

Calendar of Events

March 7
Volleyball, at Comstock Park High School.

March 8
Marine Safety Class
Musical Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. at Comstock Park High School.

March 9
Spring Concert (Tentative).

March 10
Volleyball at Byron Center
Musical Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. at Comstock Park High School.

March 11
Rockets Basketball
Potluck - 6:00 p.m. at High School Cafeteria.

March 12
Close Up "White Elephant Sale" at Comstock Park High School - small gym;
Musical Rehearsal - 12 noon - 3:00 p.m. at Comstock Park High School - lg. gym.

Pep week

The week of Feb. 22-25 was the traditional Pep Week at Comstock Park High School. Each class had a day set aside for hall decoration and class activities to show their pride and pep for the Panther teams. The freshman chose for their theme, "Our Panthers are Out of this World", the sophomores had "Comin' Round the Mountain", the juniors "Swingin' for a Victory," and the seniors chose to dress as movie characters.

To cap off the week all the classes performed skits at a pep assembly.

The seniors won the Pep Week trophy after being judged the most creative and displaying the most spirit. The entire week was entertaining for both students and teachers.

Forensic festival held

Saturday, Feb. 26, was the Second Annual OK Forensic Festival, held at Calvin College. Comstock Park High School participated along with thirteen other schools of the OK Red, White and Blue Leagues.

Taking Superior awards were: Cathy Kubiak - Informative Speaking, Todd Heath - Informative Speaking, and Mike Everts - Humorous Reading. Receiving excellent ratings were: Kim Langlois, Judy Radtke, Mark Lancaster, Bill Cohill, Nancy Walker, Kathy Misner, Dianne Dirkmaat, Nancy Robinson, Bill Grill, Tim Purwin, Colleen Murphy, Corky Schwartz, Ann Eister, Laura Lubbers, Jill Teitasma, Craig Tant, Jim Honeycutt, Greg Mobley, and John Dewey.

The Festival consisted of one round of presentations with extensive oral critiques by Calvin College teachers. Actual competition begins with the District contest, held later in March.

Choir to perform

The Valparaiso University Schola Cantorum Choir, from Valparaiso, Indiana, will present a concert at Union High School, Tremont Ave., N.W., on Monday, March 7 at 8 p.m. The choir is under the direction of Dr. Frederick Telschow. The choir will sing a variety of selections.

A private, principally undergraduate institution, Valparaiso University is dedicated to the education of the total person.

Tickets will be on sale at the door. Adults: \$2.50 Student tickets \$2.00.

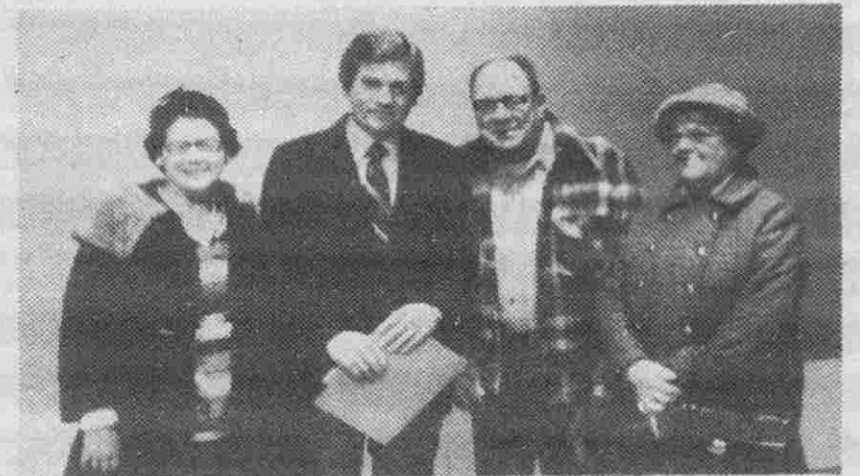
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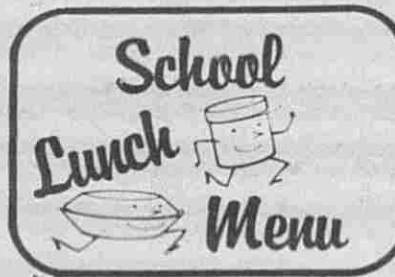
Senior citizens visit WOTV

