

SPORT SPECIALS

Nine months ago the weather was warm as it is now. This weather called for an outdoor sport and it was answered with soccer, a rough tough and tumbling game. The Rough Riders finished runner up to Kelly with a 1 loss and 3 tie record. Roosevelt probably would have done better except they were plagued with injuries throughout the season. Some of the outstanding athletes in this English-originated sport were Ross Carter, Skip Hohle, and a transfer from Glendale, Oregon, Steve Johnson.

	Win	Loss	Tie
Kelly	2		2
Roosevelt		1	3
Wilson	1	2	1
Cal Young	1	2	1
Jefferson		2	2

Volleyball

Roosevelt was bothered with players who were unable to play as the season progressed, including Ross Carter who was unable to play in the Cal Young game which was the only game the fellows lost. Also Steve Goldschmidt was out after the first couple of weeks of practice with one injury sustained earlier in the season. The usual starting lineup was Skip Hohle, Ross Carter, Gordy Payne, Dan Aldridge and Bob Stocks

	Win	Loss
Roosevelt	3	1
Cal Young	3	1
Wilson	2	2
Jefferson	1	3
Kelly	0	4

Basketball

The game that Roosevelt students turn out to see most frequently and more fellows turn out for is basketball; a game which takes a lot of skill and practice. Although Roosevelt did not keep the perfect record of their basketball teams in the past, they did cop the championship with a record of 6 wins and 2 losses in a tough season. The Teddies lost the first game of the season to Cal Young by the score of 45-43 in a hard-fought game with Ross Carter scoring 21 points and keeping Roosevelt in the game until the last few seconds. The next week the boys were hopped up to play their next opponent, Kelly, and they romped to a victory, winning by a 15-point margin, with Ross Carter dumping in 20 points.

Next on the eight-game list came Roosevelt's arch rivals, the Wilson Knights. This game was rather unusual because it wasn't decided who had won the game until a day or two after it was completed. Roosevelt had forged ahead early in the game and had stayed there until Dan Aldridge, the Rough Rider center, fouled out and was followed by our two forwards, Ross Carter and Steve Goldschmidt. Carter and Goldschmidt fouled out with two minutes and thirty seconds remaining in the game, leaving behind a 12-point lead which was cut very fast by the red-hot Knights. As the buzzer went off, one of the Wilson ball players threw up a shot which supposedly had won the game by a 51-50 score in favor of the Knights. But in totaling up the score book, there was found to be a mistake. It was that two of Roosevelt's points had not been put up on the score board but had been put in the book which made Roosevelt victorious by a slim one-point margin, the score being 52-51.

The following week Roosevelt played Jefferson, whom they beat by a 17-point margin in a game which Roosevelt came from behind in the last quarter to become victorious.

Starting the second round of the basketball season, Roosevelt came back to tromp Cal Young by 14 points with Aldridge contributing points and Goldschmidt 15.

Roosevelt met Kelly on Kelly's floor the following week and were beat as Roosevelt was missing Aldridge, Goldschmidt and Carter.

For the seventh game of the season, Roosevelt met Wilson at S.E.H.S. and were victorious by a 39-32 score with Goldschmidt dumping in 17 points.

The final game of the basketball season saw the Rough Riders beat Jefferson 85-36 with all the ball players on our club putting in at least four points, lead by Goldschmidt with 23 points and Carter dropping in 19.

	Wins	Loss
Roosevelt	6	2
Wilson	5	3
Cal Young	5	3
Jefferson	2	6
Kelly	1	7

Baseball

The Roosevelt baseball team finished second with only 3 ninth graders on the team. The ninth graders were Dave Rodman, a hustling first string left fielder, Skip Hohle, probably the best hitting and fielding ball player on the team, and Chris Kirkland, a hard hitting second baseman.

