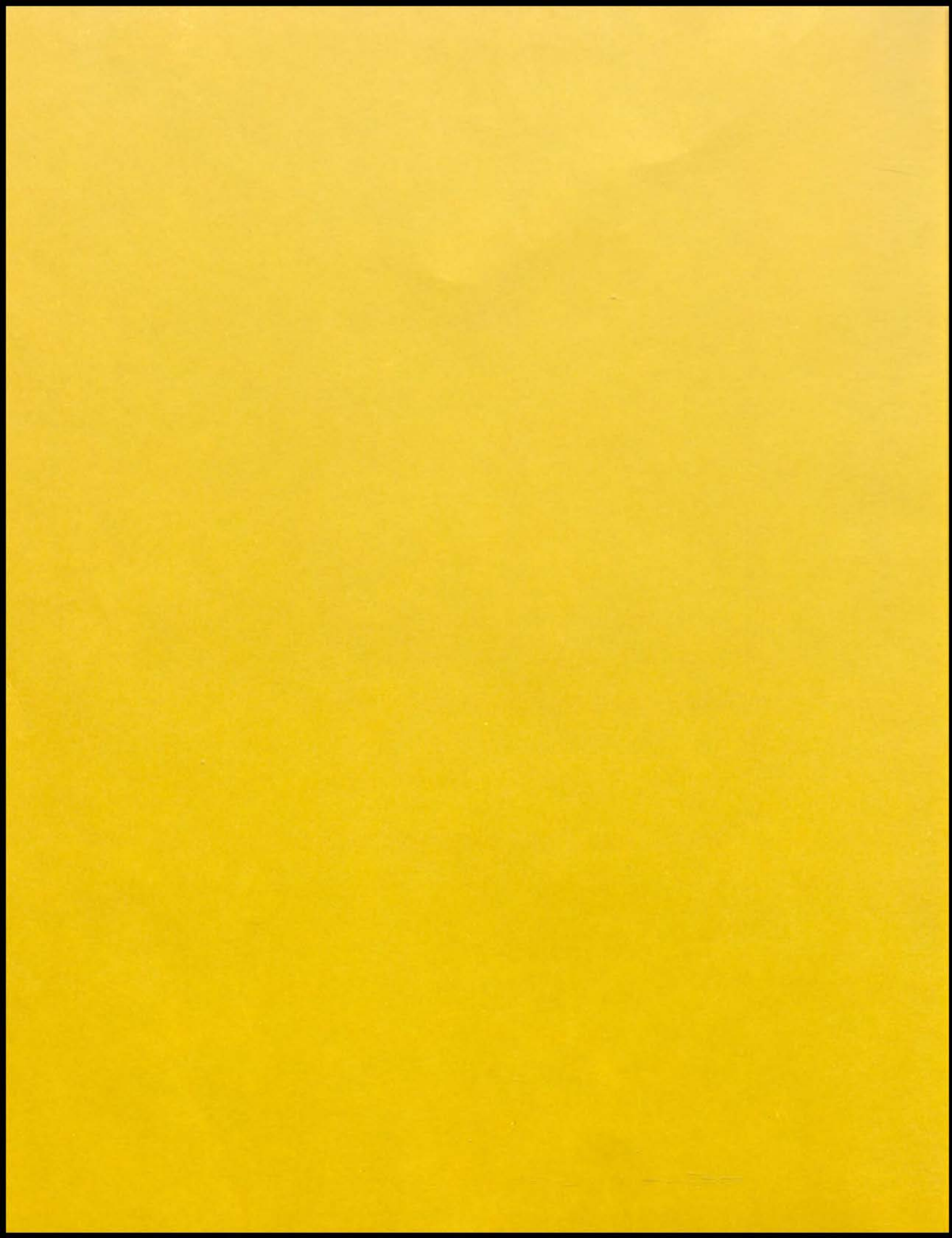




**ROYAL GOLD**









*Royal Gold*

WEST HIGH SCHOOL/KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI/VOLUME NO. 6



## *New Song For West*



Dear Old West, our alma mater  
we love you.

Dear old West, our alma mater  
to you we'll always be true.

On the west-side, on a hill, stands  
our building proud.

Educating all who seek it, on to  
better grounds.

Through the years of strife our  
pride still holds high, "West High"  
And our love we pledge and give  
all to thee, West High.

Chorus (sing twice)

Dear old West, our alma mater  
we love you

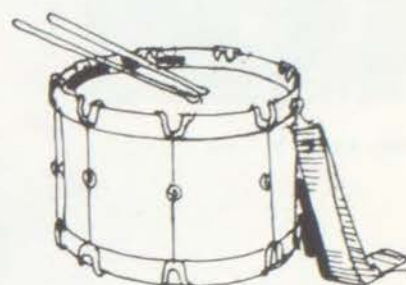
Dear old West, our alma mater  
to you we'll always be true.



Two wolverines, mascot of  
West, at Swope Park Zoo.

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## Dedication

The 1975 Royal Gold Staff would like to salute and dedicate this year-book, a finished product of the year's experiences to Allison E. Lowe.

In 1928 Mr. Lowe graduated from Olathe High School and four years later received his degree to teach from Park College. Mr. Lowe is married and has one daughter.

Mr. Lowe not only devoted his patience and knowledge, but also demonstrated a sense of unselfishness to his students.



