

## TESTIMONIAL DINNER TO BE HELD FOR EX-PADUANS

The Alumni Association will sponsor a testimonial dinner on August 11, at Padua, in honor of the first Paduans to become Franciscan Fathers. The men are Fr. Donatus C. Szczepanski, O.F.M., of Nanticoke, Pa., and Fr. Seraphin R. Olszewski, O.F.M., of Buffalo, N. Y.

Fr. Donatus is a member of the original Padua Pioneers to begin studies in the school's first year in 1949. Fr. Seraphin attended Bishop Ryan H. S. in Buffalo for his freshman year and joined Padua in his sophomore year. They both graduated in 1953.

The ex-Paduans entered the Franciscan Novitiate of the Assumption Province on August 14, 1953, at the Queen of Peace Monastery, Lake Geneva, Wis., and on August 15, 1957 at St. Francis Monastery, Burlington, Wis., they professed their solemn vows.

Both of them completed their college education at St. Francis College in Burlington, Wis. and studied theology at Christ the King Theological Seminary in West Chicago, Ill.

On May 26, 1962, they were ordained by the Most Rev. Martin D. McNamara, D.D., Bishop of Joliet Diocese in the St. Raymond Cathedral.

Fr. Seraphin will offer his first solemn Mass in Corpus Christi Church, in Buffalo on June 10.

Fr. Donatus will offer his first solemn mass on June 3, in the St. Stanislaus Church, Nanticoke, Pa.

## GRADUATION DAY

June 22 will be a memorable day of caps, gowns, and diplomas for the eighteen seniors. Dressed in black gowns and the traditional square caps with white tassels, they will go to the student chapel where the ceremonies will begin with a solemn high Mass celebrated by Fr. Brendan Wroblewski, o.f.m., the class moderator.

Fr. Winfred Ryan, o.f.m., spiritual director of St. Bonaventure University, will deliver the commencement address. This will be followed by the presentation of the "Optime Merenti" and "Pro Excellentia Morum" awards and the distribution of diplomas by Fr. Hyacinth, o.f.m., Rector and Fr. Ryan, o.f.m.

Solemn Benediction will conclude the commencement exercises. Afterward a buffet lunch will be served by Brother Vincent, o.f.m. in the student refectory.

This graduation of the class of '62 marks the tenth graduation from the Paduan halls.

## DIAMOND JUBILEE

On the feast of St. Anthony of Padua, June 13, a Solemn High Mass in honor of the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Assumption Province was celebrated in the students' chapel. Fr. Henry Naparla, Guardian of St. Anthony Friary, was the celebrant of the mass; Fr. Albin Miklaszewski assisted as deacon and Fr. Hyacinth Kulinski assisted as subdeacon. The Assumption Province was founded in 1887 by Brother Augustine Zeytz who came to this country from Poland at the time.

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Intermission during the Minstrel Show

## SENIORS GO TO MID-WEST

Our senior class finally departed on their long awaited class trip on June 3; accompanied by their class moderator, Fr. Brendan, and traveling guest, Fr. Roland.

This year the seniors broke the traditional trip to Canada and departed for the mid-west. They traveled by train to Chicago, where they stayed two days and then visited Christ the King Seminary, St. Bonaventure M.S. and Preparatory School, and other schools in the care of the Franciscan Fathers. But, besides sightseeing these places and other interesting sites, their trip was full of excitement as they enjoyed themselves at amusement parks, horseback riding, swimming, bowling in the cities of the mid-west.

But as they say, "All good things must come to an end", and unfortunately there was no exception for the seniors. They reluctantly term-

## BISHOP'S ORATORICAL CONTEST

On May 9, the Bishop's public speaking contest was held at DeSales High School in Geneva. Participating in this contest were the schools of Notre Dame of Elmira, Mt. Carmel of Auburn, St. John's of Montour, and DeSales of Geneva.

Representing Padua was senior John LaSalle whose topic was "The American Negro: a Citizen of Secondary Rank".

First place in the boys division was taken by Mr. Albert Nesselt of St. John's, speaking on "Space Waste"; Miss Rose Marie Lynch of Notre Dame took the girls' division.

They enjoyed their week of gaiety and returned to the Prep on Saturday, June 9, to spend their remaining days in peace and quiet prior to graduation on June 22.



