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NEW HEADMASTER VISITS THE LEXINGTON SCHOOL



Mr. and Mrs. Schwab with pets, Mathias and Luther (shown at right)

Mr. Richard Oliver Schwab was recently named Headmaster of The Lexington School to succeed Mr. Norton G. Pritchett, Jr. whose resignation becomes effective this summer. Mr. Schwab will assume his duties here July 1, and Mr. Pritchett will remain on the staff until then. During the month of June, Mr. Schwab will work with Mr. Pritchett and Mr. Bortz as well as the division heads to ensure a smooth transition.

The Schwabs visited The Lexington School and community during their spring recess at Harvard University where Richard will complete his Master of Education degree in May. Mrs. Schwab (Jennifer), who is also an educator, spent most of her time becoming better acquainted with Lexington while Richard kept a very demanding schedule at The Lexington School. He met with division heads and faculty groups and with individual staff members to discuss plans for the future. Meetings focusing on curriculum and scheduling were held while he was at The Lexington School. He spoke with the Mothers' Committee addressing himself to their questions and interests. Board committees dealing with education, finance, and development met with Mr. Schwab during three separate luncheons. He visited some classes and spoke with some students at TLS. Thus, he had an excellent opportunity to listen, observe, and collect data about the program at The Lexington School. Upon studying the information which he has gathered, Mr. Schwab will, together with the Board of Trustees, faculty and staff, parents and students, set forth plans for the future of The Lexington School.

Meeting with members of the faculty at TLS, Mr. Schwab emphasized, "I believe in an educational approach which is tailored to meet the needs of the individual student. I am an advocate of a student centered and individualized educational program. In such an environment, individuals can go forward at a rate that has relation to their powers. Amid small, individualized classroom situations, with a close relationship between teacher and student, those experiencing problems can be recognized more quickly. Those advancing more rapidly than the rest can also be handled more productively. No student becomes lost in the bustle of school life."

"School leadership is complicated," Mr. Schwab continued, "Leadership must come from the mind and it must come from the heart. For me, leadership is working for individualization. The head of a school should constantly search for those unique conditions under which each teacher and each student best works, learns, and grows. The real key to a school is people. People have always been the central part of the independent school world. The quality of the thinking, the clarity of the planning, the quality of relationships, the climate of the organization, the spirit and the style of the organization are all central to the success of any school. If the head of the school works on these areas with the faculty, the faculty will in turn work with the student in an equally humanistic and intellectually sound fashion." Mr. Schwab also commented that he had observed a high quality of commitment and extreme dedication among staff members at The Lexington School.

Speaking on funding, Mr. Schwab stressed, "We need an endowment underpinning the expenses of the education we offer. I am committed to a program to provide substantial new funding for the school." *(See page 6)*

Headmaster's Corner

An independent school is a very special environment which depends upon a strong, positive working relationship among many dedicated groups of people.

The significant roles of teachers and staff are obvious to all, for they provide the daily ingredients needed to assure the learning program of students.

An often "unsung" group is the Board of Trustees, for its members do not have the high level of daily exposure that is evident among those who are employees of the school.

Having had the privilege of serving as a headmaster in two schools since 1955, I have watched the extensive efforts of many trustees who have given tirelessly of their time and talents in order to establish the direction of their schools. Most meetings of trustees are held after school hours and they last until the business of the board is completed.

The Lexington School was founded through the generosity and commitment of Mrs. Josephine Abercrombie who spent over two years researching the needs of an independent school before our doors opened in September 1959. In the first few years of our existence, Mrs. Abercrobmie and I met at regular intervals to coordinate the plans she envisioned for The Lexington School.

Judge Henry Meigs II served as president of the Board of Trustees until the election of Rufus Lisle to this office in January 1967. In January 1971, Robert Brewer assumed the role of president and held this significant office until Mrs. Charles Palmer, Jr. was elected to it in September 1980.

While all trustees are asked to play significant roles and give a great deal of their valuable time to board matters, the president plays the key role of coordinating the efforts of all committees and activities of the board.