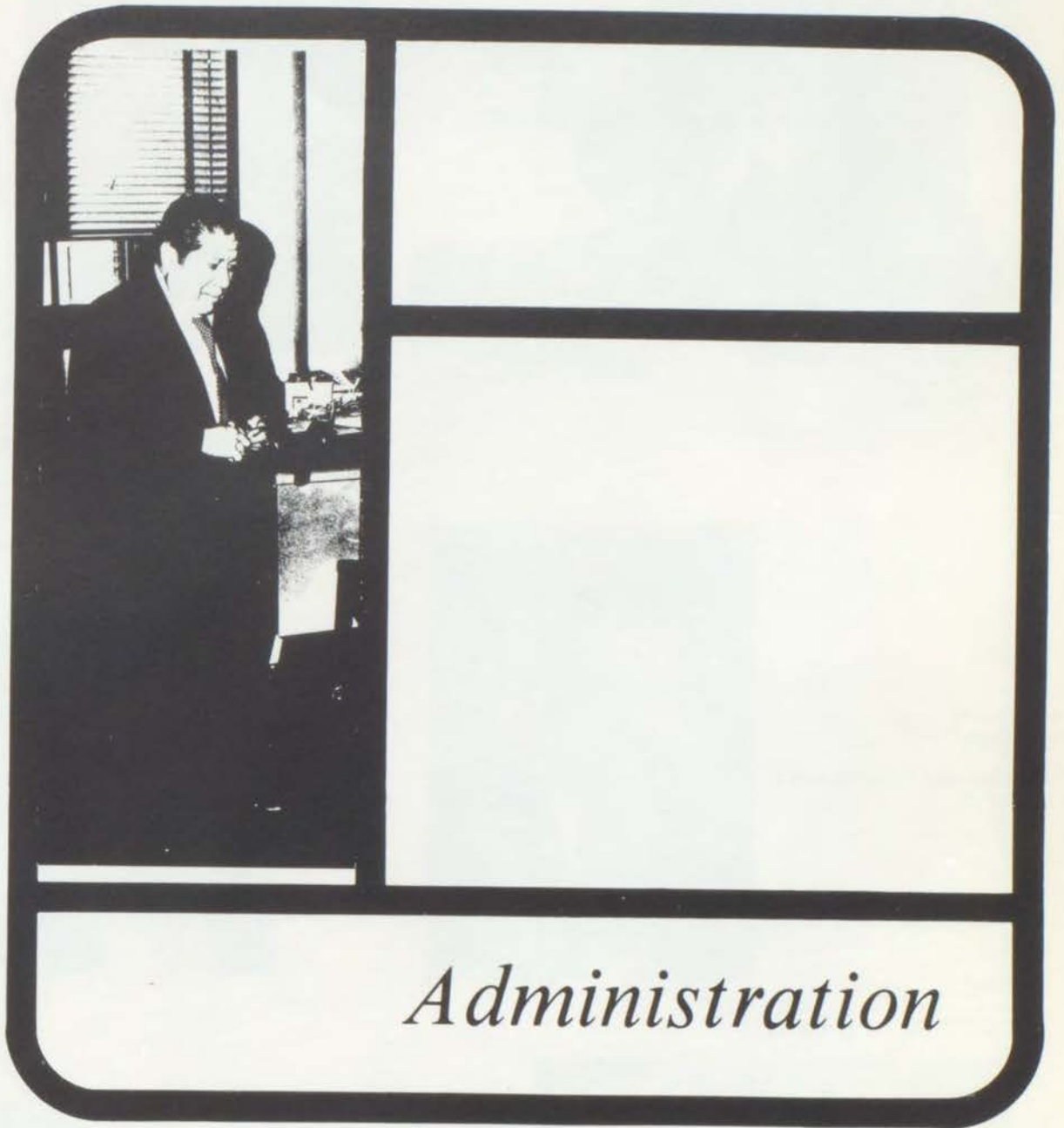
Mr. Allison E. Lowe



Mr. Lowe . . . . as lecturer, as map reader, as teacher, and audio-visual coordinator.







*Administration*



Wesley B. Weddle  
Principal

I know you believe you understand what you think I said, but, I'm not sure you realize what you heard, is not what I meant.

Paul Gonzalez  
Vice-Principal

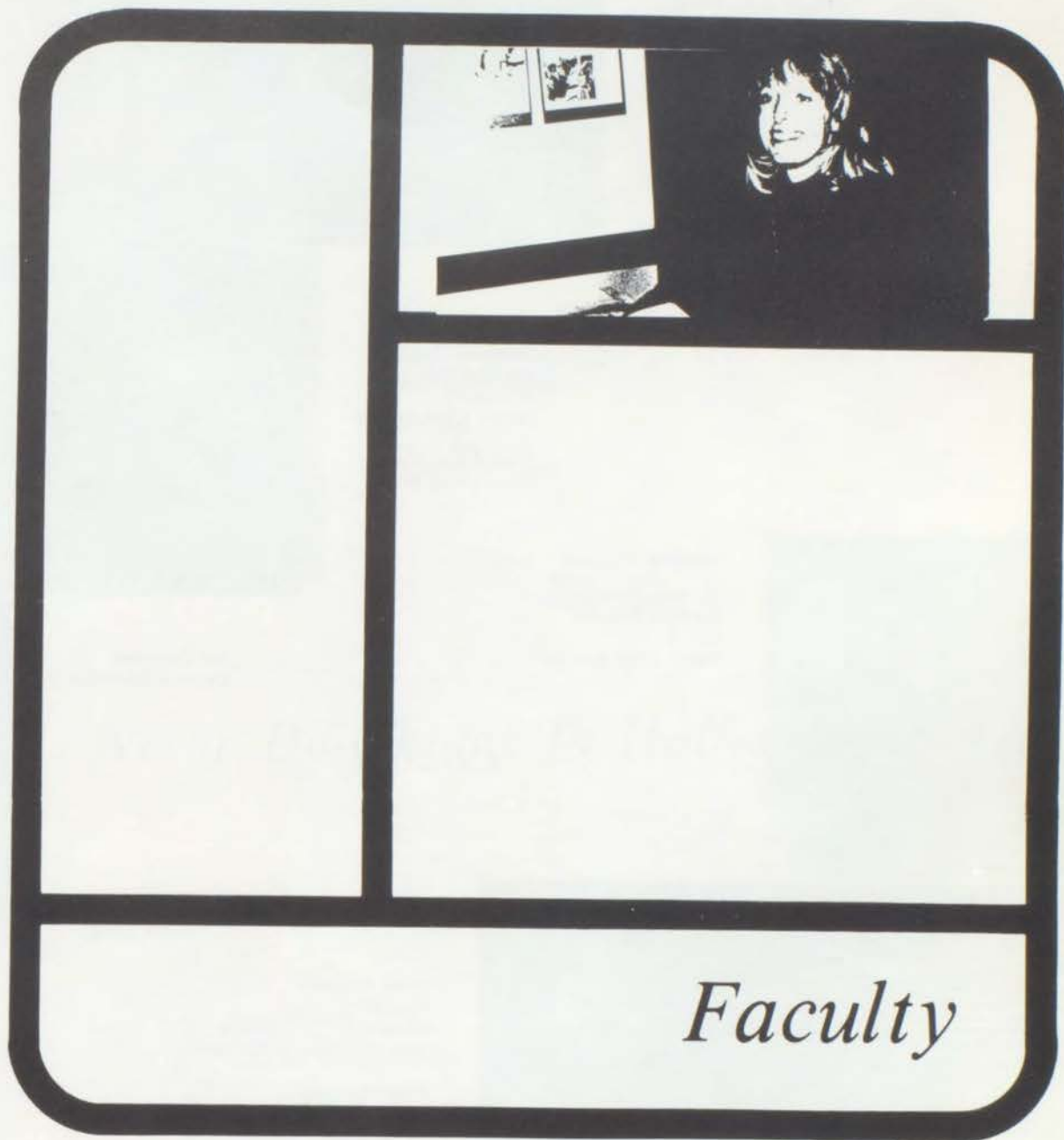
"I don't believe it." The bell hasn't even rung yet.



He always wears a smile, and never a frown, rainy days and Mondays never get him down.

Donald Farris  
Counselor





*Faculty*

Anne P. Alvarez  
Commercial Art  
Royal Gold Advisor

Lydia Bross  
Spanish  
Spanish Club Sponsor

Gene Budd  
English  
Honor Society Advisor



Kenneth Cloud  
Physical Education  
Health  
Senior Class Sponsor

Daniel Contreras  
Commercial Foods



Richard Davidson  
General Business  
C.O.E.  
Senior Class Sponsor

Joy Craighead  
Physical Education



## Faculty

Joyce Hartnett  
English  
Student Council Sponsor  
Wolverine Special Advisor

Kara Hawthorne  
Math  
Honor Society Advisor



Beverly Hubble  
Secretarial Practices  
Royal Gold Business Manager  
Pep Club Sponsor

JoAnn Johnson  
Physical Education  
Cheerleader Advisor

Alexander Klusman  
Science  
Math  
Wrestling Coach





Beverly Kowalczyk  
English  
Junior Class Sponsor

M. Bryan Leforgee  
Graphic Communication

Mary Leforgee  
Home Economics  
Pep Club Sponsor



Allison Lowe  
History  
Audio Visual Coordinator

Rita Mabin  
Physical Education  
Girls Volleyball Coach



James McConnell  
Instrumental Music  
Stage Band

Carol McManaman  
Social Studies  
Eighth Grade Sponsor



## *Never Do Things In Half*

John Meighen  
Athletic Director  
Assistant Wrestling Coach

Sgt. D. Millow  
R.O.C.T.



Peggy Moore  
Drama  
Speech  
Forensic Advisor

Dale Petrus  
Math  
Eighth Grade Sponsor

Sgt. John Quinn  
R.O.T.C.



