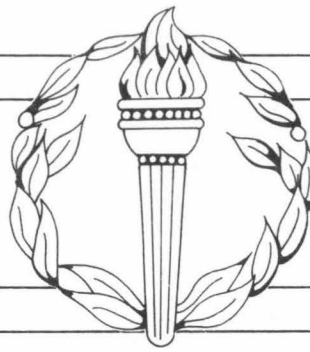


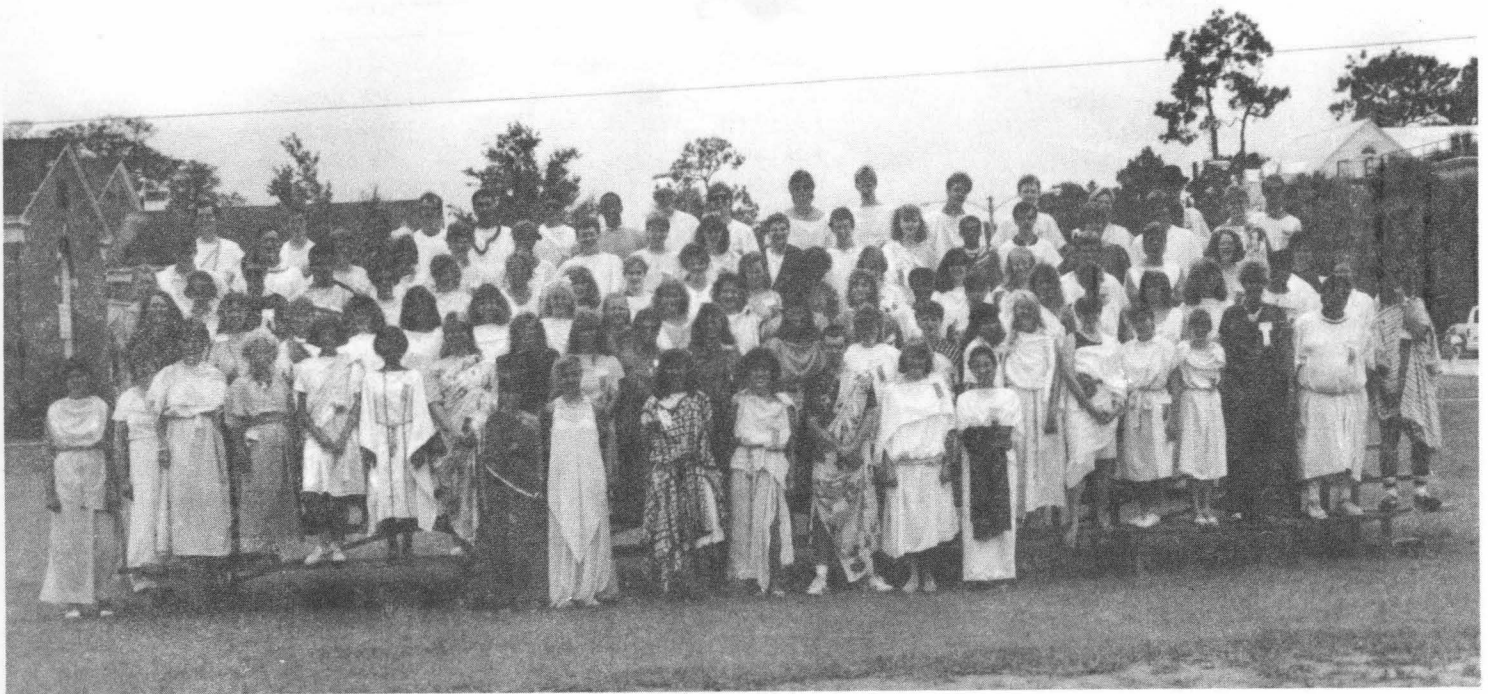
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## NATIONAL JCL CONVENTION

This year's National JCL convention was held in DeLand, Florida, on the beautiful campus of Stetson University. The weeklong convention ran from August 8-12. Approximately 1500 students from all over the nation convened to participate in academic, athletic, and graphic arts contests. There were also seminars, workshops, certamen, and many other activities designed to promote Classical Greek and Latin in the modern world.

Tennessee was represented by 85 delegates from throughout the state. The delegation was led by the attending 1987-88 TJCL officers: Lela Mahoney, President; Anne Jenkins, Secretary; Mike Stanley, Parliamentarian; Mindy Cole, Historian. Also, Mrs. Marilyn Reinhardt spent her final National Convention as TJCL State Chairperson.

Tennessee placed 3rd in the Academic Contests, 2nd in Certamen, 3rd in the scrapbook competition, and 2nd in the Sweepstakes.

## Tennessee Teachers Honored at NJCL Convention

At this year's NJCL Convention held at Stetson University in Florida, two Tennessee teachers were honored for 20 years of attendance at the national conventions and for their contributions to JCL. Both Ms Nancy Howell and Mr. Grady Warren received silver bowls in recognition of their 20 years of service to JCL.

