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Commencement To Mark End of Another Year

Commencement activities will highlight the end of the 90th Corps of Cadets during the weekend of May 18-21.

Activities will start at 7 p.m., Thursday, May 18, when the Drama and Vocal Music departments will have a "First Nighter" at the Salina Community Theater. The Drama Department will present "The Odd Club", directed by Mrs. Carolyn Scofield and the music groups will give "You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown", directed by Mrs. Nedra Hough.

The same presentations will be made again at 7 p.m., Friday, May 19, for parents and friends, again at the Community Theater.

A hospitality hour for adults, parents, alumni and friends has been scheduled to start at 9 p.m. at the Hilton Inn. Cadets will have the evening free until passes end at 12:30 a.m.

The SJMS Foundation board will hold a meeting following an 8 a.m. breakfast, Saturday, May 20, in Nichols Dining Hall.

Parents may visit with members of the teaching and military staffs from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Saturday, May 20. Appointments are not necessary as the teachers will be available in their classrooms. Lt. Col. Kenneth Faerber, Academic Dean, said that should parents miss seeing them at that time, all teachers will be available at the various activities during the weekend and will be happy to visit with parents informally or in the classrooms at a mutually convenient time.

The SJMS Foundation will hold its bi-annual meeting following the 12 noon luncheon at the Salina Hilton Inn.

Military Field Day is set to begin at 2 p.m. on Perkins Field. Company, platoon and individual drill competition will be held at that time.

Cadets are free to go with their parents following field day until 6:30 p.m.

The St. John's Foundation Bazaar will begin at 6:30 p.m., Saturday, May 20 in the lobby of Memorial Hall, Ninth and

Foundation To Meet

The bi-annual meeting of the St. John's Foundation will follow at 12 noon luncheon, Saturday, May 20 at the Hilton Inn.

The meeting is open to all patrons and friends of the School.

Projects of the Foundation will be discussed.

Adjournment will allow ample time to return to the school campus for Military Field Day activities beginning at 2 p.m. on Perkins Field.

Ash streets. Mrs. Lena Baldridge, School nurse, is the chairman and reports that many fine donations have been received.

Cadets Depart

The 90th Corps of Cadets will form in the SJMS Formation area for departure to Memorial Hall at 7 p.m.

The Honors Convocations will begin at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, May 20 in Memorial Hall. Entertaining will be the "Smoky Hill River Gang" to be followed by the SJMS Foundation auction.

The Crack Squad, commanded by Gary Santillanes, will give its final performance of the year. Near the end of the drill the new Crack Squad commander and the new Color Guard Commander for 1978-79 will be named.

The dance honoring the seniors will follow. The dance will end at 11:30 p.m. with passes ending at 1 a.m., Sunday, May 21.

Activities on Sunday, May 21, will begin with a Celebration of Holy Communion honoring the seniors at 7:30 a.m. in Armstrong Chapel.

The Senior Breakfast for Cadets and faculty and staff, only, will follow the service at 8:30 a.m. in Nichols Hall.

The First Infantry Band from Ft. Riley will play a concert beginning at 9:30 a.m. on Perkins Field.

Commencement ceremonies will begin with the processional by the 90th Corps at 10 a.m. again on Perkins Field. The invocation will be given by the Rev. Loyd Holifield, Chaplain, to be followed by "The National Anthem." Lt. Col. Paul H. Kellogg, Vice president for Development, will give "The American's Creed".

Old Boy To Speak

The Commencement address will be given by James F. Fraker, Class of 1958, Dallas, Texas.

Presentations to be made will include the diplomas, Gordon prize, the Hardy Sabre and the Brigadier Madallions.

Following the retreat parade with "The National Anthem", "Auld Lang Syne" and "Taps" the 90th Corps will be dismissed forever.

Vocal Groups to Sing

The Boys Glee and General Music classes will sing for the Senior Chapel Service, Sunday, May 21, in Armstrong Memorial Chapel. The song, "A Senior's Farewell", was written by David Clothier, Class of 1975.



