An illustration of a football game scene. In the center, a cheerleader in a red sweater is hugging a football player from behind. The player is wearing a white jersey with red and blue accents and a white helmet with red and blue stripes. To the left, another player in a similar uniform is looking up. In the foreground, a cheerleader in a red sweater and large red earmuffs is smiling. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

Thirty-Second

ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DAY GAME

**BENSALEM**

**Owls**

**vs**

**NESHAMINY**

**Redskins**

BENSALEM TOWNSHIP SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FIELD

Thursday

November 23, 1961

Kick Off Time -- 10:30 A. M.

Donation 25¢

Fred Fixler

"OWLS" PROBABLE STARTING LINE-UP



**Front Row:**

Left End, Joseph Russo; Left Tackle, Lewis Adams; Left Guard, Robert Mocerri; Center, James Dettmer; Right Guard, Robert Allahand; Right Tackle, Norman Hood; Right End, Danny Staats.

**Second Row:**

Right Halfback, Henry George; Fullback, Charles Mudie; Quarterback, Glen Ray; Left Halfback, James Mondeaux.

OWLETTES HOCKEY TEAM

1961 Lower Bucks County League Runner-Up



Back Row:- Christine Cobler, Barbara Eichhorn, Claire Wyeth, Joyce Thomas, Susan Malone, Joyce Dietz, Linda Blackburn, Manager, and Miss Annetta Reber, Coach.

Middle Row:- Denise Gledhill, Judith Carter, Lillian Mudie, Patricia Silfies, Mary Lou Salvino, Karen Schneider, Judith Hughes, Elsie Vile, Dorothy Finan, Thelma Audsley, Laverna Getz, Carol Peel, Sarita Bray.

Front Row:- Cheryl Reiprich, Sharyn Benek, Beryl Jo Call, Karen Vickers, Rachel Shafer, Irene Clark, Clara Eggert, Carole Kuppel, Emilie Brodisch, Margaret Weber, Shirley Trbovitz, Edith Hunter.

GREETINGS



Russell C. Struble, Principal  
Bensalem Senior High School

Greetings from Bensalem! Thanksgiving Day! Giving Thanks to God!  
Alumni Homecoming! Football! Vacation!

A very special day at Neshaminy and Bensalem High Schools. Old friendships are renewed and new ones are formed at this annual celebration. It is a happy time. Good sportsmanship by players and spectators is at its best on Thanksgiving Day.

We welcome Neshaminy and its friends to a morning of warm, friendly reunion and a clean, hard-fought football game on this Very Special Day.

R. C. Struble, Principal  
Bensalem Senior High School

GREETINGS



Kenneth E. King, Principal  
Neshaminy Senior High School

A practice which is carried out for a period of time establishes a tradition. Thanksgiving is an example of a tradition established with the beginning of our country. The Bensalem-Neshaminy football game likewise dates back through the histories of our schools.

To continue a practice because it is only a tradition may be a thoughtless reason. In celebrating this day as Thanksgiving we know that the reasons that our forefathers founded this day are valid today. It is fitting to pause to give thanks for our bounty. Completing a job or a football season with a satisfying feeling of well done is also gratifying. Our two schools have closed their seasons with this game for many years. We have established more than a win-loss record. We have established a friendly, wholesome, competitive spirit which binds us not only as neighbors but also as friends.

We are pleased to be your visitors this year and your hosts next year.

Kenneth E. King, Principal  
Neshaminy Senior High School

BENSALEM HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADERS



Back Row:

Diane Palamarchuk, Linda Cunny, Edna Hanley, Kay Godshall, Joan Gregg, Rosemary Creamer.