Fr. Donatus, O.F.M.



Fr. Seraphin, O.F.M.

## STUDENT COUNCIL A Wise and Beneficial Thing

The student council which is waiting for approval is a wise thing and will be a great asset to the school. It should not be passed up but given full approval; for it is an organization, as the name implies, for the good of all students and will exist to make Padua a better school.

This can be proved by examining the purpose clause of the constitution, i.e., to promote harmonious relations throughout the entire school; improve student faculty relationships; provide a forum of student expression; improve school morale; develop attitudes and practice in good citizenship; assist in the management of the school; assist the Rev. Disciplinarian in minor affairs; and promote the general welfare of the school.

That is why we request that the student council be approved.

R. R.

## The Most Important Day For a Senior

Seniors, that important day in your high school years is almost here. You have waited four years for this day and at times it seemed as if it would never come, but graduation day is here and yet it is probably hard for you to believe that this day has arrived.

This day should be a day of joy and happiness for you, since you will receive the fruits of these four hard years, but you should keep in mind the purpose of this day.

This graduation day is letting you free from your training grounds as a matured adult ready to fulfill a purpose in life. It is placing you upon a new road with greater difficulties to overcome, by putting into practice what you have learned during your stay at Padua.

But did you make use of this training received so that you would be able to put it into practice? Well, if your answer is no, you can't do much about it now since you cannot relive these precious years of your life over, and if your answer is yes, congratulations. You accomplished your purpose of being at the Prep and may God help you to overcome your difficulties in later life.

R. R.

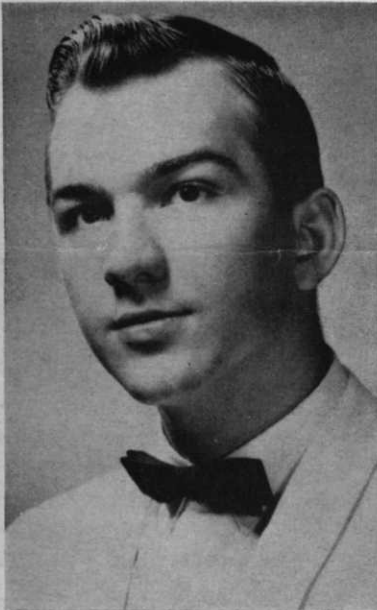
## SENIOR OF THE YEAR: JOSEPH A. SREDINSKI

Let's tip our hats to senior Joseph A. Sredinski who will be long remembered by many students as a fine gentleman. Joe is probably best described by his thoughtfulness and generosity, which are the outstanding qualities of his character. He is never too busy to do someone a favor and he won't stop until he has completed the task.

"Shreddy" comes from Uniontown, Pennsylvania and entered Padua in 1958. He devoted much of his time working in the library, as co-editor of the 1962 yearbook, and as an editor of the **Paduan** staff. He also sang in the student chorus, took an active part in the athletic intramural program, was a Paduan pianist, and a member of the drama club.

Joe will enter St. Mary's of the Lake College at Orchard Lake, Mich. with the intentions of studying for the priesthood.

May God bless him in all his endeavors.



Joseph A. Sredinski

## FRANK'S CLOTHES SHOP

Everything for the  
Well Dressed Man

## AWARD NIGHT

On June 12th, Padua held its 13th annual Achievement Night. The memorable night for many students began with a banquet in the student refectory at which Mr. Robert Shaddock of Corning, N. Y. was guest speaker. Mr. Shaddock played basketball on the Syracuse varsity team and on the U. S. Olympic team and at present he is general manager of radio station WCBA in Corning.

After the dinner the guests and students moved to the gym where the school band gave its final concert of the year. This was followed by the presentation of awards. The Journalism award went to John LaSalle, the Drama award to Joseph Sredinski, the Oratory award to Michael Fairlie, and the Latin award to Michael Gulas.

Fr. Hyacinth then awarded the NEDT certificate to sophomores and freshmen who made the highest scores in the test. The National Honor Society awards were awarded to senior Michael Gulas, and to juniors, Peter Krafinski, Ted Bieryla, Richard Regula, James Kaczmarek, Gerard Szczygiel, J. Tulko and Edward Walczak. Presentations of the music letters were distributed by Fr. Brendan, o.f.m., band director.

