### FIRST AND SECOND YEAR SPORTS DAY

In June came that time again to dig out those Reeboks from the back of the cupboard and get into serious training for Kilsyth Academy's very own annual sports day. It is a time for all the budding Linford Christies and Sally Gunnells to take to the track and this year we are sure that our Olympic talent spotters were impressed with the first and second years' performances.

Despite the lack of sunshine, no-one was deterred in the least and everyone participated with the greatest enthusiasm. The loyal supporters were there to cheer on their champions as they went for gold;

the fact that they were getting an afternoon off school did not influence them in the slightest!

The track events included the hundred and two hundred metres and relays. There were also field events in the long jump and shot put. All event produced excitement and personal bests.

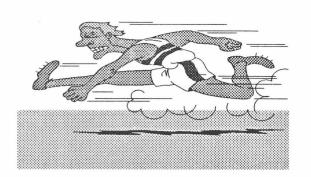
The sports were organised by the P.E. department with help from the Standard Grade P.E. students. Their efforts were well rewarded by another successful sports day.





ABOVE: The Three Stooges.



















Busy doing nothing.

# Competitive Capers

# Schools Quiz

Kilsyth Academy became host for the highly acclaimed Clydesdale Bank Schools Quiz. Our team representatives from 2nd to 6th year were Douglas Wright, Laura Miller, Kim Graham and Graham Stephen. They did brilliantly reaching the semifinals, impressing everyone with their vast knowledge and skill.



#### **ROAD SAFETY**

Strathclyde region's calendar competition was won by first year pupil Fiona Richardson.

A big congratulations goes to the Dux of Kilsyth Academy 94/95 Stephen Robins



#### Guess the Baby Competition

This competition organised by the Charities Committee was won by Karen Moir who successfully identified the 'cute and adorable' faces of 12 of our teachers. For her remarkable identification skills Karen was awarded a gift voucher.



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For the second year running we have; Girls winner: Judi McRae, Boys winner: Ewan McRae and runners up Susan Molloy and Alistair Davidson



HOUSE RESULTS

1st Colzium
2nd Balmalloch
3rd Garrell  $\sigma$ 4th Monieburgh



### **PUPILS IN PRINT**



In the autumn of 1994, the Kilsyth Chronicle & Cumbernauld News ran a newspaper competition for the 6 secondary schools in the local area. The task was to produce a page for the paper and involved writing various articles and designing an advert for a specified company. The designers of the best advert were to receive £150 and there was to be a similar sum for the best editorial. Although time was short - deliberately, to mirror what happens in newspapers -excellent articles were produced expressing the views of the pupils on various topical issues. Our team also designed a top quality advert for a Cumbernauld car firm. The Academy gained first prize in the editorial section for our articles on the changing face of Kilsyth. Congratulations must go to all those who were involved.

The Kilsyth Academy P.T.A. would like to thank everyone who has supported them throughout this session and congratulate the yearbook team for another very successful yearbook.



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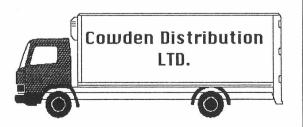


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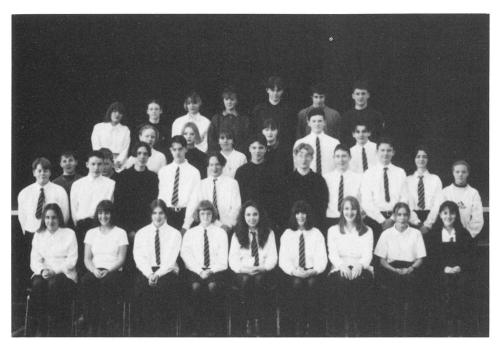
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THIRD ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Garry Gilchrist, Charles Seymour, Kelly Weatherstone, Donna Gray, Tracy Doherty, Dianne Miller, John Smithson, Paul Martin.

BACK ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Tracy Shields, Simon Beggs, Suzanne Murray, Senga McDermott, Stuart Macfarlane, Chris Kimmet, David Orr.

