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Sabetha, Kansas



Foreword

In this annual, fifty years after the first ancestor of the Blue Jay went to press we have tried to present to you in words and pictures our school life as it really is.

Life is much different now from what it was fifty years ago--or is it? They didn't have guided missiles, atomic submarines or satellites. They did not even have electric lights, or radios, or things we think of as necessities now.

But one thing they did have then is a school spirit that peeks out from between these pages.

There must be some great holding power to bring a class scattered all over the United States back to a high school reunion after fifty years. It's intangible, but it is there.

We have tried to capture that certain something in this book. We hope we have succeeded.





In Memoriam

Shirley Ann Robinson

Albert John Beyer

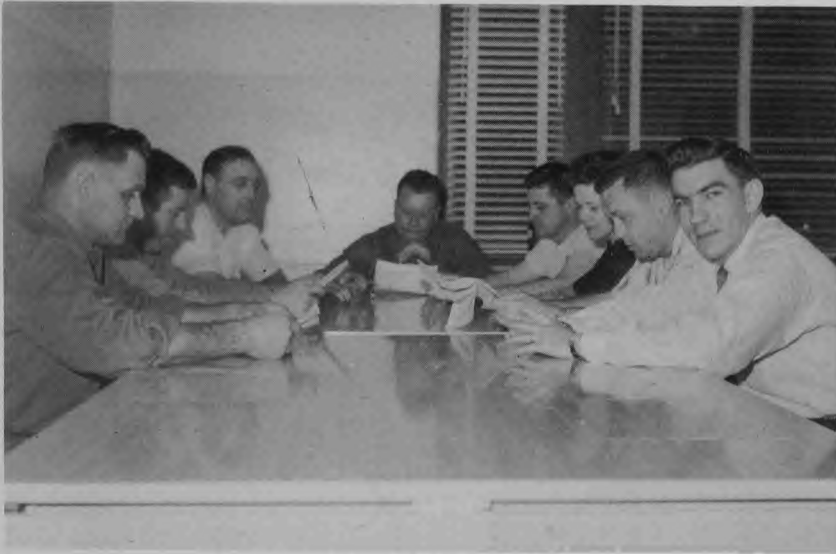
Theirs was such a brief walk on Life's Highway. Still we feel our class and our school are the better for having gone this short span of time with them. We consider it an honor and a privilege to have counted among our number two such happy youth of fine character and talent. Words are oft inadequate but "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God."



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Webster defines faculty as "all the teachers of a school, college or university." A teacher is "one who teaches." This is the literal meaning, but its connotation goes deeper. The dictionary doesn't tell

of sponsoring extracurricular activities, such as sports, organizations, tours, and trips. It doesn't mention the hours of preparation for both the curricular and the extracurricular.



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and Faculty

STANLEY S. BEANS
Superintendent
of Schools

We, the Seniors of 1959, are grateful to Superintendent Beans and the Board of Education for an enjoyable and profitable school year. We have found Mr. Beans friendly, patient, and sympathetic. We like his firmness and respect his authority. Finally, we are happy that the Sabetha Schools are expanding the program and increasing the classroom facilities.



Teaching probably requires more than we as students realize, but sometime we will come to appreciate the debt we owe our teachers, Board of Education, administration, and the educational system.

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Underclassmen



TOP ROW: Douglas Aberle, Janice Aberle, Roger Aberle, Elaine Aeschliman, Wayne Aeschliman, Ronnie Beans, Maurveen Beightel. FOURTH ROW: Jerry Cox, Robert Deaver, Jim Deaver, Lonnie Fletchall, Dave Flentie, Fred Fulton, John Garber. THIRD ROW: Byford Heiniger, Eugene Herrmann, Jim Jellison, Judy Jones, Delbert Kehr, Mike Lanning, Robert Lehmann. SECOND ROW: Willa Metzger, Karla Miller, Dorothy Mishler, Richard Moorhead, Garland Morris, Ruth Okeson, Sara Robinson. FRONT ROW: Sandra Stauffer, Janice Stoldt, Jeanette Stoldt, Phyllis Thiemann, Rita Tibbetts, Billie Walz, Charles Wells.

The Junior Class



TOP ROW: Betty Bell, Ronald Brooks, Steven Clark, Lois Clayton. FOURTH ROW: Garland George, Patty Greene, Karen Hamilton, Everett Hartter. THIRD ROW: Linda Locher, Jackie Lortscher, Bob Marthaler, James Metzger. SECOND ROW: Mary Rokey, Ted Ruse, Eugene Sherrard, Dave Stalder. FRONT ROW: Linda Wenger.

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

- Janice Aberle President
- Judy Jones Vice-President
- Elaine Aeschliman. Secretary-Treasurer
- David Flentie Program Chairman
- John Garber Student Council





TOP ROW: Wilma Ackerman, James Adcock, Richard Ayers, Charles Baskett, Dale Bauman, Calvin Beer, Delmer Beightel. SECOND ROW: Galen Brammer, Steve Broyles, Thayer Buchholz, Monte Carpenter, Norma Clayton, Phillip Close, Alvin Elliott. THIRD ROW: Larry Grimm, Larry Hatz, Stephen Herrmann, Robert Hoffman, Joan Humphrey, Darlene Hylton, Agnes Jones. FOURTH ROW: Marlene Locher, Sue McQuillen, Delwin Meyer, Elaine Meyer, Gary Miller, Danny Mishler, Barry Molineux. FIFTH ROW: Candy Rooney, Melvin Schuette, Richard Scoby, John Showalter, Gordon Snyder, Sandra Smith, D'Ann Strahm.

