

The Board

Spreading The Word



Does the work ever end? The YAB started preparing for school during the summer. To start things off, Mrs. Folk, the YAB sponsor, and four students attended the week-long program, Teen Institute. At TI, they learned about drug awareness and prevention, and discovered many other ideas to bring back to school. "My favorite part about TI was meeting new people. At the end of the week, I didn't want to come home," said Jennifer Beach.

August was a busy month. The YAB painted Mrs. Folk's room and repainted the halls, which proved to be quite a task. Then they prepared for the first day of school by decorating the halls and selling school supplies during orientation. This was a fundraiser helpful not only to the YAB but also to the students.

For the first time the YAB participated in the P.T.O. by having a representative from the YAB on the board. The members also took part in Special Olympics, Walk-A-Thon, red ribbon week, and many other school and community activities. The YAB also planned to have a mini TI which would be a lock-up for grades six through eight. "The main purpose of the YAB," said Lindsay Davenport, "is to encourage younger students to lead a drug-free life."

