There is a
World outside
We are not aware of
For we have been sheltered
From its hardest blows.
And in our lives
There comes a time
To face the world
As best we can.


CHANGING and GROWING

## and

STANDING PROUD.

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Mickey White.
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$\because \quad$ - $\quad$ _3s33



## Sister Bernardis

## May your path be always bright.

The Scotus Annual Staff dedicates this 1972 issue of the SCOTUS ANNUAL to our Principal, Sister M. Bernardis, O. S.F. On behalf of the whole student body the staff expresses its admiration and gratefulness to Sister Bernardis. With understanding and encouragement, she has helped many students reach their goal in life. For the wonderful job she has done, we all thank her and wish her the best of luck always.



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Terry and Anne bring in the crowns. Marcia Shade and Thomas Jicha





## Homecoming 1972

Although the game had to be postponed, the weather did not dampen the spirits of the Homecoming Dance. The students thoroughly enjoyed the excitement and thrill of the occasion. However, they waited anxiously for the outcome of the encounter with the mighty Grand Island Crusaders, which would have to be met later.


Proudly King Rick receives the Happy Congratulations of last year's king, Terry Mausbach, and another candidate, Frank Mielak.



Homecoming Victory-27-8


## The Thespians present "A Man Called Peter."

The play, a modern tragedy is adapted from the book by Catherine Marshall. The plot centers around the life of a young minister who is incessantly swamped by the demands of his parishioners. The older members oppose him, the young favor him. To further complicate matters Mrs. Marshall contracts tuberculosis and Peter, himself, develops a heart
condition which forces him to turn down a nomination to the office of Chaplain of the United States Senate. Ken Bonk as "Peter" and Kim Robak as "Mrs. Marshall" swayed the emotions of the audience as the plot unfolds. Great moral lessons of integrity and Christian principles of love and marriage were taught by this fast-moving drama of real life situations.

Ken Bonk (Peter) reconciles Mr. and Mrs. Grant (Damian Zuerlein and Patricia Kosiba) thus paving the way for a happy marriage for daughter Susan (Margaret Jochum) and her fiance, George (Tom Zabawa) in this dramatic scene.



# Peter Marshall (a young minister) . . . . Ken Bonk Catherine Marshall (his wife). Peter John (their son) Kim Robak Peter John (their son) . . . . . . . . . Rich Jochum Allan Talbot (a young man) . . . . . . Steve Bruegger Judith Bickle (his maiden aunt). Jessie Bickle (Judith's sister) . . . . . . . . Joyce Niedbalski Susan Grant (a young lady). . . . . . . Margaret Jochum Marian Grant (her mother). <br> Steven Grant (Susan's father). . . George Yost (is engaged to Susan). Patricia Kosiba Damian Zuerlein Joe Keating (underprivileged boy). <br> Senator James Polk (of the U.S. Senate). Nancy Everetts (high school senior) Barbara Logan (another senior) Hulda (housekeeper). Tom Zabawa Tom White Ken Schrad Cindy Heimann Adelaide Haney Genene Bruns 

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Mr. Gary Fendrick
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Assistant Director.
Assistant Director. . . . . . . . . . . Mickey White Damian Zuerlein

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Brenda Grubaugh

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Adelaide Haney
Patricia Kosiba
Linda Schrad
Joyce Niedbalski
Margaret Jochum
Cindy Heimann
Louise Kosiba

SET CREW
Tim Ebner
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Tom Zabawa
Tom White
PROPERTIES
Anne Shank
Joyce Niedbalski
Louise Ciecior
Genene Bruns
Mickey White

## PUBLICITY

Damian Zuerlein
Ken Schrad

Steve Bruegger (Alan Talbot) demands of his aunts the right to live his own life.


Talent blooms


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King Dave Melliger, Queen Kris Gloor


King Dave and Queen Kris Reign
over the Sweetheart Festivity


Kenneth Bonk and Katherine Mimick



Roberta Kresha

Theodore Wieser and Sandra Yosten


Larry Fritz and Bette Henigeler




## Student effort rewarded

## Honors \& awards

This is the day for surprises. Scholarships are given for top effort maintained for four years. Recognition for leadership and top performances in drama, chorus, journalism, and athletics is given for the year. The athletes have already seen and admired their trophies and are feted later at a banquet. We cannot picture all the deserving effort on these pages but we try to bring into focus those unsung heroes not already pictured on many other pages. We do appreciate and congratulate all who have brought recognition to Scotus by their effort.