Ms. Howell attended Southwestern University (Rhodes College) and has taught in Memphis. She is called the "Johnny Appleseed of JCL" because everywhere she teaches, she starts a JCL program. Ms. Howell now teaches Latin at Franklin Road Academy in Nashville.

Mr. Warren attended his first NJCL convention as a student at Hillsboro High School. He is the consummate certamen coach and is often called the "cerberus" of certamen sequestering. Mr. Warren is dedicated to his students, and many continue to contribute to JCL during and after college. He presently teaches at Northeast and Northwest High Schools in Nashville.

## OFF TO NATIONALS

On August 4th, 1987 a group from The Hutchison School and Memphis University School, consisting of six members: three students and three chaperones, set out for the NJCL convention in Deland, Florida. We decided to stop en route for a little fun and a dose of the Florida sun! Our first stop was Daytona Beach where we spent two glorious days catching the rays and smelling the salty air. After somehow managing to pull away from this beautiful place, we drove straight to Orlando, home of everyone's favorite fantasyland, Walt Disney World and Epcot Center. In two days we managed somehow to see all of the Magic Kingdom and Epcot Center, and even had time to buy a pair of mouse ears. But the best part of the trip was still to come. Although I did not know what to expect of the convention, I was delightfully surprised at all the enjoyable activities that the JCL had planned for us. Through the contests, morning assemblies, dances, and delegation fellowships, I met many terrific people, all of whom I still keep in touch

with. The campus was beautiful, the dorms comfortable, and the activities kept us all very busy. Each day was different with a different theme, such as Spirit Day, Originality of State Day, and Toga Day ending with a Roman banquet. From this experience I gained greater knowledge of the Classics, a broader horizon on the subject, and, of course, friends to last a lifetime. I do encourage all of you to attend this fun-filled convention next year in Colorado.

Delia Hammond,  
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## ACADEMIC CONTESTS

- Derivatives, Level One**  
S. Jallepalli, 3rd  
M. Arnold, 9th  
J. Santoro, 9th
- Derivatives, Level Two**  
R. Fields, 5th  
E. Gildrie, 5th
- Derivatives, Level Three**  
A. Kuo, 5th  
J. Overby, 8th  
J. Thomison, 9th
- Derivatives, Level Four**  
P. Jallepalli, 3rd  
L. Wickham, 5th
- Derivatives, Level Five**  
L. Matter, 3rd
- Grammar, Level One**  
M. Arnold, 3rd  
A. Williams, 10th
- Grammar, Level Two**  
R. Fields, 3rd  
E. Gildrie, 4th  
S. Wall, 5th  
J. Weinberg, 8th  
M. Smithfield, 10th
- Grammar, Level Three**  
J. Overby, 4th
- Grammar, Level Four**  
P. Jallepalli, 1st  
P. Keith, 4th
- Grammar, Level Five**  
L. Matter, 4th
- Roman History, Level One**  
M. Arnold, 1st  
R. Yarbrough, 8th  
B. Smithfield, 9th  
R. Elmore, 10th  
J. Johnson, 10th
- Romans History, Level Two**  
E. Gildrie, 3rd
- Roman History, Level Three**  
M. Long, 3rd  
J. Overby, 5th  
M. Meadows, 5th  
J. McGee, 8th
- Roman History, Four**  
J. Chen, 2nd
- Roman Life, Level One**  
J. Johnson, 2nd  
B. Smithfield, 4th  
A. Williams, 6th  
M. Arnold, 6th  
H. Hudson, 8th
- Roman Life, Level Two**  
R. Fields, 1st  
R. Edlefson, 5th  
S. Wall, 6th  
V. Wilborn, 8th  
J. Beth Harris, 8th  
E. Gildrie, 8th
- Roman Life, Level Three**  
R. Peters, 2nd  
C. Chapin, 3rd  
T. Murray, 4th  
M. Long, 5th  
J. Overby, 10th
- Roman Life, Level Four**  
P. Jallepalli, 2nd  
M. Manners, 4th  
J. Chen, 10th
- Latin Vocabulary, Level One**  
M. Arnold, 3rd  
S. Jallepalli, 5th  
A. Williams, 7th  
R. Elmore, 8th
- Latin Vocabulary, Level Two**  
R. Fields, 4th  
S. Wall, 7th  
E. Gildrie, 8th
- Latin Vocabulary, Level Three**  
J. Overby, 5th
- Latin Vocabulary, Level Four**  
P. Jallepalli, 2nd  
L. Wickham, 10th
- Latin Vocabulary, Level Five**  
L. Matter, 2nd
- Pentathlon, Level One**  
M. Arnold, 3rd  
S. Jallepalli, 7th  
J. Santoro, 7th  
J. Johnson, 8th  
A. Williams, 10th
- Pentathlon, Level Two**  
E. Gildrie, 1st  
R. Fields, 2nd  
S. Wall, 6th
- Pentathlon, Level Three**  
J. Overby, 5th  
A. Kuo, 6th
- Pentathlon, Level Four**  
P. Jallepalli, 3rd
- Pnetathlon, Level Five**  
L. Matter, 2nd
- Hellenic History, Level One**  
A. Williams, 2nd  
M. Arnold, 5th  
B. Smithfield, 6th
- Hellenic History, Level Two**  
E. Gildrie, 3rd  
R. Fields, 5th  
J. Harris, 10th
- Hellenic History, Level Three**  
J. Overby, 3rd  
C. Chapin, 7th  
M. Long, 9th
- Hellenic History, Level Four**  
J. Chen, 1st  
P. Jallepalli, 2nd  
L. Wickham, 3rd
- Greek Derivatives, Level One**  
M. Arnold, 1st  
R. Elmore, 2nd  
A. Williams, 4th  
S. Jallepalli, 7th
- Greek Derivatives, Level Two**  
E. Gildrie, 1st  
M. Smithfield, 7th
- Greek Derivatives, Level Three**  
J. Overby, 2nd
- Greek Derivatives, Level Four**  
P. Jallepalli, 3rd  
J. Chen, 7th
- Latin Literature, Level One**  
M. Arnold, 1st  
A. Williams, 3rd  
B. Smithfield, 4th  
J. Johnson, 8th
- Latin Literature, Level Two**  
R. Fields, 1st  
S. Wall, 2nd
- Latin Literature, Level Three**  
J. Overby, 2nd  
M. Long, 3rd  
K. Dowlen, 3rd
- Latin Literature, Level Four**  
P. Jallepalli, 3rd  
J. Chen, 4th
- Mottoes, Level One**  
M. Arnold, 1st  
S. Jallepalli, 2nd  
A. Williams, 9th
- Mottoes, Level Two**  
R. Fields, 1st  
S. Wall, 3rd
- Mottoes, Level Four**  
P. Jallepalli, 1st  
J. Chen, 5th
- Mythology, Level One**  
J. Johnson, 1st  
S. Jallepalli, 4th  
M. Arnold, 4th  
J. Santoro, 7th

