

# 1948 Mecca Annual



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#### FACULTY OF MECCA SCHOOL

James W. Conlin	Principal
Mabel Mendenhall	English, Music
Mary Crooks	Home Economics
Helen Bills	Fourth and Fifth
Dorothy Murphy	Commerce
Charles Roccia	Coach, Math, Health
Reva Yocum	Social Studies, English
Elizabeth Taylor	Third Grade
Theadus Stutler	Second Grade
Edna Baldwin	Fifth and Sixth Grade
Thelma Lewman	First Grade
John Fortner	Shop and Physics





MARGARET AKERS  
Nat. Honor Society  
Class Play 3-4  
Chorus 1-2-3  
Annual Staff  
President 3



EVELYN BOSWELL  
Class Play 3-4  
Chorus 1-2  
Sec. 3  
Annual Staff



PATTY BROWN  
Nat. Honor Society  
Good Citizenship Girl  
Class Play 3-4  
Chorus 1-2-3  
President 4  
Vice President 3  
Annual Staff



DALE GERRISH  
Nat. Honor Society  
Class Play 3-4  
Chorus 1-2-3  
Basketball 2-3-4  
Annual Staff



DALE GOULD  
Basketball 3  
Class Play 4  
Baseball 4  
Annual Staff



BERNICE HAUGHEE  
Chorus 1-3  
Class Play 3-4  
Annual Staff



**JACK HARPOLD**  
Nat. Honor Society  
Class Play 3-4  
Basketball 3-4  
Baseball 3-4  
Annual Staff



**ERIS KIADO**  
Class Play 4  
Chorus 2-3  
Editor of School Paper 3  
Annual Staff



**ALTON MARLAR**  
Class Play 3-4  
Chorus 2-3  
Annual Staff



**IRA PAUL MAUREY**  
Nat. Honor Society  
Class Play 3-4  
Basketball 1-2-3-4  
Baseball 2-3-4  
Annual Staff



**JUNIOR NAUGGLE**  
Nat. Honor Society  
Basketball 1-2-3-4  
Baseball 1-2-3-4  
Annual Staff



**PATTY PREECE**  
Chorus 1-2  
Annual Staff



**BOBBY SMITH**  
Class Play 3-4  
Basketball 3  
Baseball 3-4  
Annual Staff



**RUSSELL YOWELL**  
Class Play 4  
Basketball 4  
Baseball 4  
Annual Staff



**MAX TAYLOR**  
Chorus 1-2  
Annual Staff



**MR. CHARLES ROCCIA**  
Senior Class Sponsor



MARGARET



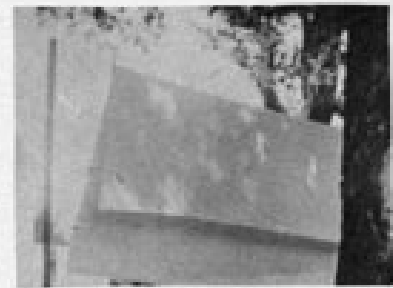
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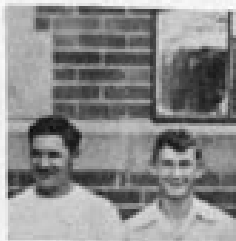
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MR. ROCCIAT ,



DALE AND IRA PAUL



BOB SMITH



BERNICE



PATTY BROWN



MAX TAYLOR



MARY CATHERINE





GIRLS 7



MARGARET AKERS



"SONNY" AND PATTY



MARGARET



JACK AND BOB HARPOLD



EVELYN BOSWELL



THE GANG



ERIS



ERIS



SENIOR GIRLS



BOB



PATTY PREECE



**TENTH GRADE**

**FIRST ROW:** Mary C. LaPree, Dixie Maurey, Joan Clayton, Peggy Capps, Mary Brown, Patty Hoke, Mr. James Conlin.

**SECOND ROW:** Frances Kelsheimer, Jean Good, Mary Shockency, Lucille Shockency, Marie Cunningham, Mary Davis, Allen Dickey.