Fr. Emil then took over and announced the winners of the sports awards and the lettermen. The three-letter men this year were Dennis Springer, Stan Czarnecki, and Hank Butka.

Walter Snopek was presented the Gymnastic trophy for being the top gymnast of the year and Richard Bonk received the James Franzese Memorial Trophy for coming in first place in the Marathon Cross Country race held in October.

The Sweepstakes Trophy, which is given to the class that garnered the most points in class competition, was won by the senior class.

Final totals were:

Seniors	673
Juniors	651
Sophomores	541
Freshmen	255

The final award of the evening—the **All Paduan**—was presented by Alumni President Fr. Frank Czajkowski to senior Walter Sabolefski. This is the first year for the award and it represents achievement in studies, athletics and character.

## Mother's Day Activities

As the weekend of May 12 and 13 arrived, the students celebrated Mother's Day with their mothers and guests who visited Padua. It was a pleasant weekend for them as the students demonstrated their skills in various fields.

First on the agenda was a concert given by the school band, directed by Fr. Brendan, o.f.m. This was followed by a piano recital given by the Padua pianists who are also taught by Father Brendan.

At 2:00 P. M. the guests again assembled in the gymnasium where coach Joe Lemak and his sharp drill team executed their intricate maneuvers.

The afternoon was far from being over as the guests soon found out when the gym team trotted out onto the floor to the sound of music. Spruced up in their white uniforms, the team began a review of calisthenics followed by elementary tumbling. Now the real test of strength and skill came as the gymnasts displayed their various routines on the side horse, vaulting box, trampoline, minny tramp, parallel bars, and tumbling. The guests looked on with awe and sometimes even with amazement as the gymnasts did everything with precision and smoothness. The team enacted the grand finale amid thunders of applause.

In the evening the mothers and guests again went to the gymnasium to witness the Padua Minstrel Hour, directed by Fr. Eric, o.f.m. The show included skits made up by some "crazy" Padua authors, and songs sung by the chorus directed by Fr. Brendan, o.f.m.

Following the play was a dance and snack party. Music was provided by the Padua Aquatones.

Sunday morning the guests attended Mass celebrated by Fr. Hyacinth in the gymnasium. After Mass a procession in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary was held, after which Michael Gulas crowned the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The morning's activities terminated with litany and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

At noon a banquet was held in the student refectory in honor of the mothers.

**STAFF ATTENDS BONA PRESS CONFERENCE**

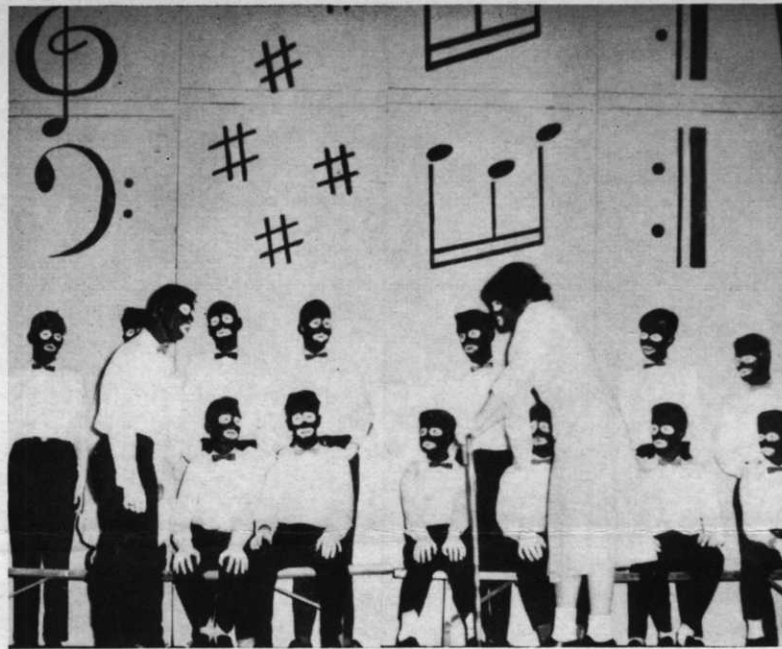
On May 10, the Department of Journalism of St. Bonaventure University, Olean, New York sponsored their twenty-sixth annual High School Press Day. Student representatives from over two hundred and fifty public and private secondary schools participated in this year's program. Representatives from the **Paduan** staff were John LaSalle, Joseph Sredinski and Walter Snopek of the Senior class; Richard Regula and Ted Bieryla of the Junior class. Fr. Mel Baran accompanied the group.