Kneeling:

Sally Webster, Kathy Pagano -- Co-Captains

BENSALEM HIGH SCHOOL MAJORETTES



Anna Marie Rigney, Lois Dillon, Co-Captain, Lillian Hadfield, Diane Wharton, Captain, Jacqueline Stewart, Nancy Paulus, Co-Captain, Dorothy Di Lorenzo

BENSALEM HIGH SCHOOL COLOR GUARD



Anna Marie Rigney, Lois Dillon, Co-Captain, Lillian Hadfield, Diane Wharton, Captain, Jacqueline Stewart, Nancy Paulus, Co-Captain, Dorothy DiLorenzo

"WE'LL BE BACK AGAIN NEXT YEAR!"



Charles Mudie - Back



William Stubbs - Back



Henry George - Back



Joseph Russo - End

"OWL" JUNIORS

"LOOKING FORWARD TO NEXT YEAR"



First Row:

Joseph Russo, Michael Stein, Robert Mocerri, James Dettmer, Charles Peacock, Raymond Samero, George Bray, Benjamin Herb, William Carson

Second Row:

Henry George, Charles Mudie, John Wolaniuk, Rodger Breen, Carl Finsel, William Stubbs, Lewis Adams, Charles Nixon, William Peacock, Barry Spencer

"OWL" SOPHOMORES

"THE BEST IS YET TO COME"



First Row:

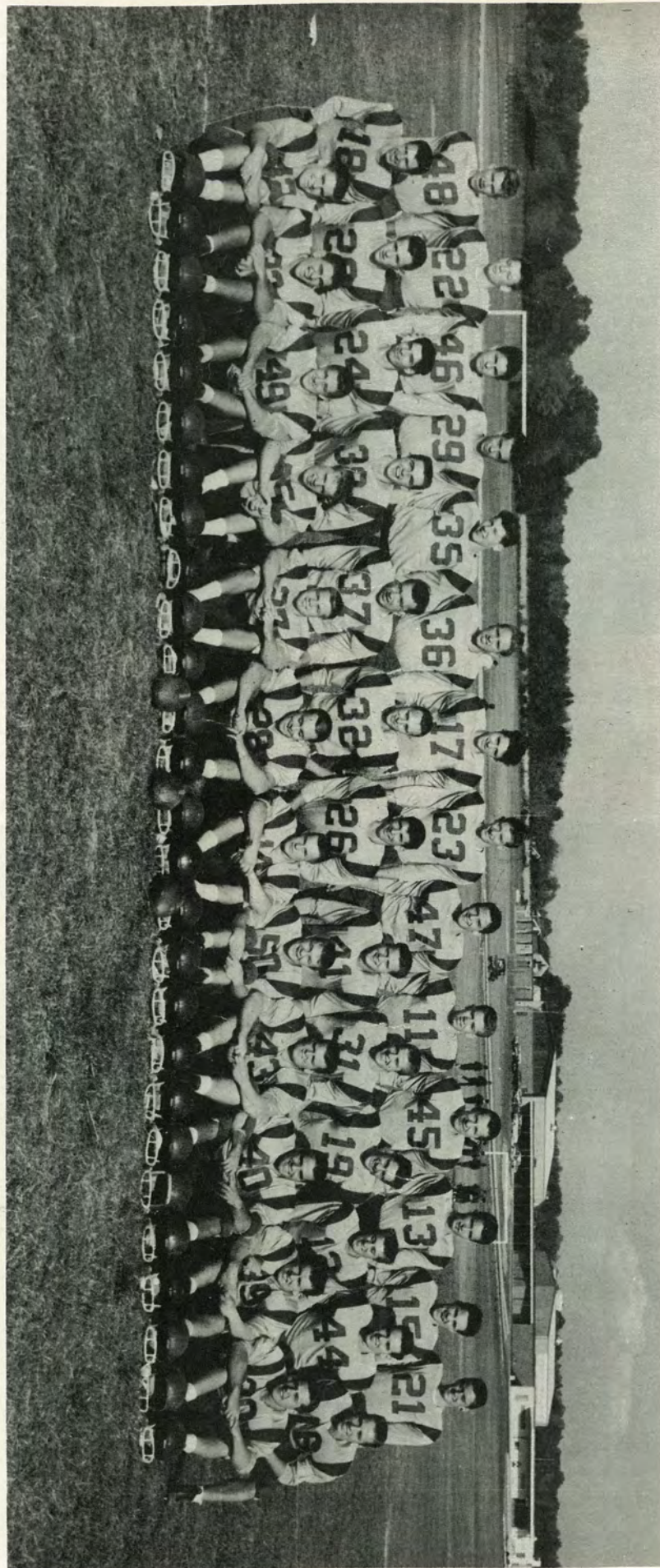
Roger Neff, David Clee, Jerald Wood, Jay Keith, Rudolph Helyenek, John Conklin, John Keith, Robert Tomlinson, Louis Di Mattia,