The Comstock Park Senior Citizens visited WOTV as a guest audience for the Buck Matthews Show on February 23. The tour of the TV station was followed by visits to the Grand Rapids Art Gallery and Museum. After being transferred to Schensuls Cafeteria for lunch, a business meeting was held

to plan future activities. The next Senior Citizens meeting will be a potluck supper in the Comstock Park High School cafeteria on March 29 at 6:00 p.m. All Senior Citizens in the Comstock Park area are encouraged to attend the potluck supper and will soon be notified by mail.



From Left to Right: Vera Cook, Buck Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reens.



MONDAY

Hamburg on bun, F.F. potatoes, relishes, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY

Italian Spaghetti, Garlic Toast, Relishes, Fruit, Milk

WEDNESDAY

Turkey roll, Whipped potato, Vegetable, Roll & Butter, Cranberries, Milk

THURSDAY

Bar-B-Q, Chips, Relishes, Apple Crisp, Milk

FRIDAY

Chili, Crackers, Sweet roll, Fruit, Milk

Salads served at the High School everyday - Menu Subject to Change

Mat miracle

Recently the Grand Rapids Press asked a question of the Comstock Park wrestling team: "Where did they come from?" Well, the team was not expected by any outsiders to be a contender for much of anything this year since there wasn't much varsity experience to rely on. Dave Kruszynski, our only senior, and juniors Bill Fix, Bob Gould, and Phil Hayes were the only upperclassmen with at least one year of varsity experience. Sophomores and freshmen rounded out the rest of the team.

After losing the first conference match to Wayland in December, the team got rolling and won the rest of the conference matches as well as the OK Blue tournament to capture the championship outright. Although Wayland beat us in a duel, they lost to Byron Center and took second in the tournament for an overall second place finish.

Since the league tournament, the team has continued a strong showing with a second at district and a third at regionals, qualifying 3 to the state meet, which is no small achievement, and Bill Fix brought home a fifth place medal.

Next year's team promises to be one to watch because Dave Kruszynski is the only one graduating.

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Special Olympics needs volunteers

We are in need of volunteers to work with mentally impaired students training for the Special Olympics, at the Kent City pool. The swimming practice will be held from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m., on March 4, 11, 18, 25, and April 1. After Spring

break, practice sessions will be held in the evening for four weeks.

Interested persons should contact Mr. Frank Bringer at the Sparta Middle School; 565 Maple St., Sparta, MI 49345, telephone: 887-8253.

Special Olympics fund raiser set

The Kent County Special Olympics Committee is selling tickets to raise funds to help support local students at the Special Olympics. The tickets are for a meal at Kentucky Fried Chicken Restaurants. Money earned will be used to support our students at the Special Olympics. The meal includes:

Two pieces of chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy,

cole slaw and roll for \$1.00.

This \$1.69 value is a super good deal for a good cause. The tickets can be redeemed any time before June 5, at Kentucky Fried Chicken Restaurants. Tickets can be purchased at the Region I office; 7200 Pine Island Drive; Comstock Park, MI 49321.

Please pay for the tickets when you pick them up.

Comstock Park sets memorial

A basketball game to benefit a scholarship fund commemorating a deceased Comstock Park High School teacher will be played Friday, March 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the school gym.

Faculty members from Comstock Park schools will play in the game.

All proceeds will go to the William O. Taylor Memorial Fund. Taylor, 26, a popular teacher at the school, was killed Jan. 27 in a skiing accident at the Cannonsburg Ski Area.

Taylor was the high school track coach and assistant football coach. He was voted teacher of the year at the school two of the last four years.

The scholarship fund will aid collegebound Comstock Park students.

Admission to the game is a minimum of \$1.

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