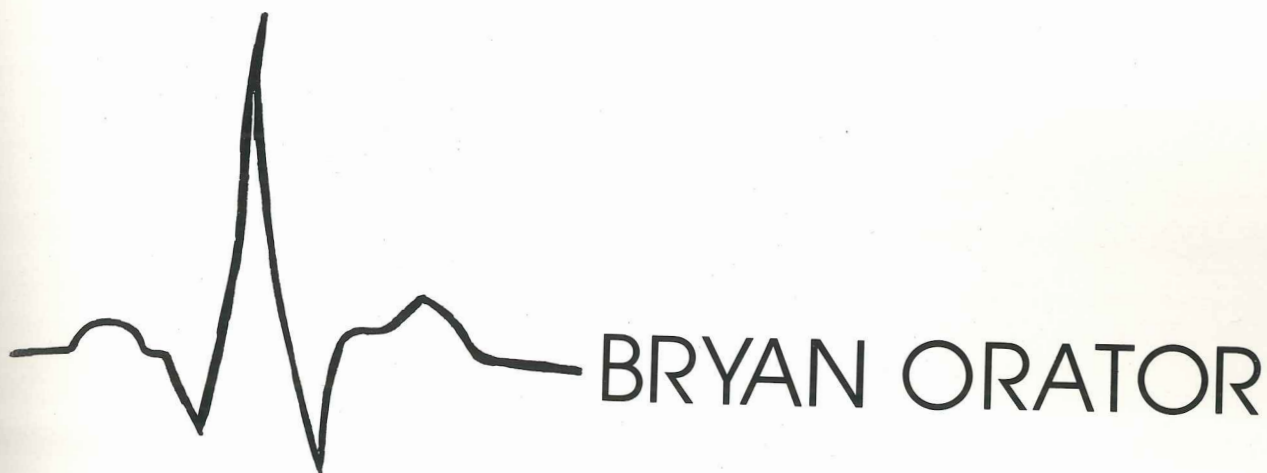


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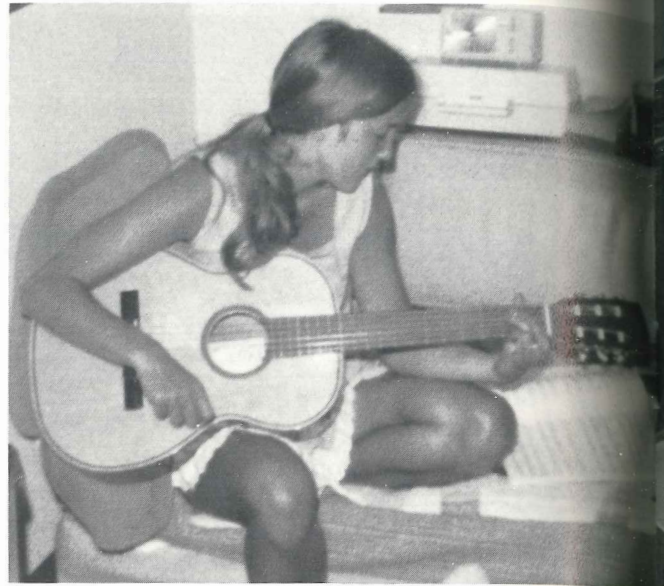


