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We want to tell you the whole story but it's been told so many times before. So, why should we repeat it the same as others have done?

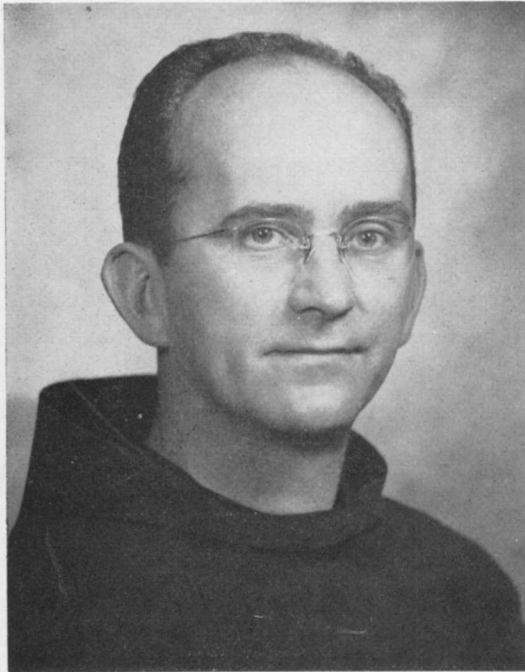
Of course we took a few ideas from other books (papers) but then again, we learn from other's mistakes. We can't be too original or we'd be condemned for breaking away from the norm.

We'll tell our story as we think it should be told and pray for it to be understood by all.

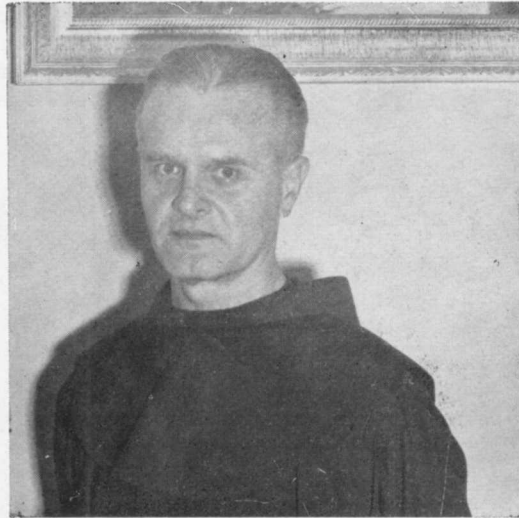
This book (paper) is the product of the entire school not only of the staff. Any one of the students can tell what's happening in this book (paper).

So turn the page and begin to read our book (paper) the way it should be read.

We, the Staff — (The Siquaeris '70)



Fr. Claude Zabinski, 1st rector



Fr. Hyacinth Kulinski, 2nd rector



Fr. Humphrey Tobias, last rector

SCHEDULE 1952

6:00 Rising
 6:30 Mass
 7:15 Breakfast
 7:30 Recreation
 8:00 First Class
 8:45 Second Class
 9:30 Recreation
 10:30 Third Class
 11:15 Fourth Class
 12:00 Lunch
 12:30 Recreation
 1:15 Study Hall
 2:00 Fifth Class
 2:45 Sixth Class
 3:25 Recreation
 5:00 Study Period
 6:00 Rosary
 6:30 Dinner
 7:25 Study Hall
 8:25 Recreation
 8:45 Night Prayers
 9:20 Lights Out

First Graduating Class

1953

J. Trella
 J. McDonnell
 J. Anglo
 J. Kuhn
 R. Groncki
 C. Szczepanski
 T. Nowakowski
 F. Zygmuntowicz
 H. Cecce
 T. Colihan
 J. Malina
 F. Czajkowski
 T. Trainor
 J. Adamitis
 R. Chodnicki
 G. Soback
 E. Lewandowski

WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT

In case you're wondering what this thing is, it's a paper. A historical type paper to be exact. This place has been Padua for 20 years and many changes have occurred. The best way to see a change is to look at it as progress.

It all started in 1949 with a handful of stout hearted Americans. It's all going to end June 19, 1970 when the diplomas have been passed out.

If you read the paper, you'll get a general idea of what happened. If you've been here at any time, you'll feel what Padua was all about and probably get a little choked up thinking about the time you won that game or the talks you had with . . . That's all good, and sweet and past. Reality is with us and Padua soon won't be.

