

# CONRADIAN '61

SILVER ANNIVERSARY  
EDITION

[www.conradhighschool.com](http://www.conradhighschool.com)

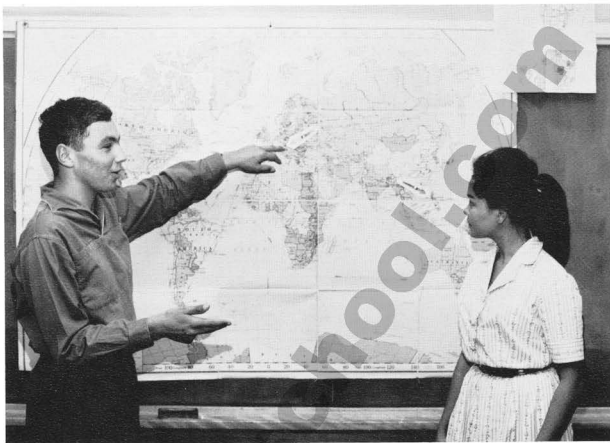
**The 1961 Conradian**  
**Henry C. Conrad High School**  
**Woodcrest, Wilmington 4, Delaware**



**SILVER ANNIVERSARY ISSUE**

**Printed by Taylor Publishing Co.**  
**Dallas, Texas**

**[www.conradhighschool.com](http://www.conradhighschool.com)**



Foreign Exchange students: Heribert Hoefler of Austria, better known as "Herb," points out his native country to Cielo Burce of the Philippine Islands.

## Seniors Adopted Exchanges, Cielo and Herb

**THOMAS H. ABBOTT:** "Tom"; F.F.A. 2; Football Team Manager 3, 4. **GLENN P. ADAMS:** "Jimmie"; Baseball 2, 3; Football 4. **EILEEN ADKINS:** Y-Teens 2; Sock and Buskin 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Press Club 3. **JUDITH AHERN:** "Judy"; Future Nurses' Club 3, 4. **PECHOULIA E. AIKEN:** "Tyne"; Future Homemakers 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4. **BONNIE F. ALFREE:** Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Choralliers 2, 3; School Choir 4; Press Club 4.





**MARJORIE E. ANDERSON:** "Marge"; Band 2, 3, 4; F.N.A. 3, 4; Oreads 3; Sock and Buskin 4; Press Club 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Library Squad 3; Latin Club 4; Y-Teens 2. **SYLVESTER C. ANDERSON:** "Sue"; Twirling Corps 4; Sock and Buskin 4; Safe Drivers' League 4. **JOHN C. BARNETT:** Band 3, 4; Visual Aids 3, 4.

## Seniors Look Upon Past With



**DARLENE L. BECKMAN:** Commercial Club 4. **FREDERICK A. BENOIT:** "Rick"; Football 2, 3, 4; Bowling Club 3; Weightlifting 4; Track 4. **RONALD J. BIANCO:** "Ron"; Varsity Basketball 3; Varsity Football 2, 3, 4; Vice-President of Class 2, 3; Varsity C Club. **DIANE E. BISHOFF:** "Deedy"; Biology Club 2; F.N.A. 3; Oreads 3; Conradian Staff 3, 4; Baton Twirler 2, 3, 4; Majorette 4; Latin Club 3, 4; Ice Skating 3; Guidance Aides 4. **SELMA BLOODWELL:** "Redhead"; Spanish Club 4; Y-Teens 4. **ANNE BOISVERT.**



**GEORGE BOWEN:** Cross Country 4; Wrestling 4; Bowling Club 3. **LAVAL C. BOYCE:** "Dick." **EMILY M. BOYER:** "Em"; Band 2, 3, 4; Math Club 3; Oreads 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Copy Editor of Yearbook 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Smoke Signal Staff 4; Varsity C in Scholarship; Girls' Glee Club 2; Spanish Club 4. **DONNA BRENEGAN, ROBERT BRIED:** "Bob"; President of Student Council 4; Varsity Football 2, 3, 4; Varsity Golf 2, 3, 4; Band 2; Varsity C Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Class Council Representative 2, 3, 4. **KATHLEEN V. BROWN:** "Kathy"; Girls' Chorus 2; D.Y.F.A. 2; F.T.A. 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 4. **KENT D. BROWN:** Intramural Basketball 2; Bowling Club 3; Student Council 4; Hi-Y 4. **CIELO A. BURCE:** "Ciel"; Student Council; Senior Council; Oreads—President; Spanish Club—Vice-President; Y-Teens; Choir; Press Club, American Field Service.

