

#### **MUSIC**



Back row (1 to r): B. Sher, E. Lapin, H. Bock, J. Cohen, S. Schwartz, M. Mauer, B. Belzberg, B. Fried, S. Corber, D. Bernstein, D. Caplan, M. Cooper, M. Chaimberg; Middle row (1 to r): S. Kaufman, J. Lupovitch, V. Greenberg, L. Brenner, E. Schucheim, M. Ostroff, M. Wiseman, F. Krelenbaum, L. Ruttenberg, D. Kerner, B. Olshansky, R. Mond, F. Mendelzys, L. Cohen, C. Linder; Front row (1 to r): T. Posternak, P. Glazer, M. Gerson, S. Gore, M. Kitner, Mr. Pellow (Teacher), D. Horovitz, M. Creachman, R. Berlin, M. Chmielarz, J. Rapkin, H. Sheffer, P. Katz.



JUNIOR BAND

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The Junior Band performed at the Christmas and Spring Concerts. Next year a string program will be introduced and it is hoped that it will be as successful as the bands have been in the past.



Bottom row (l to r): J. Rendall, K. Rubin, A. Weinstein, N. Rich, D. Kahlenberg, Mr. Pellow, S. Jacobson, H. Wagner, L. Frank, P. Zellowitz, R. Halporn, A. Rosen; Middle row (l to r): R. Legassic, E. Gordon, E. Hantin, C. Greenspan, E. Tratenberg, S. Fleichman, E. Ivry, S. Tabatchnick, S. Futterman, A. Sheres, J. Goldberg, G. Susser; Top row (l to r): G. Berish, H. Powell, D. Spiegal, M. Ravitsky, R. Levy, J. Goodman, M. Buchfuhrer, B. Lipsin, R. Stein, A. Cohen, D. Kaufman.

#### INTERMEDIATE BAND





Bottom row (1 to r): J. Bazerman, L. Lerner; Second row (1 to r): B. Sulsky, P. Simkover, M. Cass, A. Charness, Mr. Pellow (Band Leader), J. Levitt, Yona Berkowitz, B. Kaenel, T. Finesilver, E. Wagner, H. Leiberman; Third row (1 to r): H. Berkowitz, E. Harris, B. Kitai, C. Fainer, A. Siminovitch, L. Burke, E. Ornstein, R. Pitkevitch, J. Abrams, G. Labow, F. Schwartz, T. Fridhandler, D. Soroka, S. Zucler.

Grade nine students made up the Intermediate Band. They entertained us as the Christmas and Spring Concerts, and at assemblies. They also went on a concert tour and performed at two elementary schools and a high school in Chateguay. They entered the Kiwanis Club Festival in April.

The Senior Band consisted of grade ten and eleven students. They played at the Christmas Concert and at assemblies.



## **SENIOR BAND**

Bottom row (1 to r): E. Mintzberg, M. Borenstein, D. Astroff, R. Cohen, M. Gomberg, Mr. Pellow, J. Levitt, A. Drabinsky, B. Kaenel, B. Sourkes, R. Libman; Second row (1 to r): M. Goldberg, L. Batist, L. Stein, H. Freid, D. Sacks, I. Gutmann, D. Labow, G. Labow, E. Schwartz, T. Finesilver, J. Morris; Third row (1 to r): J. Henderson, H. Berkowitz, H. Solomon, M. Silverstein, C. Kitner, J. Richler, R. Davine, S. Wotickey, A. Wolfe, E. Herscovitch, B. Stanley.

#### **DRAMA**

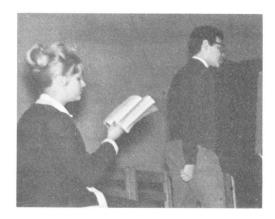


Back row (1 to r): G. Levine, R. Greenberg, H. Schildkraut, J. Schildkraut, M. Vesley, H. Barza, E. Shoub, D. Aronovitch, T. Messer, S. Stein; Middle row (1 to r): P. Malewski, H. Hess, P. Hazen, G. Entis, J. Rich, C. Steinfeld, P. Baker, B. Fish, B. Goldstein; Front row (1 to r): H. Kaplan, L. Margolies, F. Schneider, Miss Cooperberg, D. Rubin, B. Pokorski, N. Abracen.

