YEARBOOK EXECUTIVE

Front Row: Mike Mandell, Sandra Kelly, Judy Tranter, Gary Hunter.

Back Row: Doug Massie, Shayla Magder, Holly Glendinning, Paula Howarth, C. Toye (Advisor).

EDITORIAL

Since the opening of Niagara District we have seen many changes. Even with the increased enrollement from three hundred to over eight hundred and fifty we have retained one of the most valuable things often lost in larger schools. This is the relationship of the individual student to the teacher.

We are fortunate to have not only highly qualified but also understanding teachers. There is not one of them, who would begrudge extra help to those who wish it. I am sure many of us can recall an activity period or an hour after three thirty five spent with a sympathetic teacher. Often we think that this is just what we deserve. But how wrong we are! These teachers are obliged to teach us during regular school hours. We must make use of them during these hours. But, often we decide to cram everything at exam time. Then, we go to the teachers for help and they give freely of their time even though we may not deserve it.

They also show interest in the good students and try to show them a bit more than just the required course. Teachers of Chemistry and Physics are continually encouraging students to try experiments at home. The English and History teachers suggest reading material to give us a better background in that subject.

These teachers whom we take for granted now will mean much more to us when we realize their full worth. We will have this yearbook, the fifth edition of Acta Studentium to bring back the fond memories.

The yearbook lives a short life. After publication we all will rush eagerly for our yearbooks. But just one week later it will be sitting home on our bookshelves, almost forgotten. Then, the wonderful thing will happen several years later in the rebirth of the book when it is found, read and reread. At that time we will have fully appreciated it and the yearbook will have fulfilled its one and only purpose. It will have brought back the events and friends of Niagara District, which are now fresh in our minds.

STUDENTS' COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

Standing: Linda Gay, Kip Voege, Susan Voege.

Seated: Betty Buckley, Brian Lailey, Ken Leppard, Fred Hall.

STUDENTS' COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES

Front Row: Hilary McCourt, Deborah Castrucci, Lois Stewart, Alice Rempel, Virginia Harris, Judy Tranter, Cecile Mayer, Carolyn Bissell.

Second Row: Ray MartinukPerry Feor, Ann Morley, Johanna Bernhardt, Gary Hunter, Jennifer Brunton, Janet Cechinn, Stuart Cornfield, Ted King.

Back Row: Sandy Ross, Mike Schwartzkopf, Dave Dick, Bob Howse, Rudy Wiens, Jim Pewer, Richard Woodruff, Ron Chernishenko, Carl Sulliman.

KEN'S COMMENTS

Throughout the past year the Students' Council has undertaken many endeavours, the success of which can be credited to the students, teachers, and especially Mr. Palmer, our principal.

We will all remember the car parade and pep rallies held during the football season, the magazine campaign in which we rocketed to $4,200, $200 over the quota, the Christmas dance at which everyone had that Yuletide spirit and thoroughly enjoyed themselves, and finally the Spring Prom on April 26 at which we all enjoyed the music of Ron Simpson and the Ron Metcalf Orchestra.

The smaller projects of the Students' Council will also recall many memories of the fine year spent at Niagara District. In January, Twirp Day was celebrated, and to top off the day the Twirp Dance was held, at which many boys were wearing corsages. On February 15 a combination Valentines and Magazine Dance was held, at which the students were rewarded for reaching their quota in the Magazine Campaign.

The other organizations of the Students' Council also contributed greatly to the success of the year. The Drama Club had a very successful night with their play; the Boys' Athletic Association managed to sponsor a number of dances after the basketball games, the proceeds from which went to the purchase of team jackets for our championship football team; the Retreat was published twice; and, of course, Acta Studentium, 1962-63.

I would like to thank the Year Book Committe for permitting me to say a few words in Acta Studentium, and to congratulate them on their great effort. I am sure this book will live on for many years in the memories of those who go on to bigger and better things.

Ken Leppard,
President, Student Council.