## Affection; Future With Longing





"... Mr. Touchdown, Conrad High," Seniors sing out at a pep rally.



## Seniors Become Instruments of

**LOUIS BURRIS:** "Lou"; Band 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4. **JOHN CAMPANELLI:** "Camp." **LOIS J. CAMPBELL:** Student Council 2, 3; Oreads 3, 4. **ROBERT CARPENTER:** "Bob"; Senior Council 4.





JOHN CIANCIO: "Jack." LEE O. CLARK: "Lee"; Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Smoke Signal 4; Oreads 4; Student Leaders 4; French 4. SUSANNE CLARK: "Sue"; F.H.A. 3; Y-Teens 2, 3; ELIZABETH A. CLEMENTONI: "Betty"; F.H.A. 4; Commercial Club 4. EUGENE A. CLOUD: "Gene"; Football 4. HELEN A. COFFIEY: Student Council 3; Library Squad 4; Girls Basketball 4. ERNEST COLE: "Bevo"; Basketball 3, 4; Track 3, 4. CAROL COLMERY: "Colm"; Sock and Buskin 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 3, 4; Oreads 3, 4; Student Council 4; Press Club 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4.

## Curriculum Experimentation

JOSEPH E. CONEY: "Joe"; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Secretary 4; Student Council 2; Varsity "G" Club 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3, 4. MARY JEAN CONLEY: F.H.A. 3; Library Aides 3, 4. JO ANNE COULBOURN: "Candy." SYLVIA J. COVERDALE: "Jean." JANE E. COVERT: Softball 2, 4; F.H.A. 3; Basketball 4. JOHN G. COYLE: "Jess"; J.V. Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 4.



**WILLARD G. CRICHTON:** "Willie."  
**DIANNE F. CROCKER:** Hockey 4;  
 F.H.A. 3, 4; Flag Twirling 4; Y-Teens  
 2, 3, 4; Basketball 4. **DAWN E.  
 CROSSAN, FRANKLIN R. CROWE:**  
 "Frank"; Smoke Signal 4; Latin Club 4.  
**J. DIANE CUNNINGHAM:** Basketball  
 3, 4; F.T.A. 3; Color Guard 4; Smoke  
 Signal 4. **FIRMIN deBRABANDER:**  
 "Fump"; Football 2, 4.



## After School Activities

**LINDA LEE DELLIQUANTI:** Biology Club 2.  
**JENNIFER D. DESMOND:** "Jennie"; Sock  
 and Buskin 3. **JUDITH E. DISALVO:** "Judy";  
 Smoke Signal 4. **ANTHONY J. DOBROSIEL-  
 SKI:** "Tony." **SHARON L. DOOCHAK:** J.V.  
 Hockey 3; Press Club 4; F.N.A. 4; Flag  
 Twirling Corps 3, 4, Captain 4. **RONALD S.  
 ECK:** "Ronnie"; Ice Skating Club 3; Year-  
 book 4; Senior Council 4; Hi-Y 4; Safe  
 Drivers' League 4. **JAMES L. EVANS:** "Jim";  
 J.V. Football 2. **JOAN M. EYRE:** Oreads 3,  
 4; F.N.A. 4.



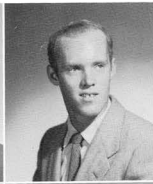


Music occupies as important a part in our varied curriculum as do our solid subjects. Margaret Smith and Joan Murphy practice under the watchful eyes of Mr. David Casto, music director.

## Lure Seniors Daily



**CARL P. FEDKIW:** Football 4. **FRED-ERICK L. FERGUSON:** "Fred"; Varsity Basketball 4. **JOHN FINAN:** "John." **ROBERT E. FISHER:** "Bob"; Biology Club 2; A Ceppela Choir 3, 4; German Club 3, 4; Bowling Club 4; Hi-Y 4; D.Y.F.A. 2, 3; Smoke Signal 3, 4.





**BONNIE C. FITZSIMMONS:** "Bon";  
 Sock and Buskin 4, **SHIRLEY A. FLOWE:**  
 Basketball 3, 4, **BARBARA J.**  
**FRANCIS:** Mixed Chorus 3, 4; F.T.A.  
 3, 4; Biology Club 2; Latin Club 3, 4,  
**RICHARD D. FULMER:** "Kubie."