This paper is here as a little history, a little comparison and minute scratch into the immense store of what was Padua. Read it and chuckle; read it and cry. Read it and save it to be read again when those memories of good 'ole Padua seep into your world weary head.

THE AWARDS

Men enter the pages of history by two basic means: Luck and accomplishment. Padua's Historical accomplishers were annually honored at Achievement Night. The varied awards came and went with their slight glory. For posterity's sake we list the prime of Padua.

OPTIME MERENTI

1953—J. Malina, Jr.
 1954—J. Pilch
 1956—P. Golinski
 1957—V. Papsanski
 1958—Z. Koniniec
 1969—R. Kobus
 1960—J. Flis
 1961—T. Walczak
 1962—M. Gulas
 1963—E. Walczak
 1964—T. Zwolinski
 1965—B. Nied, J. Crisco
 1966—T. Malina, Malinowski
 1967—R. Stanczyk
 1968—A. Kuklinski
 1969—G. Silkiewicz

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PRO EXCELLENTIA MORUM

- 1953—F. Czajkowski
- 1954—L. Pijanowski
- 1955—J. Kurina
- 1956—J. Asiello
- 1967—J. Jagodzinski
- 1958—G. Nowotarski
- 1959—F. Uss
- 1960—S. Malkiewicz
- 1961—S. Zagraniczny
- 1962—J. Sredinski
- 1963—J. Tulko
- 1964—W. Brzoska
- 1965—D. Czarnecki
- 1966—S. Malinowski
- 1967—J. Bognacki
- 1968—P. Smith
- 1969—M. Zwierzynski

JAMES FRANZESE MEMORIAL *Msgr. W. J. STANCZYK*

- AWARD — CROSS COUNTRY
- 1955—J. Uss
 - 1956—J. Klos
 - 1957—T. Mark
 - 1959—S. Wojciechowski
 - 1960—J. Sowa
 - 1961—E. Pembleton
 - 1962—R. Bonk
 - 1963—P. Krafinski
 - 1964—R. Bonk
 - 1965—J. Ambrosone
 - 1966—J. Jurewicz
 - 1967—J. Opiola
 - 1968—J. Opiola
 - 1969—A. Pyka

LATIN AWARD

- 1955—A. Maksymowicz
- 1956—P. Golinski
- 1958—A. Michniewicz
- 1959—R. Kobus
- 1960—R. Beligotti
- 1961—T. Walczak
- 1962—M. Gulas
- 1963—E. Walczak
- 1964—R. Kvedrowicz
- 1965—J. Crisco
- 1966—T. Malina
- 1967—R. Stanczyk
- 1968—A. Kuklinski
- 1969—H. Karsch

A. H. RICHARDS, JR.

JOURNALISM AWARD

- 1955—R. Tulko
- 1956—R. Nawrot
- 1958—S. Duchak
- 1959—J. Trela
- 1960—J. Flis
- 1967—T. Walczak
- 1962—J. LaSalle
- 1963—R. Regula
- 1964—T. Zwolinski
- 1965—B. Nied
- 1966—C. Swirski
- 1967—R. Stanczyk
- 1968—J. Opiola
- 1969—G. Silkiewicz

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AWARD — ORATORY

- 1955—R. Campbell
- 1956—R. Passon
- 1957—P. Klint
- 1958—J. Flis
- 1959—J. Flis
- 1960—T. O'Karma
- 1961—T. Walczak
- 1962—M. Fairlie
- 1963—E. Walczak
- 1964—S. Karcewski
- 1965—W. Rydzon
- 1966—R. Stanczyk

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

AWARD — ACHIEVEMENT

- 1962—W. Sabolefski
- 1963—S. Czarnecki
- 1964—W. Brzoska
- 1965—W. Rydzon
- 1966—J. Jurewicz
- 1967—J. Mlynarski
- 1968—R. Stoklosa
- 1969—H. Karsch

THE PASSAGE OF TIME

In days gone by, bodies ill
 Were brought up to the hill
 There, health sprays and soothing
 lotions,
 Mineral Springs and medical po-
 tions
 Restored strength to the weak.

Then war raged over the land;
 The Glen Springs Hotel became
 undermanned.

Empty halls now held memories
 Of former great smenes and par-
 ties

But life goes on . . .