**THIRD ROW:** John P. Babyack, Richard Gould, Larry Maskins, Gerald Hutson, Bob Ross, Don Walters, Arnold DeArmond, Warren Kubanks.



**ELEVENTH GRADE**

**FIRST ROW:** Eugene McDermott, Robert Sills, Bob Smith, Douglas Birch, John Harmon, Dick McArty, Rex Smith.

**SECOND ROW:** Winona Hoke, Mrs. Revs Yorum, Sonia Hodge, Wanda Cunningham, Elizabeth Houghce, Peggy Walters, Barbara Wildman, Dorothy Lee, Nell Brown, Patty Robertson.

**THIRD ROW:** Collett Sanders, Wilma McCool, Janet Wolfe, Virginia Alkire, Madonna Anglin, Jack Lients, Ray Nevins.





**EIGHTH GRADE**

**FIRST ROW:** Joyce Morgan, Alice Harmon, Carolyn Chaplain, Donald McElheny, Frankie Brown, Dale Davis, Eugene Eup, Myron Myers, Jim Dispennetti, Donald Kelsheimer.

**SECOND ROW:** Mrs. Mabel Mendenhall, Nancy Gaines, Zaida Ross, Myrtle Bennett, Esther Doan, Kenneth Carroll, Kenneth Cohen, Charles Decker.

**THIRD ROW:** Mary Lee, Catherine Capps, Elsie Marlar, Mary Lou Taylor, Beverly Hoke, Patty Andrews, Harold Wittenmyer.



**NINTH GRADE**

**FIRST ROW:** Joy Gould, Martha Gerrish, Shirley Grievs, Loretta Williams, Mary Ruth Harpold, Lois Retcliff, Glenda Coleman, Lois Thomas.

**SECOND ROW:** Gene Boswell, Terry Wildman, John Fisher, Darrell Walters, John Hill, Robert Palmer, Danny Sanders, Tommy Akers, Miss Dorothy Murphy.

**THIRD ROW:** Tommy Naughtle, Robert K. Mills, Betty Keller, Delores Kachon, Norma Jordan, Joan Thomas, Burl Stevens.



SEVENTH GRADE

First row: Evelina Shockency, Sharon Cohen, Carole Gaines, Barbara Meyers, Lorna Harpold, Esther Smith, Shirley Wittenmyer, Phyllis Dispennett.

Second row: Delbert DeArmond, Dickie Young, Bennie Ross, Louis McElheny, Gaylord Shull, Wayne Fisher, Donald McIntyre, Miss Mary Crooks.

Third row: Edgar Marlar, Ray Lewis, Gordon Guoli, James Hill, Jackie Cooke, Gerry Mankins, Jimmie Terry.



FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADE

First row: Jimmie Sills, Johnny Stevens, Earl Sowers, Jerry Nevins, Lyle Meyers, Kenneth Smith, Tommy Terry, David Jones, Richard Smith, Raymond Falls.

Second row: Zetta Moore, Jackie Turbeville, Donnie Nowling, Ronald Morgan, Clara Wilson, Betty Lee, Roberta Whittenmyer, Peggy Thomas, Ramona Ford, Ann Kay Smith, Kay Carroll, Louise Fisher, Mrs. Edna Baldwin.

Third row: June Stevens, Mary Stevens, Susan Hill, Robert Watts, Jackie Williams, Harry Kelsheimer, Jay Carroll, Ray Carroll, Ronald Meschen, Jimmy Simmons, Donnie Ross, Tommy Hodge.





#### FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADE

First row: George Falls, Connie Kashon, Nicky Smith, Junior Sowers, Conny Mankins, James Watts, Billy Brooker.

Second row: Gloria McCool, Barbara Clontz, Doris Bartley, Eleanor McClur, Linda Ross, Wanda Hudson, Sue Davis, Margaret Sowers, Lavonna Wittenmyer, Mary Maxfield, Sharon Capps.