The Sophomore Class



SOPHOMORE OFFICERS

- Danny Mishler President
- Sue Wertenberger Vice-President
- Patricia Reid Secretary-Treasurer
- Sandra Smith Program Chairman
- Karen Strahm Student Council

TOP ROW: Helen Berge, Phil Bestwick, Gene Bockerstette, Larry Boltinghouse. SECOND ROW: Eldon Ford, Tony Frye, Carol Geiger, Diane Grimm. THIRD ROW: Emma Jones, James Jones, Ferne Kelly, Ellen Lawson. FOURTH ROW: Andy Moorhead, Joe Ott, Lonnie Phillips, Patricia Reid. FIFTH ROW: Karen Strahm, Sue Wertenberger, Delores Wittmer, Ann Zubler.





TOP ROW: Judy Aberle, Fred Aberle, Miriam Aberle, Roger Aeschliman, Eula Mae Alderfer, Betty Bartram, Galen Bauman. SECOND ROW: David Duey, Bert Flack, Claude Flanders, Donald Fletchall, Jan Garber, Elgin Hartter, Roger Hartter. THIRD ROW: Kent Marmet, Carol Metzger, Marjorie Metzger, Sherrill Minneman, Forest Myers, Paul Nickelson, Sharyn Nesbitt. FOURTH ROW: Linda Rokey, Annette Rostetter, Elaine Scoby, Arthur Smith, Ernest Snook, Robert Steiner, Janette Strahm. FIFTH ROW: Mary Watkins, Shirley Wenger, Ethel Zubler.

The Freshman Class

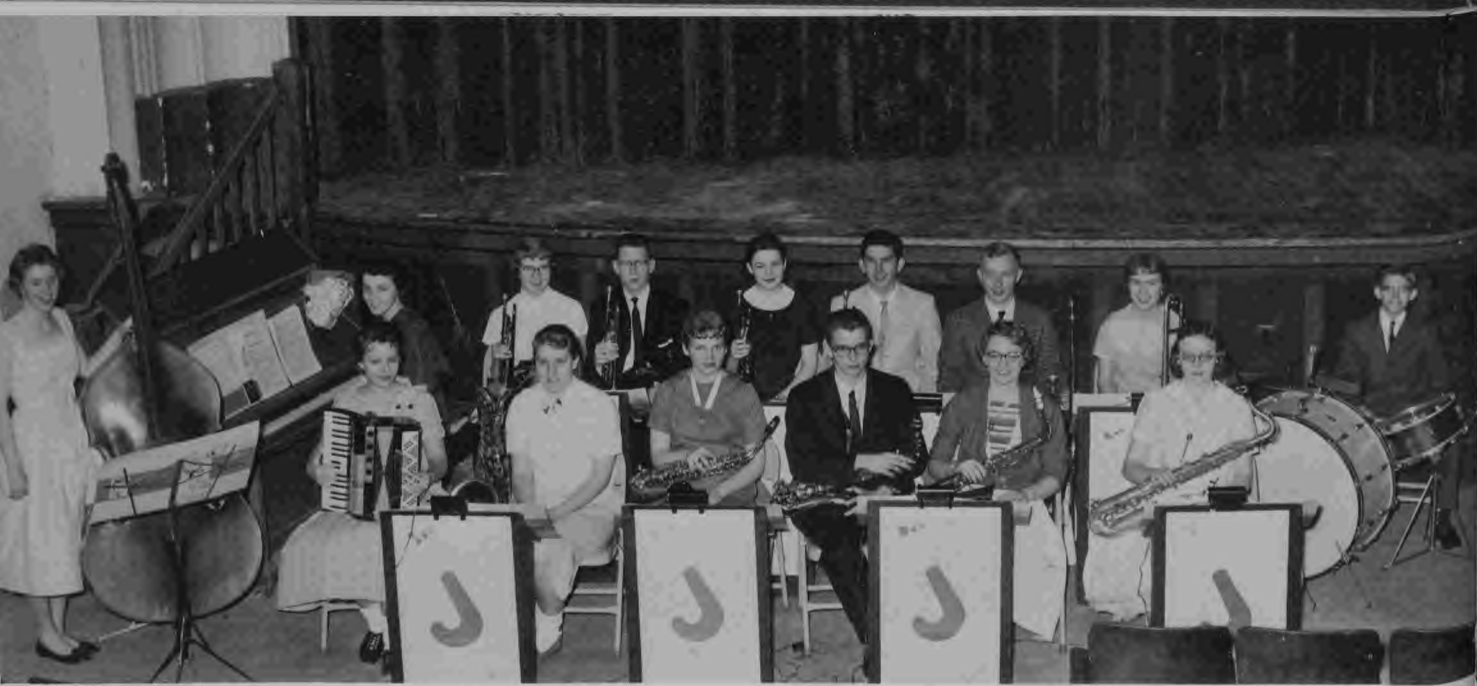


TOP ROW: Joe Brezina, Vicki Brown, Lanny Carpenter, Charles Davis. SECOND ROW: Joyce Henninger, Bill Jones, John Jones, Carol Livingston. THIRD ROW: Judy Ogden, Earlene Parli, Jerry Rison, Melvin Robinson. FOURTH ROW: LeRoy Swogger, Dwight Tally, Gene Thompson, Jerry Troxell.

FRESHMAN OFFICERS

- Charles Davis President
- Linda Rokey Vice-President
- Sharon Nesbitt Secretary-Treasurer
- Ethel Zubler. Program Chairman
- Marjorie Metzger Student Council





The Blue J's and Student Council Serve the School

The Combo was organized in 1953 by a small group of band students and Mr. Johnson to perform as a dance band. As the personnel became more versatile, Mr. Johnson added more students until 1957-58 when the present dance band, the Blue J's, was organized. There are seventeen members.

As a public relations gesture and an economy measure, the Blue J's exchanged performances with other schools and played for some schools having no dance band.

Marysville High dance band performed

for our Christmas Dance and in return the J's played for their Kay dance. Hiawatha's band played for our Junior-Senior Prom and the J's, for their band dance.

At home the band played for the Creamery's Christmas dance, the Lions Club's box supper, and the Teen Age Christmas dance at the Country Club.

