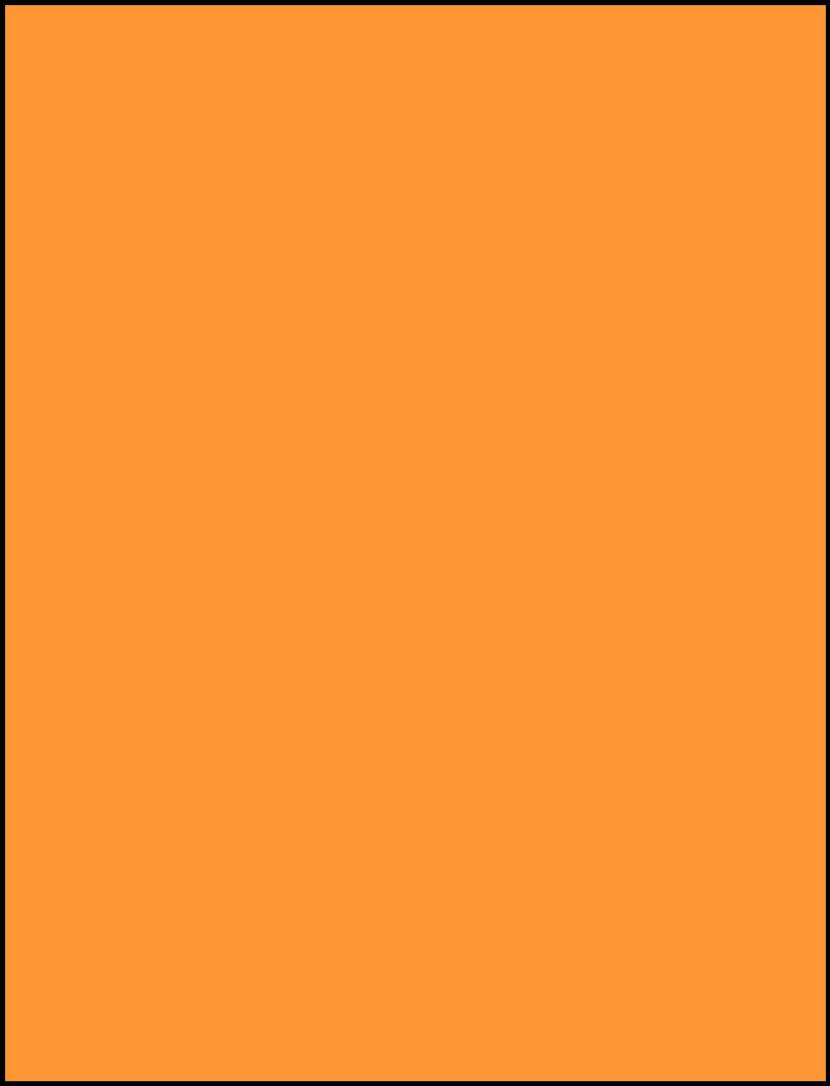
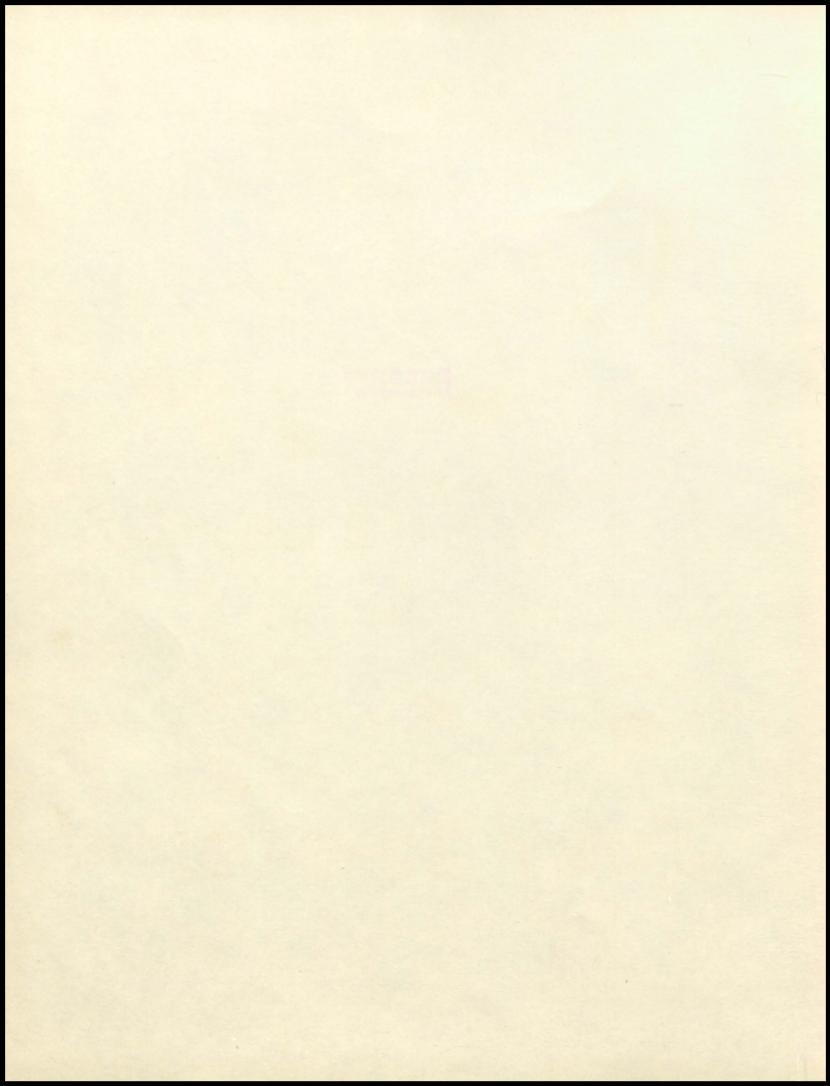
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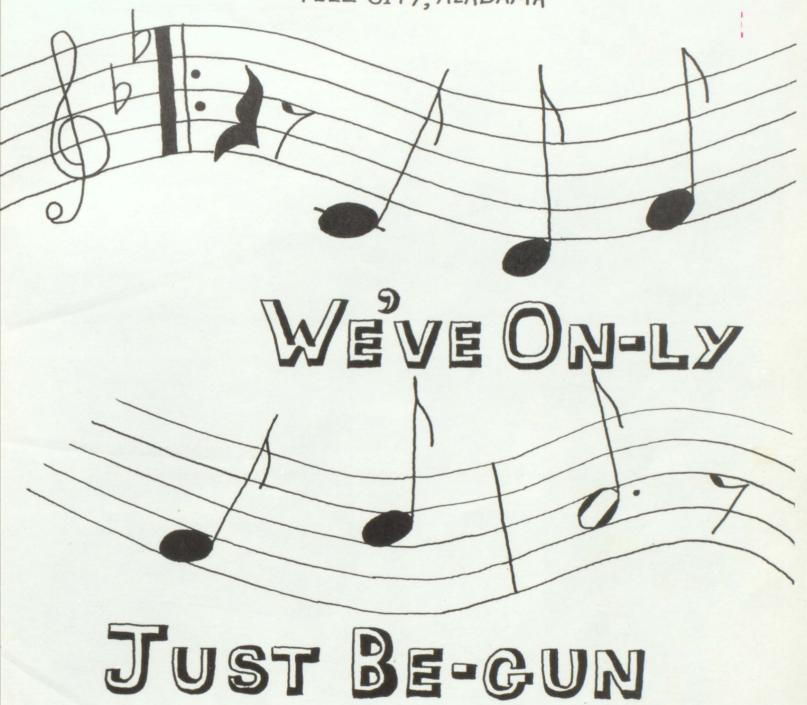






#### THE 1974 PELMEL

PELL CITY HIGH SCHOOL PELL CITY, ALABAMA



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To live,













White lace and promises



A kiss for luck and we're on our way.



And yes, we've just begun.







Before the rising sun



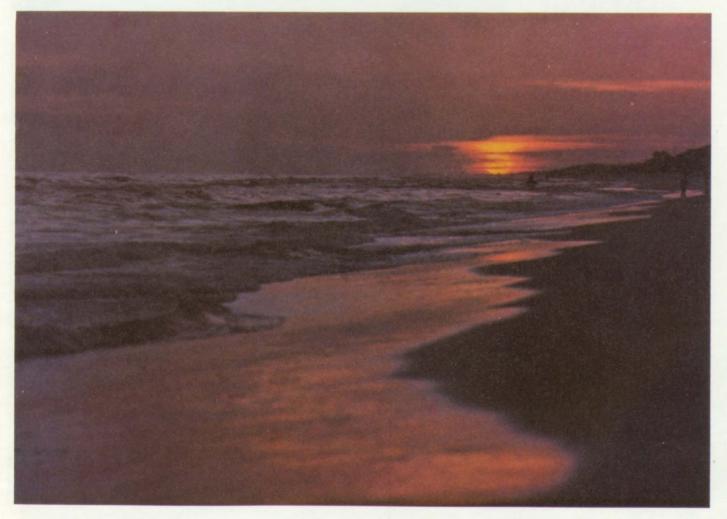
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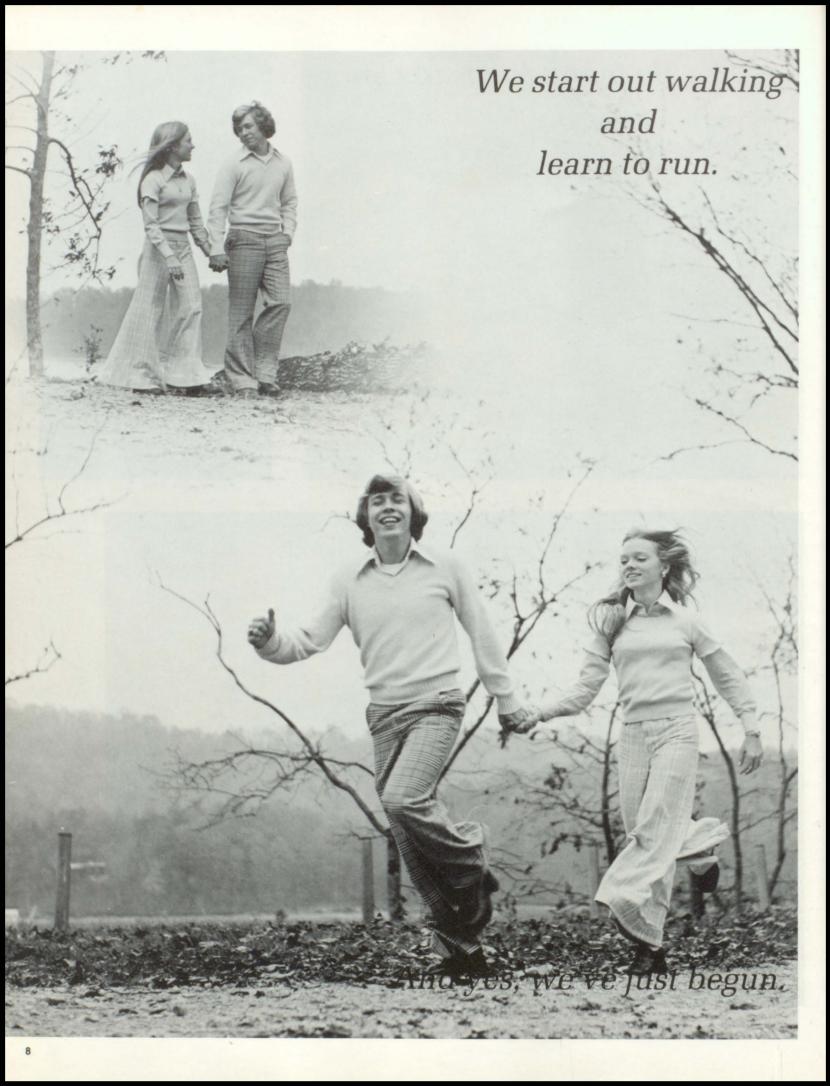


#### So many roads to choose











Sharing horizons that are new to us,



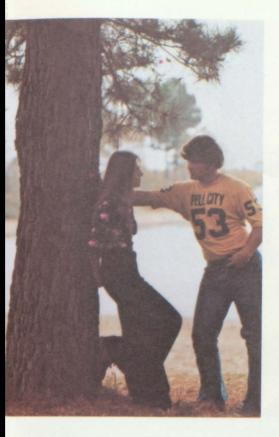




Watching the signs along the way,









Talking it over





Just the two of us,



Working together day to day, together.







### And when the evening comes, we smile,









So much of life ahead



We'll find a

place
where there's

room
to grow,





And yes,

We've just begun!



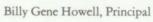






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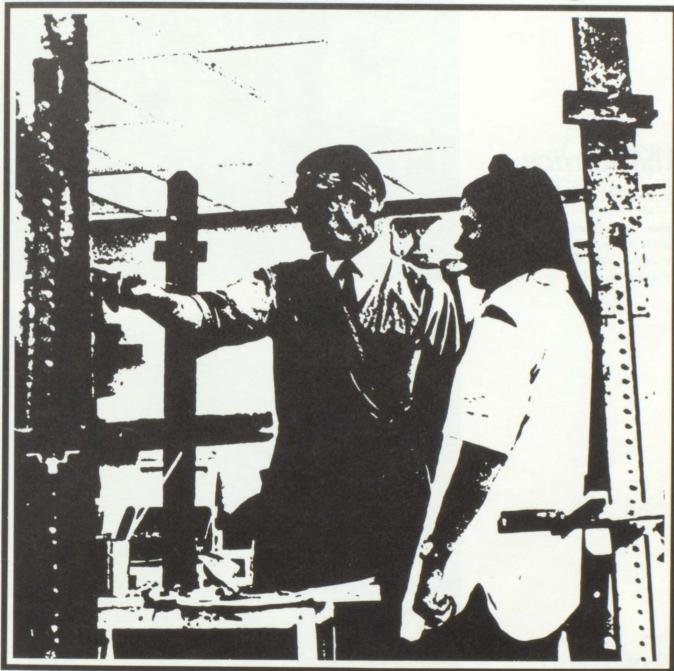




John W. McHugh, Guidance Counselor







**FACULTY** 

# GO PANTHERS!

#### Basic Academics

First Row — Mr. James, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Fleming, Miss Tuck, Coach Smith; Second Row — Coach Battles, Coach Truiett, Mr. Bryant, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Wright, Substitute; Mr. Lee.



