of the pupils are making either small pots or wall plaques. Separate pieces of clay are molded as fruits, flowers or borders to decorate the plaques. According to Mrs. Thomson, the project will take approximately two weeks to complete. After it is molded the clay must be allowed to dry, then it is carefully sanded and fired in the school kiln. After the first firing, the students glaze the articles and they are fired a second time.

## DRIVER EDUCATION

### ACTIVITIES LISTED

"Driver Education is a good way to learn the fundamentals of the car, the elements and problems involved in driving," commented Mel Calhoun, driving instructor.

In class, every sophomore learns the psychological make-up of a driver, accident facts and statistics, effects of drugs and alcohol and motor functions of the automobile.

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