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Bregenz Offers New Programs For Study

Fifty-six college students sailed aboard the S.S. Queen Frederica, Wednesday, Sept. 12 for one year of upper undergraduate level study at the new Wagner College Institute in historic Bregenz, Austria.

Prior to departure, the students and their relatives attended an orientation at Wagner College. Featured were talks by Wilhelm Schlag, cultural attache of the Austrian Consulate General in New York City, and Dr. Arthur O. Davidson, president of Wagner.

Accompanying the students on their voyage is Dr. Gaspard L. Pinette, director of the Institute and head of the department of foreign languages at Wagner, and his wife.

Although the majority of the students attending the Institute are from Wagner College, 13 other colleges and universities are represented.

They are Temple, Hollins, Barnard, Vermont, Gettysburg, Simmons, St. Olaf, Luther, Lenoir Rhyne, Pittsburgh, Nevada, Pace and Western.

Courses at Bregenz will be taught by fully-accredited English-speaking European professors. Classes will be held at the Palace Thurn-Taxis on the shore of the Lake of Constance.

Bregenz officials have equipped a reading room and library in the palace. Books about Austria have been donated by the Austrian Ministry of Education.

Courses offered include German and French language and literature; English literature; European, Medieval, and Modern History; the history of Medieval, Renaissance, and Modern Art; the History of Philosophy; Economics; Political Science; Sociology; Anthropology; Music; Fine Arts and the Philosophy of Education.

Each student will be required to carry an academic load of 15 hours. Included in the year's



Dr. Pinette and Bregenz Student board bus.

study will be excursions to Switzerland, Germany, Italy, and France.

Following the European system, the students will not live on campus but will be provided with accommodations at a hotel in Bregenz.

The capital of Austria's province of Vorarlberg, Bregenz has a population of approximately 25,00 and is situated at the foot of the Arlberg Alps. It has its own theatre, museum, and other facilities of broad cultural interest.

Germany and Switzerland are only a few miles away and the cities of Zurich, St. Gallen, Innsbruck, Munich, and Stuttgart are within easy reach.

According to Dr. Pinette, "Bregenz should give our American students an unparalleled opportunity to become acquainted with the most ancient as well as the most modern manifestations of European civilization."

The Institute, unusual in that it is not affiliated with any European university, has the approval of the United States Department of Health, Education, and Welfare and the Board of Higher Education of the State of New York.

The planning stages involved considerable liaison with the Austrian Consulate General in New York and the Board of Higher Education of the Province of Vorarlberg.

SA Voices Welcome

As President of the Student Association and in behalf of the Executive Committee, I extend greetings to the whole student body returning for this year of 1962-63. Although the expression, "Welcome," has been used constantly during Orientation Week, it has to be used once more with the obviously dynamic class of '66.

During the past few months the Student Association has been actively working towards an effective governmental system that can meet the representative demands of our increasing student body. There can be no promises made by this administration except that all our efforts will be concentrated toward one goal, and that will be the creation an efficient administrative system to operate within our present Constitution.

Internal planning is the keynote of our goal this year. Through the filing of records, past and present, through the creation of a smooth flowing means of communication within the system, by a controlled network of official channels, and by maintaining a simplicity in structure of the whole student organization, we expect to create an efficient and effective representative government. Our general view is that future student governments, not only the present system, will benefit and grow from our accomplishments during the academic year, 1962-63.

Bart Hose

Area Collegians Organize MIAC, Aiming At Action

Inter-collegiate activities in the Metropolitan area will be co-ordinated for the first time under the Metropolitan Inter-Collegiate Activities Council (MIAC).

Bradley Sherman, sophomore, represented Wagner at the first meeting, April 14, at Loeb Center, New York University.

Representatives from City College, Columbia, Fashion Institute of Technology, Fairleigh Dickinson University, Finch College, Hofstra College, Molloy College, New York University (Commerce Division), St. John's University and Suffolk Community College met three days later to draft the Constitution.

This Constitution must now be ratified by the respective student governments.

According to Mr. Sherman, "The students at this meeting were friendly and intelligent. As soon as the Constitution is ratified and formalities are cleared up, this organization should prove very fruitful."

Bob Milner, (Hofstra) President of MIAC Steering Committee stressed the fact that "this organization will not be a political one . . . but will operate mutually exclusive of such groups as the National Student Association."

According to the Executive Committee of the Wagner Student Association, the Wagner Association has withdrawn from NSA, but considers MIAC a worthwhile endeavor, and perhaps a starting point for reentrance to a national political student organization.

