



# Activities in Social Circles

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## New Trier Seniors Will Be Hosts And Hostesses at Holiday Dances

**Festivities Will Commence With a Formal Party at Stevens Hotel on December 23rd**

Students at New Trier High school will have their usual round of holiday festivities during the Christmas vacation, and already invitations are being issued for five formal dances which will be given by five groups of senior boys and girls.

Twenty-five girls will entertain at a dance from 10 to 2 o'clock Wednesday evening, December 27, at the Knickerbocker hotel in Chicago, Bill Carlsen and his orchestra furnishing the music. The hostesses for this party will be: Ester Alonzi, Jean Arbogast, Audrey Aveyard, Rosalind Becker, Alice Ruth Berlin, Jeanne Best, Mary Bowen, Margaret Boyle, Dorothy Burns.

Patricia Crawford, Virginia David, Norma Glass, Mary Burton Graff, Marjorie Griffin, Carolyn Hallsteen, Joanne Hammond, Patricia Herbert, Muriel Jacobi, Jayne Maddock, Beverly Morrison, Patricia Quinlan, Jean Swarts, Ruth Shiverick, Marilyn Tuteur, and Nancy Wilder.

The dance which about thirty senior girls will have Friday evening, December 29, in the grand ballroom of the Sherman hotel from 9:30 to 1 o'clock will be followed by a breakfast party at the Sherman for the hostesses and their escorts. Giving this party are: Yvonne Anderson, Catherine Ann Barnett, Marian Brown, Barbara Burge, Marjorie Clark, Mary Ellen Daily.

Beverly Day, Patricia Dillon, Mary Virginia Donovan, Betty Eberhart, Frances Fox, Marilyn Frye, Barbara Hemphill, Stella Jannotta, Harriette Jones, Rosemary Jones, Mary Lidecker, Pearl Mervis, Peggy Neilsen, Shirley O'Brien, Lois Pittman, Barbara Ragsdale, Marjorie Steen, Jean Temple, Eunice Thorp, Jean White, Dorothy Wieland, and Mary Witherow.

The last of the affairs will be a dance at the Drake hotel on Tuesday evening, January 2, about thirty-three senior boys acting as hosts, and Harold Stoke's orchestra playing for the party. Claude Reebe, James Mahle and Lee Simpson have directed the arrangements. Assisting them are Keehn Landis, John Scott, Frank Huffman, John Roth, Frank Badger, Kenneth Crocker, William Steen, Holden McAllister, Charles McCoy, Bill Christerson, Bud Fifer, Gordon Laughhead.

Wayne Eves, Robert Wiese, William Holst, Hugh Petersen, Phil Petersen, Charles de LaChapelle, Carter Barber, John Nicholson, Charles Ball, William Steif, Robert Woodbridge, Harold Murray, Dey Watts, Ernest Keller, Kenneth Cushman, William Dodds, David Wilder, and Robert McNitt.

A still larger group of senior boys, forty-two, are entertaining at the Medinah Athletic club Tuesday night, December 26, and have engaged Steven Leonard and his orchestra. This dance will be given by James Bay, Joseph Bayard, Robert Bennett, Bruce Borregaard, Robert Brigham, Alfred Brittain, David

Brown, John Brown, Richard Bueger, Wendell Clark, Albert Cobb, Thomas Cutler.

Robert Dewey, Burling Doolittle, Douglas Easterberg, Jay Esler, Robert Frei, Merrill Hoefer, Eugene Holland, Ralph Jones, James Lang, Richard Link, Donald Lippincott, Robert McKahan, William Mitten, Bradley Nelson, Robert Platt, Andrew Price, John Rodgers, George Rothermel, Stephen Rothermel, Gordon Sibley, Mitchell Simpson, Ralph Starrett, James Steel, Benjamin VanCleave, Jack Walker, Harry White, John Wiese, Raleigh Williams, Goodwin Wilson, and Walter Wilson.