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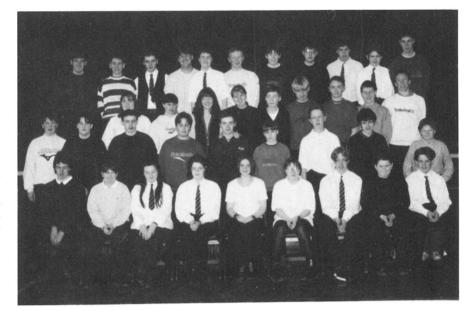


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# BURNS SUPPER

On Thursday 2nd February 1995, the school held it's first ever Burns Supper for staff and senior pupils. After a lovely (?) dinner, the entertainment started, including songs by David McTaggart and Jill Stevenson. Local Councillor Tom Barrie gave a stirring speech and Mr. Denovan recited Tam O'Shanter word for word without notes - an amazing feat. Overall, the event was a huge success, attended by many people. Hopefully, Mr. Macniven will organise another supper next year.



























# MALY

#### KILSYTH TEARAWAYS TERRORISE TONALE





Wombles of Wimbledon?

Friday 25th of March 1994 at 7am saw a party of forty-five pupils and teachers depart the gate of Kilsyth Academy, some more awake than others.

After a long journey of thirty-six hours, consisting of mainly sleeping and eating we finally arrived at our destination, Tonale at the edge of the Italian Dolomites. Dinner was served at the Hotel Redivale and everyone felt quite refreshed. The pupils voted to party on, although the teachers could not keep up the pace!

An eventful six days of skiing followed with only a few minor mishaps; a broken arm, a few pulled muscles and a few cases of sunstroke; nothing too serious. The snow was excellent and with bright sunshine, the conditions were ideal form all the future Tombas to show what they could do. Every morning began with expert tuition, although the non-English speaking instructors were quite hard to understand. In the afternoon we were set free on the piste, leaving trails of destruction in our wake.

After a hard day's skiing what could we do, relax? No, never! What about the night-life? Have you ever known a Kilsyth Academy pupil resist a chance to party? Every bar, club and disco was visited; Tonale did not know what had hit it!

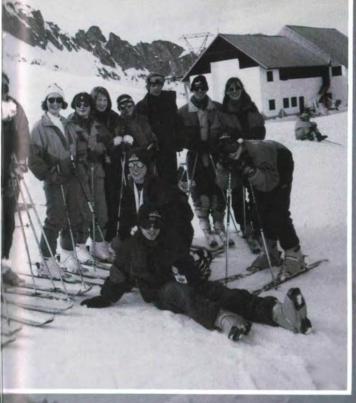








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"Another one bites the dust!"















As a lasting memory of the trip the pupils were presented with badges and certificates congratulating them on the standard of skiing which they had attained during the week.

The trip seemed to provide the all-round winning formula, so look out Italy, Kilsyth Academy will be back!





"Oh please - Not in public"



"BABE!!!"



"Watch that pugel stick disappear!"



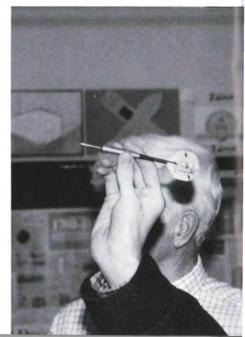
"Prefects - TAKE TWO!"







"Weighing up her assets!"

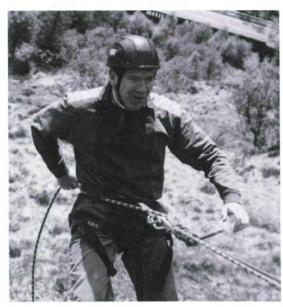




"Miss
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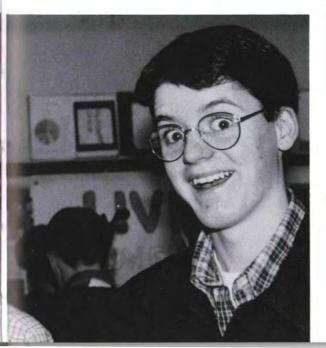


"Saturday Night . . ."



