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### TUG-OF-WAR

The Middle School team of Seth Larson (back to camera), Val Taylor, Clint Ballhagen, and Jon Treadway (front) competed in the tug-of-war event in the SJMS Olympics.

## Cadets Enjoy Games On Beautiful Sunday

The third SJMS "unusual" Olympic games were held on Perkins Field, Sunday afternoon, Nov. 17. The event was sponsored by the Activities Program committee for November. Lt. Col. Paul H. Kellogg, Commandant, was the committee chairman. The weather was warm and sunny.

Events were the sack race, three-legged race, dizzy izzy race, wheelbarrow race, hen-fruit relay, tug-of-war, and a marathon obstacle course.

Competition for all events was between teams made up of each grade in Charlie company. In other competition, Alpha company competed against Bravo company. Headquarters personnel supported either A or B company as designated by the committee.

Participation in the program was voluntary.

During the afternoon, caramel apples, popcorn and soft drinks were served by committee members.

The day ended with the serving of a roast pig picnic. The pig was roasted during the day on campus by F/Sgt. Bill Bunting, tactical officer.

Toby Timken and Andy Wood representing B company placed first in the three-legged race. "A" company represented by

Bryan Joy and Shane Powers placed second.

In the dizzy izzy race and wheelbarrow race, B company took first with A company placing second.

Doug Otto and Powers won the hen-fruit relay race for A company.

"B" company won the Upper School tug-of-war with the seventh grade team winning for the Middle School.

Brooks Mowry was the winner of the marathon-obstacle race for the 98th Corps. He represented A company. Other winners were Clay Weiss, B company, and David Swanson, C company.

Committee members were Mrs. Mary Kellogg, Mrs. Doris McConnell, CW4 Tom Stewart, Mrs. Joyce Bunting, Capt. and Mrs. Don McCann and CSM Bob Strait. Also assisting were the Rev. Don Davidson, chaplain, and Lt. Col. Larry Lysell, Administration assistant.

## Dumler Heads Foundation

Denny Dumler, Golden, Colo., was elected president of the SJMS Foundation following its luncheon meeting during Parents Weekend.

Nichols Dining hall was filled to over-flowing for the semi-annual meeting of the patrons organization.

Roger Cooper, Overland Park, was elected vice president. Donna Vanier serves as executive secretary and Nina Livingston as treasurer.

The Foundation will buy new furniture for the lounge area of the library in the Vanier Academic Center.

Elected to the board were Lloyd Ballhagen, Hutchinson, Ks.; Fred D. Hoppe, Jr., Littleton, Colo.; Lt. Col. V.B. Loy and Richard Renfro, Salina; Joan S. Miles, Denver; Jessica Smathers and Edgar Smith, Boulder, Colo.

## Four Named All-League

Four Cadets were named to the Post Rock All-League football team.

Chris Wallace was selected as first team offensive end.

Earning honorable mention were Darrin Graham, running back; Brooks Mowry, defensive end and Doug Otto, center.

Coach Kelly Rudolph said that SJMS patrons should be proud of the team record and also the way the Cadets played and performed in all the games.

## Cadets Assist Salina Events

Cadets from the 98th Corps have assisted with various events in Salina this fall.

Serving as escorts and aides at the Asbury Hospital Auxiliary Fashion show were Jeff Baker, Mark Cerney, Ken Croslin, Steven Roberson and John Scott. The show was held Oct. 23-25 at the Salina Country Club.

Assisting at the President's Ball at the Salina Country Club Nov. 15 were Baker, Croslin, David Gambetta, Roberson and John Wells.

Attending as guests of the Salina Optimist Club at a luncheon meeting Nov. 18 were Baker, Gambetta and Wells.

### Named October Cadet

Daren Brimberry was named the Cadet-of-the-month for October. He is an eighth grader in the Middle School.

## THE QUEEN

Linda Brown, sister of seventh grade Cadet David Brown, Oklahoma City, Okla., was crowned the SJMS Queen during Parents Weekend, Oct. 18.



## Two Attend Washington Young Leaders Meeting

Luis Siles and Travis Klopfenstein attended the National Young Leaders conference, Washington, D.C., the week of Nov. 17-22.

The first day was for registration. The second day was spent studying the Legislative branch with a visit to the Nation's Capitol. Topics covered were the history of Congress, comparing the House and Senate; the committee system, and Congress and the President.