#### Arts And Sciences

First Row — Mrs. Weeks, Mrs. Harris; Second Row — Mr. Thompson, Mr. Lonergan, Mr. Causey.



#### Career Training

First Row — Mrs. Hollis, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Curry; Second Row — Mrs. Whittle, Mrs. Stuart, Mr. Mitchell. (Not Shown — Mr. Rich).



#### School Staff

Mrs. Elston, Mrs. Hamm, Mrs. Mays, Mrs. Beavers, Mr. Kirksey. (Not Shown — Mrs. Turner).

#### Administration And Faculty

Billy Gene Howell
Principal
BS Jacksonville State Univ.
BA Middle Tenn. State Univ.

Mike T. Battles Coach, Physical Ed BS Univ. Southern Mississippi

Bob R. Causey Band, Glee Club BMuEd Univ. Southern Miss.

> Augustus James History AB Miles College

Vivian W. Hollis Special Education BS, MA University of Alabama

Clyde E. Mitchell Vocational Agriculture BS Auburn University MA Alabama A&M University

Margaret P. Scott English BS, MA University of Alabama

Harold E. Thompson Biology, Chemistry, Physics BA Huntingdon University

Martha S. Weeks Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry BS, MA University of Alabama David U. Bryant Democracy, Economics BS Howard College MA University of Alabama

Annie B. Curry Home Economics BS Alabama A&M University

Annie W. Harris Typing, Office Practice BS University of Montevallo

C. C. Lee, Jr.
Librarian
AB, MA University of Alabama
MLS Peabody

Roger D. Pate Coach, History MEd Livingston University

Marion E. Smith Coach, History BS Jacksonville State Univ.

Judith Kathleen Tuck Spanish BA University of Montevallo

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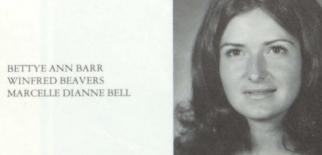
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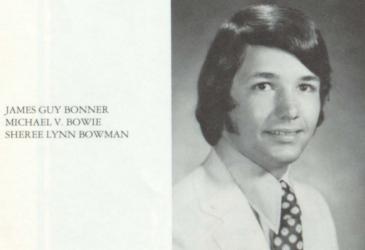


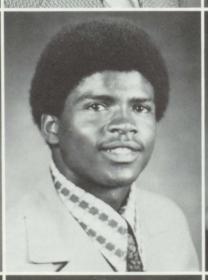




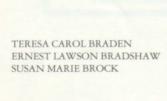




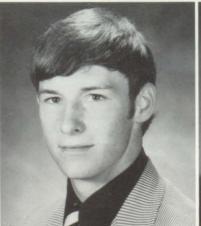




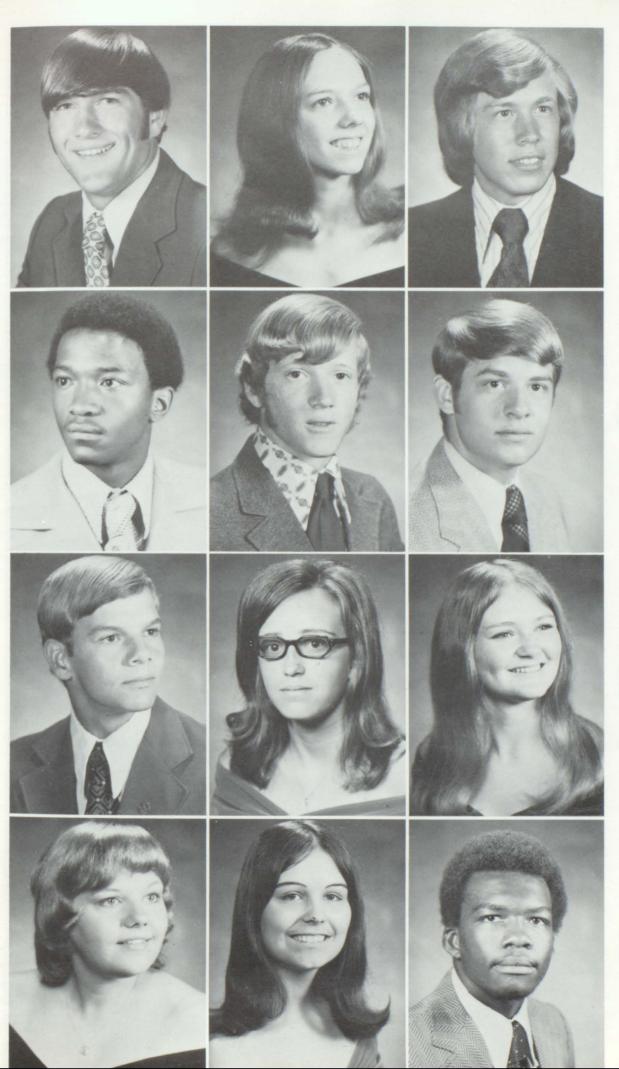












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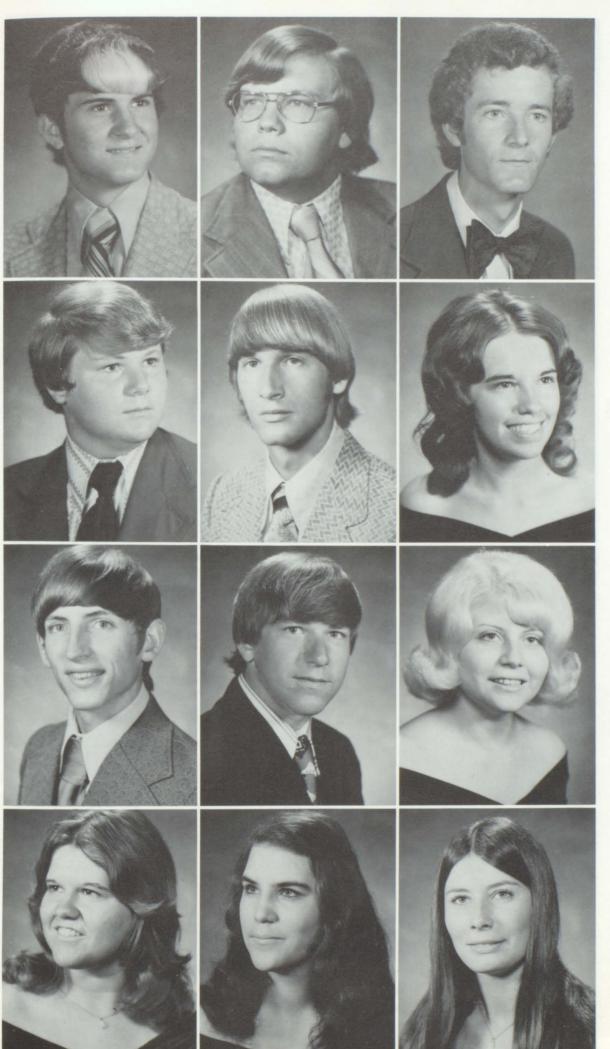
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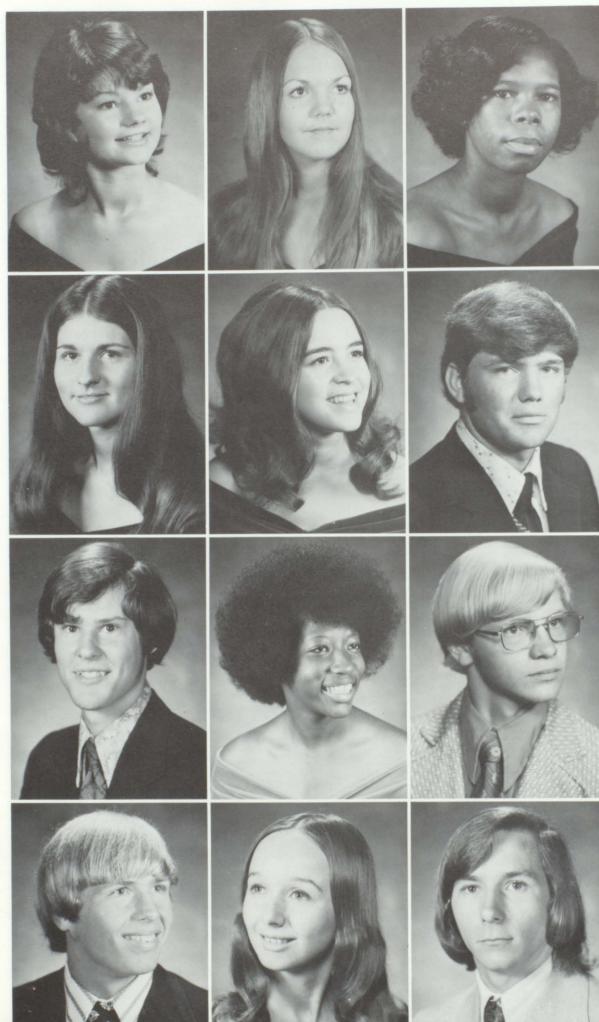
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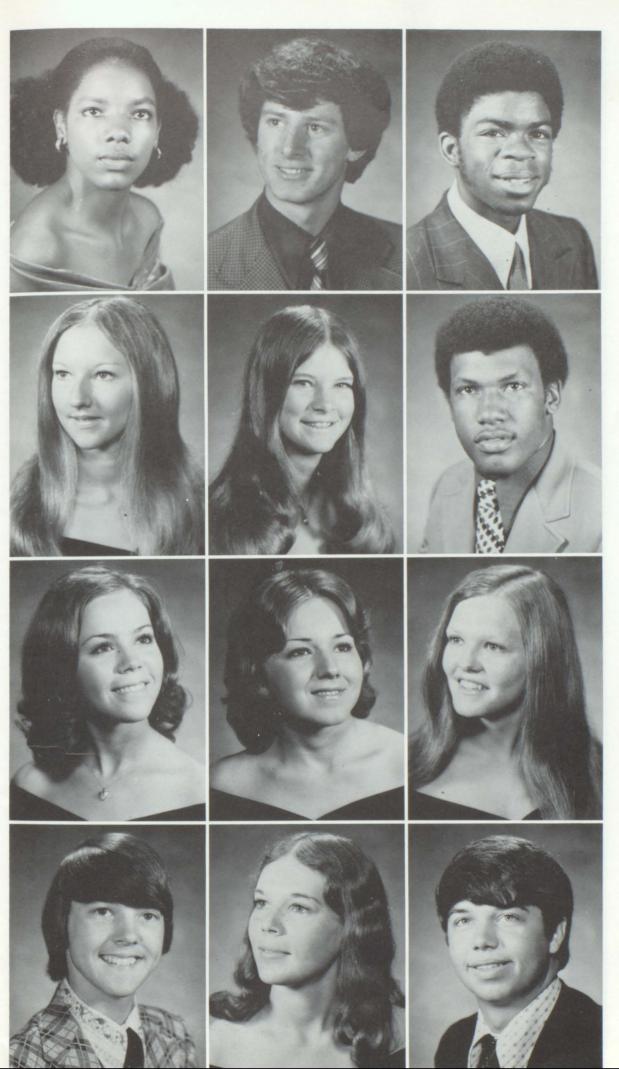
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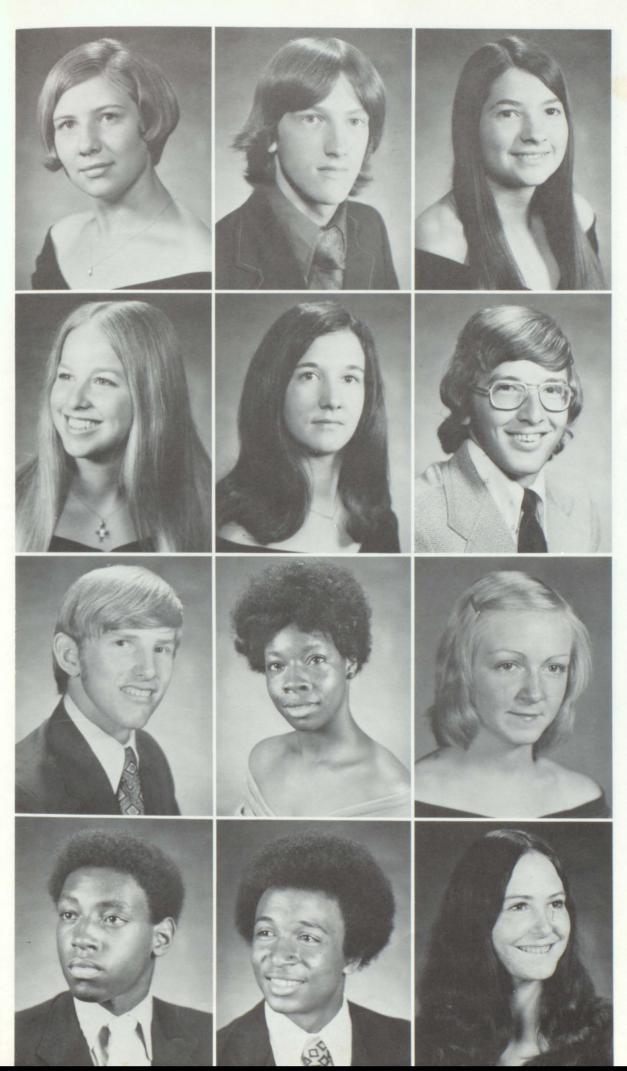
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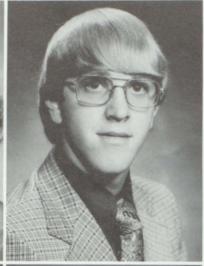
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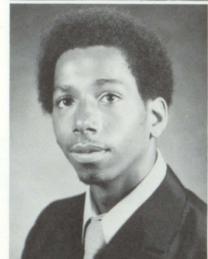
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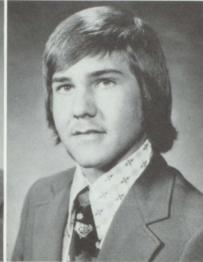
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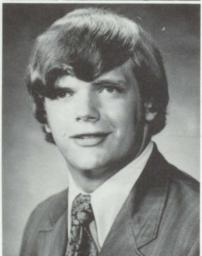