TOP: Mary Czuba is the recipient of the Behlen's Scholarship to Platte College renewable for two years.
ABOVE: Loretta Feehan (junior) receives a full tuition Scholarship to Platte College for 1973-74. She was second in the Platte College High School Recognition and Achievement Day competition. LEFT: Senior Girls' Award from the D. A. R. is given to Susan Niedblaski.


SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS AND SPONSORS. FIRST ROW: T. Zuerlein, N. Hajek, D. Schrad, C. Mimick, D. Duren, C. Brock, T. Bryan, Mr. Shieffer. SECOND ROW: Mr. Wylie, D. Zuerlein, R. Miksch, G. Kosch. THIRD ROW: E. Miksch, D. Ebner, B. Ebner, K. Kopetzky, L. Schrad.


Mr. Bob Kamber, President of P.E.N., presented awards.

Shown below are first place award winners in the various areas they competed in for regional place.


SCOTUS PRESENTS THE SCIENCE FAIR


NATER \& Plant Growth


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# County Government winners see politics at work in campaign 

County Government participants and Boy and Girl Staters had the opportunity to observe the real campaign technique when Actor Dennis Weaver made an hour stop at Scotus to campaign for presidential candidate, Senator McGovern. Student Council President, Steve Abbott, introduced Mr. Weaver, at the special student assembly. The celebrity gave a very informative talk and answered questions. Listed below are the winners of the County Government Day event and the offices they held at the courthouse on March 20.

COUNTY CLERK $\qquad$REGISTER OF DEEDS

REGISTER OF DEEDS
COUNTY TREASURER
COUNTY SHERIFF
COUNTY ASSESSOR
WELFARE DIRECTOR
COUNTY ATTORNEY
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT . . . . . . .Susan Heimann
COUNTY JUDGE
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS. . . . Jennifer J asper
COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AGENT . . . . . . .Bill Heimann
HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT . . . . . . .Jo Ann Chlopek
WEED SUPERINTENDENT . . . . . . . . . . .Steve Bruegger
COUNTY SUPERVISORS
ASCS COMMITTEE
.Thomas Zabawa .Loretta Feehan . Debra Maguire . Terry Honke . Mary Lueke Louise Kosiba Kim Robak Rick Briggs Steve Bruegger Karen Gdowski Wesley Thiele Fritz Schwank Jerry Liss



# Boy and Girl 

## Staters

Adelaide Haney and Kenneth Schrad represented Scotus at the Cornhusker State Convention in Lincoln, June 10-16. During that week delegates take an active part in the political life of a mythical "State of Nebraska. " They campaign for and elect city, county, and state officials in this community. They thus learn the operation of government by participating in party precinct caucuses, through election of a governor, and the inauguration of state officers.

Kenneth was sponsored by the Columbus Rotary Club and Adelaide by the Catholic Daughters of America, Court Little Flower, 988.

Actor Dennis Weaver shakes hands with Adelaide while Ken waits his turn to grasp the hand of the celebrity. They were privileged to meet him in the "Press Box" after the campaign talk to the student body..









## All Conference

Steve Abbott
Daniel Brock
Daniel Briggs Tom Blahak Jerry Liss Rick Peterson
Tom Zabawa
Ted Wieser .

Guard Tackle Quarterback Defensive End Defensive Line Linebacker Safety Halfback


FIRST ROW: T. Reilly, C. O'Hearn, T. Wibbels, D. Gonka, L. Fritz, F. Mielak, M. Keller, D. Melliger. SECOND ROW: J. Holmberg, R. Shonka, J. Shadle, C. Melliger, N. Spies, D. Steiner, R. Tlamka, R. Briggs. THIRD ROW: J. Kantor, D. Korger, T. Wieser, T. Jicha, S. Abbott, J. McMeekin, B. Golden, T. Hyland.

