THE WATERTOWN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1959
PRESENTS
THE FORTY-SEVENTH EDITION OF
THE ORBIT
Education is a highway. Over it travel those who are willing to devote long hours to study in the pursuit of excellence. An unquenchable desire for success drives these people on toward the crossroads of their lives. At no time is the road easy to travel, but neither is it ever impossible. Engineered and built by devoted educators, the road today is more heavily traveled than ever before. Its course is upward; its toll is work.
School activities unite the elements of the road.

Almost as important as making the journey itself is making the journey together. The activities in which students participate unite the elements of the road, make it wider, easier to travel. Herein is formed the intangible, spirit, without which education is nothing. No change of authority, no amount of defeat can suppress desire. It is this which bridges the gap between lifeless books and an erudite society.

Education is a highway, and the crossroads are now so very near....
In College Preparatory English, the students prepare for their future education. This course helps pave the way for advanced study.

Geometry tends to make students think. With mathematics as a basis, they can face life with clearer minds.

Social Science is very important in our modern world. World History helps us understand our fellow man and his problems.
In the library students have every opportunity they need to deepen their knowledge and increase their appreciation for good reading.

Science has come to the fore in the modern age. Chemistry and other sciences offer challenging careers.

Languages are cultural, yet practical subjects. Latin is a basis for the study of other languages and many occupational fields.
By displaying unlimited patience and perservering efforts, this duet of music teachers has developed Watertown High School instrumental and choral talent and has instilled in the school and the community a sincere appreciation of fine music. Because of the exceptional guidance of these men, the band, orchestra, and chorus of Watertown High School can boast of state-wide recognition.

Thus the 1959 Orbit staff respectfully bestows the honor of dedication on

MR. WALTER STAMSTAD
and
MR. WAYNE STRAYER
ROGER B. HOLTZ  
Superintendent of Schools  
B.A., Carroll College  
M.A., University of Wisconsin  

For Education is, Making Men;  
So it is now, so was it when Mark  
Hopkins sat on one end of a log  
And James Garfield sat on the other.  

Arthur Guiterman
EUGENE W. TORNOW
B.S. Milwaukee State Teachers College
M.A. Lawrence College

A school annual is a lasting record of school activities for a given year. For those who have been a part of the many events and happenings, the annual holds special meanings. Parents and friends of students take special pride in the fame and fortunes of those whose pictures bedeck the Annual.

In addition to the "personal" and the personnel of the yearbook, there is the artistry of the planners of the book and the literary style of those who contribute verbal pictures to it.

May all who turn the pages of this, the 1959 edition of the Orbit, give thanks to the Orbit staff and its faithful advisor, Miss MacInnis for this, a great book, that lives up to the highest standards in carrying out the purposes for which yearbooks are created.

RUSSEL TWESME
B.E., La Crosse
M.S., University of Wisconsin

Progress along the highway toward our goals is impeded by steep inclines, narrow and bumpy trails, unmarked crossroads, and seemingly endless detours. Self-confidence and perseverance are needed to take the longer route to the top of each hill. Slowing down to ease one's way over bumpy trails gives us time to weigh the decision we must make at each crossroad. Detours provide some of the most interesting and valuable experiences in life.

Our goal, once selected, must always be kept in sight. Patience is needed to meet the obstacles of the journey lest we fail to appreciate, enjoy, and gain the most from each mile along the way.
FACULTY

MARGARET OTT
B.A., Northwestern
M.A., Wisconsin
Latin, German
"Heute haben wir eine kleine Pruefung."

BERNICE A. FOX
B.S., Iowa
M.A., Arizona
English
"Come out for forensics!"

HELEN LATONDRESS
B.S., Oshkosh
English
"Nonsense!"

SALLY MUNDT
B.A., Lawrence
English, Spanish
"Como se dice?"

DOROTHY HUCK
B.S., Illinois
M.S., Northwestern
English, Library
"You're out for the year!"

KAREN EAMES
B.E., Whitewater
English
"Do you want a weekend assignment?"

MERRILL MONOGUE
B.E., Whitewater
English
"What did you say?"
ELEANOR GRIFFITH
B.A., Ripon
Geometry, Intermediate Math
"Now, this is basic!"

KATHRYN SKINNER
B.A., Milwaukee
Downer, M.A., Columbia Algebra
"Now, class...."

HELEN LUND
B.A., Luther College
Algebra, Geometry, Advanced Math.
"I think we've made a mistake."

DOROTHY WALLSCHIAEGGER
B.S., Milwaukee
General Math, English
"Now, see here...."

JEROME HERRFID
B.A., M.S., Wisconsin
General Science, Physics
"Then along comes Archimedes...."

Math and Science Department meet informally.

FRED KESSLER
Ph.B., M.S., Wisconsin Biology
"They're cleaner than your own hands."

FRANK JAMES
B.E., LaCrosse Chemistry
"Even I make mistakes!"

HARRIS GRABOW
B.S., LaCrosse General Science
"Who won the game last night?"

KENNETH GLEWEN
B.A., Central College M.S.E., Drake Biology, General Science
"It is, huh?"
MYRA MACINNIS
B.A., Lawrence
M.A., Wisconsin
U.S. History
"Are there any questions?"

WILBERT LEYS
B.A., Carroll
M.S., Wisconsin
Vocations,
Guidance Director
"May I say a few words?"

THOMAS BERENS
B.E., Whitewater
World Geography
"Well, it could very well be, people."

STANLEY CHANDLER
B.S., Wisconsin
Vocations, American
Problems
"So what!"

FRED BRECHLER
B.A., Lawrence
U.S. History, World
History
"I'll talk to you personally now."

TOM CHVALA
B.A., Northland
American Problems
World History
"Ashland's the best!"

Summer helpers moving equipment to the new school.
CAROLYN SCHLOEMER  
B.E., Whitewater  
Commerce, Stenography, Typing  
"Eyes off the keys!"

GEORGE LINCOLN  
B.E., Whitewater  
Typing, Stenography  
"Accuracy above speed."

DARLENE WANDERSCHEID  
B.E., Whitewater  
Typing, English  
"Stop typing; return the carriage!!"

BETH VANGORDEN  
B.S., Stout  
Home Economics  
"And, uh...."

HELEN ANDERSON  
B.S., Stout  
Home Economics  
"This room!"

RONALD LARSON  
B.S., Wisconsin  
Agriculture  
"Back home, we...."

GEORGE VINGER  
B.S., Platteville  
M.A., Wisconsin  
Woodworking, Shop  
"By Gosh!"

FRED AMTHOR JR.  
B.S., Stout  
Drafting, Shop I  
"Knock it off!"

GLENN SCHWOCK  
B.S., M.S., Stout  
Shop  
"I don't mind doing it as long as it isn't work."

ROBERT THOMAS  
B.S., Stout  
Shop  
"Rule, not ruler!"
HUGH GREATHOUSE  
B.S., Wisconsin, Milwaukee  
Art  
"You find out more things this way."

ARNOLD LANDSVERK  
Ph.B., Carroll  
Physical Education  
"Come on, let's go!"

ROBERT BUEL  
B.S., Wisconsin  
Elementary Physical Education  
General Math.  
"If you want the game, it's yours; go get it!"

WALTER STAMSTAD  
B.S., River Falls  
Band  
"About, face!"

WAYNE STRAYER  
B.M., Lawrence  
Vocal Music, Chorus  
"Sit up straight!"

SIDNEY ESTENIK  
B.M., Lawrence  
String Music  
"Now, everybody play!"

JEAN DORSEY  
B.S., LaCrosse  
Physical Education  
"All right, now..."
MYRTLE ROBERTS
Ph. B., Wisconsin
Geography, History
"The statement was made!"

