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Stewart Boarding School  
Stewart, Nv.

This is the first edition of the 1978-79 WARPATH. You will receive a copy every two weeks, plus a special edition at Christmas and at graduation. The Publications Class will write and edit the news. The Printing Class will publish it. We hope you like our new offset newspaper.

## WELCOME BACK, WELCOME BACK, WELCOME BACK!

By Mahlon Marshall, Principal

I would like to welcome all students and staff back to Stewart. I hope that you had a restful and enjoyable vacation.

The next few weeks will be a time of adjusting back to campus life. The success or failure in the school year depends on you to a great degree.

The entire staff will assist you in reaching your goals, so set your goals so they are reachable, yet high enough so they will challenge you.

This year, we have additional staff from our Model Mental Health Program to help you reach your goals.

With your honest effort and right attitude, this can be a good year.

## WATER, WATER, EVERYWHERE

The new water filtration plant was completed during the early summer, and you will notice a great improvement in the water when you launder your clothes.

New electric water fountains have been ordered for the school building, and they are scheduled to be installed just as soon as they arrive.

In the meantime, please be patient about the water situation when you want to quench your thirst.

You will find the lawns growing green and the trees growing tall all over the campus. Delaney Kizer and his crew have worked hard all summer to keep Stewart looking good.

Unfortunately, not all of the broken down benches got repaired or removed, so you can see that green grass is not enhanced by lawn benches which have been broken or had their seats and backs removed by someone who likes to collect nuts and bolts. Maybe Plant Management will take the hint and provide concrete benches for you in the future, or maybe you had rather just sit on the grass.

## GO TO THAT CLASS MEETING

Class sponsors got organized early this year, and more regularly scheduled class meetings are being planned. Unless you attend these class meetings, your thoughts and comments are pretty apt to go unheeded, so start out the year by going to your class meetings and taking an active part.

When you elect class officers or home living officers, choose people who are dependable, who will speak up for your wants and needs, and who will communicate their message to all the student body either through Warpath or during the regularly scheduled all school assemblies.

## ASK AUNT MINI

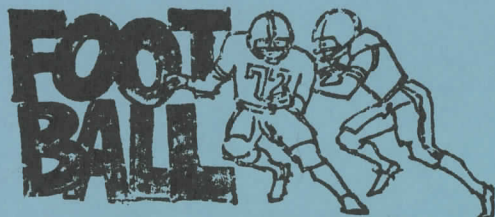
Dear Aunt Mini:

My boyfriend graduated last year. Do you think I will be able to find another one among the student body at Stewart this year?

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Dear Worried:  
Of Course!

Aunt Mini



## GERRY EMM NAMED FOOTBALL COACH

Gerry Emm, agriculture teacher, has been named head football coach by Athletic Director Bud Hurin. Emm will be assisted by Dan (Sonny) Allen, the new Administrative Assistant. JV football will again be coached by Ed Mike and possibly others.

Rhoda Fisher will coach Volleyball, and Cross Country will be coached by Ken Cavin and Yvonne Hale.

Yvonne Hale and Lorri Lippy will coach girls' basketball; Ed Mike will coach Varsity basketball; and Lawver will coach wrestling and Willis will be in charge of boxing.

WARPATH does not have a definite list of assistant coaches, so the names are being left off at this time.

The first home football game will be played Sept. 8 with Portola, with the JV game beginning at 2:30 p.m.

HOMECOMING is scheduled for Oct. 6 against Hawthorne. At that time, colored photos will be taken for the yearbook.

## BUY YOUR ACTIVITIES TICKET AND YEARBOOK NOW!

Every year, at enrollment time, Activity Tickets are available to those students who want to buy one. It is a real saving to buy your activity ticket, and your money goes into the athletic activities department where it is badly needed at this particular time of the year.

With an Activities Ticket, you are admitted to almost all the games without any further charge. The only exception is tournaments where you are admitted at a reduced rate. SO BUY YOUR ACTIVITY CARD TODAY, if at all possible.

ANOTHER special being offered to you is the 1979 YEARBOOK. This year, it will have eight pages of color (think of that 8 whole pages!) But all those eight, plus eight black and white pages must be in at the publisher's by Oct. 15. This will cost us approximately \$400 extra, so your book will cost more also. Put in your order early so we can save as much as we can. Also, be sure that we take your picture early so you can be in alphabetical order and have a complete RECORD book. The YEARBOOK is a keepsake for the seniors, and we hope to get every one of them in color. It is a record book for YOU and your school, so we want every student's photograph, and every employee's picture in it. The yearbook is a history of one year of school, and we want every school happening of major importance in that history. So you see, we must have your cooperation in order to do our job properly.

Plans were made last year to change sponsors of the yearbook, but after Harry Wright resigned, those plans were changed. If anyone has a colored picture of the 1978 prom, please let Ms. Shannon borrow it as we have no colored pictures of that great event for our yearbook this year. Your picture or pictures will be returned. It is always necessary to make some re-takes, but with your cooperation, this is not a problem.

## NEW COURSES SOUND EXCITING

One new course which is being offered this year may be very exciting, and you are almost certain to be tapped for assistance when you return to the reservation. This is offset printing taught by Doug Colbert. The printing class will learn how to publish the school newspaper, plus various other publications needed by the school. It requires talents an artist might have, precision, dependability, and patience.

Another new course being offered for the first time is calligraphy, or fine handwriting and lettering. Lorri Lippy is the instructor. This course is really needed, because many people scribble so poorly their writing cannot be deciphered.

Bernard LeClair is offering the short story this year as well as morphemic spelling. Both are elective English courses, and both should be very interesting and helpful.

