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Torrejon High School

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EUGENE!



Many congratulations to Eugene Mendoza in his recent appointment to the military academy-West Point!!

NHS FALL INDUCTION

The National Honor Society tappings were held on Tuesday, November 25, from first to fourth hour. The newly inducted Seniors were Lynn Bucklin, Cristina Cartagena, Zach Kimble, Marisa Quintanilla, Vivian Rodriguez Chip Taylor, and Corina Tupper. These seven Seniors were judged in four areas-scholarship service, character, and leadership-and were found to possess positive qualities in every one.

The induction was held Wednesday, December 10, at the Base Chapel. Congratulations to all the inductees!

SENIORS

So far this year the senior class has been very busy. They've taken care of the Homecoming Dance, diplomas have been ordered, senior quotes have been quoted, and at present the

"Super Seniors" of T.H.S. are selling class pins.

For the future, the senior class plans to have a variety show, several money making dances, the Senior Trip and of course..... GRADUATION!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Christmas

Merry
THIS!

from KL

Eugene Mendoza

Lynn Bucklin

David Spurr

Sarah Meadows

Tom Robinson '82

Benjamin

Phyllis Gutterberg

Maryanne Smith

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
TO YOU, HAPPY
BIRTHDAY TO
YOU...

30 Ted Mularchyk
30 Christine Schweitzer
31 Susan Preble

Modeling

- Dec. 1 John Akerboom
 1 Walter Richards
 1 Scott Thompson
 2 Meshell Hodge
 2 Sandy Raleigh
 2 Robert Weaver
 3 Alexandra Edson
 6 Christopher Kauffman
 3 Virginia Winn
 4 Shannon Hoden
 5 Sheridan Betts
 5 Celia Lewis
 6 David Lynch
 7 William Degroot
 7 Thomas Rinehart
 7 Laura Williams
 9 Jeannie Baker
 10 David Gattis
 11 William Johnson
 11 William Lefils
 12 Noel Adorno
 12 Rigoberto Guzman
 13 Lynn Bucklin
 13 Lisa Savage
 13 Edwin Thomas
 15 John Diaz
 18 Deborah Maloney
 19 Kelly Fundeen
 19 Lynn Yount
 20 Sean Davis
 20 Maria Leonard
 21 Jeffrey Risner
 22 Carl Chase
 22 Jacqueline Chuhran
 22 Jeffery Foster
 22 Rhonda Hall
 22 Janet Indresano
 23 Francisco Gutierrez
 23 Barry Thompson
 24 Holli Alexander
 24 Wesley Fronk
 24 Lance Largent
 25 Shaun Gallivan
 25 Louis Gutierrez
 25 Eddie Norris
 25 Carlos Rice
 26 Carl Gioia
 26 Annette Mendoza
 26 James Pitsnogle
 28 Kimberly Lawson
 28 David Smith
 29 Stephanie Davis
 29 Diane Elderbaum



On nov 10, Capt. Ruffin and SMS. Salinas inspected Spain 71st. AFJROTC squadron for this year's honor unit which THS ROTC held for the past couple of years. Capt. Ruffin and SMS. Salinas are from Maxwell AFB which is the headquarters for all Air Force JROTC programs. They will be inspecting Spain, Germany and England units.

This year 80/81 Spain JROTC welcomes assistance instructor Msgt William from Colorado and we also welcome the 8th graders in the ROTC programs.

This year the Drill Team and Color Guard will have their hands full with many performances to come. Included will be the Christmas Parade Dec. 6.

Here are last year's senior cadets that were in the ROTC program or the Academy.

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| Alonso, V..... | West Point |
| Decarlo, C..... | USAF Ac. |
| Leach, C..... | NMMI |
| Mcgraw, M..... | NMMI |
| Foulke, C..... | NMMI |
| Rose, M..... | College |
| Johnson, A..... | College |
| Torres, C..... | College |
| Huber, G..... | Enlisted |
| Barajas, D..... | Enlisted |
| Harper, D..... | Enlisted |

Mystery Knights
Monica Ween (Freshman)

The T.H.S. Modeling Club has been very active this year. In October they held a very successful disco fashion show at the youth center, and in November they held another show at the O'Club which was even better.

Mrs. Donald, the sponsor and the models have worked very hard to put the shows together, and have been required to cooperate with one another a great deal this year, since they are an especially large group.

For the immediate future, the modeling students are preparing for a Christmas teacher tea. In the meantime, they will also be learning to coordinate fashion shows, as well as preparing resumes, and learning more in the areas of make-up and clothing.