James Fraker

'58 Grad To Speak To Seniors

A graduate of the Class of 1958, James Fraker, a member of Professional Management Consultants, Dallas, Texas, will be the Commencement speaker for the 90th Corps of Cadets.

After graduating from SJMS, Fraker attended the University of Colorado where he earned a B.A. in Psychology with emphasis on management. He has been employed by Systematic Achievement Corporation, Monex International, Provident Mutual Life Insurance and Bernard Haldane Associates.

He is a member of the Professional Salesman's Association and is a past member of the California State Psychology Association.

The objective of the management groups, he said, "is to develop, implement and supervise practical programs to identify and improve an individual's potential and abilities."

Fraker has conducted 24-hour executive development seminars for organizations such as American Hospital Supply and Southern California Gas. He had addressed nations conventions on subjects such as motivation, communication and sales and sales management. He has trained over 400 sales people in the principles of effective communications, time management and goal setting.

In addition to these activities, Fraker has conducted parent workshops and lectures based on Dr. Thomas Gordon's "Parent Effectiveness Training".

His experiences include those of a registered commodity broker and a life insurance agent.

Eighth Graders To Visit

Eighth grade Cadets in the Lower school will be visiting classes in the Upper School for one day before the end of the school year. The Cadets will have an opportunity to visit with the instructors who will be their teachers next year.

COMMENCEMENT SCHEDULE

First Nighter	7 p.m., Thurs., May 18	Salina Community Theater
Curtain Call	7 p.m., Fri., May 19	
Foundation Hospitality	9 p.m., Fri., May 19	
Passes End	12:30 a.m., Sat. May 20	
Parent-Teacher conferences	9 a.m.-12 noon, Sat., May 20	
Foundation luncheon	12 noon, Sat., May 20	Hilton Inn
Military Field Day	2 p.m., Sat., May 20	Perkins Field
Bazaar	6:30 p.m., Sat., May 20	Memorial Hall
Honors Convocation	7:30 p.m., Sat., May 20	Memorial Hall
Passes End	1 a.m., Sun., May 21	
Senior Communion Service	7:30 a.m., Sun., May 21	Armstrong Chapel
Senior Breakfast	8:30 a.m., Sun., May 21	Nichols Hall
Band Concert	9:30 a.m., Sun., May 21	Perkins Field
Commencement	10 a.m., Sun., May 21	Perkins Field

Graduation Candidates Listed

The candidates for graduation from St. John's Military School during Commencement ceremonies, May 21, have been announced by Lt. Col. Kenneth C. Faerber, Academic Dean.

They are John Berrey, Tim Cejka, Tim Cook, Rick Copeland, Steve Cowart, Phil Crouch, Jamie Cutsforth, Mike Davis, Howard Foster, Phil Frazier, Scott Furlong, Malcolm Gillespie, Jim Griesbach, Larry Gross, David Hudkins, Steve Lauber, Jerry Mischel, Tony Nelson, Gary Santillanes, David Schaaf, Carl Severson, Mark Shadowen, Dan Siburg, Eric Sornson, Rick Stitt, Jim Vagtborg, David Villasmil and Denys Yeager.

I. Snider Wins Third In District

Ian Snider placed third in the district competition of the Voice of Democracy contest sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Snider had won first the local competition to advance to the district.

He received a \$50 scholarship to the college of his choice and a medal. The topic this year was "My Responsibilities to America."

The text of his oration was published in one of the past issues of "The Skirmisher".

Commencement Rules Listed

Cadets are reminded of various policies and rules that will be in effect during Commencement weekend according to Lt. Col. James Rose, Commandant/Senior Army Instructor.

No Cadets will be excused to return home before the final dismissal of the 90th Corps at approximately 11 a.m. Sunday, May 21. Cadets will not be allowed to remain over night with parents during the period, May 18-20.

Parents not planning to attend Commencement activities are asked to make arrangements for transportation home for their Cadets. All departures should be scheduled after 11:30 a.m., May 21.

Only senior Cadets may drive automobiles during Commencement weekend without an adult accompanying them, providing the car is owned by the parents.

Cadets will be required to eat lunch on the campus, Saturday noon, May 20. They will also be required to attend the Honors Convocation and other events, Saturday evening, May 20.