PETER COLLETTI
B.E., Whitewater
Mathematics
"When I was a kid...."

DENNIS KEHOE
B.S., Wisconsin
English
"3:50, 320, paper and pencil!"

WAYNE RABE
B.S., Wisconsin
Health, Science
"We've got lots of time."

RAMONA A. HACKBARTH
B.A., Mount Mary
Reading, Geography
"One more time!"

JOAN PITZNER
B.S., LaCrosse
Library, English
"I'm giving up men!"

WALTER BRUNSMAN
B.E., Stevens Point
Math, Geography
"Competition outside!"

JAMES PTASCHINSKI
B.S., Wisconsin
Art
"Remember your color sense."
MRS. ETHEL S. DUNLAP
Secretary to the Principal
MRS. ERMA NORMAN
Office Secretary

MRS. BEATRICE SHARPE
Business Office Secretary

MRS. CLARA HELL,
MRS. BEN GROEHLER,
and Student Cafeteria
Assistants

MRS. JOYCE SEMON
Secretary to the Board
of Education, Secretary
to the Superintendent

ARTHUR EBERT, CARL
SCHOPPE, ELMER
STREGE, IRVIN
CAHOON, AND WALTER
LINGER
Custodians
Graduation is never the end of a class. Its members may go their separate ways, but always they retain that hunger for togetherness, the desire for mutual success. We have learned together in the classroom, worked together in extra-curricular activities, played together in athletics. Now, in the pit of a giant society, we are alone. Although our classmates cannot be our fellow travellers along the highway to our goals, there will always be others. With the spirit of Class '59 strong within us—the spirit of togetherness and co-operation—the future can hold only happiness and success.
OUTSTANDING GRADUATES

by vote of the senior class

BEST ALL-AROUND STUDENTS
John Kressin and Gretchen Burzynski

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
John Splinter and Pat Zeimis

MOST TYPICAL TEENAGERS
Larry Kapheim and Susie Kressin

MOST PROMINENT MUSICIANS
Dick Weber and JoAnne Eggert

ALL-AMERICAN ATHLETE
Ralph Krueger
STEPHEN ANDERSON
Our deeds determine us as much as we determine our deeds. Eliot

Marilyn Arndt
A constant friend is a thing rare and hard to find. Plutarch

James Beerbohm
With malice towards none, with charity for all. Lincoln

Robert Bender
Open my ears to music. Benet

John Bergmann
A golfer is a man who thinks. Guest

Nancy Beschta
Beauty lives with kindness. Shakespeare

Dale Blanke
Happy am I, from care I'm free. La Baydare

Jean Blegen
Friendship is the wine of life. Young

Jennie Lynn Block
Learn the sweet magic of a cheerful face; not always smiling, but at least sincere. Holmes

Sandra Block
I'll speak in a monstrous little voice. Shakespeare

Beverly Borchardt
So sweet a face, such angel grace. Tennyson

Eugene Borchardt
He is never alone that is accompanied with noble thoughts. Fletcher
HAZEL BORCK
There is nothing more powerful than silence.
Amphis

ROBERT BRIGHT
The more you say, the less people remember.
The fewer the words, the greater the profit.
Fenelon

SUSAN BRUSS
She is pretty to walk with, and witty to talk with, and pleasant too, to think on.
Suckling

MARVIN BUDEWITZ
There's a time for all things. Shakespeare

ELAINE CLAAS
Good taste is the flower of good sense.
Poincelot

PEARL CALLIES
Beware of her fair hair, for she excels all women in the magic of her locks.
Plautus

Penelope Checota
I like to live my own life.
Plautus

GRETCHEL BURZYNSKI
She is charming to talk to - full of wisdom - ripe in judgment - rich in information.
Bronte

JOANNE EGGERT
Energy will do anything that can be done in the world.
Goethe

ROBERT ECKERT
For they conquer who believe they can.
Dryden

EUGENE COUGHLIN
Our thoughts and our conduct are our own.
Shakespeare

DANIEL DITTMANN
As upright as the cedar.
Shakespeare

CHARLES BUCHERT
(Not Pictured)
Play up and play the game. Newbolt
CAROLINE ELSE
There is always time enough for courtesy.
Emerson

HELEN FENDT
Of all the girls that ever were, there's none so fine as Helen.
Swift

KATHLEEN FERRY
Her hair is pure gold, her eyes are blue.
Locker

BARBARA FINK
Her cheeks are so rosy, her eyes so bright, and her hair always shines when it catches the light.
Dayre

WAYNE FITZGERALD
Handsome is as handsome does.
Fielding

PATRICK FOLEY
I never think of the future. It comes too soon.
Einstein

GERALD FRANK
When he is quiet, it doesn't always mean that he is planning mischief; he may have done it already.
Jones

WAYNE FREDRICK
Enthusiasm moves the world.
Balfour

CAROL FREY
Be silent and safe—silence never betrays you.
O'Reilly

THOMAS GAMROTH
He was six foot o' man, A 1, clear grit and human nature.
Lowell

JOANNE GMEINDER
Neat, not gaudy, simple and sweet.
Lamb

JOHN GOETHE
Everywhere he was kindly received.
Hardy.
MARY GOETZ
Live and let live.
Ferguson

WILLIAM GORDER
The secret of life is not
to do what you like, but
to like what you do.
Random

THOMAS GRABOW
The man who makes the
best of everything.
Euripides

GLEN GRAMS
It is more wise not to
speak at all, than to speak
more words than we
should. Wycliffe

DENNIS GRUDZNSKE
There’s a good time
coming, boys. Mackay

JAMES HADY
You must lose a fly to
catch a trout. Herbert

GLEN GRAMS
If bright remarks were
grains of sand, I’d be a
desert. Anonymous

CORINNE HAMANN
The rolling stone never
gathers moss. Heywood

CHARLES HARBERG
Quiet persons are welcome
everywhere. Fuller

ERLA HENSCHEL
Her very frowns are fairer
far than smiles of other
maidens are. Coleridge

SHARON HECK
One of the best things in
the world to be is a boy; it
requires no experience, but
needs some practice to be
a good one. Warner

RONALD HELLER
The rule of my life is to
make business a pleasure
and pleasure my business.
Burr
BARBARA HENSLER
A light heart lives long.
Shakespeare

PHYLLIS HERTEL
Duties well performed and
days well spent.
Longfellow

MURIEL HIGGINS
If she is worth knowing at
all, she is worth knowing
well.
Smith

JAMES W. HROBSKY
Banish care from your
mind.
Plautus

PAULA IMIG
From the crown of her
head to the sole of her
foot, she is all mirth.
Shakespeare

CAROL JACK
To a valiant heart nothing
is impossible.
D’Albert

TIMOTHY JUSTMAN
There never was a saint
with red hair.
Anonymous

EUGENE JUUL
Young fellows will be
young fellows.
Bickerstaff

DANIEL KADDATZ
There was a sparkle of
humor in his eyes like a
pilot light, ready at any
moment to ignite a laugh.
Marshall

LAURENCE KAPHE.
It is quality rather than
quantity that matters.
Seneca

RUTH ANN KASTEN
Sweeter is your singing to
the ear than honey to the
lip.
Theocritus

SUSAN KEHL
My interest is in the future
because I’m going to spend
the rest of my life there.
Keltering

THOMAS JUSTMANN
(Not Pictured)
He is every other inch a
gentleman.
West
WESLEY KEHL
Everything will come if a man will only wait.
Disraeli

JOSEPH KELLERMAN
His studies were pursued, but never effectually overtaken. Wills

NANCY KLATT
The only way to have a friend is to be one. Lyly

CHRISTINE KLECKER
A good heart's worth gold. Shakespeare

SANDRA KORBAN
She who hath a good name, hath gained something for herself. O'Henry