**CAN YOU
IMAGINE
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Solis losing to Kenny at chess
 Espinosa without corners
 Cecil and Kenny getting along
 Tupper standing tall
 Rice with muscle
 Sutton with curls
 Henson telling a good joke
 THS?????????
 Mrs. T getting respect
 Gattis going to BYU
 Klunk All-Europe
 Daniels benching
 Nailing with a fro
 Ibanez swimming the river
 the Dorm without rules

Mrs. Muller

By Troy Albert

Now that the 8th grade has joined us at THS, many new faculty members have come with them. Mrs. Muller, whom many of us remember from our middle school years, is now here teaching 8th grade social studies and Latin American History.

Before coming to Torrejon, she taught in Heidelberg, Landstuhl, and Wurzburg, Germany. Though she had always wanted to be a teacher, Mrs. Muller admits that she has been "in the trade" longer than she had counted on. She now holds majors in both History and English, which she acquired mostly at Seattle University, where she and Mr. Gahan were classmates.

In speaking about her classes, she mentions the U.S. Constitution as the topic she enjoys teaching the most.

For Mrs. Muller, one of the most frustrating part of her job is dealing with both the students who miss class and those who waste their time. It appears to be a question of appreciating the teacher's effort.

"Understanding the segment of our parents who constantly take their kids out of school for any and every reason under the sun and then turn around and criticize the poor quality of overseas education," she finds is the hardest part of her job. Therefore, receiving an honest "thank-you" from a student or parent is the most rewarding experience.

Her suggestions for improving THS--FIRST, take out the classroom pillars. Second (get this!) begin the school day at 7:30 am and end it at 2:00 pm.

In her spare time, Mrs. Muller enjoys cooking, gardening, and travelling. When asked about her favorite restaurant, La Grillade was the answer.

And, if she wasn't teaching? Well then she'd be.....RETIRED!

FRESHMEN

We're writing to report the success of our bake sale that was held in Nov, but we still think that some of the people from the freshmen class could have brought baked goods! Only the members of the freshmen student council brought baked goods and these people were Billy Gahan, Julie Koz, Vanessa Rodriguez, Kelley Walkey, Quisaria Starkey. John Karpowich helped us, and we made thirteen dollars and fifty cents.

We would also like to give thanks to the people that helped us paint and put up the freshmen bulletin board, which were the following: Mr. Gahan, Bill Gahan, John Karpowich, Vanessa Rodriguez and Julie Koz.

We wrote a letter to Mr. Matthews asking him if THS could have a coke or candy machine on school grounds. Mr. Matthews said no because he didn't want students buying cokes or candy at every hour of the

day.

We have planned a bake sale for Tuesday, 9 December, & we hope we get more cooperation.

We are planning a dance in February.

-Freshman Student Council

MYSTERY 3 KNIGHT

This cute, brown curly headed, 5'2", 106 lb, brown eyed junior was born in Madrid, Spain on Feb. 14, 1964 (Valentines Day). This makes her a sweetheart for any guy.

She enjoys listening to "Van Halen", reading, going to the movies and to Madrid.

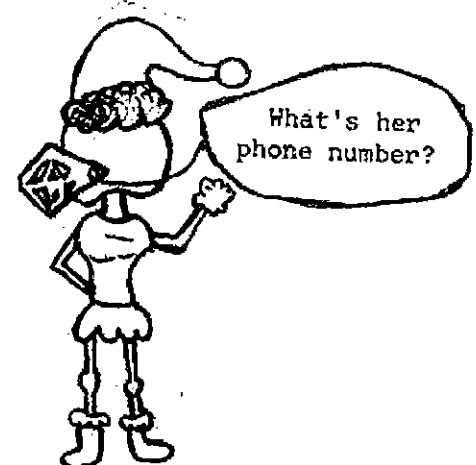
Do you want to know some of her favorites? All right, she has a list of them!

Color: Pink and Blue
Songs: "Jaime's Crying"
"Do it With Me"

Teacher: Ms. Itakura
Class: P.E.
Sport: "Chasing guys"
Food: Danish, American,
and all Spanish dishes.

This girl's ambition in life is to become a cosmetologist or a stewardess. Her opinion of THS is that all the classes repair better people, and "finer" guys; also she thinks the prices in the cafeteria are too high.

Our knight said if she could change one thing in the world it would be that everyone loved each other and NO VIOLENCE. Her three wishes are: to live a healthy life, happiness, and to be "M's" girl.