"Wooaa! This crotch straps awful tight"

"Mr. Summers' head perhaps"





"Oooh you're so gorgeous"



"Why thank you"



"Is a reeeaal Scotsman . . .?"





"Cats Choir"

## JUST FOR LAUCHS



# DISCOS







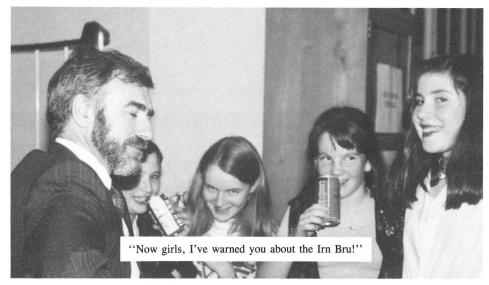






The school discos are held for all years groups about once a term and are always a great success. This years were no exception with a high turn out of both teachers and pupils at each event. These nights give everyone a chance to strut their stuff, even the teachers who also use it as a learning experience where they are taught the latest dances, this years favourites being "Saturday Night" and the "Time Warp".

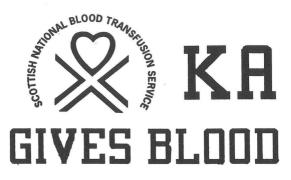
The discos are yet another event on the school's social calendar which are enjoyed by all and are evenings which should never be missed.















On 20th December the Scottish Blood Transfusion Service brought one of their donating buses to the school. The visit which had been organised by senior pupil Kate Burton was a great success with forty-six pints being collected. Some of those who donated, a mixture of pupils, staff and general public, even found themselves starring on television, when a BBC reporter and cameraman arrived to make a feature for the Scottish news about giving blood. A huge thank you goes out to everyone who gave blood and please remember:

"You've got it in you to save a life".





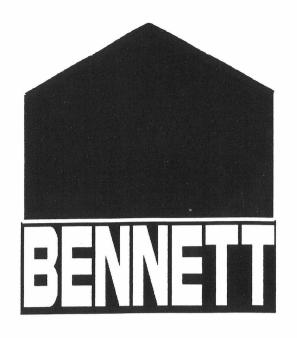
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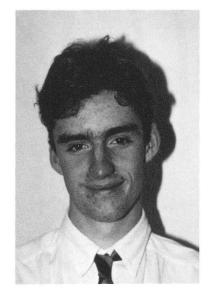
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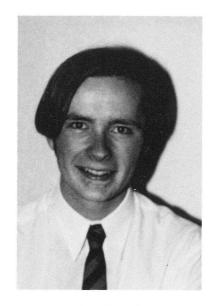