Second Row:

Albert Checchia, Robin Call, Danny Staats, Albert Budney, Walter Wisniewski, Randolph Hodgens, Larry Brodisch, Richard Stewart, Denny Siegmann.

1961 EDITION BENSALLEM "OWLS"

"WE SALUTE YOU"



First Row:

Jerald Wood, Joseph Russo, Lewis Adams, Henry George, Charles Mudie, James Mondeaux, Glen Ray, James Dettmer, Norman Hood, Robert Mocerri, Robert Allahand, Charles Peacock.

Second Row:

John Conklin, Benjamin Herb, Vincent Crill, John Wolaniuk, Rodger Breen, William Stubbs, George Bray, Michael Stein, William Peacock, Raymond Samero, Robin Call, Danny Staats, Albert Heller.

Third Row:

Roger Neff, Gary Block, Barry Spencer, Carl Finsel, David Clee, Jay Keith, Randolph Helyenek, John Keith, Robert Tomlinson, William Carson, Charles Nixon, Louis Di Mattia, Albert Checchia, Albert Budney.



# ZING!



Enjoy that **REFRESHING**  
**NEW**  
**FEELING!**

## Bensalem

No.	Name	Position	Ht.	Wt.	Class
11	William Carson	B	5'6"	143	Jr.
12	Robin Call	B	5'5"	142	Soph.
13	Louis DiMattio	B	5'9"	130	Soph.
14	Glen Ray	B	5'6"	140	Sr.
15	Albert Checchia	B	5'5"	140	Soph.
16	Alfred Heller	C	5'8"	145	Jr.
17	Thomas Staats	G	5'10"	160	Jr.
18	John Conklin	C	5'8"	143	Soph.
19	Raymond Samero	G	5'8"	145	Jr.
20	Benjamin Herb	G	5'7"	155	Jr.
21	Albert Budney	G	5'7"	140	Soph.
22	Gary Block	G	5'11"	161	Sr.
23	John Keith	E	6'0"	150	Soph.
24	Vincent Crill	B	5'9"	145	Sr.
25	Henry George	B	5'10"	145	Jr.
26	George Bray	E	5'9"	150	Jr.
27	Charles Mudie	B	5'9"	155	Jr.
28	James Mondeaux	B	5'8"	170	Sr.
29	Carl Finsel	B	5'10"	150	Jr.
30	Charles Peacock	E	5'10"	160	Jr.
31	William Peacock	T	5'10"	155	Jr.
32	William Stubbs	B	5'11"	165	Jr.
33	Joseph Russo	E	5'10"	170	Jr.
34	Preston Betham	B	5'7"	135	Soph.
35	David Clee	T	5'9"	161	Soph.
36	Jay Keith	T	5'10"	158	Soph.
37	Rodger Breen	T	5'8"	150	Jr.
38	John Wolaniuk	G	5'10"	155	Jr.
39	Robert Allahand	G	5'9"	180	Sr.
40	Robert Mocerri	G	5'10"	185	Jr.
41	Michael Stein	T	6'1"	210	Jr.
42	Gerald Wood	T	5'11"	190	Soph.
43	Norman Hood	T	5'11"	210	Sr.
44	Danny Staats	E	5'10"	163	Soph.
45	Charles Nixon	T	5'9"	162	Jr.
46	Barry Spencer	B	5'8"	140	Jr.
47	Robert Tomlinson	B	5'8"	147	Soph.
48	Roger Neff	G	5'6"	150	Soph.
49	Lewis Adams	T	5'10"	165	Jr.
50	James Dettmer	C	5'10"	170	Jr.