The Student Council furnished the P.A. system set and lights equipment for the band in return for their services to the school.



Student Council



Awards Assembly



Activities

Kayettes

Sponsors -
Mrs. Norris
Mrs. Sparke



KAYETTE CABINET

President	Nancy Studer
Vice-President	Mary Rokey
Secretary	Linda Wenger
Treasurer	Linda Locher
Program Chairman	Arlene Strahm
Special Programs	Linda Close
Finance Director	Willa Metzger
World Service	Karen Strahm
Community Service	Dorothy Rockwell
School Service	Carol Grimm
Song Leader	Sara Robinson
Pianist	Joan Humphrey
Recreation	Shari Bailey
Parliamentary	Ann Jellison
Points Chairman	Charlene Strahm
Publicity	Patricia Greene





Kays Serve School

The Kays promote high standards of living and are willing to serve when called upon.

They have guest speakers, films, group discussions, and carry out projects designed for student or school betterment.

Some of the projects completed by the club this year were welcoming the freshman boys and new boys with a watermelon feed early in the fall, presenting an assem-

bly program, and running concession stands for games.

They furnished Thanksgiving baskets for the needy, money for a CARE package and for Food For Millions, and cooperated with the Kayettes in providing the annual senior breakfast, the Kays providing the food. The Kayettes did the preparing of the meal.



1. Spring calls girls outdoors for lunch.
2. Noon hour basketball.
3. Mr. and Mrs. Scoby take his chemistry class on tour of Chicago.





They Learn to Do by Doing

The FHA colors are red and white; the flower is a red rose. They sponsored their first dance this year--a valentine dance. The chapter mother is Mrs. Glen Norrie, who has served two years.

Eight girls and three sponsors attended the State FHA and the district meetings. The FHA girls and their mothers prepared and served the FFA banquet May 6.





BACK ROW: Robert Steiner, Galen Bauman, Fred Aberle, Roger Hartter, Melvin Robinson, Paul Nickelson, Calvin Beer, Andy Moorhead, Dale Bauman, Larry Beer, Allen Rokey. SECOND ROW: Byford Heiniger, Richard Moorhead, Steve Broyles, Larry Grimm, Darryl Thompson, Robert Marthaler, Douglas Aberle, Steve Herrmann, Delwin Meyer, Phil Bestwick, Fred Fulton. FRONT ROW: Mr. Hackler, Danny Mishler, Monte Carpenter, Wayne Aeschliman, Mike Lanning, Eugene Herrmann, Roger Aberle, Bill Mishler, Gale Epple, Melvin Wiltz, Jerry Cox, Norman Barringer.

The annual F.F.A. banquet was held May 6, in the high school gym, with Mrs. Orville Lanning, Jr. as the chapter mother.

There were eight boys with their sponsor who attended the State F.F.A. Convention and judging contest.

The average net worth of thirty-four members was \$600.





Carol Grimm President
 Dave Flentie..... Vice-President
 Linda Jones..... Secretary
 Sue Ann Wertenberger..... Treasurer
 Carolyn Hunnicutt..... Historian
 Mr. Trower.....Sponsor

Future Business Leaders of America



The Future Business Leaders of America is an organization for those students interested in the business field. F.B.L.A. is a newcomer at Sabetha High School this year. Most of this school year was spent in organizing the chapter.

Meetings are held once a month or oftener if it is found desirable by the president. Outstanding business men are brought in from surrounding cities to speak to the chapter. This year the chapter also took a tour to Kansas City to visit the GMC production line and the Federal Reserve Bank. Thirteen members also attended the State F.B.L.A. Convention at Kansas University this year. It was at this convention that Alice Ann Marthaler won third place in the Miss Future Business Leader of America Contest.

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FIFTY-TWO SENIORS IN CLASS OF '59

Fifty-two seniors, twenty-seven girls and twenty-five boys, are candidates for graduation at commencement May 26 at the City Hall.

Carl Grimm, Carolyn Hunnicutt, Linda Jones, Alice Marthaler, Nancy Norrie, Galen Weick, and Ronald Bestwick are members of the National Honor Society.

Jim Boltinghouse has received an athletic scholarship to Kansas State, and Alice Marthaler, the PEO Scholarship to Cottey College.

MARY ROKEY TO HEAD KAYETTES

Mary Rokey was elected president, Phyllis Thiemann, vice-president; Judy Jones, secretary; Sue Wertemberger, treasurer; and Linda Locher, program chairman at the regular meeting of the Kayettes on April 17.

The Board of Directors and cabinet met and elected the remain-



TRIBUTE TO A FRIEND

After 47 years of teaching, a steadfast pillar of learning and character is leaving our high school. You all know who this is—Miss Rhoda Robinson. Would you all join me in congratulating her on her accom-

IRELAND TAKES FIRST PLACE IN HIGH HURDLES AND THIRD IN LOW HURDLES IN STATE MEET

Long, lanky Steve Ireland captured first place in high hurdles and third in low hurdles at the State Track meet at Wichita, May sixteen.

"It might be thirty years before that could happen again," said Coach Norris in answer to a congratulation for his boys.

This accomplishment along with Steve's other athletic prowess ought to bring him an athletic scholarship. Steve deserves no less.

The 880 relay team - Brooks, Beer, Ireland, and Boltinghouse, took fourth place as did the mile relay team--Lehman, Beer, Ireland, and Boltinghouse. Jim, that is.

ALUMNI BANQUET MAY 29

The Alumni Banquet will be held Friday, May 29, at the Sabetha High School at 7:00 P. M. Seniors of '59 are guests and all alumni are invited to attend the banquet and program.

BACCALAUREATE MAY 24

Baccalaureate will be held Sunday, May 24, at the City Auditorium at 8 o'clock. The band will play a processional and a recessional.