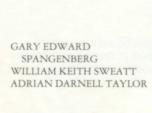


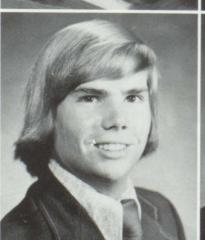




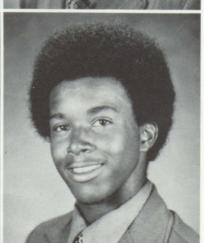


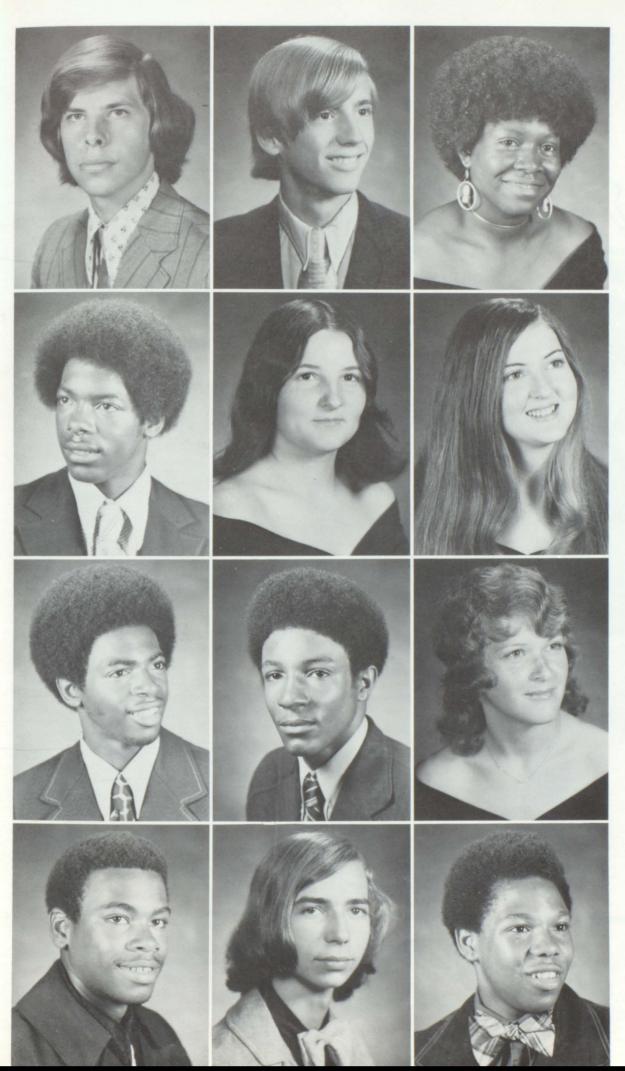












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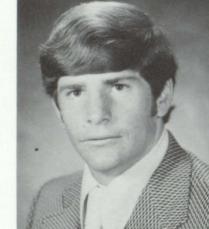
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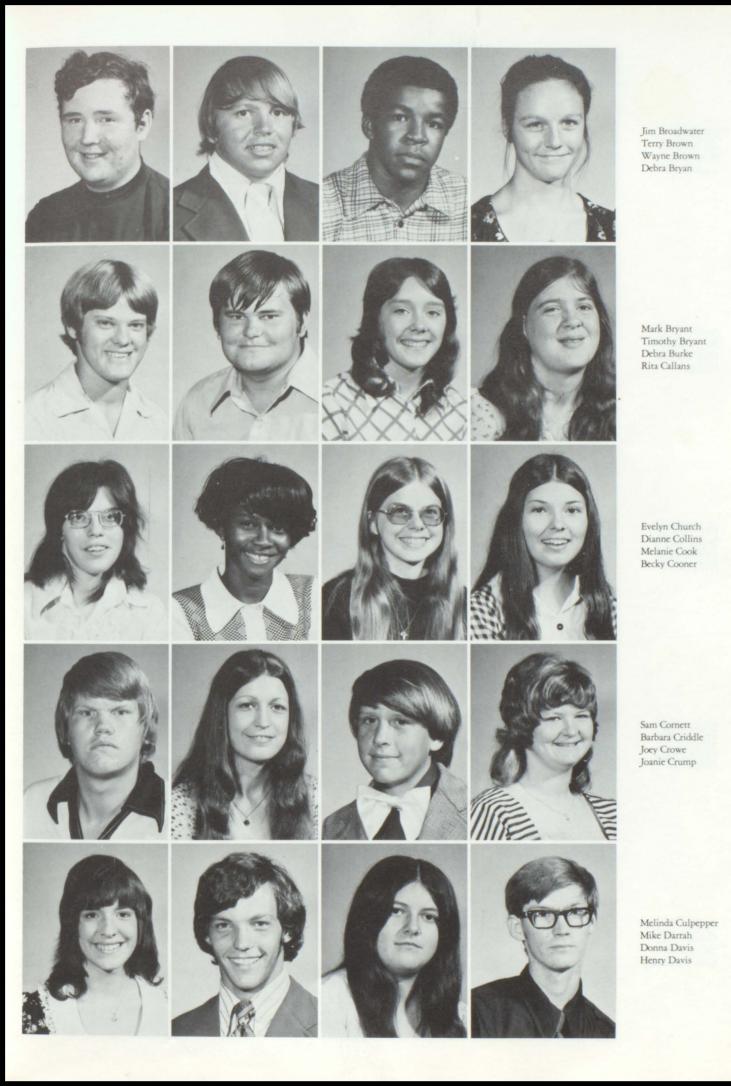




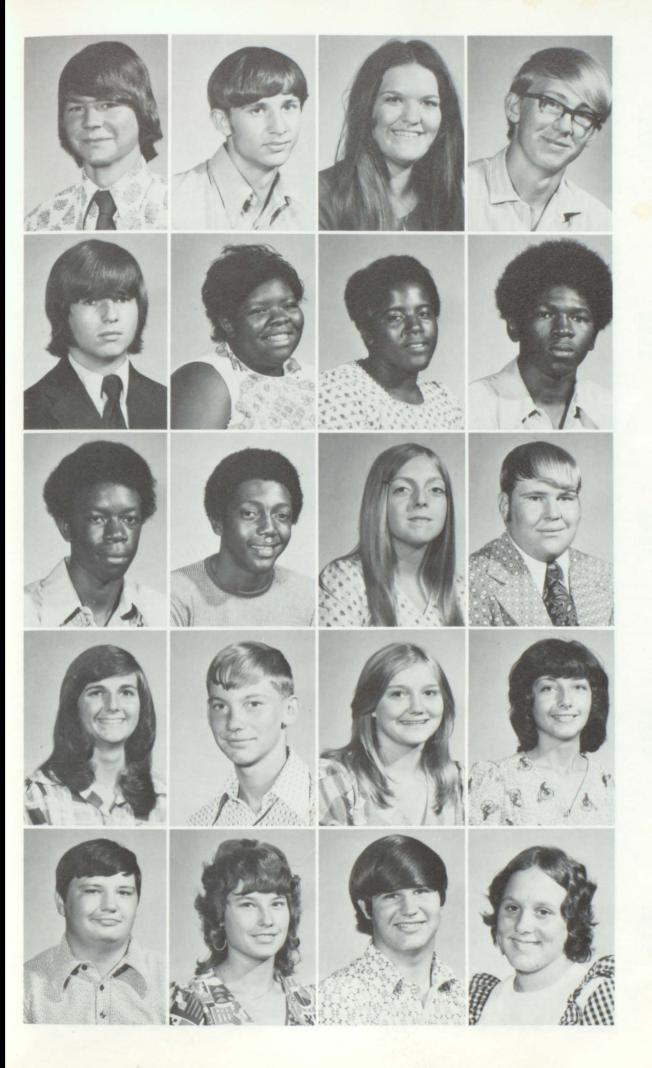
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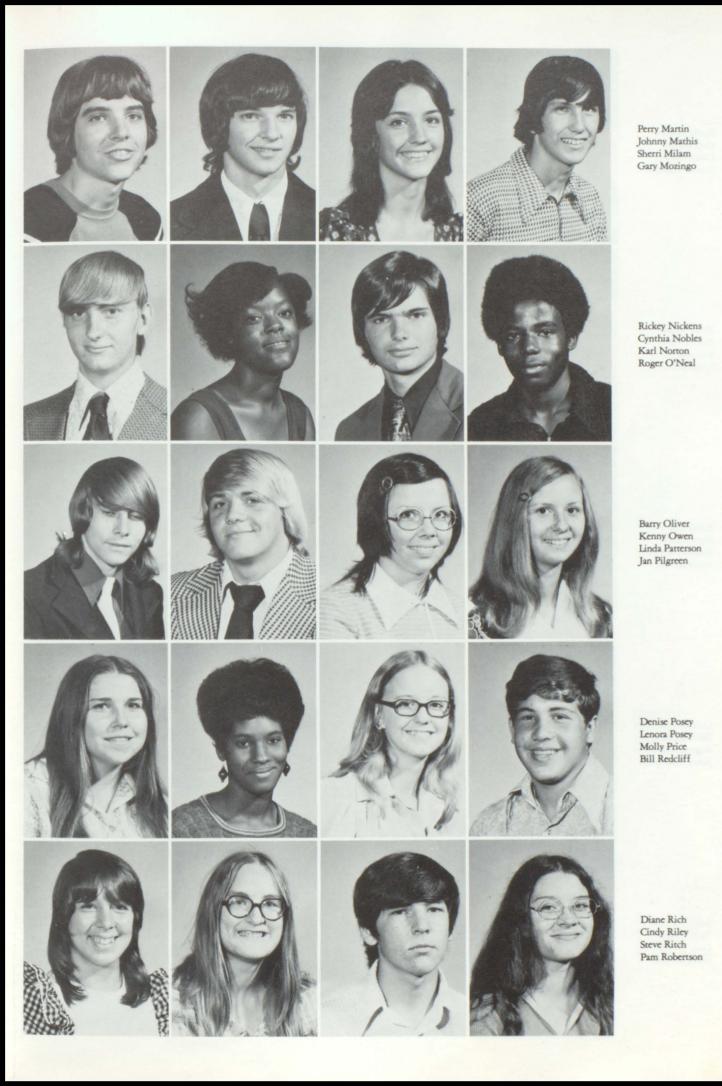
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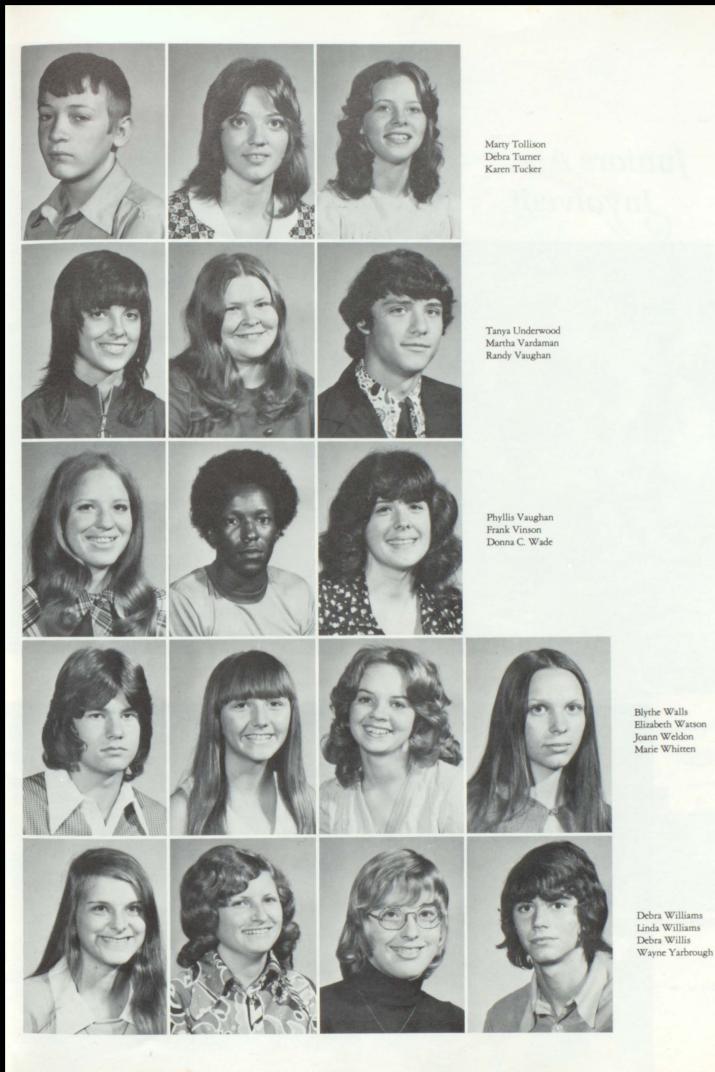
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# Juniors Are Involved!



Junior Algebra students solve problems.



Pam Robertson learns photography.



Juniors are active in the Band.

