



# The ROUND TABLE

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Stamford High School

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## Career Night at S.H.S.

by Seth Mullen  
Your future depends on it!" No, this isn't a note from your doctor excusing you from your obligation to go to the cafeteria. The slogan can be found on several posters throughout the school advertising Stamford's first attempt at career education on a secondary level. Career night is scheduled to take place on December 15, at S.H.S. from 7:30-9:30 p.m., and all interested are invited. Responsible for advertising and supervising the entire affair are Mrs. DeCamillo and Mrs. Simons.

The main attractions will be presentations by 30 Stamford area workers who will describe the requirements, pay, security, and model the clothes that make the job what it is. The 80 will be divided into similar work clusters throughout the old building.

Certificates of thanks will be distributed to students volunteers. Volunteers are needed for guides,

telephone committees, and for distributing literature, etc. Student-teacher involvement in this respect is anticipated and gratefully appreciated.

For the poster winner, Liz Ball, whose illustration of the theme "the world of work", a 25 dollar savings bond will be awarded.

Few people would want to work if it were not necessary. But in today's capitalistic society the key is a job that won't eat at you from the inside out. Career night can provide you with ideas for a career that fits your lifestyle and makes full use of your abilities.

## Homecoming '76

by Shannon Matheny  
The Homecoming Weekend began with our traditional Fairfield Prep vs Stamford High football game. Even though we lost, 7-30, our team played a great game. However, it was cold out

so everyone had to huddle together to keep warm. The spirit died about 20 minutes into the game, but not many people noticed, because everyone was more concerned with hugging and kissing the Alumni and finding out about their college experiences.

The big event of the weekend was the Homecoming Dance, and it was a definite success. All who came enjoyed themselves. If they weren't dancing, they were talking to old friends or just having a good time.

The Band was Reality and even though they started late and quit early, they played well enough.

The big moment, of course, was the crowning of the Homecoming Queen. Hope Riccardi was the winner and she made a most intriguing one. Rounding out the court were Jodi Druehl, Cathy Zukowsky and Debbie DiMuro.

The Homecoming committee was, Lisa Kolp, Mary Beth Rudman, Shannon Matheny, Betsy Kirhoffer. Thanks are in store for all people involved in helping out with the dance. It couldn't have run any smoother.



## Letters

Mr. Editor:

I think Deca is an excellent idea, and the students certainly enjoy its services. However, if they are going to run a business they should manage it right. I think that students are getting sick and tired of running from the fifth floor to the second floor to find Deca closed. Nobody ever knows when it is open.

As an answer to the problem, they should post a few notices around the school at the beginning of the week to show the times that they will be open during the week. Thank you.

Mike Matheny

To the Editor:

I was just wondering why the open area on the second floor hallway right below the clock was closed off by putting lockers there. This seems to me to be grossly unfair and not even fair either.

Could I have an explanation, or must I just have to burn down the school?

Anirate Student

[If you can't stand on it then sit on it.-Ed.]

Dear Editor:

You should have more violence and news stories. Maybe more of S.H.S. sports. I don't like your paper, but this would make it a little better.

Signed,

A friend

## Jack Wins State Honors

Rahlyn Jack, captain of the Gymnastics team, captured many high honors in state and county gymnastics meets this year.

Rahlyn placed first in the county in the floor exercise, high bar, and long horse vaulting, and second in parallel bars and all around. In the state meet, he placed second in long horse vaulting. Rahlyn is the state champ on high bar, floor exercises, still ring, parallel bars, and is the Conn. State All-Around 1976 gymnastics champion.

The team placed third in the county and second in the state meets.

Congratulations are extended to Rahlyn Jack and the gymnastics team for their outstanding accomplishments.

court at all times. He feels the team is very exciting and has tremendous ability, but the student body has to be behind us 100 per cent if they are to be successful.

The Knights entered this year with nine straight winning seasons, quite an accomplishment for Coach Alswanger and the S.H.S. Knights. The theme this year is "Super Ten Dedication", ten straight winning seasons. This goal is quite attainable with the dedication and fine coaching found here at S.H.S.

## Basketball Season Opens Dec 14

by Mike Maguire

As I entered the small room on the first floor that composes Coach Herm Alswanger's office, I noticed a poster on the wall that states, "A winner never quits and a quitter never wins." These few words sum up the dedicated spirit of this year's Stamford High basketball squad. Led by seniors Dave Fields and Kevin "Big Mac" MacDonald, the Black Knight squad feels they have the potential to bring Stamford High something it never had before: a state championship.

The team is the tal-

lest ever under Alswanger's twelve years at Stamford. He feels that the potential for a big year is there, but, "they have to prove it." Coach Alswanger is counting on the leadership of co-captains Dave Fields, Kevin MacDonald, along with the fore court abilities of Greg Trotman, Willie Sease, and Bob Kordsiemon. Curtis Tinnin, Pat Dean, Mike Grant, Ron Miller and Lorenzo Baldwin are slated to lead the back court attack. Alswanger believes emphasis on quickness, on defense and offensive strength from each man on the