KENNETH KOPP
Once a gentleman, always a gentleman. Dickens

DARLENE KOPFER
So sweet the blush of bashfulness. Byron

DENNIS KRAUSE
My way is to begin with the beginning. Byron

ANEMARIE KOESTER
In the life of a young woman, the most essential thing for happiness is the gift of friendship. Asier

MARY KOSHEL Nick
The hand that hath made you fair hath made you good. Shakespeare

DENNIS KORTH
It takes a man to perceive a man. Alcott

KARL KOWALKE
Almost everything great has been done by youth. Disraeli
GERALD KREZIGER
It takes a great man to make a good listener. Helps

JOHN KRESSIN
In all thy humors, whether grave or mellow, Thou art such a touchy, testy, pleasant fellow. Addison

SUSAN KRESSIN
Never idle a moment, but thrifty and thoughtful of others. Longfellow

RICHARD KREZIGER
I like work; it fascinates me. I can sit and look at it for hours. Jerome

ROBERT KREZIGER
Truth is the most valuable thing we have. Twain

KAREN KRUEGER
Does well, acts nobly, angels could do no more. Young

PATRICIA KRUEGER
Marriage is a condition that most women aspire to and most men submit to. Anonymous

RALPH KRUEGER
The boy of whom all speak well. Syrus

MILDRED KUBE
Art is the daughter of pleasure. Winckelmann

STANLEY KUEHL
He who commits no crime requires no law. Antiphanes

SANDRA KUGATH
Co-operation, and not competition, is the life of trade. Fitch

CARL LANGE
I never make the mistake of arguing with people for whose opinion I have no respect. Gibbon
RICHARD LANGER
The wheel of fortune is still rolling. L'Estrange

ALICE LAPP
Not much talk—just sweet silence. James

LEIGH LARSON
Golf is a funny game. If there is any larceny in a man, golf will bring it out. Galileo

ROGER LEISCHER
I consider it the best part of an education to have been born and brought up in the country. Alcott

JUDITH LEMKE
Blushing is the color of virtue. Henry

CYNTHIA LOEB
Her mind is like a sundial, it records only pleasantness. Hurst

MABEL LUECK
Thine eyes are stars of morning. Longfellow

LESTER MAAS
A farmer is always going to be rich tomorrow. Philemon

MARGARET MALLACH
Life is not at all, without delight. Patmore

WILLIAM LOOMIS
It becomes a young man to be modest. Plautus

RUSSELL MARCKS
"Tis no sin for a man to labor in his vocation. Shakespeare

JOYCE MARON
Be silent or let thy words be worth more than silence. Pythagoras
JEROME MCCAIN
I hope I shall have leisure to make good, Shakespeare

SUSAN MEARS
Life is my college. May I graduate well and earn some honors. Alcott

JUDITH MELCHER
With a beautiful voice it is not hard to reach the top. Caruso

MARY MONZEL
She that was fair and never proud, had tongue at will, and yet was never loud. Shakespeare

WALLY NASS
Earnestness and sincerity are synonymous. Kant

EDITH NIEMANN
Impossible is a word only to be found in a dictionary of fools. Napoleon

RICHARD NIEMI
The more a man knows, the more worthy he is. Robt. of Gloucester

ROSALIE OESTREICH
Sensitive, swift to resent, but as swift in atoning for error. Longfellow

CAM OLSON
Life is a jest, and all things show it; I thought so once, but now I know it. Pope

JAMES PAULI
I am not of many words. Shakespeare

CARL PETERS
I am not arguing with you--I am telling you. Whistler

KENNETH PETERSON
Let me be what I am and seek not to alter me. Shakespeare
DAVID PFAFFENBACH
Heaven ne'er helps the man who will not act. Sophocles

LILA MAE PIEPER
She is the very pink of courtesy. Shakespeare

SANDRA PIRKEL
Imagination is more important than knowledge. Einstein

RICHARD PODOLSKIE
When a thing ceases to be a subject of controversy, it ceases to be a subject of interest. Hazlett

BARBARA POELLET
Her eyes are homes of silent prayer. Tennyson

ROBERT POLENSKY
I have tried... to be a philosopher, but cheerfulness has always broken in. Edwards

JOHN PONATH
Rome was not built in a day. Heywood

JUDITH PONATH
Good things, if short, are twice as good. Gracian

LOIS RADLOFF
For knowledge, too, is itself a power. Bacon

EILEEN RAETHER
Virtue is its own reward. Cicero

JOAN REINHARD
Tranquil and gentle be thy look. Smith

KATHRYN REYNOLDS
She is never quiet but when she is sleeping. Brothwait
JOSEPH RHODES
Some think the world is made for fun. So do I.
Anonymous

HARRIET RIECK
For she was just the quiet kind whose natures never vary. Lowell

ROMELLE RIPLEY
Patience and gentleness is power. Hunt

JANE ROGERS
I hate scarce smiles; I love laughing. Blake

JOEL ROSENOW
Ah! Happy years! Once more who would not be a boy. Byron

SALLY ROWE
An ounce of mirth is worth a pound of sorrow. Baxter

REBECCA RUPNOW
Life is but a span; I'll enjoy every inch. Forquaher

LOIS SCHADT
Knowledge comes, but wisdom lingers. Tennyson

ROBERT SCHLEGEL
My greatest ambition is to be able to live the way I do. Harrison

AUDREY SCHLUETER
Worth, courage, honor, these indeed your sustenance and birthright are. Stedman

RICHARD SCHLIEWE
(Not Pictured)
The first farmer was the first man.
Emerson

SHERRY RIPPE
Girls blush sometimes because they are alive. Browning

CAROL RUESCH
Eyelashes that could sweep the cobwebs from any man's heart. Bandy

JANE SCHLIEWE
A good heart is better than all the heads in the world. Lytton
ARMOND SCHMIDT
(Not Pictured)
As good natured a soul as e'er trod on shoe of leather. Cervantes

BARBARA SCHLUETER
Her face always looked like a window that had caught the sunset. Wharton

RALPH SCHMIDT
Animals are such agreeable friends--they ask no questions--they pass no criticism. Eliot

DIANE SCHOECHERT
I shall laugh myself to death. Shakespeare

FRANK SCHMITT
Great men are dying; I don't feel too well myself. Anonymous

WAYNE SCHWARTZ
I can feel the twinkle of his eyes. Twain

RONALD SCHWANTES
Great men are true men. Amiel

JULIE SCHROEDER
Men of few words are best. Shakespeare

DARLENE SCHROEDER
Resolve, and thou art free. Longfellow

SHIRLEY SHEPHERD
Art is power. Longfellow

VIVIAN SEIBEL
A horse! A horse! My kingdom for a horse! Shakespeare

CAROL STRACHE
Wisely and slowly; they stumble who run fast. Shakespeare

ALBERT SISSON
He will succeed for he believes all he says. Mirabeau

JOHN SPLINTER
A man of vast and varied information. Gaynor
RICHARD STRAHOTA
All's well that ends well. Shakespeare

BARBARA STREBLOW
Glad till the dancing stops. Masefield

ROBERT STREG
We are always the same age inside. Stein

ROBERT STUEBER
Fortune helps him who is willing to help himself. Cotgrave

GENE TESCH
It matters not how long we live, but how. Bailey

CHRIS THOMAS
I came, I saw, I conquered. Caesar

SUSAN TURKE
Character is a diamond that scratches every other stone. Bartol

JANICE UTTECH
She has learned to say things with her eyes that others waste time putting into words. Hegel

LUANN UTTECH
A tiny, pretty, witty girl is she. Lucretius

ROGER UTTECH
Life has a value only when it has something valuable as its object. Hegel