As the school has grown and our operation has become more complex, the demands placed upon our trustees have increased accordingly. Fifteen years ago, board meetings were held three or four times a year. During recent years, as we have gone through two major plant expansion programs, our trustees have held meetings much more frequently, often on a monthly basis.

Our trustees are involved in many activities other than their membership on our Board of Trustees. The devotion they have given our school is quite gratifying to me for I realize that The Lexington School could not have become such a special environment without such support.

I hope our parents take frequent opportunities to express their appreciation to our trustees for all they do. Please see the listing of our present trustees on pages 3 and 4 and pass your thanks along to them when you can.

As our school moves into the Schwab era I know everyone will give Dick Schwab the significant support that has been extended to the Pritchett family since we moved to Lexington in 1960.

Dorton J. Pritchett, Jr.

Note to Alumni:

In the past, several alumni have attended graduation exercises at TLS each year. If you plan to be at TLS for the final program this year, please plan to stay for a few minutes following the ceremony for a group photograph.

NOTES FROM THE MOTHERS' COMMITTEE

A new crest for The Lexington School will soon become a familiar sight. The Mothers' Committee studied several designs and asked *Mrs. Dan Martin* (Ginger) to refine the selected design. The crest was then approved by the Board. It will eventually be available for school stationery and as a needlepoint kit.

The Green and Gray Soiree was held Friday, April 17. This year, the popular spring party took place in the home of *Mr. and Mrs. Laban Jackson* on Bowman's Mill Road. The Soiree, given each year for the benefit of The Lexington School, is a major TLS social event which is sponsored by the Mothers' Committee. It has always been a highlight of the year for parents and friends of The Lexington School.

Other fund-raising projects sponsored by the Mothers' Committee this year have been the cookbook sales, the plant and bake sales, the fall book fair, and the raffle which was a part of the "Big Event". (The first "Big Event" was a chili supper at TLS last fall. This special project may change each year.)

Gifts to The Lexington School from the Mothers' Committee this year include a new computer and calculators for the math lab, a stereo system for music classes, acoustical tile for the new gym, and labor and paint for installing a four-plank fence around three sides of the school property. Mr. Robert Clay donated the materials for the fence.

During the Mothers' Committee final meeting of the year, Mr. Pritchett was designated as an Honorary Lifetime Member of The Lexington School Mothers' Committee. He was presented a certificate of appreciation and was given a standing ovation by the Committee.

THE LEXINGTON SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Class of 1981

Robert N. Clay, Horseman and President of Top Yield Industries, is completing his first three-year term on the TLS Board of Trustees. He is Chairman of the Finance Committee and a member of the Executive Committee. Mr. Clay's two children, *Heather,* grade four, and *Case,* grade one, are students at The Lexington School.

Robert R. Dawson, Jr., Contractor and owner of R.R. Dawson Bridge Company, is the Treasurer of The Lexington School Board of Trustees and has served three years on the Finance Committee. Mr. Dawson's daughter, *Nancy,* is a third-grade student at The Lexington School.

George E. Evans, Jr., Vice-President, National Steel Corporation and President, Coal Development Division, has served on the Planning Committee of The Lexington School Board of Trustees for several years. He is the grandfather of three TLS students: *John Johnson,* grade three, *Chris Johnson,* grade one, and *Patrick Johnson,* who is a four-year-old Montessori student.

James G. Kenan III, Vice-President of Kentucky River Coal Corporation, recently chaired the Search Committee in locating a successor to Mr. Norton G. Pritchett, Headmaster of The Lexington School. Mr. Kenan has served on the Executive Committee and the Development Committee of the Board of Trustees for two years. Mr. Kenan's daughters, *Emma,* grade four, *Anne,* grade two, and *Elizabeth,* a four-year-old Montessori student, are attending The Lexington School.

Rufus Lisle, Sr., Lexington Attorney, was the first parent to head The Lexington School Board of Trustees. He has served on the Board since 1961, and has given consistent and constructive support throughout the years. He has served on the Executive Committee, the Finance Committee, and the Nominating Committee. Mr. Lisle's son, *Charles,* attended The Lexington School and graduated in 1964.

