

Police Cadets Receive Grant

The Stewart Police Cadets are excited because they have just received a grant of \$22,000 with which they will buy new uniforms and receive pay for their work.

The grant was awarded because of a proposal submitted by their sponsor, C. K. Williams.

The amount of \$5,000 will be spent to buy training aides, equipment, and attend a special police academy. The other \$17,000 will be used to pay the cadets \$2.90 per hour for 10 hours work per week during the school year.

Some of the money will be spent to change the appearance of the uniform of the cadets.

The group wants to have uniforms that look like the "old" Indian scouts rather than just some other police department.

It is anticipated the cadets can purchase a small computer to keep up with modern methods of police work. The computer could also be used by other departments to keep information, etc.

The cadets worked on Nevada Day. Two of the cadets, Valarie Jefferson and Lois George, represented the police cadets in the parade. They marched as color guards. They also assisted the Carson City police department in traffic control and other activities.

New officers of the Police Cadets include Alvin Meyers, Chief, and Sergeants Troy Whitman, Valarie Jefferson and Manfred Ortiz.

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Mrs. Lippy to Take Maternity Leave

The Human Relations teacher, Mrs. Lorri Lippy, will soon be on leave for a while to have a baby. The senior class gave her a baby shower recently and she got a lot of nice gifts for her baby.

The class hopes she will have a wonderful time, but they will all miss her, even though someone said she would probably be very glad to get away from them!

She's a real nice teacher who likes to joke around and give heck, but she makes all the students hang in there. We hope it's a boy, Mrs. Lippy!

The Human Relations classes have just finished their unit on first aid. They took a test on the course which will be their six weeks' grade.

The next unit they will be starting will be on personality.

Nunez Lodge Plans Exciting Activities

The staff at Nunez Lodge has been busy planning different things for the student's recreation. Last weekend, some of the kids checked out for a sight-seeing trip to Virginia City. This past weekend, some students went to Circus Circus and also skating in Reno and they shopped for gifts.

All trips are on a first come-first served basis for the honor dorm students only. Also, when you walk into the living room at Nunez Lodge you will see a lot of greenery. This is due to the efforts of Mrs. Howell, matron. All the pretty plants look real good up beside the big television screen which was installed recently.

What I'm Thankful For

(Author's name withheld by request)

I am thankful for everything in the world--my home, my food, and my clothing. But most of all I'm thankful that I had a chance to come to this school, and I'm glad I met so many people who want to be my friends. You see, before I came to school here in 1976, my mother passed away, and I was unhappy until I came here and found so many people who wanted to be my friend.

Sure, I had sad times when I thought about my mom, but I had happy times that made me forget about my sad times. I want my name to be anonymous, but I'm just saying to all my friends, "THANKS FOR BEING MY FRIEND," and that's what I'm most thankful for this Thanksgiving Day in 1979.

Thanksgiving Holiday Coming Up

Nov. 23 will be a play day or recreation day between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. with the Recreation and activities people in charge of activities of the day. Students who have parental permission and the money for transportation will be allowed to leave for home after school on Wed. Nov. 21, but not before. They must however, be back at school to attend classes Monday morning or further privileges will be denied to them. This memo came from Principal Ahlon Marshall.

Why We Celebrate Thanksgiving

by Abigail Kooyahoema

Thanksgiving is a time when you share your joy and happiness with your family, relatives, and friends. On this day, people give thanks with feasting and prayer for the blessings they may have received during the year.

The first Thanksgiving was celebrated back about 1621 when the white settlers in this country invited their Indian friends to a feast that lasted three days. The Indians brought food and the settlers had food they had raised, and they gave thanks, ate, and celebrated.

Even before that, most people around the world had celebrated a harvest festival in the fall of the year and they gave thanks to whatever god or gods they thought were responsible for their good fortune.

Abraham Lincoln proclaimed Thanksgiving a National holiday in the United States during the Civil War.

Thanksgiving is usually a family day, celebrated with big dinners and joyous reunions. The very mention of Thanksgiving often calls up memories of kitchens and pantries crowded with good things to eat. Thanksgiving is also a time for serious religious thinking—church services and prayer.

Students who are away from home usually try to go home for Thanksgiving when possible. When the holiday is over, they return to school and stay until it is time to go home for Christmas.

It's A Small World

C. K. Williams from the Homeliving Department and Mr. Earl "Kirk" Patrick from the Parent's Advisory Committee met again last week after 30 years.

