BASIC HIGH SCHOOL LOBO NEWS


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# OFFICERS ELECTED 

## GRADUATION EVENTS

Tonight the Senior Ball commences the graduation activities. Baccalaureate Services on Sunday May 22, A.A.U.W. Tea on May 24, and Graduation on May 26 follow.

The senior class presented the play, The Visitor, May 6.

The arrangements for the Senior Ball were handled by Ismael Garcia The decoration theme will be a secret until 8 p.m. tonight. Refreshments will be served by the Senior Mothers.

Baccalaureate Services will be held on Sunday, May 22 at 4 p.m. at the Victory Theatre. Father Moran will deliver the sermon. The Basic Girls' Glee Club and Mixed Chorus will sing several selections. A buffet supper served at the Townsite Lounge by the Senior Mothers will follow the Services.

The A.A.U.W. will give the senior girls a tea on May 24 at the Townsite Lounge from 3 to 5 in the afternoon.

May 26 marks the night of Graduation for thirty-four seniors. Professor Hall Hadly, instructor of International Relations at the University of Southern California, will address the audience and class.

Barbara Hendrickson will deliver the Valedictory Address and Roberta Hamblin, the Salutatory Address.

Mr . Church will announce the college scholarships, Mr. Heher will present the diplomas, and Mr . Burkholder will give special awards.

The High School Band and The Girls' Glee Club will furnish the musical entertainment for the Commencement Exercises.

R. Hamblin
B. Hendrickson

## TOP HONORS

Barbara Hendrickson's rating of 128 points makes her the valedictorian. Roberta Hamblin's rating of 101.75 warrants her to be the salutatorian of the 1949 graduating class.

Barbara started at Basic in the fifth grade. She hopes to enter college in the fall to major in medicine.

Roberta started school in the sixth grade at Basic. She expects to enter the Bell Memorial Hospital in Kansas City in September.

Both girls will offer appropriate speeches at Commencement.

## OLD TIMERS

Checking through the records of the senior class, we found that this will be the first senior class to graduate who attended here as far back as the fifth grade. These students were graduated together from the eighth grade and have gone through school together: Barbara Hendrickson, fifth grade; Roberta Hamblin, Doris Klinger, Thelma Mabie, Robert Park, Billie Moine, Millie Rodriquez, sixth grade; Cynthia Jones, Ismael Garcia, Chuck Hansen, Bobbie Jean Cummins, Verna Welsh, David Wilson, Mary Lou Kramer, seventh grade.

These students have completed their school years together with much work and fun.

## ANDERSON TO LEAD STUDENT

BODY 1949-50
In a close race, Jimmy Anderson defeated Chuck Galloway for the presidency of the Basic High School Student Body.

Don Doughty, a sophomore, edged out George Rostine, another sophomore for vice-president.

Jody Galloway, frosh, defeated Joan Miller for secretary.

Herbie Heher, junior, pushed out Mary Swift, another junior, for treasurer.

Jimny Anderson, a junior, lettered in football during the 19481949 football season.

Anderson owes his successful election to his campaign manager, Chad Combs.

## COMING YEAR

The Basic High School calendar for 1949-1950 is as follows:

September 6--registration and beginning of classes

November 24, 25--Thanksgiving and Academic Holiday

December 19-30--Christmas, New Year, and Academic Holiday.

January 23--beginning of second semester

April 7-Good Friday--Academic Holiday

May 21--Baccalaureate
May 25-High School Commencement

May 26-end of school year.
This entire calendar is subject to change.

## GIRLS' STATE

June Davis, Lucile Haynes, Joan Miller, and Marcia Malcolm were selected by the faculty and junior class to attend Girls' State. This event will be held in Reno the week of June 19-25.

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Within a week, the class of ' 49 will belong to Basic history. In reviewing the achievements of this group, anyone might consider their graduation to create vacancies difficult to fill. However, every year at this time, all schools take this same attitude as they graduate their seniors.

Nevertheless next year the gaps will close inconspicuousiy; the present underclassmen will assume their responsibilities. The Class of ' 53 will enter our school. School iife will proceed normally.

## Farewell, Seniors! Welcome, Future Freshmen!

No instrument or organization contributes more toward the development of the Esperit de Corps of a student body than a good school newspaper. The Lobo News, published through the combined efforts of the high and grammar school journalism departments has attained a standard of mechanical composition, vitality and general interest of content unexcelled in the history of our school. In face, few schools of comparable size in the nation can boast of superiority in this department to our own Lobo News.

