

# ACTIVITIES





## ELECTION '78



Sitting at our lockers during lunch, we were suddenly hit with the blaring sounds of trumpets, and loud cheering of "Vote Ada".

The school spirit was better than ever this year as posters, enthusiasm and excitement filled the corridors. Finally, the day arrived, Thursday, September 29. Each candidate for the Student Council filled the gym with campaign speeches and promises of school dances, radio Wagar, E.C.A. . . .

The following students stood as candidates for three major council offices: president - B.J. Bonder, Stephen Yip, Ada Morris; first vice-president - Ian Schrier, Crayne Spanier; second vice-president - Allan Feldman, Johnny Kaufman and Michael Salonin. Congratulations are due to: B.J. Bonder, Ian Schrier and Alan Feldman. Also, congratulations are due to Stephen Yip and Alan Feldman for their participation in Central Student Council as president and vice-president respectively.

We know that this year's student council brought to Wagar many new ideas and a lot of spirit.

Anna Yaphe and Malvina Klag

## THE STUDENT COUNCIL

Top: E. Rubin, R. Libman, B. Klaiman, B. Nathanson, S. Greenwald, M. Chaimberg, H. Mendelsohn. 3rd: A. Cherna, K. Litvack, L. Herzeg, D. Lechter, B. Peters, R. Zipper, J. Lechter, Mr. Feigen 2nd: H. Coleman, L. Mezliak, R. Margolese, P. Nitkin, L. Bonder, M. Klinger, E. Rubenstein, B. Hubscher. 1st: R. Kligman, I. Shrier, Vice-Pres.; B.J. Bonder, Pres.; H. Rosen, A. Feldman, 2nd Vice-Pres.; N. Rappaport.



# A WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT

I can say, without hesitation, that the Wagar Student Council was successful this year in putting a little bit of extra life into our school day. Starting with Greasers' Day, Wagar was entertained with an ice-cream sandwich eating contest; as well as a Winter Carnival that included a mime group, a band concert, a gong show, a pie day, and a ski trip. We had sock hops, dances, theme days, Radio Wagar, and so on.

The Student Council was also active in many other phases of operation. These included: looking for the grade tens' and elevens' lost privileges, investigating complaints that had been overlooked at the office, working for school jackets, acting as representatives for students with petitions to present, throwing a Christmas party for Lorne School, sending reps to Parent Committee and Central Student Council meetings, writing letters to the city asking why Parkhaven Avenue was always cleaned last, finding out why the school was so cold, and even why the water fountains remained without handles again this year.

Many people were involved and this remains our greatest achievement. Thanks are due to everyone: my fellow executive members, the committee chairpersons, and my teachers who just nodded when I came in late. Very special thanks are due to our advisor, Mr. Feigen, who did not stop working for a minute. The Student Council would like to thank him for such things as: bargaining with Dr. deGroot for a bigger share of the activity fee, shopping for our sound system, and the numerous ideas and suggestions he had that helped us in our endeavours when things went wrong at the last minute. The co-operation we received from the administration, the office staff, and the teachers was fantastic!

After each event, especially those at the beginning of the year, hundreds of Wagarites - both students and teachers alike approached us to say, "We needed something like this." It is these people that I would like to thank the most, for their encouragement made it all worthwhile. Wagar's school spirit lives on.