## First "Split Class"



**JOHN J. GAHAN:** "Chauncy"; Band  
 2, 3, 4; Smoke Signal Editor-in-chief  
 3, 4; Conradian Managing Editor 4;  
 National Honor Society 3, 4; Quill  
 and Scroll Honor Society 3; Latin  
 Club Vice-President 3, President 4;  
 Ice Skating Club 3, **ROGER GERRES,**  
**DONALD E. GOLON:** "Don"; Cross  
 Country 4, **MARGARET GRABLIS:**  
 "Peg." **JAMES G. GREGG:** "Jim";  
 Varsity Club 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4;  
 Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4;  
 President Senior Class, **M. ROBERTA**  
**GRYAN:** "Bobbie"; Cheerleader 4;  
 Sock and Buskin 3.



HELEN M. HANSON: "Shortie." WAYNE D. HANSON: "Tail"; Tennis 2, 3, 4; J.V. Basketball 3; Tennis Club; Varsity Cross Country 4. WILLIAM D. HARLOW: "Bill"; Sock and Buskin 2, 3; President 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 2, 3. BETTY JANE HARPER: "B. J."; Flag Twirling 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2. RONALD J. HARRINGTON: "Ron." KATHLEEN HARRISON: "Kay." FRANK R. HENDERSON: J.V. Football 2; Band 2; Smoke Signal Staff 3; Yearbook Staff 4; Hi-Y 4. CONSTANCE J. HENDRICKSON: "Connie"; Sophomore Council 2; F.N.A. 3, 4; President; Journalism Workshop 4; Bowling Club 4; French Club 4; Treasurer 4.

## Resolves Rivalries





"Troupe's 'Tops' as 'Town' Triumphs"—this Smoke Signal headline reported the success of the Fall Play, *Our Town*, for which the seniors above are rehearsing.



## Varied Interests

ROBERT HILLER: "Mike," ELLEN V. HINRICHS: "Dimples"; Band 2, 3, 4; Smoke Signal Staff 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Guidance Aides 4. JAMES M. HITCHENS: "Jimmy," WILMER H. HOBSON: "Bill"; Biology Club 2.





MARY JANE HODGSON: "Mary Jane"; Junior Achievement 3, 4; Smoke Signal 3. HERBERT HOEFLER: "Herb"; Band 4; Student Council 4. DENNIS B. HOLTON: "Denny"; Biology Club 2; Varsity Baseball 2, 3, 4; J.V. Football 2; Senior Executive Council 4. DELLA MAY HOPKINS: Student Council 2, 3; Junior Achievement 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4. GISELA HOYER: "Gigi"; Biology Club 2; Oreads 3, 4; Library Aides 3, 4; F.T.A. 3, 4, President; Latin Club, Treasurer 3, 4. JOAN HUBBARD: Junior Achievement 4; Smoke Signal 4. JAMES N. HUDSON: "Rock." CHARLOTTE JAMISON: "Char"; Smoke Signal 4.

## Mark Class of '61



BRENDA JAREMCHUK, NANCY R. JEWELL: Library Aides 2, 3. IDA E. JOHNSON: "Bootie"; Home Economics Club 4. PATRICIA L. JOHNSON: "Pat"; J.V. Hockey 2; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Junior Achievement 3, 4; Commercial Club 4. RONALD E. JOHNSON: "Ron." CHARLOTTE A. JONES: "Char"; Flag Twirling 2; Y-Teens 2, 3; Baton Twirler 3, 4; Junior Council; Latin Club 3, 4; Senior Council; Yearbook Staff 4; F.T.A. 4, Treasurer; Choir 4; Smoke Signal Staff 4; Oreads 4.

CHARLOTTE S. JONES, JUDITH A. JONES: "Judy"; Y-Teens 2; Band 2; F.N.A. 3, 4; Choir 3; Latin Club 3, 4; Hockey Manager 4. NANCY L. JONES: "Nance"; Y-Teens 2; Oreads 3. WILLIAM J. JOYCE: "Silky." NANCY J. KAUFFMAN: "Nan"; Oreads 3; Commercial Club 4. WALTER F. KENDALL: "Walt."



## Many Seniors Hold Spare Time Jobs

EMILIA M. KERRIGAN, MARILYN J. KESSEL: Oreads 3; Junior Band Officer 3; Senior Band Officer 4. RICHARD P. KING: "Rich"; Football 2, 3, 4; Varsity C Club 4; Wrestling 3, 4; Student Council 3. MELANIE A. KLESKI: "Mel"; Sock and Buskin Club; Y-Teens; Commercial Club. BRENDA L. KNOTTS: "Bren"; Library Aides 4; F.H.A. 3, 4; Junior Achievement. CAROLYN E. KRESS: "Carol"; Commercial Club 4. JAMES A. KRIDER: "Jim"; J.V. Football 2; Tennis 3; Cross Country 4. LORRAINE C. KUPIS: "Raine"; Basketball; Home Economics Club; Commercial Club.