The purposes of MIAC as stated by its Steering Committee are as follows:

- (1) Means of communication among member colleges.
- (2) Aid member colleges through exchange of ideas.
- (3) Give counsel to individual college student organizations.
- (4) Establish a leadership training program.
- (5) Promote unity among colleges in the metropolitan area.
- (6) Cooperative buying power for entertainment.
- (7) Formulation of journal on places to go.

Beginning this month, meetings will be held alternately at member college campuses. Mr. Sherman will continue to represent Wagner College.

Calendar meeting—Sept. 27, 4 P.M. in room 15.

Any organization that wants a date for this year must submit the dates in writing before this time so that the date may be considered.

Student Association Plans Revitalization

Student Association business will be conducted from the new Association Office located in B-8 in the Main Building.

The new administration is the first of Wagner College student governments to organize a complete filing system of all student activities. The files are dated from 1938 to the present.

"We are anticipating a year of active student participation in the Association which will prove beneficial to the individual student as well as the College as a whole," asserted Bart Hose, Association President, while meeting with the Executive committee.

The Committee members elected last May are Vice-president, Barry Levine; Secretary, Christine Zavodny; Treasurer, William Johnston; On-hill Councilman, Chester Brodnicki, Off-hill Councilman, George Cruzado.

The new office will be open daily so that any student may find a member of the Committee. The schedule for office hours will be as follows:

- Monday—11-12
- Tuesday—1-2
- Wednesday—11-12
- Thursday—1-2
- Friday—1-2

Sending representative Brad Sherman, sophomore, to the first meeting of Metropolitan Inter-collegiate Activities Council in April, 1962 was the first act of the new Association.

Greetings

Dr. Arthur O. Davidson
President, Wagner College

Had you been either Stanley or Livingstone at their historic meeting in darkest Africa, you would have experienced a great feeling of exhilaration, long remembered.

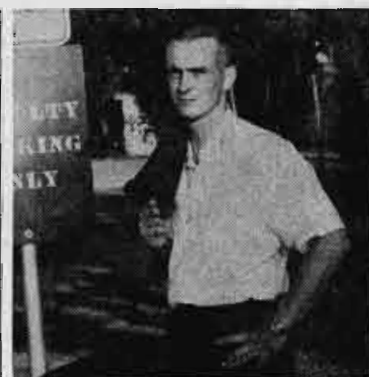
Had you been out of the astronauts during their epochal flights in outer space, you would have sensed the poignant fact that you were making history.

We of the faculty like to think that great ideas are taking shape here at Wagner College. It is not unreasonable to imagine that Nobel Prize winners, religious leaders, and even chiefs of state may be germinating their futures here and now.

What about you? Will your ideas—your ideals—make something exciting and possibly even historic, happen?

The eternal Christian message of "man born anew" may inspire in your hearts and minds a way of life more amazing and more precious than all the inventions of outer space.

I greet you and welcome you to join me in striving for this enjoyable and exciting experience.



BART HOSE

For the first time in many years in the history of the College students will be represented on the Disciplinary Board, the highest authority dealing with student conduct on campus, with the exception of the President of the College.

The Board consists of the Dean of Students, a Personnel Dean, and now the President of the Student Association.

Also, students will now have an equal vote with the faculty on the Traffic Committee. Barry Levine, Association Vice-President, and Ellen White, Editor-in-Chief of the Wagnerian, are student representatives to the Committee.

"Any student who has a complaint with the traffic department or dining hall should speak with me immediately," asserted Vice-President Levine, Chairman of the Traffic and Dining Hall Committees.

Also, in order to unify and strengthen student activities, class officers and committee chairmen must report monthly to the Association Vice-President.

The following committees have been set up with their respective chairman of delegates: PROMOTIONS, Bob Mertens, STUDENT CURRICULUM, Lois Schutz and Luise Wischhusen, Co-chairmen, TRADITIONS, Howie Meyers, BOARD OF SOCIAL AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS, Lynn Vocke.

In effort to tighten communications on campus, off-hill and on-hill mailboxes will be put in the Hawk's Nest.

Also, the new student administration "has hopes" of improving communications by obtaining the public address system on the top of the Main Building.

News of the Association will be printed in the Wagnerian in a permanent Student Association column.

Attention
Student Association Meeting

Thursday, Sept. 27

4:00

Place To Be Announced

From The Editor's Desk

Progress — Not Promises

The new Student Association has exhibited more cognizance of issues and strength of character in one week than its predecessors did in entire terms. Although much work is still needed it is heartening to see the vigorous reorganization being accomplished by the Student Association President and his Executive Committee. For the first time in our memory, students can contact a member of the Executive Committee without the frustration of tedious and often unrewarded search.