Coach: Marlon J. VanHorn  
 Assistant Coaches: Robert Shaup, Edmund Zack, Robert Moore  
 Trainer: John F. Slaven  
 Athletic Director: Walter W. Price  
 Band Director: Blue and Gray  
 School Colors: "OWLS"  
 Nickname: Russell C. Struble  
 School Principal: Robert K. Shafer  
 School Superintendent:

## Neshaminy

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.
11	Maury Tome	5-11	174	11
32	Jack Winder	5-9	153	11
40	Bruce Evans	5-10	170	12
41	John Rothrock	5-6	128	11
42	Mark Ciccone	5-6	128	11
43	James Ball	5-11	150	12
44	Bill Brundzo	Broken Hand		
50	Douglas Lanes	5-6	140	12
51	David Carroll	5-8	146	12
52	Bruce Galvin	5-10	151	11
53	Brian Baker	5-6	143	12
54	Tom Percetti	5-8	147	11
54	Tom Preno	5-5	150	11
55	Robert Bickel	5-8	151	12
56	Ed Kaminski	Broken Ankle		
57	Robert Barr	6-0	150	11
59	Richard Andrews	5-8	148	11
60	Michael Wingfield	5-10	165	12
61	Robert Baxter	6-1	180	10
62	Richard Lauther	5-10	170	11
63	Michael Wunsch	6-1	179	12
64	William Schemberg	6-1	195	12
65	Robert Cummings	5-10	196	11
66	Allan Rell	6-0	170	12
67	John Vosburgh	6-1	173	11
68	Ralph Basch	5-8	174	11
69	Thomas Dee	5-9	167	10
70	Jack Bodziak	5-9	182	12
71	Edward Michaels	5-10	170	11
72	Wesley Harris	6-2	180	11
73	Milt Rassier	6-0	180	11
74	John Carber	6-4	205	12
75	Richard Bonsall	6-0	210	12
76	John Wichelman	5-11	210	11
77	John Sauer	6-2	200	12
79	John Reeves	5-10	140	11
80	Richard Blodgett	6-0	225	12
80	Bill Swartz	5-10	170	10
81	Stan Canter	5-9	204	12
83	Jerry Dorland	5-9	160	11
88	Keenan Mucklow	5-7	155	10
88	James Jacobs	5-9	145	11
96	Robert Andrassy	6-1	190	11



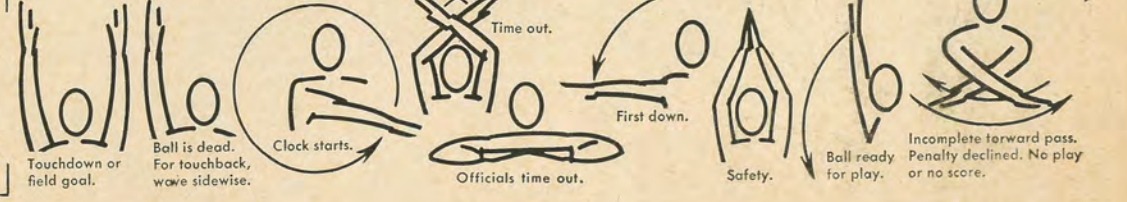
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 Stanley Howell  
 Harry Franks  
 John Petercuskie  
 Jack Swartz  
 Pete Cordelli  
 Richard Chubb  
 Harlan Hinkel  
 Andrew Pecuch  
 Lou Williams  
 Dr. Gerald Effinger

Principal  
 Assistant Principal  
 Athletic Director  
 Head Coach  
 Assistant Coach  
 Assistant Coach  
 J.V. Coach  
 J.V. Coach  
 Field Manager  
 Concessions Stand Manager  
 Team Physician

### REFEREES' SIGNALS



### PROCEDURE SIGNALS



"OWL" SENIORS

"WE'RE PROUD OF YOU"



Glenn Ray

Quarterback



James Mondeaux

Halfback



Norman Hood

Tackle



Robert Allahand

Guard



Vincent Crill

Halfback



Gary Block

Guard

GREETING

Cheryl Reiprich



Each year on Thanksgiving Day, Bensalem participates in the traditional football game against Neshaminy High School. This game is one of the most interesting events of the year as far as Bensalem students are concerned.