Casto's terrific trumpeters foot.

## and Acquire Business Experience



**EDWARD W. LANG:** "Eddie"; Football 2; Basketball 4. **SUSAN M. LARSON:** "Mickey"; Y-Teens 3; Basketball. **FRANK H. LAWRENCE:** Football Manager; Radio Electronics Club; Student Council; Senior Council. **MARY H. LEIGHTY:** "Pennie."





**PATRICIA A. LENHOFF:** "Pat"; **GERALDINE M. LEWIS:** "Geri"; F.T.A.; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4. **W. EUGENE LINCOLN:** "Gene"; Latin Club 3, 4; Conradian 3, Editor-in-chief 4; Smoke Signal 3, 4; Sock and Buskin 4. **DEBORAH K. LITCHFIELD:** "Debbie"; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Sock and Buskin 4; Commercial Club 4; J.V. Cheerleading 3; Varsity Cheerleading 4.



## Seniors' Busy Year Seems



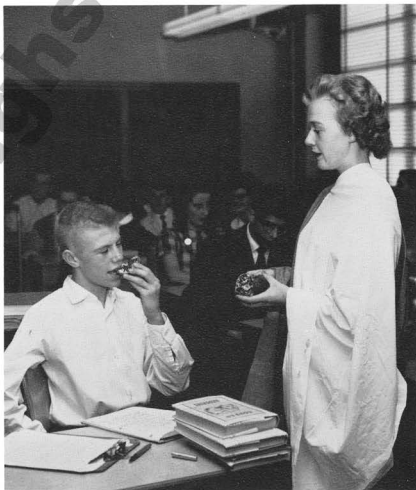
**JANICE D. LIVERMORE:** "Jan"; Band 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Smoke Signal 3, 4; Conradian 4; Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Latin Club 4. **GARY A. LONGSHAW:** "Ferd"; Football 2, Manager 3; Student Council 2, 3; Radio Electronics Club 2, 4; Hi-Y 4; Skating Club 3; Wrestling 2, 4; Conradian 4; Smoke Signal Sports Editor 4. **PAUL W. LOWDEN:** Sock and Buskin 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 2, 3, 4; Choir 4; Band 2, 3, 4. **GEORGE A. LULLI:** **ALFRED MACK:** "Mike"; Football 2, 3, 4.



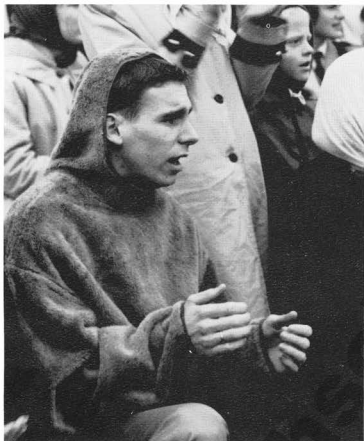


JOANN C. MANSFIELD: "Jayne"; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Oreads 3, 4; Sock and Buskin 3; F.T.A. 2, 3, 4; D.Y.F.A. 3, 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; Junior Council; Senior Council. EARL MARSHALL: "Ronnie"; Football 2. GARY MARSHALL: Football 2; Safe Drivers' League 4; Art Club 4. JAMES B. MARTIN: "Jim." JOYCE McAVANEY: "Johnnie"; Choir 2, 3, 4. MARJORIE J. McBRIDE: "Marjio"; Y-Teens 2; Baton Twirler 3, 4; F.N.A. 4; Hockey 4. CONSTANCE M. McELROY: "Connie"; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; J.A. 3, 4. CAROL J. McGINLEY.

## Very Short



Literally "wrapped up" in her work as Consul of the Latin Club, toga-clad Charlotte gives a slice of pomegranate to a new member.



"Push 'em back, shove 'em back, wa-a-y back!" Fred cheers the Redskins on to victory.



## Seniors Attend

PATRICIA L. McKINLEY: "Pat"; Oreads: Y-Teens 2, 3, 4. DONALD J. McLANE: "Don"; Radio Electronics Club 2; Math Club 3. JOSEPHINE McLAUGHLIN: "Jo"; Conrad Bowling Team. SUZANNE R. McLAUGHLIN: "Suzie"; F.H.A. 2; Sock and Buskin 4.





