

New Principals Assume Duties

The most important change to take place at Central this year is the appointment of Mr. Roy L. Hafner as principal and Mr. George O. Daniels as assistant principal.

Mr. Hafner is unique among Central administrators as the first Central graduate to return as the school's principal. Because of this, he is quite familiar with the school, Central's traditions, its academic record, and the spirit of the student body.

A native of South Bend, Mr. Hafner graduated from Central in 1940 in a class of 476 students. Central was the city's prestige school at this point, boasting a student population of 2300. While at Central, Mr. Hafner played varsity football and basketball. During senior year he received the Kiwanis award and Carter Cup medal for excellence in football. In addition, Mr. Hafner was named the most valuable player on the football team.

I.U. Graduate

Mr. Hafner attended Indiana University, majoring in health and physical education. After graduation, he taught phys. ed. and sci-

ence at the junior high and freshman level in Indianapolis. From Indianapolis, Mr. Hafner went to Michigan where he served as athletic director and coach in the Orchard View school system. In 1954, he became the Superintendent of the Beach schools, located just outside Muskegon, Mich. Mr. Hafner returned to South Bend in 1956, serving as football line coach and U.S. history teacher at Riley High School for eight years. Mr. Hafner became the assistant principal at LaSalle when it opened in 1965. Last spring, he was appointed as principal of Central High, succeeding Mr. Lawrence McKinney, who became the Director of Secondary Education.

Mr. Hafner is married and has one daughter. His interests include sports, especially football, and reading. Enthusiastic about Central, he has a deep interest in the students and the future of the school. He hopes that "the standards and respects of Central will be maintained."

Among the changes made at Central this year will be the new schedule system. This change in

the rather outdated method of having a lengthy homeroom between first and second hours has been contemplated for some time. Mr. Hafner considers the new system as making "better use of homeroom time."

Assistant Principal

Among the familiar faces seen at Central is Mr. George O. Daniels, the assistant principal, replacing Mr. Merlin Richard who has retired. Although Mr. Daniels is working for the first time in the senior high building, he is not new on the Central scene. He was previously the assistant principal of Central Junior High, and has been a member of Central faculty for the past 29 years.

Mr. Daniels is a graduate of Plymouth High School. After attending Indiana Central College at Indianapolis, he received his Bachelor of Science degree from Ball State University, his Master's Degree from Indiana University and did additional work at the University of Notre Dame.

Mr. Daniels' message to the students of Central consists of an assurance that he aims to be fair to everyone. He stated that he expects to obey the rules and regulations and added that those who do so will be happy and the rest may not be.

Among Mr. Daniels' favorite pastimes are fishing and golfing. However, now he regrets that he will probably have little time for these interests.



PAUSING DURING THE BUSY pre-school days are Central's new administrators. Principal Roy L. Hafner, left, confers with assistant principal George O. Daniels.

96th Year Begins

Central High School, an institution with a long and proud history, opened its doors Tuesday for the 96th time. Several significant changes in the school greeted students as they returned from their summer vacations. Most important is the appointment of a new principal and a new assistant principal.

Many of the faces that had become fixtures at Central are missing (three of those absent are retirees: Miss Antoinette Ceyak, Earl Kuhny, and Mr. M. G. Richard). Sixteen new teachers have been added to the staff. Room changes have been made; among these are the girls' gym classes in room 108, glee club to room 301 (formerly the boys' study hall) and band classes to 509.

The student body is no longer the same. Junior high students have joined the older Centralians in their senior high building and all but three of the special education classes have been transferred to other sections. The estimated attendance for 1968-69 is 1119. Nine hundred twenty-three of the number are senior high students, 207 are seventh and eighth grade students total 207, 104 in the seventh grade and 103 in the eighth grade. Sophomores lead the senior high enrollment with 244 students, followed closely by the senior class with 239 and the freshmen with 205 students. The students of the special education classes comprise the enrollment.

Junior High classes are meeting in the senior high and vocational buildings this year. This is due to the fact that the junior high building is scheduled for demolition.

Central's teaching staff now numbers 69. This includes three guidance counselors, two librarians, a nurse and a lunchroom supervisor, as well as the teachers assigned to junior high, senior high, and special education classes.

Sixteen Join Staff

Sixteen teachers have joined Central's teaching staff this year. They include Mr. William Gogel (junior high social studies), Miss Joan Ann Ketterer (junior high English), and Miss Dolores Lindholm (special education). Senior high teachers are: Mrs. Mary Christine Adams (business education), Mr. John Bachman (science), Mr. John Badry (French), Mr. Johnny Gorman (junior high math), Mr. Fran Kiene (social studies), and Mr. Joseph Kodba (social studies). Also, Mrs. Catherine Liste (home economics), Miss Mary Madeline Maricelli (vocal music), Mr. Jan Lane Perkins (German and chemistry), Miss Rita Raben (guidance), Mr. Norman Schmid (physical education and swimming), and Mr. Florian Klosinski (health). Replacing Mrs. Norma Spohnholz who is on sick leave for the first semester is Mrs. Blanche Happ.