The Executive branch was covered on the third day with a visit to the White House. Foreign affairs topics studied were Central America, the Middle East and combating global terrorism. During the afternoon and evening, the students visited the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Air and Space museum.

Day four was spent observing the Judicial branch of govern-

ment. A workshop of documentary milestones in American history and government was held at the National Archives building. A panel presentation by members of the Washington press corps was held at a dinner at the National Press club.

America and the world was the topic for the fifth day with visits to Embassy Row and the Organization of American States. The day concluded with a dinner and performance at the Kennedy Center for the performing arts.

Siles and Klopfenstein left the Capitol city on Saturday enroute home on furlough. Siles was heading for Miami, Fla. and Klopfenstein to California.

## Three Join SJMS Board of Trustees

Three new Trustees joined the St. John's Military School board at the October meeting. They are Ronald Green and Stewart Horejsi, both of Salina, and Fred Hoppe, Littleton, Colo.

They replace retiring members William Baxter, Robert Exline and Dennis Poer.

Green, an officer of the National Bank of America, has served two previous terms on the Board. He has also served on the School's Trust and Endowment committees.

Horejsi is chairman of the board for Brown Welding Supply. He serves as a director for the First National Bank and Trust Company and St. John's Hospital, Salina. A past director for the Salina Country Club, Asbury Hospital, and the Lutheran Family service of Oregon, Portland, Horejsi is a member of the Kansas University School of Business advisory council.

Hoppe, the father of two SJMS graduates, is a partner in National Hospital management systems, Lakewood, Colorado.

Committee chairmen of the board are Robert Kastner, personnel; Bill Nicholson, buildings and grounds; Frank Norton, stu-

dent affairs; Richard Renfro, Mule-skinners; Mert Schwensen, member-at-large, and Jack Vanier, development. All are members of the Board's executive committee. Vanier was elected chairman of the committee.

Members of the Trust committee are Green, Kelly Slaughter, Salina; D. Dale Browning, Denver, and all members of the Executive committee.

Other board members are the Rt. Rev. John F. Ashby, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western Kansas; A. Jay Anderson, Robert J. Anderson, Thomas D. Dunn, Jr., Alfred P. Schwann, all of Salina; Floyd Fairleigh, Scott City, Ks., and Lt. Gen. Richard J. Seitz, U.S. Army (Ret.) Junction City.

Honorary Trustees are Browning and Mrs. Lyman Linger, Loveland, Colo. Ad-hoc Trustees are Donald Leach, Colorado Springs, Colo., and the Rev. M. Phil Stump, Hutchinson, Ks.





# NEWS

## ... from the past

As a monthly feature, leading to the Centennial celebration planned for Commencement 1987 to Commencement 1988, news from **The Skirmishers** of past years will be appearing on this page.

**NOVEMBER 1925** -- New boys were initiated in gym. When all the new boys had been thoroughly initiated the big bonfire was lighted, out behind the gym, and everyone roasted "weenies" and toasted marshmallows. Taps blew and the Cadets tumbled into their downy beds and were well tucked away for the night. . . . Thanksgiving being over and the majority of the cadets being home over the weekend, the Colonel decided it would be a shame to make the boys that were left go to school. Since the weather was just right for rabbit shooting a rabbit hunt was suggested. Shotguns were rented. It was a very successful rabbit hunt. The total number of rabbits killed were sixty. It seems that everyone had a good time as there were lots of funny experiences.

**DECEMBER 1935** -- On Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Carruth of Herington, presented the institution with a magnificent set of Colors. These are made of heavy taffeta and are mounted on seven-foot standards. . . . The St. John's band is doing excellent work. Inasmuch as most of the boys in the band had to be taught how to play their instruments, the progress has been exceptional. . . . St. John's School often has been compared to a medieval castle. Its artistic towers, crowning the great building five stories high, loom up like beacons and are visible from most points within a radius of several miles. What old castle is without its ghost? Something would be out of harmony with things in general if a spook had not at one time or other climbed the School's broad winding staircases and glided along its hollow corridors.

### Color Guard Named

Members of the 1985-86 Color Guard are Douglas Otto, Russell Butenschoen, Ronald Priak, Tim Kyle, Lawrence Swisher and Chris Wallace.

**DECEMBER 1955** -- Cadets on St. John's athletic teams and drill units have been enjoying their trips on the new school bus more than ever recently. Cause of the added comfort is a new radio with speakers in the rear of the bus. . . . Following a Christmas dinner in the Mess Hall, faculty counselors held parties in their quarters for the Cadets assigned to them.