Col. Rose stressed one final point that no post graduation parties are endorsed or approved by the School. Actions of Cadets after leaving the campus Commencement Day must be the responsibility of the parents.

Senior Scholarship Named

The Seniors from the Class of 1978 have chosen to name a scholarship fund "In honor of the Class of 1978 and in memory of Cadet Jeffery Peacher, Class of 1978; Roberto Colon, Class of 1977 and Sgt/Maj. Eugene R. Louis, SJMS Bandmaster".

Circulars Available

The 1978-79 Circular of Information regarding tuition costs and featuring pictures of members of the faculty and staff is now available to interested persons.

West Point Cadet Commends SJMS

(Editor's Note: The following letter was written to Lt. Col. Paul Kellogg by John Livingston, Class of '77 and Battalion Commander of the 89th Corps, and now a first year Cadet at the United States Military Academy, West Point)

"So far I have done pretty well this year. I am in the upper third of my class in academics and my leadership is rated even higher. I feel, also, that my grades will go up even more as I progress into courses that are more science oriented next year. On the basis of my progress, so far, I would have to say that my St. John's education provided me a good broad base . . . most of those ahead of me in grades have already been to college prior to coming here."

"I hope to be able to contact you sometime this summer. I will probably be at home about June 12 to the beginning of July. I would also be honored, if you see fit, to help out with the recruiting for the School during this period. I would be more than glad to appear with you in my uniform to help with a slide show and/or answer any questions about Cadet life from the point of view of a former Cadet. I'll do everything I can to help because I am a strong believer in St. John's. There are many things that I now am only coming to appreciate about St. John's which I was blind to while there."

"Please convey my regards to everyone back there, especially the class of 1978, and be advised that you have one graduate who is darned proud to have been associated with St. John's Military School."

(Postscript: Last year the editor of the Skirmisher had asked John to write something about his six years at SJMS before graduating. But due to his busy, busy schedule, the article never was written. We think this expresses his feelings adequately after a year in the "outside world.")

THINKING CAN MAKE IT SO

Stop!

Stop right here and think of this one thing: Your left ear itches. Think on it some more: Your left ear itches . . . Can you feel that tingling on your left ear?

But don't scratch your left ear. Not yet. Just think — think hard, harder still — your left ear itches . . .

No . . . don't stop reading or thinking. Don't even look away from the printing on this page.

Think!

Your left ear itches . . .

Maybe a small fly is crawling up the side of your left ear? Or is it a little feather that landed just inside that makes your left ear tickle? Could be just a speck of gritty dust rolling gently into your left ear.

Whatever it is, your left ear itches . . .

Keep thinking it itches . . . think it itches . . . itchy itches . . . scratchy itches . . . you *know* it itches . . .

Now, scratch it and forget about the whole itchy mess.

But an important principle remains: Thinking has made it itch, has made some fiction a fact.

Physicians, still ignorant of so many human ailments, recognized long ago that if a human believed he or she had a certain ailment, the symptoms of that ailment would appear.

And so the placebo was invented—a sugar coated pill containing nothing. But it was a pill, prescribed by a trusted professional. Soon the patient's symptoms would vanish. The itching would be gone.

Men of science still do not understand fully the relationship between the mental — "I think it itches" to the physical fact — "It actually itches because some foreign substance is making it itch."

This problem of "thinking makes it so" is related to many fields.

Think now . . . Where or when or what were you considering a failure?

And how can you provide the placebo to remove the symptoms of that failure?

Think . . . You and what you do may be the best prescription to eliminate that itch of failure.

Yes, keep thinking . . .

Then, act!

Old Boys, Please Register

"Old Boys" of the School and also former friends and patrons are asked to register with the Vice President for Development during Commencement weekend, May 17-21. Registrations are also asked for the Alumni Reunion set during Memorial Day Weekend May 27-28.

The Development office is on the first floor of Vail Hall. Lt. Col. Paul H. Kellogg, VP for Development, said that courtesies and honors for returning alums are often overlooked because they haven't notified anyone that they were on campus.

