



The *Great* Canadian  
Catholic Hospital History Project

Documenting the legacy and contribution of the  
Congregations of Religious Women in Canada,  
their mission in health care, and the founding and operation of Catholic hospitals.

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Projet de la *Grande* Histoire  
des hôpitaux catholiques au Canada

Retracer l'héritage et la contribution des  
congrégations de religieuses au Canada,  
leur mission en matière de soins de santé ainsi que la fondation et l'exploitation des hôpitaux catholiques.

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## Rubicon '75

### The St. Michael's Hospital School of Nursing YEARBOOK 1975

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CATHERINE RAGAN





## Dedication

This year we would like to dedicate our yearbook to Mrs. Marg McPhee. She has been at St. Michael's for several years, teaching us all the important aspects of the human body. Mrs. McPhee is a terrific teacher who was always willing to give extra time and support to help us pass through her course.

All those years of studying Biology seem to have paid off as recently Mrs. McPhee gave birth to a beautiful baby girl. Congratulations, Mrs. McPhee, and thanks for being a good part of our lives at St. Michael's.



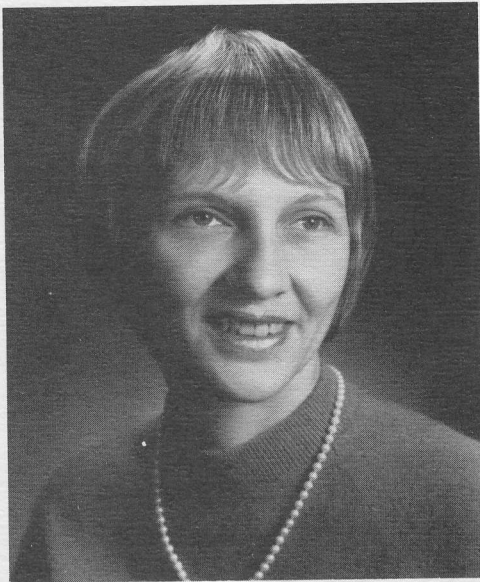
Dear Graduates of 1975,

As you have just completed a course of study and practise, it is time to look back as well as forward. There have been ups and downs along the way but you have always had a goal not too far off to give purpose to your endeavors. Now, you have achieved your goal; you are about to become practitioners of nursing, and you are enjoying the great feeling of success. This happy state, however will not last forever and eventually the realities of your career situation will become apparent to you, as the realities of being nursing students became apparent to you some time ago. What will help you to adjust creatively in this new situation with all its ups and downs? Once again your own long term and short term goals, and to measure your own progress towards these selected ends. Does this sound familiar? I hope it does, for unless you continue to use the processes learned during your student days, you run the risk of ending up in a nursing rut of repetitive tasks and that can be rather deadly. Being your own motivator and evaluator is not easy but it is worthwhile, both for your own sake and for the sake of those involved, namely your patients and colleagues. Best wishes for a long and productive nursing career.

Maureen Forrester Komlos  
Director

# Faculty





To all of you may I offer my thanks for the experience of having worked and learned with you. Each year your growth is also mine. To those of you who now leave us as "Graduates", I extend my congratulations, love and best wishes to carry on with the courage, forthrightness and true professionalism of which I know you are capable. To those of you who remain with us for another year, I encourage you to continue with the dedication and effort you have already shown. To all of you I offer my support and encouragement.

God Bless.

Sincerely,

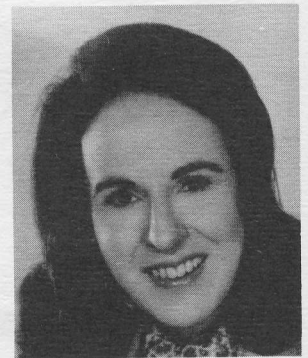
Myrna Simms,  
Assistant Director



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Dean of Nursing  
GBC



Mrs. U. Calderone  
Program Co-ordinator  
RN Program



Mrs. M. Shooter  
Assistant Director  
RNA Program



Sr. Rita Bulger  
Neuro-Rehab.  
Yearbook Advisor



Miss M. Romano  
Registrar



Mrs. M. Longenhagen  
Health Counsellor



Mrs. M. Auden  
Med. Surg.



Miss F. Barr  
Med. -Surg.



Mr. J. Bradley  
A-V Technician



Miss K. D'Sylva  
Med. -Surg.



Mrs. R. Foley  
Med. -Surg.



Miss M. Grant  
Med. -Surg.



Mr. M. Guirguis  
Librarian



Miss M.L. Harrison  
Med. -Surg.



Mrs. B. Henriques  
RNA Instructress



Miss S. McDonald  
Psychiatry



Mrs. M. McPhee  
Bio-Science



Miss C. MacDonald  
Obstetrics



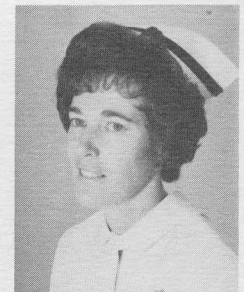
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Med. -Surg.