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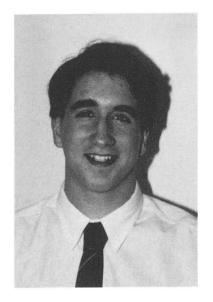
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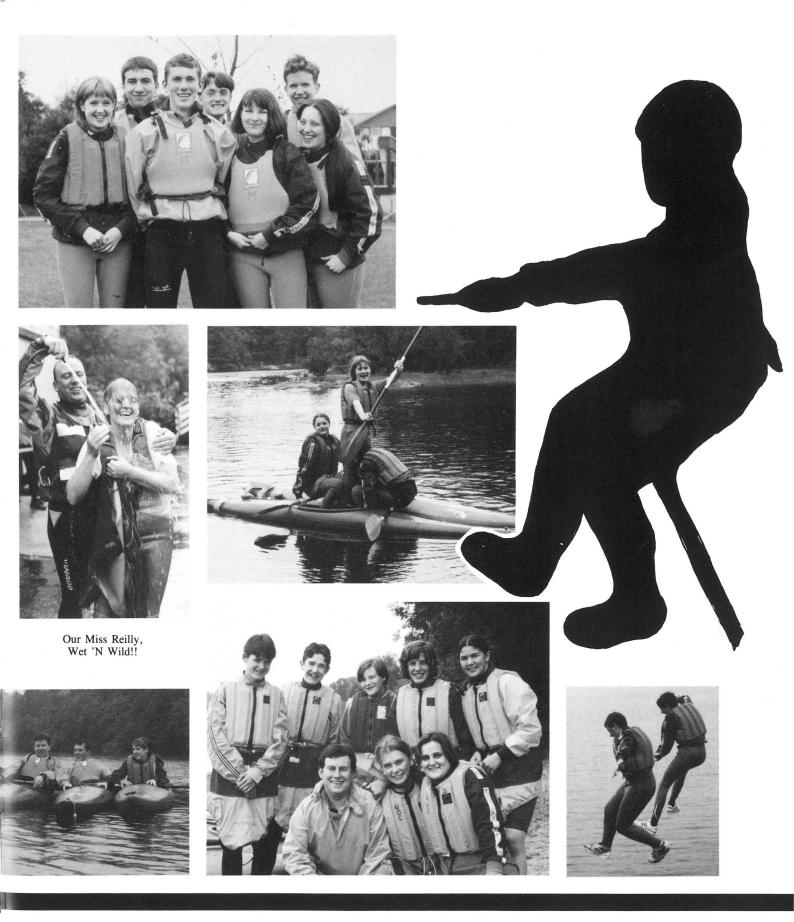






# CALAVANTING AT CALAVA

This year there have been two visits to Garelochhead outdoor centre. The first trip was for first and second years and the second consisted of seniors; each was led by a group of staff who all



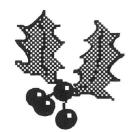
really enjoyed themselves!?

The groups took part in many varied activities ranging from orienteering to abseiling and canoeing to hillwalking. Both holidays were finished in dazzling

style. Mr. McGhee and Mrs. Gardner bopped with the best of the first years to the disco music and Mr. Conley, Miss Scott, Miss Reilly and Mr. Mac-Rae reeled and whirled unlike anything any of the seniors had ever seen before.

When all involved has recovered from their various aches and pains they admitted that the trip had been beneficial and extremely memorable.





# Senior







The annual senior social was this year, as always, a real success with pupils and teachers alike having a great evening. The main source of excitement of the night was the sight of the normally dignified teachers whirling and reeling for hours on end, especially Mr. Simpson, sporting a beautiful traditional Scottish costume. Mistletoe, as usual was a-plenty and the rendition of Auld Lang Syne to conclude the evening proved to be a bit of a tear jerker for many of the sixth years, for whom it was their last Christmas social at Kilsyth Academy.

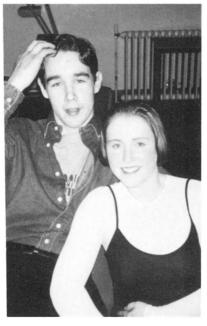




"Aaachooo!"

# Social







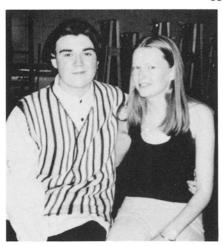
"Fred Astaire and Ginger Rodgers"











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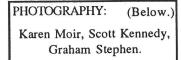


I was very honoured to be chosen as editor. Once we began I realised this job was not going to be at all easy. It was a constant race to meet one deadline after another. This is not to say there was no fun involved as we had our fair share of laughs too. I think the yearbook is a fantastic memory to keep and I hope everyone has enjoyed reading it. Last of all I want to thank everyone involved and wish next year's team the best of luck.

Susan Mulholland (Editor)



PAGE LAYOUT: (Left.)
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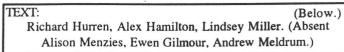


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But most of all thank you
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the Kilsyth Academy
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#### FRONT COVER

Our yearbook cover was designed by up and coming artist, Nicola Ferguson. Picasso eat your heart out!!

In June Susan, Linsay, Nicola and Kate attended a two day yearbook course at Stirling University. This gave them an insight into the production of the yearbook. They would like to thank everyone at Jostens for their invaluable support and assistance.