## Champions National Division Centennial Conference Scotus Record 8-2

Scotus 26
Scotus
6
Scotus
Scotus
Scotus
Scotus
Scotus Scotus Scotus Scotus

West Point
Columbus Lakeview
Holy Name
Fremont Bergan Wahoo Meumann Schuyler
David City Aquinas
G. I. Catholic

Ord
Cathedral


## Outstanding Players

Daniel Brock. . All State
Both State Newspapers
Daniel Briggs. . All State Nomination
Daniel Brock . . . . . . . . All Class All State Team Rick Peterson. . . . . . 124 tackles
Dan Briggs . . Passing . . . 886 yards

Ted Wieser
Leading Rusher $\qquad$ 586 yards
Frank Mielak
Leading Receiver . . . . . . 245 yards
Daniel Briggs
Total Offense
.1889 yards

FIRST ROW: D. Brock, D. Briggs, T. Blahak, T. Thomas, S. Bruegger, K. Schrad, Mr. Puetz, Mr. Spenceri. SECOND ROW: J. Liss, T. Zabawa, R. Peterson, R. Bogus, S. Niedbalski, J. Brock, Mr. Younger, Mr. Heth. THIRD ROW: L. Korger, D. Determan, J. Zuerlein, B. Korgie, S. Wolpert, T. Honke. (Not pictured: D. Nosal). BELOW : Our Coaches, Mr. Heth, Mr. Younger, Mr. Spenceri, Mr. Puetz.



## Offensive Unit



FRESHMAN SQUAD. FIRST ROW: S. Hoffman, J. Holmberg, L. Hoebing, T. Melcher, R. Reilly, K. Kelly, D. Zabawa, J. Schumacher. SECOND ROW : Coach Younger, K. Kline, V. Paprocki, J. Jarecki, M. Poe, G. Grubaugh, D. Steiner, J. Lueke, J. Toof, R. Mimick, G. Melliger.



Defensive Unit


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All State-All Star Team


## Cross Country



FIRST ROW: L. Pallas, W. Kurtenbach, D. Kneifel, F. Liss. SECOND ROW: W. Brooks, M. Pile, N. Witt, D. Heimann, Coach Wylie.

## Personal Records

Team Meets

### 1.9 MILE COURSE

| Bill Brooks (New School Record) | $9: 44.5$ | Columbus Lakeview | Dual |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :---: |
| Daniel Kneifel | $10: 10.0$ | Wahoo | Invitational |
| Norman Witt | $10: 21.0$ | Fremont Bergan | Dual |
| Duane Heimann | $11: 31.0$ | Stromsburg | Invitational |
| Larry Pallis | $12: 07.0$ | David City Aquinas | Dual |
| Bill Kurtenbach | $12: 38.0$ | Centennial Conference |  |
| Fred Liss | $13: 06.0$ | Pius X | Dual |
| Mike Pile | $13: 23.0$ | District Meet at Wayne |  |



VARSITY ROUNDBALLERS. FIRST ROW: F. Mielak, D. Brock, Mr. Spenceri, D. Gonka, K. Schrad, W. Kurtenbach. SECOND ROW: R. Shonka, J. McMeekin, T. Thomas, M. Malmstrom, D. Heimann, T. Jicha, J. Brock, D. Briggs, J. Shadle, T. Zabawa.

## Basketball Record

| WE | THEY |
| :--- | :--- |
| 60 | 26 |
| 51 | 34 |
| 50 | 56 |
| 62 | 65 |
| -- | -- |
| 65 | 69 |
| 67 | 58 |
| 57 | 88 |
| 43 | 53 |
| 48 | 31 |
| 56 | 45 |
| -- | -- |
| 69 | 59 |
| 67 | 59 |
| 50 | 61 |
| 52 | 82 |
| 89 | 60 |
| 62 | 49 |
| 68 | 65 |
| 71 | 61 |
| 68 | 78 |
| 56 | 51 |
| 54 | 59 |

Elkhorn Mount Michael David City Aquinas G. I. Central Catholic Omaha Paul VI Cath. Conf. Hastings Hastings St. Cecilia David City Aquinas Omaha Cathedral Norfolk Catholic David City Aquinas Fremont Bergan
Centennial Conf. Wahoo Fremont Bergan
Wahoo Neumann
Omaha Cathedral
Wahoo Neumann
Hastings St. Cecilia
Schuyler
Columbus Lakeview Omaha Holy Name Cozad
West Point C. Catholic Central City


fUNIOR VARSITY CAGERS. FIRST ROW: T. Reilly, L. Korger, Mr. Wylie, D. Determan, R. Bogus. SECOND ROW: T. Wibbels, K. Wiehn, T. Thomas, A. Sueper, D. Toof, J. Brock, J. Shadle, J. McMeekin, M. Pile, S. Wolpert, R. Shonka.


STA TMEN, Ken Schrad, Bill Kurtenbach, and Duane Gonka are pleased with the scores.


Coach Spenceri gives a word of advice.