Robert E. Milward, Funeral Director and owner of Milward Funeral Directors, has served on The Lexington School Board of Trustees for almost six years. He is currently a member of the Nominating and Finance Committees. Mr. Milward's son, *Rob,* is a sixth-grade student at The Lexington School, and his daughters, *Susan* and *Betsy,* have attended TLS also.

Harry M. Snyder, Jr., Attorney and Executive Director of The Kentucky Council on Higher Education, has been a member of the Board of Trustees at TLS for three years. He is a member of the Education and Planning Committees and recently served on the Search Committee. Mr. Snyder's daughters, *Paige,* grade seven, and *Blake,* grade four, are TLS students.

William T. Young, Jr. is a 1963 graduate of The Lexington School, the only member of the Board of Trustees who is a TLS Alumnus. He has served as a member of the Finance, Development, and Education Committees for almost four years. Mr. Young's business is W.T. Young Storage Company. His son, *Chris,* is a kindergarten student at The Lexington School.

Class of 1982

Catesby W. Clay is President of Kentucky River Coal Company and President of Runnymede Farm. He serves on the Development, Planning, and Finance Committees of The Lexington School Board of Trustees and has been a member of the Board for seven years. Children of Mr. Clay who are now attending TLS are *James,* who is a four-year-old Montessori student, and *Camden,* who is in eighth grade. Other children who have attended TLS are *Joe, Brutus,* and *Mary* who graduated last year. Mr. Clay gave the commencement address to his daughter's graduating class.

John R. Gaines, owner of Gainesway Farm, has served as Vice-President of The Lexington School Board of Trustees for a number of years. He serves on the Nominating, Development, and Executive Committees of the Board. Children of Mr. Gaines are *Gloria,* who graduated from The Lexington School in 1975, and *Thomas,* who is currently a seventh-grade student at TLS.

Thomas E. Gentry, owner of Tom Gentry Farm, is a member of the Finance Committee of The Lexington School Board of Trustees. His son, *Olin,* is an eighth-grade student at TLS, and his daughter, *Kathleen,* graduated from TLS in 1978.

James L. Hacker, Executive Vice-President of White and Congleton Company, serves as a member of the Finance Committee and a member of the Planning Committee. He is also concerned with Building and Grounds. Mr. Hacker's daughter, *Martha,* is a sixth-grade student at TLS, and his son, *Jim,* is in ninth grade.

Laban P. Jackson, Jr. serves The Lexington School Board of Trustees as Chairman of Annual Giving, and is a member of the Development and Planning Committees of the Board. Mr. Jackson's son, *Phelps,* is a third-grade student at TLS, and his daughter, *Katie,* is in first grade.

William W. Kelly, who has been President of Transylvania University for the past five years, has served on The Lexington School Board of Trustees for several years. Traditionally, the Board has included in its membership an educator, and Dr. Kelly followed *Dr. Thomas A. Spragens,* President of Centre College, who served in that capacity for some time. Dr. Kelly serves on the Planning and Education Committees.

June Moore Parrish, (Mrs. David III), serves as the Mothers' Committee Liaison. She is a member of the Education and Development Committees and has served on the By-Laws Committee of The Lexington School Board of Trustees. She has been a very supportive member of the Board for five years. Mrs. Parrish enjoys keeping in touch with the current activities of the students including those of her children, *Holly,* who is in eighth grade, *Wendy,* who is in sixth grade, and *David,* who is in second grade.

The Lexington School Board of Trustees *(Continued)*

Class of 1983

Michael L. Ades, Lexington Attorney, is a member of the Development Committee of The Lexington School Board of Trustees. He joined the Board in November, 1980. His three children are students at TLS. *Sarah* is in ninth grade. *Anne* is in seventh grade, and *David* is in fourth grade.