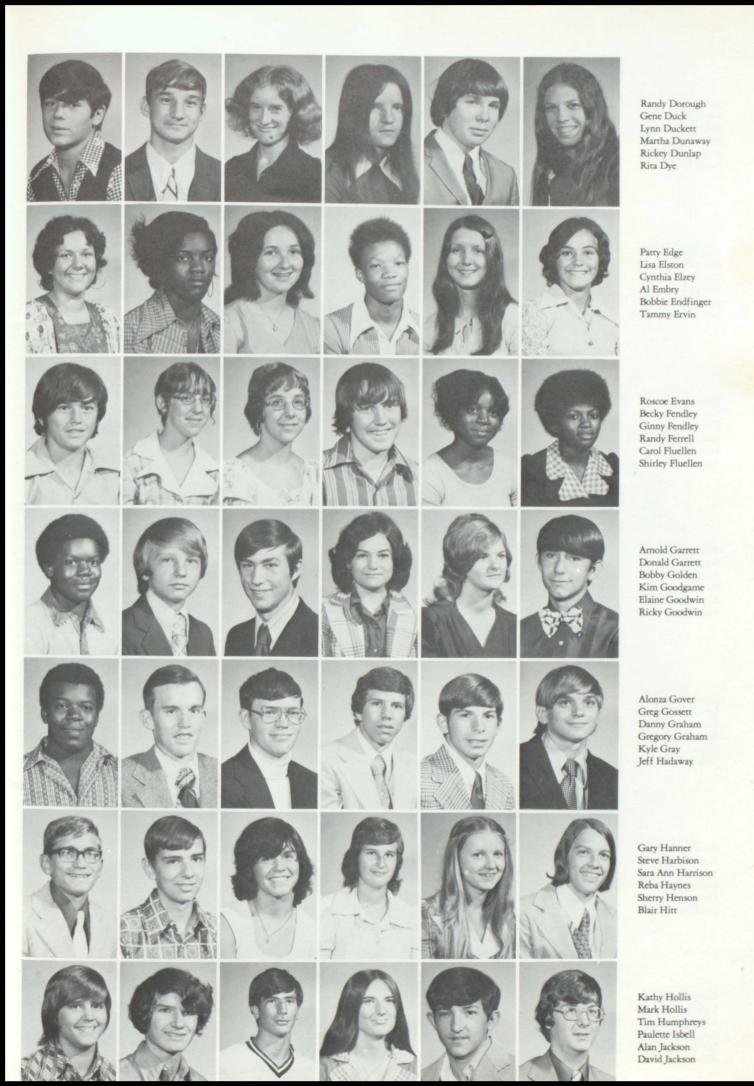




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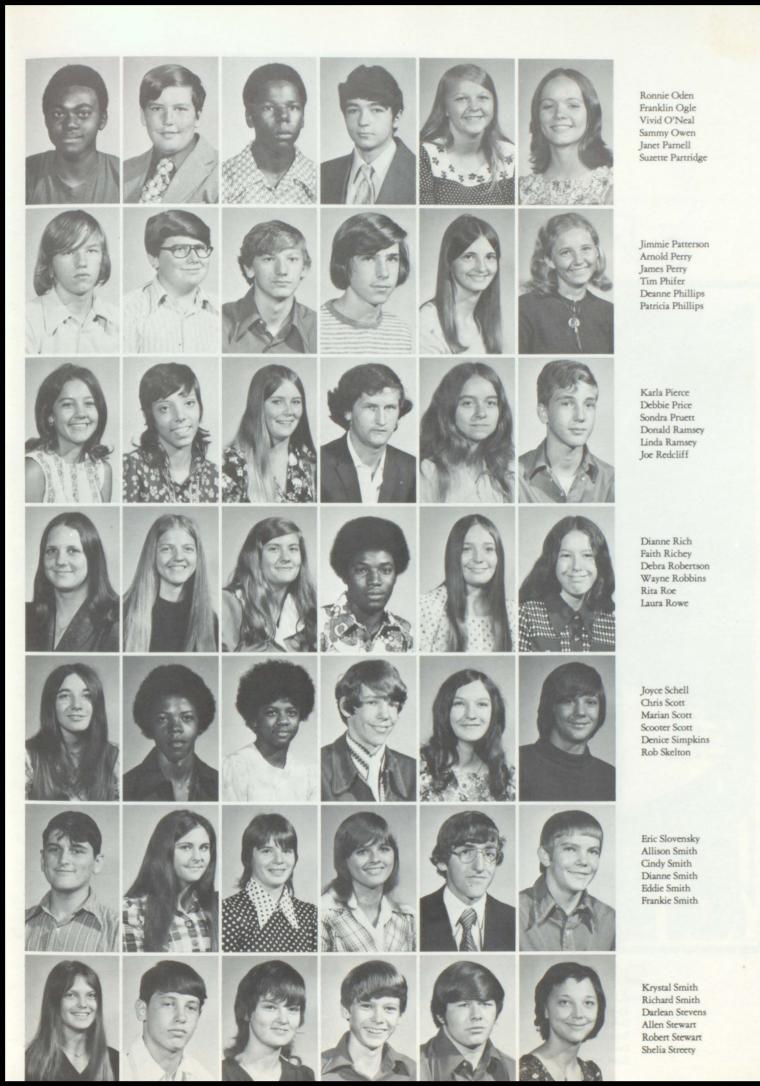


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Karl Nobles Lenora Nobles

Rickey Oden



Dale Sullivan Mike Swain Cynthia Taylor Anita Thompson

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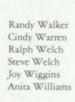






































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ORGANIZATIONS

#### Pelmel Staff

The PELMEL staff has the job of recording the events of the school year through the use of words and photography. Most new staff members have no idea how to begin designing a layout for the year-book. It is difficult to take a handful of pictures, to place them attractively on a spread, and to write a story to accompany the photographs; but this is the process that every staff member has to learn. The learning is tedious, but the result is well worth the effort.

RIGHT: Editor-in-Chief, Cindy Price, had the responsibility of organizing the PELMEL.

BOTTOM, FAR RIGHT: Co-Editor, Kay Kimberly, kept in touch with the yearbook publishers.

RIGHT: Business Manager, Joanna Payne, handled the financial details and Ads Section of the yearbook.









LEFT: As photographer and Sports Editor, Mike Bynum did a good job for the PELMEL.

FAR LEFT: Pat McGraw worked on the Personalities Section and many other layouts.

LEFT: Jennifer Ledford worked on the Class and Faculty Sections of the yearbook.

FAR LEFT: Activities Editor, Angie Humphreys, handled layouts for the student activities and helped with other sections.

Sponsor: Mrs. Faye S. Whittle



RIGHT: Rhonda Lipscomb worked on the Faculty and Class Sections.

FAR RIGHT: Pam Robertson was the Junior Assistant and "General Flunky" of the staff, training for editorship the following year.

BOTTOM: The 1974 PELMEL staff.



#### Beta Club



President — Cindy Price Vice President — Russ Cox

**OFFICERS** 

Secretary — Dee Anne Smithson Treasurer — Julia Wright

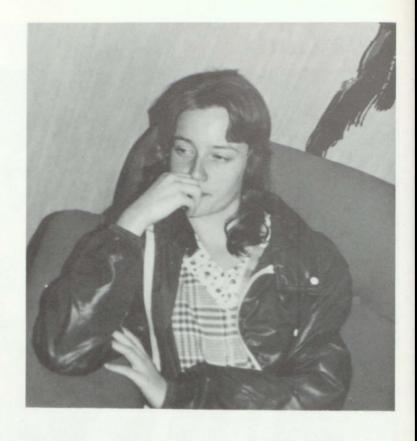
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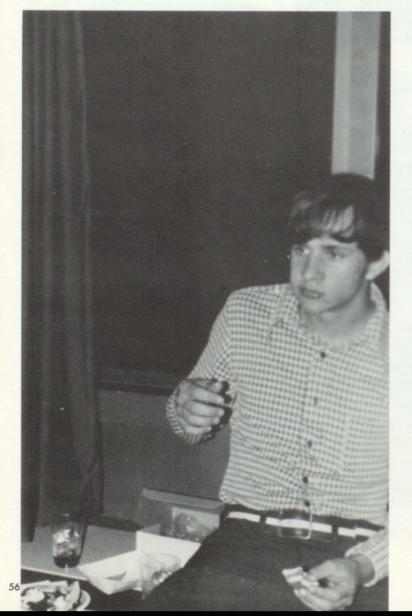
The Beta Club is Pell City High School's Honor Society. Members are chosen on the basis of scholastic average, leadership, and character. The Beta Club had many projects to earn money for scholarships for Pell High seniors. These included a Christmas bazaar, car wash, and pennant sale. Holding a blood drive for the Red Cross is also one of their projects. The National Beta Club holds a state-wide convention for Alabama Betas in early March of each year, and the Pell City Chapter has been active at these conventions.



#### Beta Activities

On March 1 and 2, the National Beta Club Convention was held at the Civic Center in Birmingham. Two chaperones, the four Beta Club Officers, and six delegates attended this convention. They left P.C.H.S. Friday morning during first period and checked in at the Hyatt House where they stayed Friday night. They attended sessions in the Civic Center and wandered around Birmingham when they had free time. They all had a lot of fun, but came back to Pell City feeling very worn out from the past two days' activities.

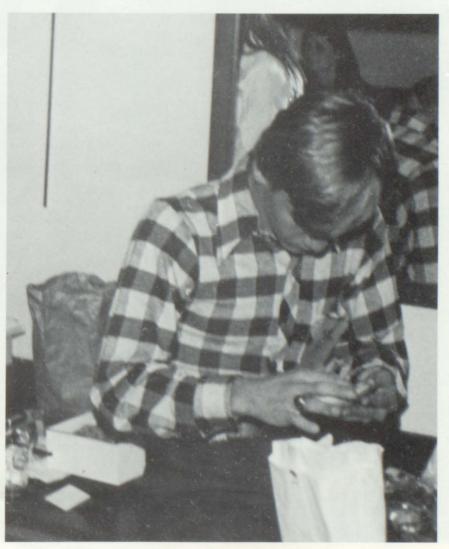








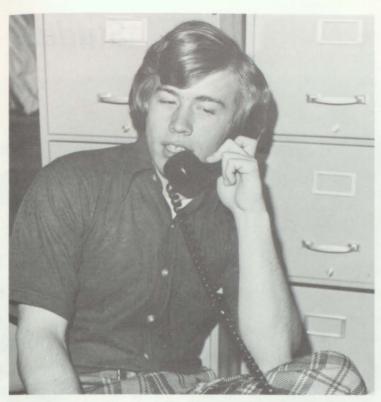




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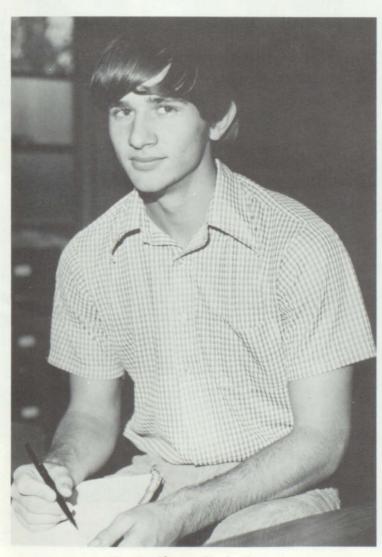
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President — Mike Bynum