Walter Randolph  
Science  
Football Coach  
Track Coach



Clara Reid  
Reading



John Rocha  
Physical Education  
Basketball Coach  
Sophomore Class Sponsor



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Royal Gold Proofreader

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Special Observance Committee

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Current Affairs  
Human Relations  
Civics  
Honor Society Advisor



Mark Voelker  
History  
Freshman Coach



John Hottenstein  
Industrial Arts





*Staff*

## Cafeteria Staff



Mrs. Susie Bradford  
Cafeteria Manager

Martha Alvarado  
Vera Arnold  
Gladys Chadd  
Helen Crisp  
Euna Dunaway



Delores Fitchett  
Delores Fitchett  
Junior Kerns  
Martha Kerns  
Wanda Swan

## Custodial Staff



Salvador Guterrez  
Chief Engineer

Roy Carr  
Charles Kirk  
Josephine Rodriguez  
Gene Tilley



## Nurse



Waltraut Fisher  
Learning Disabilities



Margaret Carter

## H.S.C.



Janice Winton

## Aide



Anthony Rios



## *Library Staff*



Geneva Saucerman  
Assistant Librarian



Regina Tierney  
Head Librarian



Patricia Torres  
Assistant Librarian



Sylvia Meza  
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Robert Taylor  
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## *Project Outreach*



Olivia Reeves  
Secretary



Dr. William Stevens  
Director

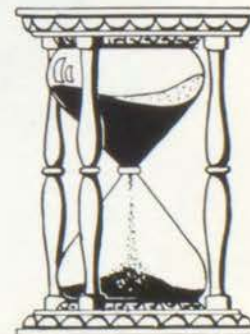


Joyce Peregrina  
Secretary



## *Security Guard*

Jay Ketchump





Mrs. Geneveive Smith  
Registrar



## *Secretaries*



Mrs. Wilma Dalton  
Secretary



Mrs. LaVon Presley  
Attendance Secretary



*Organizations*



Let's discuss this once more

## *Student Council*

Christmas Decorating Time





BACK ROW: Pam Young, Jerry Chisam, Susan Wilson, Glenda McDonald, Connie Jones, Carlos Gibson, Leah Reyes, Cellador Fink, Sammy Davis, 2nd ROW: Pam Banes, Gino Bueno, Janice Mc-

Connell, Sylvia Meza, Rita Reyes, 1st ROW: Rosiland Brown, Alfred VanReed, Joyce McConnell

### STUDENT COUNCIL

Reps are host to foreign exchange students.

The annual observance of Brotherhood Week and Black History Week was climaxed by a visit of four foreign exchange students. Student Council representatives welcomed the visitors with a morning reception and escorted them throughout the building. Under the direction of Wayne Poke, the Student Council honored the A.F.S. students with an afternoon program.

Hosting the Christmas Party was another project of the 74-75 Student Council. Representatives donated the refreshments and organized the dance. Valentines were sent through the Student Council Love Mail. West was represented at the Superintendent's Advisory Council by Joyce McConnell and Elzie Jones.

1974-1975 officers were Wayne Poke-President, Joyce McConnell-Vice President first semester with Gino Bueno second semester, Maria Meza-Secretary, Janice McConnell-Treasurer first semester with Glenda McDonald second semester, Richard Collins-Sgt. at Arms.

# Hey, Hey, Hey, Big West



Antoinette Hale

## Cheerleaders



Janice McConnell



Sponsor  
Mrs. Johnson



Jeanette Maca



Cheerleaders showing off



Captain  
Kim Herring



Annette Thomas

# R.O.T.C.



Pam Banes  
William Bryant  
Jesse Bueno  
Judy Bushmyer  
Michael Castro  
Genero Cortez

Gary Dunaway  
Daniel Folson  
Richard Hicks  
Gyette Kubishta  
Jesse Lopez  
Cynthia Ramirez

Leticia Ramirez  
Delfino Romero  
James Ryan  
Paul Sanchez  
Kimberly Swan  
Phillip Swartz

Ruth Tapia  
Robert Thomas  
Jim Toon  
Edward Woods  
Troy Woods



Mrs. Beverly Hubble  
Sponsor

Mrs. Mary Leforgee  
Sponsor

## Pep Club

The pep club sponsors many buses to football and basketball games. The girls root the team on to victory and yell along with the cheerleaders.



The complete uniform of West High School Pep Club, Sweater, skirt, Pom Poms, and Knee-hi socks.



Left to Right, BACK ROW: Leah Reyes, Kimberly Goehart, Cindy Rios, Carol Breeden, Lattina Bailey and Mrs. Leforgee, Sponsor SE-  
COND ROW: Mrs. Hubble, Sponsor; Debbie Ramirez, Anita

Gutierrez, Connie Jones, Victoria Colorado, and Linda Ramirez.  
FIRST ROW: Yvonne Garcia, Teresa Salas, Rita Reyes, Joann Yslas  
and Margarita Gaona.





*Seniors*

**ELIZABETH THERESA AGUILAR**  
 Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Spanish Club 10;  
 Wolverine Special Reporter 11,12; Ambition:  
 Beautician; Sign: Aries

**GLORIA AKINS**  
 (not pictured)

**STEPHEN PAUL ALVAREZ**  
 Basketball 9; Football 9,10,11,12; Red Cross 10;  
 Wrestling 9,10; W Club 9,10,11,12; Wolverine  
 Special Sports Editor 11; Ambition: Professional  
 Artist; Sign: Capricorn

**SHARON KAY BANES**  
 Forensic Team 9; Drill Team 9; Royal Gold Staff  
 12; Spanish Club 10; Student Council 11;  
 Wolverine Special 11,12; Betty Crocker  
 Homemaker Award 12; Ambition: Social Worker;  
 Sign: Virgo

**ANITA M. CANTRELL**  
 Ambition: Secretary; Sign: Scorpio

**JOSEPH CHAVEZ**  
 Band 10,11,12; Stage Band 10,11,12; Ambition:  
 Continue working and attend college part time;  
 Sign: Capricorn

**GARY DEAN CHISAM**  
 Honor Society 12; Royal Gold Staff, Assistant  
 Business Manager 12; Ambition: Truck Driver;  
 Sign: Pisces



## *A Good Year To Remember*



**RICHARD ALLEN COLLINS**  
 Band 9,10,11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; Orchestra  
 9,10; Red Cross 9; Student Council 12; W Club  
 9,10,11,12; Wrestling 12; Ambition: To be an all  
 around individual; Sign: Cancer

**RONALD MITCHELL EASON**  
 Basketball 12; Football 9; Forensic Team 9,10,11;  
 Student Council 9; Senior Class President; Ambition:  
 Computerist; Sign: Sagittarius

**PERCY ALBERT ESCOE**  
 Basketball 9,10,11,12; Football 9,12; Red Cross  
 10; Track 12; W Club 9,10,11,12; Ambition:  
 Professional Basketball Player; Sign: Sagittarius



**WILLIAM BEN EVANS**  
 Ambition: Professional Football Player; Sign:  
 Scorpio

**ROSA ELIA GALLEGOS**  
 Spanish Club 11,12; Ambition: Secretary; Sign:  
 Sagittarius

**MARIE DOLORES GAONA**  
 Honor Society 12; Wolverine Special 11,12; Ambition:  
 Printer; Sign: Capricorn



**CARLOS ANTOINO GIBSON**  
Football 11,12; Student Council 12; W Club 11;  
Ambition: Attend College; Sign: Leo

**OLIVIA ANN GONZALEZ**  
Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Student Council 11,12;  
Wolverine Special 11; Ambition: Cosmetologist;  
Sign: Cancer