**NOVEMBER 1965** -- Mize Hall will be dedicated in a special ceremony Nov. 24 with the Rt. Rev. Edward C. Turner, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Kansas and acting president ex-officio of the St. John's Board of Trustees, officiating. . . . Thanksgiving festivities at SJMS are expected to draw about 700 parents and friends and other relatives to activities at the School. The Corps of Cadets will march downtown to the Service of Thanksgiving at Christ Episcopal Cathedral. . . . All-Saints day was observed with a service of Holy Communion at 10:15 a.m. and no classes for the day.

**NOVEMBER 1975** -- Thanksgiving at St. John's Military School will take on a slightly different format this year. School officials have made more time available for classroom visitation by parents, a stage show has been added to the Thanksgiving Ball along with an auction and the SJMS Foundation bazaar. . . . Ground was broken Oct. 23 for Phase I physical education facilities expansion project at the school. The addition to the gym is the first major construction project on campus since 1967. The addition will house dressing-locker rooms, shower rooms, a wrestling area, a weight machine room, laundry room and public restrooms.

### Named Charlie Bugler

Robert Cruse has been appointed as the bugler for Charlie Company to blow all calls specified by the tactical officer.

## Wallace Heads First Honor Roll

Christopher Wallace was at the top of the honor roll for the first grading period. He was named to the Blue Berets as were Travis Klopfenstein and Robert Lossmann.

Earning honorable mention were Toby Timken, Patrick Rodriguez, Gary Detman, Michael Hadley, Darrin Graham, Clay Weiss, T.J. Alger, Devin Palmer, Cabell Gillespie, Shawn Olseen and Steven Roberson.

## Darin Palmer Leads Middle School List

Darin Palmer was the leader on the Middle School's honor roll for the first grading period. He was named to the Blue Berets as were Jonathon May and Bradley Heinrich.

Earning honorable mention were Jeff Jensen, Darren Johnson, Jason Mumford, Jon Treadway, Val Taylor and Daren Brimberry.

## Darin Palmer Heads Honors List Again

Darin Palmer was the leader on the second grading period Honor Roll in the Middle School. Also named to the honor roll was Jonathon May. Named to the Blue Berets were Palmer, May and Daren Brimberry.

Earning honorable mention were Jeff Jensen, Jon Treadway, Darren Johnson, Warren Winter, Brad Heinrich, Mark Nelson, Randy Wilson and Jeremy Sawyer.

## Owen Heads Upper School Second List

Chris Owen had the highest grade average in the Upper School for the second grading period. Others named to the honor roll were Travis Klopfenstein, Pat Rodriguez, Toby Timken, and Chris Wallace.

Named to the Blue Berets were Owen, Klopfenstein and Rodriguez.

Earning honorable mention were Robert Lossmann, Tim Alger, Gary Detman, Michael Hadley, Clay Weiss, Darrin Graham, Mike Porter, Devin Palmer, Damon Polk, Brett Hayes, Curtis Sealy, Steven Roberson, Mario Alcedo, Michael Alvarez and Robert Logan.

## ★ OLD BOYS CORNER ★

**Attended 1926-27 . . . Frank Nesmith**, Galveston, Texas, visited the School recently and was a luncheon guest of the 98th Corps in Nichols Dining Hall.

**Attended 1939-40 . . . R.W. Sanders** has donated his uniforms to the School.

**Class of 1982 . . . Mike Hill** is associated with the news department of radio-television station KLEX in Lawrence. He was a recent visitor on campus. . . . **Matt Minson** was graduated from boot camp in San Diego as an E-3. He left Long Beach, Calif., Nov. 2 for a trip around the world, courtesy of the U.S. Navy. Minson is the third generation of Minsons to serve in the Navy. His address is 514-641-453, USS New Jersey, BB62 FPO San Francisco, CA 96688-1110.

**Attended 1927-32 . . . George Eves Tallchief** is the principal chief of the Osage Tribe of Indians. The tribal council is headquartered in Pawhuska, Okla. He has worked as a coach and teacher in Oklahoma and the Pacific Northwest. He is married and has three children. **John Tallchief** is a rancher at Fairfax, Okla., and is a member of the tribal council. He was wounded during World War II while fighting in the South Pacific. John is the father of a son and daughter. **Andrew Tallchief** died five years ago. He was graduated from college in Wichita and worked for Boeing Aircraft. His son, Tim, is a curator and artist at a Wichita museum. **Harry Tallchief** has retired after serving with the Bureau of Indian Affairs for many years. **Timothy Tallchief** was killed in the streets of Salerno, Italy, during World War II. George wrote: "This is just a brief sketch of our lives since that long time ago when we were frightened little Indian boys at St. John's Military School".