Third row: Malcolm Wildman, Ivan Doan, Lonny Anglin, Joe Brown, Jackie Smith, John Doan, Robert Dispennett, David Bennett, Jimmy Bennett, Ronnie Cohen; Harris Earhart.

Fourth row: Chester Lawson, Charles Fellows, Robert Hubbard, Carl Lee Ross, Ralph Marljar, Richard Pollard, Leonard Roccia, Harold Harpold, Leo Jordan, Jerrie Meschen, John Earl Capps, Mrs. Helen Bills.



### THIRD GRADE

First row: Joe Sills, Jerry Walters, Frances Hubbard, Bonnie Blacketer, Jerry Fisher, Jenell Smith, Salena Cohen, Vicki Meyers, Sharon Wittenmyer.

Second row: Beverly Gould, Sandra Smith, Mildred Smith, Robert Kelsheimer, Sandra McCreary, Larry Wirth, Shirley Decker, Janice Simmons, Jo Etta Young.

Third row: Johnny Robertson, Loretta Terry, Judy Hord, Judy Vestal, Jackson Dispennett, Shirley Clark, Lois Gossett, Edward Hill, Sarah Wilson, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor.



**FIRST GRADE**

**FIRST ROW:** Ruth Ann Sanders, Helena Pearman, Ronald Penn, Audrey Fisher, Ray Fellows, Joe Stevens, Linda Lee, Allen F. Clayton.  
**SECOND ROW:** Dicky Williams, Richard Wittenmyer, Julia Smith, Linda Sowers, Janice Falls, Claudie Jones, Marlene Ross.  
**THIRD ROW:** Mrs. Thelma Lewman, Loretta Pollard, Linda Beard, Mary Bennett, Lester Gossett, Joe Blacketer, Virgil Wilson, Paul I. Ross, Dan Decker.



**SECOND GRADE**

**FIRST ROW:** Carolyn Grievs, Murta Coleman, Sharon Stevens, Dixie Cohen, Ray Turbeville, Harold Terry, Joe Fellows, Tony Max Keshon.  
**SECOND ROW:** Nala Jane Myers, Beverly Youmans, Warner Wilson, Larry D. Smith, Alayne Markins, Kenneth Pollard, Roberts Sells, Judith Albire.  
**THIRD ROW:** Bonnie Falls, Mary Ann Meyers, Jane Kendall, Beanie Hill, Andy Brown, Doris Hard, Max Wilaman, Mrs. Theodas Stutler.





**VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM**

**FIRST ROW:** Jack Harpold, Collett Sanders, Junior Naughle, Ira Paul Maurey, Rex Smith, Dick McAarty,  
**SECOND ROW:** Mr. Conlin, Bob Smith, Eugene McDermott, Douglas Birch, Dale Gerrish, Russell Yowell, Mr. Rocca.



**VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM**

**FIRST ROW:** Dale Gerrish, Ira Paul Maurey, Russell Yowell, Jack Harpold, Dale Gould,  
**SECOND ROW:** John Harmon, Douglas Birch, Collett Sanders, Bob Smith, Dick McAarty,  
**THIRD ROW:** Mr. Rocca, Bob Ross, Gene Boswell, Joe Lee Gossett, John Babyack, Bob Smith, Gerald Hutson, Mr. Conlin. (No picture: Junior Naughle and Bob Bartley.)



**SECOND BASKETBALL TEAM**

**FIRST ROW:** Jack Liotta, Warren Eubanks, Bob Ross, Danny Sanders, Arnold DeArmond.  
**SECOND ROW:** Mr. Conlin, Don Walters, Larry Markins, Allen Dickey, Joe Lee Gossett,  
Mr. Reecia.



**VARSITY BASKETBALL YELL LEADERS**

Joan Clayton, Mary Catherine LaPrees, Dixie Maurey



Pictures of the donkey basketball game played in the high school gym. The first game was played between two high school girls teams. The second games was a grudge battle between the Army and Navy veterans, which was won by the Army boys.

