

TRICYCLE RACE

HOME EC. 71-172

In last Friday's fourth renewal of the Yo-Hi Tricycle Race the mighty seniors came out on top. The seniors' might showed as Steve Brown, Pam Penney, Elton Clark, and Judy Kissinger raced into the winners circle leaving their underclassmen competitors in the dust. Then they accepted a challenge from the faculty and defeated Mr. Rogers and Mr. Rydelius.

Miss Sattre's Home Ec. classes are selling baked goods in the Devils' Den Snack Bar. Chocolate chip cookies, oatmeal cookies, peanut butter cookies, and various types of cakes are among the regular "goodies" sold by the Home Ec. classes. Cookies are being sold two for a nickel and cakes for a dime apiece. The money raised in the Snack Bar will be used for a possible field trip or for preparing a gourmet dinner.

The sophomore team, composed of Tee McFarling, Shiela Vincent, Rex Wright, and Connie Nabors, pedaled past Jim Ellis, Jim Gabriel, Carole McCoy, and Merri Mays, who represented the Freshman Class. But the underpowered sophomores could not repeat the victory against the seniors. In the preliminaries the seniors easily beat the juniors, represented by Guy McFarling, Turbi Stanton, and Louise Carrion.

An obstacle course was set up in the front parking lot with chairs around which the contestants had to ride and then come back to put on an apron and ride around again.

All in all it was a good day for the Tricycle Race, although last year's race on the roof of our old school seemed to have a little more excitement.

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LANGUAGE-SOCIAL STUDIES SCHEDULES

There are still many people who have not filled out a Language Arts-Social Studies schedule sheet or turned out for their schedule conflict conference. These people should hurry in to talk to Mr. or Mrs. Tucker no later than next Thursday. If they will not, their courses will be picked by the teachers for them. The list of classes and the corresponding periods will be posted next week.

The three that were chosen the most in Language Arts were Word Power, Expository Writing, and English Fundamentals. Word Power and English Fundamentals both have two classes each with about sixty students total. An overwhelming number of students chose English Fundamentals regardless of their test scores on the English Fundamentals Test. Humanities (7th period) is the smallest class, not because the students did not choose it, but because of conflicts with 7th period classes, or with other solids being taken. Expository Writing classes will be relatively small in order to reach individual students. Drama is not offered second semester because of classroom construction problems. It will be offered next year to those who are interested.

In history, the most chosen classes were the required courses such as U.S. Government, U.S. Diplomacy, and American History. The smallest class is Urban Geography with nine students. Most of the other classes have an average of sixteen students, although these figures will change as the stragglers get scheduled.

The classes and corresponding periods for next semester are as follow:

LANGUAGE ARTS

- 1) Word Power, Creative Writing
- 2) Bi-Lingual English
- 3) Expository Writing, Speech
- 4) Power Reading, Speech, IA Skill, Journalism
- 5) Power Reading, Expository Writing, Speech, Short Story, Journalism, English Fundamentals
- 6) Multi-Ethnic Literature
- 7) English Literature, Word Power, IA Skills, Humanities.
- 8) Debate
- 9) Expository Writing, English Fundamentals, Speech

HISTORY/SOCIAL STUDIES

- 1) American History
- 2) U.S. Government, U.S. Diplomacy
- 3) U.S. Diplomacy
- 4) U.S. History Skills, U.S. Government, American History
- 5) Urban Geography, American History, U.S. Diplomacy
- 6) Ancient History/Archeology, Government Skills, U.S. Diplomacy Skills.
- 7) Sociology/Psychology, American History
- 8) U.S. Government, Far East History
- 9) -----

Study, Study, Study...

I would like to take this opportunity to make a few comments and observations on the relationship between the students of YO-HI and the Yokosuka Shore Patrol in the interest of betterment of these relations.

Contrary to the belief of a few of the students, the Shore Patrol was not instituted at Yokosuka solely for the harassment of students. The Shore Patrol is strictly a law enforcement agency and consequently our primary function is the enforcement of all laws set down by higher authority, as pertains to all military, DOD civilian personnel, and dependent personnel.

Occasionally in the enforcement of these laws, where dependents are concerned, an immediate hue and cry is raised that the teenagers are being picked on. This is definitely not the case. If a teenager violates a law then he must expect to suffer the consequences just as adults that violate laws do.