## THEY WENT THATAWAY

The summer brought many changes to Stewart. If you miss some familiar faces, here's why.

Rosalee Goodwin, friendly home economics teacher for 20 years, retired and now lives in Carson City. Howard Brunji, teacher supervisor for a number of years, quit and moved back east somewhere. Roger Work, Plant Management Department Head, retired from BIA after almost 25 years. Loren Joseph, Vocational Department Head, resigned to accept a job as principal on the Hopi reservation. Pat De-koekkoek resigned to join her husband in the trucking business, and Harry Wright resigned to work for the state of Nevada. Both Pat and Harry were math teachers.

Then JJ, also known as Janis John, secretary to the principal, resigned to accept a job with the Carson City Tribal Council. Mary Gentry, business teacher, moved to Oklahoma.

And we had some tragedies which took their toll also. James Fillmore, maintenance employee, was found dead. Within a few days, Gary Crawford, husband of Ruth Crawford, a night attendant, died at their home on campus of a heart attack; and within a few more days, Tommy Iverson, young son of Nevada Iverson of the PPS Department, was killed in a traffic accident in California. He was in the Coast Guard. Earlier in the summer, Lynn Kizer Schurz, daughter of Delaney Kizer of Plant Management, was killed in a traffic accident. Lynn was a former Stewart student and also former employee. Warpath would like to express sympathy to all of the bereaved.



"Can't we go some place and sit down?"

## MEET YOUR NEW STAFF

When people leave a job, they are usually replaced. But at Stewart, there are many new positions this year, also.

If you visit the Crisis Awareness Center, you will meet a pretty brunette who may be your counselor along with Fred Gusman. Her name is Olga Quintana. She came here from Albuquerque, New Mexico.

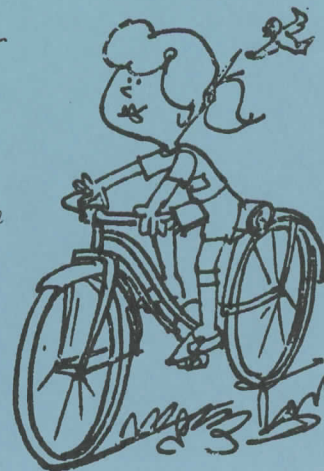
If you have nothing to do, an energetic employee from the Stewart Model Mental Health Program named Kathy Murphy, can surely get you playing and having fun. She said she likes to swim, and she comes to us from Alabama, complete with accent.

Kathy is expert at camping, planning picnics, intramural sports, or whatever suits your fancy. Two other male recreational specials will join her in helping you plan your recreation on August 28. Georgia Estes is secretary to the Model Mental Health Program, which is headed by Dr. Carl Cooley. Cooley and his social services worker, Mike Hendrix, arrived here shortly before school ended last year.

The new librarian, Mark Peterson, has worked hard all summer to have the library ready for your use when you returned.

Plans are underway to have an assistant librarian and two tutors to keep the library open and assist you at night and during the weekends. Officials said it would probably be six weeks before these employees are here.

In other personnel action, Douglas Colbert rejoined the math department, and Gwen Morsette will replace Harry Wright in Title I Math. There may be other changes in personnel Warpath is not aware of.



## A MESSAGE FROM YOUR BANKER

By Geraldine Collett

The student bank will be open this year at the same hours as last year-3:15 to 4:15.

This bank was created as a service to and for you, the students. If you have a check, it can be cashed here, and we would like to encourage you to keep your money in the bank and write checks to pay for things you buy.

Sometimes students think it is too much trouble to bring their money to the bank because they plan to use it in a short time. Anytime you leave money in your room in the dorm, you are taking a chance it might not be there when you return. When you carry money on your person or in your purse or billfold, you can easily lose or misplace, so learn early in life that banks are established for your protection in money matters, and get the banking habit.

During registration, I will be in Novake to take your money and give you a receipt if you buy a Student Activities Ticket or 1979 Yearbook. If you enroll late, I will do this same service at the school bank during the hours it is open. Yearbooks can be paid for in full or on the installment plan. I'll see you at your FRIENDLY SCHOOL BANK. The yearbook will cost you \$10 this year, but if you buy it at enrollment time or by Oct. 1, the price will be reduced 20% or to \$8.

## Want a Perfect Attendance Reward? DON'T CUT!

Those of you who never skip a class nor have an unexcused tardy are in for a treat this year. If you are in all six of your classes faithfully every day for one week, you will be rewarded with a hamburger and soft drink of your choice.

When you remain faithful to your responsibility to attend class, and do this for six weeks, you will be taken on an all school day outing. (You may skip all your classes that day!)

This outing will vary, but you will get a free dinner, and maybe a movie downtown. Or maybe you would like to go to Virginia City or Lake Tahoe.

On the other hand, if some of you feel motivated to skip a class or maybe be late occasionally---**REMEMBER:** Five unexcused absences from the same class or ten unexcused absences from all your classes during a six weeks' period will result in 25 hours plus the loss of your Honor Pass. And three tardies are equal to one absence. The Stewart Attendance Committee voted to give you this reward, but the decision to attend or not attend class is up to you.

## NEW IDENTIFICATION MACHINE

A new machine for making Identification Pictures was purchased this year. It is mandatory that you have an ID photograph for many reasons, so when you get it, hang onto it.

Doug Colbert will be making the ID pictures in Novake at the time of enrollment, which will be Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Late enrollees will have to make arrangements for their ID cards at a later date when a date will be set up for you.

On Friday of this week, August 25, there will be a picnic, complete with weiners and hot dog relish for all the students and staff. It will be held on campus and it will be a great opportunity for you to meet new students and new staff.

Have fun!



"Okay, all set for the weiners!"