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INSIDE ROCKLAND SCHOOLS
with Maria Dillon

Bowl time at Suffern

Suffern Junior High Core teacher Travis Jackson and his eighth grade core students recently sponsored a "Core Bowl Competition" at the school. Core is a correlated study of English and social studies at the junior high level.

The event was held in the college bowl tradition, with student teams from core classes participating. Teams of four students from each class competed against one another in answering English and social studies questions written by Jackson and his students.

The winning team from one of core teacher Robert Fay's classes, consisted of students John Gordon, Mike Schwarz, Eric Worthington and Stu Rossini.

Graduations

Woodlawn Elementary School held its second with graduation exercises on the school grounds in New City last week, with Principal Francis K. Stein presiding. Principal Robert J. Paul presiding.

Parents, grandparents, faculty and friends were invited to the school. The Parent-Teacher Association for the activities sponsored during the school year and Pam Klugman read a class will which included comments on teachers and staff.

Mrs. Phyllis Fleck, PTA president, presented the diploma to students with the help of their class representatives, Steven Krane, Karen Draga, Brad Zwickoff and Mitchell Kanaw. The closing address was given by Lisa Bialow. A dance followed in the school cafeteria.

The Rockland Country Day School held its sixteenth commencement recently on the lawn of the campus in Congers. Robert S. Evelyn, headmaster, presided.

Nominations were presented by Board of Trustees president James Blaser to: Maria Joly, Tappan; Deborah Lynn Shoenberg, Saugerties; Susan Black, New City; Susan Miller, West Nyack; Joseph Nook III, Garrisonville; Lisa Pankam, Upper Nyack; Tamara Rader, Florham Park; and Mark Baker, West Nyack. Keith Ramsey of Suffern was unable to attend.

Piano music was provided by students Elena Pizarro and Jessica Doolittle. The faculty thanked the graduates who were given by English department head Ellen Nodolman. Lisa Pankam of Upper Nyack delivered the valedictory and her father was commencement speaker.

Guest speakers

Dr. Mike Bagley, associate professor of New Rochelle College and Rockland Community College gave a presentation on "New Perspectives for Teaching the Gifted" at the Board of Cooperative Educational Services, conference in West Nyack recently.

The program was sponsored by the National Association for Gifted Children, who also presented their state of executive officers for 1978-79.

They are: Jill Pryor, president, Audrey Schneider and Mickey Lander, vice presidents for membership; Arlene Gold, Gerrit Goldberg and Judy Hagers, vice-presidents for educational program projects; Christine Margolis, vice-president fund raising; Toby Nadler, vice-president public relations; Ann McKee, treasurer; Dody Barry, corresponding secretary; and Judy Gaudin, recording secretary.

Class trip

Second graders from the classes of Ann Tronlin and Joan Bond of Cleveland Green School in New City recently visited Bona Bakery in New City. The trip was planned as a culminating activity to the social studies unit on communities.

The program showed the students how to be a baker, provides goods and services to the New City community. The classes observed pastries being decorated and the process of making Italian pies. They were also shown all the equipment that is needed to provide goods for the consumer.

Educators retire

Katherine McManis, who retired after 40 1/2 years of teaching in the North Rockland School District this year, was honored by having the North Rockland High School Chapter of the National Honor Society dedicated to her.

The Board of Education expressed appreciation to Mrs. McManis and noted that her teaching has inspired and enriched her students, lives through her greater understanding of the English language and the literature of the ages.

Priscilla Gammon, mathematics teacher at the North Rockland School District for 47 years, is retiring this year.

The school board noted that Mrs. Gammon has served with loyalty and dedication and has demonstrated a professional manner, patience and deep understanding as teacher and guide to several generations of students over the years.

Student honored

Christi Miller, student at Suffern High School, is the recipient of the 1978 Ames Scholarship for four years of college study leading to a baccalaureate degree.

Mrs. Miller plans to attend Wheaton College in Illinois. She is a member of the National Honor Society, a National Merit Scholarship Program Line of Commendation recipient and is co-valedictorian of her class.

Registration

The Campus Fun & Learn Child Care Center, Inc. a nonprofit pre-school center located on the campus of Rockland Community College, opens registration for the second summer session now through July 15, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in room C346. Session runs from July 17 through August 25 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

Registration is open to children of Rockland Community College students and all community children. The kindergarten readiness program will be Monday and Wednesday (9 a.m. to 12 noon). For further information/contact center.

SERVICE NEWS

Resident finishes at West Point

By MEREDITH BROWN
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Thomas Grant of New City has graduated from the U.S. Military Academy, West Point. He is the son of the late Tom Grant and Mrs. Richard Grant of 188 Third Street.

Navy Boiler Technician Foreman John P. Schlimm of Chatsworth recently participated in the major allied exercise, "Frogman 78." He is assigned to the frigate USS Harold I. Holt, home ported at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Mr. Schlimm and his crew and evaluated the combat readiness of participating units. Areas covered included amphibious warfare, air defense and carrier operations as well as amphibious landing operations. Participants included U.S. Navy, U.S. Marine Corps, U.S. Army and U.S. Navy personnel from 22,000 units from the U.S., Canada and New Zealand participated. Schlimm is the son of Jack Schlimm of Seven H. Fred Gardner joined the Navy in June 1965.

Coast Guard Marine Scout Team Captain Robert G. Michael K. Allen of New City is participating in a Coast Guard Academy cadet training cruise in Europe. He is assigned to the Coast Guard Cutter (T-14) "homedepot" at Governors Island, N.Y. The ship will visit England, France, Spain and Morocco to train future Coast Guard officers in the various aspects of shipboard life. Allen of 224 S. Mountain Rd. is a 1977 graduate of the Florida Institute of Technology, Jensen Beach. He joined the Coast Guard in February 1976.

Fire Control Technician Third Class Gregory A. Newell of Spring Valley was promoted to his present rank upon graduation from Fire Control Technicians School. During the 25-week course at Naval Training Center Great Lakes, Ill., he received instruction in the electronic weapons systems installed aboard current U.S. warships. He is a 1977 graduate of Spring Valley High School and the son of Mrs. Rita M. Newell at 29 Bethune Blvd. He joined the Navy in August 1977.

Steven A. Cohen of Haverstraw has been commissioned a second lieutenant through the Air Force ROTC Officers Training Camp program and earned a B.S. degree in chemistry at Colorado State University. Lieutenant Cohen is being assigned to a 1984 F-16 fighter jet as a 1984 High School. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Cohen, reside at 90 Halgreen Crescent.

Navy Lieutenant Commander James H. Lantry of Chatsworth has completed the Aviation Safety Command Course, conducted at the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, Calif. It trains senior officers in the procedures for investigating aircraft accidents and the methods for conducting effective aircraft accident prevention programs. Students received instruction on aeromedical, engineering, aviation, physiology, psychology, and legal matters related to investigation and boards of inquiry. Lantry's wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon J. Hill of Gary Lane, a 1964 graduate of West Christian University. He joined the Navy in April 1966.

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