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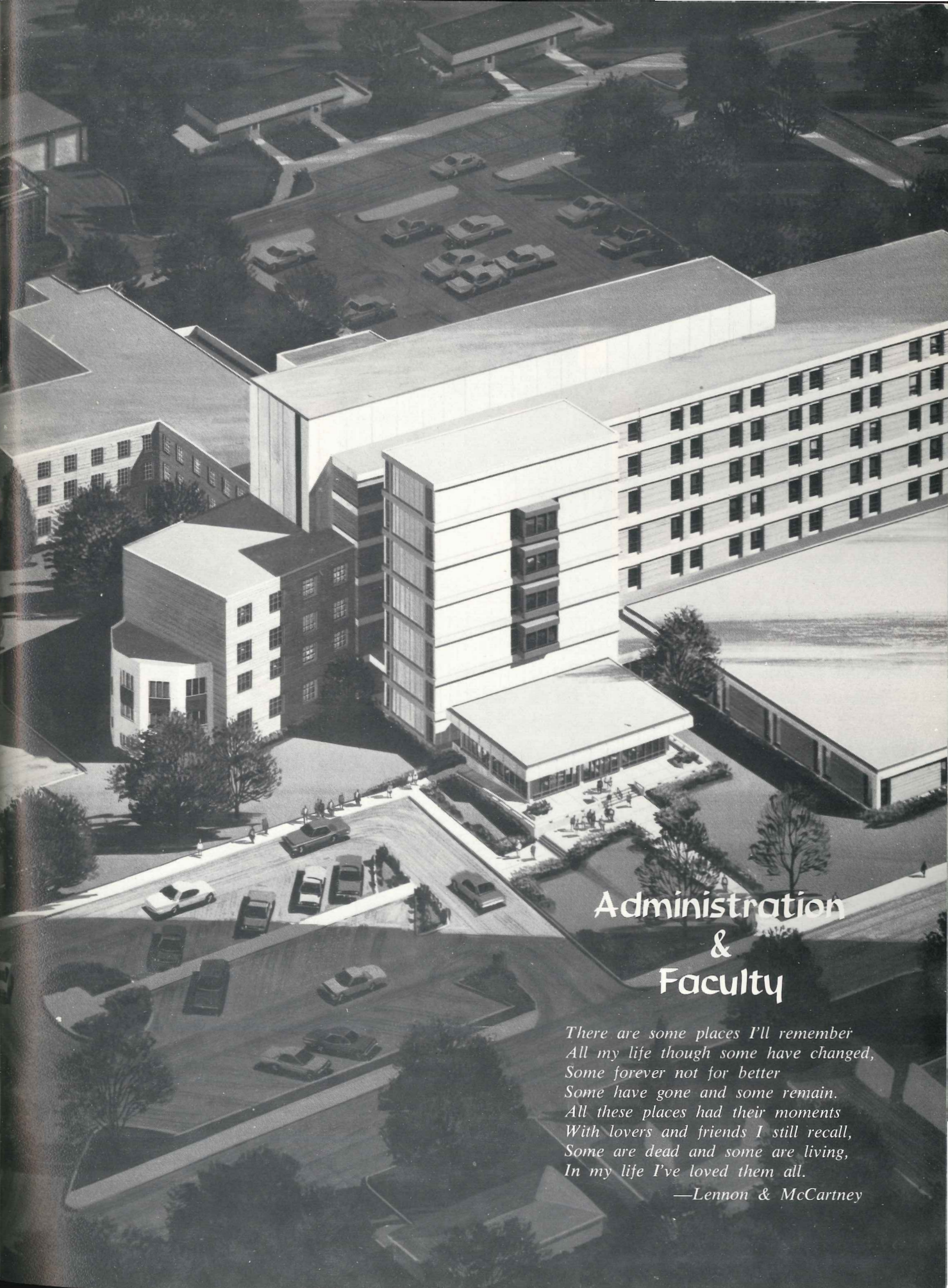
**Bryan Memorial School  
of Nursing  
1975**



Every beat of the heart... Every tick of  
the clock... Brings us that much closer...







## Administration & Faculty

*There are some places I'll remember  
All my life though some have changed,  
Some forever not for better  
Some have gone and some remain.  
All these places had their moments  
With lovers and friends I still recall,  
Some are dead and some are living,  
In my life I've loved them all.*

*—Lennon & McCartney*





*EUGENE EDWARDS: President  
of Administration*



*RON WACHTER: Vice President  
of Administration*



*PHYLLIS BOVEE: Director  
of Nursing Education*

## Administration & Faculty



*Elaine Garrison: Curriculum Coordinator  
Phylis Stelling: Med-Surg. Coordinator*