RICHARD WEBER
How his fingers went as he marched them over the yielding plank of the ivory floor. Taylor

CHARLES WENDT
Speech is the index of the mind. Seneca

DAVID WEINERT
He's having his little joke. Plautus
MARSHA WENDT
The world is always ready to receive talent with open arms. Holmes

JAMES WEST
I try all things, I achieve what I can. Melville

RICHARD WICKER
A little bit of nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men. Walpole

JOHN WITTCROW
True to his word and his friend. O'Reilly

MARILYN ZABEL
The nearest way to glory is to strive to be what you wish to be thought to be. Socrates

DALE WETZEL
A willing mind makes a hard journey easy. Messiner

PETER WESTERMeyer
Now, small boys, get out of the way. Holmes

BEVERLEY WITTE
The most completely lost of all days is that on which one has not laughed. Chamfort

RUTH WOCKENFUSS
He who laughs, lasts. Poole

PAT ZEMIS
Doing easily what others find difficult is talent; doing what is impossible for talent is genius. Amiel

CONSTANCE WOOD
I wait with joy the coming years. Burroughs

WILLIAM ZOELLE
And life is itself but a game of football. Scott

DARON ZIMMERMANN
You are educated if you can do what you ought whether you want to do it or not. Spencer
As the members of the class of 1959 don their robes for graduation, they will mark the final milestone in that stretch of education's road called high school. Recalling the vigor and enthusiasm felt as sophomores, the success of their homecoming floats, the splendor of their prom, these seniors embark on a longer journey with pride and satisfaction.
JUNIOR CLASS

PRESIDENT
Dick Rohde

Vice-President
Esther Krause

Secretary
Karla Johnsen

Treasurer
Brian Eckhardt

Johnsen, Rohde, Krause, Eckhardt

The pride of the class of 1960 is not unique or unlike the pride of innumerable classes which went before it. Undoubtedly there will be many more after us who will feel the same fierce pride in their class.

Each class has its share of athletes, musicians, and scholars, and they all contribute to the pride we feel. My class of '60 has been richly endowed with talent and initiative.

We can be extremely proud of our athletes, outstanding in football, tennis, baseball, basketball, and golf. I'm sure every junior has felt a spark of pride when, as sophomores, our guys were listed on the hallowed A squad.

When the band marches down Main Street, I'm sure you can't miss the first rank. All trombones--all juniors! In the Campus Band and Senior Orchestra we are well represented, and the Mixed Chorus would be in a sad state without the juniors.

Those students who devote all their time to earnest studying are another large part of the pride of our class. So often they go unnoticed and don't receive due praise. We can all be proud of the high average our class has maintained.

Built on a solid foundation of good teaching, extra-curricular activities, and working with others, our class will surely be a success. The greatest pride of the class of 1960 lies in the future!

Roxanne Holtz
At last, the anticipated class rings are ours.

Class of 1960
Karen Ebert  Betty Eckert  Brian Eckhardt  Ralph Eckhardt

Mary Havlicek  Kathleen Heiden

Donald Hartman  Jack Hartung

Philip Eisfeldt  David Engelbrecht  Mary Ertl  Paul Fernholz

Jerold Hargraves  Mary Hargraves

Tom Freiwald

Sandra Hadaller  Janet Hansen

James Freres  Heidemarie Grunefeldt  Karen Hackbarth

Roger Gallert  John Geise  Doreen Gerbitz  David Gessner  Gerald Goff  Roger Griep  Harvey Gruchow  Barbara Gruke

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Reading is the source of all knowledge.
SOPHOMORE CLASS

PRESIDENT
Richard Stallman

VICE-PRESIDENT
Ronald Knope

SECRETARY
Barbara Kiepert

TREASURER
Audrey Niemann

The other day, I was walking down the school corridor when a cocky, bragging senior began listing in loud tones to a gullible-looking freshman all the achievements of his senior class. I asked him if, when he was a sophomore, he had as much to be proud of as we sophomores have.

He said, "Huh, what have you got to be proud of?"

"Well," I said, "first of all, we are the largest class in school. More of our class are engaged in extra-curricular activities than any other class in the school. We have just finished presenting a very colorful, beautifully-costumed Christmas pageant in an unusual church setting on the new stage of the gym. Most of the well-trained actors were sophomores."

"At the Homecoming parade our float took second place. Where did yours rate? Have you noticed our attractive, agile, progressive cheerleaders at the games? Just give us two years more. Already we have several boys with W's."

The senior gulped, colored, and the freshman laughed as we parted in the corridor.

Bill McEntire
Class of 1961
Class of 1961
Class of 1961
FRESHMAN CLASS

PRESIDENT
Dave Schilling

VICE-PRESIDENT
Jeanne Hartman

SECRETARY
Doloris Higgins

TREASURER
Judy Bohlman

Class pride, two small words, but I'm sure they are of utmost importance to each and every one of us.

We have a large class. Every kind of personality fits into it. There is room for everyone and an opportunity for everyone to do the best possible.

Our class has many athletes and we're all aware of their importance.

When we entered Watertown High School last year, our eyes lighted upon a complicated network of hallways leading to anywhere and everywhere. It was often that a freshman was seen running down the hall, finally sighting a friend who could tell her where a certain room was and how much time there was to get there. I'm proud to say that we have gained a share of composure and self-confidence since last fall.

Our class has many outstanding students. We're all proud of one another for the work that we do. Those of us who are average try our hardest. We all have great character which often proves to be more important than a keen mind.

As people observe the class of "62", we want them to look with pride upon us. We are certain that they won't feel the pride that we feel for our class, but we hope they will look upon us with elderly respect, not with childish disgust.

Doloris Higgins
Class of 1962
Class of 1962
Class of 1962
Class of 1962
When we arrived at Junior High last September, we had reached an important goal. In a short time we all wished to become better students in the classroom. We also wished to become better students in outside school activities.

We were easily distinguished from our upperclassmen. We were younger than the rest, but we didn't let that fact stand in our way. We didn't know our way around, but we learned the exits and entrances fast.

Much was accomplished in this short time. We started on the ground floor in the many activities that our school offers, such as band, orchestra, sports, and the various clubs. Most exciting were the new friends that we made.

There is a pride that we all share—the fact that we are Americans. We have freedom to learn and believe as we wish. If our sights are set and our aim is good, we will make the grade, with the aid of our faculty and school administration.
Class of 1963
Class of 1963
Class of 1964
Class of 1964
PRESIDENT
Gretchen Burzynski

College Night Speaker
Dr. George Walters
Lawrence College Appleton, Wisconsin

TOP ROW: Strache, Zabel, Hansen, Reinhard, Schultz, Krueger, Kuerschner, Buske, Schoenik
Higgins, Rothschild, Kwapil, Wessoliek, Nieman
Blaese, Klinger, Winkelman, Johannsen, Uttele

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OFFICERS:
VICE-PRESIDENT . . . Susan Turke
SECRETARY . . . Edith Niemann
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS . Charles Teggatz

Splinter, Hertel, Eggert, Kressin. THIRD ROW:
Eisfeldt, Kiepert, Lewandowski. SECOND ROW:
Hady, Nelson, Kehl. FIRST ROW; Conard, Schuchter, Minar.
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF
Pat Zeimis

SENIOR EDITORS
Marilyn Zabel
Jane Rogers

CLASS EDITORS
Edith Niemann
Audrey Schluefer

ORGANIZATIONS EDITORS
Carol Jack
Judy Melcher

SPORTS EDITORS
Susan Kehl
Susan Kressin

BUSINESS MANAGER
Russell Marcks

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Ruth Kasten
Phyllis Hertel
Cam Olson

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Carol Strache
Carol Frey

UNDERCLASSMEN
Janet Buske
Karen Schmidt
Jane Uttech
Sandy Koerner

ASSISTANT EDITORS
Joanne Eggert
Gretchen Burzynski
Anne Koester
FORENSICS

Attempting to excel in public speaking, debaters found a practical outlet in public address announcing.