And i na few years, the halls
 (Although they no longer echoed
 of grand balls)

Resounded with the charter of
 many a prudent voice—

The voice of a married Cornell
 student.

But life goes on . . .

And in a few years the halls
 Were again empty of people's
 calls.
 more —

Seemed to shout, "There are
 greater things in store!"

And life goes on . . .

The old Glen Springs Hotel —
 Which perches on the side hill
 Like the Acropolis of Athens —
 Was bought by the Franciscans;
 And Padua was born.

But life goes on . . .

And in a few more years, the
 halls

Will be once more void of calls.
 Soon the sprawling, old, white
 image

Will disappear to nature's rough
 And life will go on . . .

R.S.

The Paduan — 1966

THE MALUSSINA
 THEORY

Twenty years — a new gener-
 ation is upon us. Padua came
 and is now gone. It served a sig-
 nificant purpose as the meeting
 place and the growing space of
 two of the Wesolowski sub-clans.
 The adolescent experience of
 these young men formed the
 backbone of a Learning State
 which is now without a purpose.
 In the beginning Joe Malina,
 Jr. first set foot on the land for
 this unique educational enter-
 prise. Even then he realized that
 behind him stood a long line of
 relaxed young shavers eagerly
 awaiting their chance to walk in
 that sun which often smiled upon
 the rolling foothills of Brooklyn,
 N. Y. He cut a figure in that
 blossoming landscape that stood
 high and brilliant. The trail was
 blazed. Eight more giants will
 scale that hill.

One by one, the challenge was

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AWARD — DRAMA

- 1958—C. Szanowski
- 1959—C. Sek
- 1960—S. Olenski
- 1961—J. Czermak
- 1962—J. Sredinski
- 1963—J. Drexler
- 1964—W. Rydzon
- 1965—V. Bachynski
- 1966—M. Kiefer
- 1967—T. Orczyk
- 1968—W. Porfido
- 1969—G. Silkiewicz

THE END

Padua, as Padua, began in 1949 with the opening of a Minor Seminary and Prep School at the old Glen Springs Hotel in Watkins Glen. A group of students, a group of teachers, and a united spirit of adventure. They were all in it together; they were determined to make it work.

The school progressed and worked very well. A gym was built and athletics prospered. The area watched and gradually accepted its new inhabitants. The years mounted and so did the prestige and respect of Padua. An isolated institution cannot exist, so Padua worked with the world. The world progresses through change; an institution is no different. In order to survive Padua had to change. A new administrative body was incorporated and the dormant institution came to new life.

Padua became a College Prep School. Renovation of the building began with new life. Student involvement within the community was born. Restrictions were replaced by active responsibility. Respect from fear evolved to respect from love. Problems arose, but they seemed surmountable with open minds and patience.

But something was wrong, because Padua is closing. Disagreement arose and minds began to close. Progress was stifled by stagnant traditionalists who looked upon change as some demon. The authoritative eyes looked only to immediates and short range potential. Padua was chosen as the victim and doomed prematurely.

The building will remain, but, Padua as Padua, is dead as of June, 1970. Twenty years doesn't seem too long anymore.

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faced. Successively and successfully each man searched and eventually found his life within the many strains of our American culture. Engineer, Anthropologist and Doctor of Physical Education, Professor of Philosophy, Managerial Consultant, Salesman, Franciscan, Bank Supervisor, Physical Education Student and present Associate Developmental Reading Teacher (budding revolutionary).

These men in order of occupation are:

- Mr. Joseph Malina, Jr. 1949-53
- Mr. Robert Malina 1951-55
- Mr. John Uss, Jr. 1951-55
- Mr. Michael Uss 1955-58
- Mr. Richard Uss 1955-59
- Tomian Uss, OFM 1956-59
- Mr. George Uss 1957-61*
- Mr. Thomas Malina *1962-66
- Mr. Edward Malina 1966-70

Throughout each and every year of Padua's existence, the elusive spirit of the place was formed primarily by this lineage. Undoubtedly the Padua Experiment has proven adequate in all cases. But in the case of the "backbone", it has been remarkably superior. It seems sad that this rich field is being plowed under. We have little cause, however, for tears. With Mr. Ed Malina the "school" concludes its existence because its *raison d'être* is accomplished. The Malussinas have come, have lived, and are now gone. Happily the hill rolls on — the life that sprung up here will give the world a facelift!