In the case of foul weather gear and pea-coats, we are governed by Title 10 U.S. Code-- Armed Forces, Section 771, which is a federal statute controlled by the Congress of the United States. This code goes into the laws pertaining to uniforms and the unauthorized wearing of these articles of clothing. This law is quite specific about parts of the uniform. It also says that if you purchase a pea-coat or foul weather or flight jacket from a surplus store, it's perfectly legal to wear these items as long as there are no distinctive marks, insignias, or Navy buttons thereon. If you have any of these articles, then make sure identifying marks are properly inked out, or, in the case of pea-coats, just have the buttons changed to non-Navy.

Let me reassure you that there is no more emphasis placed on your peer group than on any other group in the Yokosuka Area.

There are many lines of communication open and you have as much recourse as your adult counterparts in legitimately complaining of harassment tactics. Let me emphasize "legitimately." If you truly feel you have been wronged by the Shore Patrol, don't complain amongst yourselves as this never does any good, regardless of age groups. Take your complaints to Mr. Spaulding or contact me and corrective measures will be taken.

I am available at any time to discuss alleged wrongs, and certainly will do all that I can to enhance the student-law enforcement relationship. If you bear in mind that cooperation and communication, rather than defiance, are the tools needed to eliminate confrontations with law enforcement personnel, there will definitely be a better understanding and enhancement between students and Shore Patrol.

The Party's Over \$99

With the current attendance system, many students seem to have large gaping holes in their records. Some students make all their classes and resource centers, but there are many who don't. However, a big change has taken place! Students will continue to receive warning notices about their absenteeism, but the school will take action to make sure these notices don't go unheeded. Students now have the threat of suspension and, or no credit for classes if they have over-abundant "ditches." Make sure you make all your classes, and you have nothing to worry about.

S. C. Comes Through

The assembly Wednesday was a guest speaker, a Lieutenant Colonel, who, to the surprise of everyone, turned out to be Diane and Debbie Silverthorn's grandfather. A lot of people said it was really interesting. He talked about high school when he was a young man, and also about his advancement to Lt. Colonel from private. A remark remembered from his speech was, "If you put your life on a graph, it should rise, be steady, then begin a slow down-fall."

It was one of the most interesting yet intelligent assemblies in a long time. Thank You, Mr. Silverthorn.

Normal commercial air fare from Tokyo to New York is approximately \$600. For most high school students, this sum is impossible to pay. Don't give up hope though. If you are a military dependent, commercial air travel can be much cheaper. If you travel with your sponsor, fare can be reduced to as little as 23,000 pennies, for a round trip ticket to the U.S. For those of you who exhausted your Space Allowance for the year, this might be a travel opportunity to consider.

See you in New York!

Sincerely,
/s/ C.A. Johns
C.A. Johns, LCDR, USN
Commander Fleet Activities
Shore Patrol Officer

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GRAFFITI



Have you noticed all the writing on the bathroom walls in the Cafe? Who writes it all? Why do they do it?

Since we've been located here in Yokosuka, our walls haven't been written on YET.

Do you like to walk in a bathroom or any place for that matter, and have something dirty or insulting written about you or a close friend?

Sometimes it hurts people's feelings. To any of you who exercise this talent, stop and think of how you'd feel if the stuff were written about you.



STUDY



Study means to apply the mind to any subject in order to learn it. Study is accomplished mostly by means of reading, observation, questioning, and reflection. It is a part of the process of learning. The purpose of study is the discovery of information. The student obtains facts and skills by which he can organize and express his thoughts and talents. The poor student usually lacks this important ability.

A happy outlook of mind helps you to study better. Worries or fear prevent concentration. The cause of a worry may exist only in your mind and can often be overcome by discussing it with parents or teachers. Fear of failing in your lessons can sometimes actually prevent effective study. But common sense and reason can help to dispel such fears. Seek the advice of parents and teachers or of someone in whom you have confidence. Your counselor or school advisor will often be able to help you understand your problems more clearly. Having faith in yourself is important to successful study.



O.Zelda



Dear Zelda,

My best friend likes my boyfriend. I just don't know what to do. He always goes out with her behind my back.

Friendship



Dear Friendship,

Well, the best thing to do is forget about him. He's not worth it. You better find a better guy who won't go out behind your back.

Zelda

Dear Zelda,

I don't like my boyfriend anymore. That means break-up but I'm too scared to. I know we're going to end up enemies if we do.