Experienced participants in forensics offer valuable suggestions to novices.

Resolved: That the United States Should Adopt the Essential Features of the British System of Education.


COACH: Carolyn Schloemer

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . Carol Jack
VICE-PRESIDENT . .
Phyllis Hertel
SECRETARY . .
Roxanne Holtz
TREASURER . .
Janet Hansen

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . .Sue Kehl
VICE-PRESIDENT .
Sue Kressin
SECRETARY-TREASURER
Edy Niemann

Strache, Burzynski, Streblow, Zabel, McMurry, Johannsen, Niemann, Kressin, Kehl. NOT PICTURED: Parson, Rippe.
GIRLS CLUB

An important project of the Girls Club is the selling of Buzz Books.

PRESIDENT—Sue Mears
VICE-PRESIDENT—Carol
Jack
SECRETARY—Sherry Rippe
TREASURER—Phyllis
Hertel

OFFICERS

PRESIDENT—Ruth
Bickel
VICE-PRESIDENT—
Mary Aufdermauer
SECRETARY—Ellen
Gruetzmacher
TREASURER—Kristine
Pitzerle

OFFICERS

JUNIOR RED CROSS

Junior Red Cross workers aim to help others.
The Future Teachers learn of the profession through the experience of others.

OFFICERS

PRESIDENT-Carl Schaefer
VICE-PRESIDENT-Judy Sutton
SECRETARY-Susan Kohl
TREASURER-Eunice Schuett

OFFICERS

PRESIDENT-Wesley Kehl
VICE-PRESIDENT-Neal Jones
SECRETARY-Bill Raether
TREASURER-Tom Schliewe
REPORTER-Glenn Rhodes
SENTINEL-Dennie Piper

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

President Kehl presides over a meeting of the F.F.A.
LIBRARIANS

Grulke, Piper, Yoh, Bender, Schlueter, Lapp, G. Schmidt, Reynolds, Zabel, Frey, K. Schmidt, Krummel, Brady, Pauli.

SERVICE CLUB

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . . . . Jane Rogers
CHIEF USHERETTE . Corrine Hamman
SECRETARY-TEASER. Diane Schoechert

SCIENCE CLUB

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . . . . Harvey Gruchow
VICE-PRESIDENT . . Steve Annis
SECRETARY-TEASER. . Mary Jorgenson

The Science leaders of tomorrow experiment.
When girls get together in athletics, sheer fun is always the result.

W Club

Watertown's finest athletes have united to work for the betterment of the entire student body.
STANDING: Strasburg, Boehnke, Tessmann, Wolf, Gallup, Shannon, Kuckkan, Leiknes, James, Butzine, Krahn. OFFICERS, SEATED: President, Sharon Schultz; Vice-President, Kristen Harberg; Secretary, Mary Eichel.

JUNIOR HISTORIANS

OFFICERS

PRESIDENT . . . . Jeanne Mueller
VICE-PRESIDENT . . . Cherie Curtiss
SECRETARY-TREASURER. . Kathy Klinger
JUNIOR LIBRARIANS

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Bev Hansen
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SECRETARY . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Jeanne Mueller
TREASURER . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Phyllis Miller

JUNIOR SCIENCE CLUB

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Bob Jones
VICE-PRESIDENT . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Frank James
SECRETARY . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Bill Gruetzmacher
TREASURER . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Dick Minar

JUNIOR DRAMATIC CLUB

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Phyllis Miller
VICE-PRESIDENT . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Dennis Olson
SECRETARY . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Joan Koerner
TOP ROW: Zabel, Borchardt, Gerbitz, Reynolds, Tessmann, Pieper, D. Strege, Rhodes, Kaddatz, Karberg.
THIRD ROW: Lueck, Turke, Niedfeldt, N. Heiden, Östreich, K. Wolf, Juul, Bright, Neis.
FIRST ROW: Kugath, J. Wolf, Herlehy, Frey, Kohl, Peterson, Klecker, B. Strege, Maass.

MIXED

CHORUS

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . . . Russell Marcks
VICE-PRESIDENT . . Danny Kaddatz
SECRETARY-TREASURER . Cam Olson
CONCERT BAND


OFFICERS
CAPTAIN . . . Wayne Schwartz
SECRETARY-TREASURER . Sue Kressin
CHIEF QUARTERMASTER . John Splinter
MANAGER . . . . Dave McMurry

Mr. Stamstad watches progress on the new Band room.
The two small boys, Holger and Sreen, had little hope of going to the cathedral for the splendid procession. When they finally reach the great church, Holger views the gifts offered by the royal and the affluent. He desairs that his few pennies...
CHIMES RANG

No one could ever be the perfect gift that would cause the legendary chimes to ring. His faith and trust in God, however, give him the strength to offer his token gift. Because he has truly given of himself, the sacrifice is accepted and the chimes ring out.

OFFICERS
PRESIDENT . . . . John Ponath
VICE-PRESIDENT . . Joanne Eggert
SECRETARY-TREASURER . Susan Kehl

The Campus Band provides music for all W. H. S. socials.


Carol Minar, Captain
Mayris Saniter
Kathie Ferry
Jinky Johannsen
Karla Johnsen
(not on picture)

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Menomonee Falls 34 13
Nicolet 6 0
Edgewood 0 27
Cedarburg 13 12
Muskego 6 19
Brookfield 0 19
Port Washington 6 40
HOMECOMING COURT OF HONOR

QUEEN Joanne Gmeinder
KING John Kressin
Maxine Hansen Leo Checkai
Janet Hansen Pete Westermeyer
Karla Johansen Bill Mullen
Diane Schwartz Chuck Hrobsky
Co-Captains:
Ralph Krueger (Honorary)
Toby Tesch
Bill Zoelle
Crown-Bearer: Mary Lincoln
LETTERMEN

JOE RHODES
Co-captain

DICK ROHDE

LEO CHECKAI

JIM PIRKEL

JOHN MOONEY

RALPH KRUEGER
All Conference
All State, Honorable Mention
Co-captain

PAUL FERNHOLZ

FRANK SCHMIDT
All Conference
All American, Honorable Mention
Co-captain

MIKE SCHUENEMANN
LETTERMEN

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Susan Blaese, Captain; Peggy Marks

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COACH GRABOW

LETTERMEN
TIM JUSTMAN
JIM CAHOON, Best Team Player
BILL MULLEN, Most Improved Player
RALPH KRUEGER, Co-captain & Best Team Player
TOM GARMROTH, Most Valuable Player
DICK ROHDE
DICK SCHUMANN

MANAGERS
FRANK SCHMITT
NELSON KADING
**B Squad Basketball**

**TOP ROW:** Coach Chvala, Kohlhoff, Pirkel, Theder, Mundy, Butenhoff, Mooney, Steinbrink, McEntire.
**SECOND ROW:** Griep, Kehl, Kreiziger, Rhodes, Negus, Vandenberg, Poellet, Leiknes.
**FIRST ROW:** Schilling, Summers, Schumacher, Stallman, Knape, Dierker.

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Six more points!!

Co-captains Three Football

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Basketball Regional Watertown-Consolation champs

Seniors back our team.

Every basket counts!

Broken noses need helmets!
By the Way

... do you recall
How late our school doors opened?
And in that time the students all
Were sittin' home and hopin'.

Hoping that school still wouldn't be closed
When Old Man Winter hit;
Thinking that, maybe, despite the grind,
We missed it a little bit.