*Betty Rasmusson:  
Clinical Coordinator*





# Faculty

*Our instructors and teachers; More than that, though, really. They are examples to learn from, counselors and advisors and friends. As students we talk about them, watch and listen to them, ignore them, complain about them, and aspire to become what they are: Nurses.*



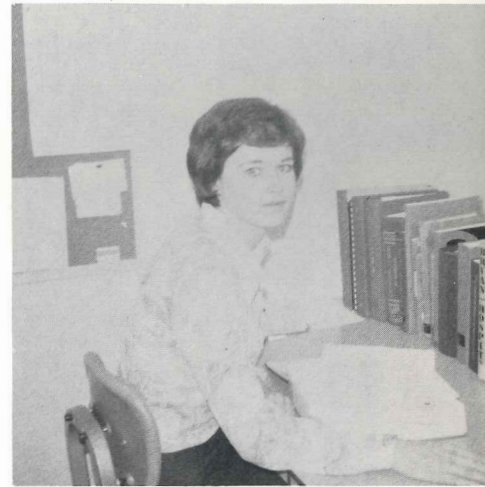
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3-11 Instructors*



*Dorlene Pickerel—3rd West  
Janette Vanderslice—5th Floor*





*Kathy Miller—Pediatrics*



*Kathryn Waldo and Marion Allen—Obstetrics*



*Sue Wismer—Pediatrics*



*Alta Wickless—6th Floor*



*Janet Vrtiska—Tabitha*



*Karen Westover and Ruth Radenslaben—Surgery  
Cheryl Miller—Intensive and Coronary Care*





*Marie Reed—Librarian*



*Lucille Brakhage—Guidance Counselor  
Choir Director*



*Housemothers—Mrs. Huenink, Mrs. Stotts, Mrs. Rutledge, Mrs. Hume—Residence Director. Seated—Mrs. Suhr, Mrs. Conwell. Not pictured—Mrs. Loy.*