After the registration of all the high school representatives, the morning schedule was for clinics and discussion sessions, which covered all sorts of journalistic topics. Then a firing demonstration was performed for the campus visitors by St. Bonaventure's advanced R.O.T.C.

A luncheon followed at which ace newscaster Walter Cronkite addressed the students. Mr. Cronkite spoke about the important role journalism plays in the American life and the effects of competition between city newspapers.

After the luncheon and Mr. Cronkite's address, press awards were given to the students who performed outstanding work on high school publications.

An informal reception was then held for the students at the campus golf club, where the Bona Press Day's activities pleasantly ended.



Padua's Chorus as they perform in the Minstrel Show

**JUNIORS TAKE SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST**

It was a beautiful Saturday morning, May 19, when the college seeking juniors went for the S.A.T. test at Cornell University.

A bus promptly picked up the boys at 7:15 and left them off at Cornell University at 8:00. After a short rest following the ride they dispersed into three groups, according to alphabetical order and entered their assigned buildings. The test commenced at 9:15 and was divided into two parts: English and Math., and ended at 12:15. After the test the boys had the entire afternoon to themselves to tour the campus and the city of Ithaca.

**STUDENT BODY HEARS LECTURE**

On May 24, Mr. Goodyear of the Binghamton branch of the Bell Telephone Company lectured to the student body about the work of the Bell Telephone Company.

Mr. Goodyear's main topic was about the dial system and how it works, since it will be put into effect in the Watkins Glen Telephone System on June 17. His lecture also included the future role of the Bell Company in America and in the world, which includes the project of a transcontinental telephone, television, and speed letters made available to the public by means of outer space.

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

- J. Halicks — May 9
- R. Kvedrovicz — May 12
- T. Janowski — June 26
- P. Kowalski — June 8
- S. Pitonyak — May 29
- S. Orlowski — May 16
- M. Murray — May 10
- S. Falzone — May 26
- J. Nodar — June 16
- K. Tenzycki — May 27
- Joe Lomnicky — May 29
- John Lomnicky — May 29
- P. Krafinski — May 29
- M. Fairlie — June 12

**"ALUMNI NOTES"**

While the alumni will be visiting the alma mater this August for the Annual Alumni Reunion the friendly "stork" will be visiting the Bernard Petricks '54.

The busy "stork" around the same time has a return engagement with the Leonard Dmuhowskis '55 who are expecting their second child.

Right now this "stork" is resting up from bringing the Walter Szczepaniaks their first child, a girl, on June 1.

Another busy fellow, this time is "Uncle Sam" who seems to be taking quite an interest in our alumni. It has become known that among others the following are in the Armed Forces fulfilling their obligations to their country!

Robert Timko '57 is stationed at an Air Force Base in Japan, expecting to be there for another three years or so.

John Pavlick '61 recently began his enlistment in the Air Force and is now stationed at Lakeland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

John Struzinski '60 is fulfilling his obligations to his country in the U. S. Army. He's been in the service since July, 1961.

Albert Hryczyk '57 will drop anchor and leave the Navy in a year or so. He undoubtedly will have an abundant supply of Navy yarns to tell at alumni affairs. He is now storing them up aboard the carrier U.S.S. Wasp upon which he is stationed.

It appears that it is only a matter of time before one of our alumni, namely Joseph Drozdowski '56, who is studying at a medical school in Florida, begins his practice of medicine.

Victor Sudol '61 is attending the novitiate of St. John of God in California.

Charles Bodziak '59 is attending the seminary.

Should anyone know the correct addresses of the following alumni, please write to the Rector letting him know of them:

- 15 Anthony Michniewicz '58, Stanley Duchak '58, Harry Pinola '59, Ernest Lominac '54, Theodore Nowakowski '53.