Song Dedications⁴

SONG: He's so shy
TO: Baltazar
FROM: Shannon

SONG: Thank you for
being a friend
TO: Nancy
FROM: D.H.

SONG: I'll have a blue
Christmas without you
TO: Knodle
FROM: The one and only

SONG: Take Your Time
TO: Linda
FROM: Me

SONG: Your Mama wears
Combat Boots
TO: John R.
FROM: ???

SONG: Crazy Little Thing
called Love
TO: Suzy
FROM: The night crawler

SONG: Another one bits
the dust
TO: The chess team
FROM: Solis



SONG: Call me
TO: Gigi
FROM: S.D.K.

SONG: Hit me with
your best shot
TO: Maria and Pillar
FROM: Bruce Beni

SONG: Boogie Shoes
TO: Corine
FROM: Don

SONG: My Eyes Adored You
TO: Corina T.
FROM: Your Secret Lover



SONG: Give me the nights
TO: Maria R. and Soaja V.
FROM: The Mad Samoan's

SONG: Love on the rocks
TO: Johnny N.
FROM: Rocky

SONG: Tragedy
TO: The 10th grade President
FROM: A Senior

SONG: Being close to you
(heh,heh,heh)
TO: Ginger W.
FROM: Uncle Pervey

SONG: Cupid
TO: Ana M.
FROM: He who likes you

SONG: Short people
TO: Mary
FROM: Bug Man?



SONG: Do that to me
one more time
TO: Diana
FROM: You know who

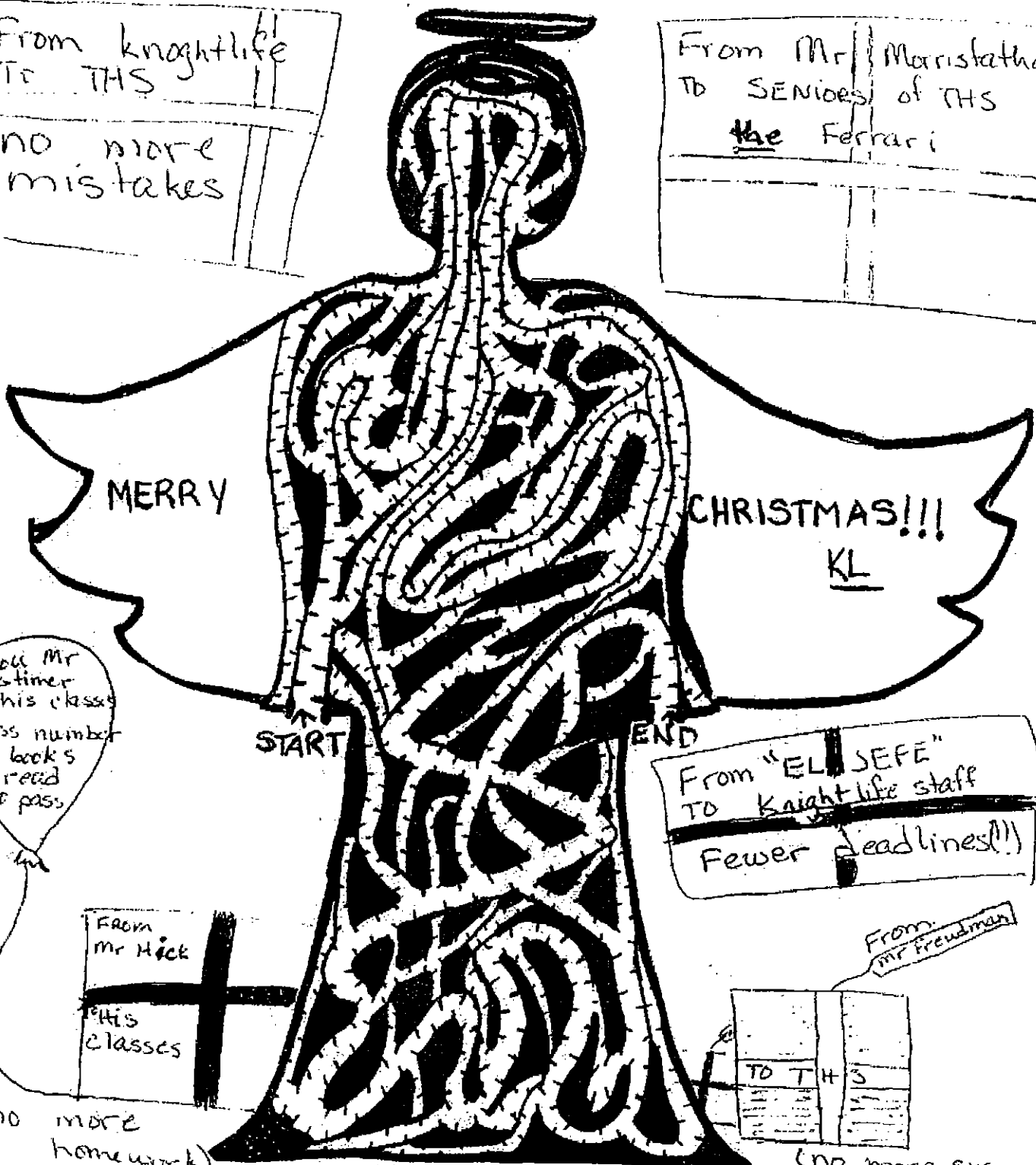
CHRISTMAS FUN!