This year the play was produced by the Drama Society in April. It was *The Male Animal* by James Thurber and Elliott Nuget. Miss Cooperburg directed the play, and was assisted by Mr. Garbutt and Miss Kates. The budding young actors and actresses were in order of appearance:

| Barbara Fish             | Cleota                  |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Lonni Margolies          | Ellen Turner            |
| Eric Shoub               |                         |
| Paula Baker              | Patricia Stanley        |
| Tom Messer               | Wally Myers             |
| Mike Frankel             | Dean Frederick Damon    |
| Sam Stein                | Michael Barnes          |
| Julius Suss              | Joe Ferguson            |
| Naomi Abracen            | Mrs. Blanche Damon      |
| Jimmy Merson             | Ed Keller               |
| Faye Schneider           | Myrtle Keller           |
| David Aronovitch "Nutsy" | Miller and the Reporter |

The make-up crew was headed by Miss Irgo, Pattie Hazen, and Heidi Hess. The stage crew consisted of Morris Vesley, Jacob Shildkraut, Hymie Shildkraut, Teddy Granofsky, and Richard Greenberg.







The Wagar Watch this year moved into its third successful year of operation. As was the case in 1965, our official school newspaper was professionally printed.

Always fair and objective within the bounds of journalistic definition, the Wagar Watch strove to create healthy discussion in the firm belief that a thinking student is a better student.

From satirical reviews to federal politics, the Wagar Watch offered the reader a varied spectrum of entertainment.

Under the capable supervision of Miss Bidner, all those who were actively concerned with the school

newspaper felt a sense of pride and achievement when each edition "hit the stands."

As is the case with other student functions, only a few pupils participated in earnest.

The Wagar Watch was one of the most active members in the United High School Press, an organization set up for the betterment of school newspapers. The Watch was pleased to enter the second annual UHSP "Best Newspaper" contest.

It is hoped that the future will bring with it as successful ventures into the exciting field of journalism as the 1966 Wagar Watch did.



Back row (l to r): E. Lovenson, M. Presser, S. Mintzberg, E. Shoub, M. Ostroff, B. Singer, D. Blitz, E. Sloane; Front row (l to r): B. Stanley, R. Libman, J. Hamori, Miss Bidner, A. Hilton, S. Herschorn, E. Schwartz.

#### ANNUAL REPS



Third row (1 to r): R. Soloman, R. Weisbloom, S. Aronson, S. Feder, G. Shapiro, B. Belzberg, A. Rosemarin, K. Waxman, M. Rubin, D. Cohen, L. Breger, B. Corber, A. Millnicki, D. Govan, M. Rosefeld; Second row (1 to r): M. Margolese, G. Gandell, E. Schwartz, J. Margolis, S. Fleischer, S. Segal, F. Krelenbaum, R. Friedman, D. Black, G. Dolansky, B. Waxman, S. Cinnamon, S. Wise; First row (1 to r): F. Heller, R. Habercorn, S. Silverberg, S. Soyka, D. Leibovitch, R. Miller, Mrs. Schrier, L. Stein, C. Dolan, E. Shatenstein, H. Walters, L. Silverstein; Absent: K. Goodis.

# STUDENTS' COUNCIL



Richard Arfin Secretary



Susan Cheifetz Vice-President



Harvey Mayne President



Julius Suss Co-ordinator



Marc Gold Treasurer

This year Wagar witnessed the creation of a most efficient and responsible Students' Council. Success was achieved to a high degree, paving the way for broader horizons of future Wagar Students' Councils Strong school spirit, just beginning to set in solidly at Wagar, was a prime factor in helping this council succeed as it did. Following the rules of parliamentary procedure, the meetings were made interesting and much vigorous discussion was prompted.