Robert M. Brewer, Lexington Businessman and Attorney, has served on The Lexington Schol Board of Trustees for fourteen years. Serving as President of the Board for most of that time, Mr. Brewer has made an enormous contribution to The Lexington School. He is now Chairman of the Affirmative Action Committee, and has been a member of numerous committees during his past service. Mr. Brewer's son, *Robert,* is a fifth-grade student at TLS. His daughters, *Jean* and *Juliet* graduated from TLS in 1977 and 1979 respectively.

Linda Carey, (Mrs. George B.), is the mother of *Elizabeth* who is in fourth grade and *Howard* who is in seventh grade at The Lexington School. *Burgess,* her older son, graduated from TLS last year. Mrs. Carey has served on The Lexington School Board of Trustees for six years and has been active in planning the By-Laws of the Board. She has also served on the Nominating Committee and the Search Committee. She is now the Chairman of the Education Committee and is very dedicated to the best in education for all the students at TLS.

Alice Ingram, (Mrs. Lindsey W.), has served on The Lexington School Board of Trustees for four years. She has been a member of the Education Committee and is now a member of the Committee for Building and Grounds. She is in charge of landscape planning. Mrs. Ingram pointed out that she is the only member of The Board who has four children at TLS. *Renie,* grade nine, *Annie,* grade seven, *Lindsey,* grade five, and *Hanly,* grade one, will give Mrs. Ingram special reason for continued interest in The Lexington School for quite some time.

Wade Jefferson III, Lexington Realtor, currently President of The Lexington Board of Realtors, is Chairman of the Development Committee of The Lexington School Board of Trustees. He has served on the TLS Board for four years. Mr. Jefferson's two children, *Jeff,* who is in fifth grade, and *Anne,* who is in third grade, are students at The Lexington School.

H. Foster Pettit, Member of the Governor's Cabinet, has been with The Lexington School Board of Trustees four years. He chaired the By-Laws Committee and served on the Search Committee. He is Chairman of the Nominating Committee and is a member of the Finance Committee. Mr. Pettit's son, *Van Meter,* is an eighth grade student at The Lexington School. Three other sons, *Hale,* '79, *Harrison,* '76, and *Gregory,* '74, also claim TLS as their first Alma Mater.

Betty Jo Palmer, (Mrs. Charles E.), is the current President of The Lexington School Board of Trustees. She is an ex-officio member of all the committees of the Board and has previously served on Executive, Education, Evaluation, Nominating, and Search Committees. She has worked on the Capital Fund Drive and has served as Mothers' Committee Liaison. Mrs. Palmer's son *Rodgers,* is a fifth-grade student at TLS.

Honorary members of the The Lexington School Board of Trustees are *Mrs. Josephine Abercrombie,* Founder of the school, who is a life member, *Jessica Bell,* (Mrs. John A. III), the first parent member of the Board, *William T. Young, Sr.,* whose son is the first TLS Alumnus to serve, and *Dr. Thomas A. Spragens,* President of Centre College.

Following are comments from some members of the Board:

"We are very fortunate to have The Lexington School, and the product speaks for itself."

"I am very much impressed with the quality of leadership among the faculty, administrative staff, and board of trustees of this institution. The students are being provided an excellent preparation for preparatory or high school as well as college."

"The progress I've observed at The Lexington School during the last four years is very reassuring to me regarding the future of private education in our town. The quality of the educational process and the commitment of the teachers and the trustees has produced an excellent environment for the students to reach their greatest potential."

"The Lexington School is one of the valuable assets of Central Kentucky. Its potential for growth and leadership in the educational community is tremendous due to the quality of its administration, faculty, and student body."

"I feel very fortunate that there was a school like the Lexington School to which we could send our three children. The Lexington School should feel very fortunate to have had someone as dedicated as Bud Pritchett to lead it during its first twenty years."

"This is an exciting time to be associated with The Lexington School. As we approach a change in our school's leadership, it is with pride in the past and faith in the future. With the conclusion of this academic year, we pause with gratitude for what TLS has been, and we look with enthusiasm to what it can become. We pay tribute to Bud Pritchett for twenty years of devoted service, and we bring support to Dick Schwab as he assumes the Headmaster's role."