Mrs. L. Malczewski  
Obstetrics

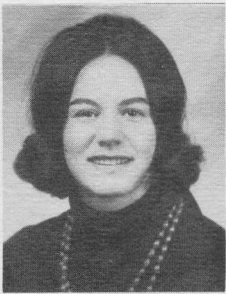


Miss J. Metcalfe  
Hormones, Fluids  
and Electrolytes



Miss P. Metson  
Hormones, Fluids  
and Electrolytes





Miss C. O'Connor  
RNA Instructor



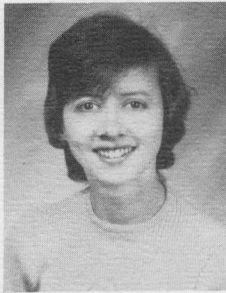
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Miss J. Smith  
RNA Instructor



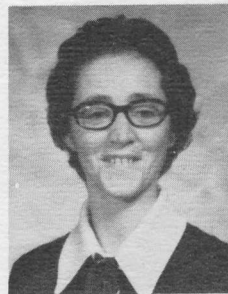
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Med. -Surg.



Mrs. E. Bimms  
Health Unit



Miss D. Shames  
Co-ordinator of  
Service and  
Education



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Residence Director



Mrs. H. Morey  
Assistant Res. Director

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Med. -Surg.

Mrs. W. Freeman  
Psychiatry

Mr. G. Schneider  
Business Manager

Miss Alexander  
Med. -Surg.

And a special thanks to the library technicians and the secretaries and typists who aided in our education.



## Staff at 1535 hrs.







JANETTE METCALFE  
DIED AUGUST, 16, 1975

Jan Metcalfe, a robust, dynamic person, with a heart of gold, is missed a great deal by all whose lives she touched.

She died doing what she was most respected and admired for - trying to give help to someone else. She will never be forgotten and will always hold an honoured place in our hearts and minds.

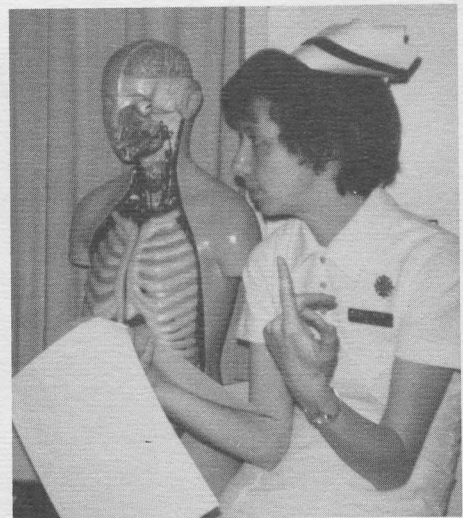
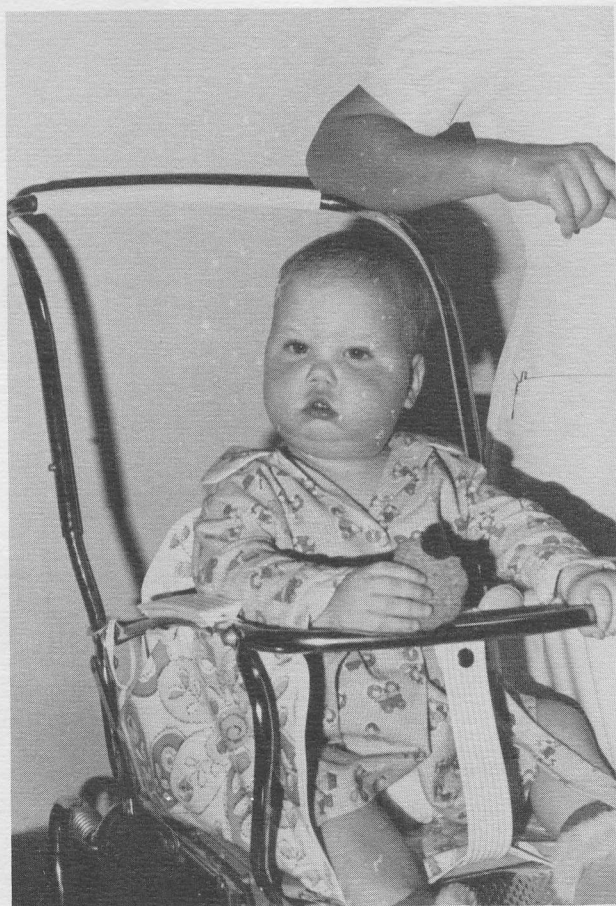
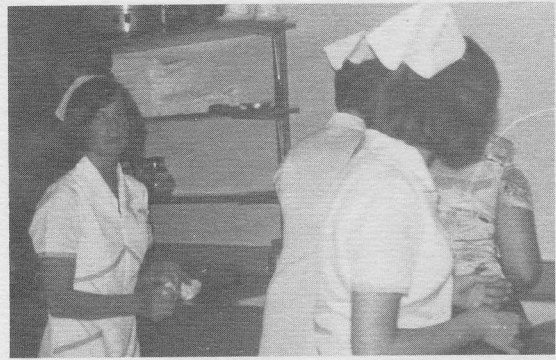
"Words of sympathy  
Are ever so sincere  
They are of little comfort  
In the loss of one so dear  
Memories will be forever close."