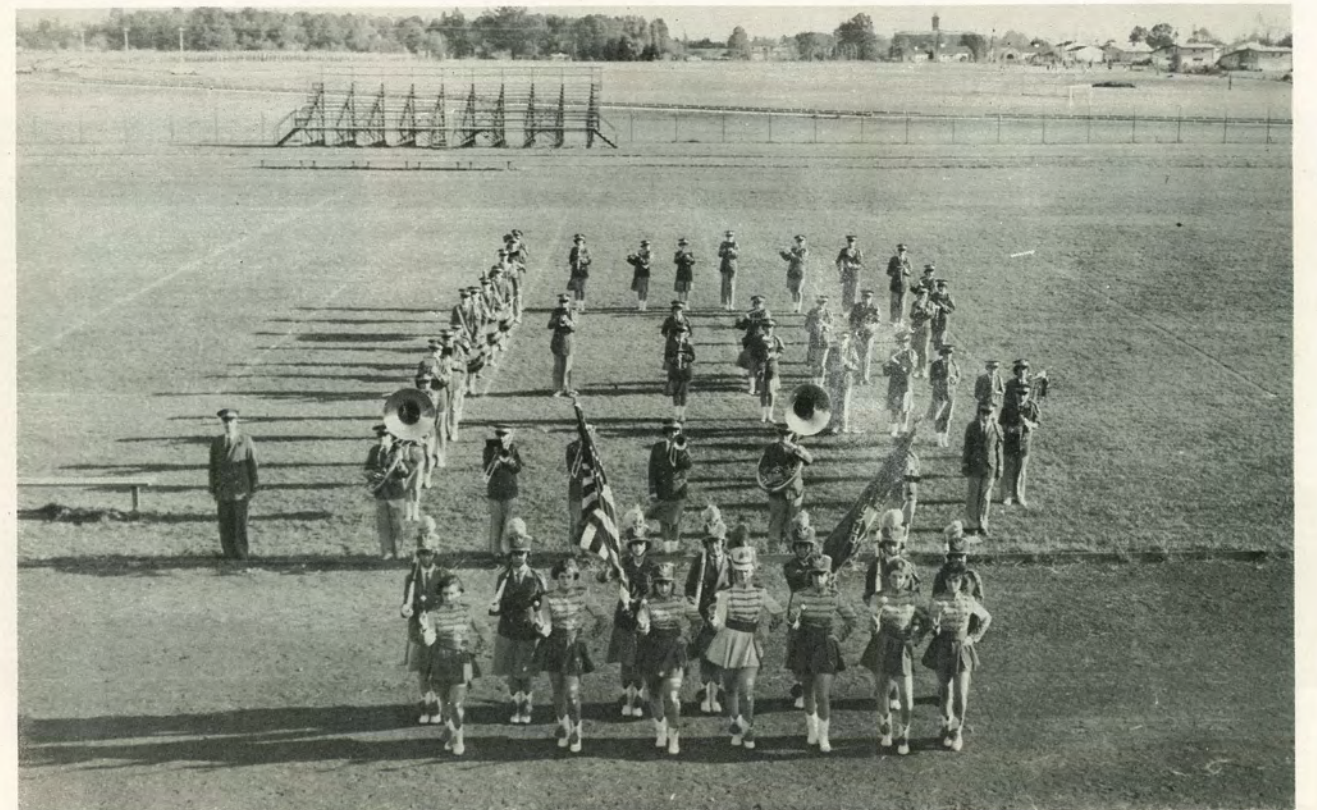
For years Neshaminy has always been one of our best competitors in football. Both teams play hard and play to win. This year I am sure the game will be as exciting and interesting as in the past.