**Class of 1953 . . . Jim Hornig** stopped by to visit the School recently. His address is Route 2, Garden City, KS.

**Class of 1973 . . . Ken Harper** has earned a master's degree in radiation physics and is a first lieutenant in the Air Force, stationed in San Antonio, Texas. His wife and baby daughter will join him there soon.

**Class of 1976 . . . Gary Cavey** is the director of engineering for the Boca Raton Hotel and club, Boca Raton, Fla. His address is 23 N.W. 17th Del Ray Beach, Florida 33432. His phone number is 305-265-1573. He called the school for information about former classmates and wants to join the Mule-skinners.

**Class of 1985 . . . James "Chuck" Vaile** is in basic training at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo. He wrote: "Being in basic training has made me realize how St. John's helped. When I first went there I was a lousy excuse for a human being. I didn't want to stay. I didn't know what good this place was going to do for me. Let me tell you it did more than enough; it made a man out of me. It showed me discipline, responsibility and a strong sense of myself. . . . So remember all you guys (new boys) stick it out, you can make it and that's what you want to do isn't it." His address is Pfc. James C. Vaile, 521-43-3680, Delta Co., 1st Bn., 3rd Bde, 3rd Plt., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo. 65473. . . . **Wayne Tattershall** is in basic training at Ft. Jackson, S.C. He will be transferred to Ft. Rucker, Ala., for training as an avionics technician. He entered the Army as a Pfc. due to his Junior ROTC training at SJMS. . . . **Tom Cox** is working with his father in Steamboat Springs, Colo. and taking 16 college hours.

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### Named Cadet of Week

Derick Gleason was named the new boy of the week for the period from Sept. 29-Oct. 5.

## Rifle Team Named

Members of the Rifle Team have been selected and are authorized to wear the team cord and ribbon.

They are Troy Erwin, Kevin Smith, Dan Stabler, Shawn McDuffett, Michael Wilson, Maxwell Brooks, Rick Birdsall, Chris Owen and Michael Ketner.

## KU Honors Two Cadets

Two Cadets were recognized as honor students by the University of Kansas Alumni Association at an Oct. 23rd banquet at the Salina Country Club.

They were Christopher Wallace and Robert Lossman.

The top students in senior classes in high schools across the states are honored each year by the alumni group.

The Cadets received certificates and dictionaries in recognition of their academic excellence.

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## Mountain Man Rondevoos Attended By Cadets

Several Cadets visited the Mountain Man "Rondevoos" held in the countryside near Kanopolis, Ks., Saturday, Oct. 26.

The "Rondevoos" was sponsored by the Prairie Long Rifle Club. This is a club where members shoot muzzleloading or flintlock black powder rifles and pistols. Teepees and lean-tos are set up and various trade goods which were used in the ages of the mountain man and the pioneers were available for purchase.

Most of the participants were dressed in clothing of the era—buckskins, calico shirts, various wild animal-skin caps, boots and moccasins. The women

wore long calico prairie dresses or Indian buckskin dresses.

The Cadets were allowed to shoot a .45.70 caliber rolling block buffalo rifle which they aimed at a target placed at 250 yards.

Ending the day was a hog roast and potluck dinner which Capt. Doug Randolph, activity sponsor, said the Cadets enjoyed since it was an all-you-can-eat affair.

Attending were Val Taylor, Brad Henrich, Daren Brimberry, Darren Johnson, Patrick Rodriguez, Chris Owen, Tom Smathers, Jay Costello and Scott Brand.

## Parade Ribbons Awarded

The Junior ROTC parade ribbons have been awarded for the 1985-86 school year.

Earning the ribbon with gold lamp were Kenneth Croslin, John Scott, Luis Siles, and Clay Weiss.

Earning the ribbon with silver lamp were Paul F. DeSanto, Darrin Graham, Steven Green, Travis Klopfenstein, Troy Paschal, Chuck Riley, Brian Stevens, Neal Therrien, Chris Wallace, Jeff Walz, John Wells and Marshall Wilson.