**BERNARDO GUZMAN**  
Ambition: Artist; Sign: Capricorn

**LARRY WAYNE HAGEN**  
Band 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10,11,12; Football  
9,10,11,12; Honor Society 11,12; Orchestra  
9,10,11,12; Student Council 10; Track 10; W Club  
9,10,11,12; Wolverine Special Editor 11; Ambition:  
Lt. in the Air Force; Sign: Cancer

**ANTOINETTE HALE**  
Cheerleader 9,10,11,12; Honor Society 9,10,11,12;  
Royal Gold Staff 9,10, Editor 11; Student Council  
9,10; Junior Class President; 100 girls 11,12;  
D.A.R. 12; Homecoming Attendant 10; R.O.T.C.  
Attendant 11; Ambition: Ex. or Legal Secretary;  
Sign: Libra

**DENISE MARIE HANDSON**  
Drill Team 9,10; Ambition: Navy; Sign: Leo



*As It All Ends*

**MICHAEL JOSEPH HERNANDEZ**  
Lillis 9,10; Basketball 12; Student Council 11;  
Wolverine Special 11; Ambition: Professional  
Basketball Player; Sign: Virgo

**DARRELL WAYNE HILL**  
Basketball 12; Football 11; Track 12; W Club  
11,12; Ambition: Attend Arkansas University and  
play basketball; Sign: Virgo

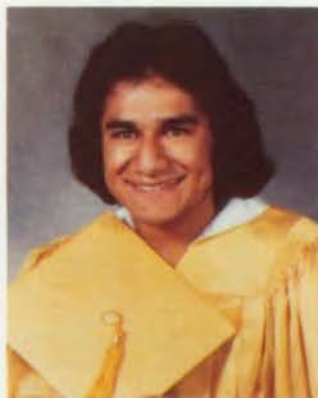
**PEARLINE JACKSON**  
Ambition: Housewife; Sign: Pisces

**ELZIE LEE JONES**  
Band 9,10,11,12; Football 9,10,11,12; Honor  
Society 9,10,11,12; Track 10,11; W Club  
9,10,11,12; Ambition: Professional Drummer;  
Sign: Virgo

**LauFRANZE KEOKA JONES**  
Drill Team 9; Sophomore Class Vice-President;  
Majorette 10; Ambition: Nurse; Sign: Capricorn

**CONNIE JUNIOR**  
(Not pictured)

**ROSE MARIE MONTROYA LANDER**  
Cheerleader 9; Majorette 10; Ambition: Teach  
Spanish; Sign: Scorpio





Smile, make people wonder what you've been up to.



They told me to cheer up, things could get worse. I cheer up and sure enough things got worse.



So natural, must be high!



Everybody needs a little help sometimes.

Times are really bad! Inflation getting worse, jobs are hard to find and money doesn't grow on trees or vines.



The more you explain it the more I don't understand it.

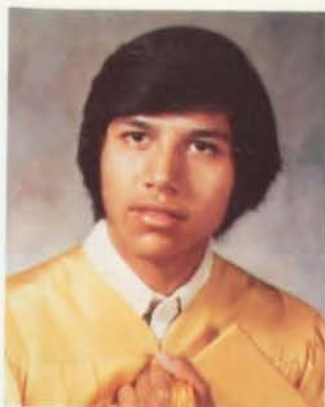


I wonder what she wonders, when she wonders, why she wonders

**ABLARDO DAVID LEON**  
Basketball 9,10; Honor Society 9,10,11,12; W Club 9; Ambition: Printer; Sign: Taurus

**ANNA MARIE LOPEZ**  
Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Student Council 9,10; Ambition: Housewife; Sign: Leo

**JAY EMILIO MACIEL**  
Honor Society 11,12; Ambition: Be a college graduate; Sign: Capricorn



**ROY DARENLL MARTIN**  
Track 12; Ambition: Welder; Sign: Aquarius

**BARBARA LOUISE McCOY**  
Wolverine Special 11; Editor 12 (second semester) Ambition: Journalist; Sign: Cancer

**WILLIE McCracken**  
Basketball 10; Football 10; Track 10,11; W Club 10,11; Wolverine Special 12; Ambition: Dentist; Sign: Virgo



## Seniors

**MARIA ELVA MEZA**  
Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Spanish Club 9,10; Student Council Secretary 12; Senior Class Treasure; Ambition: Nurse; Sign: Capricorn

**BEVERLY RENAE MOORE**  
Ambition: Nurse; Sign: Scorpio

**REBECCA MARIE MORENO**  
Cheerleader 9; Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Red Cross 10; Spanish Club 10; Wolverine Special 11; Junior Class Secretary; Ambition: Attend College and be Ex. Secretary

**VERONICA MORENO**  
(not pictured) Ambition: Social Worker; Sign: Capricorn

**VICKIE ELAINE MURRAY**  
(not pictured) Ambition: Nurse; Sign: Libra

**WAYNE POKE**  
Band 9,10; Forensic Team 9,10,11,12; Honor Society 11,12; Red Cross 9; Student Council President 12; Freshman Class President; Sophomore Class Vice-President; Junior Class Treasure; Ambition: Actor, Star on Broadway; Sign: Virgo

**GUSTAVO CHAVEZ PRIETO**  
Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Red Cross 9; Royal Gold Staff Business Manager 12; Senior Class Secretary; Ambition: Photographer; Sign: Cancer

**JAMELLE QUALLS**  
Forensic Team 9,10,11; Drill Team 9; Wolverine Mascot 10; Ambition: Drama, Forensic Teacher or Veterinarian; Sign: Cancer





**ESTHER REYES**

Drill Team 9; Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Red Cross 9; Ambition: Artist; Sign: Virgo

**CONSTANCE LOREE RODENBO**

Forensic Team 9; Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Pep Club 10; Royal Gold Staff Typist 11,12; Ambition: To travel the world; Sign: Libra

**LUCIA RODRIQUEZ**

Cheerleader 11,12; Drill Team 10; Honor Society 9,10,11,12; Spanish Club 9; Ambition: Housewife; Sign: Leo



**ROBIN LYNN SMITH**

Homemaking Club 9,10; Honor Society 9,10,11; Pep Club 9,10; Student Council 10; Ambition: Pediatrician; Sign: Virgo

**NITA LYNN SPARKS**

Honor Society 9,11,12; Red Cross 9,10; Royal Gold Staff Senior Editor 12; Wolverine Special 11; Senior Class Vice-President; Royal Gold Attendant 11; Royal Gold Queen 12; Homecoming Attendant 11; R.O.T.C. Princess 12; Ambition: Art Teacher; Sign: Libra

**DONALD RAY STROZIER**

Band 9,10,11,12; Basketball 12; Orchestra 9,10; Track Manager 9; W Club 9,10,11,12; Wrestling 9; Ambition: Architect; Sign: Virgo

**VIRGINIA MAY TAYLOR**

Royal Gold Staff Class Editor 11, Assistant Editor 12; F.T.A. 9; Ambition: Navy; Sign: Taurus

**ALICE MARIE THOMPSON**

Ambition: Housewife; Sign: Pisces

**ROSE ELVA VARGAS**

Homemaking Club 9,10; Red Cross 9; Track 11; Majorette 10; Junior Class Vice-President; Ambition: Teacher; Sign: Aquarius

**SUSAN LORETTA WILSON**

Forensic Team 9,10; Honor Society 9,10,11, President 12; Royal Gold Staff Classes Editor 10, Assistant Editor 11, Editor 12; Student Council 12, Treasure 11; Ambition: Attend Business College; Sign: Gemini

**PERRY YOUNG II**

Basketball 9,11,12; Honor Society 12; Track 12; W Club 9,11,12; Ambition: Electrical Technician; Sign: Virgo

**RAMON SUAREZ ZARATE**

Honor Society 11,12; Spanish Club 10; Track 10; Ambition: Attend College; Sign: Virgo

1975

**SHIRLEY JOAN TAPIA**

Truman High 9,10,11; Ambition: Artist; Sign: Libra





Sharon Banes, Betty Crocker Homemaker of the Year Award



## Senior Life



Toni Hale's reflection in Mr. Farris mirror.