From knightlife
To THS

no more
mistakes

From Mr. Morrister
To SENIORS of THS

the Ferrari



From Mr
Less-timer
To his classes

Less number
of books
to read
to pass

From
Mr Hick

His
classes

(no more
homework)

From "EL SEFE"
TO Knightlife staff

Fewer deadlines!!!

From
Mr Freuden

TO	THS

(no more sus-
pensions for
the rest of the
year)

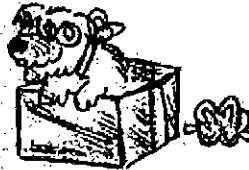
By: Lynn Bucklin

From Mr. Robinson
To wrestlers - no practices

ANGELS
 BELLS
 CANDLES
 CANDY CANE
 CARDS
 CHRISTMAS CAROLS
 CHRISTMAS TREE
 DECEMBER
 ELVES
 FIRE PLACE

FROST
 FUN
 GIFTS
 GREETINGS
 HOLLY
 HOT CHOCOLATE
 JESUS
 JOSEPH
 MANGER
 MARY

more
 christmas fun



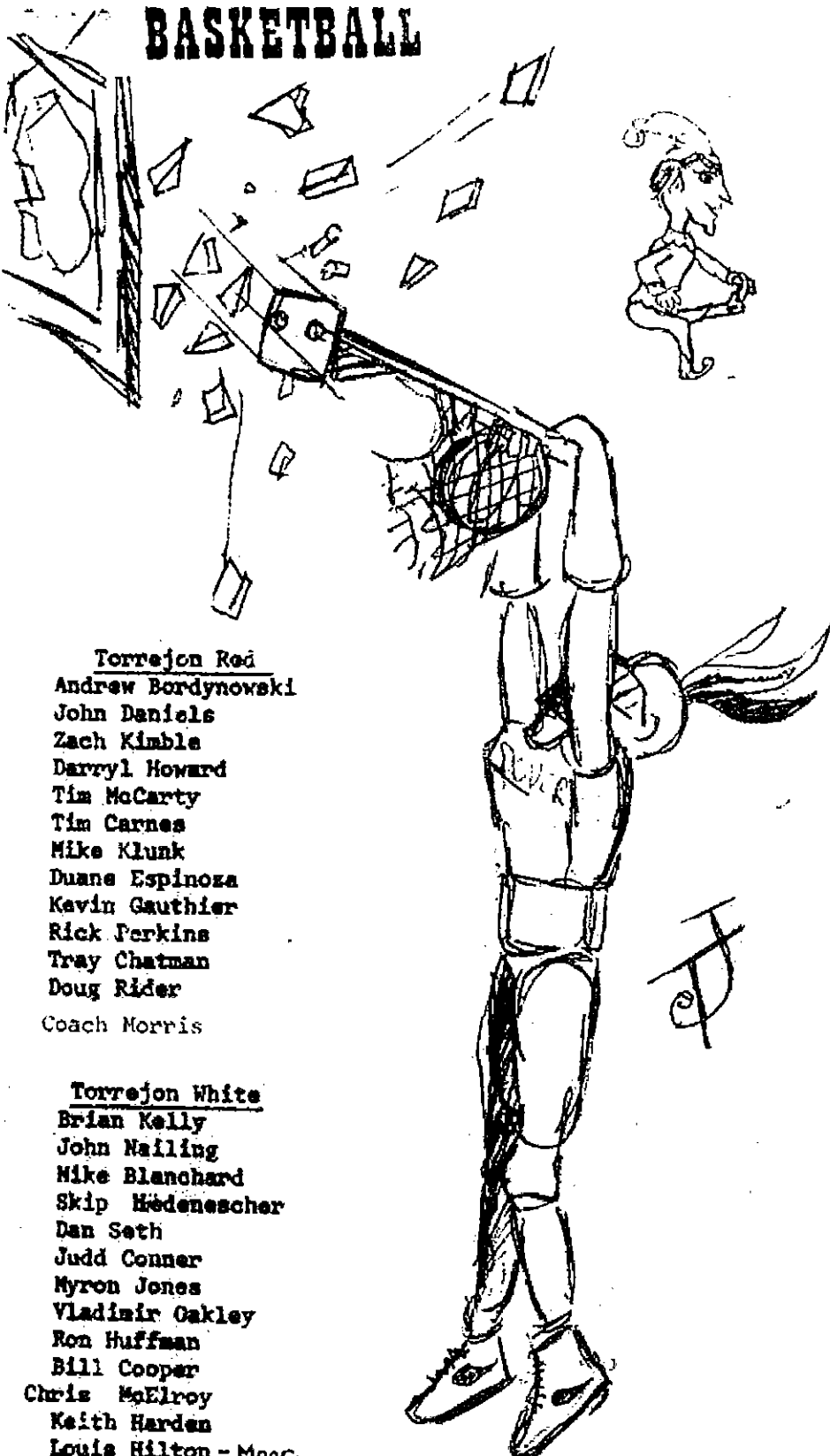
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MERRY CHRISTMAS
 MISTLETOE
 MRS CLAUSE
 NOEL
 NORTH STAR
 ORNAMENTS
 POPCORN
 PRESENTS
 PUMPKIN PIE
 RED NOSE
 REINDEER
 RIBBONS
 RUDOLPH
 SANTA CLAUSE
 SCARF
 SHEPARDS
 SNOW
 SNOWBALL FIGHTS
 SNOW FLAKES
 SNOWMAN
 STOCKINGS
 STOCKING CAP
 WINTER
 WREATH
 YULE LOG

