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# **BOMB THREAT EMPTIES SCHREIBER**

Two students came forward on October 27 and identified themselves to be responsible for the bomb scare of the preceding day. Because the students came forward, sources say, the charges will be reduced. If the students had been caught by the police instead, the charges would have been more severe.

A Police spokesman for the 6th precinct said that school officials lodged a complaint on Thursday the 26th. Subsequently there was an investigation by the 6th Squad under the guidance of Detective McGee. He made the formal arrest of the two youths and signed and filed the complaints. Because charges have been filed, they can only be withdrawn in court before a judge. Hundreds of dollars must now be found to pay legal fees for the students because of their "attentiongetting" prank.

The "prank" turned out to be a shoe box.

At eleven o'clock, school officials received a phone call saying that there was a bomb in a bathroom. Custodians were sent

photos by Palmer Massey

### **Two Admit Hoax**

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Mr. Banta immediately made

an announcement regarding the incident. He asked that anyone

with information regarding the

identity of the people who made the bomb call should come for-

ward and all information would

be held in the utmost confidence.

That day he told the Times that

the school would prosecute and

he would ask the superintendent

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On the Monday following the

to expel the people involved.

started as scheduled at 12:05.

to check out the bathrooms and forth and identified themselves, Jerry Vrba found a "suspicious-Mr. Banta again made nouncement during homeroom looking device" in the boys' saying that the people involved had been identified and bathroom next to the math resource center. Moments later the building was evacuated of students and the police were disciplanary action was being taken. In an interview, he had no called. The Police felt that the comment on what that action box might have been a bomb and was. However, it has been called the Nassau County Police established that the students Bomb Disposal Squad in. They were suspended for five days and were being brought up on charges arrived at 11:40, ten minutes after the fire department. Within of a misdemeanor. fifteen minutes they ascertained Bomb scares were very that the box was not a bomb. Students were allowed to enter

common a number of years ago. Mr. Whitney says that now we "get scares all the time. Every week." Between Wednesday the 25th and Monday 30th, four calls were received. Mr. Banta said that usual procedure was for the custodians to make a general scan of the building. He also said that if the calls became frequent he would have the phone company install a device which can find the phone the call is being made from within seconds. This device has been used successfully in other similar problems and have been the key in finding the person who made the call.

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Port Washington police squad cars come to investigate



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Bomb squad detectives discuss the bomb scare.



is to make changes in the school so that it's more appealing for the students who are there." With this statement, Mr. Frank Banta summed up his view of his role as Schreiber's new principal. Among Mr. Banta's plans for improving Schreiber is "establishing more authority for the Student Government. I am prepared to share responsibility with them in those instances where they plan activities and they organize them very carefully." Mr. Banta said that he would be willing to cooperate with the G.O. in such projects as assembly programs, after-school activities, week-end activities, and a review of the Student Handbook for next year. Mr. Banta said, "I would like to see them try to do as many things as ment so people develop respect

Bomb squad (left) and Fire Department (right) investigate the bomb threat.

"I think one of the goals or for it and want to spend some obscene language, or refuses to consistent, there should be no goals they set each year Too

responsibilities of any principal time helping them achieve the comply with a regulation that we favoritism ... Punishment doesn't have at school, they would suspended. The issue really would be dependent upon what the specifics are in that case. So, it's not a blanket rule. But when I say, if a student uses obscenities, to me that's a student saying to an adult in this building, 'I'm going to do what I want to do, when I want to do it and I'm not going to follow the school rules. And I'm saying a student cannot. decide which rules he will follow, and which rules he or she will disregard.' In general, Mr. Banta said, "I think the rules should be consistent. I think the rules should be fair. I think that every student who gets involved in some difficulty should be given the opportunity to explain his point-ofview. When people violate rules that we have clearly stated in the handbook, the actions should be

there always has to be consequences for someone's action. It may be a conference. It may be the loss of free time in the school. But for disruptive situations, it also may be suspension. "When fighting occurs." Mr. Banta said, "people should be removed from school grounds. The reason I feel so strongly is that I don't think many teenagers realize the damage that each of them can inflict on another person...Someone can possibly be impaired for life, because of another person losing his or her temper.... If people fight, generally speaking, they are going to be removed from school.

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often I hear students saying, 'people join the Student Government because they're on an ego trip,' or 'the Student Government has no authority.' I'd like to change that image. So I see that as Number 1."

One of Mr. Banta's other priorities is to familiarize himself with the school. "The second thing I want to do is become familiar with the total program at the school, before I make changes". Mr. Banta said he wants to meet with students, faculty members and parents to find out what their concerns are. In the area of discipline, Mr. Banta has already instituted a new policy at Schreiber. Mr. Banta described the policy as this: "If a hallguard asks a group possible for the Student Govern- of students, or a student, to do something and that student uses

When Mr. Banta was asked about the new attendance policy which has been implemented this (Continued on page 2)

Frank Banta

#### **Bomb Scare Reactions**

#### by Anita Sethi

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On Thursday, October 26 at about 11:10, the passing bell began to ring and didn't stop. Everyone, whether in a class or resource center or the cafeteria, stopped work for a moment, wondering what was going on. By 11:20, everyone was outside, and the word had spread. It was a bomb scare.

There were various reactions 1978 to the news. Some were humorous, some excited, and some just annoyed.

Almost everyone was hungry, and many people left for Burger King or Frank's Pizza on Main Street. A person who didn't want

his name used said, "I wish they'd tell us how long we're going to be out here so I can go down and get something to eat.

Others were excited. "I wish it would blow up - just for some excitement," said one person relaxing on the grass. After a moment's thought, he said, "No, I hope it doesn't blow up. My lunch is inside."

Suzanne Hall wanted to know why someone hadn't thought of the idea sooner. Still others were annoyed, angered and amazed. One student asked, "Who would set a bomb and then call up and tell everyone? Why bother?" Mrs. Rubin, a Chemistry teacher

at Schreiber said, "Whoever did this must be sick-even if it is a hoax." Miss Bajardi, a science teacher, had one word for the episode: "Stupid.'

Others worried about the aftereffects. One student remarked, "This is going to happen again probably at the junior high schools." Mrs. Selwitz, a biology teacher, commented, "It's a shame, this is going to happen again and again now that everyone knows how much fun it is to be outside."

At around 11:50, people began going back inside. Classes resumed at 12:05, and the day continued as normal.



Students pass their time in front of the school during the bomb scare. :p?

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#### Vescey Sells Poem to"Seventeen"



Laura Vescey and English teacher Miss Dissen, who has been a great help to her in writing poetry.

On October 18, junior Laura was notified by Vescey "Seventeen" magazine that oneof her poems had been accepted for publication. Her poem, "Jones Beach in January" will probably be printed in the December issue of the magazine. Laura learned that her poem had been considered "interesting" and that its title will be changed to "Jones Beach in December," to fit in with the time of the poem's publication.