"For all of us affiliated with TLS, it is a time of recommitment to our purpose, a restatement of our goals; a time to redefine institutional objectives, reorder individual priorities, and to regenerate with new leadership. It is a time of revitalization and rededication, a time for building upon a proud heritage as we forge new hopes and new dreams."

TLS SPRING ACTIVITIES

LOWER SCHOOL

Upon our return from spring break, bright tulips greeted us from the flowerbeds. Last fall children from pre-kindergarten and kindergarten classes planted the bulbs.

Kindergarten children have taken a number of field trips this spring. They have visited the post office, the Herald-Leader Building, the Coca-Cola plant, and have been to *Carey Mitchell's* farm to see the new calves and to play. Coming up is a trip to Frankfort where *Matt Groves'* father will meet the class. Then a tour of the Capitol and museums will follow. Parents of the students in kindergarten have contributed to various activities this year. An on-going contribution has been weekly Spanish lessons led by *Amy Block's* mother.

The Montessori extended day students enjoyed their trip to Spendthrift Farm. They were able to have a close-up look at the mares and foals. They were also thrilled with the opportunity to see Affirmed and Seattle Slew. Later the entire class had a very interesting tour of the Donut Days Shop. They had a number of machines at work processing the donuts from beginning to end, and had delicious samples. A trip to the downtown main fire station along with a tour of McDonald's is planned later this month.

The pre-kindergarten students visited the Pizza Hut on Versailles Road recently where they watched the process of making a pizza and then sampled the art. They are planning to visit Airdrie Farm, the home of *Lucy Jones*, and Wildwater Farm, the home of *Bill Santen*. While there, they will see mares and foals, calves, and other young animals. Following the farm visits, a picnic is planned.

In preparation for the second annual TLS Derby, the pre-kindergarten class held a safety education and driver training class. Streets were drawn on the black-top, and teachers served as traffic controllers. Derby trials were held in the upper gym due to inclement weather.

The mini-derby was run on Friday, May 1. All students from pre-kindergarten, Montessori, and kindergarten classes were eligible to compete in the 'Big-Wheel' race. Seventh grade students served as stewards each being responsible for one or more of the smaller children. The race was divided into eleven groups. Each group was named for a famous race or for a local horse farm. Winners of the eleven races then competed in two final races, one for four-year-olds and one for five-year-olds. The winner of the younger contestants was *Patrick Johnson*, and the winner of the race for five-year-olds was *Byers Watt*. Byers informed Channel 18 Television newsman that he would be too old to race in the derby next year. This very exciting race is the exclusive right of TLS students who are not yet in first grade. *Mr. Terry Brewer* and *Mrs. Harry Owen* instituted the TLS Derby last year.

Mr. Frank Faulconer, Channel 36 Television weatherman, came to explain to the students in grades one through three why we sometimes have rain and snow and why tornadoes and hurricanes occur. He also held a question and answer time when students could ask specific questions. Mr. Faulconer is the uncle of *Andy* and *Emily Barr* who are Lower School students.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

The second annual Green-Gray Academic Bowl for grades four, five, and six was held at TLS just before spring vacation. Categories for questions were: math, spelling, social studies, English, and miscellaneous (including general information, art, music, and library science). Teachers presented the questions, and mothers helped judge the contest. The Green Team was victorious.

In March, a special youth concert was presented by The Lexington Philharmonic Orchestra at the Center for the Arts at the University of Kentucky. Students from TLS fourth, fifth, and sixth grades attended. Transportation to the event was by city bus. Several parents accompanied the children and their teachers to the concert which was conducted by George Zack.

Miss Margaret Cowling's fifth-grade social studies class visited White Hall, the historic landmark which was the home of Cassius Clay. As part of the study of the Civil War period in American history, the students, accompanied by their teacher and several mothers, traveled by car to visit White Hall and to picnic in the vicinity during their outing.

