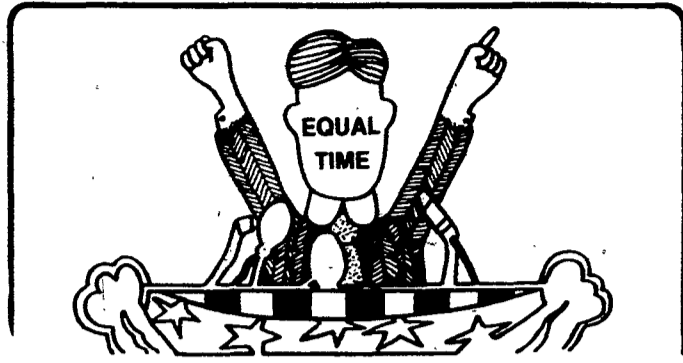


# Rap Around Rap Around Rap Around Rap A



Are women's sports receiving equal emphasis in high school and college?

**CARDINAL MOONEY**

**Charlyn Arnell, senior, field hockey** ...

"Yes, since Title 9, high schools have been pressured to put more emphasis on girls' sports. Colleges are offering a lot more scholarships to female athletes. I feel the girls' sports are gaining more of a following — there are more spectators. Basketball is the one sport that is equal, in opportunities offered, to male football. Colleges don't do much recruiting of women athletes because they don't have the budgets since the budgets for girl recruitments is not as plentiful as for say male football budget."



**Mike Poinan, senior, ski club** ...

"Girls' sports are catching up to the male athletic opportunities but they're not equal. They will catch up because the competition is getting good and that is what sports is all about — good competition. Girls' sports are becoming more exciting and they are getting more of a spectator following. The college athletic scholarship programs are not as equal for the women but eventually should become so. Especially when the girls' sports begin drawing the crowds."



**Liz Buckley, junior, ski club** ...

"In high school they are but equal opportunity in college is just starting. Recruiting budgets should be as high as those for male athletes. Because of the women's liberation movement, pressure has been put on the schools for equal benefits for women's sports. Women sports programs are growing in recognition and are gaining a much bigger following."



**Dan Neary, freshman, football** ...

"Yes I think so. But as far as athletic scholarships go, I've only heard of the males getting the bulk of them. I think women's basketball will be as big a drawing game as any male sport. I go see girls' basketball games because my sister plays."



**Jim Thomas, senior** ...

"I think so. It is just beginning. Before there wasn't as much emphasis because they didn't realize girls could perform as well as guys. The colleges are just starting to come around as far as offering scholarships, and they should offer just as much to the girls in college in the line of scholarships as they do the guys."



**George Robbins, junior, varsity soccer** ...

"Yes they are. The recruiting budgets for women are not as equal but because of the women's movement, high schools and colleges are showing a trend toward equality in athletic opportunities for women."



**Luisa Molinini, sophomore** ...

"I think so but there could be more especially in the scholarship programs. I think it will happen eventually. Girls' sports are beginning to draw more crowds and may even exceed the boys' sports. It is the girls involved in sports who have been pushing for and gaining equality."



**Nancy Agostinelli, senior, Student Council** ...

"Emphasis on girls' sports is definitely growing but people are afraid to go to a girls' athletic event because it's a girls' game. I've been on many sport teams and I've asked a lot of kids to come see a game but they don't because they feel it isn't as exciting as a boy's sport. But the trend is changing especially in girls' basketball. Some girls here are getting college athletic scholarships but the recruiting budget for girls aren't even close to that of the male athletic budgets. It has been the girls who participate in sports who have been pushing for an interest in women's athletics."



## McQuaid Achiever

Patrick Horvath, a senior at McQuaid has been named as a semifinalist in the 1978 National Merit Scholarship Program. He scored in the top two per cent of the students who took last year's NMSQT tests and will be competing for a National Merit Scholarship to be awarded in the coming year.



PAT HORVATH

Competition is nothing new for Pat, who has been a member of the McQuaid varsity basketball and golf teams for two seasons. In addition to his athletic activities he has also served his school as a math tutor and "big brother," and has the distinction of being the only student representative on the school's Religious Life Committee.

A member of St. Louis Parish in Pittsford, he served as a staff member in the retreat program and has participated in the Teen Reality Group and Seminar-Genesis Program.

His community involvement includes being a member of the Monroe County Youth Board and a three year volunteer at the United Cerebral Palsy Day Camp.