Laura started developing her

#### **Banta Speaks**

year, he said, "Since the proposal has been adopted this year, it. would be premature for me to change it right now. I would want to look at that to see the effect it has on attendance for at least the first semester, and then we can make a judgement about whether it's good or bad. I would again like to meet with the faculty committee that proposed the regulations to study the pros and cons.

Many students have found that their teachers are not strictly enforcing the new attendance procedures." Mr. Banta said, "I completely disagree with any teacher deciding that he or she will ignore rules... I'm not going to have a student telling us which rules he or she will obey. I think it's equally unacceptable for a teacher to say, 'I like school rule A and I will enforce it. I don't like school rule B, and I will ignore it....If I should become aware of a teacher ignoring the regulations we have in school, I will speak to the teacher and expect that they change. But I also would say that most teachers, if not 99 percent of them, are following the rules that we establish. About the incidents of anti-Semitic graffiti that occurred this summer, and the groups that have been formed to deal with human relations, Mr. Banta said, The first thing I would like to say about that issue is that I believe the student body here is an excellent one. I'm talking in interest in writing in 9th grade. She said, "I achieved my inspiration through Mrs. Patt's poetry class at Weber." Since then, she has taken courses in poetry writing, including a creative writing course at C.W. Post last summer.

Laura began sending her work to various magazines a few years ago. Most offices replied that they were retaining her work for future reference. Laura is very happy that she will now see one of her poems printed in a professional publication.

#### (Continued from page 1)

terms of ability, performance, attitude. The unfortunate thing about the incidents that started to occur last year, and I understand it built up at the point of elections, and continued this summer and there have been some incidents this year, is that people may tend to generalize and come away with a feeling that, number one, the student body is bigoted, or the student body is polarized, that people because of ethnic background or religious background or racial background won't have anything to do with each other. If that type of impression is created, it would be a great injustice to all the people who come to Schreiber, because by and large, the people here are friendly, they're reasonable, they respect each other." Mr. Banta said, "in terms of what has to be done, I think it's essential for discussion groups to get under way, so that we can resolve these conflicts. I think it's crucial for the faculty to meet with the students who represent different points of view, so that we can come up with ways to promote a communication with all the people in the building. ...For the small number who want to infringe on the rights of others we have to take action. That action might be in terms of conferences with administrators, involving their parents. It might mean more punitive action such as suspension.

# **Locker Literature**

For many students Schreiber, a locker is more than just a place to keep books. It is a Communication Center. Lockers are used to write notes to friends, lovers and strangers alike. Below are just a few of these "notes":

Stop writing on my locker.

Barbara - Happy Birthday. Eileen. Thanks, but Barbara doesn't

live here any more, she's moved upstairs.

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I was here and you weren't. Can I borrow your Health

notebook? NO

Can I borrow your Chem. notebook? NO Can I borrow a lift home? NO

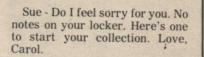
Pam - I had a note for you but I couldn't put it in your locker, 'cause I forgot your combination, so remind me to give it to you next time you see me, huh? Love, Donna.

**Band Fest** 

On October 19, the Schreiber Band and the Portettes participated in the 16th annual Newsday Marching Band Festival held at Hofstra University.

The title of Schreiber's show was "Saturday Night Fever" featuring the songs "Disco, Inferno", "Stayin' Alive", and Inferno", "Stayin' Alive", and "Night Fever" from the hit movie. Mr. Fish called this "The most difficult show ever done by the band." Although Schreiber's is one of the smallest bands invovled, "Our sound quality is among the best" said Mr. Fish.

> **DiMaggio's Specialties** to



Hey, Big Boy. So Long kid, I'll be seeing you (in all the old familiar places) ... The Snoopy motif - Aargh.

Hi scooter. 11 Days till opening night. Oh my God. Christina.

Toga.

- Tony wants a moped.
- All the sex you want from Tweety.

Nice Head.

Please do not write on the locker - the management.

Tell me 'bout it... Stud. Hello Robin and Kathy

I just wanted to say hi and goodbye. It's been nice knowing you gyys. If I can, I'll write and you write me also. Here's my address 123 Cornwall Drive, Hadden Township, N.J. 08107 Bye guys,

Cheryl.

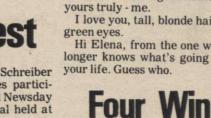
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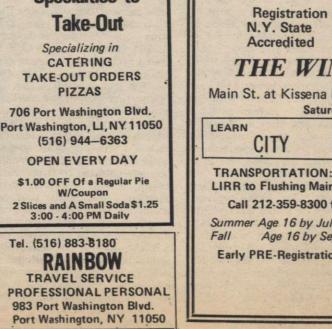
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Hi Elena, from the one who no longer knows what's going on in

Every year, the most outstanding band students are considered to be in the annual High School Music Festival which is sponsored by the Nassau Music Educators Association. The students are chosen on the basis of their outstanding performance in the high school band and in the Solo Competition Festival sponsored by the New York State School Music

Association. The students tered qualified this year were Docenter Meyer, who plays clarinet, for Spann on Trombone, and me. Stalis with the French Karen Newman, who recently accepted in the All-High School Band as an standing flautist, qualified for Nassau County Orchestra. honor is an even greater one he arniv the County Band. bably





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#### **Jescey Demands Nap** by Laura Vescey

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Whatever happened to nap " I thought to myslef. Why we weaned from mid-day ep? · All we hear about these are the shortcomings of cation, the whole bit, and the rches for the cause(s) of these rtcomings. But sitting there, ewhere between Andy Gibb Tavares, I knew the reason: ent apathy is caused by the evolution of the rest period, I, for one, want my nap back. In memory, let's go back to idergarten. What do you see? the smocks and easels and bies? I see docile students, atures as pliable as their y-Doh. And the teachers, in tions

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wouldn't take much effort to ert to napping. If all of Spain n do it, so can Schreiber. Let's pose right away of the



students-should-find-time-to-restoutside-of-school theory, because then what is gym? I would never force Mr. Winters to dribble a soccer ball around Schreiber's circumference had he spent the night reading Dostoyevsky. I would never be so cruel but since there does exist enforced physical activity, then there can also exist enforced physical inactivity.

Imagine Tau Beta members curling up on throw rugs; the football squad cushioning their heads on shower towels; Portettes perched on their blue and white pom-poms; G.O. participants unfolding themselves in auditorium seats. •

The first step toward a solution is the actual confession of the problem. So I'll be the first to admit it. I get grouchy and hostile and obnoxious when I'm tired. I want my nap back. I want to wake with fellow Schreiberites because sleep en masse equals unity en masse.

finances. In 1976, the first "In the

#### Cellar Door to Reopen by April The principle problem is

The Cellar Door, a publication at is organized and run comcall you at home letely by students, is planning third issue. The purpose of The ellar Door is to be a magazine here students can express. ernate modes of expression are neither strictly news or

April Rubinson, a senior, is the remaining staff member adership role, April has cruited a new staff of editors luding David Bugliarello, Gail Marina Williams, Marc ert, Paul Klienman, Peter al, and Steven Slayton. April id, "the major change in the per is its focus. In 1976 it

ation. The students ed this year were Doro centered around philosophy, ntered around politics, in 1977 who plays clarinet, Steat for this issue there is no on Trombone, and I with the French h

### Introducing **Carnival** '79

an even greater one th The initial groundwork for 'arnival '79'' which will bably take place the first ekend in May, is finally being ernment, which hopes all

#### G.O. Will **Sell Tickets** to "Mame"

In an unprecedented move, the G.O. has offered to help the performing arts department in their ticket selling operation for "Mame". Tickets will be sold in the lobby starting today, Wednesday the 8th until Tuesday the 14th. The price of the tickets will be \$1.00, which is \$1.50 off the regular adult cost. The student tickets will not be able to be used by adults but only students. John Bikoff, president of the G.O. said, 'We want to promote Cultural Arts in the High School for the student.