Col. Kellogg reminded "old boys" of the school to attend the meeting to form an Alumni organization. The meeting will be held immediately following Commencement exercises Sunday, May 21.

Old Boy Bash Set

The "Old Boy" dinner, festivities and the Bill Meidell-produced television show will be Saturday, May 27, in Nichols Hall featuring a prime rib buffet.

Meidell, Class of '54, and Kirk Weillepp, Class of '66, will be arriving in Salina Thursday, May 25, to begin filming the TV show of the decade.

A social hour in Spencer Cadet Center will precede the dinner. "Old Boys" and their wives will be guests of veteran faculty members at a 11 a.m. brunch, Sunday, May 28, in the back yard of Col. Keith G. Duckers, president, and Mrs. Duckers.

Reservations should be forwarded to SJMS, P.O. Box 838, Salina, marked attention Hazel. Registration is \$35 per couple or \$25 single. Wives will receive the SJMS Wilton Arm-atele pewter mugs as a favor. Reunion headquarters will be the Hilton Inn.

Planning to attend are:

Charles M. Morrison, Grandview, Mo.; Bob Sterling, Ponca City, Ok.; "Biff" Frank Morrison, Jr., Whitefish, Mt.; Doug

Hazel Fonck Inducted Into State Bowling Hall

Hazel Fonck began her 36-year bowling career in 1942 and earlier this month, after countless accomplishments, she was inducted into the Kansas Bowling Hall of Fame.

Mrs. Fonck, who has worked for St. John's Military School for 41 years, was introduced to the sport in the fall of 1942 by her father, John Hughes. A month later, she went out to watch the ladies league bowl and was asked to substitute for an absent member. The woman she replaced never returned and Hazel's bowling career began in earnest.

Mrs. Fonck currently serves as Administrative Assistant to the President, Col. Keith G. Duckers. Her father was also employed by St. John's as a maintenance supervisor.

While bowling with her husband, John, an honorary S-Club member, in a major mixed league in 1951, Mrs. Fonck rolled her career high game, a 286.

She competed in her first

state tournament in 1946. Her team finished third in Class B, 14 points out of first. Mrs. Fonck rolled her first 600 series in 1947 and her highest series (655) in 1961.

The Kansas Women's Bowling Association has also benefited from her services. She was secretary for one year, second vice president for 12 years, KWBA historian for 21 years and a member of the executive board for more than 20 years. She was elected a life member in 1974.

Mrs. Fonck was a member of three Class A state tournament championship teams. She was Class A doubles champ in 1947 and repeated the feat in 1953. She finished second in Class A state singles in 1950 and was fourth in state all events in 1959.

Cadets Earn Academic Honors

Five Cadets ranked high in the Kansas State Scholarship Contest, administered by Emporia State College. Maj. Paul Sommers, Director of Guidance, said that the five received honorable mention in the State Open Class and Class AA. Honorable mentions is awarded to those scored in the top 15 percent of all who entered.

Four of the five placed within the top five in League competition.

Maj. Sommers said that the teachers, Lt. Col. V.B. Loy, Mrs. Lois Trump, Lt. Col. R.L. Guernsey and Mrs. Carolyn Scofield are to be congratulated on the knowledge of their students.

Winning first place in the league were Malcolm Gillespie, American Government, and Tony Nelson, General Business. Phil Frazier tied for fourth in general math and Jerome Mischel, placed fifth in biology.

All four plus Ian Snider in Literature earned both Class AA and State honorable mention.

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Summer Recruiting Schedule Announced

The summer schedule for SJMS personnel to visit with patrons and interested persons has been announced by Lt. Col. Paul H. Kellogg, Vice President for Development.

Col. Kellogg will be visiting the Albuquerque area May 30 to June 5. His headquarters will be the Winrock Motor Hotel, phone 299-9571. He will visit Wyoming, June 8-12, with headquarters at the Hitching Post Hotel, Cheyenne. He will return to Denver, June 13 for the remainder of the summer with visits to Grand Junction, Glenwood Spring, Pueblo, Colorado Springs and other Colorado communities. The Kellogg phone number in Colorado is 303-638-3301.