Liason Between Students and Administration

One of the primary functions of the Student Association is the maintenance of an effective liason between students and administration. In the past there has been little, if any, satisfaction along these lines due to apathy and/or inefficiency on the part of all concerned. Now that the Student Association is finally breathing with a spark of life, it is the responsibility of the administration and the students to do their part. Conflicts and problems arising on both sides must be channeled directly through the Student Association in order to avoid the misunderstandings of the past which resulted in the complete breakdown of student government on this campus.

The student body is in a position to stand behind its elected officers and support them in the vital programming of student government. This does not mean passive submission to the whims of either the Executive Committee or the administration. Agreement is not always the keynote of success. Strong support must necessarily involve intelligent comprehension of the issues as they arise. It constitutes a knowledgeable awareness of improvements needed. It calls for action, not Hawk's Nest griping. The first step is attendance at the Student Council and Student Association meetings next week. But neither is mere presence a guarantee of success.

Activity, Not Passivity

The students must conduct themselves in a manner worthy of the responsibility they hold. Without this, we, the students of Wagner College, are leaving ourselves open to tyranny from above and chaos from below. Should this happen, we have only ourselves to blame.

Welcome Frosh

No initial issue of a college newspaper would be complete without a sincere welcome to the new Freshmen. At the moment you are caught up in a whirl of activities, numbed by the newness of everything and confused by the rapidity of the pace. You are undoubtedly being pulled in many directions. It is important to choose selectively and wisely—whether it be friends or organizations. Extra-curricular activities are worthwhile when not overdone. Remember that you are also here to learn and in this respect it is helpful to get off on the right foot.

We are sure that under the able leadership of your newly elected officers the class of 1966 will make a vital contribution to the growth and development of Wagner as a college.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

The fact that there is no housemother in Guild Hall has placed a heavy burden on the shoulders of three student proctors. The entire responsibility of over 150 girls rests with these proctors.

Although proctors had similar responsible duties in the past, they always had the presence of an older, competent person to reassure them and contend with emergencies.

The housemother is also in charge of all teas and other functions held in Beisler Lounge. Who will take charge? The proctors? With a raise in pay?

I feel that the administration should immediately rectify this situation before a specific and unfortunate incident causes regrets.

Yours truly,
A dorm student

Dear Editor:

ADVICE TO THE FROSH ON THE PRINCIPLE OF SUCCESS

Do nothing and say nothing that is against Wagner tradition. But always give the appearance of being interested, alert and active. Smile at the proper times and use alcohol to explain your jolliness. If you are a girl, join a sorority which can tell you what to do and make you feel secure.

Should it be that you are a male, well, all you have to do is be one of the boys discussing sex, girls, booze and all the things you aren't. Once you are established you can enter the local political, beauty, or playboy of the month contest.

You have to accept the fact that your chances of winning depend not on your ability or good looks, but on the size of the herd you run around with.

The Prophet

Dear Editor:

For your next gala issue of the Wagnerian, we, the intelligentsia of New York City, have prepared a colossal treat for your readers. It's called SQRAM.

After reading Wagnerians of the past few years, we have decided that there is an essential element lacking. We intend to fill that gap . . . with our wit.

Within the next few days, you will have the dubious privilege of reading our first effort. Your readers will await its publication with bated breath. We are taking time from our own scholastic pursuits of chug-a-lug and maiden watching to bring SQRAM to you. Watch for this informative and interesting work. We ask only that our anonymity be preserved. We remain incognito,

"J & B"

Dear Editor:

What we need in our school paper is a column of advice to the Lovelorn. I mean like I've got a problem and need help badly.

It all began when I lost my baby teeth; like when those incisors came in, oh they were swingin' A-OK, but those bicuspids, man like I mean they were way out of it. Mother decided I needed braces. She paid all kinds of money for them. But what did they do for me? They made me very unhappy—like I was way-out depressed about it all. Whenever relatives visited I always had to smile and show where all mommy's money went. Other than that, I never opened my mouth. It's horrible to go through life without ever smiling.

Oh—my problem?—I've never been kissed, like I mean ever. And I mean like I've got it bad, real bad.

It is frustrating; I've thought about other boys with braces but that only created a bigger problem—like sparks, charges or even getting hooked up and caught—forever.

Embarassing? Like it'd be all over then!

Editor—I need help. Like I know I don't need a couch-yet, but if our paper could have someone to advise me and others with problems, everything would be all right. Like I might even be normal someday.

Lolita

Dear Editor:

There has arisen a rather appalling situation at Wagner. The Frosh seem to take absolutely no interest in the activities which surround them. An air of dormancy surrounds nearly every one of them.

It would appear that the current attitude of the Frosh is "Let George do it," but there seems to be a pitiful lack of "George" about. The constant complaints of the Freshman Class is that Wagner is a "dead" college, but ask one of them to do some work to help make Wagner more alive and they vanish to various "places of recreation."