On May 1, a May Day Festival was given by the fifth graders honoring the sixth graders who will be leaving Middle School. A drawing was held to select a May king and queen and their court. *Alex Raney* was drawn for queen, and *Jaime Grieves* was drawn for king. Members of the court were: *Tricia Bayer, Laura Bennett, de Maret Dale, Eric Davis, Bill Meadows,* and *Bryan Wells.* Chairman of the Maypole was *Rodgers Palmer,* and his assistants were: *Gatewood Arnold, Robert Brewer, Andrew Diamond, Clint Kinkead,* and *Brad Woodward.* Lighting was under the supervision of *Robert Brewer* and *David Edelstein.* Sound was overseen by *Davy Jones, Jerry Haws,* and *Jeffrey Truitt.* Performers in the matinee included: *Maxie Maultsby, Mary Leigh Clay, Andrew Diamond, Cindy Moss, Patrick Kim,* and *Allison Poole* as pianists, *Sean Nighbert, Porter McRoberts, Peter Kotchen, Bill Meadows, Rob Milward,* and *David Nicholson* as vocalists, *John Perrine* as a magician, *Katie Marcum* as a solo vocalist, and *Evelyn Maultsby* as a ballet dancer. A chorus of sixth grade girls sang "The Rose." The Maypole dance, with a "Rainbow Wish", followed by a choral reading from the Middle School Student Council concluded the program. *Mr. Pritchett* was presented a gift from Middle School students.

Mr. Schwab visits *(continued)*

A native of Cincinnati, Richard Schwab is a proud alumnus of Cincinnati Country Day School. Brown University is his undergraduate Alma Mater, and he is active in recruiting students for admission to that school. His graduate degree from Harvard includes a field internship in administration at Tower School in Marblehead, Massachusetts. He also has eight years of experience as an assistant to the Headmaster at The University Liggett School in Grosse Pointe, Michigan. (ULS is an independent day school which serves nine hundred students from pre-kindergarten through grade twelve.) Other experience includes classroom teaching in English, drama, and speech at The Fessenden School in West Newton, Massachusetts. (Fessenden School is a boarding school whose academic program is similar to that of The Lexington School.)

Jennifer Casey Schwab, who was born in Boston, spent much of her life in Grosse Pointe, Michigan where she graduated from The University Liggett School. She attended The College of Holy Cross majoring in English, and then went on to study elementary education at Penn State. She has experience in early childhood education and in day care.

Jennifer and Richard enjoy sailing, and they often visit Michigan's lakes during the summer. Other interests include antique boats and their canine friends, Mathias and Luther.

The Schwabs will become residents of Lexington in May and will make their home at 1310 Richmond Road.

NINTH GRADE PRESENTS "CHARLEY'S AUNT"

The 1981 graduating class of TLS spent the two weeks following spring break totally immersed in the production of "Charley's Aunt". The annual spring drama cast ten students from the class in the acting roles, and while they were frantically trying to master profuse dialogue, the other members of the class were painting the backdrops and flats, stringing spotlights, and preparing the stage for the performance. Those students who performed are: *Steve Hatton, Renie Ingram, Danny Kielar, Charlie Murphy, Greg Nicholson, Scott Reynolds, Susan Sachatello, Chris Schindler, Kristan Wieland,* and *Paige Wilhite.* The director of the play was Vivian Snipes of The Lexington Children's Theatre. *Mrs. Lindsey Apple* was faculty advisor for the set design *Mrs. Lindsey Ingram* organized the mothers of the ninth grade students to help with the many errands and endless details of acquiring paint, props, and costumes. Following the final performance of the play, *Mrs. Bruce Jamieson* hosted the traditional party for the students.

Members of the Class of 1968, who had given a musical version of the same play, were especially invited to see the 1981 production.

FRENCH STUDENTS WIN TROPHY

The French Students of The Lexington School brought home many victories from the Central Kentucky Foreign Language Festival which was held at Eastern Kentucky University on Saturday, March 21. Thirty of our French students from grades six, seven, eight, and nine participated in the all-day event. They competed essentially against high schools in the area. The Lexington School was awarded a large trophy for having won the most points in the French competition, and individual ribbons were received by twenty-seven of our entries. Those who took first place will compete again at the state level at the University of Kentucky in May.