# Ward Work

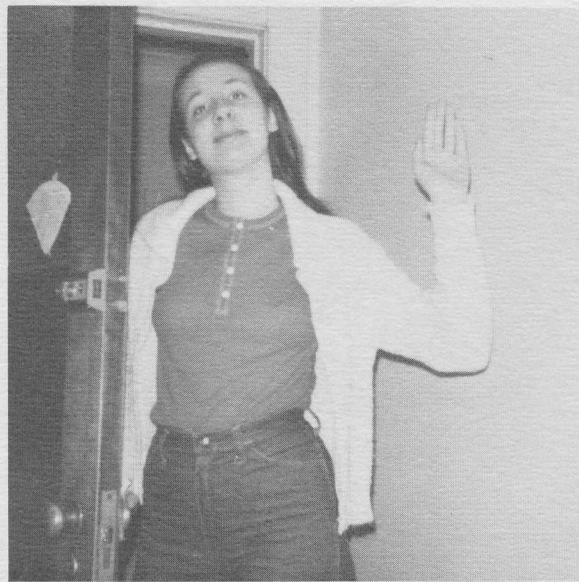
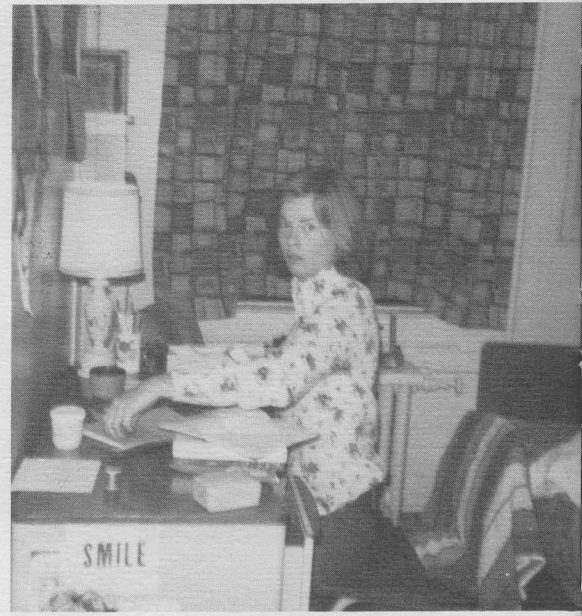