*Shirley Thursby and  
Betty Hoffman—Secretaries*

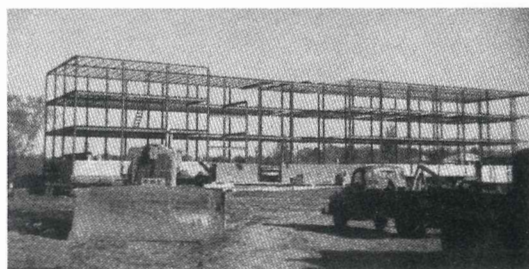
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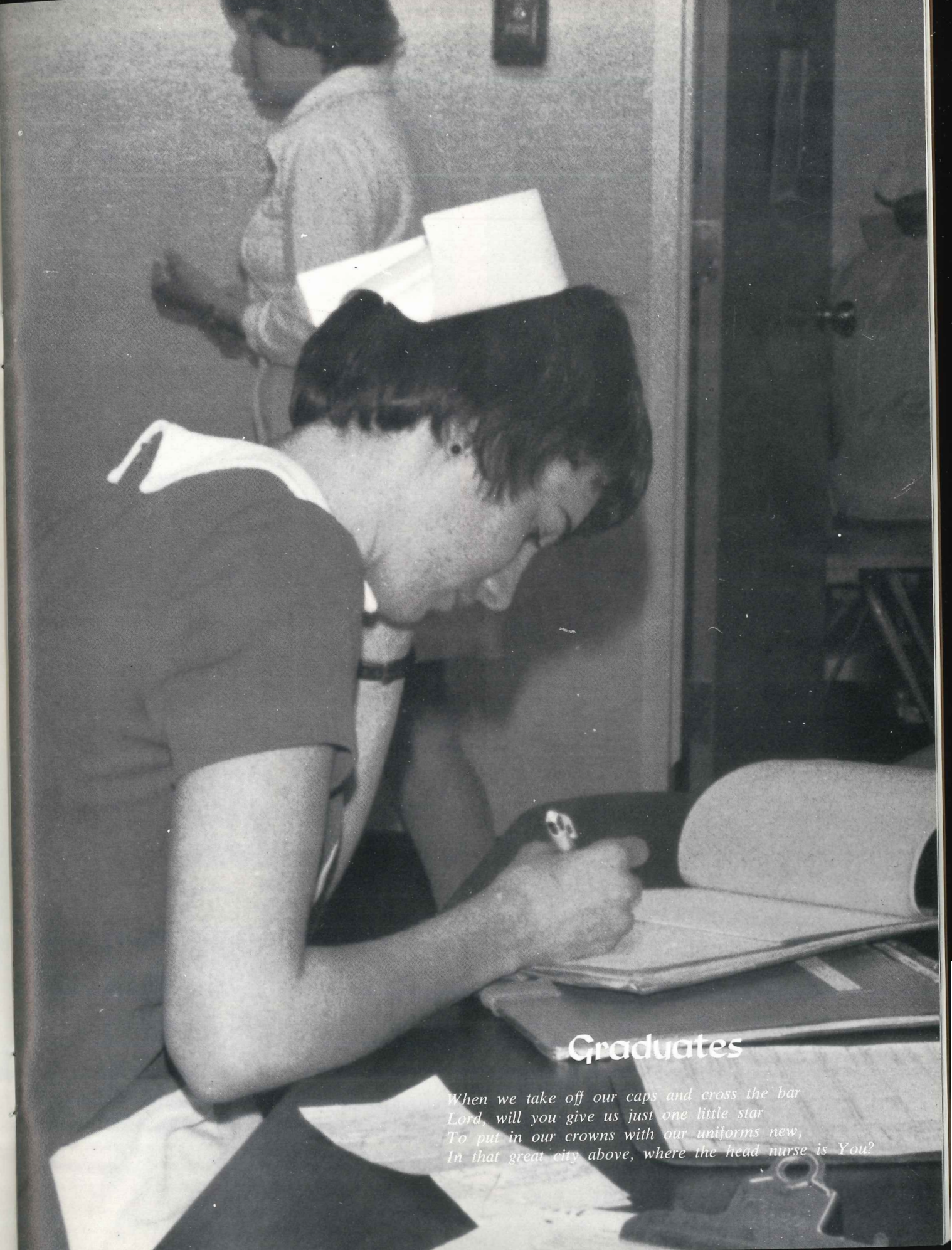


# Memorabilia

*Change is a familiar thing at Bryan: a part of everyday and not the end, just the beginning. Every tick of the clock, every beat of the heart, brings us that much closer. Change is time becoming tomorrow, and remembering yesterday and the way it was, today.*







## Graduates

*When we take off our caps and cross the bar  
Lord, will you give us just one little star  
To put in our crowns with our uniforms new,  
In that great city above, where the head nurse is You?*