This perfection reflects the work, care, interest, attention to detail, financing and the many other items of effort necessary to the publication of a top flight newspaper that the staff has been willing to put forth all year to bring to us a newspaper of this standard.

To the staff and faculty director of the Lobo News is extended the appreciation of the faculty and student body of Basic High School for a job well done.

## Exchanges

Fat Thompson reigned as queen of the Las Vegas Junior Prom on April 23. Her attendents were Elsa Kurtz and Betty Denscore. The queen was crowned by Lynn Horner, queen of the Junior Prom last year.

John David Lewis, of Moapa Valley High School, won the International Netshot Music Foundation Award for his outstanding composition, "Death at Midnight in a Florist Shop." It is a tone poem about a beautiful young girl who gets lost in a subway terminal

In Blythe, Birdie Waren won the essay contest sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The first prize was $\$ 25.00$. Nancy Overvide took second place, and Sadie White was third.
L. W. Burkholder

## EXCHANGE ASSEMBLY

Boulder City presented an exchange assembly to the Basic High student body on Wednesday, May L.

Lenord Davies, Boulder City's student body president. acted as master of ceremonies.

THANKS
The Lobo News Staff wishes to thank Mr. Church, Mr. Burkholder, Mrs. Warner and our advertisers for their cooperation in publishing the paper.

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## G.A.A. AWARDS

Mrs. Carpenter,G.A.A. advisor, has announced the names of the girls who will receive awards this year. Only two girls will receive four-year awards, numeral guards for their pins. They are Barbara Brown and Bobbie Jean Cummins.

Three-year awards will be given to: Wilma Gandrud, Mary Swift, Shirley Swift, Doris Klinger, Pat Bordwell, Barbara Ludwig, Barbara Hendrickson, Betty Ostrander, Joan Miller, Lucile Haynes, Evelyn Hansen, Norma Weber, Marcia Malcolm, Yvonne Clepper,Dora Godwin, Billie Bayne and Sally Rufe.

The girls who will receive aweaters
Jardean Bancroft, Jeanne Paulson, Evelyn Bowser, Merle Bracken, Jo Ann Schwartz, Janette Gillett, Wilma Gillett, Katherine Corsn Billie Gaither, Malinda Hall, Janice Hall, Janet VanValey, Betty Riggins, Sherry Hostetler, Betty Heitbrink, Beverly McGough, and Janet Savalli.

The girls lettering for the first time, who will be awarded letters are: Martha Bientendorf, June Barton, Carrol Davidson, Ema Cannon, Mary Ostrander, Ramona Pipes, Jody Galloway, Faye Mann, DeVee Nichols, Barbara Oncken, Jane Hemington, Sue Jones, Patsy Crandy, Patsy Rust,Bonnie Yeager, and Phyllis Wilkinson.

## REMEMBER WHEN

hy the RAT
Pat Whitehead was bashful plus?
Bob Ybarra and Billie Bayne, when they had eyes only for each other?

Pat Bordwell when she went with Robert Park?

Mary Lou Kramer first went with George Marcy? (Who can remember that far back?)

## LOBO STAFF



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BASIC HIGH SCHOOL DOORS CLOSE FOR ANOTHER YEAR


WHAT COURSE WOULD YOU LIKE TO HAVE TAUGHT AT BASIC HIGH SCHOOL?

Bob Mackie: Driving lessons and Future Farmers of America.
Bill Close: Local civic government and state history.
Mr. Gammenthaler: A class of music appreciation so that we can better understand music.
Nancy Otero: Dramatics.
Gail Chase: Install a swimming pool and have swimming classes.
Allen Cureton: Auto mechanics.
Pauline Wachter: Jet aeronautics.
Jean Slavin: Skiing (even if it is impossible.)
Ruth Clancy: French.
Barbara Hall: Commercial art in plastic jewelry.
Lucile Haynes: Swimming and advanced art.
Peggy Jeffries: Horseback riding through the hills.
Bobbie Jean Cummins: Ballet and hockey.
"Your husband has a new suit."
"No, he hasn't."
"Well, something's different."
"It's a new husband."

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## Wolf Howls

Mary Ostrander caught Allen Cureton Sadie Hawkins Day and they went to the dance together, but Bob Dunning of Boulder City took her home. Could it be someone is a poor sport?

Aruan Leaney can't seem to make up his mind who he wants. Come, Aruan, is it Jeanette or Myrna?

David R., we just want to remind you to put that doilie back. Although it did look good on your hand, too.

Bob Lutey and Janette Long are quite the couple. Why not go steady, kids?