The play will be performed four times, Thursday 16th through Saturday 18th, and one performance on Tuesday 21st. Don Jones, director of the show, said, "Mr. Stone (the musical director) and I are delighted the G.O. is giving us this extra help. We feel the show is looking good and everyone will enjoy it.

# G.O. News

On October 25, the Student Government held its third meeting of the year. Among topics discussed were the Title IX Law, and a proposed concert featuring Mazarin. Schreiber principal Mr. Banta also spoke at the meeting and said that he would like to help the Student Government gain more authority to deal with students' needs and wants.

Mrs. Dufour, and English teacher, opened up discussion on the Title IX law, and also reported that a Susan B. Anthony Day will be held at Schreiber in March. This day will highlight the role of women in society. Dr. Bierwirth, the Assistant Superintendant

spoke on personnel for the meaning and effects of the Title IX Law, which requires equal treatment for men and women. Dr. Bierwirth said he

will be available at his office in the Administration Building to reply to any greivances or complaints that students might have about the law and its effects

Shep Englander, head of the Student Social Committee, said that he is trying to arrange a concert featuring the rock band Mazarin. Shep said that Mazarin was agreed to play free of charge.

Banta Mr. attended the meeting and said the government should try to gain more power, learn about student rights and revise the Student Handbook. He ... also said that the conditions of the bathroom were terrible, and that he would try to do something about it. Mr. Banta also expressed his desire to cooperate with the G.O. and to assist their programs.

# **Mr Melillo Interviewed**

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mr. Melillo was left out of last issue's feature on hall

Bill Melillo is a new hall guard at Schreiber. He has a teaching degree in physical education from Cortland State College and is now working towards his master's degree at Adelphi Uni-

versity and is looking for a teaching job. Mr. Melillo said of Schreiber,

"The school's alright, it's not bad. For the most part the kids are O.K."

# SchreiberTimes Sports Survey

The Parents Association would like to find out whether more students would participate in the intramurals program if they were scheduled right after school. This survey will provide that information. Your answers could directly affect the intramurals and sports program in Schreiber. Feel free to add any additional comments at the bottom of the survey.

Please fill out this survey by circling the appropriate response or by answering in sentence form and return it to the box in the main office sometime today.

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in the school. When asked what Spotlight" talent show collected happened, Detective Pavlica of the primary funds for the printhe Sixth precinct said that 2 ting of the paper. The money was people were picked up in the proximity of the incident at the held by the G.O. Some of the money went to the Watermelon time, and were interviewed by Picnic in 1976 and the remaining police. However, he said, they sum was able to be drawn by The were not charged, and the in-Cellar Door . vestigation is still open. April said, "Because we only put out one issue last year the government got the erroneous

idea that there would be no more publication and therefore absorbed the money. The problem now is to find out how much money we have and to get access to it.

This issue's topics will range from the safety of nuclear reactors to music. Contributions are always welcomed.

### "Roles of Women" **Plans Activities** Mrs. Dufour's newly formed

group, The Roles of Women is Do you think all gym classes should be cod down. Carnival '79 will be school, both boys and girls. part of a growing concern in the community for women to be recognized. It is an extension of ganised by the student Mrs. Dufour's group received a grant from BOCES. The money Have you ever participated in an intramural hool clubs will share in equal will be used to educate the Summer, Fall about women's s and Title IX. the Title IX Act that there should presentation in this fundstudents UCATION 7 or If so, how many? be equality in the schools for both The achievements and 1-3 event. Carmivai nmittee consists of Laura men and women. Topics to be discussed include the more lman, Laura Jones, Sam Clapp Two years ago, a group of ERA, what it means, and its SCHOOL If not, why not?concerned parents got together to legality if it is passed. An af-Nick Cuneo (Club ternoon trip to the Feminist Press at SUNY Old Westbury is form a committee to end sexism resentatives.) shing, N.Y. 11355 Carnival'79's goal is to unify the in the Port Washington School District. The committee is partially responsible for girls lasses planned. Members will be given dent body, the various groups d clubs, and the Port the opportunity to talk with the SHIGHWAY being allowed to take industrial ashington community. Five publisher about materials which VING arts and boys being able to cent of the net profit will be have recently been published. A theatre trip to the city will be offered to the rest of the student body. Films will be brought in participate in home economics. ntributed to some charity in g Northern Blvd., or All students are now required to ar community. All students What intramural sports would you want to partake both of these courses in both ibs and organizations are block from school of the junior high schools. ticipate in? (List) rged to send two represenand field trips will be arranged to l information At the Student Government ives to the meeting and thus see other films. meeting on October 25 Assistant Spring cure a booth for the carnival. The highlight of the group's When would you want intramurals scheduled for? Superintendant Dr. John Bieractivities will be a Susan B. Anthony Day for Schreiber Students. It will be held e 16 by Feb. 2 So far, the Orchestra, the girls right after school at ......3:05.....at night wirth met with students to aders club, the G.A.A. the war ice Schedule familiarize them with Title IX. mes club, the sophomore, Would you participate in intramurals if they were He also informed them of what ior, and senior classes, the sometime in March. There will be scheduled right after his job as Title IX compliance V. crew, the Latin club and the guest speakers, films, and books school?......Yes.....No. officer entails. He urged students written about women by women dent government have exto contact him who know of or sed their interest in erecting will be on display. have been involved in any type of oths for the carnival.

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Vandals Burn **School Files** On Saturday night, October 21, vandals broke into Mr. Bartels' office and burned some files. Mr. Bartels said that they entered the office by breaking into a window. The vandals then took files containing copies of report cards, and attendance records out of a filing cabinet and burned them.

Other papers in the office were

Mr. Bartels said that he believed that the vandals wanted

to destroy the records of a friend

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### G.O. Power

Schreiber's new principal, Mr. Frank Banta, has recently said that he would like to help the Schreiber Student Government get more involved in a variety of issues and that he would like to help the G.O. increase its power and prestige. We applaud Mr. Banta's intentions. We also feel that his plans provide an opportunity to discuss the role of the G.O. in the past and the future.