Bensalem welcomes Neshaminy to our field this year and wishes to thank you for your patronage.

Student Council President  
Bensalem Township Senior High School

BENSALEM HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND

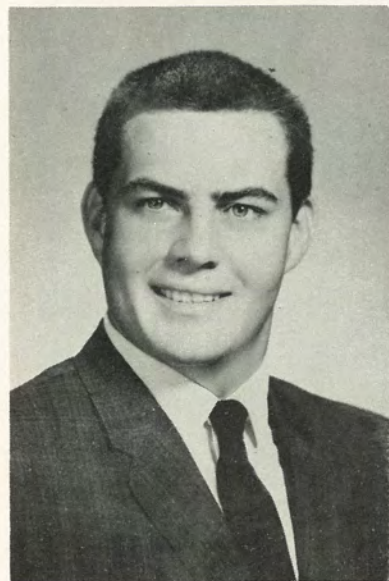
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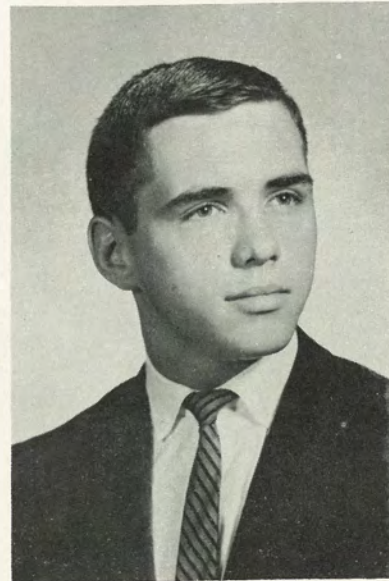
1961 EDITION NESHAMINY "REDSKINS" FOOTBALL SQUAD



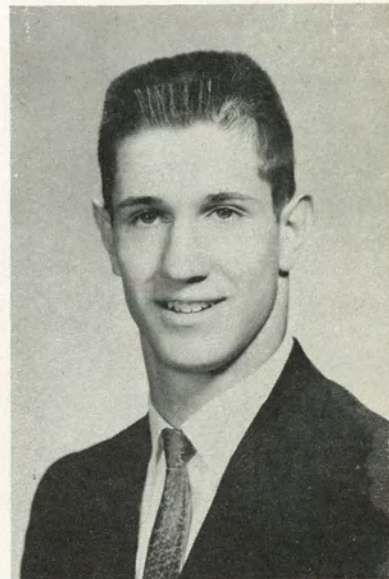
"REDSKINS" SENIORS --- "A JOB WELL DONE!"



75 Richard Bonsall  
Tackle



53 Brian Baker  
Guard



74 John Carber  
Tackle

1961 EDITION "REDSKIN" CHEERLEADERS



NESHAMINY REDSKIN OFFENSE

LE Wunsch 63	LG Baker 53	C Cummings 65	LT Bonsall 75	RT Carber 74	RG Bickel 55 Carroll 51	RE Rell 66
			QB Preno 54			RHB Barr 57
	LHB Evans 40 Rothrock 41		FB Baxter 61			



Stan Canter	Dick Bonsall	Dick Blodgett	John Carber	John Sauers
Richard Lauther	Tom Preno	Mike Wingfield	Mike Wunsch	

TO BOTH COACHING STAFFS ----- CONGRATULATIONS!