The functions of committees and committee chairmen balanced the power of the council evenly, as well as making it more responsible to the student body. The Social Committee organized sock hops which were scheduled twice a month. Also, it arranged and sponsored the Bond Bash in January. This dance was probably the best attended social event in the history of Wagar. The Inter-School Functions Com-

mittee also developed broader relationships for Wagar with other high schools. The Constitution Commission, a small but very valuable part of the Council also fulfilled its duty. Its function was to correct or adjust the Constitution for ratification before the council, in this way bettering the student government. Having fresh, new ideas branching from this commission, the Council passed important amendments. Finally, at the end of the year, a solid and thorough Constitution had been evolved.

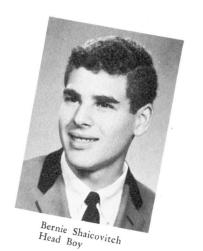
This year the Students' Council of Wagar High School, led by Harvey Mayne, fulfilled its position in fine form. As the focus for all school activities it was a dynamic illustration of how effective a student government can be. So to the future "Wagarite Councils" . . . FORWARD!



Back row (l to r): B. Live, S. Rudick, S. Rosenbloom, I. Sonnabend, A. Rosemarin, J. Kuglemass, H. Barza, G. Grinstein, B. Shaicovitch, M. Yersovitz, E. Slone, A. Gossack, M. Morein, A. Solomon, A. Lipson, A. Rosenzveig, P. Wittes, E. Lapin, B. Katz, A. Sheres, Miss Elliot, Mr. Mann; Middle row (l to r): Mr. Herman, R. Jacobvitch, N. Choran, H. Wolfe, V. Fazekas, M. Slabotsky, D. Speigal, L. Goldstein, J. Schildkraut, M. Black, A. Rebick, A. Hilton, A. Pervin, L. Miller, J. Rich, B. Katz, H. Hershman, G. Strulovitch, E. Cohen, B. Glait, M. Yas; Front row (l to r): H. Wener, B. Fish, L. Bochler, E. Axler, A. Zukernick, L. Wexler, R. Arfin, J. Suss, S. Cheifetz, H. Mayne, M. Gold, E. Ornstein, D. Lion, S. Blaichman, R. Chawkin, S. Miller, S. Pockrass.



# PREFECT BOARD 1965-1966



The prefects this year were students from grades nine, ten, and eleven, who were chosen by their fellow classmates, approved by their teachers, and accepted by the administration. There forty-five students, under the understanding direction of Mr. Goodwin, and with the leadership of Lynn Miller and Bernie Shaicovitch, carried out the many duties and

This year prefects initiated new areas of duty. Besides the established supervision of halls and acting as Wagar's guides and ushers at school functions, they supervised the cafeteria. In their endeavour to help the student body and the administration as much as

responsibilities undertaken when they became prefects.

possible, a "Lost and Found" counter was set up and run by the prefects. They also took care of the late desk and the absentee lists.

The Prefect Board provides an opportunity to develop the necessary qualities that are part of a leader. As leaders, the prefects maintained a high level of behaviour, and set an example for the students to follow. As well, they carried out their duties efficiently and effectively.

With the guidance of Mr. Goodwin, and with the co-operation of the teachers and students, the Prefects were able to make a success of their many endeavours.



Back row (l to r): J Schildkraut, L. Zimmering, B. Dubin, C. Kitner, D. Tarosofsky, G. Dougall, G. Engelberg, J. Kuglemass, S. Cymet, N. Starr, S. Tirer, B. Katsof, M. Prazoff, M. Slabotsky; Middle row (l to r) B. Stanley, E. Abramovitch, M. Cass, H. Wener, C. Malkin, R. Libman, V. Fazekas, R. Rapowski, C. Chazan, M. Schaefer, B. Gaiptman, E. Mintzberg, E. Brock, S. Miller, A. Taylor; Front row (l to r) P. Barrow, C. Fainer, D. Astroff, E. Schneiderman, J. Bloomberg, V. Zicherman, L. Miller (H.P.), Mr. H. Goodman (V.P.), B. Shaicovitch (H.P.), S. Schaefer, G. Habow, D. Sacks, A. Osher.