Enemies

Dear Enemies,

Don't be scared, or you're never going to be able to be free of him. If he's the type of guy to be enemies, let him be that way. There's nothing else you can do.

Zelda



OVER 4 YEARS

Four years of high school bring changes to many of us. You can usually tell the difference between an upper or lower classman by the way he talks.

Do any of these comments sound familiar?

Freshman: Mother, may I please have my allowance for this week?

Sophomore: I want my allowance.

Junior: Where's your purse?

Senior: There's only a ten in here! Holding out on me, huh?

Freshman: I'll have to get my assignment done tonight.

Sophomore: I'll do it before class.

Junior: I'll do it during class.

Senior: What homework?

Freshman: Mother, I'll be home at 8:30.

Sophomore: Maybe 11:00, okay?

Junior: I'm not too sure—I'll be home sometime tonight.

Senior: Maybe I'll catch ya tomorrow.

Freshman: C-Could I-I please s-speak to Margaret, p-please?

Sophomore: Is Marge there?

Junior: It's me again. Mag still speaking?

Senior: Hi, mom! Your beautiful daughter in?

Dear Zelda,

I like this guy who's 21 years old and I'm only 15 years old. He says he really likes me and that age doesn't matter. But I think that we're too far apart.

Far-Apart

Dear Far-Apart,

He is too old for you. Maybe you should find a guy who is about your age.

Zelda



Basketball

Last Friday, during the midst of the tricycle race, the Kinnick basketball team boarded a bus and took off for the Sacred Heart School for the opener of the season against St. Mary's.

St. Mary's held the second place trophy in last year's league, and were highly seeded this year too.

Both JV and Varsity lost to St. Mary's. The Junior Varsity lost to St. Mary's Titans by a 30 - 60 score; the Varsity game ended in a 60 - 35 loss.

High scorers for the JV team were Peterson with 9 points, and Louk with 7. The Varsity high scorers were Don Roper with 12 points; Kurpuis with 8; and Mayo and Haggerty with 6 points each.

Nice try and best of luck in the games to follow!

"Echoes" Sports Staff

MYSTERY ATHLETE

The Mystery Athlete this week is a 5'9", 150 pound wrestler. A sophomore this year, he has been in Japan all his life and has attended YO-HI for two of them. Much of his spare time is spent stuffing his athletic bod with just about everything. Due to a recently dislocated elbow, he will be out of the next couple of meets. (He placed third in the first and third match of the season.) Just look around for a goggle-eyed guy with a green sling and curly black hair. Our M.A. will be solved like a charm! (Hint: he has a famous older brother who is a senior this year.)

Jim Slater

more than two points ahead of the other. The highlight of the game came in the last two minutes when there were five fouls called, mostly against Zama. In this moment of tenseness, our victorious JV team pulled five points ahead of their opponents, thus winning its first game of this season.

High scorer was David Louk with a creditable 22 points. Scott Peterson played best where the team lacked most--rebounding. Getting rebounds seemed to be the main problem for our team. Anyway, congratulations, JV!!

The Varsity game began at 19:15 with Don Roper, Cheng-yu Huang, Mark Mayo, Steve Kurpuis and John Haggerty starting. They had the Trojans under control during the first quarter, but somehow managed to let them go. The score was 20 - 20 at the end of the 1st quarter. The Devils seemed to have trouble keeping up what they had as we lost the ball three times in a row, on account of bad passing, during the second quarter. The score was 37 - 45 at half time, with Zama leading by eight points.

The Devils never did come back in the second half as Zama beat us on the boards. However, Mark Mayo's shooting was outstanding in the first half and the Huang-Roper combination was something the Trojans never were able to stop. Don Roper led in the final scoring as he made 13 points and Steve Kurpuis grabbed more rebounds than anyone else on the floor.

The final score was 59 - 88, but the Varsity team showed lots of action and we can expect to see many fine games in the days to come.

Wrestling: KPSSAA

On Saturday, the 8th of January, YO-HI, Yamato and Johnson met at the Johnson Family Housing Annex in Tokyo for a three-way KPSSAA Wrestling meet. The meet started at 1:00 and lasted until 5:00. Several of the weight classes had no entries and the whole event was kind of sad.

Yamato came in first place. Although the Warriors just got their coach, they had many new wrestlers on their team, some of whom are experienced matmen from the U.S. of A. One is even rumored to be an All-State Champion.