Edmund Zack, Marlon J. Van Horn, Robert Shaup

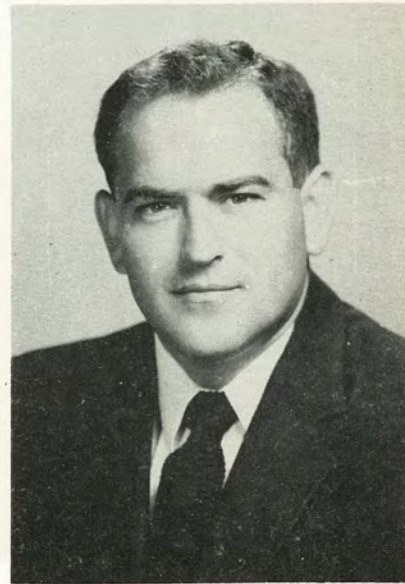
"Redskins" Coaching Staff



Coach Pete Cordelli



Coach John Petercuskie



Coach Jack Swartz

"Owl" Coaching Staff

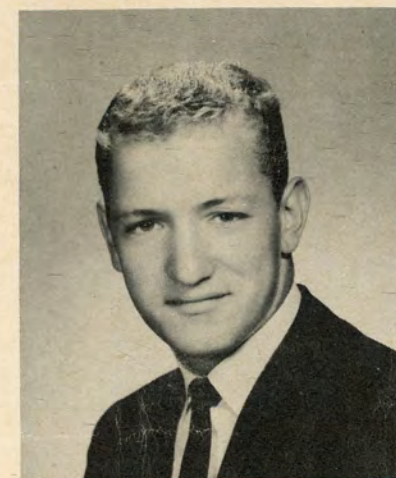
"REDSKIN" SOCCER TEAM -- Lower Bucks County League Champs



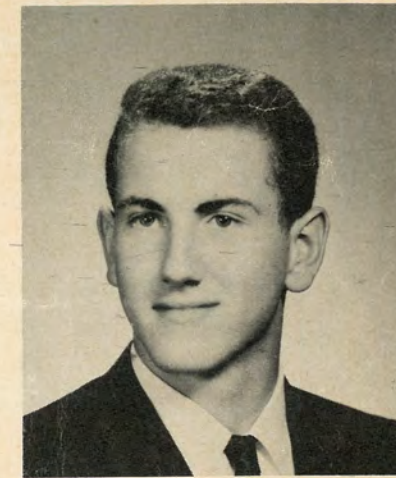
"REDSKINS" SENIORS --- "A JOB WELL DONE!"