Carol Koch and Clyde Echols surely look nice. That sweater really fits, doesn't it, Carol?
"Grandpa, did you once have hair like snow?"
"Yes, my boy."
"Well, who shoveled it off?"

WANTED
A black convertible and what goes with it by Mr. Ott.

A man-just any old man by Betty Ostrander.

To graduate by the senior class.

A ope to tie Bob with by Nona Sue Jones.

To pass English IV by Billie Moine.

A girl all to myself by Melvin Bailey.

Money to go to college by Ismael Garcia.

School to be out by Herb Heher.
A sophomore by Doris Klinger.
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## LETTERMAN

During the award assembly on Thursday, May 19, twenty-six members of the Letterman's Club were given their letters.

Football-Hansen, Gallowsy, Lopeman, Doughty, Sims, Bailey, Rostine, Ybarra, Williams, Rust, Morris, Anderson, Heher, Pickard, Barrilleaux, Garcia, Craft and willer. These boys made up one of Basic High's best football squads as of yet by winning six and losing five games.

Basketball-Hansen, Galloway, Doughty, Rostine, Ybarra, Sims, Bailey, Lopeman, Elliot and Park. Lack of experience resulted in a poor season.

Baseball-Hansen, Galloway, Lopeman, Doughty,Rostine, Morris, Autry, Bunch, Crunk, and Witt as manager. The Wolves took TriState Championship in this sport.

Track-Ybarra,Lopeman, Hunter, and Cureton. This year was also one of Basic's best for participation.

## TRACKSTER

"Red" Hunter, Basic's one man track team placed fourth at the State Championship Track Meet at Reno on May 14.

The mile was run in 4:50:9 and won by Mendiola of Reno High.

The state champions for 1949 were the Boulder City Eagles.

## WILDCATS BOW

The Tri-State champions, the Basic Wolves, met and defeated a strong Wildcat Lair team 19 to 8.

In the beginning of the game, the Wolves gave the Lair nine two runs, only to come back the next inning to gain four runs and never again to be threatened.

Highlights of the game were $G$. Rostines home run and D. Doughty's base stealing. Pitching honors went to R. Autry.


## TRI-STATE BASEBALL TROPHY

## TRI-STATE CHAMPS

The Basic Wolves handed the Blythe baseball nine a 15 to 5 defeat to win their first.TriState championship. The Wolves were never once threatened during the game. The Wolves banged out singles, doubles and home runs.

Galloway pitched one of his best games by striking out ten of Blythe's men. Hitting was well scattered among the Basic nine. Dave Wilson played an excellent game.

After the game, the Tri-State champions, Basic, was awarded a gold trophy which stands two feet high, toped by a gold figure of a player batting. The Wolves will hold the trophy until next year or until they lose the championship. This was Basic's second year in baseball participation.

## C.I.F. PLAYOFFS

The Tri-State champs, the Basic Wolves, were handed a 9 to 4 loss in the C.I.F. playoffs by Banning, California.

The Wolves started very strong with Rostine getting a home run on the first pitched ball; however The Banning pitcher bore down to strike out the next three Basic men. The Wolves had a shaky second inning by allowing the Banning nine to collect five runs. Basic came back with another run to bring the score to a 5 to 2 count.

The next three innings were balanced with Basic receiving two runs to Banning's four, making the final count 9 to 4 .

Basic's heavy hitters were $G$. Rostine and C. Galloway who banged out two for four. Lopeman and Autry both collected doubles. Batteries were Galloway and Bunch With Autry relieving Galloway the second inning.

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## GRADUATION NEARS

## OUR GRADUATES

The following statements issued May 20, 1949, give a record (good or otherwise) of the achievements of our graduating class:

Bruce Austin--six years at Henderson; voted nicest boy in 7th; member of high school band.

Louise Autry--pitcher on base'ball team for two years; hopes to be a secretary.

Hugh Bauman--basketball, first string; played on 8th grade softball team, right field; wants to play pro-baseball.

Lyndel Berry-class president two years; played on first five in basketball; tied for "most popular" boy in 8-A.

Don Bittle--held office or ser-geant-of-arms in both seventh and eighth grades; seventh and eighth grade judge; ambition is to be as good a history teacher as Mrs. McMillan.

Bobby Blackwell-has attended Henderson Elementary far only five months; would like to be a "real man."

Billy Bowser-on A division track team; catcher on baseball team; hopes to be a mechanic or pro-basketball player.

John Brown-was class district attorney in mock court; his vocation is to be a lawyer.