We would like to commend and encourage the G.O.'s attempts to bolster student involvement. Recent G.O. involvement in the sale of tickets to the musical "Mame" (see story on page ....) and the not entirely successful Pep Rally have shown at least their good intentions. Part of the problem, we feel, is due to a feeling of helplessness on the part of many students; people ask, "Why should I get involved in the G.O. when it really doesn't do anything?"

With Mr. Banta's interest in strengthening the G.O., it may begin to succeed as a truly viable governmental unit. We appeal to the G.O. to accept their new responsibilities, and we appeal to the student body to take another look at the Student Government.

### Welcome to Mr. Banta

We welcome Mr. Frank Banta as our new principal at Schreiber and we wish him success and happiness in his new position. It is hoped that Mr. Banta will represent the student body of the school, recognize its diversity, and strive for unification of all the students. We trust that he will be the student's advocate to the School Board, the Administration and the community, and will endeavor to maintain a harmony between these groups. We again wish Mr. Banta very good luck.

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Had anything Stolen Lately?

Has some possession of yours been stolen recently? It is most likely that if you yourself have not been the victim, then one of your friends has. Stealing is one of Schreiber's many problems, yet preventative action can be taken, as Dean of Students, Al Whitney, points out. "Kids are careless in opening and closing their lockers," he said. "They should not trust their lockers. They should be more aware of personal belongings. Kids should not carry large sums of money to school." Mr. Whitney advises all students to be more alert of what goes on around them and to make sure that no-one is watching them while they are opening their lockers. He also stresses that students should not leave things of value, like calculators, in their lockers over night, since thefts usually take place before or after school.

Chairman of the Physical Education Department, Mr. Tom Romeo, is also faced with the problem of thefts from the boys' and girls' locker rooms. He points out that there is always an increase in thefts before the winter recess. "Kids are not discreet," he said. "Kids have to safeguard their own property." He explains that the students often carelessly leave their lockers open, or do not turn the lock well after closing them.

There are signs outside

# Store Controversy Ends 'Sm with New Manager

In last issue's article regarding the student store strike many points were left untouched. There were several different versions regarding the actual events of the student store strike. Since then, Bruce Higer has replaced Debbie Schwartz as the store's manager.

According to Chet Nakelski, Mr. Cahill, the G.O.'s faculty advisor, did not talk about the future of the store at th : end of last year, but did assure Chet that he would get the key to the store when it reopened in September. Although Mr. Cahill did not name a new store manager, Chet said that he was responsible for the opening and closing of the store, as holder of the key.

The workers claim that during the first week and a half of operation, no one knew who held which positions. According to the workers, Cahill then Mr. realigned the store's responsibilities, giving Debbie Schwartz absolute control over the store, and of filling the soda machine in the store. Chet became the manager of all the soda machines, responsible for filling those in the cafeteria and administration building.

**Salute Rules** 

Due to recent questioning and

incidents regarding the right of a

student not to stand during the

Pledge of Allegiance, students

should be aware that the ad-

ministration sets specific rules

and regulations on this ussue, in

compliance with legal decisions. According to "Guidelines for Students Rights and Respon-sibilities," a handbook published

by the State Education Depar-

tment, students may decline to do

the following things: salute the

flag, recite the pledge, stand

during the pledge. A student only

has to show respect to others who

wish to participate in the Pledge

Dean of Students Mr. Al

Whitney said, "Students should

have the right to be free from

undue questions from all other

students, faculty, and ad-

ministration, so long as they are

not infringing upon or questioning the rights of others."

of Allegiance.

At this point, the story becomes somewhat confusing. According to some workers, Mr. Cahill wanted to eliminate the "middleman" and have only one manager for the store itself, and one manager for all the soda machines, including the one in the student store. As a result, Chet's key was taken away. According to Chet, he came down the next morning and saw that Debbie, the store's manager, had not yet opened the store. The workers were waiting at the door. Upon learning that Chet's key had been taken away, the workers organized a strike in protest.

According to Jeff Adam and Charlie Miller, two student store workers, the strike was mainly a result of Mr. Cahill's and Debbie's attempt to reorganize the

store. Jeff and Charlie said Mr. Cahill and Debbie belie that the seniors used the store HE a "hang-out", and threatened fire the seniors. The seni retaliated by reorganizing a st strike. "We were trying to br up that the management making mistakes and blaming on the labor," said senior Adam, who led the strike. collected boxes and m markers from teachers, who says were very helpful. " (the teachers) believe we sho stand up for what we think right," he continued.

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He also advises students to mark their belongings clearly, with their names, and to report to him if they see any strangers, or suspicious looking people around the hallways.

Mr. Whitney urges students not to leave their belongings unattended on cafeteria tables. He points out that on rare occasions he may lock up a student's guitar or money in a sealed envelope in the school's vault. He does stress, however, that he "does not want to make a habit of that.

locker rooms reminding students of the danger of theft, yet even signs that have been placed on the doors have been ripped off.

The only solution Mr. Romeo sees for the problem, is to have permanent attendants in the two locker rooms. He explained that the locker rooms cannot be locked during gym classes because of the modular scheduling system, which results in students coming and going at irregular times, because conflicts with other classes.

Although few patterns have emerged over the years, Mr. Romeo has noted that there are spurts of thefts over short periods of time, and that more thefts occur in the boys' locker room. Both Mr. Whitney and Mr Romeo urge students to be more aware of their belongings and to be more careful in looking after

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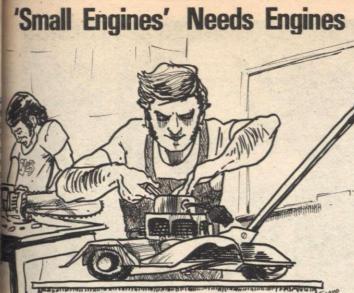
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out almost completely. Reaction around the school has been varied, and much the way Mr. Bartels predicted it would be. Mr. Al Jessen, a Schreiber teel the linemen on our foc teacher said, "I think the whole team do not receive enoug department is for it. The people icity and are therefore ut that were a problem last year ated. Every article I hav were a small group. Now, most about football reported i students are afraid to cut." students are afraid to cut.

Mr. Wright Booth of the language department feels its a good rule and said, "Most failures are directly related to attendance. This school has been too permissive about cutting. "He also said that he feels that with certain students, some flexibility might be allowed.

Nursery, Inc. have donated 2

The problem occurred because

the teachers did not expect such a

large demand for the course, and

were caught short of supplies

which are desperately needed.

Mr. Schaeffer is appealing to the

community for small engines. He

is empowered to give estimates

of worth for all items donated

(whether they are used engines

or any parts associated with

engines) which can be used for

tax purposes. Mr. Schaeffer can

be reached at ext. 231 or in room

lawn mowers.

Senior Peter Seagall, looks upon the new rule as being a new responsibility for the students to live up to. He said, "The cutting rule is the student's part of the bargain. We have to go to class. Now all we need is for the teachers to live up to their part of the bargain.

Another student, who preferred to remain anonymous, said his own experiences, "Last year cutting caused failure of classes and missing material." He said that the rule is useful educationally. He said, "This year I don't cut; only minor cuts. Mainly for academic reasons, and because I don't think its right.'