Barry (B. J.) Bonder  
President  
Wagar Student Council 1977-78



## GRADUATING CLASS ORGANIZATION

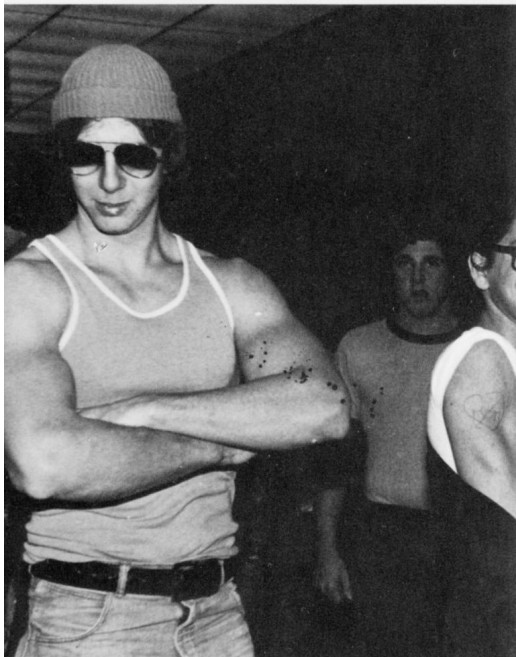
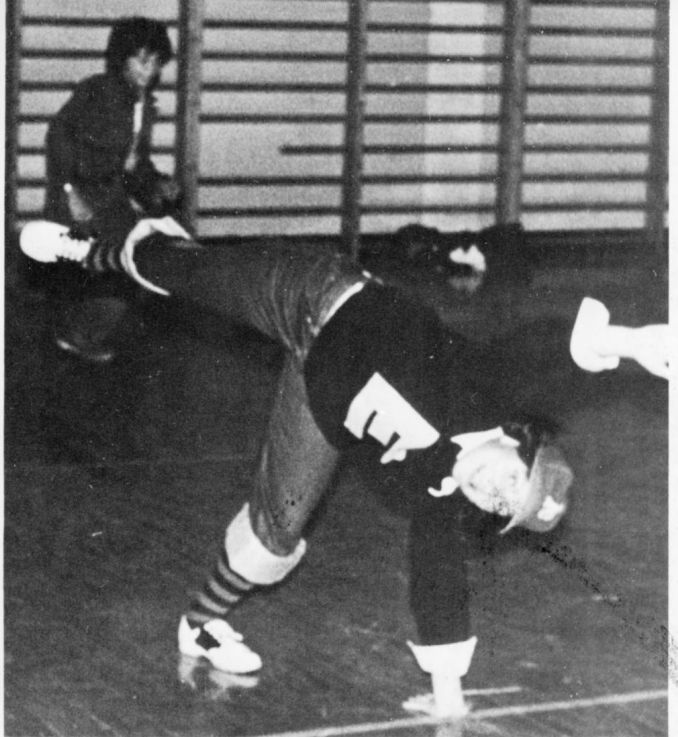
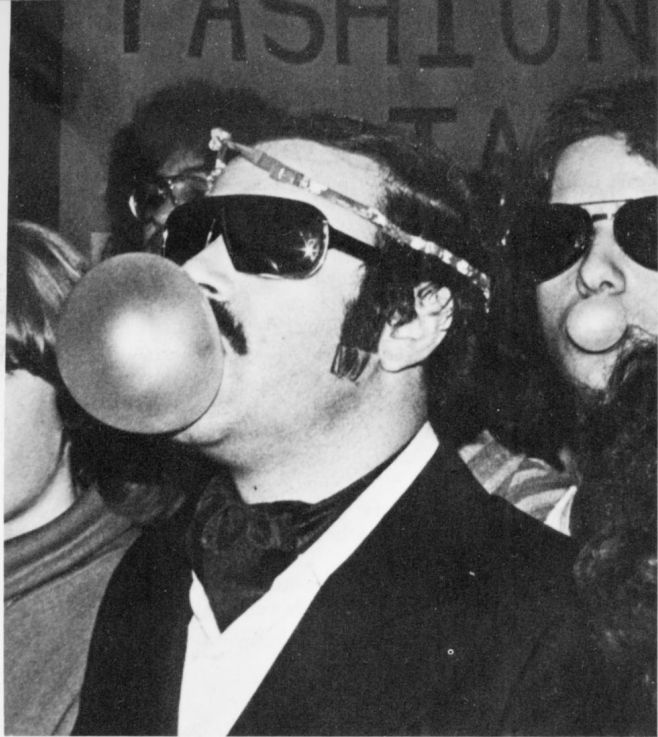
Top: J. Lebofsky, C. Soroka, B. Nathanson, A. Herf, R. Shaffer, T. Groper, D. Haberman, S. Greenbaum, C. Roth, B. Klaiman, D. Arbess, Ms. P. Adams. 2nd: G. Tissenbaum, D. Schwartz, S. Segal, H. Herszkowicz, T. Eisenberg, D. Besnos, M. Yampolsky, J. Milstein, L. Steinberg, N. Borenstein. 1st: M. Segal, S. Lecker, S. Margolese, D. Lechter, S. Kravitz, D. Levine. Abs.: S. Greenwald, M. Keller, L. Laxer, A. Morris, A. Sosnow, S. Stos-sel.