But still the school year carried on
For this extra long vacation
As the Student Council supervised
The yearly orientation.

Our Homecoming festivities
Excitement and romance,
The gala weekend climaxsed by
The long-awaited dance.

The setting was the high school,
The mood was gay and light.
A "Harvest Moon" was shining
On the dancers there that night.

Orientation Day

Soon the spell was broken
As each student, coins in hand,
Went out to buy his Orbit,
Before 'twas even planned.

The year got off to a shaky start,
The heating system was such
That each and every student
Endured and suffered much.

What Gosling won't remember
The days each lad and lass
Wore summer clothes in English
And a coat in physics class?

When Senior gym class started,
Oh, the blood, the sweat, the tears!
We never worked this hard before
In all our high school years.

To think they'd punish seniors so
To gain financial aid.
They know, such labor to avoid
We gladly would have paid!
Sadie Hawkins Day

In school on Sadie Hawkins Day,
Each female sought her match.
And not a girl was "dressed to kill,"
They all were "dressed to catch."

Our library's new beauty
Left visitors aghast.
As Mrs. Huck sighed with relief
"Three cheers! We've moved at last."

On Valentines Day we learn of all
The ladies' gallant men,
And many occult relationships
Were soon discovered then.

But Miss Gruner's was the highlight of
The scandals since uncovered,
As she received sweet valentines
From countless "secret" lovers.

Then into the picture one Tuesday mom
In the midst of a cold December,
Came fearful, yet cheerful Bomb Scare Day,
An event we'll all remember.

Remember the day that high school closed
When the wind and snow began
Our evening prayers all ended with
"God bless the weather-man!"

The arrival, the concert, the thrill of it
all!
And each music student says
His heart was beating in time
To the music of Rafael Mendez.

Moving Day

Contestants came, advisors came,
From west and north and south
To the only place where a student is
Encouraged to open his mouth.

The importance of forensics
Cannot be overstressed.
It's nice to know that Watertown
Has only the very best.

Forensics Day

New Lab Day
The love scenes with Kay and Buckley,  
Rehearsals late at night,  
The fear before the performance,  
That everything wouldn’t go right.

These things put “Father of the Bride”  
On fame’s exalted shelves,  
But what really made the play a success  
Was mostly the senior themselves.

On Eastern tours, with students ill  
With their complaints and moaning,  
It’s more fun to be chaperoned  
Than to be chaperoning.

Final Rehearsal Day

At last, for anxious Gosling hearts,  
The tenth of April came,  
And Prom night brought that sudden thrill  
No mem’ry can reclaim.

Bewitched by magic music  
The couples all danced by  
Enraptured by that sweet,  
Enchanted island, “Bali Ha’i”.

With reverent praises and happy song,  
In serene and solemn sobriety,  
Our school accepted the charter of  
The National Honor Society.

And seven of our finest were honored as  
The first in a long, long line  
Of NHS members at Watertown High.  
A milestone in ’59!

Departure Day

Parents, friends, relations came  
To see each son and daughter,  
As seniors echoed through the gym  
The strains of alma mater.

Tears and laughter were mingled here,  
Together we thought as one:  
The end of the road is a long way off---  
Tonight we’ve just begun.
CAST

Mr. Banks . . . Dave Pfaffenbach
Mrs. Banks . . . Susan Kehl
Kay Banks . . . Anne Koester
Ben Banks . . . Charles Harberg
Tommy Banks . . Larry Kapheim
Buckley Dunstan . . Charles Wendt
Buzz Taylor . . . Dan Dittmann
Peggy Swift . . Gretchen Burzynski
Delilah . . . . Sherry Rippe
Miss Bellamy . . Pat Zeimis
Mr. Massoula . . John Splinter
Joe . . . . . Steve Anderson
Mrs. Pulitzer . . Cam Olson
Red . . . . . John Ponath
Pete . . . . . Tom Grinwald
Tim's Man . . . . Dick Weber

The Banks family at the reception.}

Father and

The secretary and the maid arrange the details of the wedding.
CLASS PLAY
the Bride’

Guests . . . . . Kathy Ferry
Corinne Hamann
Sandy Kugath
Susie Mears
Audrey Schlueter

Director . . . Miss Pitzner
Student Director . . Susan Kressin
Production Manager . Miss Skinner
Student Production Manager .
Muriel Higgins

Guests, caterers, and delivery boys are all part of the excitement of a wedding.

Rose to the director

Peggy and Bob hope to be the next in line for marriage.

The supporting cast
Senior Activities

STEPHEN ANDERSON
Track 4; Class Play.

Marilyn Arndt
Hi Scribbler 4; Orchestra 4; Mask & Wig
Club 2, 3, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4.

James Beerbohm
Golf 3, 4.

Robert Bender
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Pep Band 3, 4.

John Bergmann
Golf 1, 2, 3.

Jean Blegen
Orbit 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 4; Campus
Band 4; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls
Club 2, 3, 4; Class Play.

Jennie Block
G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Board 3.

Sandra Block
Girls Chorus 1; G. A. A. 1, 2, 4.

Beaver Borchardt
Girls Chorus 1; Librarian 2, 3, Officer 3.

Susan Bruss
Mixed Chorus 3; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2;
Student Council 1, 2; Girls Club 2, 3.

Chuck Buchert
Football 1, 2, 3, 4.

Gretchen Burzynski
Hi Scribbler 1, 2, 3, 4, Editor 3, 4; Orbit 1, 4;
Editor 4; Forensics 2, 3; State Winner 2;
Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Mask & Wig
Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Board 3; Thespians 4; Class
Officer 4; Class Play; Student Council 1, 2,
3, 4; Officer 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; Officer 3.

Pearl Callies
Hi Scribbler 4; Mask & Wig Club 1; Student
Council 2; Girls Club 3, 4; Librarian 3;
G. A. A. 1, 2.

Daniel Dittmann
Track 2; Class Play; Librarian 4.

Robert Eckert
Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.

Joanne Eggert
Hi Scribbler 3, 4; Orbit Editor 4; Forensics
2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4;
Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Girls
Club 4.

Caroline Else
Hi Scribbler 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Mask &
Wig Club 4; Girls Club 3, 4; Service Club 4.

Helen Fendt
Prom Queen.

Kathleen Ferry
Hi Scribbler 2, 3, 4; Forensics 3, 4; Mixed
Chorus 3; Mask & Wig Club 2, 3, 4; Cheer-
leader 3, 4; Class Play; Student Council 3;
Girls Club 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4.

Patrick Foley
Mask & Wig Club 2; Football 2; Wrestling
4; Baseball 2; Student Council 1, 2; F. F. A.
1, 2.

Jerry Frank
Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Pep Band 4; Foot-
ball 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; W Club 4.

Carol Frey
Orbit 4; Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3,
4; Service Club 2, 3, 4; Librarian 4.

Joanne Gmeinder
Hi Scribbler 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Prom
Court 3; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2.

Mary Goetz
Girls Chorus 1.

William Gorder
Debate 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4;
Campus Band 3, 4.

Tom Grinwald
Rubicon 1; Beaver Dam 2, 3; Tennis 4; Class
Play.

Corinne Hamann
Hi Scribbler 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3,
4; Class Play; Girls Club 4; G. A. A. 4; Ser-
vice Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 4.

Chuck Harberg
Northfield, Minn. 1; Class Officer 4; Mixed
Chorus 3; Mask & Wig Club 3, 4; Wrestling 3, 4;
Tennis 2, 3, 4; Class Play; Prom Steering Com-
mittee; Prom Court 3, 4; Student Council 3, Of-
ficer 3.

Sharon Heck
Forensics 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club
1, 2, 3, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4.