#### **Grenetz Prdouces Filmstrip Series**

Twice a week, until about Christmas vacation, there will be photographer's equipment set up after school in room 135. Dr. Grenetz, a Schreiber Chemistry teacher on a leave of absence for year, is making a 9-part a Chemistry filmstrip series on energy

Dr. Grenetz started making filmstrips because "It just seemed really interesting to do." He began doing it four years ago when someone approached him and asked if he wanted to write a filmstrip. He found that he enjoyed doing it and has made a total of about 60 filmstrips since then.

Mr. Rothman, a Biology teacher, and several students are working with Dr. Grenetz on the series. Sophie Davis, a senior, said that she likes working on it because "It is interesting, and different from anything I've ever done." When it is finished Dr. Grenetz plans to sell the series to Bergwall Productions.

#### Newman Award

Karen Newman, a Schreiber junior, was a winner in the Great Neck Symphony Young Musicians Competition last June in the ensemble category. She is a flutist in the Training Orchestra Wind Quintet. The quintet is part of a youth orchestra which meets once a week in Jericho, and is directed by Paul Rudolph. Karen, along with the other members of the quintet performed on The Young Artists Showcase on radio station WQXR.



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#### Middle States Reports in Spring

On October 17, 18, and 19, a team from the Middle States Association came to Port evaluate Washington to Schreiber.

Next spring, the Middle States Association will issue its accreditation of the school. The Association's Chairman, Mr. Bill Fisher, will submit his report to Schreiber's Principal, Mr. Frank Banta, and to the Executive Board of the Middle States Association. The Executive Board will then give their revised report to the New York State Advisory Commission, which will be returned to them for voting on

accreditation.

There were three stages to the m Evaluating Committee's visit: an introduction to Port Washington; two days of visiting classes and m getting a feel for the school; and a a final day of conferences.

A subcommittee of regular teachers evaluated each department, and evenings were 2 spent in conferences.

The committee claims to have had good impressions of Schreiber. They felt that the students were courteous, had good attitudes, and that modular scheduling worked very well for this school.

**Business Dep't Break-in** 



October 30, Monday, criminals broke into the typing room in the business wing and successfully stole ten IBM Selectrics. Each Selectric costs \$550 to replace. According to a spokesman for East Meadow Business Machines, Inc., it is professionals who steal this particular model. Around thirty to forty of these machines are stolen each week in Nassau County. The stolen typewriters are "never seen locally, they're shipped right out," This was the second such incident that occurred at Schreiber this year.

On the night of October 18, the door to the typing room was forced open, and 14 I.B.M. Selectric typewriters were unbolted from their mountings in preparation to be stolen.

Hunold Pharmacy

94 Main Street

Port Wash., N.Y. 11050

Apparently, something scared off the thieves, and nothing was stolen. On the same night that this attempted theft occurred, a large Troll was drawn on the wall of room 8, the room through which the thieves seemingly entered the school.

The Troll is a cartoon that usually appears on the bathroom wall. He is a man-like creature with wings, fangs, pointed ears, and a bald head. The Troll was often seen last year. This year, however, the Troll has been replaced by imitations, and the original is rarely seen.

Sources close to the continuing investigation of the burglaries believe that some link exists between the Troll and these professionally executed crimes.

#### Library Teen Night

The Port Washington Public Library has been offering a program for teenagers who are in Junior High and High School. Every month they have one activity, which is usually known as Teen Night. They. have presentations and discussions, concerts and films. The program is run by Suzanne Pozini, the Youth Services librarian of the Port library.

There have already been two concerts given by the bands Deep River and Mazarin, a disco night, and an evening of 50's music with Harry Hepcat and the Boogie Woogie Band. They've also had featured films, and presentations of judo, sex education, law, hang gliding, summer travel, ESP backpacking, and skateboarding. An important aspect of this program is that teenagers can be, and are encouraged to become, involved with the planning and publicity of this series. Suggestions and ideas for future nights would be very helpful. You can advertise in the **Schreiber Times** for as little as \$3.00



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by David Hoberman Schreiber Times nat S-1 tr-The 1978 version of the varsity soccer Steam was one of the most suc-Scessful ever. The team ended the season with a superb league record of 8-1-3. The last 3 weeks of the season the team did not lose. John Szaro ended the regular season with four shutouts while his teammates booted home 8 goals

Oswaldo Beltran had a goal in each of the last 4 games. Sal Buccella had one of the hottest feet on the team. He had two goals against Glen Cove as well as two against Herricks. Ares Michaelides also chipped in two winning efforts. George in Godfrey got his first goal during Port's hot streak.

Port entered the playoffs in second just 4 points behind Garden City. They had to play Plainview JFK which they had beaten twice during the season. Anything can happen in the playoffs and this time fate went against Port. Port started out fast and kept the ball in Plainview's end. In the second minute of the game Beltran opened Port's scoring. Port held that lead all game till the early fourth period when Plainview received a penalty shot and scored. For the rest of the period the ball went back and forth. Then a scoring short won the game for

**Turkey Trot '78** At 9:00 on Thanksgiving day morning, a gun will fire at the corner of Cottonwood and Manorhaven Blvd to begin the Third Annual Port Washington Five Mile Run. The race will be run through downtown Port. From Manorhaven Blvd. the

#### Plainview

But as Coach Winters said, 'The league is what really shows how a team plays and they played 4 times what I thought they could." They were the only team to tie Garden City.

The future could be a tough one. Port is losing all its fullbacks and 4 of its halfbacks. Nick Cuneo, Mike Lamberti, John Imperitore, Mike D'Aversa, and Larry Mazzeo will all be graduating this year which may leave a hole in the defense. The halfbacks of Sal Buccella, Steve Spann, David Cannon, and Rocco Pozzulo have done an excellent job and here another hole fill have to be filled. In the line only Ares Micaelides, Oswaldo Beltran, and Mike Valenti will be leaving, and Sophmores Tim Doyle, Jason Michaelides, and George Godfrey now have the experience to play well. Juniors Bret Kulman, and John Percio will also provide the depth for the future. Also helping in next years effort will be David Schanzer who this year was hampered by injury as was Senior Mike Madura who played well when he was physically able. The biggest hole will be in goal where John Szaro was the best in many years. He and Bob Otto allowed almost nothing in the net. We could have a division title in Port next year but only time will tell.

#### **Strong Finish For Badminton**

By utilizing their strong singles players and their good doubles players, the Port badminton team made this season a successful one. They obtained a 5-2 league record, and they finished third in their conference. The team improved a great deal as the season progressed, for they won their final three matches. Some of the key players in this winning streak were: undefeated first singles player Nancy Coelho, Debbie Beckford, Robin Rodey, and Sheryl Adelberg. All four of these singles players were qualified to play in the con-ference individual championships. If one of these players wins in their conference, then they will be able to play in the county championships.