## SOCIAL — ACTIVITY COMMITTEE

L. Rubenstein, M. Klinger, H. Lis, A. Morris, D. Lechter, B. Gorden, D. Maverman, B. Klaiman, W. Solomon, S. Chinoff, E. Pila, J. Lechter, P. Nitkin.  
Absent: A. Feldman, B. J. Bonder.





## GREASER'S DAY

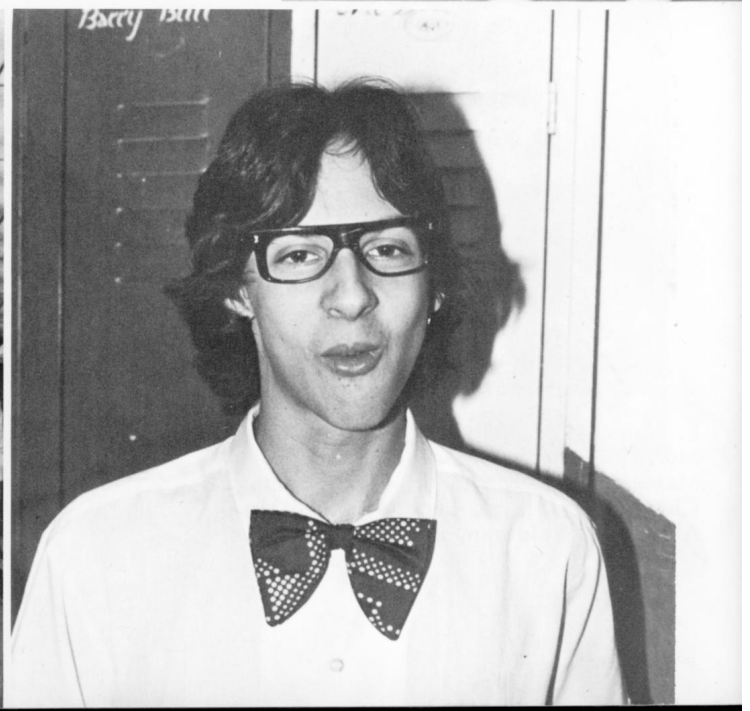
Greaser's Day was really great  
 November tenth was the date,  
 It turned out to be a real success  
 For so many people decided to dress.

Pony tails and pleated skirts  
 Greasy hair and white T-shirts,  
 Leather jackets and tight fitting pants  
 Were what we wore to the sock-hop dance.

Bubble Yum was what we chewed  
 To help us all get in the mood.

Everyone participated in his own way  
 And it turned out to be a really groovy day.

Ada Morris





Wagar's second annual fashion-talent show was a great success. Nine Wagarites modelled the exciting new fashions, ranging from lingerie to evening wear with a professional flair.

As well, a wide range of talents was displayed by some of Wagar's gifted students; jazz dancers, singers and a talking dog act, to name but a few. A wonderful variety of door prizes were handed out at intervals to break up the routine of fashion sets, talents and the M.C.'s jokes.