Earning the ribbons with bronze lamp were Mario Alcedo, Jeff Baker, Shayne Bukowski, Michael Campbell, Mark Cerney, Thomas Crawley, James Crowley, Joe Duerksen, David Dumler, Troy Erwin, Thomas Felder, David Gambetta, Cabell Gillespie, Michael Hadley, Jeff Hunter, Richard Jenkins, Tim Kyle, Robert Logan, Robert Lossmann, Stuart Maxwell, Brooks Mowry, Shawn McDuffett, Shawn Olseen, Ronald Pniak, Michael Porter, Steven Roberson, Adam Roeseler, James Rust, Kevin Smith, Dan Stabler, Toby Timken and Robert Wachal.

### First Awards

Earning the ribbon for the first time were John Angus, T.J. Alger, Michael Alvarez, Rick Birdsall, Mark Bleckman, Scott Brand, Robert Brown, Russell Butenschoen, Chad Calvaresi, Tim Clinton, Jon Costello, Brett Davis, James Dawson, Gary Detman, Marston Dringman, Eric Eisenman, Evan Fogleman, Scott Fretwell, Jerry Ganczar, Charles Glanville, Marc Goldsboro, Jon Green, Jeffrey Harnes, Brett Hayes, Brett Hudson, Whit Ives, Jason Jones,

Brian Joy, Jason Knight, Michael Ketner.

Others are Francisco Lanz Duret, Joseph Larson, Michael Lierman, Troy Marayek, John Miller, Cameron Miles, Doug Otto, Chris Owen, Devin Palmer, Damon Polk, Shane Powers, Patrick Rodriguez, Corey Rodgers, Michael Shaw, David Southard, Curtis Sealy, Chad Simms, Thomas Smather, David Swanson, Lawrence Swisher, Joel Szymanski, Joe Tannahill, Gilbert Thompson, Roy Vogel, Keith Williams, Troy Williams, Michael Wilson, Jason Wood, William Wright and Chad Yeros.

## Shop Students To Open House

Juniors and seniors in the Industrial Arts classes taught by Capt. Jim Lohmeyer attended the annual Industrial Education open house at Emporia State University, Emporia, Ks., Nov. 20.

The Cadets toured the ESU campus, attended demonstrations and toured the electronic-amateur radio, auto mechanics, drafting, graphic arts and plastics, metals and woodworking facilities.

Capt. Lohmeyer said the students learned of the latest developments in the technical industry.

Attending were Mike Campbell, Brett Davis, Steven Green, Joe Larson, Marshall Wilson, Neal Therrien, Adam Roesler and Witt Ives.

## ★ PROMOTIONS ★

The following promotions have been made since the October issue of The Skirmisher.

Promoted to:

**CAPTAIN** — James Crowley.

**FIRST LIEUTENANT** — John Wells, David Gambetta, Paul DeSanto, Ken Croslin, Troy Erwin, Mario Alcedo, Jeff Walz, Travis Klopfenstein, Kevin Smith.

**FIRST SERGEANT** — Michael Campbell, Joe Duerksen.

**SERGEANT FIRST CLASS** — Douglas Otto, David Dumler, Troy Paschal, Stuart Maxwell, Ron Pniak, Mark Cerney.

**STAFF SERGEANT** — Shayne Bukowsky, Lawrence Swisher, Richard Jenkins, Shawn McDuffett, Troy Hudson, David Swanson, Keith Williams, Mark Bleckmann, Keith Logan.

**SERGEANT** — Eric Eisenman, Val Taylor, Toby Timken, Randy Wilson, Chris Morrow, James Rust, Tom Smathers, Tim Kyle, Maxwell Brooks, Patrick Rodriguez.

**CORPORAL** — Paul Sealy, Randall Wilson, Chad Yeros, Darren Johnson, Chad Simms, Randy Tremar, Albie Bensimon, Scott Fretwell, Michael Alvarez, Jay Costello, Gary Detman, Darrin Graham, Jason Jones, Damon Polk, Shane Powers, Gilbert Thompson, Brian Stevens, Chad Calvaresi, Darin Palmer, Shane May, Daren Brimberry, Brooks Mowrey, Lanz Duret, Clay Weiss, Robert Lossman, Chris Owens, Jeff Harnes, Brad Heinrich, Mark Nelson, Scott Brand, Joel Szymanski.