Elzie Jones looking his coolest.



Connie Rodenbo, Susan Wilson, Nita Sparks and Gus Prieto on the ladder of knowledge.



Darrell Hill, Larry Hagen and Rosa Gallegos hitting the books, finally.



Mr. Farris helping Jay Maciel make future plans.



Gus Prieto getting ready for graduation.



Mr. Davidson helping Becky Moreno fill out her W2 forms.

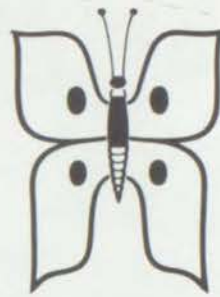




Ruth Tapia, Maria Meza, Maurice Collins, Nita Sparks, Becky Moreno, Ronnie Eason and Rose Vargas hard at work.

This year the Senior class took on a project of stuffing envelopes with calendars for mailing—they called it Dayco. The class stuffed and sealed 67 thousand envelopes. They worked in the shop building during the first three hours of the school day and part time in the early evening. The class made a total of \$537.00 which they plan to use toward graduation.

## Senior



## Dayco Project



Darrell Hill and Richard Collins taking it slow and easy.



Mr. Davidson, Isaac Aguilar and Mike Hernandez racing the clock.



Jay Maciel and Carlos Gibson taking a sneak peek at the girly calendar.



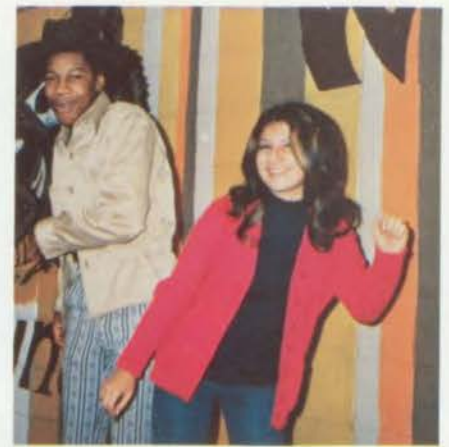
Carlos Gibson, Becky Moreno, Ronnie Eason, Jamelle Qualls, Maurice Collins, Darrell Hill, Nita Sparks and Marie Gaona just stuffin' envelopes.



Most Popular  
Wayne Poke and Jamelle Qualls



Sexiest  
Jay Maciel and Virginia Taylor



Best Dancer  
Percy Escoc and Olivia Gonzalez

## Senior Ballot



Most Intelligent  
Gus Prieto and Mary Meza



Best Dressed  
Denise Handson and Elzie Jones



Prettiest Eyes  
Rose Lander and Jay Maciel



Flirt and Wolf  
Toni Hale and Ronnie Eason



Best Athletes  
Rose Vargas and Steve Alvarez



Contributed Most  
Wayne Poke and Nita Sparks

*Tomorrow Will Be Beautiful*



*Royalty*

# Homecoming Queen And Attendant



Noreen Robinson  
Queen



Robin Smith  
First Attendant



Carmen King  
Second Attendant



Rosiland Brown  
Third Attendant



Pamela Young  
Fourth Attendant

# Royal Gold Queen And Attendants



Nita Lynn Sparks  
Queen



Annette Thomas  
Junior Attendant



Susan Jessup  
Sophomore Attendant



Susan Lillard  
Freshman Attendant



Kathy Richardson  
Eighth Grade Attendant

*R.O.T.C. Queen And Princess*



Rose Montoya Lander  
Queen



Nita Lynn Sparks  
Princess



*Sports*

# Varsity Football

Coached by Walter Randolph



Gino Bueno



Jesse Bueno



Sam Oliver



Percy Escoe



David Kentch





Joe Grado



Harold Young



Ronald Hamilton



Elzie Jones



Richard Collins

Jesse Kimble



Jesse Bueno



Sam Oliver



Fausto Meixueiro

## *Freshman Football*

Mark Voelker  
Coach



Gino Bueno



James Hernandez

Jesse Kimble





Paul Orozco



Raymond Aguilar



Louie Vaca



Gonzalo Mora



Pile Up!

James Toon



Greg Morrow



David Kentch

# Varsity Basketball



Let's get to work



Coach John Rocha



Ronald Hamilton, Darrell Hill, Percy Escoc, Larry Hagen, Perry Sanders.)



I'll get him!



Reach for it.



Young, Mike Sawyer, (NOT PICTURED) Greg Morrow, Mel



Swoosh!



Watch this fellows.



Come on BIG WEST!

## *Jr. Varsity Basketball*



Junior Varsity Basketball team in full uniform coached by Kenneth Cloud.



What do you think you're going to do?



Up! Up! And Away!



Keep your eyes on it.

# Football, Honors



Elzie Jones

All District



Joe Miller

Honorable Mention  
 Metro: Joe Miller  
 All League: Joe Grado  
 Byron Douglas

All League  
 Joe Miller-1st team-LB  
 Ronald Hamilton-2nd team-QB



## Scoreboard

West	0	Northeast	12
West	0	Oak Grove	22
West	14	Hogan	41
West	6	Richmond	40
West	6	St. Mary's	30
West	0	Wellsville	48
West	6	Baldwin	28

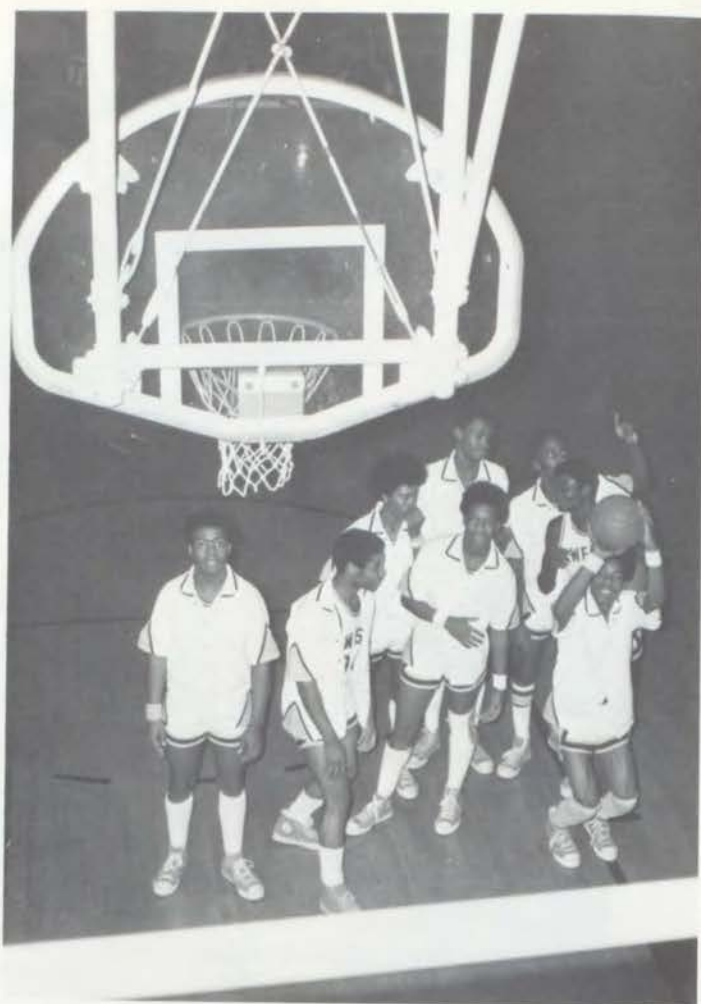


Even though the Varsity football team didn't win any games, we of West High know that everyone has a glorious day, and ours is soon to come.

