

# Building the Spirit

Capturing the year from a different perspective was one of the primary goals of the journalism members as they pondered over ideas for the yearbook theme. Little did they know how ideal the theme would be.

Issuing identification cards was the initial change. As a result of this new system, students receive laminated ID cards to be used on and off campus.

A committee of administrators and teachers worked out an incentive program to reward those students who made the honor roll and had perfect attendance or good citizenship. The program would identify students having no tardies, no discipline record, and no excessive absences. The cards made it possible for students to receive discount prices at games, other school-related functions, and the local drive-in. Even though the program got off to a slow start, it seemed to work rather well after all the "bugs" were worked out.

The state also mandated that all students take a comprehensive health course. Human Sexuality, Parenthood Education, Child Development, Biology I, and other health-related subjects incorporated the curriculum into the regular course.

This was only the beginning of what would go down in WHS history as a year that was anything but the "same old thing."