*Sharon Ahlers*



*Kristin Anderson*



*Kathryn Augustin*



*Jolene Bantz*



*Priscilla Boyer*



*Delores Brabander*

## 1975 Graduates



*Carolyn Brewer*



*Janelle Bruning*



*Sheryl Buller*



*Carol Buntemeyer*



*Gloria Carlson*



*Carol Chambers*





*Joan Chandler*



*Ruth Clerc*



*Sandra Coleman*



*Nancy Doll*



*Joyce Dewald*



*Nancy Evans*



*Janell Eichmeier*



*Delores Farlin*



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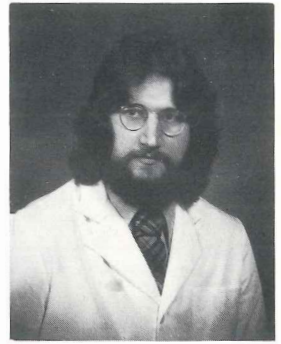
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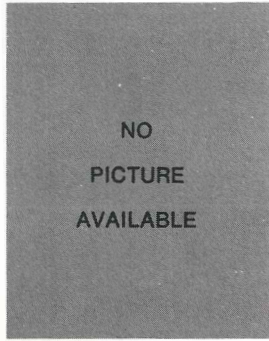
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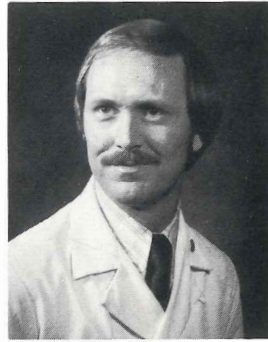
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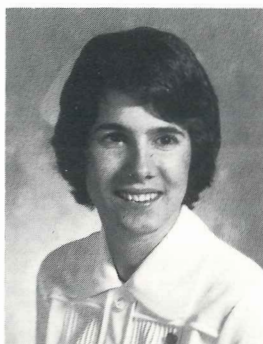


*Dixie Lostroh*



*So much of life I've yet to live;  
So much of me I've yet to give;  
So much of words I've yet to say;  
So much of pain I've yet to pay;  
So much of love I've yet to learn;  
So much of doubt I've yet to burn.*





*Elizabeth McBeth*



*Maralee Mitzer*



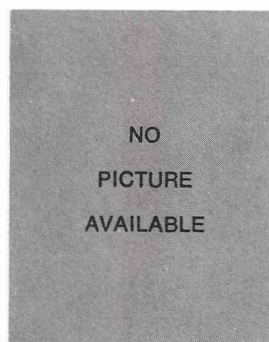
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*Janet Olmsted*



*Janet Penkava*



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*Nancy Peterson*



*Brenda Pope*



*Robin Prenzlöw*



*Francis Prokop*





*Mary Quackenbush*



*Cindy Reed*



*Bonnie Runty*



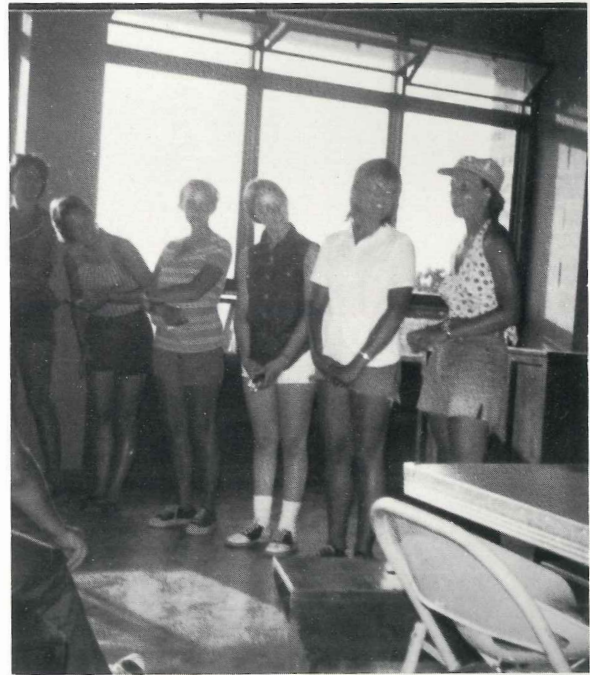
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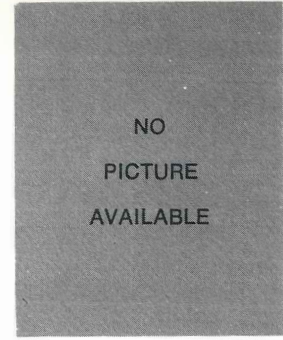
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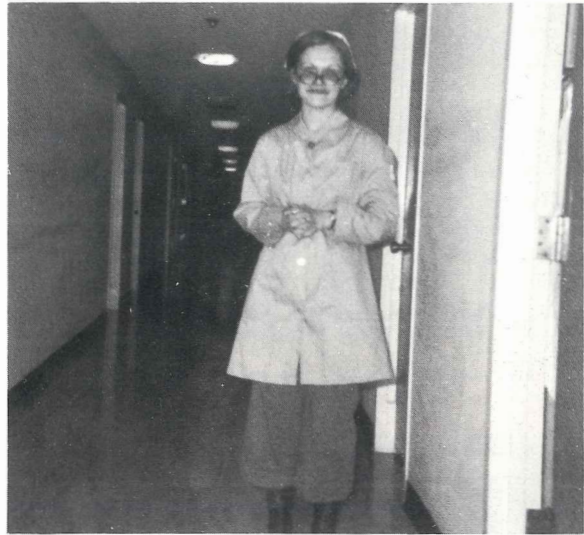
Connie Wood