There were also some doubles players who contributed to the team's success. Among these were the first doubles team of Hitomi Hashimoto and Cindy April, and the third doubles team of Sylvia Otto and Trina Gauld.

Coach Jessen said that the prospects for next year look very good, for there will be nine returning letter winners.



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### **Cross Country has 10-3 record**

Despite a tough schedule and a devastating injury, Port's cross-country team has turned in a solidly successful season. Their record, with two meets remaining (one the Nassau County championships and State Championship Qualifying Meet), is 10-3 in conference competition.

Port roundly defeated Hewlett and Garden City in a triangular meet on October 17. Port drubbed Hewlett 24-36 and completely blew away Garden City 19-42. In cross-country, the team with the lowest total wins. Five of each teams's seven runners score, with their finishing place representing their score. The totals are tabulated, with the lowest total being a perfect fifteen. Each member of the varsity lowered his time, with Art Tascone and Chugging Charlie Ouslander leading the team, Port had a glorious race, probably the outstanding, total team effort of the year.

# **Tennis Ends Great Season**

The tennis team has completed another successful season under Coach Fishbach, with its only two defeats occurring against their al foe, Great Neck North. For the first half of the season, the singles players Perry Aitcheson, David Fishbach, Steven Hazan, and Grant Aitcheson all played well and enjoyed a fine first half, while the doubles teams of Andy Freid and Glenn Kennedy, Bruce Connors and Grant Aitcheson, and Neil Helman and Lee Rosen also ended up with winning records. For the second half, with the addition of first singles Kevin-Oden from Cleveland, Ohio, Port's team looked even stronger. Some thought they had a chance at knocking off GNN, but that key victory wasn't to come. So Port ended up the season with a fine record of 10-2. The other factor which might also prove the strength of the Port team is that all the starting players made it to the county championships, which is a rare feat.

Four days later, the team competed in the Bethpage G.O. meet, sans Tascone. Arthur came down with tendonitis and was lost for this and two other meets. After such a great outing, Port was due for a letdown. Although the team finished a strong third out of seventeen teams, personal performances suffered. Only Charlie Ouslander bettered on his time, running a fantastic 16:58 for sixth place, out of 120 runners. The Chugging one is sure to be one of the country's top runners this spring in track. He and Chip Sanders, who finished eleventh, picked up trophies for their efforts.

Ouslander and Sanders again led the team at the conference championships on October 24. The team ran fourth out of fourteen, losing to third place Bethpage by only two points. But the real story of this race was the dramatic improvement of sophomores George Nahas and Greg Schmier. Each brok eighteen minutes for the fir time, a significant improvemen and really contributed to the team's success.

Port's most recent meet wa the unofficial North Shor championship, the Tedd Roosevelt meet. This was Chi Sander's day in the sun. He ran shattering 16:59 to lead all Por finishers, in eighth place out seventh runners. Following hir home were a semi-healed Ar

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# **J.V. Soccer Ends Season** With Loss to Herricks On Friday, October 27, Port's started in their own defensive perional J.V. Soccer Team officially end, led by fullbacks Joe Penettilhe first

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# runners will go up Cow Neck Road, turn right on Middle Neck

#### **J.V. Football Drops Three**

Coming off a victory in their first legaue game, Port's J.V. football team suffered three consecutive losses.

In the first loss Port failed to capitalize on several scoring opportunities. In the pouring rain, Port put out its best team performance of the season, but they were beaten by a tough Bethpage team, 14-6. Port's hard work had been highlighted by a 65 yard touchdown pass from Simon Klarides to Danny DeSimone. It was obvious that Port was not ready for its next game when Garden City ran the opening kickoff back for a touchdown. Inconsistency on both offense and defense hampered Port's efforts throughout the first half. A fumble by Garden City, which John Scillitani recovered and ran in for a touchdown, and a 55-yard touchdown pass from Simon Klarides to Chris Marino, kept Port close with a half time score of Garden City 15, Port 12. In the second half, Garden City ran the ball effectively against Port's defense, scoring another touchdown. Port's offense showed no real improvement over its play in the first half. Several long drives fell short due

to the inconsistency that plagued Port. This lack of consistency was obvious when Port established a strong passing game late in the fourth quarter. Port had fine pass protection from the entire line, including center Fred Lawrence, tackle Gerard Scilli-

Road, right again on Sandy Hollow, down Shore Road and finishing at Manorhaven Park. Runners of all ages are invited to run, with a \$2.00 pre-entry and \$3.00 post-entry fee. Close to 1,000 runners are expected to compete. For more information, see Schreiber biology teacher and meet director David Katz.

tani, and guard Charlie Salaway. Passes from Greg Bellon to John Froccaro and to Chris Marino brought Port close to scoring again in the final minutes of the game. But once again, Port's efforts produced no points and the game ended with the score Garden City 21, Port 12.

The third Port defeat, this one against Plainview, was probably the most demeaning of all. Port gave up an early touchdown but came right back to score. A long drive, led by a strong running game and aided by several Plainview penalties, gave Port a touchdown, and the first half ended with Plainview ahead 7-6. In the second half, Port's defense showed a lack of desire by letting Plainview keep many drives alive by gaining yards on key third down plays. However, it was not only the Port defense that lost the game.

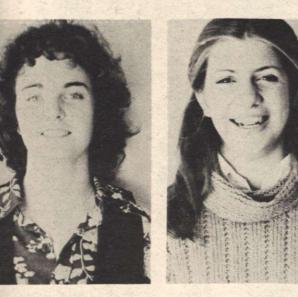
went into the game with psychological edge because they had beaten Port earlier in the season, when the teams had played in Port by a score of 2-0. Port came out playing a sloppy game and by the half, Herricks was heading by 2-0.

Critical mistakes by both offense, and defense characterised Port's play as Herricks went on to win the game.

The team eyed the season with a respectable record of 6-7-2 winning two out of it's last three games shutting out Plainview Kennedy and Bethpage by scores of 3-0, and 4-0 respectively.

While starting out on a strong note Port suffered severe losses when fullback Bob Schockman, broke his leg in a game against Great Neck North, and Garry Diamond broke his arm in gym class. Port's key plays usually

# Calvelli, D'Auria, Mauro and Riley Named to Field **Hockey All-Star Team**



Co-Captains Cara Calvelli and Jackie D'Auria

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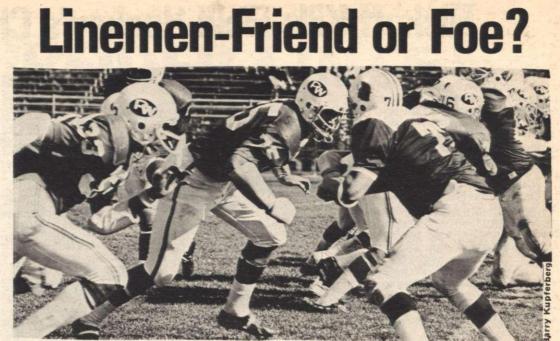
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Cara Calvelli, Jackie D'Auria, Nancy Mauro, and Diane Riley have been named to the Division II All-Star Girls Field Hockey Team. Port finished the season in third place and was therefore entitled to four positions on the team. Although the team

Diana Riley actually never plays, it is an honor to be named to it.