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GOLF TEAM: FIRST ROW: T. Honke, J. Holmberg, T. Melcher, J. Holmberg, Coach Mr. Spenceri. SECOND ROW: R. Tlamka, R. Golden, D. Heimann, D. Briggs, M. Malmstrom.

## Scotus Golf Team records-1972

In the District Golf Meet at Omaha Miracle Hills, Scotus placed 8th out of 26 teams. From a field of 102 players, Mike Malmstrom and Duane Heimann tied for 14th place with an 18 hole total of 86 . Ray Tlamka and Jeff Holmberg finished with 91 and 93 respectively. Five men lettered in golf; Mike Malmstrom, Ray Tlamka, Terry Honke, Steve Niedbalski and Jeff Holmberg. All will return next year.

SCHEDULED MEETS AND THE RESULTS
LOST--S cotus 175. . . Norfolk Catholic 159
WON---Scotus 175... Aquinas 226
WON---Scotus 184. . Wahoo Neumann 209
LOST--Scotus 178. . . Columbus High Reserves 168
LOST--S cotus 182. . . Schuyler 178
WON---First Place Centennial Conference Golf Meet at Wahoo

WON---First Place Catholic Conference Golf Meet at the Elks Country Club


VARSITY TRACK TEAM. FIRST ROW: M. Pile, J. Liss, J. Lueke, T. Mimick. SECOND ROW: J. Shadle, T. Thomas, D. Steiner, D. Brock, J. Brock. THIRD ROW: S. Bruegger, J. McMeekin, T. Jicha, G. Grubaugh, M. Snead, R. Reill FOURTH ROW: R. Korgie, J. Micek, J. Zuerlein, T. Zabawa. COACHES: Mr. Younger, Mr. Puetz, Mr. Fendrick, Mr. Heth.

RIGHT: Tom Jicha and Dan Brock, outstanding senior trackmen in 1972. They were the only two seniors to qualify for the State Meet. Tom represented Scotus in the long jump. Dan in the shot-put. Underclassmen who qualified were: Larry Moser, triple jump; Joe McMeekin, high jump, and the 440 Relay team of Fritz Schwank, Jerry Liss, Tom Zabawa and Jim Brock.


FIRST ROW: L. Moser, R. Shonka, T. Blahak, W. Kurtenbach, J. Kobus, J. Siegal. SECOND ROW: D. Steiner, S. Wolpert, C. Melliger, P. Zuerlein. THIRD ROW: R. Bogus, D. Wemhoff, K. Schrad. FOURTH ROW: R. Peterson, F. Schwank.

Pius - Crete Indoor Omaha Indoor
Nebraska Catholic Conference-Varsity -Freshmen
Lakeview-Aquinas Lakeview Invitational Central City Dual Knights of Columbus Randolph Invitational Lakeview- ClarksonLakeview- Clarkson4th
Nebraska Centennial Conference ..... 1st
District
Varsity-Freshmen
State4th
Schuyler Freshmen Invitational ..... 1st
Team Record 49-
Most valuable performer . . . . Dan Brock Captain . Outstanding Efforts
Dan Brock- Shot Put .
Low Hurdles
Tom Jicha-Triple Jump.
Joe McMeekin-High Jump. STATE QUALIFIERS
Dan Brock. .... Shot Put, Larry Moser-Triple Jump, Tom Jicha . . . . Long Jump, Joe McMeekin-High Jump.
Mile Relay. . . . Ton Zabawa, Jerry Liss, Fritz Schwank, Jim Brock




GIRLS' TRACK TEAM. FIRST ROW: J. Czuba, D. Novotny, M. Czuba, M. Jochum, L. Brooks, Coach, Miss Meier. SECOND ROW: C. Wieser, J. Jasper, V. Byers, J. Roy, K. McNair. THIRD ROW: J. Chlopek, C. Heimann, D. Bonk, C. Dowd, B. Grubaugh, G. Becker.