Besides these activities, Pat is currently a clerk at Star Market. His other jobs have included being a newsboy and working for a summer lawn and gardening service. His previous achievements include finishing as a semifinalist in the 1974 Rochester District Junior Golf Championship, qualifying for the 1975 New York State Junior Golf Championship and serving as first alternate for the 1976 United States Junior Golf Championship from upstate New York.



## AQUINAS

Thursday, Nov. 3 — Assembly, magazine drive begins.  
Saturday, Nov. 5 — SAT tests.  
Tuesday, Nov. 8 — Act One Company to perform.

## CARDINAL MOONEY

Friday, Nov. 4 — Fall concert; 8 p.m.  
Monday, Nov. 7 — Grades are due.  
Wednesday, Nov. 9 — Assembly, Up with People musical group to perform.

## DESALES

Monday, Nov. 7 — First quarter report cards; Faculty meeting.

## MCQUAID

Friday, Nov. 4 — Report cards distributed; Bazaar.  
Saturday, Nov. 5 — Bazaar.  
Monday, Nov. 7 — Academic Council meeting; 1:45 p.m.  
Wednesday, Nov. 9 — Parent-teacher meeting; 7:30-8:30 p.m.

## NAZARETH

Thursday, Nov. 3 — Assembly for Spectrum drive; Soph hearing tests; Band meeting, rm. 402; 3-5.30 p.m.  
Sunday, Nov. 6 — Athletic Association spaghetti dinner; 2-7 p.m.; One Act Play, "Red Queen, White Queen"; 4 p.m.  
Monday, Nov. 7 — Honor Society Induction, 8:30 a.m.  
Tuesday, Nov. 8 — Future Secretary Club Recognition Day; Act One assembly; Department Heads meet, 2:45 p.m.  
Wednesday, Nov. 9 — School pictures

## OUR LADY OF MERCY

Thursday, Nov. 3 — Assembly  
Sunday, Nov. 6 — Alumnae Mass for deceased, 7 p.m.  
Monday, Nov. 7 — Administrative Board meeting, rm. 102; 3 p.m.  
Tuesday, Nov. 8 — Faculty meeting, rm. 404; 3:15 p.m.

## ST. AGNES

Thursday, Nov. 4 — WTNT dance featuring "Back Street"; 8-11 p.m.; Act One Company performance; 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday, Nov. 6 — Open House; 7-9 p.m.  
Monday, Nov. 7 — Theology guest speaker.  
Wednesday, Nov. 9 — Senate Issues assembly.

## Papers in Tons

The Oct. 15 Cardinal Mooney High School paper drive was a success due to the moderators, teachers and the many students who volunteered their time and papers. The drive was sponsored by the school's community service organization, Action for People Association (AFPA).

sophomores and juniors with the sophs taking first place in tonnage of papers received at 53,710 pounds and juniors receiving an award for the best decorated truck. The seniors came in second with tonnage at 53,180 pounds, the juniors third at 51,310 pounds and the frosh fourth, 49,860 pounds.

The event gave the four classes a chance to show their spirit in friendly competition. This year's awards were split between

Proceeds from the drive (\$2,425) will go to Mother Teresa's missionaries in India.

## Tuned to School Life

Among the many clubs and organizations that make up the extracurricular activities at St. Agnes, the public address system stands strong. News, sports, weather and important messages are announced daily through the school's dynamite radio station — WTNT. The girls research, announce and operate the station's programming.

WTNT raised enough money to sponsor an assembly featuring the rock group Duke Jupiter. This year the station is also planning a surprise in the Spring.

On Nov. 4 the station is sponsoring a dance featuring Back Street. It will be held in the gym from 8-11 p.m.

## Retreats Planned

Two mini-retreat afternoons are planned for Nazareth Academy students for Nov. 16-17. These retreats will take place to give the students time out from their ordinary busy days so they can reflect on their lives.

All students will come for classes in the morning. On Wednesday the juniors and seniors will stay for their retreat while the others have a half-holiday. Then on Thursday afternoon freshmen and sophs will have a retreat while the upperclassmen enjoy a half day off from school.



## Congratulations!

Sister Mary Jean, principal of Nazareth Academy, congratulates Sue Johnston and Andrea Fuehrer on their achieving Commended Student Status in the National Merit Scholarship Program.

Last year the radio crew planned a surprise for the student body and faculty.