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## WE BID THEM ADIEU FUTURE PLANS OF SENIORS

by Peter Krafinski

Perhaps the most important event in the senior year at any high school is the day of graduation. As the seniors of Padua eagerly await graduation ceremonies on June twenty-second, their days are filled with preparations for the occasion and reminiscing over the past four years.

"Time Flies", says the old adage, but not until now, does it seem to be so true to the departing seniors. Since they first entered the school four years have passed. Years filled with play, hopes, work, pleasures and disappointments, and memories that will never be forgotten.

The four years of high school are almost over, and at such a time they may stop to think of all that was accomplished. Let's look at their four years in a —. As freshmen the day of graduation was as far out of the way as the South Pole; after all, that was a time of getting acquainted and learning what there was to know about the school. The sophomore year, with its hectic activity, completely took up all of their time, leaving no spare moments to think of future events. As juniors, they were obliged to accept positions of responsibility—small ones at first, but the importance of their position gradually increased.

The senior year finally arrived with all its duties and privileges. The presence of Father Brendan, o.f.m. their moderator, helped them to cope with many of their difficulties and to overcome them. As seniors, they were heads of many organizations: the Third Order, PX, library, **Paduan** and the **Siquaeris**.

Perhaps their greatest undertaking was the publication of the **Siquaeris**. Putting a yearbook together requires a tremendous amount of work and this year's issue certainly shows evidence of this.

The month of June is always filled with furious activity. The school picnic and achievement night highlight the first half.

As the school year terminates all their major endeavors will come to a successful end. The exams will be over, and then in a day or two, guests will arrive for the commencement exercises. Graduation is now not a far fetched dream but a reality. The time for bidding farewell is at hand.

Robert J. Bartosavage, Plymouth, Pa.

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Air Force Career

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George Washington University

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Armed Forces

Micheal B. Gulas, West Hazelton, Pa.

Franciscan Novitiate

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Franciscan Novitiate

Walter A. Kurpiel, Brooklyn, N. Y.

School of Business

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St. Francis College

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LaSalle College

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Norwich University

Walter J. Sabolefski, Garfield, N. J.

Armed Forces

Thomas D. Skrab, Weirton, W. Va.

Priesthood

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St. Mary's Seminary, Orchard Lake, Michigan

Walter S. Snopek, Bayonne, N. J.

Loyola University

Stanley J. Wendolowski, Maspeth, N. Y.

St. John's University, Brooklyn, N. Y.

As the seniors receive their diplomas from Rev. Father Hyacinth Kulinski, o.f.m., the Rector, each one, I am sure, will be filled with pride. This is the realization of what they had hoped and worked for in the last four years. They are ready for whatever must be undertaken in the future. They have been prepared; they have worked, studied, and prayed! May the Lord of Heaven guide them in every task that they might undertake in this life!

## KENYON'S ESSO STATION

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## STUDENTS REQUEST STUDENT COUNCIL

The idea of a student council was brought up by the junior class and under the direction of the class moderator, Fr. Cajetan, o.f.m. they appointed a committee as follows: Jack Drexler (chairman), Ted Bieryla, Henry Butka, and Michael Fairlie. They also invited the president and vice president of both the sophomore and freshman classes to join the committee. It was formed to draft a constitution which is now waiting for the approval of the Rev. Rector.

If the constitution is approved and the student council is permitted, elections will be held on the Wednesday of the third week of the school year. There will be nine representatives in the council: three seniors and two from every other class. A president will be elected from among the senior members to be the council president. Other officers such as secretary and treasurer will be appointed by the president. The president of each class will automatically be one of that class's representatives.

If approved, the constitution will be explained further to the student body.

## FILLER

On the night of the deadline for the publication of the issue of the **Paduan**, we discovered that we were short of material. Off went Editor LaSalle in search of more news. The time was ten P.M.

He finally wandered onto the freshman corridor and woke up the bewildered frosh and asked each of them what they disliked about the prep.

Here are a few of the answers: Bilsky — Room 100 is locked too often.

Falzone — I dislike cleaning my dorm.

Fratarcangelo — There is never any heat.

Montoya — Getting up in the morning.

Nied — The freshman corridor is always too cold.

Gricko — I dislike being awakened at this preposterous hour of the night by this blundering idiot and being asked this ridiculous question.

Yasz — Nothing. I'm too sleepy.

Weaver — Prefects.