GIRLS TRACK RECORD
Track Events
3/28
4/ 6
4/12
4/18
4/28
4/ 5
5/13
5/13 State
Brenda Grubaugh Cindy Heimann and Mary Cuba qual fied for State. Brenda won 4th place in 100 yd dash, 5th


Results Catholic Conference Aquinas-Lakeview Triangular Aquinas Dual Four Schools Meet Centennial District State


## Shamrock Booster Club

SENIOR SQUAD LEADERS
Bette Henggeler Roberta Kresha Patricia Kosiba Pam Michaelsen Kathy Mimick

## JUNIOR SQUAD LEADERS

Jo Ann Chlopek Adelaide Haney Susan Heimann Debra Maguire Jackie Uphoff

SOPHOMORE SQUAD LEADERS
Jane Bruner
Julia Fuchs
Nancy Gdowski Bonnie Kudron
Joette Roy
Debra Welker
Karen Wennekamp
Betty Zoucha
FRESHMAN SQUAD LEADERS
Danette Cerny
Lynne Duren
Susan Schaecher
Pam Uphoff
Penny Uphoff
Peggy Zuerlein


The Booster Club Sponsors these Activities:

March of Dimes Poppy Drive T V Raffle
Honey Sunday Drive
Candy Sales
Sloppy Joe Feed

Water Melon Feed Parents' Night Concession Stand Serve Tables for Numerous Dinners


Tense moments are reflected here, but some games raised their spirits and always the girls cheered the boys on to do their best, win or lose, the cheers rang out.

## Spirited squad captures all

"We'll take it all, Shamrocks! was their yell and that is what the Varsity Cheering Squad did at the National Cheerleaders Association Clinic at Chadron, 1971. The seven spirited girls brought home a blue SUPERIOR ribbon and the SPIRIT STICK, every evening after competition with the other 400 girls attending. At the end of the week, the final laurels, the Coca Cola award presented to the best squad and the SPARK PLUG, which was voted upon by all the girls and presented to the most spirited squad, was awarded to our Scotus cheerleaders. Susan Shonka was chosen from the squad to be an instructor at the 1972 NCA Clinics.

MEMBERS OF THE SQUAD. READ UP: G. Kosiba, S. Shonka, L. Feehan, B. Slusarski, M. Lueke, K. Robak, C. Dowd, Head Cheerleader.

PEP CLUB OFFICERS AND SPONSORS. Miss Donner, M. Shadle, President, A. Shank, Vice-president, K. Gdowski, Secretary, P. Pile, Treasurer, Sister M. Stephanie.



## 1972

Lettergirls
G. . . Kris Gloor
O. . . Connie Zuerlein

SCOTUS. . . Sharon Gerber
S... Sandra Yosten
H. . . Terri Mrzlak
A. . . Sally Hajek
M. . . Marlene Beiermann
R. . . Kathy Schaecher
O....Patricia O'Hearn
C. . . Susan Gdowski
K. . . Linda Kula
S. . . Lee Oppliger

BELOW: RESERVE CHEERLEADERS.
KNEELING: J. Feehan, C. Abbott. STANDING: B.
Grubaugh, D. Mausbach, M. Michaelsen.


## The Trophies

## and Susie

With a sparkplug like Susan Shonka on the squad, it was quite likely that out Varsity Cheerleaders could win. Susan was chosen from the squad to be an instructor at the Summer Clinics of the NCA in 1972. An outstanding student, Susan was also selected as Senior of the Year by popular vote. Pictured here in her familiar dynamic positions as she cheered the boys on is Susan.



## Scotus S-Club demands effort

The S-CLUB actively sponsored several fund-raising projects like, the annual Faculty-Varsity Basketball game, the showing of a movie which was viewed by Senior and junior high students, and candy sales at the track meets. The proceeds from these activities are used to purchase letter jackets and help pay for the cost of the initiation.

OFFICERS AND SPONSOR. R. Peterson, President, Mr. Puetz, Sponsor, D. Melliger, Vicepresident, T. Wieser, Secretarytreasurer.


## One of our busy days

It is with a bit of pride that we present our 1972 Scotus Annual. Throughout the year staff members have put forth tremendous effort, energy and hard work. We, the editors have tried to capture the highlights of the past year within these pages. We hope that we have expressed your joys and accomplishments, as well as your fears and sorrows in this book. Scotus is a complex society of individuals. It has been our endeavor to picture this complexity, even if we have portrayed only a small part of your school life.

## Pam Trichaeben Bark Slusarski





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Kris and Colleen discuss the Queens page layouts. Not all Queens can plan their pages.

## Concert Chorustwo receive honors

Concert Chorus has produced two girls for All State rank, (right) Sharon Gerber and Terri Mrzlak. Sharon has been further honored to be selected for national honors. She has been chosen to participate in the "America's Youth in Concert" program of the Universal Academy for Music in Princeton, N.J., following nation-wide auditions. The purpose of the program is to show the positive accomplishments of American youth. After intensive rehearsals she will join a group of 460 musicians in a concert tour of the major European cities.