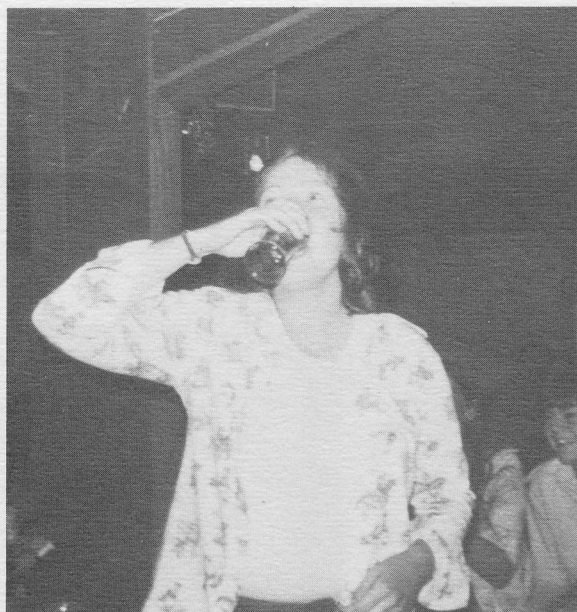












# **The Night Before Graduation**

# R.N.A. Graduates





C. Ashbee



C. Boyes



J. Bullen



A. Casey



C. Chamulak



Sr. Sophie Chumko



L. Coates-Elliott



J. Conely



R. Delevich



S. Devnich



D. Doerr



D. Dougherty



A. Erskine



C. Farmer



S. Farmer



R. Gibbard



S. Makin



B. Gunn



H. Hillis



K. Keracher



K. Kilgour



L. Lane



J. Leahy



P. Lepine



M. Lipman



D. Littleton





N. Michaud



J. Mousseau



C. Padgett



L. Park



M. Pennachietti



P. Riddle



C. Schario



C. Stevenson



S. Stimers



B. Swanson



H. Morasse



L. Weber



C. Williamson



P. Williamson



I. Vaiciunas



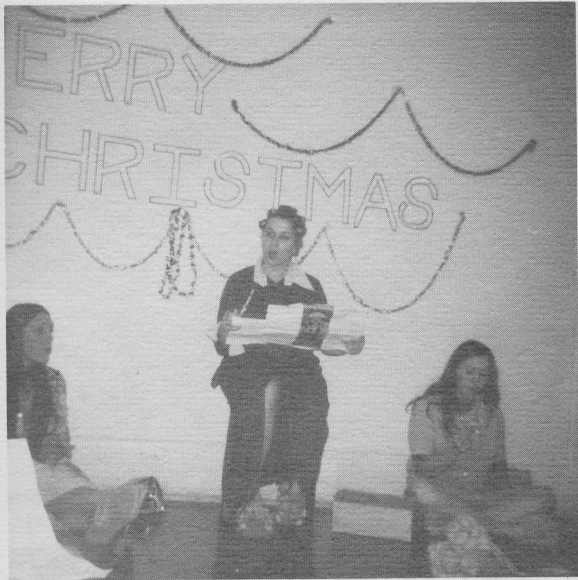
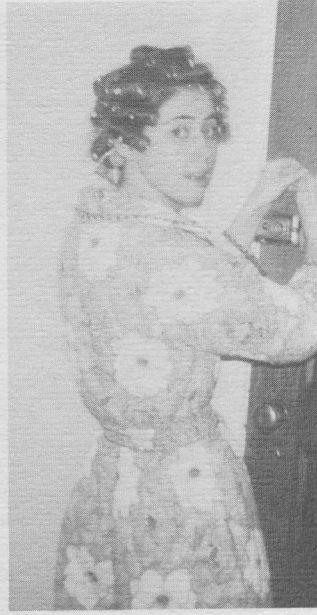
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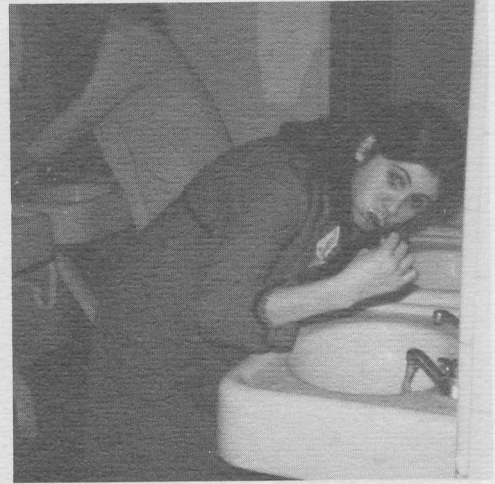
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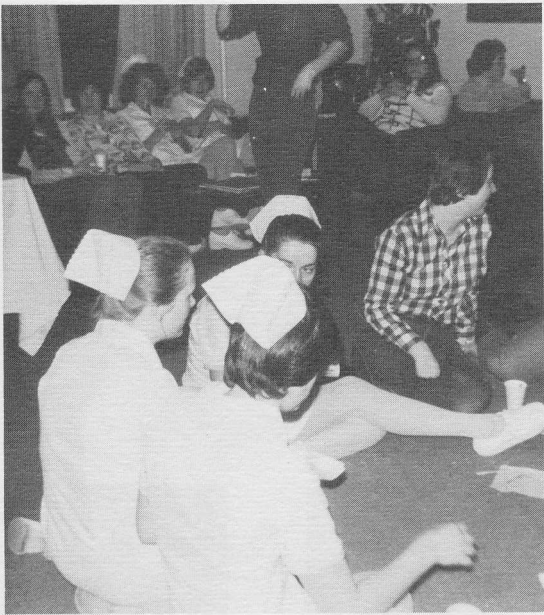




**RNA**  
Residence







## First Years







J. Anderson



N. Barnbrook



L. Barry



K. Boehler



J. Brown



B. Clifford



D. Colling



B. Cordes



J. Correia



M. Crowley



M. Dennis



M. Dilworth



M. Dolan



M. Dunn



K. Elliot



S. Farwell



J. Gallagher



S. Gatto



J. Gourlie



G. Haswell



C. Howlett



A. Hudson



C. Hunter



C. Jasper



C. Jones



S. Juan



G. Katz



C. Kennedy



L. Kennedy



K. LaBrash



K. Lambrose



V. Lasky



B. Lockington



L. Longarini



J. Loughry



A. Luciani



M. Maidich



H. Marks



S. Martyn



J. Mencarelli



R. Merkley



R. Mitchell



D. Morrison



D. Murray



D. MacDonald



J. McGaw



A. MacIsaac



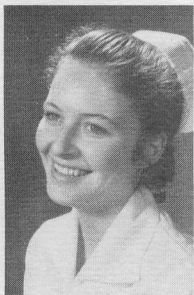
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B. Outwater



J. Pearce



J. Pearson



K. Pomroy



N. Rashotte



A. Redmond



B. Reid



B. Rice



J. Rideout



A. Royal



N. Sarino



H. Stevens



J. Tennant



J. Way



S. Weston



J. Wright

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- J. Ast
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- S. Brown
- A. Coyle
- D. Day
- A. Fayter
- H. Fernandes
- M. Gauthier
- J. Gilmore
- J. Santi
- J. Willoughby

- A. Hurley
- E. Irish
- M. Keogh
- A. Labonte
- J. Legare
- B. Lemire
- W. Marshall
- L. Miller
- K. Kahnert
- M. Teunissen

- P. Monteath
- M. Morris
- K. McCarthy
- K. McMahan
- E. O'Connor
- E. Parris
- J. Petrie
- N. Reid
- B. Rodin
- D. Rose



Chug it Colleen



POOF - All Gone!



Hey Sailor, Wanna Dance?



This sure beats Peanut Butter Sandwiches.



Dig in - It's free!