Williams used to play football for Amphitheatre high school in Tucson, Arizona. Patrick played football for the "old" Tucson Indian Training school.

In November of 1949, C. K. Williams was a freshman fullback at Amphitheatre and "Kirk" was the star fullback for the Indian school.

Williams remembers the games very well and relates that Patrick was quite well known in Southern Arizona because of his athletic abilities.

Williams scored the only touchdown for his team and he says he did this only because there were eleven tough Indians chasing him and he was afraid to get caught.

The score—Indians 30, Amphitheatre 6. "Kirk" scored two touchdowns to lead the team. Patrick later moved to the Phoenix area and has been employed by the city of Phoenix for 25 years. What a small world!

S I S Parent's Advisory Council Visits

Every year the Parent's Advisory Committee for Title I visits Stewart at least twice. The Parent's Advisory Committee (PAC) visits classrooms, talks to students, and usually get their picture made for the yearbook or Title I newspaper.

This year, only three members came and they were Mrs. Marie Kizer, Earl Patrick, and Marcella Miller. They visited Stewart Nov. 7-8, and did not get together for a photographer to make their picture.

At their meeting, they discussed the new year projects for Title I, and they will meet again in February of 1980 to discuss any problems and solutions to make Stewart better for students.

Shorthand Class is Exciting

Ten girls are enrolled this semester in a class called Personal shorthand. They believe this is a good way to start training for their business career.

The class is taught by Brenda Leaper and some of the girls are able to take shorthand at the rate of 45 words per minute already. Sometimes they take dictation from Mrs. Leaper, and again they will use a cassette player. Mrs. Leaper said the girls are showing a lot of interest in the class.

Visiting Artist Instructs

An artist, Bob Etingson, who is also an art therapy consultant and print maker with the Indian Children's Program of the Indian Health Services at Albuquerque, New Mexico, was at Stewart last week to teach art students how woodcutting is done. He taught classes from Nov. 6 through 9.

Ask Aunt Mini

Dear Aunt Mini:

I recently discovered that I really like this one guy. He is really nice to me and he always stares and he's fairly good looking. It seems like he likes me because he tries to hold my hand but he's going with another girl.

They argue sometimes and he really seems upset because she treats him wrong. I'm not going with anyone and I really like him and I think he likes me, but should I tell him or just let this liking feeling go away and forget about him?

Confused

Dear Confused:

You really are! Confused, that is. I believe if I were you, I'd play it cool. If he is really interested in you, he will find a way to see you. If he is not, then you will just make a fool of yourself by telling him you like him.

Aunt Mini

Dear Aunt Mini:

I just want to know why it's so bad for a girl to like more than one guy at a time. I myself think there's really nothing wrong with it. Haven't you ever heard that saying, "Don't get stuck with one special girl or guy when you're young and live it up a little?"

Please advise.

Likes Several

Dear Likes Several:

You are so right! Styles change in courtship just like they do in men's neckties. In the 1950's, it became "popular" to go steady. The word was even popularized. Before that, people "went steadily."

If you go with only one person and have a complete relationship, then you may never know if you might have like another person better or not. So be glad you are sensible enough to "play the field" while you are young enough to do it. Good hunting!

Aunt Mini

Dear Aunt Mini:

Why do we have to get up so early in the morning? I think the people who like to eat breakfast should get up early, do their detail, shower, and then go to breakfast; but the rest of us who do not want to eat breakfast should have the privilege of arising about 7:00 a.m. do our detail, and get to school. What do you think?

Sleepy

Dear Sleepy:

Yes, you should have that right, but the dorm people don't know who wants to eat and who don't. Sorry, when you live in a dorm, you have to follow the rule of the majority. A. M.

Dear Aunt Mini:

I have a friend and we're beginning to become real close friends. But there are some things I don't like about her. She likes to make fun of people and she talks about them, and I don't think this is polite.

Do you think I should continue being friend with her, or should I speak my mind and tell her I think she should not do this? She gets mad easily. What do you think I should do?

All Confused

Dear All Confused:

Your so-called friend is insecure. She thinks she builds herself up by tearing somebody else down. This is a very immature way to act. I'd speak my mind if I were you. A person like this is not worthy of your friendship. If, however, she learns from you that she is making a childish mistake, then maybe she will change and you can continue your friendship.

