

1981 Homecoming Highlights

by Camay Amy Schultz

This year's Homecoming festivities arrived once again with its usual anticipation and excitement. The week of Homecoming came with many new ideas and daily activities.

The week opened up with Monday being clash day. A vast array of colors and dress combinations could be seen throughout the campus. The students deviated from the typical dress code as much as they could.

The volleyball team played against St. Paul Bible College on Monday night at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday was hat day, and a kaleidoscope of hats appeared everywhere. Unique hats of every kind and variety were visible. In addition to hat day, it was also silence is golden day. For most girls it was a test of internal strength. Every girl received a ribbon to place on her wrist, and if she spoke to any male at all, the guy got her ribbon. Many guys could be seen with an ample supply of ribbons throughout the day. Some have suggested a variation to this activity for next year; to have the guys not talk to the girls.

The soccer team played against Pillsbury on Tuesday afternoon at 3:00, losing to them, 4-2.

Wednesday came with great await. Not only was it dress formal day, but Wednesday night was coronation. This year's Royalty were: Freshman- Betsy Ahart, Tim Runtsch; Sophomores- Deanna Zimmerman, John Richter; Juniors- Emily Kitzman, Mark Spitzack; Seniors- Missy Dykes, Jim Kroonblawd, Nancy Hillmer, Joel Schuessler, Becky Mickelson, Mark Schultz, Jackie Tan, and Glenn Shelton. Crown bearers for the Royalty were Vickie Minks and Jennifer Moje. Master of Ceremonies for the evening was Jeff Walther. Who would be the new 1981 King and Queen? The Royalty and audience were both kept in suspense for a bit, while entertainment was provided by the Andrew Sisters (Kris Johnson, Linda Sund and Rachel Krause), a comedy act performed by Mary Armbrecht and Amy Wuttke, a singing trio by Diane Engen, Myrna Hall, and Emily Kitzman who sang, "Top of the World," and ending the night's entertainment was Tim Bode and Paul Hillmer who sang two Dan Fogelberg selections entitled "Sea and Foam" and "Longer."

The audience sat on the edge of their seats as Jeff Walther announced the 1981 Queen Jackie Tan, and King Glenn Shelton. The Reverend Karl Petzke and Mrs. Ruth Fry, 1950 Homecoming Royalty, crowned the new King and Queen.



Homecoming Coronation, Wednesday night, Master of Ceremonies was Jeff Walther.

Thursday was Spirit Day, with many of the players opening their mailboxes finding a kiss that was sent to them. A pepfest was held in the gym that evening for all the teams. The volleyball team played against Macalester at 6:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Friday was C.S.P. shirt day with many students wearing their favorite Concordia Shirt. In the evening, a pizza party was held in the dining hall.

Saturday came with Concordia winning the football game over the Maranatha Crusaders by a score of 23 to 15. The half-time activities included a routine of the Drill Team, recognition of some of Concordia's Alumni from previous years, and also of this year's Royalty. Through a down-pour of freezing rain, the football game and half-time activities went on as planned. The evening was topped with a dance put on by the "4 Wheel Drive" in the gym.

The conclusion to the week's Homecoming festivities ended with a communion service held in the chapel Sunday morning.

Homecoming is over again for another year. Let's remember Michelle Fry and the Homecoming Committee for all the work they put into the week's festivities, making it a great success!

The annual CSP fall career day will be held November 2. This is the time when high school students will be able to get a taste of a day at Concordia. Student coordinators are Lynn Karolus and Carl Trovall.

If anyone has special interesting information on students they would like to see in the paper contact Carol Sieling. (Subject to discretion of the editor.)

WHAT'S NEW?

by Carol Sieling

Tracy Alan Beaver, of 143 Arch Street, Amery, WI, flew to Oslo, Norway, on September 7. A junior at Concordia College in St. Paul, MN, Tracy joined seventeen other American college students in an urban studies program sponsored by the Higher Education Consortium for Urban Affairs, St. Paul, MN.

The students and their faculty leaders will travel within Norway and to Denmark, Sweden and Finland during the fall term. Their academic program, based at the University of Oslo, examines the Scandinavian approach to urban planning, with special emphasis on Norwegian culture, life and language. Tracy and fellow participants will receive academic credit for their work abroad when they return to their home campuses in January.

Fellowship Council arranged for the opportunity for Big, Little, and Twin sisses to join in food and fellowship on September 16. Both new and old members of the Concordia family were treated to a picnic at the Student Union. Supper was followed by a short devotion.

On September 24 at 7:30 p.m. Concordia College was the location of an unusual sort of piano recital performed by one of our own faculty members and a guest artist. The difference in this recital was that it was with "one piano, four hands."

Carlene Helmkamp Rudnick and her sister Ruth Helmkamp Walker delighted an audience of about 150 people with a selection of piano duets that included Mozart, Barber, Ravel and Poulenc. A reception followed in the guest house.