The show was organized and co-ordinated by Miss C. Irigo, willingly assisted by all the students involved. The auditorium was packed. Judging by the applause throughout, the show was clearly a hit.

Debbie Lechter and Ada Morris



#### MALE BEAUTY PAGEANT

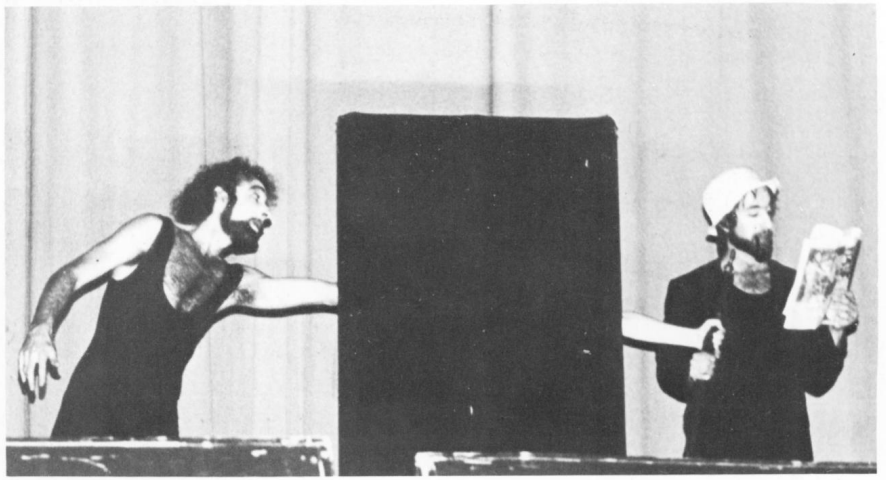
There once was a group of young guys  
 Who wanted a more feminine guise  
 So they dressed up like girls  
 And wore curlers and pearls  
 And competed for the "number 1" prize.

They sang and they danced  
 And they stripped and they pranced  
 And they answered most difficult questions  
 Till the moment of climax finally came  
 Most beautiful male - Lee Lackman his name.

So, in conclusion, without a doubt,  
 Farrah Fawcett, eat your heart out.

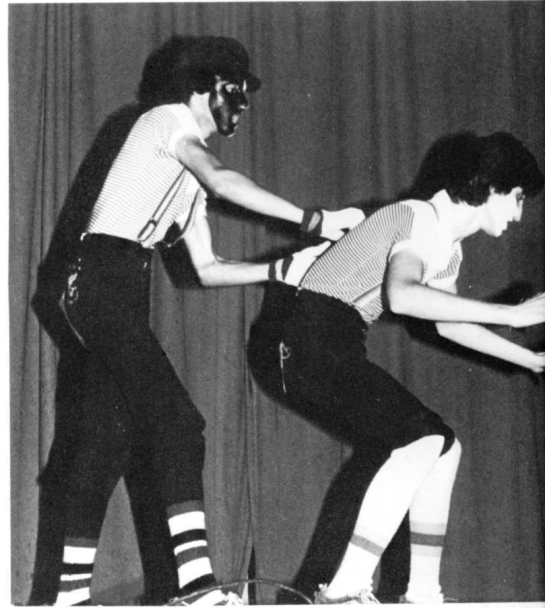
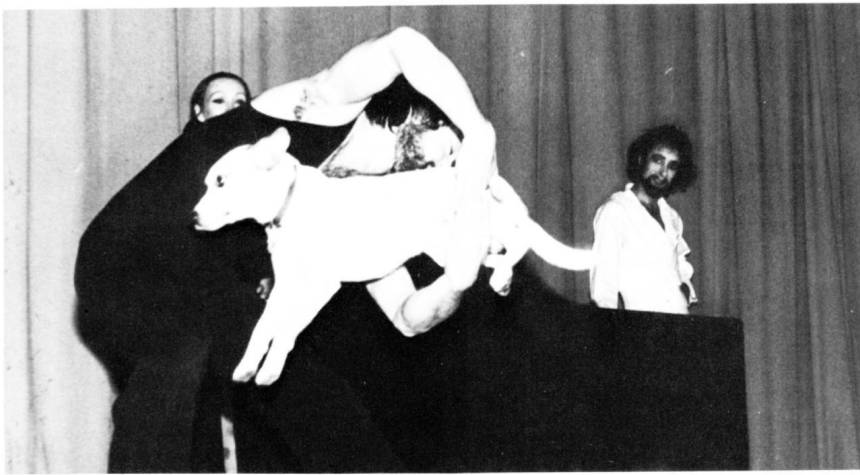