Where is the spirit in the class of '66? Where's the pride? Where the get up and do something besides eat, sleep, and play cards?

Hymshmarel Fitz-Patrick

Curriculum Committee Under Way

The Student Curriculum Committee, which functions as an integral part of the Student Association, attempts to evaluate and improve the curriculum and the academic calendar. The Committee has been active during the past semester working on a modified unlimited cut system and programs of independent study. The committee welcomes suggestions from the student body. Any upperclassman interested in joining this committee may contact either Lois Schutz or Luise Wischhusen.

Art Club To Swing

The Art Club of Wagner College has announced its first meeting will be held on Monday night, Sept. 24 at Demyans Hofbrau, in the upstairs gallery. Time: 8:00 P. M. This meeting is not limited to those who are actively engaged in painting, et al, or to art students. It is open to all who have a sincere interest in art and/or a desire to increase their cultural range. In a statement issued by Meta Hoblin and Dick Nusser (Co-chairmen of the club) it was announced that the Art Club would not be patterned on the lines of an "organizational type" society but rather an informal, social atmosphere will prevail. The aim of the club is to provide the proper atmosphere conditions for a stimulating exchange of ideas. The club will be more of a free wheeling exposure to the world of art than it has been in the past. It asks, in effect, not what you can do for the art club but what it can do for you in the way of cultivating your taste and understanding of fine art. The agenda thus far looks like a high geared, sophisticated plan for introducing the Wagner student to the cultural mecca of New York City. The club feels that a museum trip should be up to the individual student, not a mass guided tour under the auspices of a club. Its intention is to visit the more interesting exhibitions-private showings, gallery shows and special art lectures-things special and different. These trips would be followed by meetings held in town immediately after the event. These meetings would be held in a congenial, public spot (coffee shop, etc.) ETC.? affording the members the opportunity.

Opera Showcase Set For Oct. 28

The Opera Showcase, created by Gerhard Pechner, bass-baritone of the Metropolitan Opera, a performing ensemble of 40 young singers, selected by Mr. Pechner from more than 500 auditioning artists will be presented October 28 in the Wagner College auditorium.

The contribution will be \$4.00 and there are 40 special student seats available for \$1.00. The proceeds of the Showcase will benefit the new dormitory development program.

Highlighting the program will be selections from *La Forza Del Destino* by Verdi, *Don Giovanni* by Mozart, and *Die Fledermaus* by Johann Strauss.

The commentator will be Milton Cross, of the Metropolitan Opera of the Air and the ABC Network. The stage direction will be handled by Michael Manuel, who is the executive stage director of the Metropolitan Opera. The music will be under the direction of Millard Altman of the Philadelphia and Pittsburgh Opera Companies.

Every year the Liederkrantz Foundation awards five scholarships to the most talented of these singers. In this performance, the finest voices of this ensemble, together with Mr. Pechner, will be heard.

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See Alex Sickert any afternoon in the Yearbook office-basement of the President's House.

There will be a special staff meeting at 3 p.m., Friday, Sept. 21, 1962.

New Colors Denote Places For Parking

The Wagner College Traffic Committee is composed of two students appointed by the President of the Student Association, two professors appointed by the President of the College, one personnel Dean and the Director of Securities.

The establishment and enforcement of the new laws pertaining to the operation of motor vehicles rests in their hands. Each student is required to adhere to the various by-laws. It is therefore suggested that each operator learn the meaning of the rules and understand them thoroughly.

Four types of permits will be issued. **Red permits** are issued to faculty and administrative staff only. **Yellow stickers** will be issued to College staff and resident students only. **Green permits** will be for all other eligible students. **Temporary permits** are to be issued only at the discretion of the college. Any deceptive means of obtaining permits will be met and dealt with accordingly.

Each color specifies the area in which the operator is to park. This coding should be followed.

The penalties for tickets are quite high. This is designed to encourage compliance. Remember the penalties are not worth the few steps you may save!

Chem Majors Hear Seminars

The Department of Chemistry of Wagner College will conduct a seminar on approximately every other Friday throughout the academic year of 1962-1963. The topics of these seminars will cover many fields of chemistry, as well as Biology and Physics. These seminars, which are offered to the student at no cost, are designed mainly to cover advanced scientific topics of great importance which cannot be covered during the limited time of the regular academic semesters.

The attendance of these seminars is required of all juniors and seniors majoring in Chemistry, but all persons interested in any of the topics to be presented will be welcomed. The seminars will be held in room 43 at 2 P.M. and the dates, as well as the speaker and the topic of each seminar will be published well in advance by the Department of Chemistry.