	Wins	Loss
Jefferson	7	1
Roosevelt	6	2
Wilson	5	3
Cal Young	3	5
Kelly	1	7



Track

This year the ninth grade track team was outstanding with athletes such as Ross Carter, Skip Hohle, Jim Thompson, Gordy Payne, and Ron Miller, copping over 60 points in 4 track meets. Other standouts on the team were Jim Roblyer, Gary Pratt, Tom Lighty, Jim Satterwhite and Steve Johnson. The ninth grade won their portion of the all-city track meet by 23½ points.

So summing this season's athletics up, Roosevelt has had an outstanding year, as they took second place in soccer, tied for first in volleyball, won the basketball title, took second in baseball, and won the city track meet.

MR. NELSON SPEAKS.....



I wish to congratulate you on completing the ninth grade here at Roosevelt. Your teachers, Mr. Ackerman, and I have tried to give you a good educational background for your high school work and hope that you will succeed in your future schooling.

Not many years ago, it was an honor to complete grade school work and be graduated from the eighth grade. Today we do not consider a ninth grade education adequate to cope with our ever expanding and advancing complex society so we expect all of you to at least complete high school work and hope you will further your education by learning a grade or studying for some occupation or profession.

The completion of the ninth

grade should be only the beginning of your education. I hope that you will continue your good work or even do better in high school.

Always treat your school work as a serious business. It is not easy and one doesn't always like school, but it is good for you. Your school job is as important to you and our country as any adult's job.

You have been an excellent ninth grade class, and we have been proud of you with your high scholastic standings and your highly successful activities. Best wishes for a good summer vacation and a happy prosperous future.

Your principal,
Mr. Nelson

ROUGH RIDER

Theodore Roosevelt Junior High School.

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NEW RIDERS WELCOME

Next year the seventh graders will far outnumber the eighth and ninth graders. There will be 23 students entering Roosevelt from both Glenwood and Laurel Hill. Seven Dunn sixth graders and fifteen students from Willard will be in the Roosevelt seventh grade. Fifty-five sixth graders from Condon will enter the ranks. Edison and Harris head the list with the former having 80 and the latter

having 73 pupils coming into the 7th grade.

All together there will be a grand total of 275 new seventh graders next year. There will be only 181 ninth graders graduating so there will be ninety-four more Rooseveltians next year.

NEW PRESIDENT SPEAKS

Next year Roosevelt will have some important changes. Not only will almost everyone be advanced a grade and a new group of seventh graders be getting acquainted with the school, but your student body officers also plan to do many things. They hope to:

Provide more activities; change the constitution; put more importance on student body cards; try to interest students in starting clubs; have an organized student council; try to do something about honoring our good students; and finally, to improve school spirit.

We fully realize that this is a large and difficult job. To make our plans successful, we need the cooperation and enthusiastic help of every student at Roosevelt. It is a challenge to everyone, a challenge that can be met if everyone tries. We, the student body officers, are willing to lead. Are you willing to follow? That is the question if Roosevelt is to keep its high standing as a junior high.

Peggy Price
Student Body President
1959-60

ASSEMBLY TO HONOR STUDENTS

As the final activity of the school year, we hold an Awards Assembly to reward those students who have shown outstanding characteristics during their years at Roosevelt.

Awards are given to 9th graders in Citizenship Activities and Athletics with honorable mentions for 9th graders, 8th graders, and 7th graders in each of the three categories. These awards are decided by the Merit Committee with approval of a faculty committee before presentation is made.

A Special Service Award for a ninth grade boy and girl is awarded each year by Mr. Nelson and Mr. Ackerman. This award goes to the student selected for outstanding service to the school during the past three years.

Women's Post #161 of the American Legion makes an award each year to a 9th grade boy and girl who measure up to the standards set by the Legion Post. These standards are based on 5 points--honor, courage, scholarship, service and leadership--and include qualifications within each of those categories.

This year, during the assembly, letters for song and rally squad members will be exchanged, and in this way insure that all new members will get their letters.

Mr. Ward will make an award to the outstanding 7th, 8th, and 9th grade boy in track events again this year.