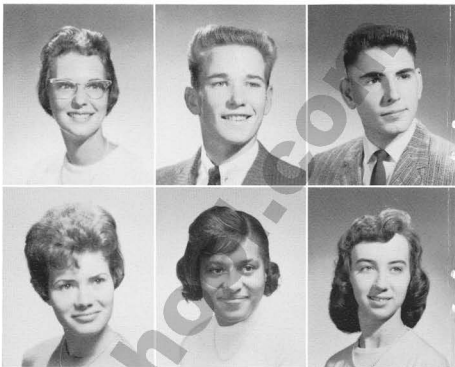
**BARRY W. MEEKINS:** Baseball 2; Basketball 3; Football 2, 3; Tennis 3. **TERRY L. MEEKINS:** "Li'l Meek"; Basketball 3; Weight Lifting 3; Football 2. **JEANNE B. MONGILLO:** "Jean"; Library Aides 2, 4. **JANET E. MOONEY:** J. V. Basketball 2; Ice Skating Club 3; F.N.A. 4; Y-Teens 2, 4. **MARLENE M. MOORE:** Student Council 3. **ROBERT E. MOORE:** "Reggie"; Band 2, 3, 4; D.Y.F.A. 2, 3; C.D. Squad 2, 3, 4. **CHARLES P. MORRIS:** "Lonny"; Football 2. **ROBERT F. MUNDY:** "Moose"; Football 3, 4; Track 3.

## Last Assemblies, Games and Pep Rallies

**JOAN L. MURPHY:** Band 2, 3, 4; F.N.A. 3, 4. **ANTHONY NARDO:** "Tony." **R. ALBERTA NESSELRODT:** "Berta"; F.H.A. 3. **BARBARA NICHOLS:** "Barb"; Hockey 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2; Student Council 3, 4; Beton Twirler 3, Captain 4. **JO ANN M. NOVAK:** "Jo"; Cheerleading 2, 3, Captain 4; Y-Teens 2; Sock and Buskin 3, 4; F.N.A. 4. **JAY R. O'DONALD:** Band 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 2, 3, 4. Latin Club 3.



**CAROL I. OTHESON:** Red Cross Representative 2; Oreads 3. **JAY A. PARTHMORE:** Student Council 2; Junior Class Representative; Varsity Tennis 2, 3, 4; Varsity "C" Club 3, 4; Latin Club 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4. **PAUL R. PHILLIPS:** Band 2, 3, 4. **SUSAN PHILLIPS:** "Sue"; Hockey; Y-Teens; Basketball Manager; Junior and Sophomore Executive Council. **ARLETTA J. PIERCE:** "Lady"; Basketball; Hockey; F.N.A. **KAREN POLLITT:** Student Leader Corps 2, 3, 4.



## Anxious Seniors Await Notification

**CAROLE POWELL:** "Poupsie." **RONALD POWELL:** "Ronnie"; Electronics Club; Intramural Basketball 3; Wrestling 3. **LEONA PRICE:** "Lee"; Choir; F.T.A. **CHARLES M. PRIEBE:** "Charlie"; Cross Country 4; Football 3; Wrestling 3. **LINDA L. RALPH:** "Lin"; Sock and Buskin 2, 3, 4; Press Club 3, 4; Play (Mrs. McThing) 3. **PETER RAYIAS:** "Pete"; Electronics Club 2; Visual Aids 4. **RUSSELL READ:** "Nurse"; Smoke Signal 3; Sock and Buskin 3; Biology Club 2; Visual Aids 3. **COLLEEN REGETZ.**





What's this? Is Ken studying to be a "hood"? P.S. We know it's a college, but if you get in, tell us how, Ken.

Signed,  
The Male Students at Conrad.

## of College Acceptance



FRANCIS REMBECKI: "Frank." LEON-  
ARD J. REYNOLDS: "Len." NANCY K.  
RICHARDSON: Y-Teens 2; Student  
Council 2, 3, 4. SHARRY ROBERTS:  
Y-Teens 2; F.H.A. 2; Bowling Club 4.





**JAMES L. ROBINSON:** "Jim"; Sophomore Council; Junior Council; J.V. Football 2; J.V. Basketball 2. **RONALD E. ROBINSON:** "Ronnie." **WALTER ROISH:** "Walt." **BERNICE ROMANIAK:** "Bernie"; Junior Achievement 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3; Hockey 4; Commercial Club 4.