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Daily Schedules

REGULAR		ACTIVITY	
1st	8:10 - 9:10	1st	8:10 - 9:10
H.R.	9:15 - 9:25	H.R.	9:05 - 9:15
2nd	9:30 - 10:30	2nd	9:40 - 10:40
3rd	10:35 - 11:35	3rd	10:40 - 11:40
4a	11:40 - 12:10	4a	11:40 - 12:10
4b	12:15 - 12:40	4b	12:15 - 12:40
4c	12:45 - 1:15	4c	12:45 - 1:15
5th	1:20 - 2:15	5th	1:20 - 2:15

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Students Offered Activities Choice

Centralites! Now is the time to get involved in the life of Central! For all students interested in Central's extracurricular program, a list of activities is found below.

Ushers Club — sponsored by Mr. William Schlundt. Members usher at football and basketball games, as well as various activities in the auditorium. Ushers are admitted free to functions where they work. Interested students may contact Mr. Schlundt in room 120.

Debate Team — sponsored by Mr. John Poorbaugh; president—Charles Leader. Members are required to do research on selected topics to be eligible for debate competition with other schools in the city and state. Debate may be taken as an extracurricular activity or as a class with credit given. Students may contact Mr. Poorbaugh in room 224 for details.

Interlude Newspaper — sponsored by Miss Ann Korb; Editor-in-Chief—Sue Anderson. Anyone interested in newswriting, feature writing, sports writing, and advertisement collection may sign up in room

301, or in the newspaper office next to room 305.

Interlude Yearbook — sponsored by Mr. Garner Marvin; Editor-in-Chief—Charlotte Feldman. Anyone interested in photography, advertisement collection, working on sections, and compiling the 1969 yearbook may sign up in the yearbook office across from room 316.

Future Teachers Club — sponsored by Mrs. Mona Paulson. Composed of students interested in a career in education, Future Teachers sponsors cadet teaching for senior students and among other activities, gives an annual tea for the teachers.

Art Service Club — sponsored by Mr. Marvin; president—Sue Sweet. Students with artistic ability are invited to join the Art Club which makes posters and banners for athletic events, does some of the art work for plays, and sponsors the annual art trip to Chicago, as well as encouraging individual artistic efforts. Interested students may contact Mr. Marvin in room 312.

Barnstormers — directed by Mr. James Lewis Casaday. Those students interested in acting in school plays and helping in their production should contact Mr. Casaday in room 114.

Band — sponsored by the music department; conductor—Mr. Lawrence Dwyer; drum major—Jim Garges. Members are selected through try-outs. The band plays

and other school functions, as well as giving several concerts of their own during the year. In addition, this year's band also has 35 pom-pom girls.

Business Club — sponsored by Mrs. Maxine Gill. Composed of students interested in business careers, most of the Business Club's members participate in Central's Business Co-op program.

Glee Club — directed by Miss Mary Maricelli. Glee Club gives students interested in vocal music the opportunity to sing, and is taken as a class with credit given. Students may contact Miss Maricelli in room 317 for details.

Student Council — sponsored by Mr. Robert Clements; president—Carl Ellison. A student government organization, the Student Council is composed of representatives elected from the homerooms.

Booster Club — sponsored by Mr. Dorwin Nelson; president—Karen Orban. Boosting school spirit through its many activities, the Booster Club provides such things as game programs, athletic handbooks, and booster ribbons. Membership cost is 25¢; representatives are elected by homeroom members.

Girls' Club — sponsored by Miss Betty Mathews. Girls' Club is composed of five divisions: bowling club, modern dance club, team sports club, swim club, and cheerleaders. Interested girls should contact Miss Mathews in rooms

CALENDAR

September

- 6—Pep Assembly
- Central vs. Riley (T)
- 13—Central vs. LaPorte (H)
- 20—Pep Assembly
- Central vs. Washington (H)

EDITORIAL

Dear Students:

This fall we have seen many changes at Central: a new principal, a new assistant principal, a new schedule and many new teachers. We, as editors of the school paper, would like to propose another change: We want this INTERLUDE to be your INTERLUDE.

Often in past years the school paper seems to have been run by and for the INTERLUDE staff and the seniors. A lack of cooperation causes this. This year we want the paper to represent the entire study body. This can be done only through your help.

We need many new writers, preferably from the freshman, sophomore and junior classes. Anyone interested in writing for the news, feature or sports pages will be welcomed. Help is also needed in the advertisement and circulation departments. If you are willing to work, please stop by the INTERLUDE Office or contact any member of the staff or Miss Korb in room 301.

Suggestions for improvement of the INTERLUDE would also be appreciated. Remember: in order to make this your INTERLUDE, we need active student participation. Help make Central's school paper worthy of the great school it represents. —The Editors

Stephenson Heads Coaches

In 1968-69 Central football will have a familiar face at the helm as Mr. Ross Stephenson steps up to take over from Mr. William Gilkey who has departed for assistant principal duties at LaSalle High School. Mr. Stephenson, who is no stranger to Centralites, adds on head coach responsibilities to his already busy schedule at athletic director and gym teacher.

