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# NEWS

St. Louis University High School

For the Week of November 29, 1971

## A "CROWNING" EVENT

Ann Knobbe, of St. Elizabeth's High, was crowned SLU High's Queen for the year 1971-72, Wednesday night, Nov. 24, at SLUH's annual Coronation Ball.

Miss Knobbe, escorted by senior Mark Hogrebe, was crowned by STUCO President Tim Mallett; and attended by four maids of honor: Jo Marie Castellano, of Xavier; Colleen Kellett, of Nerinx Hall; Sally Palazola, of Visitation; and Lisa McElroy, of Saint Jo's Academy.

Tim Mallett presented a bouquet of roses to the Queen; she and her court were awarded tokens of their participation in the Ball. Following the crowning was the traditional dance with SLUH's STUCO President.

The Ball, a traditional event in SLUH history, was not lightly attended this year. According to estimates, attendance topped 500 people.

Although dress requirements were relaxed to tux suit this year, the tuxedo tradition dominated the scene at the Ball.

Juniors and Seniors and their dates were not the only ones who participated in the occasion, but so did the Jesuits who seemed to be having a good time.

The formality of the dance was only temporarily disrupted by girl cheering squads during the crowning announcements.

## AND FROM THIS CORNER...

"A paper is only as good as the people that work for it." This is no slight on the present staff because they are working hard. It's just that it is disappointing when people want a good product and refuse to contribute. The paper, the literary publications, and the yearbook desperately need talented artists, clever humorists, and people who enjoy writing. Too (see next column)

will be a Christmas Drive. Details of the drive will be developed in the Prep News when more is known about it. Today, representatives of Webster High School will tour SLUH.

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many people say "who me?", when asked to assist a publication, claiming not to have talent, but I know a lot of these people do have talent, but are reluctant to commit themselves because they are not sure of themselves. --Dan Joyce--

-----Joe Hirsch-----

## STUCO--CRITIQUE

Academic Committee: The senior projects are due Dec. 6.

Sports: This Friday at four o'clock the B-basketball team will play DeSmet. At six wrestling will begin and at eight o'clock the varsity basketball game against DeSmet will begin. As of now there are seven SISL teams and thirteen SIBL teams.

Cultural: If the talent show is held, it will be on Dec. 7. The show is in it. If you have talent, sign up.

External: This year there

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## MARCH ONTO THE MATS!

Murphy's Marauders kick off the season with a match against DeSmet starting at 6:00 before the basketball game. Led by captains Chris McCarthy and Bill Drury, it should be a tough meet. Your support would be appreciated. BE THERE!

L A C K O F , R E S P E C T !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Through the course of this, my senior year, I have noticed a drastic change in the attitude of the student body towards their fellow classmates. It seems as if all respect for others has been lost. No matter what the occasion, someone, somehow, always manages to bring out the bad points of it, rather than showing any sign of approval for what it is trying to accomplish. I am aware of the fact that each individual is entitled to his opinion, but with the situation as it stands now, it seems as if the Christian morals that are taught at St. Louie are doing no good whatsoever. Instead of respecting each individual for what he is and what he does, and in turn giving him a friendly form of appraisal in order to build his ego, the students at St. Louie seemingly strive to hassle home to the point where all confidence is lost. This has been especially evident to me in the past two weeks.

First was the Coronation. A certain senior just happened to feel that the Coronation was dehumanizing. Another senior wanted to be queen and about forty seniors didn't feel that it was even convenient to vote for the queen. To them it was "meaningless". Let's face it, this is going a little bit too

far. What happened to the "one-for-all, all-for-one" attitude that once was a significant part of St. Louie.

Next game the generally bitter feeling towards cheerleader, have witnessed most recently. Different people have, in the course of conversation revealed to me their discontent with the whole cheerleader poll which was taken quietly last week. I personally, along with the rest of the cheerleaders and a number of the faculty members feel we are doing a job that is as good as can be expected. Little or no respect is shown to the cheerleaders. I think people fail to realize the importance of this job. It's not just a matter of getting out on the football field or the basketball court and yelling your brains out. All eight cheerleaders must know every cheer, they must do their cheers together, and most of all, they must lead the crowd. Your cheerleading squad can only be as effective as you, the fans want them to be.

This brings me to my 3rd and hopefully my final encounter with the lack of respect for others at St. Louie. Friday night at the southwest basketball game, a group of football players were sitting together. During the first part of the game, it seemed as if

the game, it seemed as if they wanted to take over the cheerleading job. They were, quite freely, starting their "own cheers". They were told to follow the cheerleaders in order that we could all be together. Well, with this they cooperated, but if I must say so, that was the last I heard out of them. One member of this group earlier in the year had told a member of the cheerleaders that we were not doing our job. If this individual feels that we are not doing our job efficiently, and if he feels he doesn't want to be a part of us by helping in the cheers, I think he should along with his friends either sit somewhere besides in the cheering section, or not come to the basketball games at all. Our spirit was excellent Friday, but I feel that we can do without hypocrites in the stands. Respect must be a part of our principles at St. Louie, otherwise we are without a doubt defeating all our purposes.

--Kevin Sullivan

CREDENTIALS

- Mark Christopher-Dan Joyce
- Steve Juergens--Mike Berry
- Wence Tintera--John Larsen
- Frank Baldwin-Mel Labrador
- Erv Switzer-----Fr. Deeman

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