Johnson placed second and the Devils followed. Six of our wrestlers placed in this event. Here are the YO-HI results:

- 101 - Santos (1st)
- 108 - Yamanaka (2nd)
- Nagao (3rd)
- 148 - Slater (3rd)
- 170 - Kittleson (3rd)
- Hvy - McFarling (2nd)

Yo-Hi Varsity JV

The YO-HI Varsity-JV effort last Tuesday at Thew Gym against Zama turned out to be a one win, one loss affair. The Junior Varsity team spearheaded by David Louk overcame the Zama Trojans by a narrow 57 - 52 margin. The Varsity team lost to the Zama team by a score of 59 - 88.

The JV game started precisely at 17:30, with David Louk, Scott Peterson, Alan Tamashiro, John Backman and Bill Weddington starting.

The first half went by rather slowly as our team trailed by about five points all the way. The second half of the game was probably one of the most thrilling to date. The game was a seasaw throughtout the 3rd and most of the 4th quarter, with neither team getting

"Echoes" Sports-Staff

SPORTS PAGE

Yokohama: Still Missed?

No matter what you say, I still wish I was back in good old Yokohama! It's just terrible having to go to school down here in Yokosuka. I HATE having to get up every morning at the crack of dawn to make a bus that I always miss. Let the Yokosuka kids keep on riding up to Yokohama. They love it. They were made for it. They eat that kind of stuff up. Anyway, the Yokohama kids are a lot different from Yokosuka kids--better. Ever since the school moved here I've been doing lousy. I've become more irritable, my zits are worse, and my hair is unmanageable. Let's face the facts. The "caf" here just doesn't rate. Yokohama's makes this one a "greasy spoon."

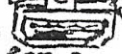

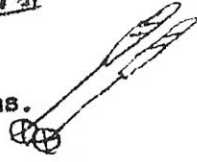
SICKEST JOKE OF THE WEEK

ugh!
 JOE- What do you get when you cross a Volkswagen with a Comet?
 MOE- DUH! I don't know.
 JOE- You get a vomit with bucket-seats, throw-up top, and a horn that goes BLAHHHHHH!
 sick!
 Ha! Ha!

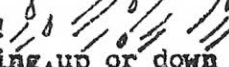

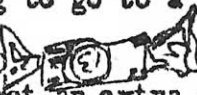
Local Happenings

- Nance Brannan literally fell into a puddle on her way to school.
- Joyce Takahashi couldn't get Gracie's contacts out.
- Colleen and Pat got pretty wrecked-up last Saturday night.
- Kate L. and Megen M. almost hit a SP truck.
- Leslee Levine went all the way up to Tokyo to find the university closed.
- Diane D. didn't get in trouble after what she did (or didn't do) Sat. Night.
- Blair sure sounds sexy over the phone with her French accent.
- Jeff M. fell off the roof and landed in a bush.
- Sally M. is constantly doing something ridiculous.

HAPPINESS IS...

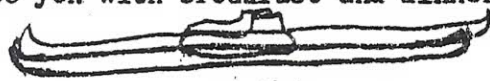
- ... Passing Typing II class. 
- ... Missing a day of school for a field trip.
- ... Finding \$20. 
- ... SNOW!
- ... Going Skiing.
- ... Getting a cycle.
- ... No more false fire alarms.
- ... GUM! 

BUMMER IS...

- ... RAIN! 
 - ... Falling up or down the stairs. 
 - ... Forgetting to go to a Resource center.
 - ... Losing \$20. 
 - ... When you get an extra day to study for a test and fail it.
 - ... Spanish class.
 - ... When you can't think of anything to write for this paper.
- TRUE!!!

Nakazato Ski Resort

Last week, the "Echoes" introduced to you a few ski resorts. This week we will give you some information on Nakazato ski resort. This ski resort would probably be the easiest to go to since it's probably the nearest ski resort to Tokyo. If you catch a special express train, it would only take one hour and fifty minutes. Another good thing about this ski resort is that it is very near the train station. Many ski resorts you have to take a bus or walk a long way to get to but Nakazato is only about a three minute walk. One day ticket for ski lifts costs 1000 yen. Ski lodge may cost from about 1600 yen with breakfast and dinner. Also there is night-skiing every night. HAVE FUN!