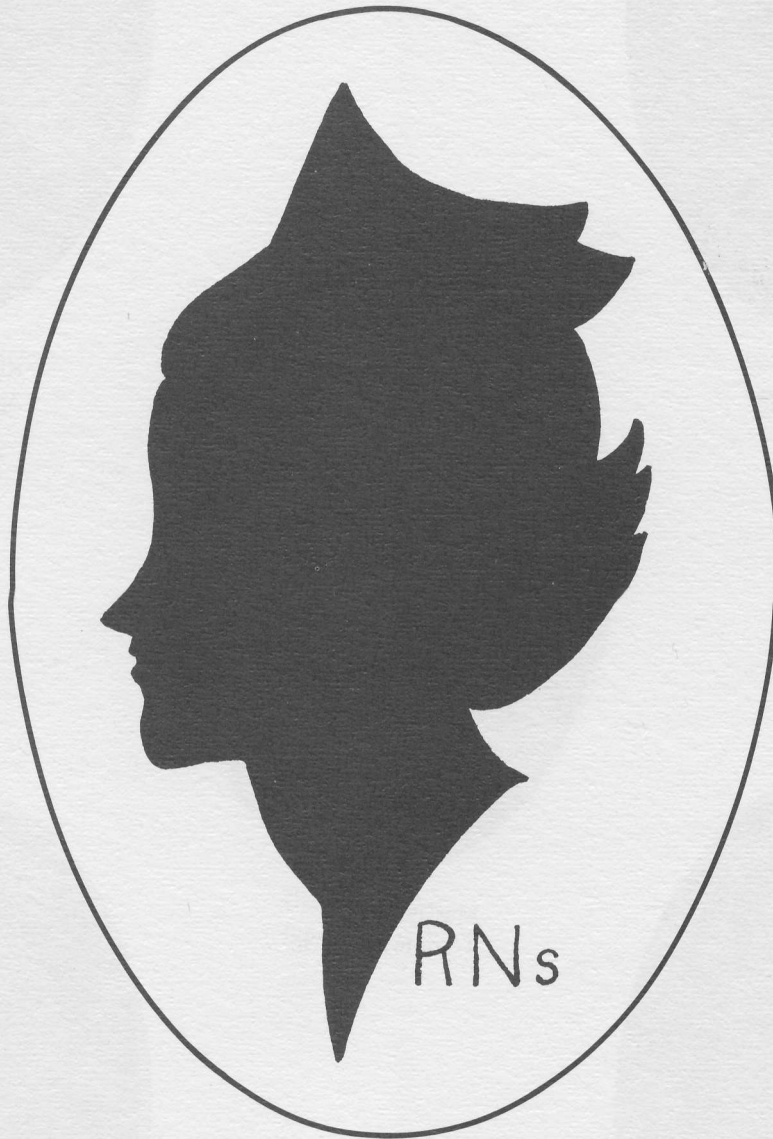


The back row girls



# 3/4 Way Dinner

# Graduating Class



**St. Michael's Campus 1975**



Paula Arnold  
Ottawa, Ontario



Katherine Bahen  
Agincourt, Ontario



Marilyn Banks  
Toronto, Ontario



Lynne Blackburn  
Creemore, Ontario



Wendy Bassingthwaite  
Toronto, Ontario



June Marie McCracken  
Toronto, Ontario



Roseann Borrow  
Coldwater, Ontario



Carmen Boss  
Brockville, Ontario



Angela Boucher  
Ottawa, Ontario



Linda Brock  
Bowmanville, Ontario





Joanne Cameron  
Burlington, Ontario



Kathleen Carr  
Toronto, Ontario



Angela Catenacci  
Toronto, Ontario



Anne Crittenden  
Clinton, Ontario



Jane Cronin  
Mississauga, Ontario



Adriana Cupoli  
Brantford, Ontario



Lorna Cybulski  
Barrie, Ontario



Connie Dewart  
Toronto, Ontario



Barbara Diehl  
Toronto, Ontario



Ruth Epp  
St. Catharines, Ontario



Sandra Srigley  
Toronto, Ontario



Eileen Fitzpatrick  
Brampton, Ontario



Catherine Gartha  
Toronto, Ontario



Wendy Goodine  
West Hill, Ontario



Lucy Groszewski  
Toronto, Ontario



Kathleen Haight  
North Bay, Ontario



Jackie Hanna  
West Hill, Ontario



Patricia Harris  
Lively, Ontario



Sheila Havey  
Arnprior, Ontario



Eleanor Hay  
Toronto, Ontario



Dorothee Hribar  
Toronto, Ontario



Jayne Looby  
Dublin, Ontario



Cecilin Miller  
Toronto, Ontario



Susan Molnar  
Port Colborne, Ontario



Elizabeth McAleese  
St. Catharines, Ontario



Colleen McLarnon  
Oviedo, Florida



Lianne Noonan  
Kingston, Ontario



Lucy Ann Perreira  
Toronto, Ontario



Michele Poirier  
Cornwall, Ontario



Catherine Ragan  
Toronto, Ontario



Elizabeth Rawley  