Pat Brown--vice-president of eighth grade; cheerleader; ambition is to be a court reporter.

Shirley Chaffee-cheerleader of eighth grade; plays baseball, second base; wants to be a secretary.

Tommy Chambers-was in a calisthenia drill for Coach Jones; has attended school here for four years. cont. p. 2.

## Orchids

Mr . Church as a kind and understanding director and a worthy administrator.

Mr. McCaw for his help to us throughout the time we have spent under his supervision.

Mr . Taylor for his wonderful assistance to Mr. McCaw and for his success with the students.

Miss Leer for her interesting arithmetic classes.

Mrs. McMillin for her ability to maintain peace in the classroom.

Miss Kling for her good humor during and outside of class.

Mr. Athis for all of the "bee-you-tee-ful" grades.

Mrs. Bondurant for her enjoyable classes and for Penrod.

Mrs. Burkholder for her faithful work in music and her assistance in our musical programs.

Mrs. Sturm for her excellent work as our school nurse.

Mr. Ott for his gracious cooperation to the staff of Wolf Pups.

## OTHER EVENTS

The graduating class will also be permitted to have a beach party on the 18th of May, at Vegas Wash if they wish to go there. However, the rafts and ropes will not be put out until May 20th.

The class has adopted the motto, "Not finished--just begun," and the colors, old rose and silver.


The eighth grade promotional exercises will take place on May 25,1949 , at 8 p.m. in the Basic High School Auditorium. The schedule starts out with the Processional March, "ReligiousGounod," played by Mrs. Miriam Burkholder at the piano, and Mrs. Marilyn Greenfield at the violin. The Pledge of Allegience will be led by Jim Potts followed by the Invocation by Bishop E.C. Bunker.

The entire graduating class will sign the class song, "I Would Be True," words by Howard Waltar and music by Joseph Pack. Mr. Ben M. Church will give the Introduction of Speaker following which Mr. Lyal W. Burkholder will state the "Opportunities in Secondary Education."

The eighth grade chorus will sing, "I Heard a Forest Praying," and "The Pedlar," both directed by Mrs. Miriam Burkholder. Mr. Robert T. Taylor will present the awards and then Jim Close will play "The Naltz of the Flowers" on his clarinet. Mr. Gorden Mc Caw will give the "Presentation of the Class" after which $\mathbf{M r}$. Preston C. Austin will perform the Conferring of Diplomas. Father Peter Moran will give the Benediction. The Recessional March will conclude the program.

The graduation prom will take place on Saturday, May 21 at 8 p.m. inthe

The "Swing Willies" will furnish music. Plans for the prom are being made by the room mothers, Mrs. C. E. Brown and Mrs. E. C. Riggins, who will serve the refreshments. The prom will not be formal, but the boys may bring dates if they so wish.

## Con. Prom Page One.

Lavern Chandler-was in the Christmas musical in 1948; wants to be a great singer.

Marvin Childs-will miss recess next year; wants tobe an airplane mechanic.

Richard Chandler--second short on the baseball team; hopes to be a rancher or a baseball player.

Dean Cutshaw-wants to finish his education and then join the U.S. Marines.

Leo Cutshaw-his ambition is to finish his education, then "to head for a farm in North Carolina!"

Gerald Clements-resident of Henderson for six years; third base on baseball team; hopes not to be a teacher.

Jim "I didn't do nothin'" Close-played first substitute for basketball; played on softball team two years as catcher and right field.

Allen Derochie--served as class treasurer in 1949; hopes to be a radio and television artist.

Bobby Devlin-lifed seven years in Henderson; sixth grade president.

Chuck Dill-attended Henderson Elementary for six years; sergeant of-arms in 8-B; ambition is to join U.S. Navy.

Lola Farnsworth.
Billy Joe Gibson--played left


GRADUATION
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## JEWELRY



## BASIC <br> SHOE HOSPITAL

## Fool <br> AMUSEMENT

Candy
Cigars

## field on baseball team; wants to

 be a mechanic.Dean Gillett--was Elementary School Librarian for Mrs. Bondurant; would like to be a mechanic.

Barbara Gleason-was in the Christmas musical.

Cecilia Gongales--resident of Henderson for seven years; elected "most popular" girl in eighth grade; eighth grade cheerleader; hopes to be a secretary.

Joan Greenwood-wants to be a piano player with a band.

Janie Harger--will miss everything when she graduates; she wants to be a doctor.

Walter Hoover-has attended Henderson Elementary School seven years; elected "most popular" boy of $8-B$; is president of $8-B$; he hopes to be a basketball player.