The special chorus and girls ensemble will furnish the music. The ministerial alliance will choose the minister to speak at this service.

Graduates of the Junior High School will be honored in the service by being seated in section with the seniors.

THE PROM

The school year of 58-59 climaxed by the Junior-Senior Prom, "Jungle Paradise". It held in the high school gym-



SHS Concert Band

TROMBONES

Linda Locher
Mary Rokey
Robert Deaver
Ellen Lawson
Norma Clayton

BARITONES

Gordon Snyder
Willa Metzger
Charles Baskett

CORNETS

Bud Schuette
Alice Marthaler
Jim Deaver
Don Fletchall
Galen Brammer
Dave Duey
Helen Berge

HORNS

Steve Ireland
Mike Lanning
Linda Rokey
Rich Ayers

BASSOON

Pat Greene

TYMPANI

Joan Humphrey

CONTRA-BASS CLARINET

Judy Jones

BASS DRUM

Dorothy Rockwell

SNARE DRUMS

Barry Molineux

BASS VIOL

Lois Clayton

BASS

Albert Beyer
Jim Jellison
Jim Metzger
Lonnie Phillips

CLARINETS

Nancy Norrie
Candy Rooney
Rose Ann Moorhead
Linda Close
Jackie Lortscher
Rita Tibbets
Sherrill Minneman
Sandra Smith
Carol Metzger
Elaine Scoby
Janice Clark
Everett Hartter

ALTO SAXOPHONES

Ted Ruse
Linda Wenger
Gary Miller
D'Ann Strahm

BARITONE SAXOPHONES

Pat Reid

TENOR SAXOPHONES

Marlene Locher

FLUTES

Arlene Strahm
Charlene Strahm
Sara Robinson
Phyllis Thiemann
Sharyn Nesbitt
Marjorie Metzger

BASS CLARINET

Karen Strahm

ALTO CLARINET

Earlene Parli

OBOE

Elaine Aeschliman

Top Performers

White plumes and the striking blue and white cadet styled uniforms of the Sabetha band caused any observer to look twice. This 60-piece band, directed by Lewis Johnson, excelled not only as a concert band, but also as a marching band.

They received a I-rating at the District Music Festival and three of the members of the band—Al Beyer, Ted Ruse, and Judy Jones—were selected to play in All-State Band.

As a marching band Sabetha was the third band in the parade at KU Band Day. They took part in such activities as Kansas Free Fair, Hiawatha Halloween Festival, local parades, and to add a special color to school life they performed entertaining half-time maneuvers at football games.



Music Groups

Preview

for Community



Tops as Students and Musicians

The music ensembles of SHS have served the community throughout the school year. They are in much demand and have performed before many groups including Kiwanis, Lions, BPW, PEO, at Winters General Hospital and for Thanksgiving and Easter services.



Ted Ruse deserves special recognition for having received a I-rating for his saxophone solo at the state festival for the second consecutive year.



"Off The Track"

A strange conglomeration of people is thrown together when train is derailed and they have to wait for a relief train.

Charles Wells plays the part of the station agent; Jim Metzger is his handy man.

Jackie Lortscher, Sara Robinson, and Willa Metzger are three college girls along with a law student, Jim Jellison, on their way home for a vacation.

Mary Rokey is the heavy Italian woman with two children, a baby and little girl, played by Dorothy Mishler. Betty Bell plays the old maid.

Roger Aberle plays an elderly gentleman and Ronnie Beans, a henpecked young man; Linda Locher is his fiancée.

Janice Aberle is the stylish woman whose jewels disappear only to reappear in the Italian woman's lunch basket.





"No More Homework"

- | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Pamela Jones . . . | Charlene Strahm |
| "Buzz" Bailey . . . | Gary Sawyer |
| Shalimar Ames . . . | Nancy Norrie |
| "Midge" Murphy . . . | Ann Jellison |
| Faversham Lightly . . . | Galen Wieck |
| Tallulah . . . | Alice Marthaler |
| Ronald Sassoon . . . | Larry Kistner |
| Miss Goodin . . . | Dorothy Rockwell |
| Mrs. Clendenning . . . | Elsie Elliott |
| Miss Ogilvie . . . | Linda Jones |
| Mr. Harper . . . | Stephen Ireland |
| Miss Dill . . . | Carolyn Hunnicutt |
| "Tick" Tok . . . | Albert Beyer |
| Mrs. Ratchet . . . | Linda Close |
| Elmer B. Ames . . . | Ramon Aberle |



Court of Beauty



Nancy Studer reigned as Miss Mistletoe at the Christmas Dance and as a Homecoming attendant.



Shari Bailey reigned as Homecoming Queen and as an attendant the preceding year.

Arlene Strahm reigned as Sweetheart Queen and was a candidate for Halloween Queen at the Annual Halloween Festival in Hiawatha.





Athletics



Football Team Rates Second in Big Six

BACK ROW: Elgin Hartter, Arthur Smith, Charles Davis, Roger Aeschliman, Bill Jones, Jerry Troxell, Stephen Broyles, Robert Deaver, Jerry Rison, Everett Hartter, David Duey, Galen Bauman. FOURTH ROW: Richard Ayers, Larry Boltinghouse, Ferne Kelly, Jerry Cox, Melvin Schuette, Joe Ott, James Jones, Larry Grimm, James Metzger, Eugene Herrmann, Danny Mishler. THIRD ROW: Garland George, John Garber, David Stalder, Robert Marthaler, Eldon Ford, Richard Scoby, Steve Herrmann, Chales Wells, Lonnie Phillips. SECOND ROW: Mr. Sparke, Jim Boltinghouse, Ed Jones, Ronnie Brooks, Jim Deaver, Fred Fulton, Ronnie Beans, Roger Aberle, David Flentie, Coach Norris. FIRST ROW: Richard McQuillen, Bill Mishler, Jerry Kellenberger, Larry Kistner, Steve Ireland, Albert Beyer, Galen Weick.