**PRIVATE FIRST CLASS** — Marshall Wilson, Mark Dringman, Ray Duckstein, Robert Ellis, Derick Gleason, Jeff Jensen, Marc Goldsboro, James Dawson, Jon Greene, Cory Rodgers, Michael Wilson, John Miller, Keith Williams, Troy Williams, Robert Brown, Jeff Taber, Ronald Henning, Perrin Peay, Noah Polk, Chase June, Jason Wood, Doug Auckerman, Brian Farrell, Troy Moravek, Thomas Felder (merit), Gary Rohr, William Wright, Brett Hayes.

**PRIVATE OLD BOY** — Jason Knight, Richard Khoury, Troy Moravek, Michael Ketner, David Southard, Michael Lierman, Chris Allen, Michael Barnes, Michael Doty, Chris Hayes, Ronald Henning, Rodney Masad, Mark Nelson, Jerry Ganczar, Charles Glanville, Joseph Larson, Joseph Tannahill, Andy Wood, Brett Davis, Bryan Joy, David Hutchison, Steven Green, Brian Waller.

### Cadets To Pro Game

A group of 56 Cadets attended the Denver Broncos-Kansas City Chiefs football game in Kansas City, Oct. 27. Accompanying the group were F/Sgt. Bill Bunting, tactical officer, and Capt. Doug Gordon, Physical Education teacher.

### Crosses Authorized

Four more Cadets have been authorized to wear the Chapel Council silver cross. They are Brian Stevens, David Hutchison, Scott Fretwell and Chase June.

## KS Magazine Features SJMS

St. John's Military School was featured in the November issue of KS Magazine, published in Wichita and distributed statewide.

A picture of the Cadets lowering the giant flag was on the front cover with the words, "Standing Tall! Looking Good! St. John's Military School."

The magazine featured an article written by Joan Baker and eight pages of pictures taken by Dan Moore.

The article quoted School President Keith Duckers saying: "My main mission has been to improve the physical facility. When I came here, (35 years ago) the windows in the third floor of the old barracks were broken out and had rags stuffed in them. I knew we could not have boys living in those facilities."

Quoting Lt. Col. Paul H. Kellogg, Commandant, the article said, "We stand tall, kneel tall, salute the flag and go to church."

Quotes from the article are: "It may be kind of culture shock to many cadets that, although posters and stereos are allowed in their rooms, televisions are forbidden."

"Making the grade comes in many ways. Not only in the classroom, but new cadets have to adjust to discipline and their peers . . . It's tough. But if they make it, they have earned a special kind of pride."

A limited number of copies are available at the School. Patrons or alums wishing a copy should write: Lt. Col. Larry Lysell, Administrative Assistant, Box 827, Salina, KS 67402-0827.

## Roeseler Earns Shop Award

Adam Roeseler was selected as the outstanding senior industrial arts student at St. John's Military School by Emporia State University.

The presentation was made during the Industrial Open House at Emporia State, Nov. 20.

Roeseler has completed four years of woodworking. He was awarded the Walton Ferris award in his junior year for outstanding accomplishments in woodworking. He is a member of the Cadet Patrol, yearbook staff and is a squad leader in the 98th Corps.

## Rifle Team Fires First Match

The Rifle team fired its first match against Cameron University, Lawton, Okla., Nov. 8-9.

Shooters were Troy Erwin, Chris Owen, Shawn McDuffett, Kevin Smith, Michael Wilson and Maxwell Brooks.

Firing scores haven't been received.

Copies of the magazine were mailed to the heads of other Military Schools in the country. Following are some of their comments.

## What Other School Heads Say . . .

" . . . Congratulations on your many accomplishments and the well deserved publicity."

Willard Pearson  
Lt. Gen. USA (Ret.)  
Valley Forge Military Academy

" . . . the article was just great and certainly inures to the benefit of all MI schools. I am impressed with the quality of the magazine and the even-handed coverage of the article."

Kenneth T. Whitescarver  
Colonel, USMC (Ret.)  
Fork Union Military Academy

" . . . a fine article and a well-deserved one."

Raymond Kelly  
Retired Superintendent  
Howe Military School

" . . . I agree with you -- a school cannot receive too much of the kind of publicity you did with that article."

W.D. Maginnis  
Superintendent  
Riverside Military Academy

" . . . I congratulate you for such favorable and meaningful publicity. Keep up the good work!"

James A. Grimsley, Jr.  
Maj. Gen. USA, (Ret.)  
The Citadel

" . . . The story of St. John's is a great credit to your years of service there."

