

# NHS Reflects Many Talents



## Record Number of Inductees Display Worthy Qualities

Thespians, musicians, athletes, artists, former cheerleaders, majorettes, class officers, Student Council members, writers, AFS finalists, and National Merit winners -- what do they all have in common? On Nov. 19, all of these students will be inducted into the National Honor Society in a special ceremony in the cafeteria at 8 p.m.

**Scholarship, leadership, service, and character** - these are all characteristics of the new members. The scholarship comes with achieving a 3.00 grade average, but receiving high grades does not necessarily make one a member.

**Leadership** qualities which are demonstrated in class and in outside activities are an important factor in the consideration of new members. Energetic students willing to accept responsibility are wanted in society.

Congratulations are also extended to the following inductees whose pictures do not appear in this issue: Seniors Donna Anglebrandt, Don Bone, and Ann Marie LeTourneau; Juniors Gwen Bennett, Jacquelyn Bourne, Mary Kay Cesare, David Cortese, James Datson, George Gembis, Barbara Ann Lambert, Larry Mead, David Raymond, Patricia Snover, Cynthia Jane Stice, Patricia Wendt, Suzanne Zeitman, Richard Hannah, Karen Hoffman and Karen Kemp.

**Character**, another necessity, includes not only showing common courtesy to fellow classmates and teachers but upholding the high morals and ethics on which a fine school reputation may be built.

**Service**, which is linked closely with leadership, does not mean only service to the school but to the life of the community. And a student who contributes willingly to the classroom is a responsible person and a fine candidate for the NHS.

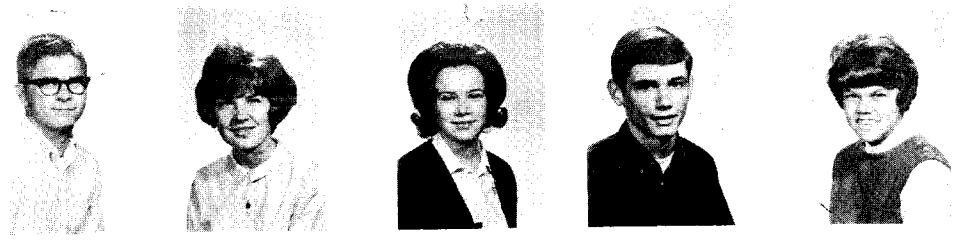
Taking stock of this year's group of inductees, we found seven Thespians, six musicians, and five athletes (which proves that brains and brawn do mix.) Also on the list are three pretty former cheerleaders and one majorette. There is an assortment of class officers and Student Council members, and both of the AFS finalists are being inducted. Highlighting the list is a semifinalist and a letter of commendation winner from the National Merit Scholarship Corporation.

This year the Honor Society proudly accepts 73 new members into the organization. Possessing important qualities of character, leadership, scholarship, and service, the new inductees are certain to be important assets to the Society.

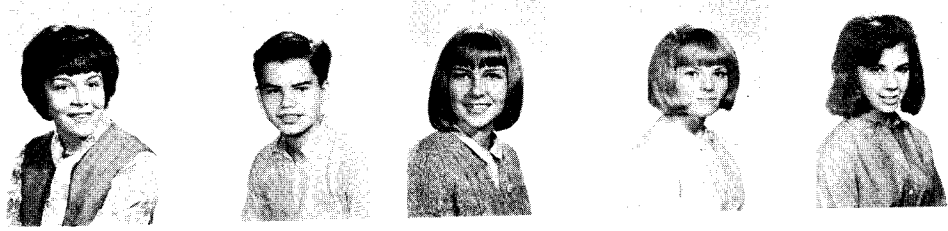


This year's six officers of the National Honor Society discuss plans for the induction ceremony held December 2 in the little auditorium. They are from left to right: Julie Heinz, corresponding secretary; Dennis Mollard, parliamentarian; Judy Klocko, treasurer; Joan Kitzmiller, president; James Clark, vice-president; Karen Bolz, recording secretary.