Coach Lee Norris
Asst. John Sparke



Captains
Bill Mishler
Galen Weick





Lettermen of '59

Richard McQuillen inspired his teammates with his seeming inexhaustible spirit. He was a tough man out there at end position.

140 pounds

Larry Kistner played in the middle of it all with an unflinching joviarity. He made a spirited tackle.

180 pounds



Bob Marthaler was one of the biggest linemen in the Conference. He loves being in the middle of the biggest pile.

190 pounds

Richard Scoby, a second generation football letterman, played at guard to earn his first football letter.

165 pounds



Eddie Jones, the "late" Ed, was always there when the Jays needed that extra bit of vim to win.

165 pounds

Melvin "Bud" Schuette made a tough end. Bud could be counted on to do the job and well he did it.

140 pounds



Bill Mishler made one of the mightiest guards in the Big Six. He had an ankle injury early, but came back to help finish the season as strong as ever.

140 pounds

Garland George "Hewey" was one of the biggest men on the line. He could be depended on to open a hole in any line.

180 pounds

Lettermen of '59

David Stalder, one of the better quarterbacks in the Conference, is both quick and alert. He lead the Jays to many victories. 160 pounds

Ronnie Brooks was one of the fastest backs in the Big Six. He never stops until he crosses the goal line. 140 pounds

Albert Beyer played a strong offensive and defensive game at center. 160 pounds

Galen Weick plays football as he lives, quietly and deliberately to make the Jays a rough, tough team. 150 pounds

Ronnie Beans is always ready for anyone, regardless of size. Ronnie plays guard and weighs in at 145 pounds.

Steve Ireland played only one year but turned out to be key man in pass receiving. 150 pounds

Fred Fulton was a vital lineman in the '58 season. The man opposite always knew that he had been hit. 180 pounds



Lettermen of '59

John Garber, "Jolting" John got his halfback position after playing year on the line. John is a powerhouse of 180 pounds.

Roger Aberle was a fine defensive back who never let down when the going was rough. 140 pounds

Larry Boltinghouse, a small but unyielding back, will boost the Jays next year. 140 pounds

David Flentie, small maybe, but he has a steadfastness to put the Jays through when the going is hard. 150 pounds

Jim Boltinghouse named Northeast Kansas All-Star, '58-59 was a reliable ground-gainer. Jim's speed was a factor in the Jays second place to Effingham. 175 pounds

Jerry Kellenberger was never stopped by size from charging right through a line. 145 pounds



Veterans Bow-Out

BACK ROW: Albert Beyer, Steve Ireland, Jim Boltinghouse, Ed Jones, Galen Weick. FIRST ROW: Larry Kistner, Bill Mishler, Jerry Kellenberger, Rich McQuillen.

CONFERENCE STANDINGS

ALL GAMES

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

	Won	Lost	Tied	Won	Lost	Tied					
Effingham	5	0	0	7	2	0	Sept. 19	Seneca	0	Sabetha	20
Sabetha	4	1	0	7	2	0	Sept. 26	Centralia	0	Sabetha	31
Hiawatha	3	2	0	5	4	0	Oct. 3	Troy	6	Sabetha	31
Wathena	1	3	1	1	7	1	Oct. 10	Horton	14	Sabetha	66
Troy	1	4	0	1	8	0	Oct. 17	Hiawatha	7	Sabetha	13
Horton	0	4	1	0	8	1	Oct. 24	Holton	13	Sabetha	6
							Oct. 31	Wathena	6	Sabetha	19
							Nov. 5	Effingham	13	Sabetha	7
							Nov. 14	Frankfort	19	Sabetha	21

READY FOR ACTION



Homecoming and a Victory

Perfect football weather, a victorious team, and colorful decorations made Homecoming 1958 a success. A lively crowd watched as the Blue Jays tromped the Horton Hornets 66-13.

During the half-time ceremonies by the band and Jay Jays, Shari Bailey, senior, was crowned queen by Bill Mishler. The attendants--Nancy Studer and Mary Rokey--were escorted by Albert Beyer and Galen Weick. The queen and her attendants watched the remainder of the game from a decorated throne.

Alumni were honored at the dance following the game, throughout which Queen Shari graciously reigned.





Ability and Effort Bring Reward

BACK ROW: Bill Jones, Roger Aeschliman, Claude Flanders, Jim Jones, Jerry Troxell, David Duey, Elgin Harter, Artie Smith, Joe Brezina. SECOND ROW: Jerry Rison, Richard Ayers, Larry Boltinghouse, Larry Grimm, Gary Miller, Doug Aberle, Garland George, Dick Scoby, Danny Mishler. FRONT ROW: James Metzger, Ronnie Beans, John Garber, Steve Ireland, Jim McKenney, Jerry Cox, Ronnie Brooks.

We lose two good games to Holton and Effingham.