Dr. T. Vassiliades is the chairman of these seminars. All senior chemistry majors will present papers in addition to papers presented by chemistry faculty members. Some of the topics to be covered include "Chemical Structure and Biological Activity," "Some Aspects of Radioactive Fallout," "Spin Echo," "The Chemistry of Benzene," "Semi-conductors," and many others.

Refreshments will be served at the end of each seminar, during which time informal discussions will be held on any questions regarding the presented topic.

The first seminar has been scheduled for Friday, September 28, when Dr. T. Vassiliades will discuss the "Theory and Applications of Light-Scattering."

IN MEMORIUM

Nancy H. Warner, class of 1965, died September 12, 1962. A biology major, Nancy had received \$1600 in scholarships: Regents, Board of Trustees, and an Incentive Award. She had planned to become a medical technician and had a 2.7 index. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Woodruff D. Warner, Mount Vernon Avenue, Medford, Long Island, New York.

Class Of 1966 Chooses Leaders

The record largest freshman class elected a distinguished president, **Brian Truesdell**, who was promptly delegated by lofty upperclassmen to head Points North on an inspiring journey. His mourning fellow officers, Vice-President **Richard Herburger**, Treasurer **Jeff Henderson**, Secretary **Betty Wallace**, and Councilman **Harold Goldfarb** reluctantly conceded to the importance of the trip as they bade him a sad farewell from the S.A. Dance, Sept. 15.

This was adequate revenge for the steak and champagne flight to Detroit, Michigan which Sophomore President **Paul Hrdlicka** was sent on Thursday night, Sept. 13 by 15 freshmen.

Pausing for reflection in the lobby of the Ad Building at 9:30 P.M., Paul was suddenly accosted and carried to the car which drove him to the Northwest Airlines plane. He entered the plane last to setrains of "Wagner Will Shine Tonight."

The stewardess shrewdly arranged for a 3 A.M. mail plane with 10 persons aboard to return him to New York, and he arrived in time to wish the astonished freshmen luck as they prepared to take their tests in the gym.

Paul described his trip as "very enjoyable." It is hoped that Brian's opinion concurs.

... Art Club


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tunity to integrate their social activity with things of an academic or cultural nature, something that happens all too infrequently at Wagner. Also planned are student exhibitions on campus and showings of professional artists. A career information program will be instituted to give Art majors and minors a look at job offerings which utilize their particular skills.

Dick Nusser is already making arrangements for a party designed to introduce the freshmen Art majors and prospective majors to the Art Faculty and to the idea of arts as a major subject and ultimately a career. The party will be opened to members of the art club and invitations will be sent on an individual basis.

Meta and Dick have promised an energetic and interesting opportunity for the Wagner student and a large turn out is anticipated at the first meeting. (Brau, Sept. 24, 8 P.M.) Anyone needing transportation to and fro should meet in front of the Ad Bldg. at 7:45 P.M.

The Student Association wishes to thank the brothers of Phi Sigma Kappa for their help at the S.A. dance, September 15.



On Campus

with **Max Shulman**

(Author of "I Was a Teen-age Dwarf," "The Many Loves of Dobie Gillis," etc.)

ANOTHER YEAR, ANOTHER DOLLAR

With today's entry I begin my ninth year of writing columns in your school newspaper for the makers of Marlboro Cigarettes.

Nine years, I believe you will agree, is a long time. In fact, it took only a little longer than nine years to dig the Suez Canal, and you know what a gigantic undertaking that was! To be sure, the work would have gone more rapidly had the shovel been invented at that time, but, as we all know, the shovel was not invented until 1946 by Walter R. Shovel of Cleveland, Ohio. Before Mr. Shovel's discovery in 1946, all digging was done with sugar tongs—a method unquestionably dainty but hardly what one would call rapid. There were, naturally, many efforts made to speed up digging before Mr. Shovel's breakthrough—notably an attempt in 1912 by the immortal Thomas Alva Edison to dig with the phonograph, but the only thing that happened was that he got his horn full of sand. This so depressed Mr. Edison that he fell into a fit of melancholy from which he did not emerge until two years later when his friend William Wordsworth, the eminent nature poet, cheered him up by imitating a duck for four and a half hours.

But I digress. For nine years, I say, I have been writing this column for the makers of Marlboro Cigarettes, and for nine years they have been paying me money. You are shocked. You think that anyone who has tasted Marlboro's unparalleled flavor, who has enjoyed Marlboro's filter, who has revelled in Marlboro's jolly red and white pack or box should be more than willing to write about Marlboro without a penny's compensation. You are wrong.