CINDY
 LYNN
 DAVID
 SARAH
 PHYLLIS
 TAMMY
 SUSIE
 LARRY BIG "G" GAHAN
 JOSE

By: Phyllis Gutierrez

BASKETBALL



Torrejon Red

- Andrew Bordinowski
- John Daniels
- Zach Kimble
- Darryl Howard
- Tim McCarty
- Tim Carnes
- Mike Klunk
- Duane Espinoza
- Kevin Gauthier
- Rick Perkins
- Tray Chatman
- Doug Rider
- Coach Morris

Torrejon White

- Brian Kelly
- John Nailing
- Mike Blanchard
- Skip Hedenescher
- Dan Seth
- Judd Conner
- Myron Jones
- Vladimir Oakley
- Ron Huffman
- Bill Cooper
- Chris McElroy
- Keith Harden
- Louis Hilton - Mng.
- Coach Gahan

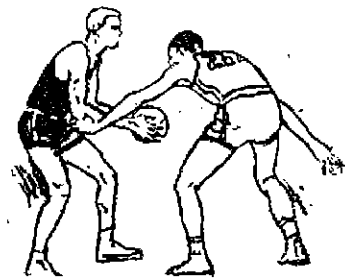
This week's mystery knight hails from the State of Alabama. She was born on April 8, 1966 in Selma, Alabama and stands 5'6", weighs 106, and has brown eyes.

Our knight is an "Almighty Aries" who enjoys basketball and football. "Personality" is what she admires in a person and dislikes slow, stuck-up people. She's lived in Spain only three months and feels it could be better. Given the chance, she would change the food and certain People's personalities here in THS. Her friends are the best thing about THS.

When she's in a depressed mood, she enjoys the company of others; however, she does like time to herself. She hates to be embarrassed by "friends" who yell, "There's the one you like", and the boy is standing right there.

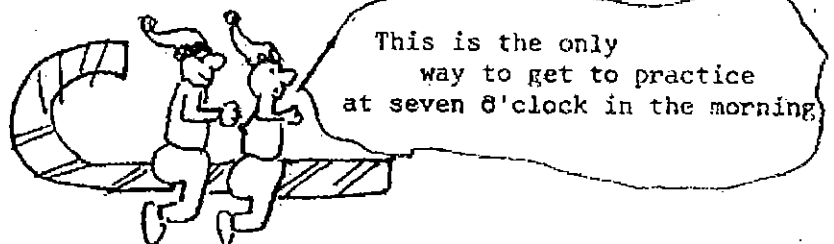
If she were sent to Mr. Friedman's office, she, being curious, would ask, "Why?"