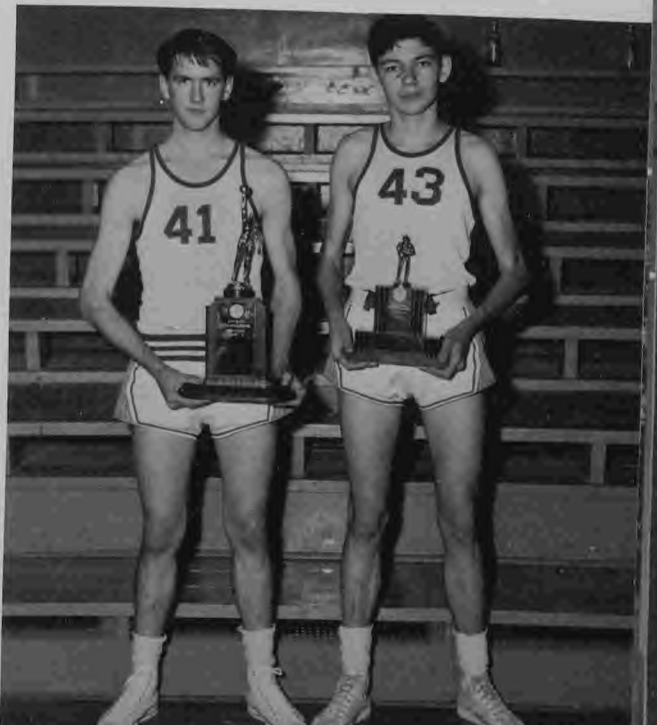
Next Year's A-Team

TOP ROW: Bill Jones, Roger Aeschliman, Claude Flanders, Joe Brezina, Artie Smith, Dave Duey, Elgin Hartter. SECOND ROW: Jerry Rison, Richard Ayers, Jim Jones, Gary Miller, Douglas Aberle, Jerry Troxell. FIRST ROW: Larry Boltinghouse, Larry Grimm, Garland George, Dick Scoby, Danny Mishler, Larry Cox, Ronnie Brooks.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1958-59

Dec. 5	Sabetha	31	Powhattan	37
Dec. 12	Sabetha	54	Troy	43
Dec. 16	Sabetha	61	Holton	69
Dec. 19	Sabetha	42	Horton	45
Jan. 2	Sabetha	60	Hiawatha	33
Jan. 9	Sabetha	57	Wathena	51
Jan. 13	Sabetha	55	Seneca	53
Jan. 16	Sabetha	38	Effingham	44
Jan. 23	Sabetha	70	Troy	51
Jan. 27	Sabetha	49	Centralia	54
Jan. 30	Sabetha	58	Horton	59
Feb. 6	Sabetha	60	Hiawatha	39
Feb. 10	Sabetha	60	Seneca	49
Feb. 13	Sabetha	59	Wathena	57
Feb. 17	Sabetha	58	Holton	66
Feb. 20	Sabetha	<u>69</u>	Effingham	<u>45</u>
TOTAL:	Sabetha	881	Opponents	795

Steve Ireland, Jim McKenny, two seniors who helped win the District Tournament and third in the Regional Tournament.



BASKETBALL SCHEDULE-DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

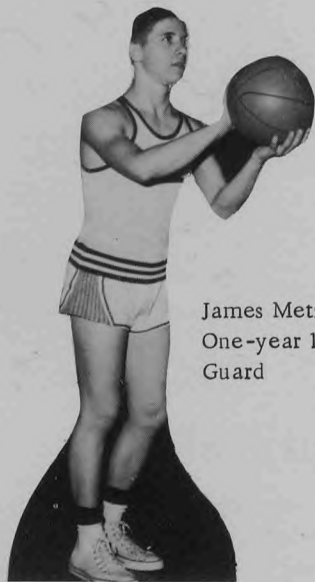
Feb. 25	Sabetha	52	Effingham	40
Feb. 26	Sabetha	54	Marysville	48
Feb. 27	Sabetha	<u>52</u>	Holton	<u>50</u>
TOTAL:	Sabetha	<u>158</u>	Opponents	<u>138</u>

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE-REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

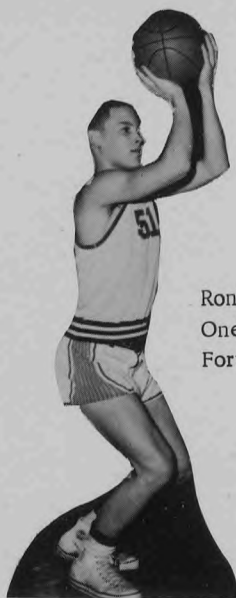
Mar. 6	Sabetha	62	Immaculata	71
Mar. 7	Sabetha	<u>71</u>	Holton	<u>61</u>
TOTAL:	Sabetha	<u>133</u>	Opponents	<u>132</u>

Lettermen

'59



James Metzger
One-year letterman
Guard



Ronnie Beans
One-year letterman
Forward



Jim McKenney
One-year letterman
Forward



CONFERENCE STANDINGS

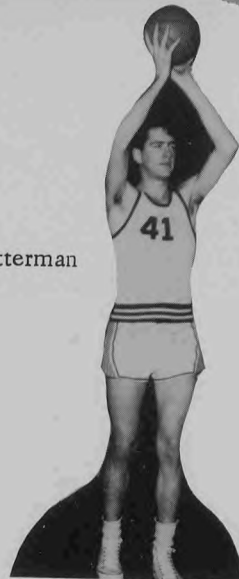
	Won	Lost	Percent
Horton	9	1	900
Sabetha	7	3	700
Wathena	5	5	500
Hiawatha	4	6	400
Effingham	4	6	400
Troy	0	10	000

Lettermen

'59



Ronnie Brooks
Two-year letterman
Guard



Steve Ireland
Three-year letterman
Forward



Jerry Cox
One-year letterman
Guard



John Garber
Three-year letterman
Center





They Incarnate School Spirit



Jay Jay's is a pep organization designed to create school spirit and enthusiasm at all athletic events.

The girls attended all away-games. The town people's attendance at games were appreciated. The team and the pep club felt that they had support when they looked around and saw more Sabetha people at an away-game than the opposing team had.

Nothing is better than cooperation for spirit. A member of the faculty said "A real athlete is a good player when he has a good follower." It helps the team if someone behind them wants to win. The girls had a sincere desire to win, which was evident at the basketball tournaments. They never gave up hope until the game was won or lost; that was responsible for the high morale of the group.

The girls did a fine job of representing the school by displaying sportsmanship and friendliness at all school events.





A Champion Squad

By request we include here the names of trackmen and the speciality of each. Lettermen of the year are named first, then the potential lettermen of 1960.