Compensation is the very foundation stone of the American Way of Life. Whether you love your work or hate it, our system absolutely requires that you be paid for it. For example, I have a friend named Rex Glebe, a veterinarian by profession, who simply adores to worm dogs. I mean you can call him up and say, "Hey, Rex, let's go bowl a few lines," or "Hey, Rex, let's go flatten some pennies on the railroad tracks," and he will always reply, "No, thanks. I better stay here in case somebody wants a dog wormed." I mean there is not one thing in the whole world you can name that Rex likes better than worming a dog. But even so, Rex always sends a bill for worming your dog because in his wisdom he knows that to do otherwise would be to rend, possibly irreparably, the fabric of democracy.



"I better stay in case somebody wants a dog wormed."

It's the same with me and Marlboro Cigarettes. I think Marlboro's flavor represents the pinnacle of the tobaccoist's art. I think Marlboro's filter represents the pinnacle of the filter-maker's art. I think Marlboro's pack and box represent the pinnacle of the packager's art. I think Marlboro is a pleasure and a treasure, and I fairly burst with pride that I have been chosen to speak for Marlboro on your campus. All the same, I want my money every week. And the makers of Marlboro understand this full well. They don't like it, but they understand it.

In the columns which follow this opening installment, I will turn the hot white light of truth on the pressing problems of campus life—the many and varied dilemmas which beset the undergraduate—burning questions like "Should Chaucer classrooms be converted to parking garages?" and "Should proctors be given a saliva test?" and "Should foreign exchange students be held for ransom?"

And in these columns, while grappling with the crises that vex campus America, I will make occasional brief mention of Marlboro Cigarettes. If I do not, the makers will not give me any money.

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The makers of Marlboro will bring you this uncensored, free-style column 26 times throughout the school year. During this period it is not unlikely that Old Max will step on some toes—principally ours—but we think it's all in fun and we hope you will too.

S. U. Nets \$\$\$ From Pepsi-Cola

Since the beginning of the Pepsi Cola bottle cap drive late last semester, the Student Union account has netted \$90.72.

"This is a promotion device for arousing interest in a very serious Wagner College need," asserted Dr. Lincoln Harter, Vice-president of the college, in answer to those who snicker about bothering with half-cent bottle caps.

"If somebody goes to the trouble of turning in 18,144 bottle caps, someone is taking an interest which may lead to decent gifts."

Fraternities and sororities are invited into a competition for the largest number of bottle caps with "white stars" collected.

The plan is handled by the Circle K Club with representatives from all college organizations.

Drink to Wagner-Pepsi Cola, of course—and save those bottle tops!

Wagner Poets Submit Work

Students may submit verse to the National Poetry Press with no limitations as to form or theme. Space allotments lead to a preference for shorter works. The typed or printed poems should be submitted by November 5, including the student's name, home address, and college.

Teachers and librarians may also submit works for the College Teachers' National Poetry Anthology by January 1.

There are no charges, and work will be judged on merit. Manuscripts should be sent to the Offices of the National Poetry Press, 3210 Selby Avenue, Los Angeles 34, California.

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Sophmore Blefary Signs With Yanks

Curt Blefary, freshman standout, made national headlines this summer by signing with The New York Yankees for the highest bonus of the season. We at Wagner are pleased and proud to learn that Curt will return to Wagner for the off-seasons. We take this opportunity to extend a hearty "Welcome back" and "well done" to Curt.

Curt was a frosh flash on the football team, scoring two touchdowns although he saw limited action. In baseball, Curt was the mainstay of the offense with his great hitting. And so when, midway through the summer, it was announced that Curt had signed with the Yankees, no one was surprised.

Curt promptly justified our faith in him. He was shipped to Greensboro, N. C. to play Class B ball with the Yankee farm team there. Curt hit .255, hit fourteen home runs and drove in fifty-five runs, a more than creditable showing in a tough league. The Yankees have not yet announced where Curt will play next year.

The *Wagnerian* along with the student body and Curt's Alpha Sigma Phi brothers welcome him back and wish him every success.

Tom Bruno

Booters Expect Winning Season

One thing that can be said about last year's soccer team is that they were good losers. As a matter of fact, they were perfect. The Seahawk booters lost 13 out of 13 games. However, anyone who has watched the team for the past two weeks would say, with confidence, that it is doubtful that last year's pattern will repeat itself.

By calling practice a week before the start of classes, Coach Bill Lied began the process of hammering the team into shape. During orientation week, when the majority of campus inhabitants were bedinked freshmen, the toemen were grunting through daily grinds of conditioning exercises and ball handling drills. Now, with the initial soreness and stiffness gone, the team looks ready to begin the season with a win.

The team will play an eleven game schedule.