Agincourt, Ontario



Patricia Reeves  
Mississauga, Ontario



Lynda Salter  
Toronto, Ontario



Sharon Schofield  
Kirkland Lake, Ontario



Cathy Siegner  
Kitchener, Ontario



Carol Silgado  
Toronto, Ontario



Deborah Smith  
Oak Ridges, Ontario



Margaret Spicer  
Toronto, Ontario



Jo-Ann Sorbara  
St. Catharines, Ontario



Pam Stackaruk  
Toronto, Ontario





Sharon Swarbrick  
Oshawa, Ontario



Joanne Thauberger  
Toronto, Ontario



Nancy Watson  
Peterborough, Ontario



Marsha Watt  
Welland, Ontario



Mary Weren  
Chesterville, Ontario



Kimberly Whelan  
Mississauga, Ontario



Marion O'Reilly  
Toronto, Ontario



Beverly Wells  
Toronto, Ontario



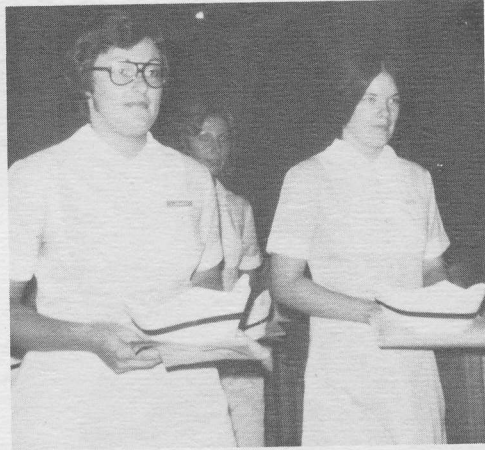
Lucille Golab  
Toronto, Ontario



Rosemary Buckley  
Toronto, Ontario



Margaret Gilbert  
Hamilton, Ontario



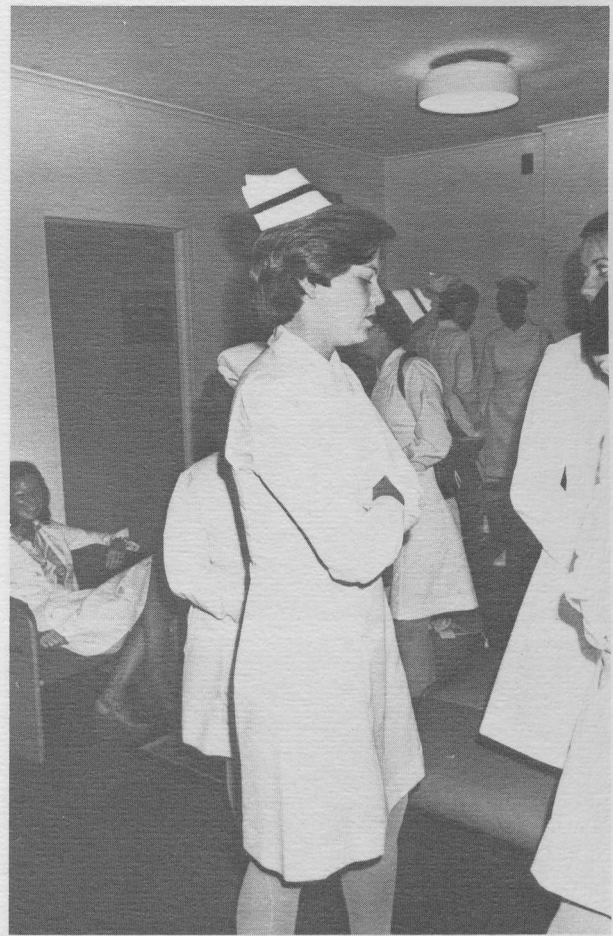


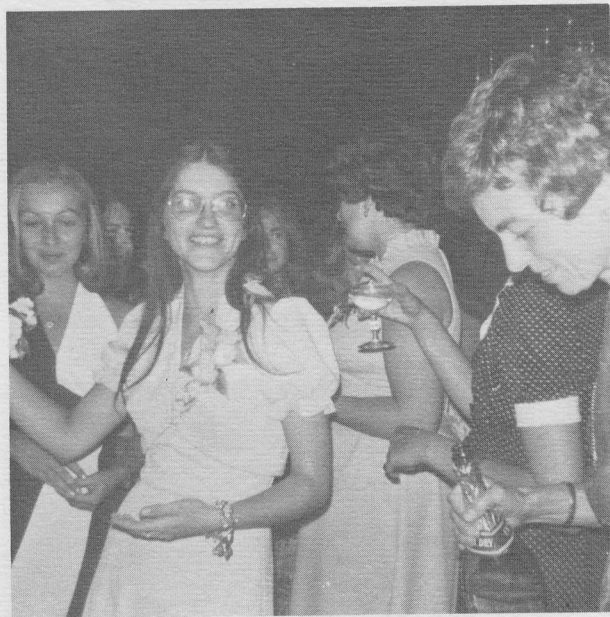
# Black Band Mass



# Graduation Ceremonies











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LEFT TO RIGHT: P. Arnold, J. Leahy, C. Williamson, C. Ragan, D. Morrison, K. McMahon.  
FRONT ROW: R. Epp, C. McLarnon, J. Sorbara, A. Erskine, D. Murray, B. Reid.



Well we have finally come to the end of a long 2 years - Believe it or not!

Working on Student Council for the past 2 years has been an interesting experience. I'd like to thank all those who were affiliated with the Council - with a special thanks to the first years and a very warm wish to Karen McMahon - president of next years Student Council.

J. Sorbara, President

# Y e a r b o o k

# S t a f f



BACK ROW: K. McMahon, S. Martyn.  
FRONT ROW: C. McLarnon, P. Arnold, C. Ragan, A. Cupoli.