Secretary — Angie Humphreys

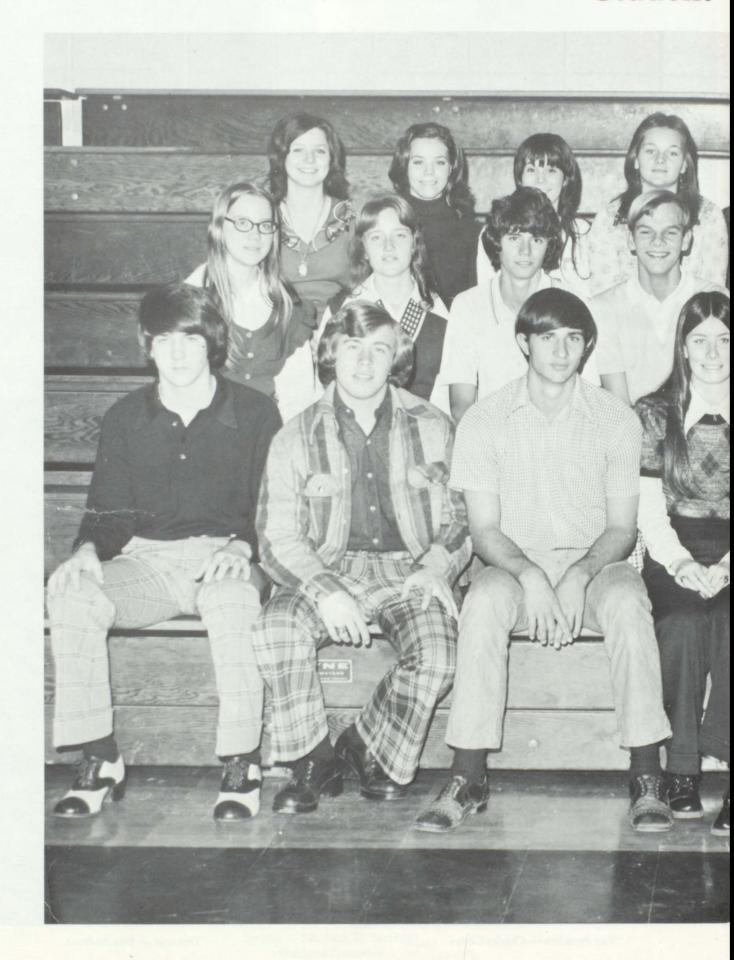


Vice President — Charles Gettys



Treasurer — Rita Andrews

# Student



# Council

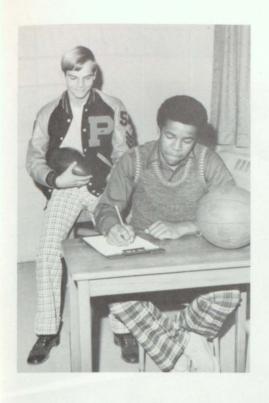


# Spotlight Staff



EDITOR: Dee Anne Smithson, CO-EDITOR: Dianne Guthrie, SPONSOR: Mrs. Annie Harris













SPORTS Russ Cox and Wayne Brown

ROVING REPORTERS Joanie Crump and Cindy Hawkins

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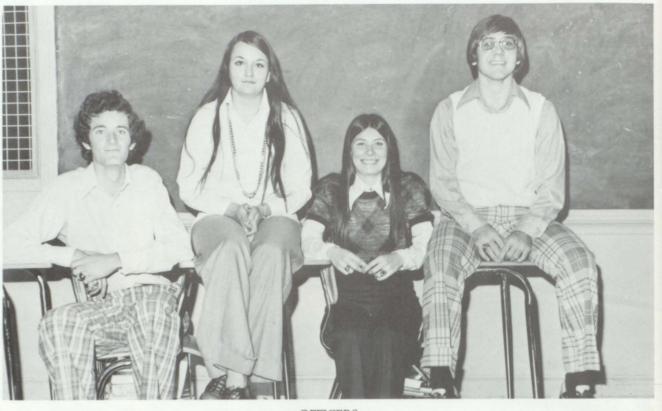
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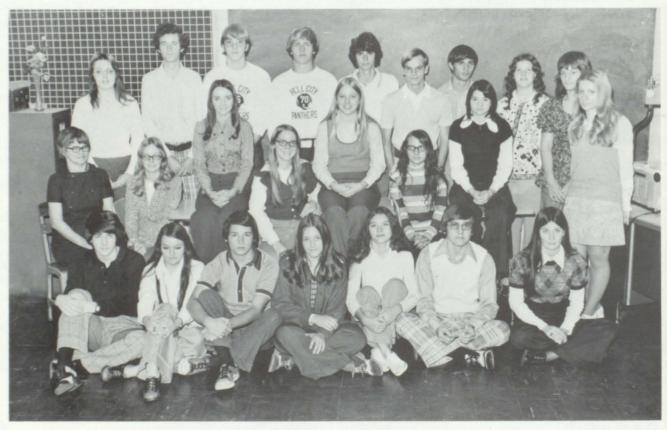
### Math Club



President — Ken Harris Vice-President — Cindy Owen

OFFICERS

Secretary — Mike Smith Treasurer — Angie Humphreys



Sponsor — Mrs. Martha Weeks

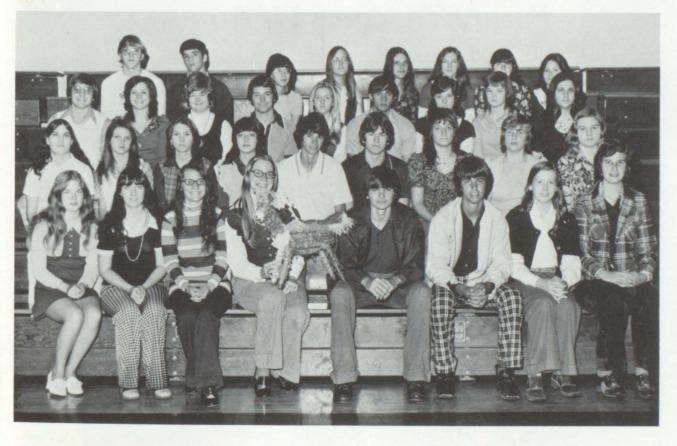
# Spanish Club



Program Chairman — Steve Smith Secretary — Tonia Burke Treasurer — Melinda Culpepper

OFFICERS

Vice-President — Jan Pilgreen Sponsor — Miss Tuck President — Steve Hertig (not shown)



## Pep Club



CAPTAINS: Angie Humphreys, Vicki Turner SPONSOR: Mrs. Peggy Campbell

### Future Teachers Of America



Sponsor — Mrs. Williamson President — Angie Humphreys Treasurer — Rita Andrews

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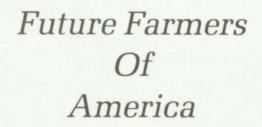
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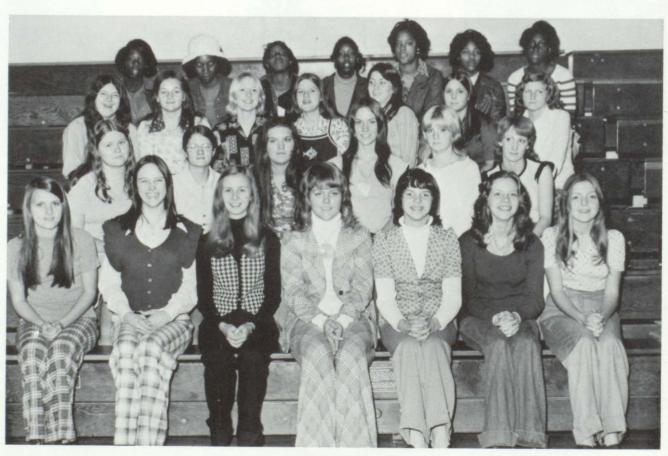
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# Future Homemakers Of America

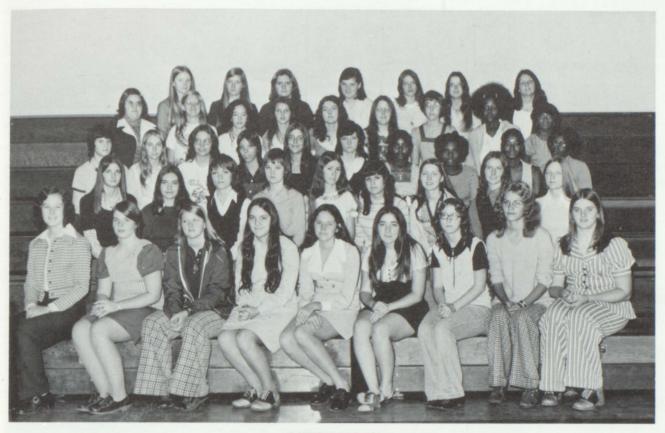


**SENIORS** 



JUNIORS

## FHA



**SOPHOMORES** 



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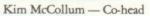


CRISCO AWARD WINNER
Debbie Griffith

## PCHS Cheerleaders









Debra Perry — Co-head









Vickie Fluellen





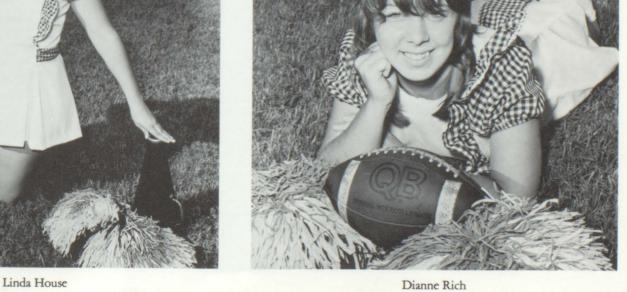


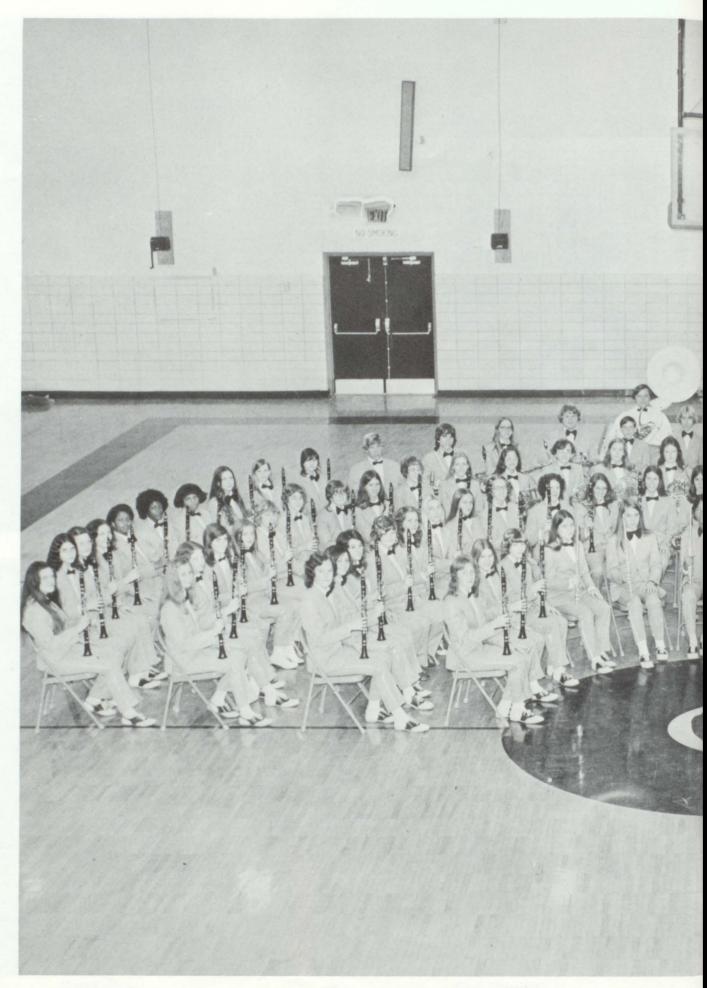


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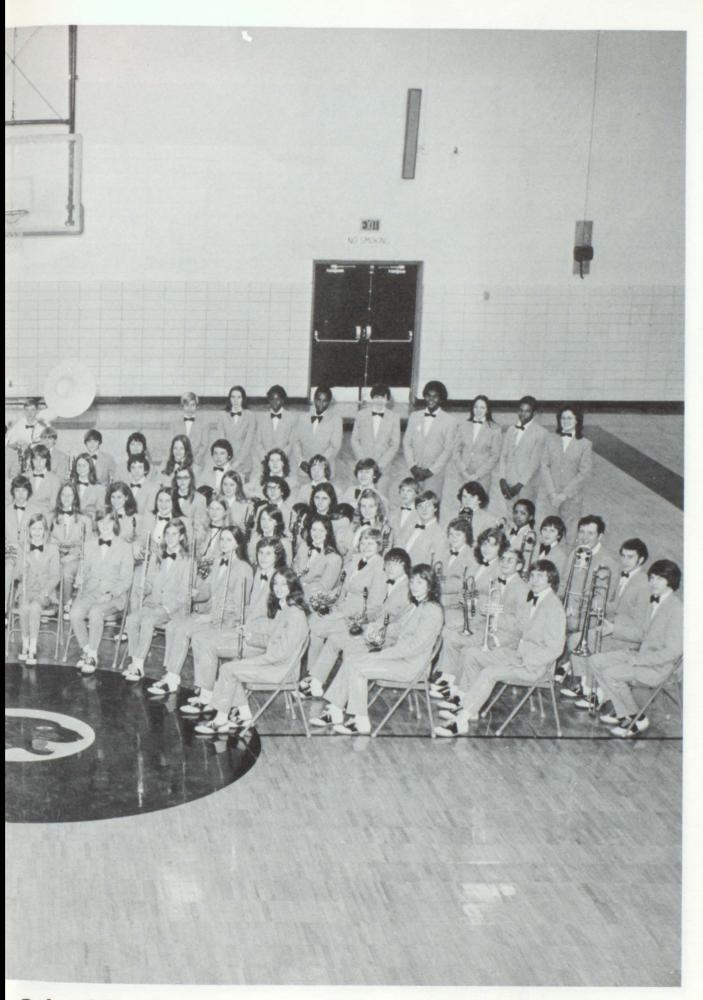








Pell City High Bob R. Causey,



School Band Director



LOW BRASS, BASS HORN, TROMBONE, BARITONE



ON PARADE



FIRE TWIRLERS



PERCUSSION

## PCHS Band



TRUMPETS

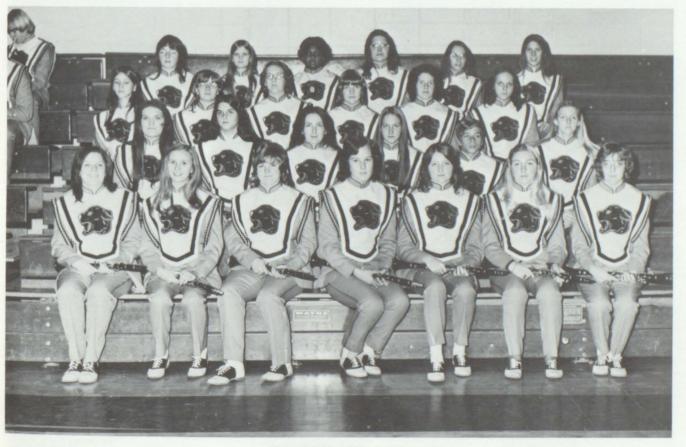


Trumpets On Parade

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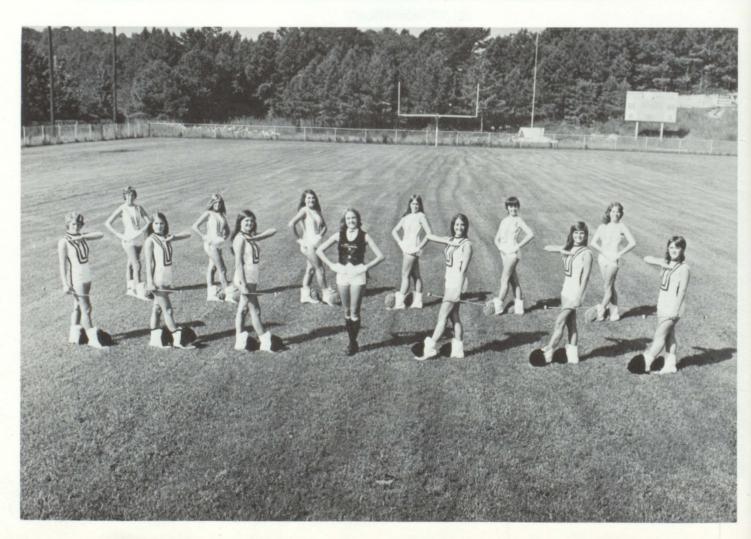
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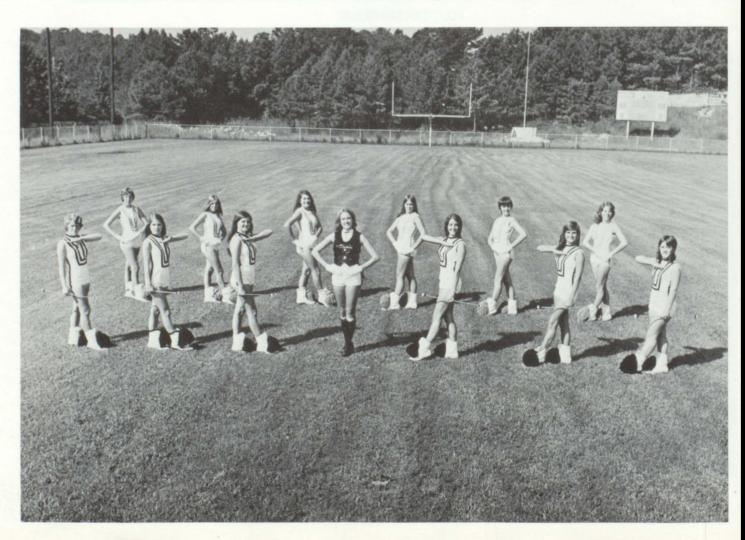