Mary Woodruff



Jennifer Zuellner



*The first year at Bryan: big white nurse's shoes, care plans, enema lab, bed baths, learning from the bottom up. Becoming. TPR's, injections and finally the first reward: a stiff, starched white nurse's cap. The long, bleak winter, creeping along in bland sameness . . . spent somewhere between 7-3, 3-11, class and Brunner. Going there but getting there slowly. Becoming, slowly becoming.*

*The second year at Bryan: somehow, much shorter than the first. Rotations, a chronic shortage of time, pedi scrap-book, followthroughs, more care plans, team leading.*

*Graduation: the white nurse's shoes are still just as big . . . but you are filling them better now. You have become, nurse.*





## Juniors



*I solemnly pledge myself before God and in the presence of this assembly, to pass my life in purity and to practice my profession faithfully. I will abstain from whatever is mischievous and will not take or knowingly administer any harmful drug. I will do all in my power to maintain and elevate the standard of my profession and will hold in confidence all personal matters committed to my keeping and all family matters coming to my knowledge in the practice of my calling. With loyalty will I endeavor to aid the physician in his work and devote myself to the welfare of those committed to my care.*



# Juniors

*There are some memories now,  
But still more to be gathered up  
Along the way.  
Lessons have been learned,  
In classes and out,  
But more to be instilled  
In the days to come  
And together,  
As friends,  
We'll grow a little more.  
We won't forget the simple things,  
For, vague though they may be,  
They matter.*

—Pat Fosket Pace



*Audrey Lentfer  
Nancy Moyer  
Brenda Remmenga  
Deann Peters  
Susan Loschen  
Marjorie Menejee*

*Debbie Sorenson  
Katherine Sjodin  
Terry Sweet  
Debbie Wiemer  
Denise Wallerstedt  
Sue West*







*Marsha Ruhter  
Diane Rose  
Janelle Siebert  
Kathy Stoddard  
Diana Wollen*



*Betty Chittenden  
Linda Croghan  
Jerry Giardina  
LeAnn DeBoer  
Pam Einspahr*



*Mike Hull  
Pam Miller  
Gwen Gorthey  
Aryles Goertzen  
Greg Golter*





*Linda Hirschman  
Debra Gentzler  
Becky Dinkelman  
Judy Ewell  
Gail Gocke  
Vicki Heberlee*



*Bonnie Hain  
Betty Karmazin  
Sue Easterly  
Penni Brunning  
Joan Alt*







*Earl Webber  
 Peggy Nelson  
 Laura Turley  
 Betty Sawyer  
 Kay Nieveen*

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 Debra Kilgore  
 Kristen Rasmus  
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 Debra Becker  
 Pia Biloft  
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 Ruth Miller  
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 Debra Zimmerman  
 JoAnn Andersen  
 Jeri Meyer  
 Catherine Lien  
 JoAnn Stonacek  
 Patricia Chicoine*





## Activities

*Time is not measured by the passing of years,  
but by what one does, what one feels and what  
one achieves.*

*—Jawaharlal Nehru*





# NSSNA District Three



Jan Vrtiska NSSNA Sponsor

## OFFICERS

Carolyn Brewer ..... President State Legislature Chairman  
Carol Chambers ..... Second Vice-President  
Peggy Nelson ..... Treasurer





# Spread Joy!

*Sing, Sing a song!  
Make it simple to last  
Your whole life long!  
No matter if it's not good enough  
For anyone else to hear,  
Just sing!  
Sing a Song!*