OFFICERS: J. Chlopek, Vice-president, B. Golden, Secretary, K. Bonk, President, Miss Steffen, Director, and Librarians, S. Yosten, S. Gerber, T. Ebner.



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THE THESPIANS, Scotus Drama Club, has in its second year, done much to further the educational background of its members. These students have traveled far to various movies and professional stage plays to get first-hand knowledge of the techniques of drama. The Club is entirely self-supporting, having raised the money by presenting a fall and a spring
play. Both plays were successfully presented and the fall play, "A Man Called Peter", was widely acclaimed for its moral tone. Membership into the club requires much effort on the part of the candidate and work in the Theatre Arts before he can become a pledge and be initiated into the club.

Sponsor, Mr. Fendrick, watches intently as one of the actors goes on stage for his performance.

THESPIANS Kenneth Schrad, President, Damian Zuerlein, Vice-president, Tom Zabawa, Kim Robak, Secretary, Anne Shank, Steve Bruegger, Mr. Fendrick, and Ken Bonk, pose for an off-the set-picture.


## Jets Club promotes Science

TOP: President Damian Zuerlein looks on as Vice-president, Kathy Kopetzky, receives a top award at the Scotus Science Fair which is an annual project of the JETS Club. BELOW: MEMBERS OF THE JETS CLUB. FROM LEFT: C. Wieser, T. Zuerlein, J. Holmberg, J. Holmberg, D. Zuerlein, President, Mr. Wylie, Sponsor, L. Schrad, Secretary, K. Kopetzky, Vice-president, D. Schrad. (not pictured, G. Witt.) Treasurer.


## Student Council meets the

STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS AND MODERATOR. R. Peterson, Vice-president, T. Ebner, Treasurer, B. Henggeler, Secretary, Father Meyer, S. Abbott, President.


## Challenge to serve community

The Student Council adopted the theme Service to School and Community as was suggested by our superintendent, and based all its activities around that goal. The first opportunity to prove its ability to meet a challenge came when it answered the plea for funds to help the Walter Kopetzky family meet the mounting costs of hospital bills and other financial obligations
for sustaining the life of Baby Kent who was born with a heart condition that needed correction. The Council provided overnight hospitality for the St. Mary College Singers who offered to donate proceeds from a Concert if the Council did this. About $\$ 300.00$ was raised for the Fund. Other projects undertaken by the Council were:

Overseas Fund Drive
Thanksgiving Clothing Drive

TV Raffle for Poor at Christmas

Shamrocks for
Muscular Dystrophy
Twirp Dance

LEFT: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kopetzky and son Kent Kopetzky

BELOW: St. Mary College Singers, Xavier, Kansas, presented a concert for Kopetzky Fund.


## Charter members of National

## Honor Society are recognized

## at induction ceremony

Maintaining a "B" average or better for four years in high school is an enviable achievement that the senior members of the National Honor Society (below) have attained. Scholarship is only one of the pre-requisites for member me mbership in the National Honor Society. Leadership, Character, and Service are the other three desirable qualities that a Charter Member must possess in order to be admitted. Pictured below are the Charter Members and officers with their sponsor. SEATED: P. Mirr, L. Kula, S. Gdowski, M. Sprunk. STANDING: D. Melliger, K. Sueper, Mrs. Peck, Sponsor, S. Shonka, Secretary, T. Plazcek, Vice-President, T. Wieser, President, E. Miksch, N. Witt.


## Probationers will

## strive for goals

Juniors, Sophomores and Freshmen were admitted to the status of a Probationer in the National Honor Society as an incentive to work for high ideals throughout their high school career. Requisites for election are the same as those for Charter Members.
FIRST ROW: A. Haney, K. Gdowski, J. Jasper,
K. Kopetzky, J. Roy, G. Oppliger, K. Wieser,
J. Uphoff. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Peck, Moderator, A. Shank, M. McNair, B. German, L. Feehan,
M. Liss, S. Heimann, J. Kopetzky, J. Bruner,
D. Welker, C. Sobotka, C. Sprunk, C. Thiele, B. Kudron. THIRD ROW: K. Robak, J. Dvorak, D. Toof, J. Brock, T. Sutko, L. Cannon, T. Zabawa, W. Heimann, J. Holmberg, G. Becker, J. Fuchs. T. Wibbels. (Not pictured).