The Rev. Canon A. Nelson Daunt  
President  
Texas Military Institute

" . . . Great publicity. And you deserve it. You have done a great job there."


Lanning P. Risher  
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### Named Honor Company

The Company of the week for Nov. 10-16 was Bravo.

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## Football Season Ends

### ... Record 3-4

SJMS--36 Miltonvale--28 SJMS--8 Tescott--46

St. John's Military School's football team highlighted the school's Parents' Weekend festivities, Oct. 18, with a 36-28 non-league victory over Miltonvale.

The win improved the Mule-skinners' record to 3-2 and marked the first time the Cadets have posted three wins in a single season since the early '70s.

"Our kids are playing pretty well," said Coach Kelly Rudolph.

The Cadets built up a 22-0 halftime lead over Miltonvale.

Halfbacks Darrin Graham and Chuck Riley scored two touchdowns apiece to spur the Cadets to their victory. Graham scored the first touchdown on a 51-yard run. Then Riley scampered in from 15 yards out to make it 16-0 at the end of the opening quarter.

Graham's four-yard scoring run in the third quarter gave the Cadets a commanding 28-0 lead in the third period before Miltonvale staged a comeback as Coach Rudolph substituted freely allowing most team members to play.

After the Pirates trimmed the lead to 28-14, Riley gave St. John's some breathing room with his 25-yard scoring run.

John Wells also scored on a three-yard run.

Points after were scored by Chris Wallace on a pass from Wells, Riley on a pass from Wells and Clay Weiss on a pass from Riley.

SJMS-22 Hope-12

The Cadets won their second game of the season, Oct. 11 with a 22-12 non-league victory over Hope at Hope.

The Mule-skinners got touchdowns from three players: John Wells on a three-yard run, Chuck Riley on a seven-yard run and Darrin Graham on a 14-yarder. The only extra point conversion made was a pass from Wells to Chris Wallace. The team also scored a safety.

The Tescott Trojans ranked number five in eight-man football, showed why they are so highly regarded as they defeated the Cadets Oct. 25 on Perkins Field to win the Post Rock League championship.

The Cadets scored their lone touchdowns in the fourth quarter on a one-yard run by Darrin Graham with the points after TD scored on a run by Chuck Riley.

SJMS--22 Ell-Saline--42

Ell-Saline scored two early touchdowns and built a 24-6 halftime lead enroute to a 42-22 win over the Cadets Oct. 4 on Perkins Field.

St. John's scored its first TD in the second period when Chuck Riley returned a kickoff 55 yards. Riley completed a 5-yard half-back option pass for the Mule-skinners' second score. Mike Swisher completed a 45-yard scoring pass to Chris Wallace for the Cadets' final touchdown. Points after the touchdowns were scored by Darrin Graham on a run and Wallace caught a pass from Swisher.

SJMS--22 Solomon--42

The Solomon Gorillas scored a 42-22 victory over the Cadets in the final game of the season on Perkins Field, Nov. 8.

John Wells got the Cadets on the scoreboard with a two-yard run in the second quarter. Ron Pniak recovered a fumble in the end zone to make it a 26-14 game at halftime. Chris Wallace caught a 50-yard TD pass from Wells to end the SJMS scoring.

### FOOTBALL SEASON ENDS

## Honor Guard Recognized

Members of the Honor Guard have been authorized to wear the citation cord.

They are Darrin Graham, John Angus, Rick Birdsall, Stuart Maxwell, Cabell Gillespie, Eric Eisenman, Charles Glanville, Joseph Larson, Michael Ketner, Keith Logan, Paul Sealy, Mark Bleckmann, Toby Timken, Chad Yeros, Jason Wood, Jeffrey Harnes, Jason Knight and Brett Davis.



### THE NEW LOOK

Eric Eisenman and Mark Bleckmann model the "new look" in Cadet uniforms. The change features a dark blue pant with a light blue stripe and black sweater worn over a white shirt. The regular "alpha" uniform was not changed.

## Cadets Assist At Service

A Celebration of Community was celebrated as the worship service during Parents' Weekend.

Participants were David Swanson and Evan Fogleman, crucifers; Jon Treadway, Shane May, Darin Palmer and Chris Morrow, torch bearers; Clint Ballhagen and Nathan Marshall, flag bearers; Shane Bukowsky, SJMS banner bearer; Luis Siles, litinist; Kevin Smith, chief usher, and Henry Junk, Brian Stevens, Val Taylor and Jeremy Sawyer, ushers.