Capt. Larry Lysell will begin his summer travels with a visit to the Kansas City area May 22-26. Visits are set for Omaha, Lincoln and communities in West Nebraska during the period of June 5-16. He will return to the Kansas City area June 19-23. His Kansas City headquarters will be at the Holiday Inn, Sports

Complex, phone 816-353-5300. Capt. Lysell will be working in the North Kansas area from the Salina office during late June. Visits are set for Oklahoma and Texas, July 31 to Aug. 9.

Maj. Paul Sommers, Director of Guidance, will be meeting with counselors and principals in Wichita, May 22-26. He can be reached by interested parties through KFDI Radio, phone 316-838-9141. He will be in Tulsa and Oklahoma City from June 19-23. Visits to Southern Kansas are set for July 3-7 with a return trip to Oklahoma July 17-21.

Persons wishing to visit the school should contact Charlene Weller, Associate Counselor, or Lt. Col. James Rose, Commandant/Senior Army Instructor, who will be on campus during the summer months.

NHS Members Enjoy Outing

Members of the National Honor Society hosted the new members of the group at an all-day outing at Kanopolis Lake May 4.

Features of the day were food, horse shoes, frisbee tossing and a challenge soft ball game between teams coached by Lt. Col. Kenneth C. Faerber, Academic Dean, and Maj. Paul S. Sommers, Director of Guidance.

Members of NHS are Mike Davis, David Schaaf, Ian Snider, Eric Pederson, Charles Maxie, John Louisot, Todd Clift, Mark Bassett, Billy Joe Tarter, Dan Siburg, Jeff Turner, Jerry Mischel and Malcolm Gillespie.

New members are Michael Meyer, a junior, and Douglas Meier and Jon Skinner, sophomores.

Decathlon Held In P.E. Classes

A "decathlon" was run for three weeks in April for the fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh hour physical education classes according to Lt. Larry Mattison, Coach and Physical Ed teacher.

A decathlon consists of 10 track and field events according to Coach Mattison. Points are scored according to performance in each event.

He said the Romans started the decathlon as early as 700 B.C. to determine the best soldiers.

The 10 events in the SJMS decathlon were the 100-yard dash; shot put; long jump, 220-yard dash, discus, 120-yard hurdles, pole vault, javelin, high jump and 880-yard run.

The top 10 qualifiers among the 96 students and their points were:

1. Mark Chardi — 8250
2. Bob Watson — 6850
3. John Weatherman — 6100
4. Robin South — 6000
5. Rick Heiser — 5900
6. Greg Bowers — 5275
7. Brian Autry — 5200
8. Steve Denniston — 5150
9. Lowell Lyons — 5150
10. Pete Peralta — 5100

The Coach said the classes will be playing "ultimate" frisbee and softball for the rest of the school year.



The Way We Were

The above is a picture of Commencement ceremonies when they were held in the gym. This is a Commencement Day in the mid-50's. Look closely and you may find Gene Ely, Lt. Col. V.B. Loy and Col. R. L. Clem. Commencement ceremonies moved outdoors in the early '60's and have been rained out on one occasion.

Fresh-Soph Trackmen Take Fourth in League Event

A freshman-sophomore track meet for all schools belonging to the Eisenhower League, both the west and east divisions, was held April 28 at Blue Valley High School.

The Cadets finished third among the 16 schools belonging to the League. The meet records for the 100-yard dash and 220-yard dash are still held by Eric Pederson, now a junior Cadet.

The 440-relay team set a new meet record and placed first. Team members are Walt Gunstream, Rick Heiser, Peter Peralta and Rick Makoski. The mile relay team also placed

first with a time of 3:59.

The two-mile relay team of Craig Stewart, Robert Watson, Billy Joe Tarter and Peralta won second.

Individual winners were David Buckles, second in javelin; Mike Clift, third in javelin; John Geumple, fifth in discus; Millberg, sixth in 440-yard dash, and Heiser, fifth in 220-yard dash.

Cadets Compete In Meet At Sacred Heart

The Cadet track team competed in the Sacred Heart Invitational, April 24 on the Salina High Central Track. The team placed ninth among the ten larger schools competing in the event.

