

# Future Preparing

The Drama Club allowed interested students many chances throughout the year to attend out-of-town productions. These productions enabled students to gain a better understanding of dramatic works. Among these presentations was a lecture by Nicki Giovanni and a Christmas Play called "Fruitcake." Club members were able to attend many of these productions by raising money through doughnut sales.

After viewing these presentations, the Drama Club produced two plays of their own in the spring. Actors and actresses were chosen from those members in the club. Through working with the production, members were also given the opportunity to learn various techniques used in backstage operations. The two plays produced were *Golden Slippers*, a drama, and *Not My Cup of Tea*, a comedy. The plays were performed on March 26 and 27 in the mini-auditorium. Any students inter-

**Modeling formal wear from Queen's Choice, Gianni Garrett escorts Bridget Gant across the stage. Bridget was president of the Modeling Club.**

ested in viewing the presentations were able to do so during their English class.

Another club which gave students a chance to prepare for a possible future career was the Modeling Club. The club gave students a chance to learn how to refine their behavior, appearance, and dress through seminars teaching correct poise, grooming, and color coordination. Members of the Modeling Club put things to use in a fashion show held in November. During this show, members modeled formal wear from Queen's Choice in North Charleston in order to give those at-

tending the chance to view attire for the prom.

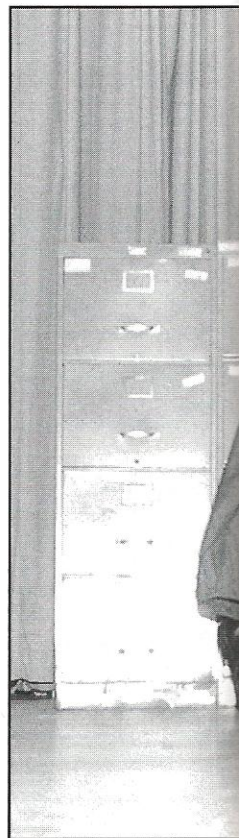
An additional club which taught students valuable skills was the Gardening Club. In celebration of Earth Week, the club spent \$300 of its dues on twenty-one trees which were planted by members in front of the school. This satisfied two of the club's chief goals: to improve the school and community.

— Sherri Iriel

**Trying on a pair of golden slippers, Seanda Edwards is assisted by Wilmar Stephens. *Golden Slippers* was one of two plays presented by the Drama Club.**



**Vanessa Williams, Daphne Blocker, and Jamarl Ponds act in *Not My Cup of Tea*. This was the only comedy the Drama Club performed.**



## FYI

*From 1981 to 1991, the Drama Club at WHS has grown from sixteen members to 140 members*