Malvina Klag



WINTER CARNAVAL COMMITTEE  
 Chuckles, I. Shrier,  
 2 Stowaways, R. Libman,  
 I. Miller, Co-Chairman;  
 J. Green, B.J. Bonder,  
 B. Gordon, A. Feldman,  
 M. Merowitz, B. Laurie.  
 Abs.: C. Ness, J. Lebofsky,  
 L. Mazliach, R. Margoleze,  
 A. Cherna, Co-Chairman.





The 1978 Wagar Winter Carnival was kicked off with "Pie Day" and Wagar "Riot Police" proceeded to make purges on all homerooms, and buttonless people ended up with a sticky situation on their hands (and faces).

Monday, the 13th was the luck day for "Dr. Funk and his Munks" who won the first prize in the "Gong Show". The 3 judges, Mr. Levine, Mrs. Rodriguez, Mr. Ioannou, and the audience of almost half the school were entertained by the wacky antics of acts such as: the "Stoned Ranger", "The Jewish American Punks", and the "Coneheads" featuring "Evil Conevil". Along with the water bombs and egg fights, we also had some serious entertainment like gymnastics act, the band "Law and Order" and the winning disco dancers. The M.C., Freddy Leber cracked a good number of jokes.

On Tuesday, we had a Valentine's Day Sock Hop and lunch hour was extended for the purpose. Later, "The Paul Gaulin Mime Co." put on a truly amazing performance. Wagar gave them a standing ovation.

At lunch hour on Wednesday, the "First Annual Big Mac Eating Contest" took place. Lee Lackman was declared the winner and was awarded dance tickets. After school, the excellent musicianship of Steven Cape, Jack Flexer, and "Thoroughbred" raised the spirits of Wagarites who had just received their reports.

On Friday, 3 bus loads arrived at Mt. Sutton. Sutton was ready with lots of snow, lots of sun and CKGM on the P.A. Saturday's dance featured the disco-rock sounds of "Chameleon".

Throughout the week, we had "Radio Wagar" done by local D.J.'s. We'd like to give special thanks to "Disco Dynamics" for doing the sock hop. The carnival couldn't have been a success without the hard work of many people. Thanks in particular to: Barry, Mr. Feigen, Mr. Armstrong, Mr. Chuprun, Mr. McEwen, and the office staff. We'd also like to thank our teachers for letting us come late and leave early. In closing, we'd like to offer our deepest sympathies to the families of the Riot Police lost in action on "Pie Day".

Andrew Cherna and Ian Miller



## SENIOR BAND



## MUSIC MAKERS

Wagar's 77-78 Bands had a most exciting year. With 166 students, it was at its all time high.

The busy season began with the bands playing at last year's graduation ceremony. Then, a Chanukah concert was held in the Cavendish Mall, celebrating the opening of a Can. Zionist Youth Fed. headquarters there. Next came a band exchange with Beaconsfield High. The bands played a powerful performance at the Xmas concert. A benefit performance was given at Wagar's Xmas party for the underprivileged children of Lorne School. Concerts were given at the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, rest homes and feeder schools. Probably, the most memorable experience shared by the band members was the exchange with Hewlitt High of Long Island, N. Y. It proved to be an exciting venture, both culturally and educationally.