The girls were picked by Coach Gallagher on the basis of their individual year-round play, enthusiasm in practice, attitude, and overall ability.



by John Fasano

As the air begins to get that wintry snap, and the sound of leather is drowned out by the thumping of balls being dribbled down the court, there comes that twilight time in which we reflect back on the highlights of the football season. There will be talk of so- and - so's great kick-off return, what's his names' great game winning throw (and subsequently whose-it's great game winning catch), but what about the linemen? Who? The linementhose intrepid oft- neglected and underrated stalwarts who risk life and limb to make up the entire foundation on which the entire team rests.

Whether offensively defensively, the Port Football team depends upon it's tackles, guards, and centers to make their blocks, the success of which often decide the outcome of the game or season. And yet Port's linemen have not gotten press recognition that they deserve. Certainly not as much as the backfield. So let's suspend this moment in time to undo a great injustice and acknowledge the difficult and demanding job of linemen.

Think of any Viking game you've seen. How far could mike McCurty and Bob Corley run if offensive linemen like Al Giordano, Mike Giglio and George Poll were not opening gaping holes in the opposition's line? How many passes do you think

Ed Tolley and Jim Frocarro could complete if people like Bob Caporiello and Frank Smith were not keeping quarterback - hungry defensemen off their backs?

The backfield has it comparatively easy. The quarterback gets to throw, the running backs get to run but the linemen have to hit. And hit. And hit. They have to hit and stop opposing linemen who may be physically larger and stronger than they are. And they are doing an excellent job of it. When Port linemen take to the field they know the chances are they might not leave under their own power. Reserve linemen like John DeVittorio and Bob Larsen know that at any moment, they might be called upon to replace a team-mate who one minute was pulling to seal off a defense tackle and now is lying on the field clutching his knee, writhing in pain. The victim of any one of a myriad of injuries that could cut short his season or career.

Being a lineman is an ordeal both physcially and mentally punishing. Luckily linemen are not always the unsung heroes. Sometimes you will hear of a lineman's great play- but it is usually one made on defense- a quarterback sack or a blocked punt, but very little is heard of the offensive line. For example, take Al Giordano at center. The center is physically in the center of a play, and its success or failure depends on his ability to get the ball to the quarterback and readjust instantly to block oncoming detention.

In a fourth down situation the center has even more of an important job, to get the ball back to the punter with the correct velocity and accuracy. Billy Owens could never get off his 40 yard punts if the "snaps" from centers Cappriello and Tierney were off target, bouncing back towards our own Goal line. One hears very little about the 'Suicide Squad'' made up of your fellow classmates - those linemen who must block for the kick return runners. So called the suicide squad because they are open prey for illegal clips that could maim them. No running back, professional, or high school ever ran a kick over 10 yards without the help of his linemen. In a recent game when the running backs ran for the touchdown they handed the ball to their lineman to spike. They knew that linemen make a successful team.

Linemen are battered, brutalized, their blocks can make or break a team yet they are forever in the background, faceless players. They seemingly never bask in the limelight reserved for the backfield. Maybe next time you read of a long run by Tony Dorsett, O.J. Simpson or even Billy Owens, you will remember who made that run possible- the body and soul of the football team, the linemen.

# score of 4.4, Chris took second

by llene Weintraub The boys' gymnastics team,

coached by Tom Edgerton, finished their season by placing second in their division. In their first meet Schreiber defeated Baldwin on Oct. 13 with a score of 96.63 to 80.83. This is an exceptionally good score because the first meet is always the hardest due to lack of experience. The first event was the Horizontal Bar. John Nahas, Billy Sutton, Tom Heyman, Robert Murphy, and Captain victions performed in this DOYS event. Murphy placed 1st in this event with a score of 6.00, and Tom Heyman placed 2nd with a score of 4.60. The next event was the floor exercise with performers Mike Kramer, Andy Firstman, Tim O'Connel, Roy Kasakove, Don Frislid, and Billy Sutton. Although there were some problems all performed well with Billy receiving a high score of 7.35. The Pommel horse was next. Competing for Schreiber was Todd Hochstin, Don Frislid, Mike Krammer, John Nichols, and Cris Dover. They had flowing routines and placed 1st, 2nd, and tied for third. The fourth event was the still rings. Port had four competitors; John Nahas, Chris Dover, Robert Murphy, and John Nichols. John Nichols performed very well and placed first with a

#### with a 4.2 and Robert placed third with a 4.15. Schreiber did ex-tremely well in the next event-Vaulting. With six entries we took two firsts and a second. The last event was the Parallel bars. Although this is one of Ports weak events Chris still managed to take first with a 4.05 and John third with a 3.55. The all around winner of the day was Robert Murphy with a total score of 28.35. Because of their strong showing in their first meet the

gave him 1st place. Because of title 9 the other team placed 2nd and 3rd with girls. Although the girl's routines were sloppy they received high scores because of their flexibility. The girls were able to perform some moves that the boys could not, such as front and back walkovers, and Aerials. On the pommel horse there was some difficulty to get a flowing routine but those who did flow placed. John Nichols, moving well with high and well executed scissors, obtained a 4.15 and placed 2nd. Chris Dover's routine was also well executed and contained a sort of sliding move along the horse. This routine gave him first honors with a score of 5.2. Still rings was a difficult event with scores lower than usual. John Nahas however pulled through and placed third with a 4.10, the only place Schreiber took in this event. However with much more practice, this event should improve. During vaulting Schreiber pulled ahead again and took the top three honors, this seems to be one of our strong events. Don Frislid, and Robert Murphy both had nice vaults with scores of 7.20, and 7.50 respectively. Bill performed extremely well and received the highest score of the meet, and his highest score - 8.00. This score gave him first place in this event. Although the parallel



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coach Mr. DeLucca," sh being a little disapl is looking forward to next where he feels Port will do with. more experience as a team.

erformed ver well for the rest of the season. The Schreiber boys' gymnastics team continued to win every meet, ending the season with only one loss. Their improvement was extremely noticeable in the meet against Plainedge on Oct. 27. This meet also opened up at the Horizontal bar. All competitors were tight and flowing. A number of highcaliber tricks were now being performed. Tom Heyman obtained a 4.4 and executed giants in his routine. A giant is move when the gymnast cirles the bar in a totally straight vertical position, using just his wrists for rotation. Robert Murphy also performed giants and higher difficulty moves such as a handstand pirouette and a handstand press. Roy Kasakove performed both types and received a score of 5.45. His score was a 7.55, which

bars seems to be improving there are still a number of rough spots. John Nahas and Chris Dover found these rough spots and did not do as well as usual. But Tom Heyman performed his best, received a score of 4.15, his highest score of the season, and placed first. This meet shows the continuing improvement of the team. Their only lose occured on Nov. 3 against Locust Valley. Although it was a close meet,

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Locust Valley won with a score of 105.55-98.53. This meet place Schreiber second in their division behind Locust Valley. And so Schreiber's boys' gymnastics team ended their season with only one loss and they showed a great amount of improvement. Their last meet is for individual gymnasts and is the county championships. I wish them lots of luck.