Still another party will be the dance which a group of girls will hold at the Stevens hotel commencing at 10 o'clock Saturday, December 23, Gay Claridge and his orchestra providing the music. Preceding the dance the hostesses and their escorts will be entertained at cocktails at the home of Miss Joan Kilner in Kenilworth.

In addition to Joan the hostesses will be: Valerie Adams, Paula Bliss, Barbara Buehler, Helen Bull, Jeanne Cleary, Mary Lou Cormack, Barbara Duncombe, Jane Edwards, Joan Goodnow, Ruth Halley, Carol Hill, Eleanor Hoesli, Mabel Keefe, Catherine Marx, Margielou Meinig.

Jean Mitchell, Jean Persson, Katherine Phillipsborn, Peggy Pierson, Betty Rosenheim, Betty Ross, Mimi Roulet, Pauline Van Horne, Frances Weber, Nancy Weishaar, and Marion Woolhiser.

### Annual Christmas Party

The Junior auxiliary of the Chicago Woman's club will hold its annual Christmas party Saturday, December 16, at 2 o'clock, entertaining about five hundred settlement house children. The entertainment will include a puppet show, a clown, and carol singing by a group from one of the settlements. The auxiliary, of which Mrs. Dalton is president, is providing refreshments, favors, and transportation for all of their young guests.

### Hostess

Mrs. J. Edward Liess, 607 Forest avenue, Wilmette, was one of four hostesses for a Christmas party, business meeting, and luncheon of the Sigma Chi Mothers' club at Shawnee Country club on Monday, Wednesday, December 20, Mrs. Liess will entertain the members of the Rose Holt club at a luncheon and Christmas party at her home.

### O. of M. Meeting

St. Francis household, Order of Martha will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Redlin, 7419 North Damen avenue, Chicago, on December 18, at 1:30. Mrs. G. Ludwig will be the assisting hostess. The event will also be a Christmas apron sale.

## In "Christmas Carol," Next Play for Children



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Mary Frances Desmond, Fanny, in the Dickens' "Christmas Carol," is trying to console her disheartened, lonesome brother who refuses to return home for the Christmas holiday because his mean Father mistreats and abuses him. With misgivings the younger brother chooses to remain at school alone during the festive time of year. The play, based on the beloved story by Charles Dickens, will be given by the Jack and Jill Players at the Woman's Club of Wilmette at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon of this week. The performance is the second in the series for children sponsored by the children's plays committee of the ways and means committee of the club.

### Six Hostesses Issue Invitations to Dance

One of the gayest of the holiday parties for young people of high school age will be the dance to be given December 22, at Indian Hill club by six North Shore hostesses. The invitations are issued by the Misses Nancy McCloud of Kenilworth, Ann Northrop, Sue Sullivan, and Betty Magie of Winnetka, Joan Mercer of Evanston, and Barbara Bowes of Highland Park. Miss Mercer, Miss Magie, and Miss McCloud are Roycemore students; Miss Sullivan and Miss Bowes are Warrenton girls; and Miss Northrop comes home from the Baldwin school just a day before the dance.

### Tea Hostesses

Sunny Biser, 423 Greenleaf avenue, Wilmette, and Mardean Hole of Winnetka, seniors at New Trier High school, entertained about ninety guests at a tea at the Hole residence, 935 Tower road, Hubbard Woods, on Sunday.

### Congregational Guild's Yule Luncheon Dec. 15

Many members of the Woman's guild of the Wilmette Congregational church make a special effort to get out each year to the guild's Christmas luncheon, with its tables decorated by the different circles to represent the spirit of Christmas and with a program of Christmas music and entertainment following.

Tomorrow's luncheon is in charge of the East End circle and special efforts have been made in planning the menu to make it holiday-and-party-like.

The Cozy Corner circle, under its chairman, Mrs. Rodney Perrill; and Mrs. Mrs. Frank Adams and Mrs. Howard Ringholm, is putting on a picturesque pageant showing the customs in other lands. Each one taking part will wear the costume of the country she represents. The guild's program chairman is Mrs. F. A. Cushing Smith.

Mrs. Glen S. Roberts, president of the guild, has called a board meeting for 11:30.