RIGHT: Dr. Otto Snar, Field Co-ordinator for Community Relations at Platte College. Dr. Snar was guest speaker at the Convocation and Induction Ceremonies this year.


The Scostistics Staff enjoys its product

RIGHT: COEDITORS: Roberta Kresha and Gail Kosiba.


## Scostistics Staff

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## Mu Alpha Theta Math Club

The major project of the Math Club this year was to tutor at the local Catholic Schools, St. Anthony, St. Bonaventure, and St. Isidore. Club members gave up study halls and free time to go to the various classrooms and give aid to individuals or small groups of children having difficulty with mathematics. The teachers reported the project a success and students enjoyed working with younger children. Some members also, participated in the National Math Contest at Creighton University. Loretta Feehan placed second in the Mathematics division in the Platte College Recognition Day exams for high school students. She received a waiver of one semester tuition at the College for an award.

Shown in the picture at the left are the officers and sponsor, Marilyn Sprunk, Susan Gdowski and Sister M. Laura, O.S.F.


FIRST ROW:
K. Gdowski
J. Jasper
S. Heimann
B. German

SECOND ROW:
M. Sprunk
P. Mirr
L. Feehan
S. Gdowski
A. Shank

THIRD ROW:
K. Kopetzky
J. Niedbalski
A. Haney
K. Robak

Sister Laura

## Junior Legion of Mary promotes Christian living

The Junior Legion of Mary has as its purpose the promotion of a religious consciousness in school life as well as in the home life through prayer and acts of charity. Each week the Legion meets for a prayer together and to plan the work schedule for the following week. It encourages attendance at the Holy Mass and prayer in school and in the community. Once a month
members of the group visit and entertain the elderly people at Mory's Haven. Other projects include: visits to the sick or shut-ins around Columbus, attendance at a Holy Hour of Adoration at St. Bonaventure Church on every First Saturday, and giving a Parent Educator Set to new mothers at St. Mary's Hospital.

Pictured below seated around the table are members of the Junior Legion of Mary. L. Scott, D. Ciboron, S. Malmstrom, and T. Scott. STANDING: Sister M. Bernardis, L. Markytan, D. Briggs, D. Fritz, C. Bixenmann, M. McNair, and Mrs. L. Micek.




Father Emmett F. Meyer, School Superintendent of Scotus Central Catholic.

## Service - a goal

Throughout this year Father Meyer, our Superintendent, has spoken to us of the service that we can do for mankind. His opening talk to the students in the beginning of the school year was based on the theme "Service to Mankind. " At that time he enumerated the many ways we could help our school, our community, and each other. He asked us to adopt "Service" as the theme for the year and to base our activities around that goal. Many times during the year he has again repeated it. With his patience, his encouragement, and his understanding, he has been helpful to us in achieving the task to which we set ourselves for the service of others. We feel proud of our accomplishments and thank you, Father Meyer, for directing our energies into the activities that we did choose so as to be of service as you requested. Now as school ends, we can proudly say in our report "Mission Accomplished. ${ }^{\prime}$



## Stand proud, sister

## you were great

The following excerpts are taken from Scotus school publications in which our Principal, Sister M. Bernardis, O.S.F. has voiced her qualities of Leadership.
"Your IDEAL is that of a person formed to the Heart of Christ. Your IDEA is how you form this image in yourself. "
'67 SCOTUS ANNUAL
"With all the EFFORT that goes into a worthwhile task, one wonders how to recapture the SPIRIT used to continue over long periods of time to constantly produce SUCCESS."

SCOTISTICS. Vol. 5, No. 3.
"Our CONCERN is the development of the individual's talents . . . The self-study had the sole purpose of improving the quality of education that a student can get in Scouts."
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"It takes COURAGE to give SERVICE to others; it means giving of self, of our time and talent. Let us be one who does not exist for self, but for the good of the community and the good of the school. "

SCOTISTICS, Vol. 7, No. 1
"We all live in a world of PURPOSE--how long, and when we leave, is in the plan of God. Yet we live here only once and hardly realize the value of this TIME that is given to us."

SCOTISTICS, Vol. 7, No. 2
". . . the FAITH that I am referring to is that SPIRITUAL quality that leads us to do good and avoid evil. '

SCOTISTICS, Vol. 7, No. 4



TOP: Father Charles Potocki, O.F.M., and a group of junior religion students. ABOVE: Father Regis Watts, O.F.M., Pastor of St. Bonaventure Church is also an instructor of Religion at Scotus. RIGHT: Rev. John Rizzo, Pastor of St. Rose of Lima Church, Genoa teaches junior high Religion.