Co-Head — Sheree Smith





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Co-Head — Sheree Smith





Laura Vaughn



Dianne Bell



Dianne Gutherie



Debra Burke



Head Color Guard — Vivian Smith



Co-Head — Pam Gunter

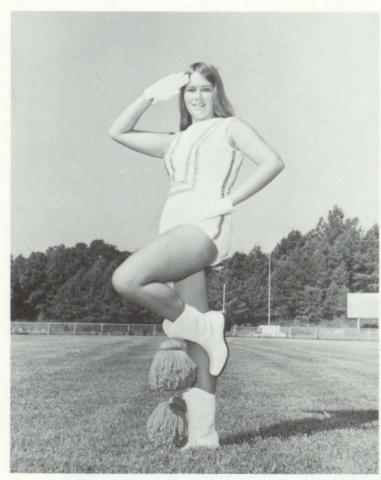




Karen Tucker



Terri Hobson



Sondra Pruitt



Becky Fendley





ATHLETICS

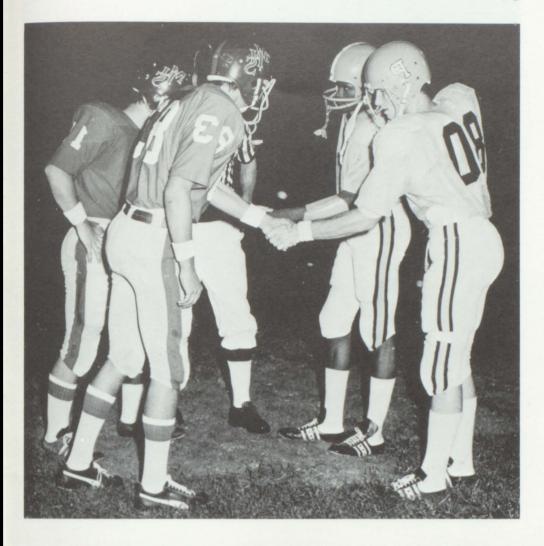
# PCHS Schedule And Score

DATE	TEAM	US	THEM
August 31, 1973	Jacksonville	25	27
September 7	Sylacauga	22	
September 14	Midfield	51	12
September 21	Childersburg	14	25
September 28	Hewitt Trussville	8	13
October 5	Lincoln	20	0
October 12	B. B. Comer	7	28
October 19	Oxford	6	33
October 26	Oneonta	17	14
November 2	Thompson	46	20



Randy Ledford (Threatt) — Most Valuable Back — All County
Gary Savage — Hustler Award
Russ Cox — Winner of the Edmund Blair Memorial Scholastic Award
Wayne McCoy — Named to All-County squad
Rickey Brown — Permanent Captain and Member of All-County team
Keith Lee — Most Valuable Lineman, All-County and Permanent Captain
Mike Bowie — Permanent Captain
Lawson Bradshaw — Named to All-County Team
Mike Layton — Winner of the Gerald Gossett Memorial Award for Sportsmanship

## The Thrill Of Victory . . .

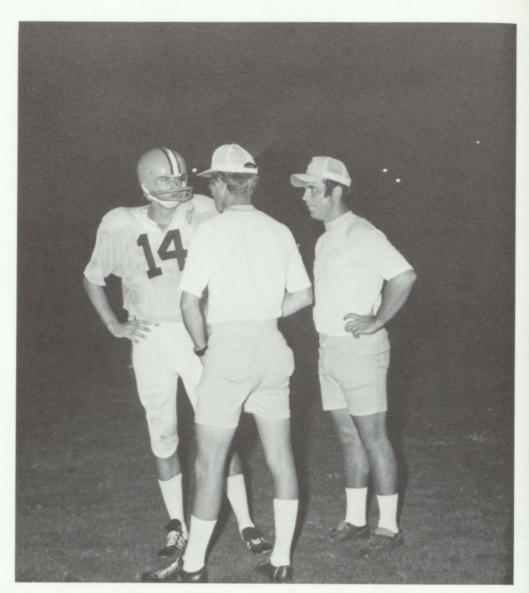


The Pell City Panthers opened our football season by defeating the Jacksonville Eagles in a game that ranked as one of the most thrilling. At the beginning of the game we were tied 7-7, but the Eagles kicked a field goal, putting them in the lead 10-7. Later the Eagles made another touchdown, faked the kick, and passed for a two-point conversion, which made the score 18-7. Then the Mighty Panthers scored again but missed the extra point, making the socre 18-13. At the beginning of the fourth quarter the Eagles made another touchdown pushing the score to a frightening 25-13. Still the Panthers roared back with an exciting TD to put us only five points behind. Later recovering a fumble, Panthers reached the Jacksonville nine yard line with only seven seconds to play. Time for one more play which the Panthers executed perfectly and made us the winner 27-25

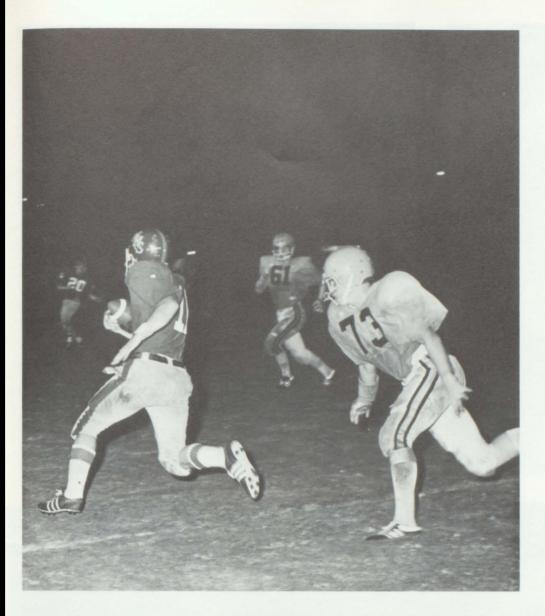


Agony Of Defeat







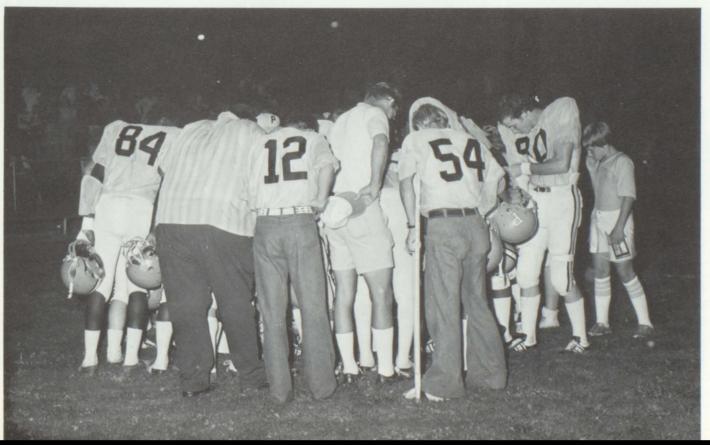


Before the 1973 football season began, some people stated that the Pell City Panthers would only win one game. The Panthers silenced some of these skeptics at our first home game, by whipping a tough Sylacauga team 22-7.

Midfield, on the following Friday, discovered that the Panthers had claws!! That statement was made "perfectly clear" to the Midfield Patriot team as the Panthers ripped off seven touchdowns and a safety enroute to trouncing the Patriots 51-12 on the soot-covered turf at Fairfields Stadium.

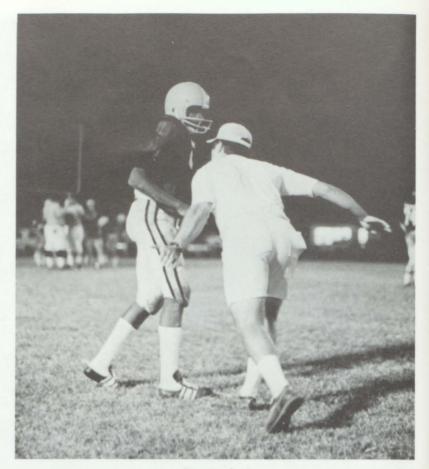
Sadly, our winning streak came to an end as the Childersburg Tigers scored over us 25-14, leaving a standing, disappointed crowd at Alumni Stadium.

At our third home game we lost a hard-fought battle to the Hewitt-Trussville Huskies. We lacked 3 yards making a touchdown that would have won the game, but the time ran out. This was our second loss, 13-8.

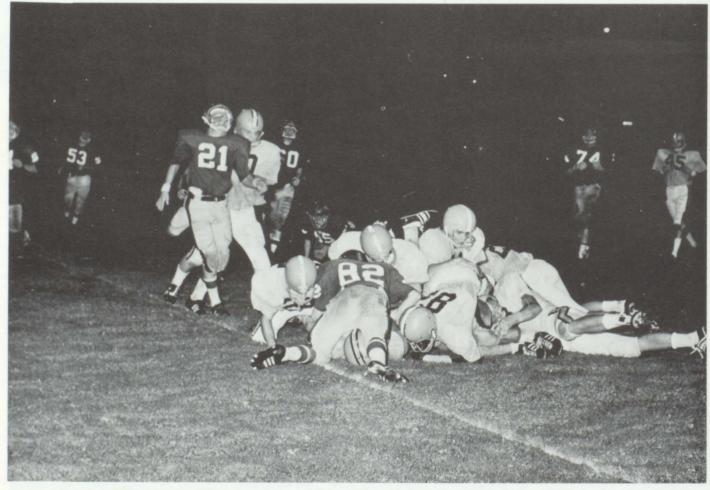




Gone like a streak of lightning!



Go get 'em, boy!



Get off my head! . . . Where did the ball go? . . . Join the Crowd! . . . Hey! We got here too late!





They won't get me now!



Fair Catch!



Thirst Quencher!



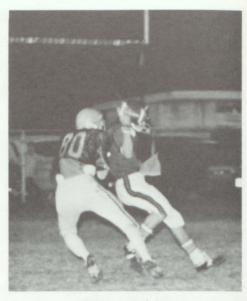
Maybe they won't see me!



"Go get 'em Panthers!"



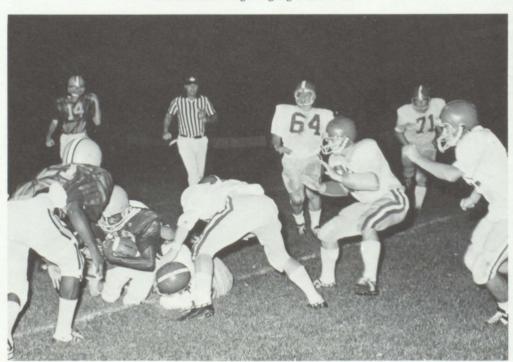
Let go! I've a TD to make!



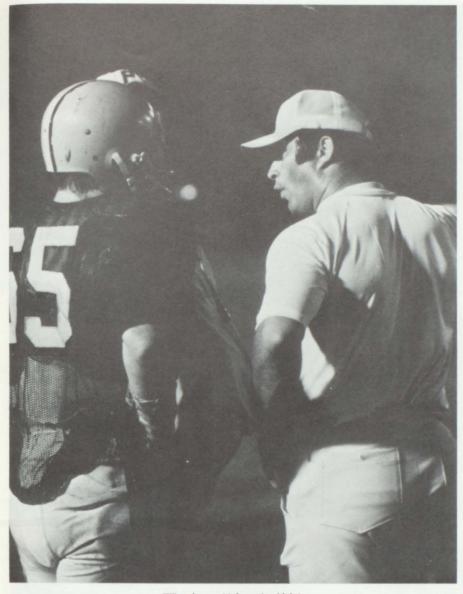
Who's got the ball?



Oh! No! Fumble Fingers is going to miss the ball!



What's wrong? . . . Are they all right? . . .



What do you think we should do?

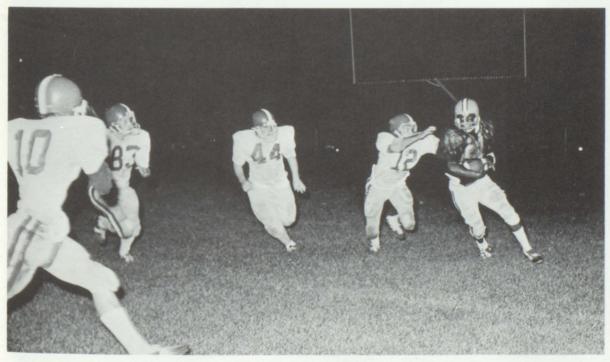
Our 6th game was against the Lincoln Bears and we won this game by a score of 20-0. This was our fourth win of the season.