October

3 L.I.U.	Home, 2 P.M.
6 Fordham	Away, 11 A.M.
10 Temple	Away, 2 P.M.
13 Hofstra	Home, 2 P.M.
19 Rutgers	Away, 1:30 P.M.
25 Kings Point	Home, 4 P.M.
27 Wilkes	Home, 2 P.M.
31 Drexel	Home, 2 P.M.

November

3 Stevens	Home, 2 P.M.
7 Seton Hall	Away, 2 P.M.
10 Adelphi	Away, 11 A.M.

All home games will be played on Fischer Field. (West Campus).

Seahawk Club Tickets On Sale

The Wagner College Seahawk Club has announced that season tickets for Wagner's five 1962 home football games are now available.

By purchasing season tickets, fans become members of the Seahawk Club and are granted club privileges such as reserved parking, a reserved section at mid-field, post-game coffee hours, and the best seats for the Homecoming Parade.

In addition, the season tickets are transferable and ticket holders may have their friends sit with them in the reserved section.

Tickets are priced at \$11 each, \$17 for two adults, and \$4 for children. Checks should be made payable to the Wagner College Seahawk Club and sent to the Alumni Office at the College.

Season tickets may also be purchased at Muche's Sporting Goods at 1159 Castleton Ave. in West Brighton, and Earl's It's Your Place at 82 Canal St. in Stapleton, both in Staten Island.

Students Invited To Bowl And Hike

Two student clubs are now seeking new members, the Wagner College Mixed Bowling Club and the newly formed Pathfinders Club.

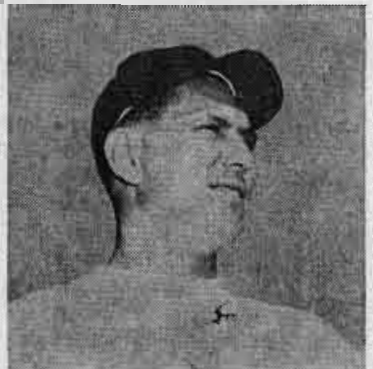
The Bowling Club enjoyed a successful season last year with 14 teams playing a 99 game schedule. Prizes were awarded at a dinner dance at the end of the spring semester. Further information about the Bowling Club can be obtained from Ed Doxey, president of the club.

The Pathfinders Club is composed of Students interested in hiking, camping and outdoor life in general. The purpose of the club is to promote physical fitness and participation in outdoor activities among Wagner students. The members go on at least one winter and one spring camping trip during the school year. For additional information about the Pathfinders contact Richard Moffat in Room 227, New Dorm.

Seahawks Open Against PMC

It would be safe to say that the Wagner College football team is rebuilding. Graduation took a more than heavy toll and Freshmen are not allowed to play. It took Wagner quite a few years to build the powerful teams of the last two years and once again this process of rebuilding has come. Our squad this year is exceptionally small because Wagner's male enrollment has broken the 750 mark and as a result freshmen cannot play varsity ball.

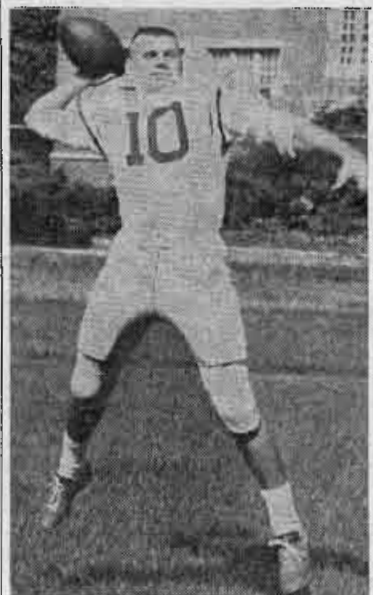
New Head Coach Bob Hicks has said, "We won't be able to beat anybody physically, so we'll have to finesse them." The coach means that the football "book" will be thrown out, a course of action which pleases him im-



COACH BOB HICKS

mensely. The workouts and practices seen thus far find the team spirited, hustling and willing. The Seahawks will be, in a word, unpredictable. They will play a wide-open brand of ball, featuring a varied passing attack spiced with pitchouts, double reverses, and even a statue of liberty now and then.