# Basketball

## Scoreboard

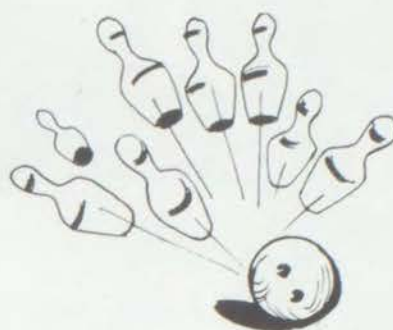
West	64	Barstow	71
West	41	St. John's Seminary	55
West	51	Bishop Hogan	73
West	34	Liberty H.S.	93
West	62	Lexington H.S.	90
West	39	Marshall H.S.	64
West	75	K.C. Christian	38
West	47	Westport	60
West	57	O'Hara	94
West	70	Precious Blood	47
West	32	Van Horn	62
West	42	East	47
West	96	K.C. Christian	60
West	67	Orrick H.S.	61
West	73	St. Mary's Independence	62



West's basketball team won only 4 games this season, but next year they are expected to win more.



## Bowling Team



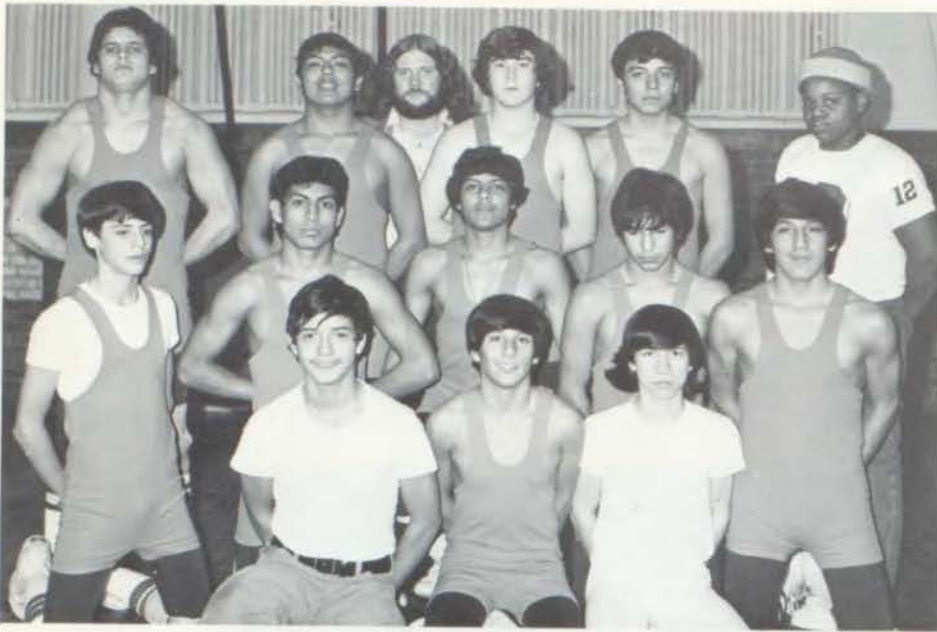
Gino Bueno, Jesse Bueno, Royce Fisher, Kenneth Peddycourt, Gerry Pouncil



## Volleyball Team



Left to right - Cellador Fink, Martha Vargas, Anita Guitierrez, Janice McConnell, Regina Collins, Sheila Collins, Pam Banes, Delores Carter, Mary Garcia



3rd ROW: Joe Miller, Gino Bueno, Coach Alexander Klusman, David Kentch, Fausto Meixueiro, Manager: Mike Carter, 2nd ROW: Richard Duran, Jesse Bueno, Jimmy Hernandez, Louis Vaca, Gilbert Gonzales, 1st ROW: Genero Cortez, Terry Gonzales, Kenny Peddycoart



Assistant Coach John Meighen watches on.

### 1974-75 Wrestling Meets Outstanding Wrestler

West	48	K.C. Christian	6	T. Gonzales
West	24	Blue Springs	12	J. Bueno
West	46	East	15	D. Kentch
West	24	Raymore Peculiar	42	J. Hernandez
West	6	Westport	62	G. Bueno
West	66	K.C. Christian	0	K. Peddycourt
West	36	East	31	J. Miller

### Belton Tournament R. Duran 4th 105

### Interscholastic Tournament 3rd Place J.V.

1st	J. Miller	167
1st	G. Bueno	155
2nd	J. Hernandez	119
2nd	G. Gonzales	126
3rd	D. Kentch	185
3rd	T. Gonzales	98
4th	R. Duran	105
4th	S. Alvarez	138

### Dual Record Meet

Terry Gonzales	9-4
Kenny Peddycoart	3-5
Richard Duran	7-6
Jimmy Hernandez	7-4
Gilbert Gonzales	8-5
Louis Vaca	0-1
Genero Cortez	1-1
Steve Alvarez	2-3
Jesse Bueno	4-8
Gino Bueno	9-1
Richard Collins	4-5
David Kentch	7-8
Fausto Meixueiro	1-1
Joe Miller	10-3



Coach Alexander Klusman at a practice session.



Richard Collins



David Kentch



Fausto Meixueiro



Jimmy Hernandez



Team Huddle



Joe Miller



Richard Duran



Gino Bueno



Gilbert Gonzales

## Sports Summary



Jimmy strives to win his match



Ok now, let's get things straight



West's 3rd place volleyball team challenge all who dare



Warm-up before another game



*Publications*

## Newspaper Staff



Marie Gaona, Sharon Banes and Elizabeth Aguilar



Barbara McCoy



Vicki Murray



Ronald Hamilton



Gilbert Gonzales



Phillip Swartz, Elzie Jones, Willie McCracken, Yvonne Garcia, Marie Gaona, Sharon Banes



Joyce Hartnett  
Advisor

## *Wolverine Special*

Staff publishes record number of issues

A copy of the *Wolverine Special* represents the efforts of many W.H.S. students. The staff first decides what activities and events are to be covered in the up-coming issue. The staff is composed of Miss Hartnett's junior and senior English students. An article is assigned to a staff member who researches and writes the article. Mrs. Hubble's advanced typing class takes over from there. After the typing has been proof-read, Mr. Leforgee's printers lay out and put the paper to press. Thus, the finished product is a community effort.

The school paper has been published on a monthly schedule this year resulting in a record number of copies. The staff hopes to give all organizations fair coverage.

The first semester editor-in-chief was Elzie Jones. Bobi McCoy became editor at the beginning of second semester. Other staff members included: Willie McCracken-business manager, Ronald Hamilton and Gilbert Gonzales-Sports editor, Gossip editor-Vickie Murray. Reporters were: Liz Aguilar, Marie Gaona, Sharon Banes.

Ronald Hamilton was selected outstanding staffer of the year.



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Susan Wilson and Connie Rodenbo sells stationery at Open House—one of the many money making projects that the Royal Gold staff sponsors to pay for the publication of the yearbook.