## THE JUNIOR RED CROSS



Jacob Schildkraut

Anna Fishman President

This year, Wagar again has proved itself by participating in Red Cross activities.

Servicewise students served as volunteers in two hospitals, the Julius Richardson Convalescent Home and the Maimonidies Home for the Aged. Food and clothing were collected for needy families and various visits to hospitals and orphanages were made.

Fund raising was again successful. Movies, sales drives, and student-teacher competitions brought in a great deal of money. Calendars were sold and a contribution was made to the Philippines Disaster

Fund. The school also participated in the national Stamp Out Hunger Campaign. The Red Cross Council donated two books to the school library. These books concerned the history and activities of the Red Cross. They are: A Memory of Solferino by Henri Dunant and To All Men by Mackenzie Porter.

Both the executive and the council are deeply grateful to the teacher sponsors, Mrs. Rillie and Miss Forbes, who were always ready and willing to assist.

It would like to express its best wishes to the graduates. Best wishes go always to next year's Red Cross Council and executive.



Back row (1 to r): J. Boyaner, L. Krolik, D. Friedman, M. Fishman, J. Ditkovsky, S. Nudelman, D. Aronovitch, F. Litwin, S. Saunders, G. Godfrey, D. Tarasofsky, S. Schneiderman, M. Floman, I. Kessler, G. Perlman, R. Migikovsky, N. Broodney, M. Frankel; Middle row (1 to r): S. Fogel, F. Eichenbaum, I. Gutman, H. Hess, T. Akman, S. Boyer, G. Sherman, S. Keller, S. Weinstein, S. Apple, D. Weinstein, D. Alexander, M. Grandt, P. Weitzman, R. Gold, S. Birch; First row (1 to r): M. Cass, B. Kamel, J. Morris, R. Michael, Miss Forbes (Advisor), J. Schildkraut (V.P.), A. Fishman (President), R. Davine (Treas.), P. Wittes (Secr.), Mrs. Rillie (Advisor), M. Levinstone, R. Cohen, K. Lieber, D. Irlicht.

#### SKI CLUB



Back row (1 to r): I.. Goldstein, M. Cossever, C. Novak, A. Rebick.



C. B. C. YOUTH COUNCIL



Eric Slone

Edie Schneiderman

The C.B.C. Youth Council serves as an effective link between Canada's great communications network and the youth of today.

At its bi-monthly meetings, much time is spent discussing and criticizing such C.B.C. television shows as "Reach for the Top", "The New Generation" "Teen '66" and many more. At each meeting there is a distinguished guest speaker who discusses some interesting aspect of communications.

Each year the Council plans a major project to raise money for scholarships to be awarded to those councillors who have prepared and delivered the best oral theses. This year, a large and most successful dance was held

Most important, the Council is a medium through which the members may think and voice their opinions. The C.B.C. realizes that the youth of today are the leaders of tomorrow.

#### EATON'S JUNIOR COUNCIL

In the year 1946, the Eaton's Junior Council was created. Each school would send a boy and girl from grade eleven to represent it at the Council's meetings. This year there are 57 girls, who are called Junior Councillors, and 57 boys, who are called Junior Executives.

Its main objective is to bring about a better understanding of the business and professional world through a carefully planned program of speakers and tours. Furthermore it tries to weld the gap between religion, culture, and language of different creeds. By working together as a team each individual developes poise, personality, a sense of responsibility, and a degree of maturity.

Students are chosen during their tenth grade to represent their school in their final year. They must be a popular choice among their fellow students. These names are then submitted to the Principal for

consideration. He selects three candidates who are interviewed by the council advisors. The Junior Councillor, or Executive, must also possess such qualities. as a high academic standing, a well-rounded personality, participation in extra curricular activities, and general leadership.