Linnick — Cleaning the gym after basketball games.

## ROVING REPORTER

Our roving reporter of the **Paduan** staff asked several boys the following question: "What do you intend to do this summer?"

Weaver—"Summer school for me."

Dmuchowski—"I'm going to play Mike Nelson this summer."

Czubahowski—"Get a job."

Brozka—"This summer I will spend my time camping and fishing."

Szypula—"I will join the Mets this summer."

Drexler—"I'm spending my summer at the Spa." (the high)

Bartosavage—"Working at Golden Quality Ice Cream Company." (This is a plug)

Gajewski—"Try to readjust myself to human society." (This will be a long hard fight, but keep your nose to the grindstone, Paul.)

## SCHOOL PICNIC

The annual picnic was shifted this year from Taughannock Falls State Park to Robert Tremaine State Park in Ithaca. The move was greeted with unanimous approval by the boys after they caught their first glimpse of the spacious swimming area at the bottom of the falls.

Departure time from Padua was 8:30. As soon as the boys had a look around at their new surroundings, they started the arduous Faculty-Senior Class softball game. This year, however, the juniors did the honors in challenging the faculty because the seniors were away in the mid-west on their class trip. The game was so evenly matched that it went into extra innings. The faculty picked up two runs in the top of the eleventh but the juniors roared back with three runs in the bottom of that inning to take the game, 12-11.

The rest of the day saw a variety of activities as the boys explored the many miles of paths, swam in the invigorating waters cascading down the falls and in general enjoyed themselves in the beautiful surroundings of the state park. At the end of the long day the students boarded the three buses for the return trip back to school, tired and exhausted after an enjoyable picnic.

Mulcahy — Seniors.

Bachynski — Being asked such a stupid question at this time of night.

**SENIOR SPECULATION**

Asiello: "I want to be the biggest man in the senior class."  
 Benedict: "Why don't we have three years of French."  
 Bennett: "I'll get my basketball letter yet."  
 Bieryla: "I want to be another Bob Cummings."  
 Butka: "You never know but when you do know, it's too late and then you'll never know."  
 Czarnecki: "I want a ride on the freedom bus."  
 Drexler: "At last, I can choose the music for the school band."  
 Fairlie: "I want more food! I'm a growing boy."  
 Gryszan: "I want regular classes in weight lifting."  
 Kaczmarek: "I want to start my own gym team."  
 Krafinski: "You can do anything, but don't step on my white buck shoes."  
 Lomnicki, Joe: "Write more letters and receive more tan mail."  
 Lomnicki, John: "Receive three varsity letters and stay away from the doctors."  
 Lukowski: "I want to take post-graduate work in Biology and get a few more quarters on the soccer team."  
 Regula: "Canada for the senior trip or bust."  
 Springer: "I wish to average 25 points a game and volunteer my services in teaching the class of '63 anything they wish to know in sports."  
 Sudol: "I want to see my girl friend more often."  
 Szczepaniak: "I want more pocket-books to read during study hall."  
 Szczygiel: "I want more free days."  
 Szot: "Whistle while you work."  
 Szypula: "I want to make first string varsity."  
 Tulko: "I'm going to wake all the seniors up next year."  
 Walczak: "I resolve to play more Bach on the organ and to make sure the library will be supplied with current newspapers and periodicals."  
 Yarnot: "I'll rule with a strict hand and be a tough senior."



He's out

**WATKINS ROMPS PADUA**

In a shortened game of only five innings due to darkness, the Senecans of Watkins Glen used all of their fourteen hits to pin a fourteen to seven defeat on the Cascaders. Watkins scored all their runs in two big innings, six in the second inning and eight in the fourth. The Cascaders staged a somewhat late rally, scoring only one run in the third inning, two in the fourth and four in the fifth, but the rally wasn't enough to overcome the Watkins lead.

The defeat was given to starting pitcher Den Springer; this was his second loss of the season.

	R	H	E
Watkins	14	14	3
Padua	7	3	3

**NEWS NOTES**

On May 13, the T.O.S.F. sponsored a raffle to aid missionary work. The prizes and winners of the raffle were:

- First prize — transistor radio won by Mr. J. Baluta
- Second prize — Parker pen and pencil set won by John Nodar.
- Third prize — a five dollar bill won by Richard Amissano.