The 440-relay team and the two-mile relay team set new school records. The 440-team of Mark Chardi, Jim Severson, David Schaaf and Eric Pederson placed fourth. The two-mile team placed second. Team members are Rick Stitt, Peter Peralta, Schaaf and Jerry Mischel.

Individual winners were Severson, third in javelin; Damon Bird, third in shot put; and Jerry Mischel, second in 880-yard run.

Crack Squad in Final Drill

The Crack Squad will make its last public drill before Commencement at 1 p.m., May 19 for the American Association of Retired People. Commanded by Gary Santillanes, the drillers are Jami Cutsforth, Dan Siburg, Mark Bassett, Walter Jay, Rick Coutts, Phil Crouch, Chuck Maxie, Eric Pederson, Ken Strickland, Robin South, Steve Lauber, David Buckles, Tom Dixon, John Weatherman, Kelly Skwarok and Rick Stitt.

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Three Eagle Scouts

Jeff Rose, son of LTC James Rose, Commandant/SAI, and Mrs. Rose recently earned his Eagle Scout award. Pictured with Jeff and his dad are his two brothers, Greg and Scott, also Eagle Scouts. Only one scout out of a hundred earns the Eagle Award and it is very rare to find three Eagle Scouts in one family. Scout officials state that fewer than one tenth of one per cent of American families have three Eagle Scouts. Jeff is a sophomore at Central High School, in Salina, Greg will be a senior at the University of Kansas and Scott is a junior at Salina Central High.

Musicians Receive Check

The Board of Education of the Salina School system thanked the Glee Club for its presentation of "You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown," by sending them a check. The Glee Club sang for the Board's annual Banquet in April. The money will be used for an end-of-the year banquet.

Golfers Win

The two-man team of Kent Sechrest and Bill Slagle won first in a golf match with the Minneapolis high school B-squad, April 29.

Others participating were Mike Cox, Tim Cejka, Tim Garrett, Jim Mischner, four-man team, and Martin Hopper, Craig Staley and Max Montgomery, extra team.

The squad will compete against Sacred Heart High, Salina, next week. Regional play is May 12, at Smith Center.

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Cadets Take First Athletic Championship

It was another less-than-perfect day to hold a track meet, but Coach Dale Pierson and his athletes at SJMS didn't notice the cold and wind a bit after they won their first Eisenhower West League championship in athletics by edging Downs for the track and field title. The meet was held May 1 at Minneapolis, Kas.

The Cadets scored 108 points in the meet -- two more than runnerup Downs. And it was a first place finish in the mile relay which won the championship for St. John's.

With two events left, the Cadets were 11 points back, and were still trailing by four points into the final event. But there was never any doubt about the outcome of the mile relay as the quartet of Dan Siburg, Robin South, Jim Severson and David Schaaf won with a time of 3:46.58, almost five seconds faster than second place Bennington. Downs finished a distant fourth to fall two points short in the team race.

First Ike Title

The league championship was the first ever in athletics for the Cadets since they joined the league in 1970. Lt. Pierson felt all along his squad could win the title and he actually was surprised his team didn't get more points. The Forensics team, coached by Mrs. Carolyn Scofield, won first this spring in the League meet for speech and drama.

Lt. Pierson said, "Different people came through for us." I felt we'd come out better in the javelin, but we pulled out fifth and sixth from people I didn't expect."

And the poor weather conditions -- 45 degrees and 20 mph winds -- didn't dampen the spirits of the Cadets.

"They're delighted right now...well, make that ecstatic," said Lt. Pierson. "The weather didn't bother us. We've had such bad weather this year that the kids expect it. But I think most of the times would have been better if the weather would have cooperated a little."

St. John's won just four of the 17 events in the boys' meet, but used its numbers to pile up the points.

Damon Bird won first in both the discus and shot put.

In winning first, the 440-yard relay team set a meet record. Team members were Mark Chardi, Jim Severson, David

Schaaf and Eric Pederson.

And of course there was the first place finish of the mile relay team that won the event.