Art House--seven years at Henderson; played basketball on the first string; played half-back in football; wants to be a sailor.

Glenniss Hughes--lived seven years in Henderson; wants to become a nurse.

Carl Jepson-hopes to be a mechanical engineer.

Nellie Johnson--took part in the Christmas musical; would like to be either a nurse or a detective's secretary.

Barbara Jones-seventh grade won Curtis Salesmanship award; wants to be an interior decorator.

Joan Jones--has only attended this school one month; hopes to be a secretary.

Clara Korthuis--Exchange Editor of Wolf Pups; played short on seventh grade baseball team.



Patricia Lansing-has been here only six months, but is an excellent student; sould like to be a horse-raiser.

Doloris Luth-was in a musical program in both the seventh and eighth grades; wants to be an office girl.

Dorothy Luth-was in seventh and eighth grade musical program; ambition is to be an office girl.

Doris Mann--wants to be a secretary; will miss Mr . Athis' outlines.

Ben Marshall--has been judge of the $8-\mathrm{B}$ class; when he leaves school he plans to be an attorney.

Arthur Martinez--attended Henderson Elementary five years; he hopes to be a baker after he finishes school.

Robert McNiel-has been enrolled in this school for seven years; class librarian for one semester in the eighth.

Mickie Minor-was in Christmas musical; hopes to be a surgical nurse.
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Front Row, left to right: L. Farnsworth, M. Vincent, C. Korthius, B. Sherratt, N. Prince, H. Riggins, S. Chaffee. Row II: J. Greenwood, Sandra Smith, R. Chandler, J. Close, H. Bauman, B. Bowser, G. Clements, D. Mann, C. Gonzales. Row III: J. Pto

8-A Miss Leer, C. Yeager, A. House, B. Devlin, F. Rodriquez, G. Hughes, A. Odell, E. Walker, L. Autry. Row IV: P. Ware, L. Berry, B. Jones, B. Stitt, B. Austin, E. Morley, B. Gibson, G. Southers.


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8-B P. Brown, C. Dill, G. Weideman, D. Narren, E. Olpin, D. Cutshaw, E. Purdy, Mrs. McMillin. Row IV: A. Derochie, N. Johnson, J. Brown, B. Gleason D. Bittle, Dorothy Luth, L. Cutshaw, Dolores Luth, W. Hoover, M. Sager.
cont. from p. 2.
Edward Norely---interested in drawing and designing cars; hopes to be a mechanic.

Abigail Odell--lived in Henderson seven and a half years; class librarian in seventh grade; elected "most popular" girl in seventh grade.

Eyvonne Olpin--was in glee club Christmas musical; wants to attend college and study the art of drawing and painting.

Bill Pickard--has been in this school only eight months; will especially miss literature and Mrs. Bondurant.

Jim Potts-mlayed on first string basketball two years; has played hardball for five years; wants to be a farmer or a chemist.

Neida Prince-Editor of Wolf Pups first semester; secretary of seventh and eighth; resident of Henderson six years.

Elwood Purdy--has great hopes of heing a pilot after graduating from high school.

Cleo Rauch--captain of softball team two years; hopes to be a stenographer.

Bernice Reid--member of the physical education exibition in the seventh grade; interested in secretarial work.

Helen Riggins or "C. B." (Chatter Box)-lived in Henderson for six years; captain of the baseball team for two years; wants to be a beauty operator.

Florentine Rodriquez--resident of Henderson six years; played third base in seventh grade.

Monte Sager--will miss teachers and has not been an officer.

Mary Sanchez--vice-president of the seventh grade; secretary of the eighth grade; junior high cheerleader; "most popular" girl of $8-\mathrm{B}$.

Beverly Sherratt--first base on baseball team.

## BASIC DEPARTMENT STORE

Sandra Smith-seven and a half years at Henderson; treasurer in sixth; librarian in seventh; Editor of Wolf Pups in eighth.

Gordon Southers-Henderson, two years; on eighth grade baseball team.

Bill Stitt-rice-president of eighth; voted "most popular" boy; center on all-tournament basketball team.

Margaret Vincent-seventh grade baseball team.

Don Warren--sergeant-of-arms in the seventh grade; wants to be an automobile mechanic.

Paul Watchter-ambition is to join U.S. Forest and Park Service.

Geraldine Weideman-enrolled seven years in Henderson Elementary; was in a variety show, singing and dancing; hopes to have a dancing career.

Caryn Yeager-Assistant Editor of Wolf Fups; played third base in eighth grade.

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