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The 1963 Siquaeris yearbook is now underway. Under the appointment of Fr. Bertrand Bluma, o.f.m., Jack Drexler and Ed Walczak, co-editors, have already been working on the general layouts so that next year there will be a quick start. Other appointments were Ted Bieryla and Hank Butka, photographers, and Lenny Szot, art editor. The rest of the staff will be appointed in September.

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Our own school musicians attended two concerts this past month. They heard the Haverling Central School Band at Bath and the spring concert of the Watkins Glen Senior and Junior Bands.

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Congratulations to Fr. Mel, o.f.m. of the ordination of his brother, Fr. Benjamin, o.f.m.

**TOURNAMENT NEWS**

Under the supervision of Mike Asiello, tournaments in pool, ping pong and shuffleboard got under way.

After many rounds of elimination Rich Zolnowski and Gene Exley found themselves matched against each other in the final round of the ping pong tournament. Although Exley played a good defensive game, Zolnowski triumphed to win the ping pong title.

The shuffleboard tournament saw the team of Mielnik and Miecznikowski battle its way to the top to play the opposing team of Bennett and Beseda. At the end of a close game the latter team emerged as victors.

Pool turned out to be the most exciting of all the tournaments. Due to very active student participation, the tournament was somewhat prolonged and after many rounds of eliminations and upsets Stan Czarnecki and Dick Kvedrovicz emerged as finalists. In the most exciting and closest tournament game, Dick Kvedrovicz edged out Czarnecki to become Padua's new "hustler".

As far as the golf tournament went, it was a quick round of elimination that brought Bob Bartosavage to first place and put Mike Mulcahy in second.

Archery was also another fast tournament. It had no competition this year as Bob Wagner and Ronald Kwacz, winners of last year's tournament, again took first and second place respectively.

**PADUA DOWNS LAKEMONT**

Collecting only five hits, the Cascaders took advantage of four errors in defeating Lakemont Academy 6-5. Starting pitcher Byron Nied held Lakemont scoreless for four innings but in the fifth they scored two runs and loaded the bases with two out. Den Springer was then put in and quickly struck out the next Lakemont batter. Heads up base running and timely hitting helped the Cascaders to score in all innings except the second and third. Lakemont threatened again in the seventh inning by scoring three runs, but the little rally wasn't enough to take the Cascaders.

	R	H	E
Lakemont	5	7	4
Padua	6	5	3

**ODESSA RIPS PADUA**

Odessa took advantage of a faulty Cascader defense along with 10 hits to defeat the Prepsters 14-7. The Cascaders committed seven errors in the field, permitting Odessa to score a number of unearned runs which led to the Cascaders' defeat. But the Prep took advantage of the four Odessa errors along with seven hits to score their seven runs. The losing pitcher was Mike Murray who suffered his first loss of the year.

	R	H	E
Odessa	14	10	4
Padua	7	7	7

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## PADUA INITIATES TRACK TEAM

This year a track and field team was introduced to the present athletic curriculum at Padua. Under the coaching of Fr. Emil, the new varsity team underwent strenuous practices getting in shape for such track and field events as the 100 yd. dash, the 220 yd. dash, the 440 yd. run, the 880 yd. run, the 880 yd. relay, the mile run, pole vaulting and high jumping. On April thirty-first, after only two weeks of practicing the team was off to Rochester, for its initial showing in the Rochester Catholic Diocesan Track and Field Meet.

The new team used every possible effort to do good in its first meet, but were matched against experienced opposition. They were unable to make headway as they placed fourth out of five teams.

On June first at the Triangular Track Meet held at Odessa, the team was still determined to do well in their second chance and the result was not disappointing as the team came in second out of three participating teams, making an improved showing over the previous meet. Although not too impressive in its first two starts, the team did pick up many tricks of the trade needed for the success of a team.