Any student who has the desire can win one of the awards. Hard work and conscientious effort provide students with a sense of achievement of which they can well be proud.

Mr. Ackerman
Vice-Principal

TERRI BEACH 1945-59



God's fingers touch'd her,
and she slept.

In Memoriam
Tennyson

Terri, gay, lovable,
little lady, has left us.
May each of us strive
to emulate her sterling
quality --- happily doing
her best each day --- as our
lasting tribute.

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GUEST EDITORIAL

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As you leave Roosevelt, you look forward to a long summer and then to the long years of high school. Look again. Maybe that "long stretch" isn't so long as it seems. Three years from now you'll be high school graduates. Three years ago, just three years ago, you were saying good-bye to Harris or Condon, to Edison or Dunn and were looking forward to the "long stretch" in junior high. Yet, now that you're through with Roosevelt, that "long stretch" doesn't seem so long, does it? It's exactly the length of time between now and the day you face college, job, or military service.

That's why it's important that you give your own mental and personal growth real attention. Look at your summer vacations as vacations from school, but not as vacations from life. Even during the summer, keep looking ahead, planning, keep preparing, keep thinking. Read a few books between now and September. Read the ones that are fun. The more of them you read, the more books you'll find that are fun. Think. Every once in a while, all by yourself, just stop everything and think. Because almost before you know it, you'll be saying good-bye to high school, just as you said hello to junior high such a short time ago.



THE STAFF GOAL

At the beginning of the year the staff and I made certain promises to you readers. We promised that we would produce a paper primarily for students, we would strive for high scholastic standards, because of lack of experience we would make mistakes, and we would take suggestions for improving the paper.

Glancing back over the issues of the paper this year, I feel that the staff has, in most instances, kept their promises to you (including the making of errors.) I see something else, too. I see a vast improvement over the months. From a technical point of view the paper has improved, but the most startling improvement is in the writing and reporting skills of the staff members.

The Roosevelt student body has been fortunate to have had such a fine staff putting out their paper this year. My congratulations to them. Truly the Rough Rider has ridden very high!

R. E. Hamill
 Advisor



I REMEMBER MOST....

- Nancy Bishop - Being queen of the Heart Hop.
- Bob Stocks - Making a speech on African sandfleas.
- Phyllis Hushour - Almost being kicked out of choir.
- Kristine Brooke - Being 9th grade secretary.
- Tim Chrones - Speech class with Karen Moe and Phyllis Hushour
- Sue Brogdon - Mr. Ackerman.
- Ruby Mullins - The faculty game.
- Val Clark - Getting an A on my Forestry notebook.
- Dave Pool - Singing O Holy Night and almost catching my robe on fire.
- Debbie Marsh - President of Pep Club.
- Jim Hendrickson - Being one of first 9th graders to take Geometry.
- Chris Bradley - 3:05 on the 11th.
- Doug David - When I was dumped into the lavatory waste basket.
- Dave Rodman - Use of student teachers.
- Lynn Saylor - Last day of school.
- Joieanne Thorne - Our Salem choir trip.
- Carlene Wiley - Ross.
- Shirley Lindbergh - The last day.
- Jill Hardin - Walking into the boys' lavatory in the 7th grade.
- Barb Hatch - The powder fights in the gym.
- Cathy Wilcox - The teachers.
- Judi Hulse - Mr. Cramer.
- Eugene Ch'en - The mad scientist (Mr. Bell).
- Gary Eklof - The wild times when we were kicked out of Geography.
- Dixie Lee Merrill - All the cute boys.