After high school, she's determined to become a successful high fashion model. Our mystery knight has one important ingredient-confidence. She says, "I'm gonna make it to the top."



BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

- Jan. 16-17 All at Rota
- Jan. 30-31 All at Tab
- Feb. 6-7 All at Zab
- Feb. 20-21 All at Zab (Reg.)



This is the only way to get to practice at seven o'clock in the morning

CINDY'S CORNER

A new year, a new season, and a new team. This year's Red Wrestling Team is off to a good start with ten returnees and ten newcomers. I observed a couple of practices after school and I think everyone on both Red and Green teams look enthusiastic and promising.

Dr. O'Neil, coach for the Red Team, commented that Matt McCullough and Judd Conner look really good and he feels that they may make champions. He also stated that Ray Frank, Ron Huffman, Craig McCurdy, Joel Champion, Richard Ernst, and Jon O'Neil were performing very well.

By the time this edition of KL comes out, our wrestling teams will have already returned from ZAB where the wrestling regionals were held. Here is a list of the complete Red Team with (Ret.) marked next to all returnees, and (Trav.) next to all the wrestlers that traveled to Rota.

Ray Frank (Trav)
Dave Pensyl
Ron Huffman (Ret, Trav)
Matt McCullough (Trav)
Jimmy Gordon (Trav)
Ed Morris (Ret, Trav)
Craig McCurdy (Trav)
Pierre Vejar (Ret)
John Baker
Joel Champion (Ret, Trav)
Richard Ernst (Ret, Trav)
David Gutierrez (Ret, Trav)
Brian Hoden (Trav)
Jeff McCullough (Ret, Trav)
Arne Oittinen (Ret, Trav)
Jon O'Neil (Ret, Trav)
Judd Conner (Trav)

Some of the wrestlers that I have marked for travelling were unfortunately unable to do so due to personal matters;

alternates were sent in their place, and they are doing their very best for their team.

TAMMY'S TIPS

by Tammy Cromartie
Wrestling is in and the Green Team is gonna win! Or so it appears. There are a lot of fine wrestlers some returnees and some new talent.

Champion returnees are: Robert Franco, Bubba Franco, David Lamb, Doug Varner. Other returnees are: Ken Steveson, Carlos Casteel, Tony Rodriguez, Duane Espinoza, and Brad Robinson. Some of the new faces on the team are: John Gibson, Ron Lowitz, Bill Gahan, Bryan Taylor, Rick Perkins, Jimmy Davis, John Wedig, Joe Sullivan, and Roy Shelton.

Coach Robinson thinks all of the guys who were champs last year will be champs again this year and newcomer Roy Shelton and returnee Ken Steveson show lots of promise.

I think all the guys seem to be in pretty good shape

and Duane Espinoza, Joe Sullivan, Ken Steveson, and Jimmy Davis all show signs of being tough competitors. The green team should give everyone else a rough time.

So the other teams better watch out for the body slams and pinfalls because they're ready. The Green Team is prepared to take it all.

8 WRESTLING

On the 5th and 6th of December Wrestlers from Rota and Zab came to Torrejon to challenge the Red and Green teams. Well as I said before the Green team is out to pin and win, the team did an excellent job of wrestling. They were great sportsmen. Here are the results of the Green team: Ron Lowitz lost to Ray Frank and Mike Burns Robert Franco def. Ronnie Huffman and Jeff Scott (R) Bubba Franco lost to Matt McCullough but def. Dino Lucero (Z) David Lamb def. Jimmy Gordon and J.J. Guajardo (Z) Joel Champion def. Carlos Castilla but lost to Roger White (Z) Doug Varner lost by default to Richard Ernest.

John Gibson lost to Brian Hoden but def. Emilio Chaviano (Z) Tony Rodriguez lost to Judd Conners and won one. Duane Espinoza def. Jeff McCullough and Pat Cummings (Z) Joe Sullivan lost to Arnie Oittinen but won one too! John Wedig lost to Jon O'Neil and won one Ken Steveson lost to Tony Richards (Z)

In exhibition matches Jimmy Davis def. Carlos Toth (Z) and lost to Rota. Craig McCurdy lost to ZAB and Dave Pensyl lost to Rota. Coach Robinson should be proud because the Green Team is in excellent shape and they sure showed it to all those who came to see the matches!

Two people in Mr. Mortimer's sociology class have found out that their favorite subject is ALGEBRA.