# **Flickoff Kills Field Hockey's Championship Hopes**

by Andrew Davilma

The 1978-79 Girls Field Hockey season ended on Oct. 27 at Hicksville. The heartbreaking defeat came after sixty minutes of play and since neither side had scored the game had to be u decided by flickoffs. With the exception of the first five minutes of play, when Port had the ball in Hicksville territory constantly, Hicksville had control of the ball in Ports half of the field. At the end of the two twentyfive minute halves there was no score so a ten minute overtime was played according to regulations. Since the overtime came and went without a goal, flickoffs were the final stage. Five members from each team were chosen by their Coaches and each was allowed a penalty shot at the goalie. Jackie

D'Auria, who had saved all ten shots on goal during the game and the overtime. let two slip by. Our girls (Cara Calvelli , Diane Riley, Sue Murray Dwyer, and Nancy Mauro), unaccoustomed to this type of shot and on a strange field were unable to put one by the Hicksville goalie, who hadn't touched a ball all game because the Port offense could not overcome the Hicksville defense

Coach Gallagher felt that Port played very well against the number one team in the toughest division. "This being my first Varsity level coaching experience I found no real difference from coaching on the junior Varsity level. Oh, maybe the Playoffs are more of an incentive to work hard and play the best that you can, but it's the



Cathy Dwyer dodges Hicksville defense

enthusiasm. spirit, and dedication of the girls who really care that stands out in my mind regardless of the level. The girls who worked hard all season and gave no less that 110% deserve a tremendous deal of credit. These are the girls who make coaching a pleasant and rewarding experience."

The fact of whether the girls were going to make the playoffs was unclear as of Friday, October 20th when they tied Great Neck North, whom they

were tied with for third place. However, since Great Neck North lost to Wantagh on Oct. 25th, Port eased the playoffs. It was disappointing to see the girls lose, not on the ability of the team as a whole, but rather because of the flickoff rule. Flickoffs aren't representative of how the team can play as a whole, but rather how a few individuals can shoot. Coach Gallagher says that if the rule isn't changed, then she will 'emphasize the flickoff shot.



lie Jackie D'Auria before crucial

#### by Richard Federbusch

	PortG	arden City	
First Downs	15	9	
Rushes-Yards	42-269	31-106	
Passing yards	145	123	
Return yards	66	74	
Passes	6-9-1	10-21-2	
Punts	1-21	4-40	
Fumbles - lost	4-3	·2-1	
Penalties yards	5-55	2-20	

The Port Varsity football team defeated Garden City 21-6, on Oct. 21.

Throughout the game, both the offense and the defense played consistent football. Bob Corley caught a 27 yard pass from Ed Tolley and on the next play ran 13 more yards. Bill Owens then ran 10 yards behind blocking from George Poll to score a touchdown and give Port a 6-0 lead. When GardenCityhad the ball, they had trouble against the Port defense. On one of their drives in the first quarter, it appeared that they would score, but Frank Smith, Al Loze, and Paul Newman combined to sack the Garden City quarterback.

Later, Jim Frocarro threw a 30 vard McCurty. Bill Owens ran in on the conversion to make the score 14-0 Port.

After Al Giordano intercepted a pass, Port proceeded to make a first down. This drive proved to futile, for the Plainview / Kennedy defense strengthened.

On the second half kick-off, Port fumbled, and Plain-Kennedy recovered on the view Port 27 yard line. A 17 yard completion put the ball on the ten yard line. On the next play, the Port defense jarred the ball loose, and Feddie Johnson jumped on it at his own five yard line ending the Plainview / Kennedy threat. Plain-Kennedy did eventually view / score in the third quarter on a 48 yard drive, capped off by a four yard run to take a 7-0 lead.

Port fell apart after the touchdown, and thus couldn't make up the seven point defeat.

Varsity Football

Port	Great Neck Nort	
First Downs	12	in the second
Rushes-Yards	30-229	21-4
Passing yards	103	10
Return yards	28	114

touchdown. This was Port's longest run from scrimmage this season.

**Port Trounces North 42-6** 

Port scored on their first play in the second quarter on a 60 yard touchdown pass from Ed Tolley to Mike McCurty. When Great Neck North had the ball, they attempted a pass, but Bill Owens intercepted his first of three and ran 15 yards for another Port touchdown. Port now went into the gym at halftime with a commanding 28-0 lead.

In the third quarter, Great Neck North finally scored against the Port defense. Players like Frank Smith making key tackles, Alan Loze, who had two sacks, Glen Ochenkoski, Bob Capreillo once again, Jim Danze, and Louie Zwirlein. These players had given Great Neck North very few opportunities to score.

Port scored two more touchdowns in the final quarter on a Bill Owens interception and a Paul Newman plunge from four yards out. Nick Cuneo kicked two extra points to ice the game for Port





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Early in the fourth quarter, Garden City ruined Port's bid for a shutout by scoring on an 11 yard run. Port retaliated, by having Bill Owens score from one yard out after a 37 yard pass from Jim Frocaro to Gary Katz. With Nick Cuneo kicking the ball through the uprights, Port scored the final points of the game making it 21-6.

Although Port played superb defensive football, they were unable to win on Oct. . Port's offense played halfheartedly throughout. The quarterbacks were only able to complete one pass in the entire afternoon. Their running game was below average for they were unable to get any long-gain plays. When it had finally ended. Port had lost 7-

Passes 6-8-0 10-20-2 1-33 Punts 5-29 Fumbles-lost 4-2 Penalties-Yards 6-70 9-80

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Passes

In their finest offensive output of the season, the Port Vikings defeated Great Neck North convincingly, 42-6. Their running game was excellent, which helped tremendously on thirddown efficiency. Among these fine runners included, Mike McCurty, and Bill Owens. They scored five of the six Port touchdowns.

The first Port touchdown came early in the first quarter. It took Port only nine plays to go 60° yards for a score. Bill Owens concluded the drive by running in two vards behind strong blocking from George Poll and Mike Giglio. Near the end of this quarter, Mike McCurty galloped 63 yards down the sidelines for a

Port Plainvi **First Downs** Rushes-yards Passing-yards 20-87 12 45-149 **Return yards** 11 1-12-1 6-16-2 Punts Fumbles-lost 5-45 1-1 7-35 1-1 Penalties-yards 10-77 8-80

#### **Daddy-Daughter Nite**

On November 6th, the G.A.A. (Girls Athletic Association) held its twentieth annual Daddy-Daughter night in the gym. The G.A.A. sponsored this night so that girls and their fathers (or any male over 21) can participate together in sports events. The events included were relay races, a sports quiz, volleyball, and an obstacle course. The most outstanding fathers were selected and received prizes for their achievements.

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Bob Corley, 25, runs for big yardage in game against Garden City.