Ramon Aberle, half-mile run

Roger Aberle, mile run

Ronnie Beans, pole vault, broad jump

Larry Beer, dashes, relays

Jim Boltinghouse, field events, relays, dashes

Larry Boltinghouse, relays

Ronnie Brooks, 100 yard dash, relays

David Flentie, relays

John Garber, discus, shot put

Garland George, discus, shot put

Larry Grimm, relays

Steve Ireland, hurdles, relays

Bob Lehman, relays

Bill Mishler, javelin

Danny Mishler, relays

Ted Ruse, the 440

Donald Ryland, half-mile run

Bob Tanking, relays

Melvin Wiltz, mile run

Roger Aeschliman, pole vault

Lanny Carpenter, relays

Charles Davis, pole vault

Jim Deaver, hurdles

Roger Hartter, hurdles

Steve Herrmann, javelin

Bill Jones, hurdles

Larry Kistner, field events

Jim McKenney, high jump

Richard McQuillen, high jump

Delwin Meyer

Gary Miller, high jump

Paul Nickelson, broad jump

Joe Ott, mile run

Richard Scoby, field events

Gordon Snyder, half-mile run

Jerry Troxell, hurdles

Steve Ireland captured first place in high hurdles and third in low hurdles at the State Track meet at Wichita, May 16.

The 880 relay team, Beer, Brooks, Ireland, and Boltinghouse took fourth, as did the mile relay team-Lehman, Beer, Ireland, and Boltinghouse.



The Jays Repeat as B

For the second year in a row, the Blue Jays have taken the Big Six track meet. The final count gave Mr. Norris's Jays 74 points to runner-up Hiawatha's 50; then followed Effingham with 46; Troy, 33; Wathena, 20 1/2, and Horton, 16. The Blue Jays put forth every effort and were rewarded by almost completely dominating the five teams.

Steve Ireland and Jim Boltinghouse had 16 1/4 points each, sharing individual honors for the meet with the maximum of possible points for an individual.

Larry Beer provided 13 points for the Jays with a first in the 440 and seconds in 100 and 200 yard dashes.



Big Six Track Champions

"It was a team victory," Coach Lee Norris said of the triumph; "All the boys gave it all they had." The total achieved by the Sabethans was done through many thirds, fourths, and fifths, scored by lesser stars such as Donald Ryland, Ron Brooks, Bob Lehman, Dave Flentie, Larry Grimm, John Garber, Garland George, Dan Mishler, Bob Tanking, and many others.

Sabetha trailed by nearly twenty points when the teams went into the finals at night. Hiawatha had amassed some 32 points in the

afternoon despite Jim Boltinghouse's double win in the shot put and the discus.

However starting with Steve Ireland's easy victory in the high hurdles, the Jays ran away with the event as they racked up seven firsts of the 10 events of the evening for a total of nine blue ribbons. Ireland's wins in the low hurdles and the 220 yard dash that of the relay team, the 100 yard dash by Boltinghouse, the 880, and the 440 led by Grimm, accounts for the nine firsts.



Champs Again

This victory completed one of Sabetha's most successful sports years. We were second in football in the Conference with a record of seven wins and two defeats; second in basketball to champion Horton, but won the District Tournament title and finished the season with a record of thirteen wins and eight defeats; then happily capped the year's athletics with the track championship.



S-Club

The S-Club has existed on the campus since 1922, having been fashioned after the M-Club of Missouri University by Rider Stockdale, principal of the high school. Coach E. L. Lyons was the first sponsor.

Ted Ruse's father, Leroy Ruse, is one of the two charter members yet in Sabetha. The other is Charles Flott of the Flott Insurance Agency. Ted is a new S-Club member this year.

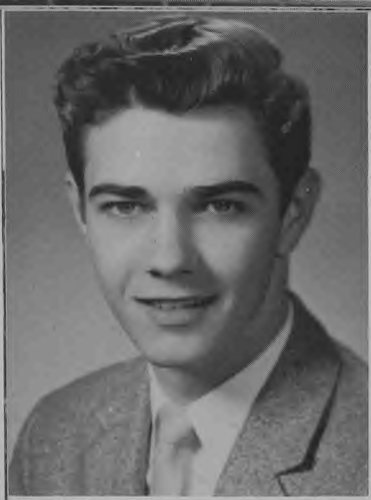
This club is a honorary athletic organization, aiming to promote clean athletics. Any letterman is eligible to membership.






Seniors


Seniors '59




RAMON ABERLE missed the honors ranks for some reason other than ability, but a more likable guy would be hard to find, indeed.




JULIA ACKERMAN, quiet in her ways, is always lending a helping hand with a smiling face.




LARRY BAILEY'S interest in the gentler sex kept his grades from being what they could have been.




SHARI BAILEY. Personality unequaled, this girl has. Quiet, kind, and sincere she will rank high in the world.




NORMAN BARRINGER. Scholastic achievement was not his ambition. It always seemed he would rather be a-tinkering with his car.



LARRY BEER is a steady, hard worker, and a speedster of the first rank in track.



RONALD BESTWICK is a friendly, studious person. His interest in science and math has made him a good student.



ALBERT BEYER lost his life in a truck accident just one week after commencement. "God has gained no finer Christian than he," wrote one of his classmates when the English IV class were preparing these paragraphs.

Seniors '59

JAMES BOLTINGHOUSE is an outstanding athlete whether on the football field, basketball court, or track.

GARY BOYER is a "tiny," friendly youth. He works hard at his job-and schoolwork?

ANNA BREZINA, small and lively, is a friend to many. She likes sports and has fun doing almost anything.

ELEANOR BUCHHOLZ is a jolly, talkative girl who is never bothered by the thought of books. She is an ardent member of the pep club.

LYLE CAMPBELL. Studies have never worried Lyle. He would rather be cruising around town in his car.

JANICE CLARK. With the prettiest auburn hair in SHS, Jan is one who enjoys a good time.

LINDA CLOSE never takes anything too seriously and has fun no matter what the occasion; nevertheless she's a most dependable sort.