## Exchange of Name Cards



**RUSSELL H. ROUH:** Wrestling 2, 3, 4. **KENNETH R. SAYLOR:** "Soupy"; J.V. Football 2; Varsity Baseball 3. **SUZANNE E. SEABURG:** "Sue"; Y-Teens 2; Press Club 3; F.N.A. 3, 4. **DONNA L. SHELIN:** "Trixie"; Dramatics Club; Chorus Club; Speech Club; Cheerleader 2, 3. **FRANCIS B. SHORT:** "Franny"; Library Squad 3, 4.



**KATHRYN A. SHORT:** "Kathy"; Library Squad 2, 3, 4; F.N.A. 3, 4. **JAMES M. SHROUDS:** "Jim." **SUSAN R. SIANNI:** "Sue." **ELIZABETH A. SINGER:** "Betty Ann." **JOSEPH P. SISOFO:** "Joe"; Football 3, 4; Senior Council. **JEAN A. SKINNER:** Y-Teens 2; F.T.A. 3; Softball Manager 3, 4; F.N.A. 4; J.V. Basketball 2, 3; Varsity Basketball 4; Color Guard 2, 3, Captain 4; Choir 4. **MARGARET J. SMITH:** "Marg"; Y-Teens 2; Oreads 3; Band 2, 3, 4—President 4; All-State Band 3; F.N.A. 4; Oreads 3.

## Creates Stir Among Seniors





Wild cheering breaks out as a Redskin crosses the goal line.



## With Misty

**SANDRA J. SMITH:** "Sandy"; Press Club 3; Sock and Buskin 3, 4. **THOMAS A. SPAIN:** "Tom"; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Tennis 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 3, 4. **TAMERON S. SPIVEY:** "Tammy"; Softball 3; Junior Red Cross. **RONALD SPURLOCK:** J.V. Basketball 3; Cross Country 4; Choir 4; Student Council 3.

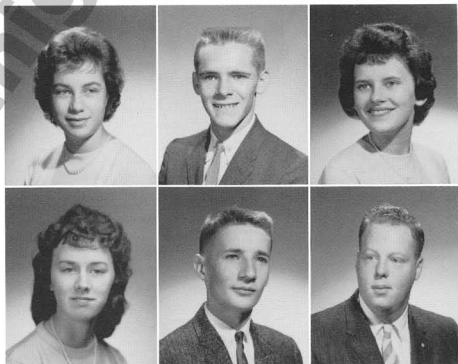




G. ARTHUR SURO: "Art"; Sophomore Council; Student Council. BARBARA A. SWIDERSKI, PATIA E. TAYLOR: Baton Twirler 2, 3, 4; Hockey; Y-Teens. KENNETH E. THOMPSON: "Kenny"; D.Y.F.A. 2; Civil Defense Squad 2; J.V. Basketball 3; Varsity Baseball Manager 3; Band 2, 3, 4. BARBARA TURTORO: "Barb." VIVIAN VAPAA: "Viv"; Commercial Club 4; Art Club 3, 4. JUDITH VERNON: "Judy"; Oreads 3, 4; F.N.A. 3, 4; Baton Twirler 2, 3, 4; Senior Council; Junior Executive Committee. MARY T. VINCENT: "Terry."

## Eyes Seniors Bid Adieu to Conrad

ANNE L. WALTERS, STANLEY A. WAYNE: "Stosh"; Dance Band 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4, Band Vice-President 4. KATHRYN A. WEST: "Kassy." BARBARA A. WHITE: "Sue." GERALD A. WIEST: "Jerry." CLAY A. WILL: Football 2, 3, 4; Electronics Club 2, 3, 4.



FRANKLIN M. WILLIAMSON:  
 "Frank." MARGARET L. WILLIAM-  
 SON: "Peggy." DONALD J. WILLIS:  
 "Don"; Football 3; Wrestling 2, 4;  
 Visual Aids 4.



Senior cheerleaders defy the law of gravity.

## Seniors Experienced Active

RONALD L. WILMORE: "Puggy."  
 CONSTANCE P. WILT: "Connie"; Sock  
 and Buskin 3, 4; Commercial Club 4.  
 GRACE M. WITT: Sock and Buskin 4;  
 Smoke Signal 2; Commercial Club 4.  
 CAROL ANN WITSIL: Sock and Bus-  
 kin 3, 4; Biology Club 2. EDWARD  
 J. WOLOS: "Eddie." RODMAN P.  
 YARRINGTON: "Rod."