Nita Sparks  
Senior Editor





*Activities*

## Gold Key Club



The Gold Key Club is experiencing its first year of ups and downs. To be eligible for membership the student has to obtain all fours and fives in citizenship.



Back to front: Kevin Nelson, Perry Young, Ramon Zarate, Jay Maciel, Glenda McDonald, Anthony Quijas, Anna Lopez, Gus Prieto, Connie Rodenbo, Lucia Rodriguez, Maria Meza and Jeanette Maca.



Back to front: Melvin Paul, Darrell Day, Jorge Zarate, Gonzalo Mora, Henry Salas, Lori Dillon, Mrs. Hawthorne, Jesus Meza, Rosiland Brown, Tammie Archer, Debbie Rodenbo, Cheryl Jones, Phillip Gomez and Robin Strothers.



Back to front: Robert Taylor, David Kentch, Cellador Fink, Helen Davolt, Mrs. Utley, Maria Delgado, Pam Banes, Judy Bushmeyer, Mary Garcia, Betty Chisam, Martha Vargas and Kimberly Swan

## Honor Society



BACK ROW, Left to Right: Gonzalo Mora, Robin Smith, Larry Hagen, Terri Gonzalez, Homer Hergins, John Garcia, John Edler, Harry Fink. THIRD ROW: Frank Salas, Jeanette Maca, Toni Hale, Vanessa Harris, Barbara Oliver, Rita Reyes, Susan Wilson. SE-  
COND ROW: Gus Prieto, Wayne Poke, Jesus Meza, Susan Lillard,

Debra Keith, Phillip Swartz, Tammie Archer, Victoria Colorado, Kimberly Garcia. FRONT ROW: James Toon, Lewis Young, Nita Sparks, Cellador Marie Fink, Gino Bueno, Rosiland Brown, Pam Banes, and Ruth Tapia.

## Forensic Team



Isiah Lewis, Yvone Garcia, Wayne Poke, Rosiland Brown, Lewis Young and Peggy Moore. Sponsor. This year West has received many trophies from these outstanding students.



Back to Front - Mary Edler, Frank Salas, Blanca Garcia, Kimberly Goedart, Anthony Quijas, Martha Delgado, Arthur Romero, Debbie Rodenbo, Susan Lillard, Gino Bueno, Pablo Delgado, Hermalinda LaJam, Rosiland Brown, and Mrs. Lydia Bross.

## *Spanish Club*



Rah, rah, rah, ya team. win.



Mr. Weddle crowning Queen Noreen Robinson, escorted by Phillip Swartz



John Garcia, Linda Ramirez and Victoria Colorado painting trees for homecoming decorations.



Carmen King, escorted by David Hernandez, while the cheerleaders and drill team look on.



Ronald Hamilton and Noreen Robinson getting it on.



Mr. John Hottenstein and Richard Orozco potting the trees for homecoming.



Mary Garcia sprinkling glitter.



# Homecoming



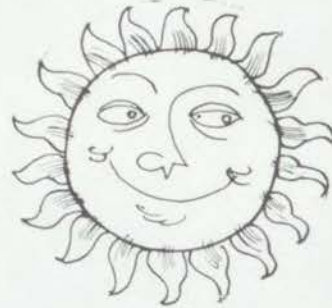
Ms. Hartnett, Tina Tindall, Theresa Salas and Jerry White discussing class work



Noreen Robinson, Micheal Vidouri and John Garcia taking it easy before class



Rosa Gallegos and Sharon Gillis doing their thing.



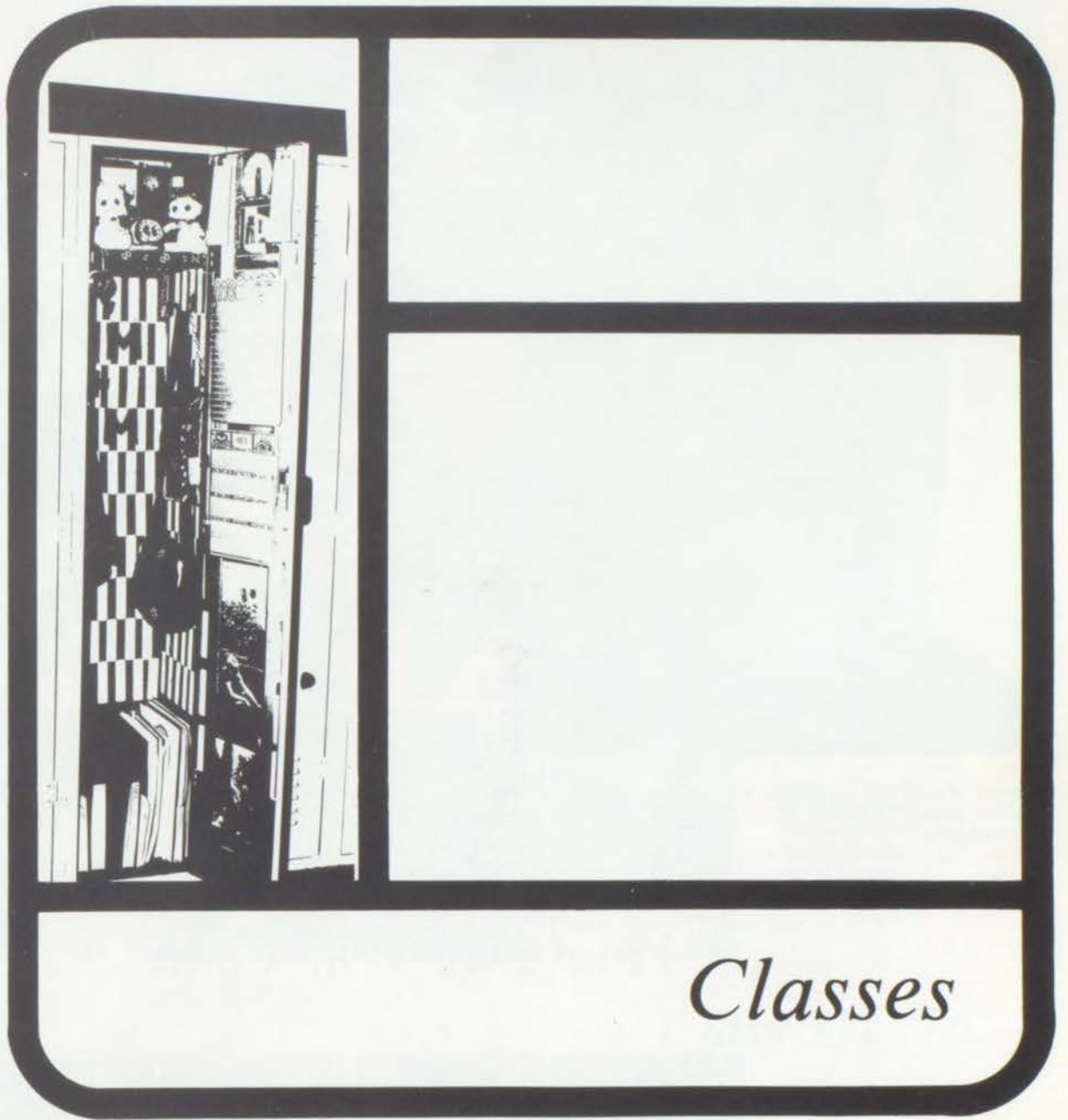
William Bryant and Raymond Aguilar talking in the hall, naturally!



Lillian Blount, Linda Morgan and Linda Ramirez trying to work



Susan Wilson, Elida Vargas, Sharon Banes and Gus Prieto just got caught skipping class.