As is the case with all human invention, my compelling theory, upon close scrutiny, exhibits a wee flaw. The school year 61-62 was graced by neither a *Mal*, nor an *uss*, nor an *ina*. So now I produce my ace from the hole. (The Wesolowski sub-clans seem to be without limit, right? And so it is!) There so happens to be another sub-clan which wasn't mentioned so far because its name brings dissonance to my Theory's sonorous tone. A policeman and another Engineer are born of the Kaczmareks.

- They are:
- Mr. Andrew Kaczmarek, Jr. 1955-57
 - Mr. James Kaczmarek 1959-63
- There is no more to tell; the evidence is overwhelming. Per-

SCHEDULE A — 1970

- 7:00 Rising
- 7:30 Breakfast
- 8:15 First Period
- 9:00 Second Period
- 9:45 Third Period
- 10:30 Fourth Period
- 11:15 Fifth Period
- 12:05 Lunch
- 1:15 Study Hall
- 2:00 Sixth Period
- 2:45 Seventh Period
- 3:30 End of Classes
- 6:00 Dinner
- 8:00 Study Hall
- 9:35 Lights Out

Last Graduating Class

1970

- M. Arends
- J. Carney
- R. Ciesla
- C. Cronin
- J. Dul
- J. Dul
- S. Fiedor
- P. Flagg
- R. Fusco
- J. Gomiela
- S. Kwasnik
- E. Malina
- T. Manning
- R. Palka
- R. Orzechowski
- A. Pyka
- J. Romelczyk
- J. Rybak
- G. Sipski
- D. Tillman
- T. Turner
- P. Watroba
- P. Widynski
- A. Wolodzko
- A. Yannetta
- M. Zawadzki
- R. Zawoyski
- T. Zjawin

Baseball Team Record

1950 - 1969

	Won	Lost
1950	4	3
1951	4	3
1952	10	2
1953	8	2
1954	8	3
1955	7	4
1956	7	8
1957	3	7
1958	4	8
1959	6	7
1960	4	4
1961	1	10
1962	6	4
1963	6	5
1964	2	11
1965	6	6
1966	7	7
1967	4	9
1968	3	14
1969	4	8
1970	6	6

KESSLER'S
GLEN NEWS ROOM
Watkins Glen, New York

WOODWARD
HARDWARE
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Watkins Glen, New York

haps at another time, in another place the sub-clans will supply the need of their offspring and produce another place of learning and growing. No doubt that will be a good place to be.
An extremely biased historian

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111 W. 4th St.
Watkins Glen, New York

QUEEN CATHERINE
COURT
Watkins Glen, New York

STONE'S DRIVE-IN
RESTAURANT
Across from Post Office

KUHN BROS.
LIQUOR STORE
311 North Franklin St.

JEFFERSON MOTEL
318 Franklin St.
Watkins Glen, New York

COLE & SON
REXALL DRUG STORE
Watkins Glen, N. Y.

LEARN MOTOR CO.
Chrysler - Dodge
502 Franklin St.



Fr. Emil Rakowski, 3rd Rector

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SPORTS

**Basketball Team Record
1950 - 1970**

Since this is a historical issue it's appropriate that some sports history be included. Sports at Padua have always provided the necessary release for the tension, frustration, and assorted other pains amassed in a rigid institution. And besides that, they were fun.

	Won	Lost
1950	13	12
1951	7	11
1952	11	5
1953	10	8
1954	11	6
1955	14	4
1956	12	6
1957	9	9
1958	4	13
1959	8	10
1960	11	6
1961	3	16
1962	5	13
1963	7	11
1964	4	12
1965	2	17
1966	15	3
1967	8	10
1968	12	6
1969	14	4
1970	4	13

Soccer —

Through the Years

	W	L	T
1950	0	2	0
1951	0	3	0
1952	1	2	1
1954	4	2	0
1955	1	2	0
1956	1	3	1
1957	4	2	2
1958	9	1	0
1959	5	5	2
1960	3	5	1
1961	4	7	0
1962	1	7	0
1963	1	9	0
1964	No Team		
1965	3	5	1
1966	2	9	1
1967	1	10	1
1968	3	7	0
1969	4	3	3
1970	4	4	3

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