The following Friday we played B. B. Comer and lost by a score of 7-28. This upset was our third loss.

The Panthers suffered their fourth loss of the season to Oxford. We were decimated by the Yellow Jackets by a score of 33-6.

Finally, our Homecoming game came and little did we know that we were going to beat one of the top teams in the state which was Oneonta. At the first half of the game they were ahead 14-0, but when the second half came we showed those Redskins who the ball players were. We beat those Injuns 17-14. Boy! The Thrill of Victory.

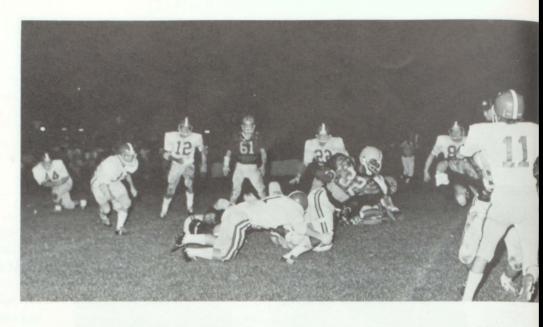
Our last football game was against the Thompson Warriors and the final score was 46-20 in their favor. This loss ended the Panthers season on a five-win, five-loss note.



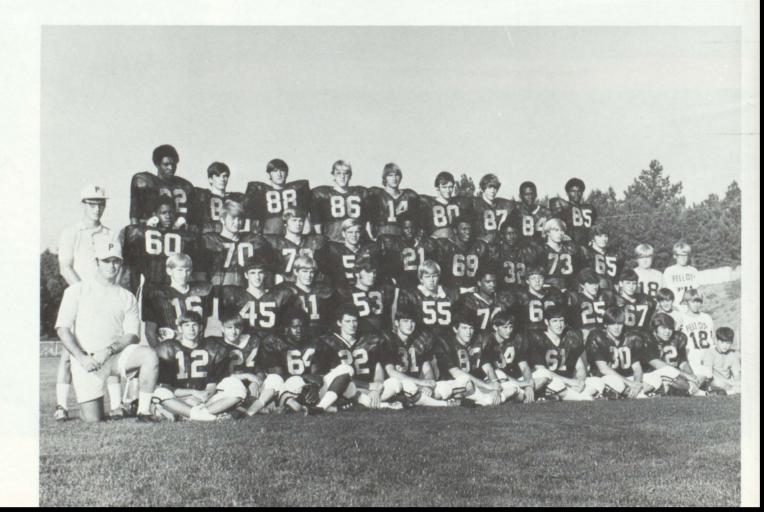
Hey! Where is my team AT?

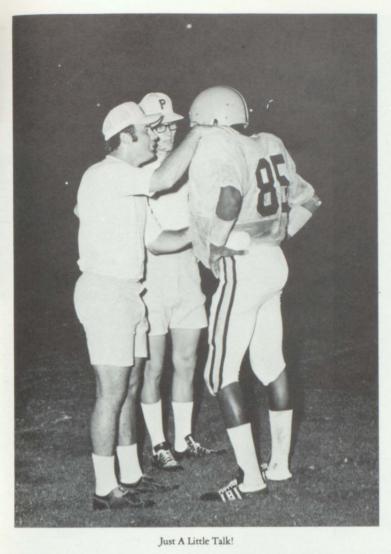
#### 1973 PELL CITY PANTHERS

Row 1 — Gray, Tollison, Garrett, Lonergan, Brown, Bowman, Gettys, Savage, Carlisle, Dorough, Funderburg, Manager; Row 2 — Coach Battles, Ray, Smith, Miller, Layton, Nixon, Carter, Holladay, Bain, Smith, Managers Rich and Pike; Row 3 — Coach Smith, Nobles, Schrader, Hunter, Cox, McCoy, McGowan, Ledford, Lee, Wren, Managers, Nixon and Haynes; Row 4 — Robbins, Humphrey, Brown, Skelton, Haynes, Bradshaw, Scott, Mixon, Bowie.



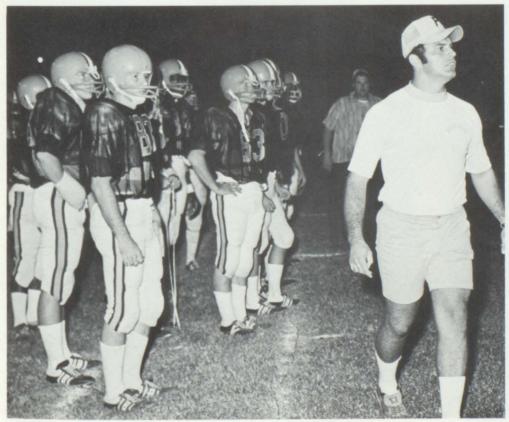








Coach Mike Battles and Coach Marion "Moe" Smith



I'll kill 'em!



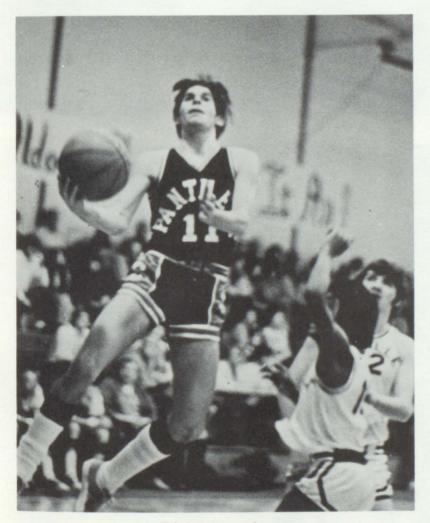
The Kick Off!

## PCHS Basketball Schedule And Score

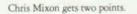
PCHS vs B.B. Comer	57	55	PCHS vs T.C.T.S.	57	77
PCHS vs Heflin	58	54	PCHS vs Springville	63	59
PCHS vs Ashville	39	45	PCHS vs Ragland	64	59
PCHS vs Wellborn	72	60	PCHS vs Ashville	64	67
PCHS vs Oxford	53	71	PCHS vs B.B. Comer	71	53
PCHS vs Shelby Co.	69	62	PCHS vs Ragland	83	59
PCHS vs Vincent	56	51	PCHS vs Wellborn	53	68
PCHS vs Montavallo	27	45	PCHS vs Sylacauga	72	70
PCHS vs Sylacauga	53	62	PCHS vs Childersburg	73	74
PCHS vs Heflin	72	58	PCHS vs Etowah	76	55
PCHS vs Ashville	58	67	PCHS vs Ragland	81	53
PCHS vs Etowah	64	52	PCHS vs T.C.T.S.	76	72
PCHS vs Oxford	60	61	PCHS vs Indian Springs	76	36
PCHS vs Childersburg	64	59	PCHS vs Childersburg	. 52	69



PCHS B Team won first place in county competition.
LEFT: K. Nobles, V. O'Neal, D. Sullivan, S. Scott, E. Smith, K. Gray, C. Mixon, G. Eden, and B. Lane.



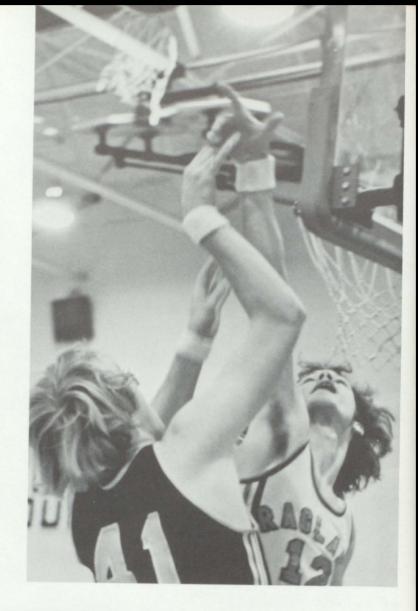
Kyle Gray attempts a shot.

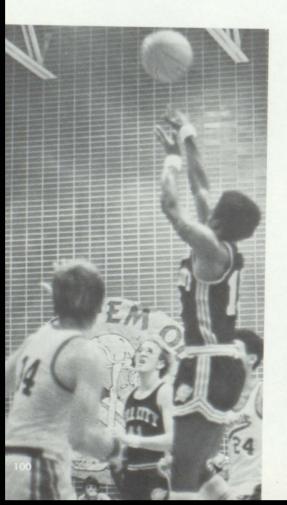




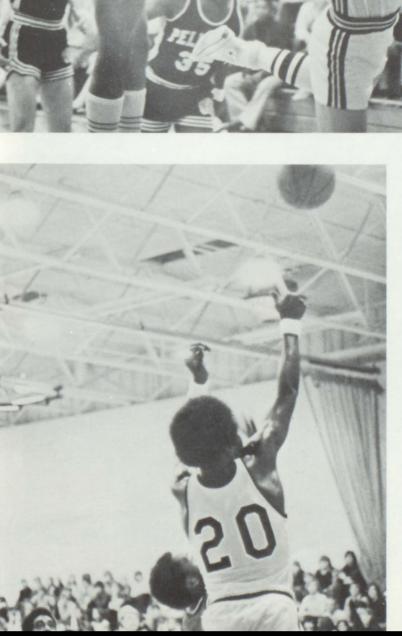
#### Sink It!

The first five games of the 1974 basketball season showed the Panthers at their best and at their worst. The Panther's pounce was sure and hard during the first two games. The team brought home a 57-55 victory over B. B. Comer and won by four points over Heflin. Ashville checked the Panthers by a 45-39 defeat. The Panthers were on the mend, however. A twelve point victory over Wellborn helped their morale before the Mid-State Tournament. However a big loss to Oxford hurt. Then came Mid-State Tournament! Our first opponent was Shelby County. The Panthers went in claws bared, but were down by seven points at the half. However, the second half brought changes. The team, led by Roberson and Vincent, turned on the power and ripped off a victory. The final score was PCHS 69, Shelby County 61. The next game of the tourney was against a close neighbor, Vincent. The Team went in demanding a victory and won by five points. The last game of the tournament had everyone on edge. The Panthers fought hard, but could not pull away from powerful Montevallo. We were awarded second place after a score of 27 to 45. Ronnie Roberson and Wayne McCoy made All Mid-State Basketball team.

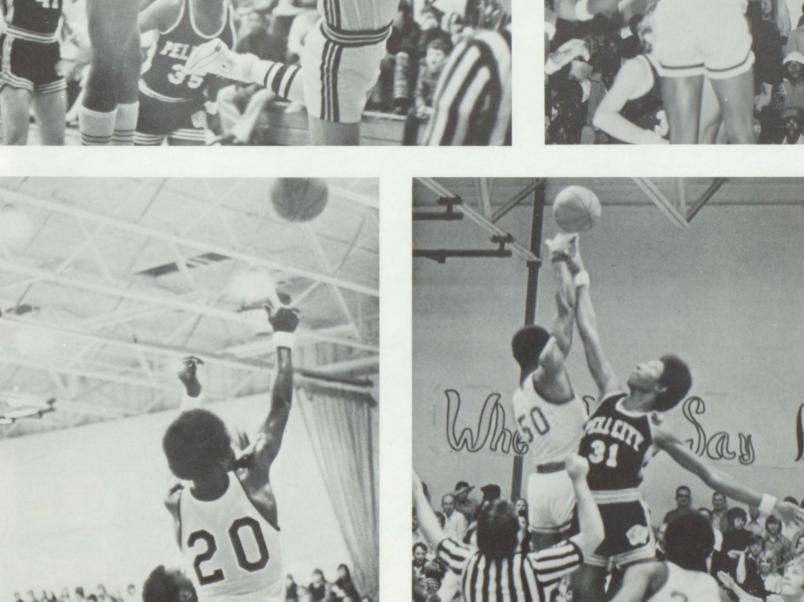






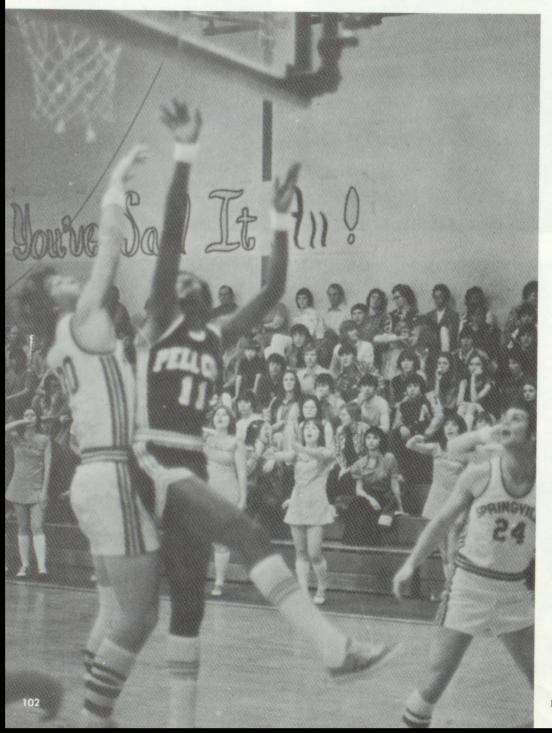






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Following the Mid-State Tournament, our boys seemed to be playing a see-saw game. Alternately, they won and lost. They suffered defeats from Sylacauga, Ashville, Oxford and Talledega County Training School by nine, nine, one and twenty points, respectively. A second victory over Heflin and a first over Etowah helped to smooth things over. A surprising upset over Childersburg proved the Panthers were still in the game. At the end of that game, PCHS led the astonished Tigers by five points. The next three games were played in the County Tourney in which PCHS won second place after a defeat by Ashville. The defeat did not get the Panther team down. They came back with a 71 to 53 win over B. B. Comer. The next game with Ragland set the school scoring record for this year. The Panthers sank 35 field goals and made good 13 free shots for a total of 83 points. The Ragland score was 59.