66 Allan Rell  
End



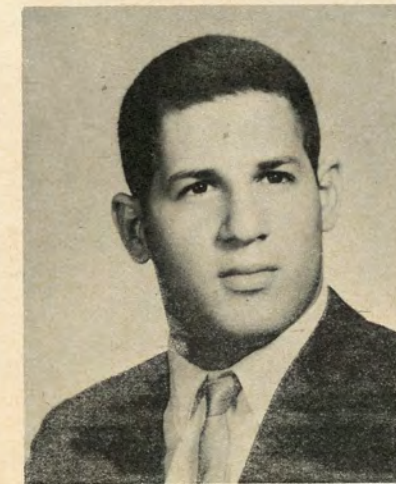
63 Michael Wunsch  
End



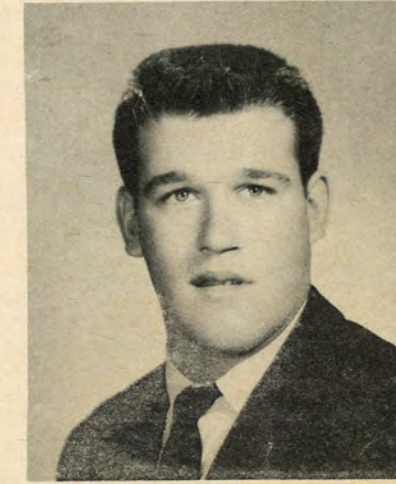
55 Robert Bickel  
Guard



40 Bruce Evans  
Halfback



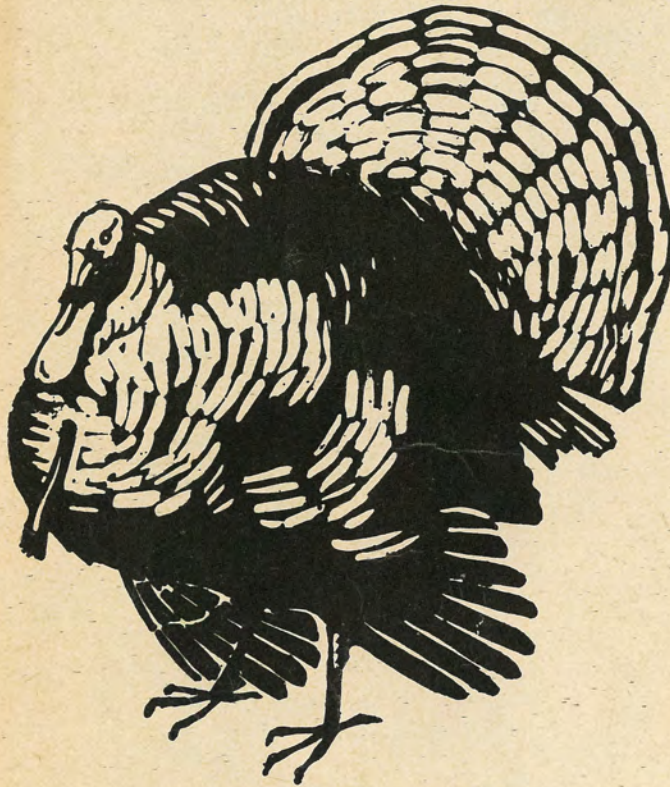
81 Stan Canter  
Defensive Tackle



80 Richard Blodgett  
Defensive Tackle



# BUTCH'S DISCOUNT MARKET



## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We of Bensalem Township High School express our sincere appreciation for the kindness of this civic-minded donor. This program was made possible by his generosity.

## BENSALEM TOWNSHIP SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Superintendent of Schools -- ROBERT K. SHAFER  
High School Principal -- RUSSELL C. STRUBLE  
Athletic Director -- JOHN F. SLAVEN

## NESHAMINY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Superintendent of Schools -- OLIVER S. HECKMAN  
High School Principal -- KENNETH E. KING  
Athletic Director -- HARRY E. FRANKS

## OFFICIALS

Referee - William Wilson  
Umpire - Grant Hurst  
Field Judge - Edward Miller  
Head Linesman - James Todd

## BENSALEM -- NESHAMINY SERIES

Year	Bensalem	Neshaminy
1930	0	38
1931	0	34
1932	0	12
1933	0	6
1934	0	9
1935	0	19
1936	13	6
1937	7	6
1938	7	7
1939	7	0
1940	19	12
1941	19	12
1942	6	7
1943	0	0
1944	2	12
1945	0	7
1946	13	7
1947	7	15
1948	14	6
1949	27	0
1950	25	7
1951	28	0
1952	7	33
1953	7	6
1954	6	53
1955	6	14
1956	6	19
1957	6	19
1958	0	7
1959	13	52
1960	13	32
1961		

## NESHAMINY'S SEASON RECORD

Neshaminy	14	Bishop Egan	0
Neshaminy	39	Chester	0
Neshaminy	7	Easton	13
Neshaminy	28	Allen (Allentown)	14
Neshaminy	59	Bristol	0
Neshaminy	54	Wilson	0
Neshaminy	34	Pennsbury	14
Neshaminy	45	Delhaas	8
Neshaminy	22	Tennent	0
Neshaminy	54	Delaware Township	13
Neshaminy	<b>31</b>	LaSalle	<b>7</b>
Neshaminy		Bensalem	

## BENSALEM'S SEASON RECORD

Bensalem	0	Central Bucks	40
Bensalem	13	Tennent	14
Bensalem	20	Wilson	20
Bensalem	0	Council Rock	12
Bensalem	19	Delhaas	6
Bensalem	13	Pennsbury	19
Bensalem	25	Morrisville	0
Bensalem	57	Bristol	0
Bensalem		Neshaminy	

## RECAPITULATION

Bensalem	11	18	2
Neshaminy	18	11	2