- Senior Boy- Marty Honaker
- Girl- Sue Houston
- Junior Boy- Guy McFarling
- Girl- Eileen Druhan
- Sophomore Boy- Mark Miyasaki
- Girl- Sue Berry
- Freshman Boy- James Ellis
- Girl- Ann Seigler

Class
 Couples

- Teacher of the Week- Miss Sattre
- Hair of the Week- Linda Schmidt
- Legs of the Week- Carol Rains
- Eyes of the Week- Chloe Lawson
- Mouth of the Week- Ethan Clark
- Couple of the Week- Linda and Mike



Interviews and Names



Fashion Corner

Friends

Fashions for the spring of '72 will continue to follow the fashion flares of '71, but 1972 will reflect flares of the ethnic influences that are so prevalent today.

There is much argument on hemlines. They reach from the top of the knee cap to two inches above the ankle. What is important this year is the flare at the hem. Whether with a top stitching down the hipline on a pleated skirt, gathers, or godet shaping on the bias, every skirt springs for spring.

This year will also see transparent fabric styles give way to strapless shoulders and halters with bare backs.

Prints will continue to be creative and more realistic in 1972. Prints will be flowers, hearts, stars, plaids, checks, and stripes.

Spring 1972 clothes as a whole are not totally ethnic but have moved out to blend with a new cultured elegance.

of this category can subtly work together, and yet not even realize that they are not friends until years later. A non-friend is a "friend" that always knows what is best for you. She's full of advice on improvement, and lectures you on the things you should do. Another non-friend is the person who won't share you and often you find yourself sharing your insecurities to bolster each other. In order to preserve the friendship, this type of friend always knows ways for you to get out of a jam—even if you're not aware of being in one.

A friend should expand your horizons, challenge you, reinforce you. Because of friends, human beings are civilized, generous, considerate, outgoing. Having friends gives you the chance to exchange ideas, learn new things, become aware of choices. Being a friend satisfies the soul.

You may very well ask, "Who needs them?"

As long as you know the answer is "I do."

Do you ever look around you at your far-from-perfect friends--Grumpy Gale, Susan the S. --and say "Who needs them?"

Suddenly your friends aren't as fun. Some of their lovable weaknesses become infuriating flaws. You'd like to ditch them all.

But think a minute what friends are. They supply such necessities as a chance to laugh, a shoulder to cry on, companionship, someone to challenge you, a contact with reality and launch for fantasy.

Friendship comes in a wide variety of sizes and shapes. There are many kinds of friendships that can be valuable and important, including part-time friends. (Maybe just your tennis skills or temporary enthusiasms happen to mesh.)

But many people feel that the best of all occurs when a friend is also a boyfriend. It's marvelous to be in love, but it is even better when the one you love is also someone you like.

But beware of the non-friends. Two friends

Going HOME

Who says you can't go home again? If you want to, you can--no matter where you happen to live. The trick is in being prepared: knowing what to expect. After months of being away at school, or a visit to a faraway place, going home can be:

- ...looking a bit pale and a bit too thin to suit your mother.
- ...discovering your younger sister has grown into your room.
- ...sleeping on the sofa.
- ...sleeping late....
- ...waking up to find your little sister has grown into your favorite blue sweater.
- ...finding the bathroom occupied indefinitely by your younger brother.
- ...cutting into dessert before dinner.
- ...knowing whom to look for when the funnies are missing.
- ...finding the closet full of family photos, incomplete or slightly damaged art projects, a battered baton, a beat-up catcher's mit, Sue Barton's Nursing Career in hard-back, and your own attempts at great literature.
- ...running around in an old pair of hole-y sneakers.
- ...Being knocked over by the four-footed tyrant of the family.

Did you know?

Did you know or suspect that...
Fingernails are indigestible....Hummingbirds flap their wings 50 times per second...Latrinas of ancient Greece invented the latrine....The largest wave ever recorded was computed to be 112 feet from trough to crest....The fastest smash in ping-pong is 60 mph....President Nixon is an ex-bean picker....the Olympic rings, symbol of the Olympic Games, colors are common to the flag of every country participating in the Games....The heart pumps enough blood in one year to power a diesel truck around the world...."Gotham," as in "Gotham City" in "Batman," is extracted from a legendary English village whose people were noted for their foolishness....Nectology is a record of deaths....That this is the last time you'll ever have to read space fillers like this from journalism period 6....