Coach Stephenson graduated from Riley High School in 1938, participating in football, basketball, and track. From Riley he attended Eastern Illinois and later, the University of Illinois where he received his Master's Degree.

Central in 1952

Chicago Heights was his next stop where he stayed one year as football coach. From Chicago Heights, Mr. Stephenson came to Central as backfield coach in 1947.

In 1952, he took over Central football as head coach for one year. That year his Central team won five games in nine outings. The same year, he also took over as athletic director, a post he has maintained to the present time.

Returning to his previous job as backfield coach in 1953, Mr. Stephenson has continued at this position up to this year.

Assistants

Assisting Coach Stephenson this year will be assistant coaches Joseph Kodba, William Fuerbringer, George Leonakis and George Perley.

Mr. Kodba, a former head coach at Fort Wayne North, is the only new member of this year's coaching staff. Mr. Kodba graduated from Purdue and later played professional ball before going on to coach at Niagara University, and then, to Fort Wayne. He is the line coach.

Mr. Fuerbringer is this year's freshman coach moving up from the junior high team. He is also B-team wrestling coach.

Line Coach

Mr. Perley is in his fourth year in the scene of Central football, serving in such different positions as assistant junior high and freshman coach. This year Mr. Perley will serve as line coach.

Last, but surely not least, is the backfield coach George Leonakis. Besides being a football coach, Mr. Leonakis doubles as assistant basketball coach for Mr. James Powers.

Bears Open Against Riley Friday

School is back in session, and along with the start of school comes the start of another high school football season. As usual, it promises to be an exciting and very competitive one. After participating in the annual jamboree at School Field last Friday, the Bears open the season against Riley tomorrow night.

This year there has been a change in the coaching staff, and for the first time since 1952, Mr. Ross Stephenson has assumed the role of head coach. According to him, the season promises to be rewarding and interesting.

As for the team, the coaches have been pleased with the practices even though they feel that the hot weather has made the team fall a little behind in preparing for the Jamboree. The coaches, also, have been pleased with the returning lettermen's performances and the high morale of the entire team. They feel that the team has a good chance to finish well in the conference even though Riley, Washington, and Elkhart promise to be extremely tough.

This year's team is anchored by 13 returning lettermen and some other promising newcomers. The defense this year will have an entirely new look as they have patterned their formation after Notre Dame's defense which is a 4-4-3. The probable starting front four linemen will be Art Lax and Bill Ellis at ends and Marty Rose and Barry Wishin at tackle. The starting linebackers will probably be Rich Rozek, Tom Davis, Lon Wingete, and Jim Turner. The three defensive backs will be Cleo Kilgore, Kevin Murphy, and Rick Philipps.

The offense will look basically the same as last year and will be quarterbacked by Kevin Murphy. At halfback will be Cleo Kilgore and at fullback will be Rich Rozek. Jim Turner will be the flanker and Rick Philipps will be playing the injured Dan Gramza returns.

Teachers and Rooms

- 218, 216—Adams
314—Aguero
215, 313—Aguirre
221—Bachman
315—Badry
505—Baldwin
322—Bergan
512, 503—Berry
316—Bishop
217—Burger
114—Casaday
225—Catanzarite
102—Clements
321—De Groote
509—Dwyer
302—Foulks
204—Fox
119—Fuchs
104—Fuerbringer
403—Furlow
219—Gill
116—Gogel
215—Gorman
211—Happ
318—Herringer
106—Hubertz
213, 319—Jackson
513—Kesler
123—Ketterer
223—Kiene
101—Kindy
122—Klingerman
310—Klosinski
100—Kodba, Jeanne
222—Kodba, Joseph
301—Korb
108, 211—Kruckel
216—Leonakis
514—Lindholm
115—Liste
506—Mamula
317—Maricelli
312—Marvin
108, 101—Mathews
121—McNarny
203—Morningstar
212—Nelson
205—Newbold
319—Paulson
209—Perkins
401—Phelps
309—Platt
224—Poorbaugh
311—Powers
105—Purlee
204—Raben
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120—Schlundt
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Schedules

FOOTBALL

- Sept. 6—Riley (T)
Sept. 13—LaPorte (H)
Sept. 20—Washington (H)
Sept. 27—Adams (H)
Oct. 5—Michigan City (H)
Oct. 11—Goshen (T)
Oct. 19—LaSalle (T)
Oct. 25—Mishawaka (T)
Nov. 1—Elkhart (T)

TENNIS

- Sept. 12—Mishawaka at Central
Sept. 17—Central at LaPorte
Sept. 19—Elkhart at Central
Sept. 24—Central at Adams
Sept. 26—Riley at Central
Oct. 1—Michigan City at Central
Oct. 3—Central at Goshen
Oct. 10—Washington at Central

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