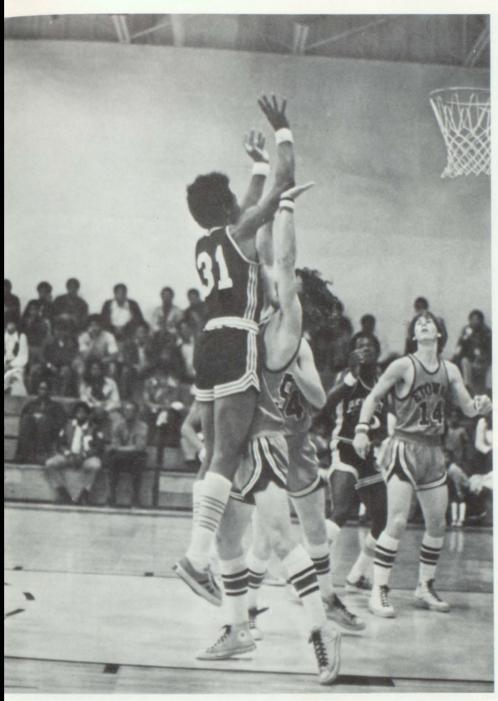




Ronnie Roberson vs Heflin Tiger

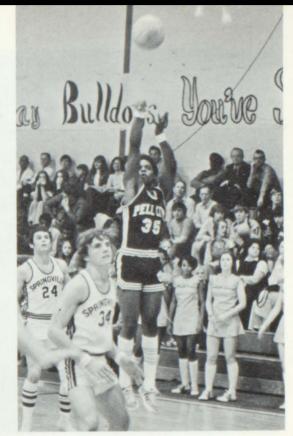


Wayne Robbins makes two.



Clifford Howard shoots over Etowah blocker.





R. Roberson assists in Springville win.

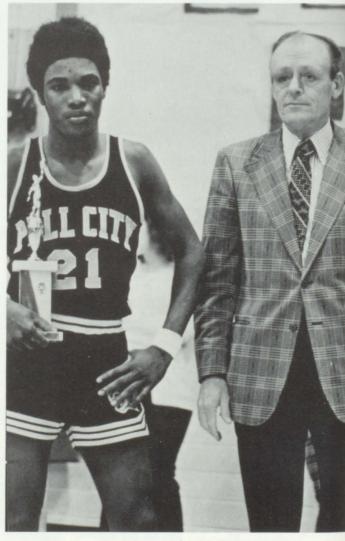
After this big game, Wellborn caught PCHS unaware and defeated us 53 to 68. A comeback was in order when Sylacauga, who had defeated us earlier in the season, was defeated by two points. During our second game with Childersburg, the Panther defense could not hold back the Tigers. Childersburg won by one small point. The last three games in regular season play were victories for the Panther team. Etowah was ripped off 76 to 55; Ragland 81 to 53; and T. C. T. S. 76 to 72. Following regular season was the Area Tournament. The Panthers went in fired up and defeated Indian Springs 76 to 36. However, in a tough game against Childersburg, the Panthers lost their grip and were defeated 52 to 69. All in all PCHS had a winning season with 17 wins and 11 losses. A good season for the Panthers, who'll do even better next year.

Frank Vincent blocks Ashville shot.

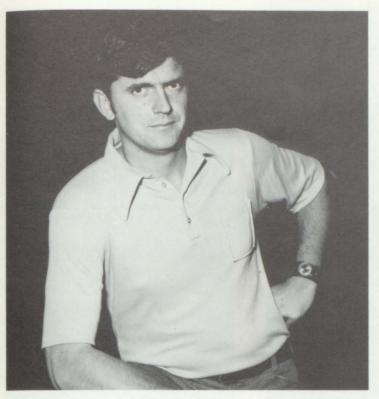


L. Bradshaw, M. Bowie, F. Vincent and G. Skelton accept second place trophy.

The County Tournament began for PCHS with first round game with Springville. The Panthers were short on players and points, but pulled the game through with some fancy shooting during the fourth quarter. Springville was edged out 63 to 59. The high scorer was Wayne Robbins with 27 points. Next in line for the Panthers were the Ragland Devils. Ragland was the only team in the County to beat Ashville, so far. The black-clad players went in fighting, but could not get a substantial lead. However, the pressure was put on during the fourth quarter and the Panthers won 64 to 59. Now our squad of seven players faced the championship game. The Panthers fought with determination and managed to lead by four points, beginning the fourth quarter. The final outcome was determined, however, during the last five seconds, when a free shot by Ashville put them three points ahead of a tired Panther team. The final score was 64 to 67. The high scorers for PCHS were Wayne Robbins with 24 points and Wayne McCoy with 20 points. Wayne McCoy and Clifford Howard were named on the All-County team. Our high scorer, Wayne Robbins, was named the "Most Valuable Player" for the tour-



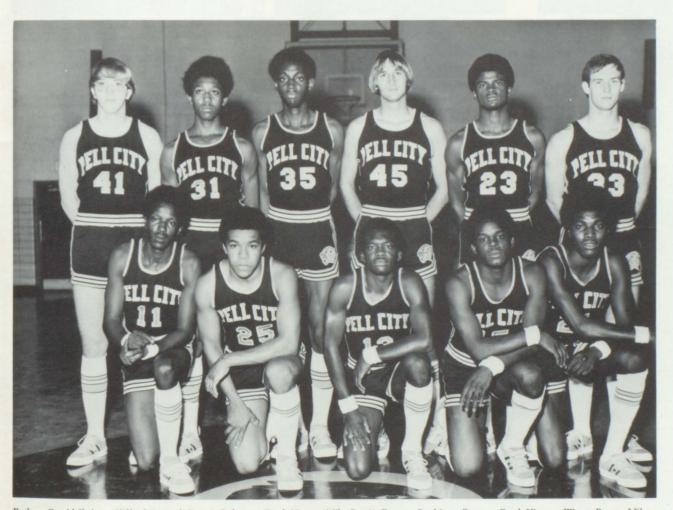
Wayne Robbins: Most Valuable Player.



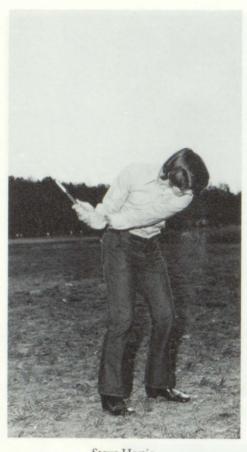
Coach Roger Pate



Assistant Coach Johnny Truitt



Back — Gerald Skelton, Clifford Howard, Ronnie Roberson, Frank Haynes, Mike Bowie, Dawson Bradshaw. Front — Frank Vincent, Wayne Brown, Milton Fomby, Wayne McCoy, Wayne Robbins.







Wayne Yarbrough



Bobby McClung



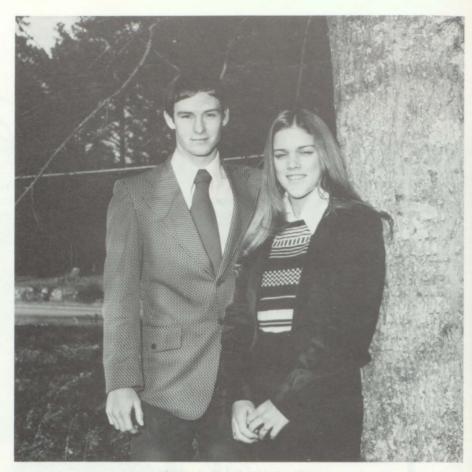


Left to Right — Rob Skelton, Steve Hertig, Bobby McClung, Wayne Yarbrough, Blythe Walls, Doug Grissom, Kent Eason, Coach Roger Pate.





**FAVORITES** 



## Super Seniors

Lawson Bradshaw

SENIOR CLASS FAVORITES

Ramona Yates



President — Russ Cox Vice-President — Mike Smith

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

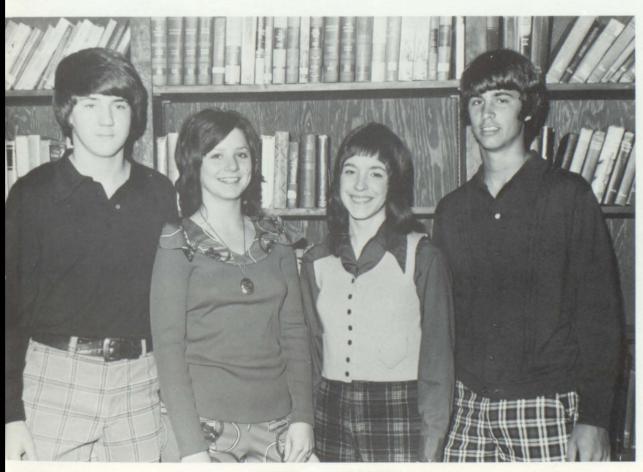
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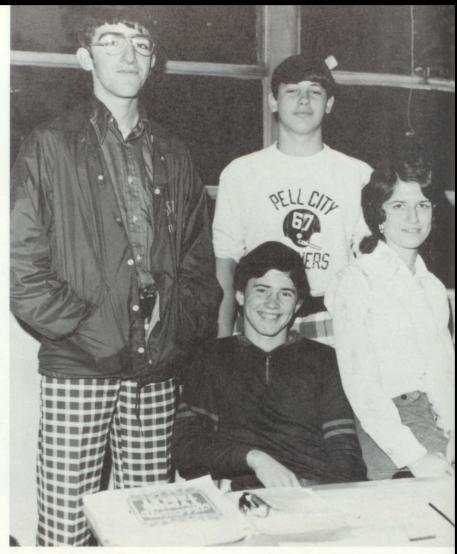
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Jivin' Juniors



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Sassy Sophomores



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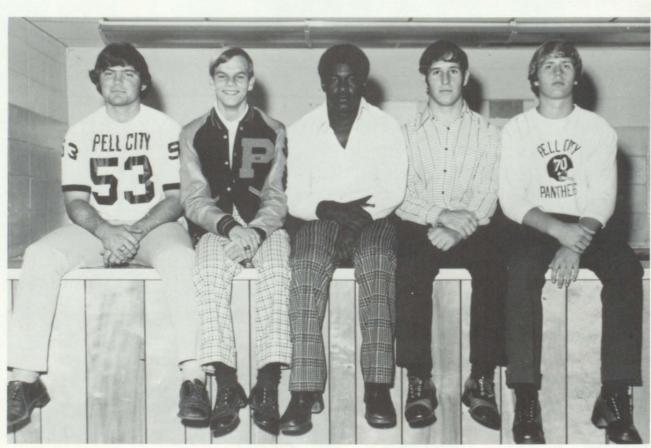


## Basketball Awards

Ronnie Roberson Wayne McCoy Wayne Robbins Clifford Howard Sportsmanship Trophy, All Mid-State
All Mid-State, All County
All County, Alex Watson Memorial Trophy, Area Tournament, Most Valuable Player
All County



Lee, Bowie, Brown



Layton, Cox, Ledford, Savage, Lee

## Awards



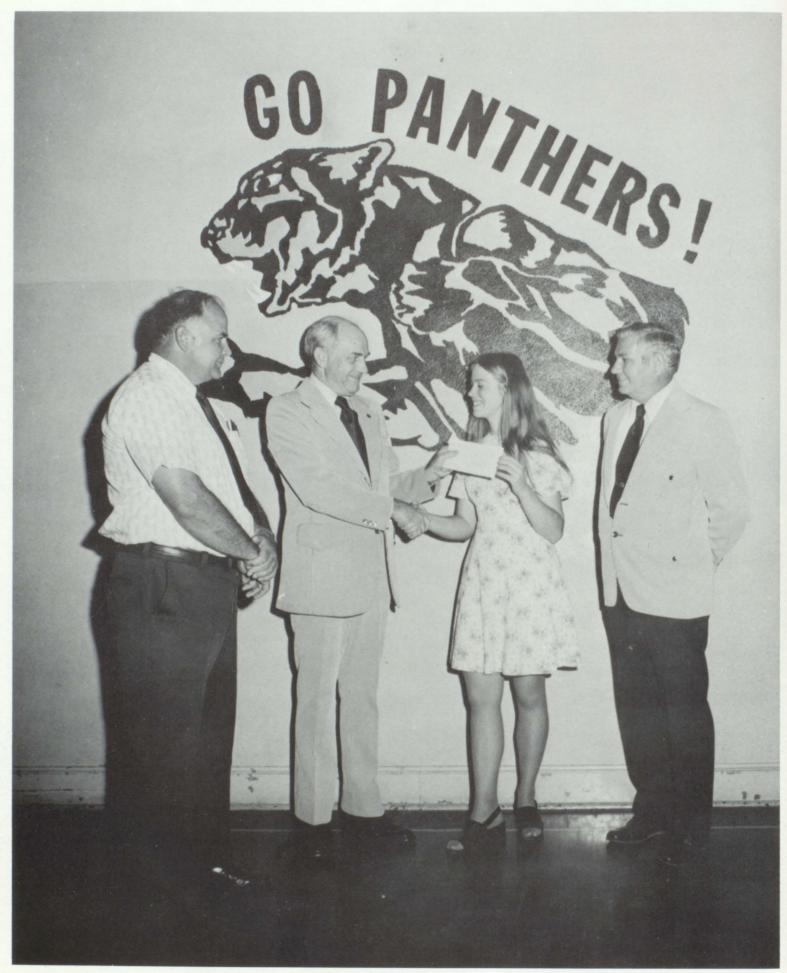
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Mike Layton — Gerald Gossett Memorial
Award For Sportsmanship;
Russ Cox — Edmund Blair Memorial
Scholastical Award;
Randy Ledford — Most Valuable Back;
Gary Savage — Hustler of the Year;
Keith Lee.— Most Valuable Lineman

TOP:
Lawson Bradshaw — All County;
Randy Ledford — All County, All Mid-State
Fullback;

Ricky Brown — All County, All Mid-State Tackle, Honorable Mention, All State Tackle;

Keith Lee — All County

OPPOSITE PAGE TOP: Keith Lee — Permanent Captain; Mike Bowie — Permanent Captain; Ricky Brown — Permanent Captain



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