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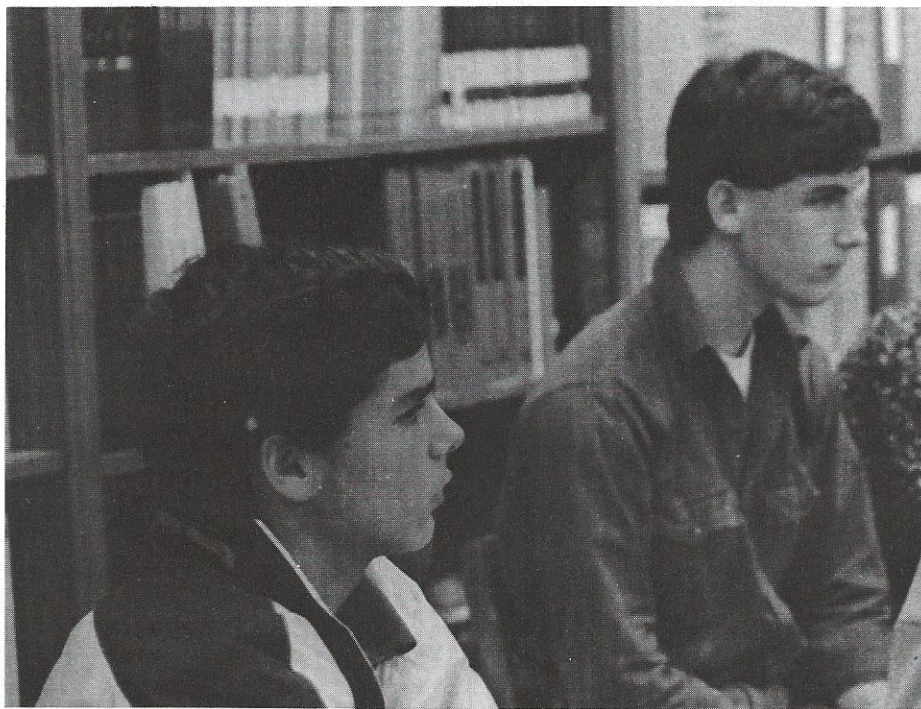
Student Council works together for improvement

Responding to students' ideas, the student government plays an important role at C.P.A. Offices include the president, who is traditionally a senior; vice-president and secretary-treasurer. These officers include Shelley White, President; junior Marnie Amerson, Vice-President; and sophomore Tina Patel, Secretary-Treasurer. Each class president and representative from grades 8-12, serve on the student too. "Being the youngest student council member is fun, but hard work," states Garner Regenovich.

This organization provides a link between students and teachers. The student council is a tool for voicing students' opinions and concerns. Our student government officers attend the annual South Carolina Independent School Student Government Association meeting in Myrtle

Beach for ideas on making our legislative body stronger and more receptive to the student's needs. C.P.A.'s student government participates in such projects as Secret Pal Week, Red Ribbon Week, and "fun fund-raisers" like the giant spirit chain. The spirit chain, a new fundraiser at our school, earned money for the student council and promoted school spirit. The class with the longest chain earned a pizza party.

Again this year, C.P.A. participated in the student exchange program with Lowcountry Academy. The ones who visited Lowcountry Academy were Daniel Strikland, Marnie Amerson, Tina Patel, and the student council advisor, Mrs. Brightwell. Student council set up a new project for World Hunger. All students were asked to help by bringing canned food.



During lunch, student council members Perry Hunt and Travis Folk attend the student council meetings every week. They voice their opinions on money-raising projects and other fun-filled activities.

Sophomores Tina Patel and Walter Fralix entice students to buy raffle tickets for the Christmas bear. Student council members visit each classroom to sell tickets. This is a project the student council sponsors each year.