THE "MOSTEST"
 NINTH GRADERS



- Most handsome
- Prettiest
- Braniest
- Best athlete
- Best physique
- Best figure
- Wittiest
- Most musical
- Best artist
- Most vivacious
- Talks most - says least
- Talks least - says most
- Best appearance
- Nicest smile
- Friendliest
- Most bashful
- Most popular
- Happiest
- Always in a daze
- Tries hardest
- Bounciest
- Outgoing personality
- Most likely to succeed
- Asks the most questions

- Skip Hohle
- Steve Moore
- Ross Carter
- Ron Miller
- Steve Hessel
- Jay Tracy
- Eugene Ch'en
- Steve Goldschmidt
- Chris Kirkland
- Dick Guske
- Terry Bowman
- Roy Niederhiser
- Bob Stocks
- Greg Eagen
- Jim Petermann
- Craig Danner
- Bob Eubank
- Dan Aldridge
- Stan Smith
- Bob Smith
- Kris Brooke
- Linn Thompson
- Sue Sprague
- Mary Johnson
- Harlene Bissel
- Alison Wood
- and Joieanne Thorne
- Pam McQuiston
- Cynthia Gearhart
- Phyllis Hushour
- Valerie Clark
- Dawn Chambers
- Sue Brogdon
- Sandie Waning
- Sally Wilson
- Nancy Bishop
- Barbara Haach
- Chris Bradley
- Kathy White
- Alison Hearn
- Jean Groesbeck
- Shirley Lindberg
- Lynn Saylor



Ninth Grade
 Will

- Skip Hohle wills his baby blue shorts to Bob Officer.
- Sue Sprague wills her patience to Cathy Hughes.
- Roy Niederhiser wills his good looks to Wayne Smith.
- Steve Goldschmidt wills his humility to King Martin.
- Laurie Lyon wills her freckles to Gayle Hoefflick.
- Bob Hill wills his drums to Barney Racely.
- Linn Thompson wills her excess weight to Sue Stuart.
- Jon Stafford wills his brains to Patty Shannon.
- Shirley Lindberg wills her tan to Susan White.
- Joieanne Thorn wills her voice to John Wilson.
- Nancy Bishop wills her glasses to Carol Bourgeois.
- Sue Brogdon wills her blond hair to Karen Biestel.
- Ross Carter wills his athletic ability to Neil Baldwin.
- Jerry Marlatt wills his Readers' Digests to Albert West.
- Steve Moore wills his shyness to Jack Blenkinsop.
- Craig Danner wills his golden locks to Dennis Bergman.
- Pete Martini wills his nose to Marcia Myrno.
- Judi Hulse wills her gym shorts to Carol Shinn.
- Kathy White wills her friendliness to Sue Warren.
- Jill Hardin wills her lovability to Barbara Hale.
- Pat Hemphill wills her stick-to-itiveness to Kerry Jackson.
- Shirley Mahar wills her acting ability to Karen Kaufman.

Gottin 'n Trottin'

Ruby Mullins fell asleep in Mr. Hamill's third period Geography class.....Doria Wilcox's knee slipped out of joint in gym class.Pam Richards lost her shoe at "The Tempest".....Rick Wilcox fell asleep in social living..... Gordon Payne tried to climb out of a window in Miss Hettinger's classKris Brooke got her head pushed under the shower in third period gym class.....Sharon Bergman spilled India ink all over herself, working on publicity for the 9th grade dance in the Conference Room.....Jean Groesbeck, Dan Aldridge, and Aaron Kaufman had a water fight while washing Jean's parents' car.....At one count Valerie Clark had 16 partially eaten lunches in her locker.....Robbie Beistel and Barbara Hatch have participated in numerous water fights in seventh period gym class.....Powder fights in the same class have been carried on between Karen Moe, Gail Laemmle and Mary Lein.....Jim Satterwhite set a new record for pull-ups, 22.Alison Hearn was the last one standing in a spelling match..... Tom Klabunder's notebook was thrown across the room in 4th period geography class.....Poor Steve Goldschmidt. He never made the Rally Squad.....Linn Thompson was perched on a tree limb when it happened to crack.....Nancy Constance has been taking tranquilizersStudent Body vice-president Dick Guske, was seen mooching some lunch in the cafeteria.