On behalf of the yearbook staff we hope we have brought to you some of the many memories we shared throughout the year. There were good times and bad times, even though we remember the bad, we will always treasure the good. What we have put together for you are some of the good times and may they always be a memorable part of your lives.

Paula and Rags  
(Co-Editors)



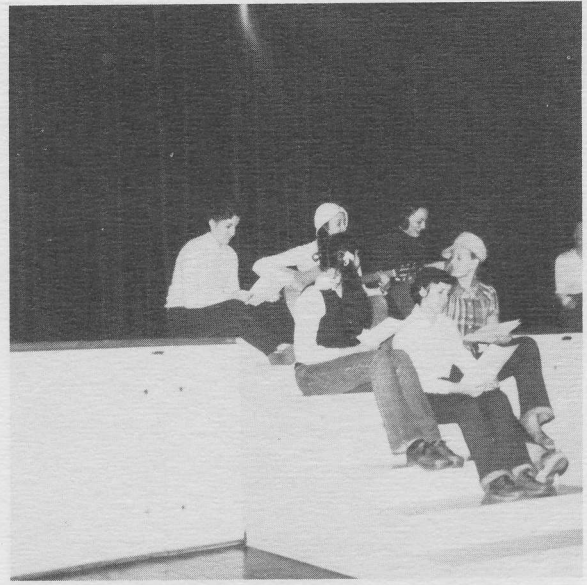


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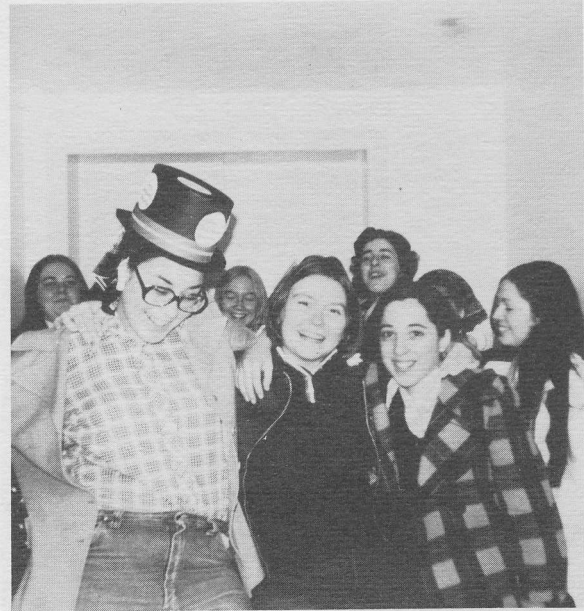


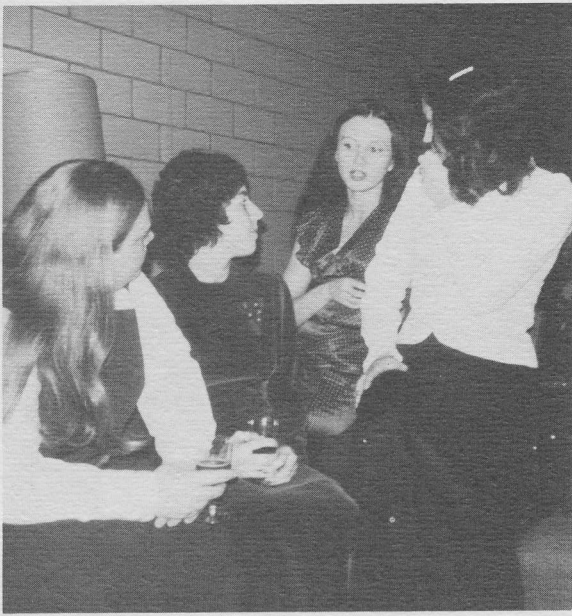


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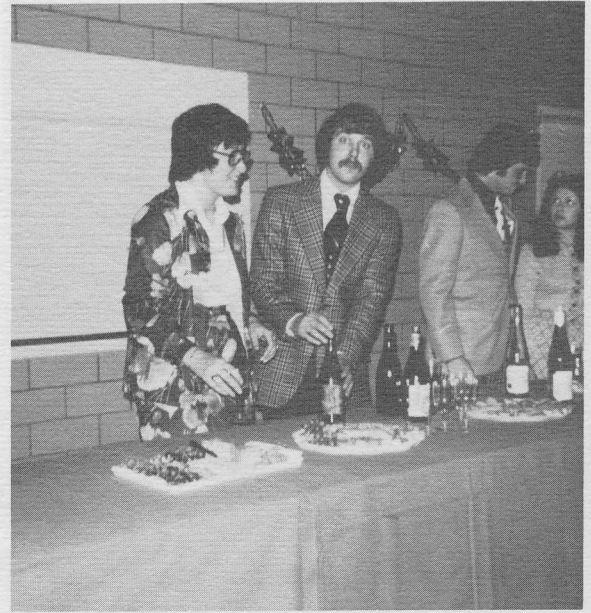
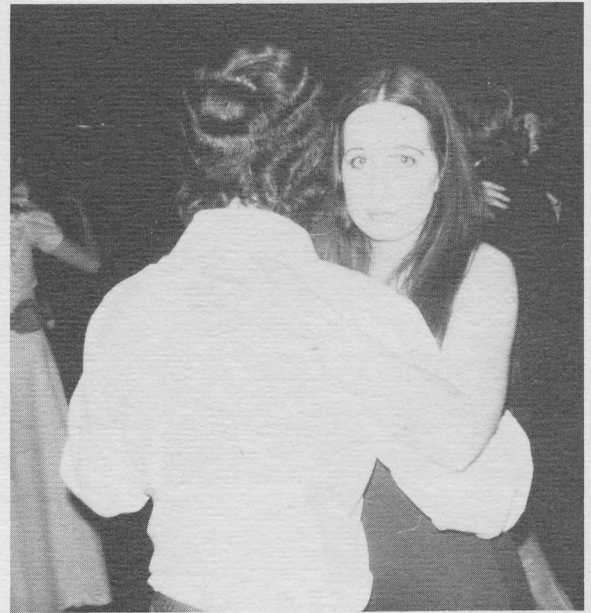