*The Bryan School of Nursing Choir, under the direction of Lucille Brakhage sang and entertained at many engagements over the past year. Among these were capping, Doctor's Staff Christmas dinner, Christmas concert at Calvary Church, graduation and many others.*



*Lucille Brakhage—Director*



*The Bryan Singing Nurses*

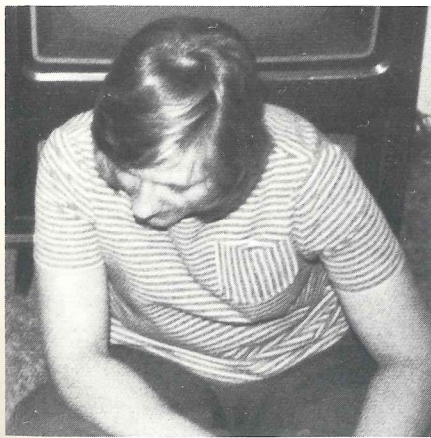


# Sports

(1) 74-75 softball team, (1st row) J. Chandler, D. Strumpler, D. Fougeron. (2nd row) L. Croghan, J. Chandler, P. Miller, J. Vrtiska, S. Bienhoff, L. DeBoer. The season record for the softball girls was 8-6 with the highlight of the season being the victory over the Bryan Hospital softball team. Coach was J. Vrtiska. (2) P. Miller, D. Strumpler watch progress of game. (3) The Bryan volleyball team captured the class B-1 championship title during their 74-75 season. J. Vrtiska and P. Mehmkin coached the undefeated team: J. Chandler, G. Gocke, P. Miller, S. West, K. Nieveen, L. DeBoer, N. Evans, P. Mehmkin, coach.







*working*

*laughing*

*crying*

*running*

*talking*

*gripping*

*cropping*

*typing*

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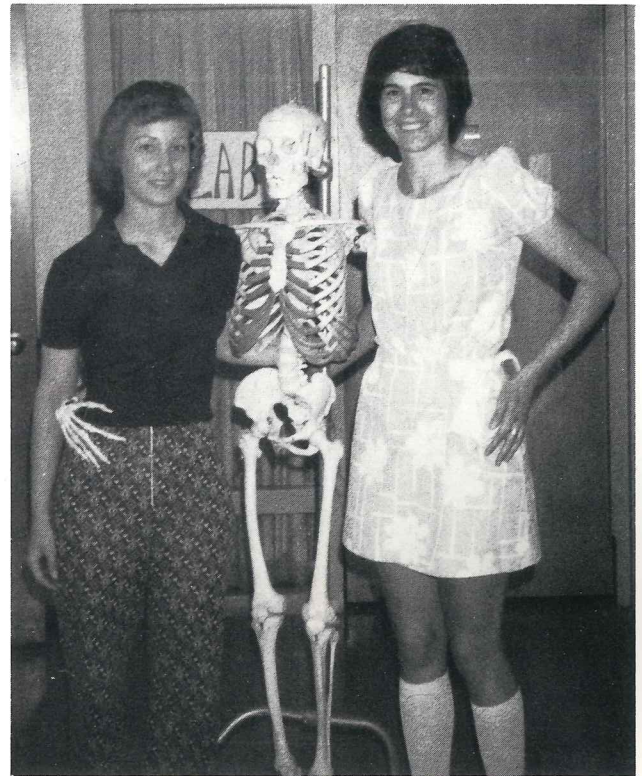
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*finishing*



*Editors: B. Runty and B. McBeth*

## **Annual Staff capturing memories**



*Staff: N. Evans, J. Brunning, L. DeBoer, J. Chandler, C. Brewer, and D. Hostick.*