Aunt Mini

Dear Aunt Mini:

Why is it that when you try to be friends with other girls some don't seem to want to be friends with you. And some even try to act bad towards you, but you just ignore them and they will stop. How come some girls think that they are all hot stuff and all that?

WONDERING

Dear Wondering:

You ask too many questions all at once. Girls are always trying to compete with each other, but they should realize nobody can top or outdo the other all the time. One girl may be pretty. Another may be ugly, but with the right personality, the ugly girl might be more popular. Just be yourself. Some will like you, some will not, but who wants to be liked by EVERYBODY?

Aunt Mini

Dear Aunt Mini:

What I can't understand is why students get hauled just for smoking a cigarette. Cigarette smoking is not bad. It can't hurt anyone. Why is smoking outlawed, so to speak?

Can't Understand It

Dear Can't:

I didn't make the rules. The school administration did. But you are wrong. I know you realize that cigarette smoking can lead to cancer or an expensive bad habit. I think the rule is cigarette smoking is not done on campus outside the dorms. This is a federal boarding school and visitors might think it looks too sophisticated and also, cigarettes cost money. A. M.

Recreation News

by Adrian Bankowski

Leaves are dropping and snow is arriving as we head into the winter months. Intra-mural basketball will begin at the end of the month. Get your team together and beat the pre-season favorite—the Stewart Bullets.

Otis Manuel had an excellent bowling game with a high of 170. Valarie Jefferson rolled a 156 for the ladies. Olga Quintana had an amazing score of 84. Once again, the student's volleyball team thrashed a weak faculty team. Curtis Martiniz was spiking the ball down their throats while the students were cheering wildly. The faculty is looking for new recruits to help them on their disorganized team.

Meanwhile, back at the black jack table—Frank Lopez with a pretty lady sitting next to him was playing crafty and winning a large amount of money in blackjack at the Casino night. The swimmers enjoyed a swim at Carson Pool Thursday night and will continue to do so every Thursday night.

Some of the students were thrilled with their first roller skates at the Roller Gardens. A few brought along pillows. Think involvement and join us in our Recreation programs. (Sponsors note: Adrian, write so we can read it next time, or you may not have any news at all.)

Football, Cross Country Season is now Over

Football season officially closed at Stewart Friday when the Varsity y played their last game of the season with White Pine. They lost. Despite the fact school was turned out to watch this game, nobody in Journalism class came up with a story about the game. (The teacher came back to the school building and worked on negatives and the Christmas edition of Warpath.) The Varsity did win one game of the season, so they have SOMETHING to hoot about.

Junior Varsity and Freshmen players won several games. Congratulations.

Cross Country Wins First Again

Cross Country had their last race the day after the last Warpath was printed. They won the trophy for being Best AA runners in the state. This was the eighth straight time they have taken first place. This year, they had new coaches—Mark Peterson and Fred Gasman. Congratulations to the runners. Basketball season for the girls also ended and they didn't do very well this year. Owen Walema writes most of the sports news for Warpath. Since he "stood us up" so to speak this issue, we will fill this paper with his feature.

One Thanksaivina I Remember Well

By Owen Walema—Senior Sports Editor of Warpath

The last time I had Thanksgiving dinner with my family was about four years ago. Since then, I've been away at school. It looks like it may be a long time before I have Thanksgiving dinner again with my family, so that's why I'm writing this.

When I was home, we used to have a lot of fun. We'd sit around the table and maybe watch television because there were football games on.

I can still remember one Thanksgiving day when we were out hunting for a wild turkey. Early in the morning about four o'clock, my dad and my four brothers and I all jumped into the pickup and took off to find us a good wild fat turkey. During that time, we drove about 70 miles from our home and we came to a water hole. We saw nothing but little wild turkeys running around as if they were lost or something about 100 yards from where we were parked.

Then we saw six big turkeys resting under a big pine tree and watching their little ones playing. When we started to get out of the truck, the whole family of turkeys started to take off and we all got out and started chasing the little ones. They were flying and jumping over the fences, but one little turkey was too young to keep up with them, so I ran over and grabbed him and took him to the pickup. From then on, that turkey is still living at our house. He is about five years old now, and Man, he's bigger than any turkey I have ever seen! His name is Wet Turkey, and I hope you have a nice Thanksgiving Day when the time comes.

Happy Thanksaivina--Now for The Christmas Edition of Warpath and 64 pages of the Yearbook--before Christmas Vacation!