Erla Henschel
Girls Chorus 1.

Barbara Hensler
Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; G. A. A. 1.

Phyllis Hertel
Hi Scribbler 2, 3, 4; Orbit 3, 4; Forensics 3, 4;
Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Class Officer 2, 3; Mask &
Wig Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Board 1, 2, 4;
Prom Steering Committee; Prom Court 3; Cheer-
leader 2; Student Council 1, 2, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; Board 3, 4.

MURIEL HIGGINS
Class Officer 2; Class Play.

PAULA GAIL IMIG
Girls Chorus 1; Mask & Wig Club 2; Girls Club 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2; Officer 2.

CAROL JACK
Hi Scribbler 4; Orbit 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Board 4; Prom Steering Committee; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Jr. Red Cross 1; G.A.A. 1; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 4.

TIM JUSTMAN
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; W Club 4.

EUGENE JUUL
Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Tennis 1.

LARRY KEPHEIM
Class Officer 1, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play; Prom Steering Committee; Prom Court 3; W Club 4.

RUTH KASTEN
Orbit 4; Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4.

SUSAN KELH
Class Officer 3; Forensics 2, 3; Orbit 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2; Board 2, 4; Thespians 4; Officer 4; Class Play; Prom Steering Committee; Prom Court 3; Student Council 1, 2; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; Officer 3.

WESLEY KEHL
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; Officer 4.

CHRIS KLECKER
Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Prom Court 3; Girls Club 3, 4; Jr. Red Cross 1; Service Club 1.

ANNEMARIE KOESTER
Hi Scribbler 1, 3; Orbit 2, 4; Editor 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2, 3; Class Play; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3.

DARLENE KOPPER
Girls Chorus 1; Mask & Wig Club 3, 4.

SANDRA KORBAN
Girls Chorus 1; Mask & Wig Club 4; Girls Club 3, 4.

KARL KOWALKE
Staging 2, 3, 4.

GERALD KREIZIGER
Football 2.

JOHN KRESSIN
Class Officer 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Prom Steering Committee; Prom Court 3; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3; W Club 4.

SUSAN KRESSIN
Hi Scribbler 2, 3, 4; Orbit 3, 4; Class Officer 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Campus Band 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 1; Board 1; Thespians 4; Officer 4; Class Play; Prom Court 3; Student Council 1, 2, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4.

ROBERT KREUZIGER
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4.

KAREN KRUEGER
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Student Council 4; Girls Club 3.

PATRICIA KRUEGER
Girls Chorus 1; Service Club 3; G.A.A. 2.

RALPH KRUEGER
Class Officer 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Baseball 4; Prom Court 3; Student Council 1; W Club 4, Officer 4.

MILLY KUBE
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

STANLEY KUEHL
Band 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Campus Band 4.

SANDRA KUGATH
Mixed Chorus 3, 4.

ALICE LAPP
Girls Chorus 1; Librarian 1, 3, 4; Officer 4.

LEIGH LARSON
Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Badger State; W Club 4; Science Club 1.

JUDY LEMKE
Mask & Wig Club 2; G.A.A. 2.

CYNTHIA LOEB
Girls Club 3, 4.

MABEL LUECK
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Girls Club 3.

MARGARET MALLACH
Girls Chorus 1; Jr. Red Cross 1; G.A.A. 1, 2.

RUSSELL MARCKS
Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; W Club 4, Officer 4.

JEROME McCaIG
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4.
SUSAN MEARS
Hi Scribbler 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor 3; Editor-in-chief 4; Forensics 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4;
Orchestra 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Student Council
1, 2; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; G.A.A.
2, 3, 4; Board 4.
JUDITH MELCHER
Hi Scribbler 3; Orbit 4; Orchestra 3; Pep
Band 4; Campus Band 3, 4; Girls Chorus 1;
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club 2;
Student Council 3; Girls Club 3, 4; F.H.A. 2.
MARY MONZEL
Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mask
& Wig Club 1.
EDITH NIELMANN
Hi Scribbler 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor 3, 4; Orbit 4;
Forensics 3, 4; Debate 1, 2, 4; Girls Chorus
1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club
1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 1; Board 1; Thespians 4;
Officey 4; Class Play; Student Council 2,
3, 4; Officer 3, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; G.A.
A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Board 3.
ROSALEE OESTREICH
Hi Scribbler 3, 4; Girls Chorus 2, Mixed
Chorus 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Mask & Wig
Club 2, 3; Service Club 2, 3.
CAM OLSON
Waukesha 1; Orchestra 3; Mixed Chorus 2,
3, 4; Class Play; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Board 3, 4.
DAVID PFAFFENBACH
Mask & Wig Club 3, 4; Badger State; Class
Play; Science Club 4.
LILY MAE PIEPER
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4.
SANDRA PIRKEL
Mask & Wig Club 3, 4; F.H.A. 2.
BARBARA POELLET
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Mask
& Wig Club 1, 2; Officer 1; Board 1; Prom
Steering Committee; Prom Court 3; Girls
Club 2, 3.
BOB POLENISKY
Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 4; Base-
ball 1, 2; Science Club 1.
JOHN PONATH
Debate 1, 2; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4;
Pep Band 4; Campus Band 2, 3, 4; Tennis
3, 4; Class Play; Prom Court 3; W Club 4,
Officer 4.
JUDY PONATH
Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3; Mask &
Wig Club 1; Jr. Red Cross 1; Science Club
2, 3, Officer 3.
LOIS RADLOFF
Hi Scribbler 4; Girls Chorus 1, F.H.A. 2;
Librarian 2.
EILEEN RAETHER
Hi Scribbler 1; Orbit 4; Forensics 3; Girls
Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 3; Girls Club 2, 3,
4; Librarian 1, 2, 3, 4.
JOAN REINHARD
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Mask & Wig
Club 1, 2; Girls Club 4.
KATHRYN REYNOLDS
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Mask &
Wig Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; Lib-
rarian 2, 3, 4; Officer 4.
JOSEPH RHODES
Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Wrestling
3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; W Club
4.
HARRIET RIECK
Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3; Mask &
Wig Club 1, 2, 3; Girls Club 3.
ROMELLE RIPLEY
Forensics 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Mask & Wig
Club 2, 3, 4; F.T.A. 4.
SHERRY RIPPE
Orbit 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra
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3; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Thespians 4;
Student Council 1, 2; Girls Club 2, 3, 4,
Officer 4.
JANE ROGERS
Orbit 4; Girls Chorus 1, 2; Girls Club 4;
Service Club 3, 4; Officer 4; G.A.A.
1, 2, 3, 4; Board 4, Officer 4.
JOE ROSENOW
Mixed Chorus 1; Basketball 1, 2; Baseball
1, 2.
CAROL RUESCH
Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mask
& Wig Club 1, 2.
BECKY RUPNOW
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Mask &
Wig Club 4; Girls Club 3, 4; Pep Band 4.
LOIS SCHRADT
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; F.H.
A. 2.
ROBERT SCHLEGEL
Baseball 2.
JANE SCHLIEWE
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Mask
& Wig Club 2, 3, 4; Jr. Red Cross 2; Librarian
3; G.A.A. 2, 3.
AUDREY SCHLUETER
Hi Scribbler 3, 4; Orbit 4; Girls Chorus 2;
Mask & Wig Club 2, 3; Board 3; Class Play;
Girls Club 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

BARBARA SCHLUETER
Hi Scribbler 4; Girls Chorus 1, 2; Mask &
Wig Club 1, 2, 3; Librarian 2, 3, 4; G.A.A.
1, 2, 3, 4.

FRANK SCHMITT
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2; Wrestling 3;
Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; W Club 4.