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Diane Haslam  
Linda Kissell  
Gary Knock  
Barbara Lambert



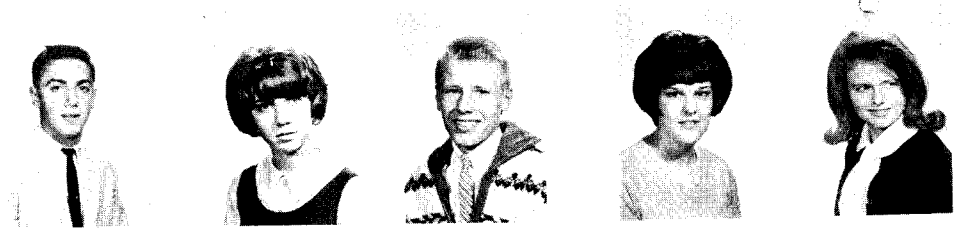
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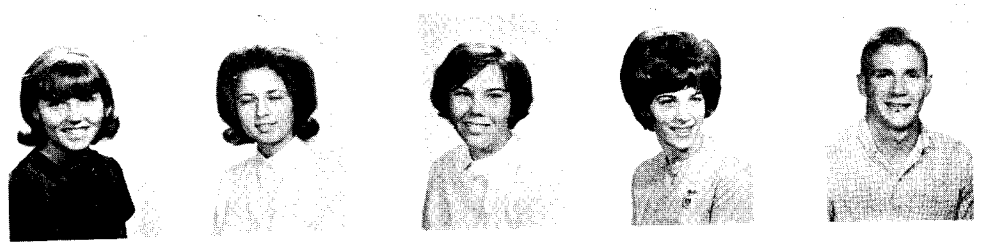
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Irene Nole  
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Susan Olson  
Deborah Pedersen



Dennis Raymond  
Paula Roberts  
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Sharon Sheffer



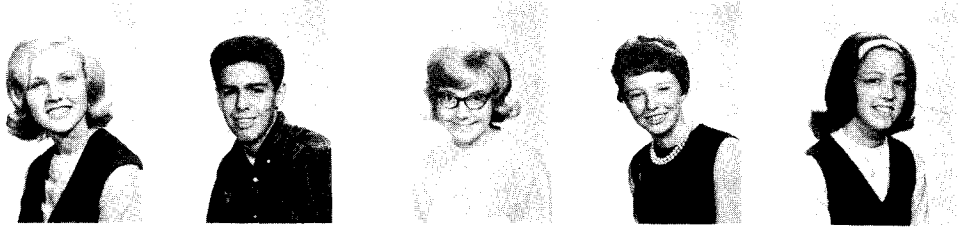
Linda Shuh  
Peggy Slongo  
Ann Marie Twork  
Martha Vaughan  
William R. Zeeb



Beverly Wilson  
Susan Spencer



Janice Adams  
Thomas Adamson  
Karen Anderson  
Joyce Bastian  
Sue Becker



## Society Plays Active Role in THS

The National Honor Society has held a key role in life at Thurston. This year the society should be especially active. Initiations, usually held in the early spring of the school year, have been moved up in order to permit these inductees to take part.

In past years the society has organized the annual (now traditional) Honors Day and participated with other Northwest Suburban League chapters in various activities.

Along with keeping the school's honor roll up to date, the group sponsors the Senior Breakfast. This was changed to an afternoon affair to which graduates from previous years are invited. The alumni share their college experiences and discoveries with juniors and seniors.

This year the club hopes to participate in additional school activities and may sponsor a casual school dance.

Regardless of activities, the society will never lose sight of the aims of the organization as set forth in 1958 when it was founded: "To create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote worthy leadership, to encourage the development of character."



Vivian Follick  
Sue Forster  
Christine Franzen  
Marcia Fultz  
Cheryl Gray



Deborah Clothier  
Nancy Cunningham  
Kurt Dewhurst  
Marion Doone  
Bill Enoch



Mary Langdon  
Lois Lynn Leber  
Cheryl Lecznar  
Pamela Lennox  
Marcia Liedel



# Senior Inductees Discuss Future Plans



Don Bristol, shown here surveying the court, is one of the THS lettermen being inducted into the Honor Society. Co-captain and star of the cross country team, Don plans to continue his athletic activities throughout his college career. He is thinking of entering the teaching profession after attending Western Michigan.



Three more inductees taking advantage of pleasant fall weather in Thurston's courts are Diana Stewart, Hedy Gustafson, and Kris Haaxma. Diana, a top commercial arts student, plans to go right into secretarial work after her graduation from Thurston in June. Hedy, although not absolutely sure of her future career, will enter the liberal arts college of Michigan State in the fall. Kris, also planning to attend Michigan State, is looking forward to special education of retarded children. Both are former THS cheerleaders.



Seniors Linda Smith and Mary Herrmann are pictured beside Thurston's Eagle. Both Linda and Mary believe they will enter the teaching profession. Linda will pursue her career at Wayne State, while Mary has yet to make a choice between Eastern or Western Michigan.



Senior inductees Sue Hopkinson, Sue Dean, and Mary Slessor take time from their activities to discuss future plans. Both Sues hope to attend Central Michigan University and major in languages and elementary education respectively. Mary plans to major in English at Wayne State University.