

'Auld Lang Syne' To Graduating Prep Athletes

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of Livonia won't have its first senior class until next year.

GARDEN CITY EAST
Saying their farewells to the prep ranks are four of the finest all-around athletes in the school's history.

Joe Huber, a 20-point senior in basketball and a 438 slugger in baseball, was hailed as the most outstanding senior athlete at East's annual festivities.

At the same time Marvin



Wayne Holman

Martin was voted the most valuable player among the seniors after starting in football at halfback, winning 16 matches to reach the state final in wrestling, and helping to pitch and bat East to the league crown in baseball.

George Dobozy and Steve Fugabon followed a similar athletic road with Martin. They, too, starred in football, wrestling and baseball. Fugabon quarterbacked the grid-iron while Dobozy played at halfback with Martin.

Mike Sparkman, a football, basketball great, and Larry Gynn, football-wrestling, also will be among the seniors marching across the stage to receive their diplomas.

GARDEN CITY WEST
Two-time letterwinners, George Gamache and George Frenzel, head the contingent of athletes leaving West High.

Both starred for three years in football, basketball and baseball to achieve a record reached by few high school athletes.

Mike Adler, football-wrestling; Jim Mincey, basketball-golf; and Roger Hager, who set school records in every free style event, also are wrapping up distinguished careers in sports, as well as academically, in high school.

JOHN GLENN
Three-sport standouts Ron Gaim and Dennis Jackson are finishing up. Gaim performed in football, wrestling and track, while Jackson, reported his school in football, basketball and track.

It's "so long to Glenn" for Wayne Holman, the star trackman who also won honors in wrestling.

Leaving Glenn also are Mike Phillips and Jim Arble, cross country and track; Jerry Wright, basketball and track; who was one of the area's premier hurdlers; and Paul Go-born, track and wrestling.

FARMINGTON HIGH
Jerry Tinkle, the All Ob-

server-football end for the last year, and a slinger in baseball, will step forth to receive his diploma.

So will Greg Dorow, the school's finest basketball player this past season and a fine performer in track.

The end has come for Chris Norton, football and baseball; Bob Duman, cross country-track; Mike Ames all-league basketball; Fritz Simmons, football, basketball and track; and Mike Hines, who roared to honors in cross country and track.

While not graduating, Farmington high also is losing veteran basketball coach Jack Quigley who is moving to northern New York where he'll take over a new position in the fall.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

State Class C high jump Christopher is among the Sorrows seniors. He also was a defensive halfback in football and a member of the basketball team as a forward.

Jim McGrath, also stood out in three sports, quarterbacking the football team, playing basketball and doing an excellent job at shortstop in baseball.

Football stars Tim Doyle and Harry Lapham, along with Frank Carriaco, all helped Sorrows share the divisional title, take the regional crown and finished second in the state meet. Carriaco also played basketball.

Dave Hickey, football-basketball, Cliff LaFord, basketball, football and track; Tim Audette, who won honorable mention all-star honors in football, are others who have performed for the last time for Sorrows.

ST. AGATHA HIGH

The departing contingent is a small one when it comes to all-around athletes.

Dennis McKenna was a great in football, basketball and baseball for three years. He had the contest of an excellent job in football and then in baseball.

THURSTON
It's an illustrious group of senior athletes that causes some tears around Thurston, especially the coaches.

Dan Harris, Reg Barringer, Paul Santangelo and Randy Ault all were stars in football and have won college scholarships along with John Mutch, who fought back from a series of knee ailments finally to play in the final four games in his senior year.

Harris also starred in wrestling and baseball. Barringer, Santangelo and Simons made names for themselves in basketball, too.

Mike Turner has won a hockey scholarship to Ohio State although he had to play on outside teams because prep hockey still has not arrived in Michigan.

Turner also played baseball. Jim McEwen and Chuck Nole, track, also are fading out of the spotlight at Thurston.

NORTH FARMINGTON
Hub Copp stands out among the senior athletes. He played football, basketball and baseball. Roger

Schmanek was a star in football and gymnastics. Mike Bensinger, football-track, Floyd Webb, football-track, and Rick Jones made his

spear as a football manager and a regular in baseball. He also was the senior class president.

Also saying his goodbyes to North Farmington is Rosa Smith, the exchange student from Australia who won his letters in football and track and set records in the latter sport in his only year at the school.

PLYMOUTH

The losses of Ron Lowe and Steve Hulce are among those which will hit Plymouth.

Stott, are moving on to new

FRANKLIN

Two three-sport stars, Steve Atkinson and Dave

Stott, are moving on to new

Baseball Stars Named

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Knocked home 12 runs. Sparkled defensively.

JOHN PROCHAZKA, Plymouth, another three-sport standout. Played football in the fall and wrestled in the winter for the Rocks. Delivered the key hits all season for the Rocks as they shared the Suburban Six League title. Had a .376 batting average, which included two homers and a triple. He also drove in 12 runs.

PITCHERS

DAN CAMP, Plymouth, posted an 8-3 record in leading Plymouth to a tie with Redford Union for the Suburban League crown. At one stretch during the season, this lefty worked 35 straight innings without allowing a run. Hurlled three straight years on the varsity.

Also played football. A product of the Plymouth Little League and summer baseball programs.

CHRIS WENDRICK, Franklin. Was the key pitcher in Franklin's capturing the Northwest Suburban League crown. Posted four of his victories in the league and had a hand in several other victories with fine relief work. Compiled an earned run average of 1.20. Struck out 63 during the season.