DIANE SCHOECHERT
Girls Chorus 1, 2; Girls Club 4; G.A.A.
1, 2, 3, 4; Board 4; Service Club 2, 3, 4,
Officer 3, 4.

RONALD SCHWANTES
Baseball 1, 2, 3.

WAYNE SCHWARTZ
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Student Coun-
cil 3; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3.

VIVIEN SEIBEL
Band 1, 2, 3.

SHIRLEY SHEPHERD
Orbit 4; Mask & Wig Club 2, 3.

JOHN SPLINTER
Forensics 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3,
4; Pep Band 4; Mask & Wig Club 2; Officer
2; Board 2; Badger State; Class Play

CAROL STRACHE
Hi Scribbler 3, 4; Orbit 4; Forensics 2; Girls
Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 3; Mask & Wig
Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Board 4; Thespians 4; Student
Council 2, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; F.T.A. 3, 4,
Officer 3, 4.

BARBARA STREBLOW
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2,
3, 4; Board 3, 4; Thespians 4; Jr. Red Cross
2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

ROBERT STREGE
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club 2, 3;
Football 1; Wrestling 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4;
Student Council 1; W Club 4.

GENE TESCH
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Prom Court 3.

CHRIS THOMAS
Johnson Creek 1, 2, 3.

SUSAN TURKE
Orbit 4; Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 3, 4;
Mask & Wig Club 1; Student Council 2, 3, 4,
Officer 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; Librarian 1, 2.

JANICE UTTECH
Forensics 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4;
Prom Court 3; Librarian 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1.

LU ANN UTTECH
Hi Scribbler 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra
3, 4; Pep Band 4; Girls Club 4; G.A.A. 1,
2, 3, 4; Board 2, 4; Officer 4.

RICHARD WEBER
Band 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Mixed
Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mask & Wig Club 3, 4; Class
Play.

CHARLES WENGT
Forensics 3, 4; Debate 2, 4; Mixed Chorus
3, 4; Football 1, 2, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Class Play; W Club 4.

MARSHA ANN WENGT
Hi Scribbler 1, 2; Mask & Wig Club 1; Prom
Steering Committee; Girls Club 2, 3, 4.

PETER WESTERMeyer
Class Officer 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basket-
ball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1.

DALE WETZEL
Baseball 2.

RICHARD WICKER
Football Manager 3; Baseball Manager
1, 2, 3.

BEVERLY WITTE
Girls Chorus 2; Mask & Wig Club 1, 2; F.H.
A. 1, 2; Service Club 1, 2, 3; Officer 3.

RUTH WOCKENFUSS
Forensics 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; F.H.A. 1.

CONNIE WOOD
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Pep Band 4; Mask &
Wig Club 1; Service Club 1; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3,
4; Board 4.

Marilyn ZABEL
Hi Scribbler 3, 4; Orbit 3, 4; Forensics 2, 3, 4;
Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mask &
Wig Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Thespians 4; Student Coun-
cil 2, 4; Girls Club 2, 3, 4; Jr. Red Cross 1, 2,
Officer 2; Librarian 3, 4.

PAT ZEIMIS
Joliet, Ill., 1; Hi Scribbler Editor 3, 4; Orbit
3, Editor-in-chief 4; Debate 2; Forensics 3;
State Winner 3; Mixed Chorus 3; Badger State;
Class Play; Prom Steering Committee; Girls
Club 3, 4.

DARON ZIMMERMANN
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Badger State.

WILLIAM ZOELLE
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 3; Track 1.
TENNIS MATCHES
Won 3
Lost 6
Tied 2

The Baseball squad won the Braveland Conference championship with their second consecutive undefeated season.

TOP ROW: Poeillet, McMurry, Schilling, Tomrow, Ponath, Grinwald, Gorder.


GOLF

Watertown's golf squad finished in a tie for second place in the conference.

ASQUAD BASEBALL


LETTERMEN

Russ Marcks, Captain
Ralph Krueger
Carl Lange
Tim Justman
Tom Justmann
John Kressin
Charles Wendt
Jim Hady
Bob Kreuziger
Ron Schwantes
Jim Pirkel
Jim Cahoon
Lyle Braunschweig
Tom Theder
Dick Crupi
Dick Kusel, Manager

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LETTERMEN

Frank Schmitt, Captain
Neil Butenhoff
Jim Cozatt
Bill McEntire
David Eggert
John Mooney
David Schilling
Bill Kehl
Bill Mullen
Bill Summers
Ed Dusowsky, Manager
Richard Leikness, Manager

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JUNIOR PROM

QUEEN
Karla Johnsen

KING
Bob Tesch

BALI
HA’I

COURT OF HONOR

Dick Rohde
Diane Reinhard

Kent Karberg
Mayris Saniter

Paul Fernholz
Terry Mooney

Brian Eckhardt
Jane Margaret Uttech

Bill Loomis
Esther Krause

Chuck Harberg
Gretchen Burzynski
POST PROM

MARDI GRAS
"The object of this chapter shall be to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote worthy leadership, and to encourage the development of character in students of Watertown High School."

Mrs. Dorothy Huck, Sponsor; Gretchen Burzynski, Susan Kressin, Treasurer; Marilyn Zabel, Joanne Eggert, President; Pat Zeimis, Susan Mears, Vice-President; Edith Niemann, Secretary.

Special social functions for the seniors are many toward the end of the final year. Two of the most outstanding were the annual A.A.U.W. Tea for the girls and the newly-initiated banquet for the boys, which is sponsored by the Rotary Club.
The old-time movie classic, "Foiled Again," provides laughs aplenty for the student audience.

COURT OF HONOR
Ralph Krueger, Joanne Gmeinder, Chuck Harberg, Gretchen Burzynski, Queen Audrey Schlueter, King John Splinter, Joanne Eggert, John Kressin, Susie Kehl, John Ponath.

Larry and Pat emcee the first Class Day festivities in the new gymnasium.

One of the highlights of the class will was the gift of a chicken to Miss Eaines.

Chuck Harberg crowns John Splinter king of 1959 Class Day.
WAYNE FREDRICK
JOSEPH E. DAVIES AWARD
and
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AWARD

ANN KOESTER
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN ALUMNI
AWARD

HOMEMAKING AWARDS
  Judy Melcher
  Carol Ruesch
NURSING AWARDS
  Sue Kressin
  Carol Jack
  Marilyn Zabel
  Diane Schoechert
  LuAnn Uttech
PTA TEACHING AWARD
  Romelle Ripley

Susan Mears
AAUW AWARD

Melcher, Ruesch, Schoechert, Ripley, Uttech, Kressin, Jack, Zabel.
DAY

ELK'S LEADERSHIP AWARDS
Gretchen Burzynski
Chuck Wendt

DAR AWARD
Gretchen Burzynski

DANFORTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS
Anne Koester
Chuck Harberg

ELK'S CONSTITUTION AWARD
Carol Jack

RUNNERS-UP
Cynthia Loeb
Pat Zeimis
Phyllis Hertel
Joanne Eggert

The Orbit Staff wishes to acknowledge

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For her excellent work as school photographer for the past six years;

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For her cover design and her art work throughout the entire book;

EILEEN RAETHER,
For her fine art work this year.
COMMERCE

CLASS OF 1959

"The Road That Lies Behind Us"
PAT ZEIMIS

"Life Is A Highway"
MARILYN ZABEL

THE ’59 CLASS GIFT:
Two school directories
Commencement speaker
Dr. Paul Eberman
Associate Dean, Department of Education,
University of Wisconsin

Graduation, the beginning of a new road, the end of an old road, will remain forever in the minds of all the Seniors.
We, the CLASS of 1959,
wish to those who follow us, all the happiness and good times we have had in Watertown High School. May you have only success on the highway to your goals.