Each member is given a navy blue blazer with identifying pin and crest. The boys wear a Junior Executive tie as well. These articles are kept by each, and the cost for them is nil.

The meetings start at 9:00 a.m. every Saturday morning, and last until noon, when the councillors are paid. A Saturday is spent in listening to a speaker, or on a tour, or by planning parties. The afternoon is free to allow the councillors to do as they like. Most of the parties and tours are paid by Eaton's.

To add to the interest there are various contests among the councillors, such as a speaking contest,



Alice Herzog

a baking contest, and the best scrapbook contest.

As in past years the Junior Council undertakes community projects. In December this group decorated the Children's Hospital, and put on a variety show for the Rehabilitation Center of Montreal.

The Eaton company offers special services such as printing, records, and music to the schools, free of charge, through the Eaton's Junior Council.



Eric Shoub

#### LE CERCLE FRANCAIS

Le 'Cercle Français', bien qu'il ait commencé tard, est bientôt devenu un sucès à cause du grand nombre d'éléves qui ont démontré un intérêt à la langue française. Le but du "Cercle" était d'étudier les oeuvres littéraires, les coûtumes, et les divertissements de nos amis français, ainsi que leur langue. Nous y avons réussi, en allant au cinéma et au théâtre, en visitant

des régions françaises, et en écoutant des chansons en cette langue. Il y avait des discussions formidables sur toutes sortes de choses, et des orateurs français nour ont fait d'intéressants discours. A tout prendre, les membres du "Cercle Français" ont bien joui de cette reine des langues.



CERCLE FRANCAIS EXECUTIVE

Back row (1 to r): A. Rosenzveig, W. Shapiro, Mrs. Sacks (Advisor), J. Hamori, D. Tanny, L. Cohene; Front row (1 to r): D. Berku, K. Futornick, A. Rosemarin.

#### **FOLK-SINGING CLUB**



J. Suss-President. Mr. Pellow-Advisor.

The folk-singing club was an organization with a very large following. It ran a successful hootenanny and more importantly gave the school's folk-nuts a chance to entertain each other once a week.

#### **CHESS CLUB**

Back row (1 to r): P. Rubinovitch, M. Rosenfield, B. Povitz, D. Greenspoon, G. Engleberg, S. Leve, L. Jacobson, C. Tannebaum; Front row (1 to r): S. Rudick, G. Hollinger, M. Ostroff, Mr. Koncevitch (advisor), R. Matyas, P. Drobetsky, S. Flamer





#### **CAMERA CLUB**

Back row (1 to r): R. Lecker, D. Speigel, M. Black, S. Tirer, G. Dougall, A. Richter, M. Shostack, H. Goodman, M. Mintzberg, M. Singer; Front row (1 to r): R. Finklestein, R. Weisbloom, P. Slater, S. Fleischer, Mr. Elmoznino, B. Singer, J. Kuglemass, D. Lang.

### ENGINEERING CLUB

Back row (1 to r): L. Elisoff, M. Black, S. Sanders, G. Torok, G. Goodin, P. Slater, B. Povitz; Front row (1 to r): A. Neuman, J. Schildkraut, H. Hess, Mr. Harper, J. Abramson, H. Baron.



#### CANADA DAY AND MODEL PARLIAMENT

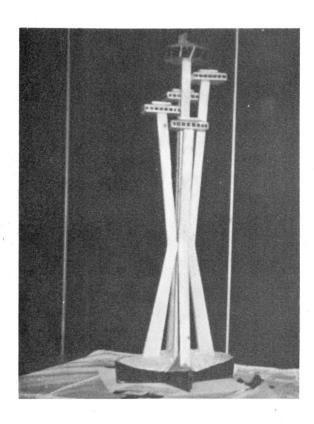
The object of the Model Parliament was to familiarize the grade ten students with Canadian politics and government institutions. However, this year the format was changed, and instead of a Model Parliament a "Canada Day" was held.