# Student Life



*Trick or Treat!*



*Morning? Already?*



*Ranch Hand, Sue!*



*In an all girl dorm you take anything!*



*You said it hurts where?*



*Pull her string and she'll do her thing.*

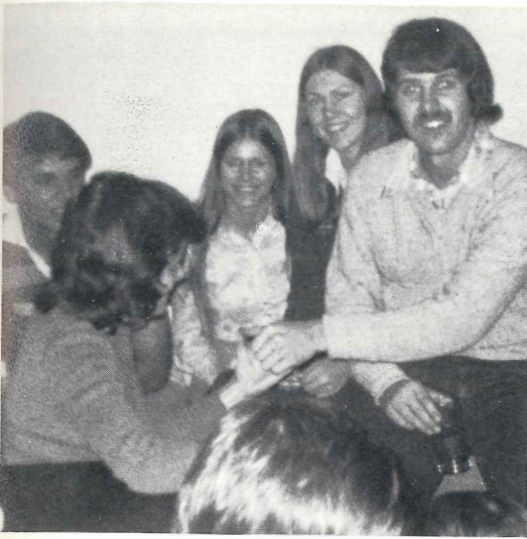


*A little get-together at Tony & Luigi's before rotations.*



*A beautiful night at HRC-huh, Sandy?*





*J. J.—the champion thumb wrestler!*



*We'll get us out somehow!*



*Just another study break at HRC!*



*Who says it's messy?*



*Marsha & Jenni—Finally a cap to really feel like a nurse!*



*Happy B-day, Ruth!*



*Right hand green, right foot red—what do you think I am?*



*Santa even remembers good little junior SN's.*



*Good-night Brewer!*





*Beach beauties—Sharon, Rose, Sandy, Carol, Margi and Carolyn.*



*z-z-z-z-z-z-z-z*



*You went how far, Cindy?*



*There's nothing like a friend!*



*And then—Oh, you just won't believe this!*



*Is it safe to come out?*



*We're not modest—of course juniors are tops!*



*A little DP after a hard day at work.*







*Together we'll make it through the first four weeks.*



*Anyone want a carrot?*



*Once in a while you have to improvise!*



*Sig: 1 popcorn party q d @ hs.*



*Got'cha!*



*So what if the kid looks like he's 11 years old—he's doing what the 3 year old is supposed to do.*



*Rose, Sandy, Carolyn, and DeLila down on the farm.*



*What a day!!!*







*The singing nurse.*

*Time for fun after surgery is over!*

*Let me look at my schedule—I think I could fit you in at 2.*



*John Denver sure beats Brunner!*



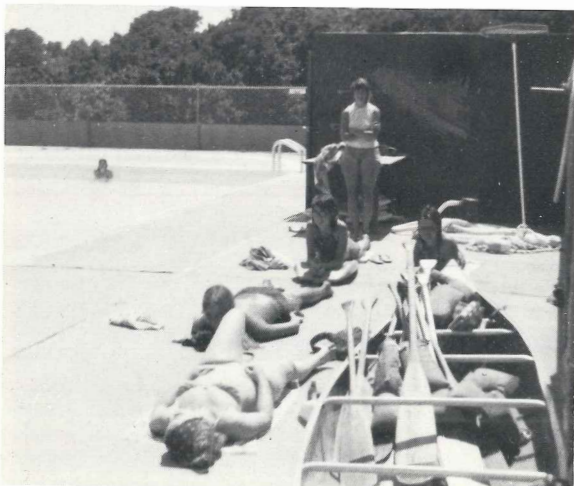
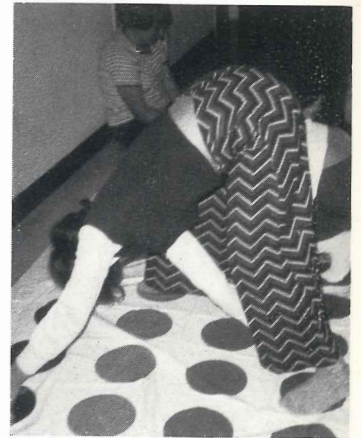
*We're all here!*



*You want me to bring you back a rich Arab from our trip?  
How many more?*



*Miss Westover—All I'm going to look for is an Arab that is rich and good-looking!*



*The only way to spend a beautiful summer afternoon.*



*Now let me see if I am getting this on straight!*