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ABOVE: Mr. Puetz, Head Coach for Football and Track, Sponsor of the SClub and homeroom freshman sponsor. He teaches Social Studies and History at Scotus senior high. RIGHT: Miss Jahn teaches Bookkeeping and Shorthand. She assumed the secretarial office duties as a substitute for Mrs. Kudron is the beginning of the school year.


LEFT: Rev. Francis Price, Pastor of St. Isidore Church. Father Price teaches religion to the freshmen at Scotus. He is shown chatting with Brother Frank in a candid shot below. Brother Frank Kordek, A Deacon from the Catholic Theological Union in Chicago, spent six months here in St. Bonaventure and taught religion in the junior high at Scotus. Brother Frank's Ordination to the Priesthood was solemnized on June 3, 1972. Congratulations, Father.



RIGHT: Miss Donner teaches Social Studies, is homeroom sponsor of juniors and co-sponsor of the Booster Club.


## The people a student needs

TOP: DEDICATED SCOTUS CAFETERIA LADIES. Mrs. Lange, Mrs. Haney, Mrs. Shefcyk, Mrs. Brezenski, Mrs. Fletcher, Cafeteria Manager, Mrs. Chavanu, Mrs. Bitter, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Szudlo, Miss Maag.

BELOW LEFT: Sister Bernardis' secretary, Mrs. Keating, has given Scotus a lot of daily service in the office. BELOW : RIGHT: Mrs. Jochum is the new office assistant to Father Meyer's secretary.



ABOVE: S ister Marguerite teaches Social Studies in senior high and junior high.

TOP RIGHT: Mrs. Mark Kudron is secretary of Father Meyer. "Diane" had other duties this year with the arrival of her son, Scott.

RIGHT: S ister Catherine Ann assumed the charge of the bookstore and detention lists. She helps out in the library and also the study hall.


## Science and Mathematics



Mr. Younger teaches Biology, Earth Science and Physiology. He is also Athletic Director and coaches the freshman basketball team.

Mr. Wylie demonstrates the principles of the pulley to his students in Physics. He teaches Geometry and Algebra, is the Jets Club sponsor and conducts the Science Fair. He coached the Cross Country team.


RIGHT: Sister Laura teaches Algebra II, Business Mathematics and is the sponsor for the Math
Club. She also is homeroom sponsor for freshmen.


## Languages and Music

RIGHT: Miss Steffen is the music director for senior and junior high. Her choral groups have performed in several concerts for the public.

LEFT: Sister Colette Chats with her Spanish students. Students showed a great interest in Spanish this year. Sister shared her trip to Spain by showing her slides to them. Sister also teaches Earth Science and Chemistry. She is the Scotus Annual Moderator.


# Languages <br> Physical Ed Counseling 

TOP RIGHT: Mrs. Peck, head of the English Department and Senior homeroom sponsor. She also sponsors the National Honor Society.

BOTTOM: LEFT: Mr. Benner teaches English in senior high and junior high.

BOTTOM: RIGHT: Mr. Heth is the Guidance Counselor but also has Typing. He is a senior sponsor and assistant football coach.


Sister Stephanie teaches English, is a junior homeroom and Pep Club sponsor.


Mr. Fendrick teaches Drama, Speech, Journal ism, Drivers Edu. and is adviser for the Scotistics.



Miss Meier teaches German I and II, Physical Education, Girl's Track and is a freshman homeroom sponsor.


ABOVE: Mr. Spenceri with Lisa and Scott. Mr. Spenceri teaches P.E. in junior and senior high, is head basketball coach and assistant football coach, trains a golf team and is an eighth grade homeroom sponsor.


ABOVE: Mr. Kurtenbach, our Maintenance man and Custodian is always on the job. BELOW: LIBRARIANS, Miss Hadcock, Miss Berrigan are assisted by Mr. Jane. We find the library a pleasant place and the librarians are always helpful.



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The emotions you have
From the many years of hard work.

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Alone or not and
Bursting with the
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So often I have done this, But only now it really Comes to my mind and My feelings, partially of Relief, and of pride for What is achievement, For what I have done. Thankfulness
For the opportunity and love For the beautiful people I've had the chance to know. I turn- one tear and Heavy footsteps follow As I walk out the door Into my future.

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