Winning seconds were the two-mile relay team of Craig Stewart, Siburg, Pete Peralta and Jerry Mischel and Rick Stitt in the mile run.

Take third place honors were Stitt in the two mile run; Eric Pederson in the 220-dash and the 100-yard dash; Severson, in 440 dash and in the javelin, and Rick Heiser in the high jump.

Placing fourth were Schaaf, 440 dash; Mischel, 880 run; and Walt Gunstream, 100-yard dash.

Fifth place awards went to Peralta, 880-run; David Buckles, javelin and Mark Chardi, high jump.

Winning sixth were Mike Meyers, two mile-run; Mike Clift, javelin, and Chardi, pole vault.

Team Standings

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| 1. SJMS - 108 | 5. Glasco - 60 |
| 2. Downs - 106 | 6. SJ Beloit - 51 |
| 3. Bennington - 78 | 7. Miltonvale - 32 |
| 4. Ell-Saline - 67 | 8. Tescott - 15 |

Young Runners Win Firsts

The seventh and eighth grade Lower School track teams won first in the Tescott Invitational track event held April 19 at Lincoln.

Individual winners for the seventh team were Mark Philippi, hurdles; Todd Wamhoff, pole vault, and the medley relay team.

Winning for the eighth grade were Pat Malloy, hurdles; John Powell, long jump and the 880 relay team.

Coach Kelly Rudolph said the next meet will be the League match.



Ike West Champions

St. John's Military track members were a happy group after winning the Eisenhower West track and field title at Minneapolis, May 1. The Cadets scored 108 points -- two more than runnerup Downs. The Cadets are shown finishing their victory lap. (Photo courtesy of the Salina Journal).

Cadets Run In Solomon Track Meet

The St. John's track team, coached by Lt. Dale Pierson, placed eighth in the Solomon Invitational meet, April 18, in competition with a number of larger schools.

Individual winners for the Cadets were Jim Severson, second in javelin; Damon Bird, sixth in the shot; Eric Pederson, sixth in 100-yard dash and fourth in the 220 dash.

The 440-relay team of Mark Chardi, Severson, David Schaaf and Pederson placed fifth.

The mile relay team of Robin South, Dan Siburg, Peter Peralta and Schaaf placed fourth.

Running for the third place two-mile relay team were Rick Stitt, Schaaf, Peralta and Jerry Mischel.

Pre-Enrollment Begins

All Cadets who will be in grades nine through twelve next year are selecting their classes in the academic program according to Maj. Paul Sommers, Director of Guidance.

SJ Ties For 4th At Beloit

The St. John's track team tied with Lincoln High School to win fourth place among eleven teams competing in the Beloit relays, April 20.

The two-mile relay team set a new meet record with a time of 8:54.3. Winning the first place medal for SJMS were Rick Stitt, Peter Peralta, David Schaaf and Jerry Mischel.

Jim Severson in the javelin and Damon Bird in the shot put set new school records. Severson placed second with a toss of 171 feet, one inch, and Bird placed sixth with a heave of 44 feet, 10 inches.

Other individual winners for

the Cadets were Dan Siburg, sixth in long jump; Mark Chardi, fifth in pole vault; Eric Pederson, second in 100-yard dash, and fourth in 220-yard dash; Jerry Mischel, second in 880 run.

The 440-relay team of Chardi, Jim Severson, David Schaaf and Pederson placed third.

The mile relay team won fourth. Team members are Siburg, Robin South, Severson and Schaaf.

Cadets Take 4th at Wakefield

The Cadet track team, coached by Lt. Dale Pierson, placed fourth among the 18 schools competing at the Wakefield Invitational April 26.

Winning firsts were Eric Pederson in the 100-yard dash and the 440-relay team. Team members setting a new meet record were Mark Chardi, Jim Severson, David Schaaf and Eric Pederson.

Taking second in the 220-yard dash was Pederson with a time of 24.2.

Schaaf placed third in the 440-yard dash.

The two mile relay team of Dan Siburg, Peter Peralta, Rick Stitt and Jerry Mischel placed third and the mile relay team of Siburg, Robin South, Severson and Schaaf placed fourth.

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