Members of the SJMS military staff were greeters.

The lectors were Lt. Col. Larry Lysell, Administrative assistant, and Mrs. Joan Dark, English teacher.

Music was provided by Mrs. Lillian Faerber, soloist; Leonard Gillispie, organist, and Cadets Shawn Reitmayer and Robert Cruce.

## Cadets Visit KU Natural History Museum

The World History class, taught by Capt. Doug Randolph, visited the Kansas University Museum of Natural History, Lawrence, Saturday, Oct. 12.

Of special interest to the class was an unusual dinosaur exhibit which featured animated scale models of several dinosaur-age creatures. The exhibit, which is traveling across the United States, was created by Dina-mation International creatures.

Making the trip were Scot Angus, Jay Costello, Paul DeSanto, Gary Detman, Joe Duerksen, Troy Erwin, Curtis Sealy, John Wells and Shane Powers.

## Prizes Given At Howl

The traditional Howl was held on Halloween evening in the Spencer Cadet Center.

Prizes were given for the best costumes. John Scott won for portraying Richard Nixon as the funniest single.

The best of show was won by Travis Klopfenstine as the doctor; Michael Porter as the nurse and Kevin Smith as the patient.

Others were James Rust, most unique; Clint Ballhagen, most horrible and Albie Bensimon and Darren Johnson as the funniest couple.

Spearheading the "Halloween Howl" committee was Mrs. Paul Kellogg. She was assisted by Capt. and Mrs. Don McCann; F/Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Bunting; Sgt/Maj. and Mrs. Bob Strait and the Rev. Don Davidson, and Lt. Col. Larry Lysell.

## Basketball Practice Begins

Basketball practice started Nov. 18. The first game of the season will be Dec. 6 against Ell-Saline in the Baner Gymnasium.

Chuck Riley is the only returning letterman.

Trying out for the team are Jeff Baker, Joe Duerksen, Jeff Walz, Mike Swisher, Chad Simms, Scott Brand, Rob Lossmann, Troy Williams, Jeff Hunter, Bryan Joy, Troy Hudson, Mike Shaw, Joel Syzmanski, Devin Palmer, Gil Thompson, Brian Stevens, Chad Calvaresi, Brett Hayes and Shane Powers.

### SCHEDULE

Ell-Saline, H.	Dec. 6
Tescott, H.	Dec. 10
Bennington, Th.	Dec. 13
St. Mary's, H.	Dec. 17
Solomon, Th.	Jan. 17
Post Rock	Jan. 20-24
Tourney	
Miltonvale, Th.	Jan. 28
Bennington, H.	Jan. 31
Solomon, H.	Feb. 4
Tescott, Th.	Feb. 7
St. Mary's, Th.	Feb. 11
Miltonvale, H.	Feb. 18
Ell-Saline	Feb. 21

The freshman-B-team will play a 6 p.m. game with Solomon, there on Feb. 10. All other games start at 6:30 p.m.

## Corps Marches On Veterans Day

Members of the 98th Corps of Cadets and the Cadet Band marched in the Veteran's Day parade through downtown Salina, Monday, Nov. 11.

They also attended a special program following the parade at the Salina City-County building. The invocation and benediction were given by the Rev. Don Davidson, Chaplain.

Taps with echo were played by Cadet buglers Robert Cruce and David Dumler.

## Middle School Cadets Earn Parade Ribbons

Middle School Cadets earning parade ribbons were Chris Allen, Doug Aukerman, Dennis Baker, Clint Ballhagen, Michael Barnes, Albert Bensimon, Daren Brimberry, David Brown, Ben Caplan, Jason Cartier, Robert Cruce, Robert Dawson, James Derry, Michael Doty, Ray Duckstein, Robert Ellis, Brian Farrell, Derick Gleason, Jason Hamilton, Chris Hayes, Brad Heinrich, Ronald Henning, David Hutchi-

son, Jeff Jensen, Darren Johnson.

Others are Chase June, Henry Junk, Thomas Keefe, Nathan Marshall, Jon May, Rod Massad, Chris Morrow, Jason Mumford, Jeremy Napier, Mark Nelson, Darin Palmer, William Peay, Noah Polk, Shawn Reitmayer, Jeremy Sawyer, Don Schwan, Jeff Tabor, Val Taylor, Jon Treadway, Randy Tremar, Randy Wilson and Warren Winter.

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