### '62 BASEBALL SCOREBOARD

Padua 9	—	Odessa 6
Padua 4	—	Dundee 2
Padua 2	—	W.G.C.S. 22
Padua 8	—	Dundee 3
Padua 17	—	Lakemont 5
Padua 7	—	Odessa 14
Padua 7	—	W.G.C.S. 14
Padua 6	—	Lakemont 5
Padua 5	—	Addison 3
Padua 5	—	Notre Dame 6

### BATTING AVERAGES

	AB	RBI	H	avg.
Exley	32	9	7	.218
Szypula	20	9	6	.300
Recotta	23	12	9	.391
Springer	32	8	11	.343
Woloch	28	8	4	.143
Butka	27	9	6	.222
Wagner	29	8	6	.206
Brozka	11	2	2	.181
Bennett	10	2	1	.100
Czarnecki	2	0	1	.500
Zolnowski	13	1	2	.153
Nied	5	0	0	.000
Tenczyki	1	0	0	.000
Nalaskowski	1	0	0	.000



Den Springer hits a high fly

## SEASON'S SUMMARY

by Rich Regula and Bob Szypula  
In defeating Addison, Padua moved into the win column with a record of six wins and five losses.

Although the pitching staff was a little weak, pitchers Mike Murray, Den Springer and George Bennett each had a fair season. Frosh, Byron Nied, picked up a lot of pitching experience and did a good job in his first official start this year.

First base was handled by Springer or Bennett. Both did a fine job. Second base was handled by Eugene Exley who tried hard and accomplished more than was expected of him for his first season.

Guarding third was junior Bob Szypula who played constant heads-up ball during the season and prevented many potential scorers from reaching home.

Roaming the outfield positions were: Bob Wagner, Hank Butka, and Bill Brozka. They did a fine job pulling in the many balls belted out to them.

Hitting: Padua's hitting on the whole was weak which accounted for a few of the close games. Only three hitters were in the three hundred bracket. They were Den Springer, Bob Recotta, and Bob Szypula who had .391, .343, and .300 respectively. Gene Exley and Hank Butka made good showings at the plate with .218 and .222.

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## PADUA HANDS DUNDEE SECOND LOSS

Eager to add another victory to their record, Padua played hard to overcome the Dundee Scotmen. Den Springer went all the way for Padua allowing only five hits and striking out nine.

Padua's big inning was in the second when they tallied up six runs, taking advantage of two Dundee errors and with the help of Den Springer's grand slam homer. The prepsters added two more in the fourth inning to make a total of eight and took their third victory with ease, letting Dundee score only three runs.

	R	H	E
Dundee	3	5	4
Padua	8	5	1

## PADUA TROUNCED BY WATKINS

Two runs in the top of the first inning was all the Cascaders saw of the scoring column as Watkins Glen, playing on their home field, turned back their hometown rivals.

In the bottom half of the first inning Watkins picked up five runs and kept adding more runs until they chalked up a total of 22 runs. For the remainder of the game the cascaders were only able to squeeze out three hits. Nine Paduan errors accounted for many of the runs in the score. Den Springer was saddened with the loss.

	R	H	E
Watkins	22	18	0
Padua	2	6	9

## PADUA TAKES OPENER

The Prep started off its '62 baseball season by topping Odessa Central 9-6. The Cascaders took a quick lead with three runs and chalked up six more until nine was reached in the following innings. On the defensive side Padua played a good game behind the pitching of Den Springer, who allowed only one run until the sixth inning when Odessa scored five runs on a few Paduan errors, but the Odessa rally was not enough to top the Cascaders' lead as Mike Murray put the Odessa team down without any trouble in the last inning.

	R	H	E
Odessa	6	8	6
Padua	9	7	2

## CASCADERS BEAT DUNDEE

There was a slight drizzle when the Prep set out to play the second game of the '62 season against the Dundee Scotmen. The team was determined to pick up its second victory, and they did it by edging out the Scotsmen four to two. Raining harder at the end of the third inning the umpire called the game, giving the victory to the Prep.

	R	H	E
Dundee	2	2	3
Padua	4	1	0

## PADUA STUNS ADDISON

Playing one of their best defensive games, the Padua nine upset a well drilled Addison team. The ace pitching of Mike Murray contributed greatly to this Paduan victory.

The second inning was the big one for both teams. Addison started off the top of the inning by scoring three runs. The Prep, eager for revenge, scored five runs on three hits and four walks. The rest of the game was a nip and tuck battle as the Cascaders took the game five to three.

This was the Prep's sixth win against four defeats.

	R	H	E
Addison	3	6	1
Padua	5	4	2

## WOODWARD HARDWARE

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