*Classes*



Edith Barry  
Lloyd Brown



Condido Chavez  
Michael Galvin



Blanca Garcia  
Michael Garcia



Jeanette Maca, Vice president; Elida T. Vargas, Secretary;  
Anthony Quijas, Treasurer; (NOT PICTURED: Yvonne Garcia,  
President)

## *Juniors*

### *Your Day Will Come*

Jesse Lopez  
Gilbert Gonzalez  
Ronald Hamilton  
Sebastian Hernandez  
Kimberly Herring



Charles Johnson  
Carmen King  
Isiah Lewis  
Juanita Lopez  
Debra Mabery







Jeanette Maca  
Ira Manning  
Joyce McConnell  
Glenda McDonald  
Alfred Meza



Joseph Miller  
Earnest Milo  
Mark Morrow  
Kevin Nelson  
Rita Olmos



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Janelle Qualls  
Anthony Quijas  
Andrea Smith  
Annette Thomas



Robert Thomas  
Elida T. Vargas  
Edward Woods  
Harold Young  
Lewis Young

## Class Of '76



Ronald Hamilton, Joseph Grado, Debra Mabery, Bessie Petty, Debra Keith, Anthony Quijas, and Harold Young, take it easy in Mr. Voelker's American History class.



Class Representatives: Anna Lopez, LaDonna Herring, James Hernandez, Mary Rangle, Robert Taylor, Michael Sawyer, David Kentch, Betty Chisam, Gino Bueno

Larry Alvarez  
Pamela Banes



Carol Breeden  
Gino Bueno



Judy Bushmeyer  
Betty Chisam



Sheila Collins  
Veronica Colorado



## Sophomores

Helen Davolt  
Leola Day  
Maria Delgado  
Martha Delgado  
Lori Dillon  
Richard Duran  
Michael Esparza



Cellador Fink  
Royce Fisher  
Daniel Folsom  
JoAnn Franco  
Gary Garcia  
Kimberly Garcia  
Mary Garcia



Patricia Garcia  
Joseph Grado  
Lloyd Hargraves  
Vanessa Harris  
Carlos Hernandez  
James Hernandez  
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 Susan Jessup  
 Bruce Johnson  
 David Jones  
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 John Jones



David Kentch  
 Jose Leon  
 Theresa Lierra  
 Anna Lopez  
 Janice McConnell  
 Sylvia Meza  
 Vicki Moore



Alexander Nunez  
 Sam Oliver  
 Paul Orozco  
 Christina Ortiz  
 Gloria Ortiz  
 Willie Paul  
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Bessie Petty  
 Merri Putman  
 Mary Rangle  
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 Beatrice Rivera  
 Jesse Rivera



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 Rosemarie Rodriguez  
 Frank Salas  
 Michael Sawyer  
 Kim Swan  
 Phillips Swartz  
 Robert Taylor



Barbara Thomas  
 Jane Tindall



Belinda Todd  
 James Toon



Michael Vidouri  
 Timothy Zamora



Merri Putman, Ms. Sams, Irene Montoya, Tina Ortiz, Kimberly Garcia, Lori Dillion and Lillian Blount learning English.



Class Officers: President-John Garcia, Vice-President-Michael Poke, Secretary-Vickie Young, Sergeant at Arms-Nathaniel Lowery (NOT PICTURED Vice President Michael Poke and Sergeant at Arms Nathaniel Lowery)

Barbara Akins  
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Raymond Aguilar  
Amanda Alvarez



Anthony Arellano  
Tammie Archer



Debbie Ball  
Georgia Banks



## *Freshman . . . . . Free And Easy*

Henry Blount  
Gilbert Bolanos  
Rosiland Brown  
Clifford Bryant  
William Bryant  
Jesse Bueno  
Vickie Buri



Phillip Callier  
David Cantrell  
Delores Carter  
Essie Carter  
Michael Carter  
Barbara Castro  
David Castro





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## *Olympians Of Tomorrow*



John Florez  
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John Garcia  
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 Linda Ramirez



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 Benita Rountree



## *Freedom Lies In Being Bold*

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 Paul Sanchez  
 Calvin Sanders  
 Juana Sierra  
 Robin Strothers  
 Ruth Tapia



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 Betty Todd  
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 Stanley VanReed  
 Martha Vargas  
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 Jorge Zarate





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John Crisp



Kriss Clemmens  
Catherine Coleman  
Rita Davis



Darrell Day  
Sammie Day  
Pablo Delgado



Jessica Dorsey  
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Melvin Paul, Sergeant-at-Arms; Pam Young, Secretary; Wendall Toombs; Sergeant-at-Arms (NOT PICTURED - Myron Eason, President, Tony Robinson, Vice-President)

## 8th Grade



Myron Eason  
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Patricia Fisher  
Doice Franklin  
Margarita Gaona  
Steve Garcia  
Phillip Gomez



Arthur Gonzalez  
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Reginald Harris  
Sharon Herbert  
Lattina Hergins  
David Hernandez  
Jairo Hernandez



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Maria Zamora

## *Future Wolverines*



Alcadie Lopez, Richard Orozco, Jill Williams, Reginald Harris, Karl Vaughns, and Sandra Pouncil, working hard in Mrs. Budd's English class.





Victoria Colorado, Bertha Watkins, Kim Herring and Noreen Robinson becoming F.H.A. in Mrs. Leforgee's class.



???? "Legs are Here."



Betty Chisam and Teresa Meyers working on a basketball poster.



David Kentch . . . . . The future printer



Mrs. Bross and Jesse Bueno working on the Spanish Club paper drive.



11:30 lunch hour





Mr. Rios, Sam Oliver and Leola Day working in the Reading Lab.



Would you believe "empty"



Minutes before the tardy bell



Mr. Weddle checking the lonely halls



Martha Vargas, Anna Lopez, Marie Delgado and Wayne Poke at work in the Attendance Office.



Phillip Swartz, Richard Orozco, Tammie Archer, Isiah Lewis, Louis Young and Donnie Phillips in a scene from the Christmas play.



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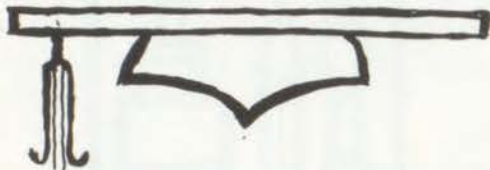
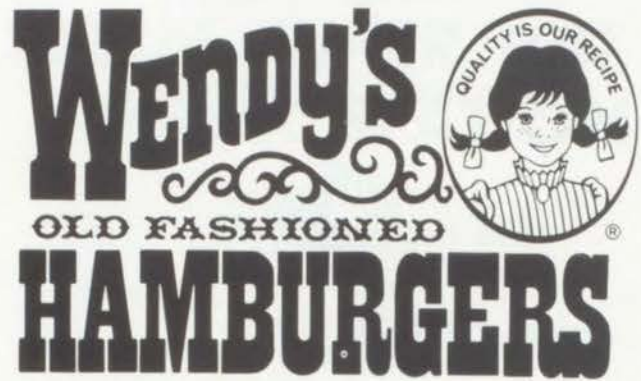
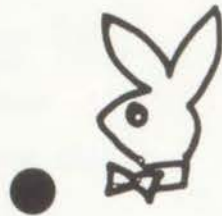
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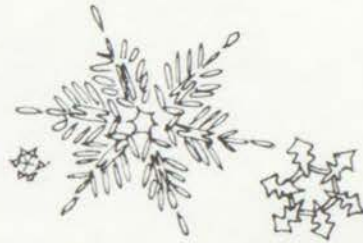


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