

Teen Outlook

Everything on track at Georgetown high

G'day good readers, and how are ya?

A fairly busy week in the hallowed halls of GDHS.

To start, last Wednesday (April 20) saw GDHS hold the opening ceremonies for our new track, a track meet (our first of the year), and the triumphant return of the famed Airbands to GDHS. All bands were well received by the crowd (including guests from the other schools participating in the track meet), though some contestants had to be disqualified for, shall we say, protruding objects during one act.

On Thursday (April 21), GDHS held its Open House Ceremonies, celebrating the completion of GDHS's restoration. Many were in attendance (mayorally included), and enjoyed it immensely. The rave reviews, however, went to the Jazz Band who stole the show. The celebrations were preceded by a dinner for the dignitaries involved in GDHS's facelift.

Some sad news, after many years. GDHS rock group First Class have split up, citing creative differences amongst the group members. Don't worry though; the split was amicable, and the fellas are busy with other projects.

Speaking of track meets earlier... participants in GDHS's second track

meet of the year (our track is getting very well used) had their spirits dampened this past Wednesday... literally. The rain started to fall in



GDHS

By Jamie Harrison

the late afternoon, making the going tough. In true Rebel style, the tough (Rebels) got going, winning many of their events, and setting many personal bests.

Tickets for the 1988 Formal will be on sale as of May 16, going for the reasonable price of \$65 per couple. This does contradict information previously stated due to my errors. It must be stated that this is not a school function!

The girl and boys from the local hit, AroundTown, are really amazed by the response they have been getting from the community. This past week, Canadian rockers, Strange Advance, appeared on the show (at least half of them), giving away autographed albums to viewers. Last Friday, Mike Bellinger interviewed Brian Greenway, formerly of April Wine, a Canadian band

which made a very good name for themselves internationally in the '70s and early '80s. Commented Mike, "All the people we've interviewed have been great, really nice." Things are looking good for the AroundTown staff, and are getting better all the time.

QUESTION: Name the song and the group performing the song which appears at the ending of AroundTown.

ANSWER: Set The Stage by First Class.

Mrs. Gooding still has some tickets left for a field trip to see "B-Movie: The Play", if you're a current GDHS student interested in seeing this comedy (which has received rave reviews) see Mrs. Gooding for details and ticket info.

And finally, the Rotary Club of Georgetown is presenting "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown" at the John Elliott Theatre May 13 and 14. Directed by Mike Burgoyne, this show promises to be a great success. All proceeds go right back into the community. For tickets contact the Rotary Club, or any Rotarian.

That's all for this week, but remember, "No matter what your faith, God's last name is not damnit."



The Rebel Relays were hosted at the GDHS track last week, and a special part of the day was a ribbon cutting ceremony to officially open the facility. Here, runners pass the baton in one of the events.

Career Awareness

Students look ahead

There's a special opportunity for any female in Grades 9 or 10 to attend a career awareness conference.

Students will have the opportunity to hear four speakers from a choice of 51 different careers such as real estate agent, architect, travel consultant, engineer, veterinarian, lawyer, pilot, radio and television careers.

This conference takes place Saturday, June 4 in Milton. Cost is \$10, which includes bus transportation and lunch. It's a great way to get information on the career you're thinking about.

Every year AHS' band puts on a dinner concert. Well, it's that time of year. On Wednesday, May 18 AHS band members will be having their annual dinner concert. Tickets for this exciting event can be purchased from any band member or by phoning 853-2920. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for seniors and students. The concert will begin at 6:30 p.m. All proceeds will go towards band trip expenses.

Hobby teacher Mr. Black is



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preparing two full, fun exciting days at Canada's Wonderland. This trip is

for all AHS students. The cost will be \$10 for a ticket and \$5 for bus transportation. The days will be May 28 and June 4. If interested, contact Mr. Black as soon as possible.

All last week was spirit week at AHS. Last Monday was root beer chug contest, Tuesday - tricycle races, Wednesday was clash day, Thursday was dress '50s and '60s style and Friday was water balloon toss. We thank all students who participated in spirit week.

Beckett lighting fund established

A permanent collection of 19th-century lighting will be created at Black Creek Pioneer Village, thanks to the establishment of the Hazel Beckett Memorial Lighting Fund.

The fund started recently with a generous donation from the family of Leo Beckett, of Bolton, in memory of his late wife. The fund now totals more than \$7,000.

Black Creek Pioneer Village portrays a typical mid-19th-century rural community. Many of the lighting artifacts currently in the Village's homes and workshops are on loan from the extensive Catherine Thuro collection.

Purchases by the Beckett Memorial Fund will complement the Thuro collection, and will, in time, provide Black Creek with its own permanent collection of pre-1867 lighting artifacts.

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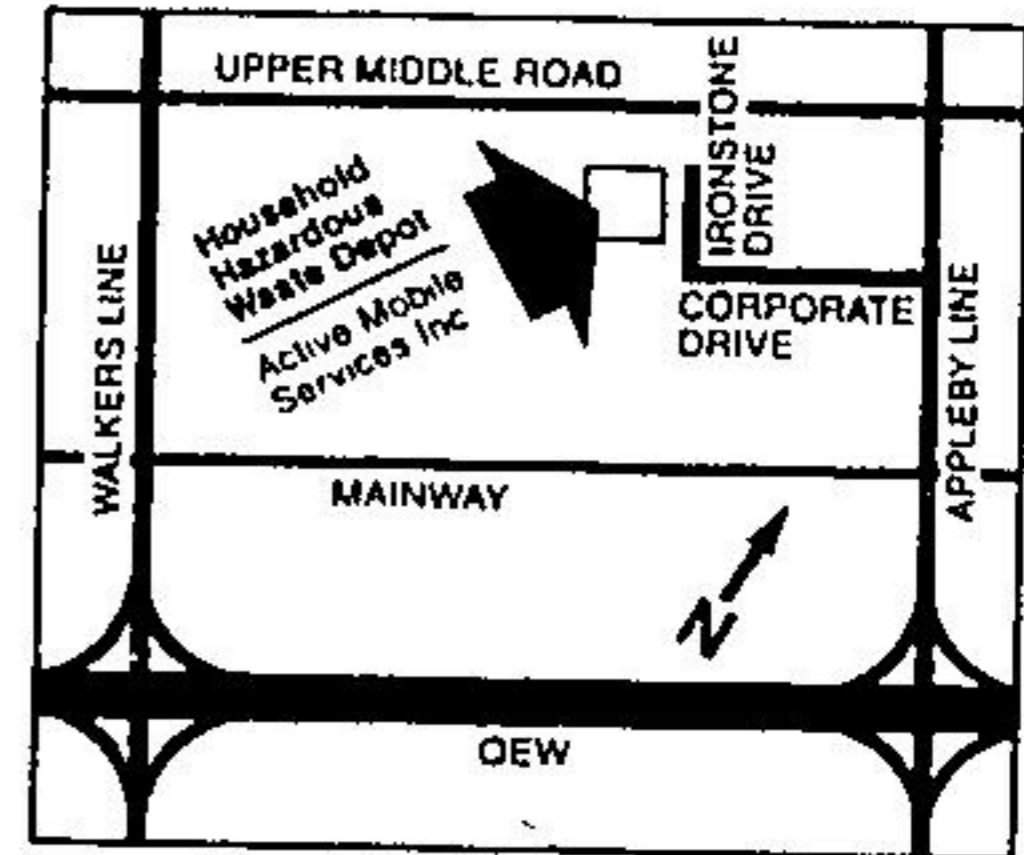
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