ELSIE ELLIOTT is a very studious girl who always finishes what she starts. She is fair, wise, and a friend to all.



Seniors '59



GALE EPPLE is a steady, dependable student who may not be in the top bracket, but neither does he need to worry about results.

SHARON EWING is friendly to everyone and very easy to get along with. Her happy personality is unequaled.



ROSALIE GILBERT enjoys her cars, food, and jokes. Though her responsibilities are great, she takes them in stride.

CAROL GRIMM is a dependable girl who is busy all the time. She will make someone a good secretary.



LAVETA GRIMM is a quiet girl, but friendly, with a smile for everyone. Her interests range all the way from sports to homemaking.

CLARENCE HAYES is known to all of us as "Sonny-boy."



RAY HOFFMAN has ability and intelligence, but he doesn't want to waste them on schoolwork.

CHARLENE HUMFELD is a pleasant person to live with. Charlene's chief interest is in her wardrobe.

Seniors '59

CAROLYN HUNNICUTT, always loaded down with books has a high scholastic standing. Her main interests are reading and horseback riding.

HAROLD HYLTON'S voice and red hair both announce loudly his presence in the halls of SHS.



STEPHEN IRELAND. A wise and good sport in any field or organization. He is a good leader and has a good-natured way with fellow students.

ANN JELLISON, life of every party, is a friendly and energetic person. She adds pep and enthusiasm to every sport as a cheerleader.



ED JONES, the "late" Mr. Jones, has a keen sense of humor and a captivating personality. He ought to become an artist.

LINDA LEE JONES puts her best into anything she does, whether it be working or enjoying herself.



JERRY KELLENBERGER is a short fellow who could study hard and get good grades when he wanted.

LARRY KISTNER is a happy-go-lucky guy who never lets anything worry him. "If I get it done, OK; and if I don't, OK."



Seniors '59



ALICE ANN MARTHALER takes life seriously and makes everything she does worth the time and effort she puts into it.

JIM MCKENNEY is an easy-going boy who believes in working little and living long.



RICHARD McQUILLEN is the answer to the perennial question, "Why do teachers turn gray?"

DELORES METZGER. Everybody likes Dee, 'cause Dee likes everybody. She is a teacher's dream come true; she always has her lessons.



VIRGINIA MISHLER, "Ginger" for short, doesn't measure far off the floor. Her smile flashes as brightly as the diamond on her left hand.

BILL MISHLER is a tough football lineman. He is as good-looking as he is popular.



ROSE ANN MOORHEAD. A pretty nurse this girl will make. She is a friendly person, indeed.

NANCY NORRIE is talented in many ways and answers to the call of musical needs when she is asked.

Seniors '59

ROBERT OSTERTAG. "Don't do today what you can put off until tomorrow," is Bob's motto.

DOROTHY ROCKWELL has a warm smile and a friendly "hi" for everyone. With all her interests and activities, one wonders when she finds time to do everything.



ALLEN ROKEY is a quiet, good-natured youth. Though inconspicuous, he is always there in most everything.

DONALD RYLAND is a tall, slim lad with a big, friendly grin for everyone. He gets the job done as best he can.



GARY SAWYER, president of the senior class and a good leader. He always has an answer, be it right or wrong.

ARLENE STRAHM... lovely, talented, and wise. In activities and fun, this "queen" reigns well. Would that there were more like her!



CHARLENE STRAHM'S happy smile and good humor wins her many friends. She can be depended upon to get the job done to the best of her ability.

NANCY STUDER, scarcely making it to class on time, excels in an activity she undertakes. She sets many a class laughing by simply speaking.



Seniors '59



ROBERT TANKING always has something to say, whether it means anything or not. But what he says is always funny.

DARRYL THOMPSON. "." is about all you ever hear from Darryl.



BARBARA CHRISMAN-WATTS is devoted to one, but has won many friends with her pleasant smile and friendliness.

GALEN WEICK is a likeable chap who has many friends, though he didn't win them by talking.



MELVIN WILTZ. Silence is the ABC'S of being a good student.

SALLY WYSONG.
 "Pretty to walk with,
 Witty to talk with,
 And pleasant, too,
 To think on."

SENIOR OFFICERS

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| Gary Sawyer | President |
| Ramon Aberle | Vice-President |
| Sally Wysong | Secretary |
| Nancy Studer | Treasurer |
| Bob Tanking | Program Chairman |
| Bill Mishler | Student Council |



MOMENTS TO REMEMBER

I N C O L O R A D O





National Honor Society

TOP ROW: Robert Deaver, Alice Ann Marthaler, President; Roger Aberle, Mary Rokey, Sandra Stauffer, Delbert Kehr.
 FIRST ROW: Ronald Bestwick, Nancy Norrie, Carol Grimm, Linda Lee Jones, Vice-President; Carolyn Hunnicutt, Secretary; Galen Weick, Treasurer; Nancy Studer.

Honor and Honorable Mention Students



A Jungle Paradise



"Jungle Paradise" was the theme of the Junior-Senior Prom. A low ceiling with dangling moss, a rock pond, a profusion of blooming plants, jungle huts, and palm trees turned the gym into a veritable tropical jungle.

Shrunken head favors and clever palm-tree center pieces were arranged on the tables.

After the dinner, prepared by the junior mothers and served by sophomores dressed as leopards, everyone danced to the music of the Hiawatha Dance Band.



COMMENCEMENT

MAY TWENTY-SIXTH, EIGHT O'CLOCK
CITY HALL

Class Processional	Band
Invocation	Rev. Edwin Garrett
The Halls of Ivy	Russell-Knight
	Special Chorus
Address	Dr. H. A. Kenna

(Col. Kenna, world traveler, is considered one of the most brilliant speakers in mid-America.)

Myers
YEARBOOKS
in depth

PACEMAKERS
OF QUALITY