Coach Hicks hopes to keep the opponents off balance both mentally and physically this season. Although our new coach cannot be too optimistic, he does have a few good feelings for a few good reasons. Those reasons begin with Frank Spero, co-captain of this year's team. Frank is a guard, a Senior, brother of Alpha Sigma Phi and



JACK SMIECHOWSKI

a veteran of three years play at Wagner. The other co-captain is Dick Schlenker, a half-back

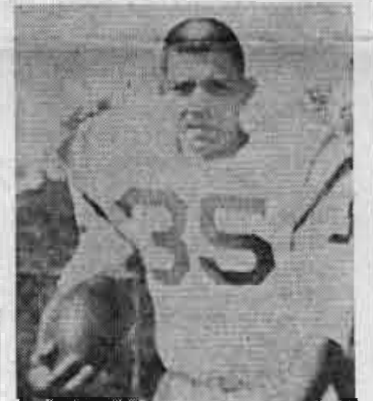


CO-CAPTAINS DICK SCHLENKER AND FRANK SPERO

who's also a Senior brother of Alpha. In the quarterback slot we will find Jack Smiechowski, Don Cavalli's understudy for the past three years, ready to call signals. Jack, a Staten Islander from Curtis is a Senior and an Alpha brother. Backing him up is Soph Dan Coughlin from Cresskill, N. J. In the other halfback spot we will find Joe Amato from Bayonne, N. J. Joe is a Senior member of Delta Nu fraternity and a veteran of three years of football at Wagner. Backing up Amato and Co-Capt. Schlenker are Rich Sperito and Cliff Lish.

In the forward line we will find John "Peachy" Pietracatella, another Staten Islander from Curtis and a veteran guard. Behind Peachy will be Bob Gaeta, and Fred Newberg.

The trio of Ron Dario, Paul Peeritand, Paul Feeney will see considerable action in Tackles. Ends Lee Acanfrio, Frenchy Was and Jim McCabe will be going out for passes and Vin



JOE AMATO

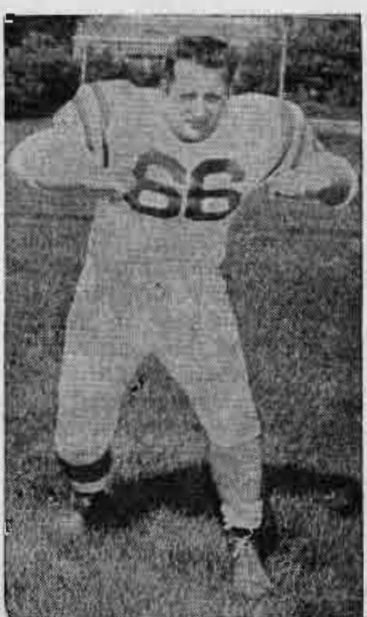
Riccardella will be defensive end.

At full back Jim Drumgoole is the boy to watch. He is a full-back and is expected to prove one of the mainstays of the team. Jim will receive support from Harry Abrahamsen, a sophomore from Closter, N. J.

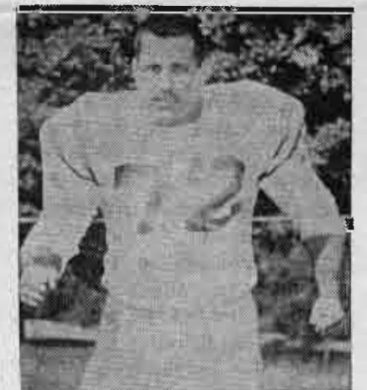
Coach Hicks is worried about injuries, and has had to cut down on contact drills in practice.

Even though the squad is small, the coach is pleased with the morale and caliber of the players. "We just can't seem to get these boys tired," Hicks stated last week. Wagner is riding a five game win streak at home. That streak will be on the line when Wagner opens at home tomorrow Sept. 22, versus the always tough P.M.C. squad.

The *Wagnerian* would like to wish the boys every success and to welcome Coach Hicks. We're behind the Coach and the team one hundred percent win, lose, or draw. Good luck team!



JOHN PIETRACATELLA



RON DARIO

WAGNER COLLEGE 1962 FOOTBALL

*Sept. 22:	Penn Military.....Home
*Sept. 29:	Haverford.....Haverford, Pa.
Oct. 6:	Kings Point.....Home
*Oct. 13:	Susquehanna.....Selins Grove, Pa.
*Oct. 20:	Upsala.....Home
*Oct. 27:	Ursinus.....Collegeville, Pa.
Nov. 3:	Trenton State.....Trenton, N.J.
Nov. 10:	Hamilton.....Home
*Nov. 17:	Wilkes.....Home
*Middle Atlantic Conference game	+ Homecoming

Other Sports

Men interested in track or squash should contact Coach Bunny Barbes in the Gym during the week.

Those interested in wrestling should see coach Bill Lied, also in the gym.

Freshmen and upperclassmen interested in basketball should be at the October 15 at 3:00.

Practice and tryouts for field hockey will be held Monday, September 24 at 3:00.

Attention All Students !!!

If you are interested in having a job during the school semester, please contact Dr. Coles in the Placement Office immediately!

Attention

Letters to the Editor are welcome. They must be submitted by the Friday before publication and must be signed. Name withheld on request. Write: *Wagnerian*, Box 100, Wagner College.

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