"Canada Day" was planned through the hard efforts of Sylvia Soyka, Yvonne Steinert, Marc Gold, Cary Kitner, and made its appearance February 24. This dry run for Canada's centennial consisted of an assembly, a movie, and exhibits. The assembly took place in the morning of February 24. There was a guest speaker (Mr. J. B. Kelly) from Expo '67, while Rosenfeld, Mark Gersowitz, Jerry Spiegel and Max Wolport presented a view of Canada's problems.

Immediately after the assembly the grade tens moved to the audio visual room to see the movie "A Visit to a Foreign Country".

In addition to the assembly and film, a number of exhibits were presented. The exhibits were produced by the various clubs within the school, or were donated, as from the Canadian Handicraft Guild, Expo '67 and Air Canada.

The purpose of Canada Day was to attempt to instill more national feeling in the students, and to make them aware of the upcoming year—one which will greatly affect Canada as a country. If this year's project at Wagar is a success, there will be a good chance of having a folk festival at the school next year.



Our Expo' Tower



S. Mintzberg (Deputy Opposition Leader), A. Rosenzveig (Opposition Leader), Bernie Shaicovitch (Prime Minister), Allan Hilton (Deputy Leader).



Les Habitants on the volleyball court.



Canadian apathy?

#### **CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS**

Extra-curricular activities are of tremendous importance to the students, as they provide a relief from his school work. Apart from the fact that being active in a school organization stimulates new interests for the students, it also enables him to return home with a clear head with which to study.

This year at Wagar about ninety percent of the student body participated in an after-school program, the greater part of this group taking part in one of the existing organizations.

The active clubs and organizations include:

The Student Council—it provides a liaison between the student body and the staff members. It also sponsors most of the school's activities.

The Junior Red Cross—it sponsors money-raising activities such as movies, fudge sales, car washes, and shoe shines, to help the crippled and needy.

The Wagar Watch—Our school newspaper is published every two months and keeps the students informed of school activities.

The Prelude—The school annual records the early history of the school so that we can have something to remember

Wagar by in the future.

The Chess Club—It meets weekly to engage in games of chess.

The Ski Club—It organizes trips to the Laurentians on week-ends.

The Folk Singing Club—Students meet weekly to blend their voices in harmony, with accompanying guitars. The club also sponsors hootenanies during the course of the year. The Current Events Club—Members discuss history in the making and often show movies of world happenings.

The Cercle Francais—The participants watch French movies and sing and talk in French. The obvious purpose is to learn French, the other is to have fun.

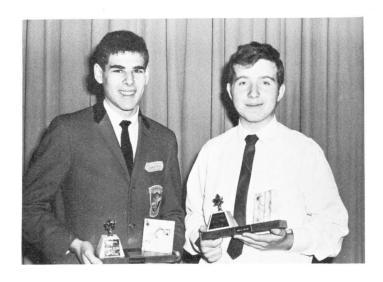
The Cheerleaders—These girls lead and stimulate the crowds of Wagarites who cheer at football and basketball games.

Architectural and Engineering Club—the members acquire added knowledge about this field and, using it, create a project.

The Camera Club—Its purpose is to study photography by taking pictures.

The Drama Society—The play year was "The Male Animal".

#### **PUBLIC SPEAKING & DEBATING**



L to R: B. Shaicovitch, H. Mayne. Lion's Club Debating Award champions. (1965.)



Elaine Labow Public Speaking Winner

This year Wagar has offered two public speaking contests open to Senior Students, one sponsored by B'nai Brith and a second by McGill Women's Alumnae Society.

The B'nai Brith offered our two representatives, Rhea Abrams and Harvey Mayne, a chance to compete with thirteen other schools. Harvey went on to compete in the finals.

Ellen Mintzberg represented Wagar High in the

McGill Women's Alumnae Public Speaking Contest, which involved twenty-eight schools.

Grade eleven had no inter-class debating but did enter Harvey Mayne, Allan Rosensweig, Larry Goldstein and Allan Hilton in the McGill debating.

Both debating and public speaking, which offer an excellent chance for the students to express themselves, were handled by Mrs. Dow and the English staff.