GEORGE DOBOZY, Garden City East. Allowed only 22 hits in 54 innings of pitching while compiling a record of five victories against only one loss. Struck out 63 batters, while walking 30. Allowed only three earned runs during the season to finish with a fantastic ERA of .038.

CATCHER

DON MONTROY, Bentley. Came up through Plymouth's junior baseball program to make the varsity. Batted .350 during recent season. Strong man behind the bat. Plans to enroll at Arizona State.

UTILITY

Dave Stott, Franklin, jumped around from catcher in outfield to shortstop. Even pitched a couple of times. The most valuable member of Franklin's league champs. Batted .308 and knocked in 18 runs.

mouth hard. Lowe starred in football, basketball and track. Hulce jumped from football to basketball and tennis.

Jim Elias, the stellar footballer, also is departing. He is Dan Camp, a standout on the grid and the excellent pitcher who "strongarmed" the Rocks to a share of the Suburban Six League title.

Key Evans of cross-country and track fame is being graduated along with Biff Leonard, a stellar swimmer and track performer.

BENTLEY

Greg Coleman, who starred in football, basketball and baseball, was voted the most valuable among the graduating seniors.

Others on the departing list include Ed Ryan, basketball; Rich Waite, basketball-track; Doug Thomas, cross-country-track; Ken Jackson, record-breaker in the hurdles; Frank Miller, football-track; Larry Grimm, football-track; Greg Macy, basketball; Steve Kaxmer, the brilliant golfer.

So long, too, to Dennis Rogisart, the swimming star; Gary Moss, tennis, and Pete McGregor, a champion in wrestling.

CLARENCEVILLE

Mike Nye, a rare four-sport prep star, has said his farewells to Clarenceville. He won his letters in football, basketball, baseball and track.

Ron Ray distinguished himself in football, basketball and track. Ditto for Dave Wilson.

Dave Kaipio leaves behind a fine list of achievements in football and wrestling, while John McClure wrote fine chapters in football, basketball and baseball.

Leaving, too, are Tom Harbourn, a football star and the school's hurdling sensation in track; also Jim Amick, who kept busy starring in football, basketball and track.

Tom Schlack, football and baseball has ended his prep career. So has Larry Martin, football-wrestling.

The Yitalo twins, Ron and Don, have sung their swan-song as schoolboys along with Steve Clark and Ross Hofman.

REDFORD UNION

Leland Bjerkie, a great end in football, the area's No. 1 basketball player and an all-

star in baseball, is passing

on to the Redford Union sports picture and heading for Eastern Michigan.

Henry DeLong, football-baseball; Glen Davis, the football team's ace quarterback; Dave Pike, an all-state wrestler; and Jack Shepard, who ranked among the leading distance runners in track, also have wound up their prep athletic careers.

Jockey, Trainer Races Sparkle at Hazel Park

The \$15,000 Royal Oak Handicap for three-year-olds will be one of the highlights of the half-furlong will top the 10-race program Saturday, June 17, at the Hazel Park Race Track.

Thoroughbred racing will continue at the Hazel Park oval daily, except Sundays, through July 29. Post parade for the first race is 2:10 p.m. on Saturdays and holidays and 3:20 p.m. on other days.

Lively competition for the jockey and training honors is adding zest to the exciting race cards at Hazel Park these days. Rarely has the track been endowed with so many outstanding riders and conditioners.

Bob Gallimore, who set an all-time Michigan jockey record by bringing in 116 winners at the Detroit Race Course last year, is seeking to add the Hazel Park title to his list of honors. Gallimore, who was the leading

trainer at the track, has been on top of the trainer standings for weeks but his position can't be too secure with such able trainers as Bob Irwin, Archie Grissim, George Hazleton Jr., J.R. Smith, George Strubling and Gary Hemmeling trying to overtake him.

Calling Musicians

The Garden City Parks and Recreation Department will hold auditions on Monday for band groups interested in taking part in the Summer Dance Program.

For further information, call the Recreation office between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Old Timers

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league was born—pioneering the "modified pitch," and thereby eliminating the pitchers' dominating status, and equalizing the game to an interesting batter versus pitcher system.

The basic Anderson-Penny formula has paid off dividends in tremendous rivalry and competition among the teams.

The league has gone a long way since the inaugural contests on the many so-called "cow-pasture" diamonds to the new modern athletic facility at Ford Centennial Field.

Veteran members of the league, Art Jenkins of St. Andrews, Bob Penny and Bob Jahnke of Christ the King, Bob Dietrich of St. Matthews, Bill Lloyd and Earl Haub of Rosedale, along with Bob Tripp of St. Paul's, will attest the pioneering spirit throughout the many years.

Newcomers Tom Lindemulder of St. Edith's, Don McKinnon of St. Timothy's, Maurice and Ken Kireoff of St. Timothy's are a few of the "new" stars in the popular softball competition.

Dog Obedience Courses
All-Breed Registrations are being taken for Beginner's Obedience Training on Wednesday evenings through June and on Monday, July 3 at 7 p.m.

Advanced Novice, Open and Utility on Wednesday, July 5 at 7:30 p.m. Health certificates are required of all trainers.

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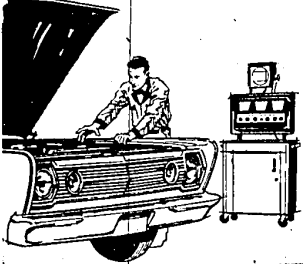
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