The following individual awards were given:

Category	Place	Student and Grade
Literary Passage		
(Level 1)	-1-	Bill Meadows (6)
	-2-	Sandy Beverly (6)
		Laura Bennett (6)
		Jennifer Miller (6)
(Level II)	-2-	Kris Grieves (7)
	-3-	Annie Ingram (7)
(Level III)	-1-	Renie Ingram (9)
	-2-	Charlotte Gay (8)
(Level IV)	-2-	Lynn Knox (9)
Prose Reading		
(Level I)	-1-	Leigh Harris (7)
	-2-	Mary Park (7)
(Level II)	-2-	Lynn Knox (9)
	-3-	Elizabeth Hughes (9)
Oral Proficiency		
(Level I)	-1-	Mary Park (7)
	-2-	Christina Eng (7)
	-3-	John Young (7)
(Level II)	-1-	Charlotte Gay (8)
	-3-	Jonathan Miller (8)
(Level III)	-1-	Tim Edwards (9)
Written Proficiency		
(Level I)	-1-	Jonathan Miller (8)
	-2-	Charlotte Gay (8)
		John Young (7)
(Level II)	-1-	Elizabeth Hughes (9)
Construction		
Models	-1-	Kris Grieves (7)
		Matthew Mills (7)
		Joe Shepherd (7)
Dolls	-2-	Beth Bortz (7)
Foods		
(Bread)	-1-	Paige Snyder (7)
(Dessert)	-2-	Betsy Ireland (7)

TLS Alumni who competed in the festival are:

Catherine Calvert '80, who took first place in Level III prose reading, second place in Level III oral proficiency, and third place in Level III written proficiency.

James Park '78, who took first place in Level IV oral proficiency and first place in Level IV written proficiency.

Chris Ward '80, who placed first in Level III written proficiency.



CLASS OF 1974, THE FIRST DOUBLE-SECTION GROUP TO GRADUATE FROM TLS. MANY OF YOU WILL FINISH COLLEGE THIS YEAR. CONGRATULATIONS FROM TLS! PLEASE WRITE AND TELL US OF YOUR PLANS FOR THE FUTURE.

CONGRATULATIONS

To TRANSYLVANIA COMMUNITY SCHOLAR, *Cathy Lester,* TLS '78, (Tates Creek High School) and to NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARS:

Jeff Darsie, TLS '78, (Phillips Exeter Academy)
Clay Lucas, TLS '78, (Henry Clay High School) who attends Transylvania University
James Park III, TLS '78, (Tates Creek High School) whose college choice is Princeton
Sandy Pastrick, TLS '78, (Henry Clay High School) who has chosen William and Mary
Elizabeth Polk, TLS '78, (Lexington Catholic High School) who will attend Smith
David Heard, X'78, who was a student at TLS through grade six.



TLS CLASS OF 1978 AS SEVENTH GRADERS. TLS CONGRATULATES YOU ON YOUR GRADUATION FROM HIGH SCHOOL! PLEASE KEEP US INFORMED OF YOUR ACTIVITIES.

A NOTE FROM MRS. GAY:

A VERY SPECIAL OCCASION IS PLANNED FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 7TH, FROM 2 TO 4 P.M. WE HOPE YOU AND YOUR FAMILY WILL COME TO A RECEPTION HONORING CAROLYN AND BUD PRITCHETT'S TWENTY YEARS AT THE LEXINGTON SCHOOL. THE PRESENT STUDENT BODY AND PARENTS, ALUMNI AND FAMILIES, PRESENT AND FORMER STAFF, AND ALL FRIENDS OF THE SCHOOL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED. THIS OUTDOOR GATHERING WILL BE AT ANNE AND JIM GAY'S HOUSE ON THE CORNER OF SHRINERS' LANE AND RICHMOND ROAD.

(PARKING IS LIMITED, SO PLEASE CARPOOL AND PARK ON SHRINERS' LANE. DO NOT USE THE RICHMOND ROAD ENTRANCE.)

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