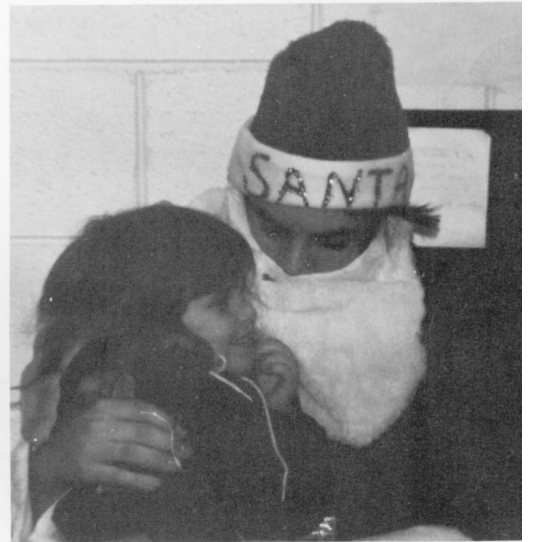
However, not all band activities were musical. Fundraising projects were devised to help purchase band shirts and to defray the cost of trips. They included the sales of cookies, coffee, raffles, Premiere books, bottle drives and car washes. The bands' spirit was not only reflected in fund raising, but in performances also. Looking forward, it can be expected that the 78-79 season will be just as exciting.

Lynn Herzeg

## JAZZ BAND









## AQUARIUM CLUB

Top: M. Fagan, C. Soroka, Mr. A. Levine, C. Moss, D. Chalk. 2nd: N. Rabinovitch, A. Klag, P. Nadler, J. Titelbaum, S. Saxe, A. Schetritt.

## AERODYNAMICS CLUB

Top: J. Green, Chancellor; M. Chaimberg, Baron; T. Kronick, Hostess; E. Anderson, Moron; S. Davis, King; G. Rubinsky, Ace Pilot; C. Katz, Dictator. 2nd: I Shrier, Head; J. "Wings" Lebofsky.



## PROJECTION CREW

Top: J. Barkun, A. Cherna, M. Levine, L. Lecker, S. Goldman. 2nd: P. Nadler, M. Takefman, L. Freedman, W. Raschkowan, M. Salonin.



## LIGHTING CREW

Top: L. Lecker, M. Levine, J. Barkun.  
2nd: P. Nadler, M. Lash, M. Salonin,  
M. Takefman.

## PING-PONG CLUB

Top: G. Harroch, P. Sarkadi, C. Ben-  
abou. 2nd: S. Feidelberg, ?, D. Ruby.  
Absent: H. Lom, R. Green.



## AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

Top: Mr. Hodgson, H. Ozdoba, B.  
Kahn, S. Yip, A. Wong, L. Ruben-  
stein. 2nd: L. Babins, E. Wasser, J.  
Fried, Y. Loran.





M. Fagan, H. Zeira, C. Soroka, Y. Loran, B. Laurie, M. Ginter, D. Theodore, R. Seroussi, A. Morris. Absent: K. Spevack, P. Loomer.

## THE WAGAR LION

The staff of this year's newspaper, "The Lion", has worked hard to produce an excellent paper. "The Lion" consists mainly of free lance writing and other contributions submitted by the students. However, the lack of response and enthusiasm from the students of Wagar was a great disappointment. It showed clearly the apathy that prevailed over the past few years of inactivity.

In the years to come, we hope that the student body of Wagar will begin to appreciate the importance of having a school newspaper. It informs students of current events, as well as, the happenings of their school. By presenting a variety of interesting topics and by expressing student feelings and opinions, it brings a welcomed change in a long year of study.

Despite the demanding and often hectic school day, the dedicated Lion staff was successful in publishing the paper. We would like to give our thanks to all those who spent the time and contributed to the makings of "The Lion", especially to our advisor, Mrs. Norman, for her ideas and inspiration.

Yaniv Loran