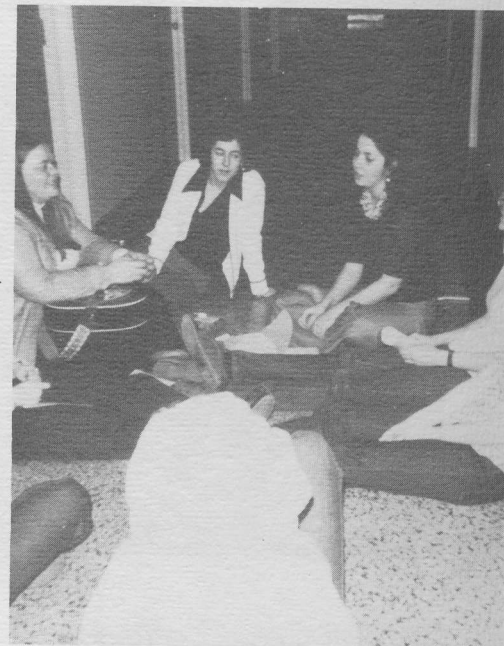
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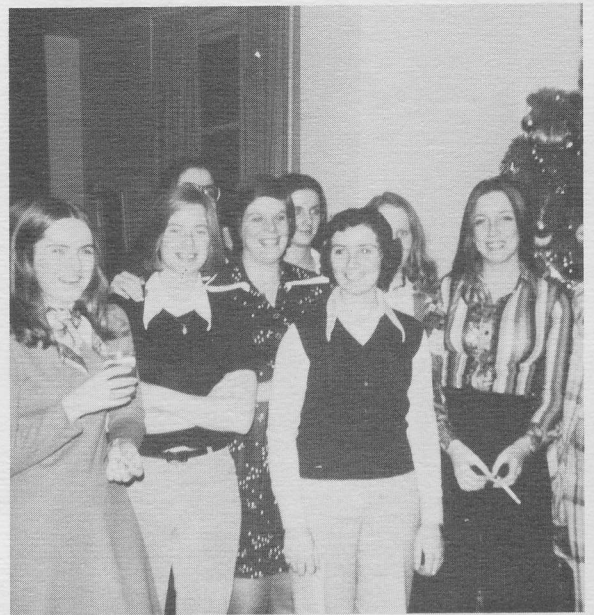


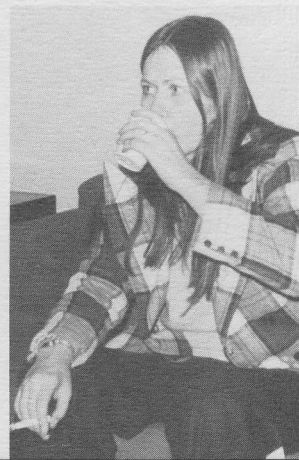
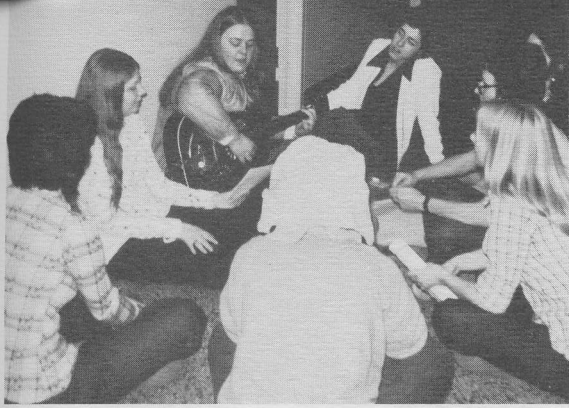


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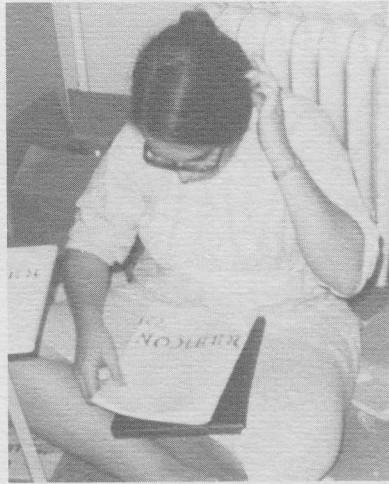












**And a Very  
Special  
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