## GRAPHIC ARTS

### Mythology, Level Two

E. Gildrie, 1st  
R. Fields, 4th  
M. Smithfield, 5th  
J. Beth Harris, 8th  
S. Wall, 8th

### Mythology, Level Three

C. Chapin, 3rd  
J. Batson, 3rd  
M. Long, 5th  
J. Overby, 7th

### Mythology, Level Four

P. Jallepalli, 1st  
J. Myers, 3rd  
J. Chen, 10th

### Reading Comprehension, Level One

R. Elmore, 1st  
M. Arnold, 2nd  
R. Yarbrough, 3rd  
A. Williams, 5th  
S. Jallepalli, 6th  
J. Santoro, 8th

### Reading Comprehension, Level Two

E. Gildrie, 5th  
S. Wall, 7th  
M. Marable, 10th

### Reading Comprehension Prose, Level Three

A. Kuo, 9th

### Reading Comprehension Prose, Level Four

M. Todd, 2nd

### Reading Comprehension Poetry, Level Three

J. Michael Stanley, 3rd  
K. Sanford, 4th

### Reading Comprehension Poetry, Level Four

P. Keith, 3rd  
L. Wickham, 8th

### Reading Comprehension Poetry, Level Five

L. Matter, 1st  
H. Rather, 4th

### Reading Comprehension Prose-Poetry, Level Three

C. Artzer, 2nd  
J. Overby, 4th

### Reading Comprehension Prose-Poetry, Level Four

P. Jallepalli, 1st  
J. Chen, 6th

### Oils

L. Lee Shiao, 6th  
K. Dowlen, 6th

### Charcoal

V. Wilborn, 1st  
K. Sanford, 6th

### Ink

K. Dowlen, 3rd  
L. Hunt, 7th  
V. Wilbron, 8th

### Pastel

R. Elmore, 1st  
L. Lee Shiao, 3rd

### Mixed Media

K. Dallas, 4th

### Maps

M. Meadows, 7th

### Charts

J. Chen, 3rd  
K. Sanford, 7th

### Sculpture

J. Kindt, 7th

### Decorative Stitching

R. Peters, 1st  
S. Wall, 2nd  
M. Holland, 7th

### Pencil

V. Wilborn, 6th  
L. Matter, 7th

### Poster

L. Hunt, 3rd

### Photography

E. Stoess, 1st  
N. Artzer, 4th

## OLYMPICS

**One Hundred Meter Dash, Boys**  
P. Faircloth, 1st

**One Hundred Meter Dash, Girls**  
T. Hogan, 3rd  
D. Hartz, 4th  
H. Hudson, 6th  
L. Hunt, 7th

**Two Hundred Meter Dash, Boys**  
G. Milligan, 4th

**Two Hundred Meter Dash, Girls**  
T. Hogan, 3rd  
R. Elmore, 9th

**Four Hundred Meter Dash, Girls**  
R. Elmore, 7th

**Long Jump, Girls**  
T. Hogan, 2nd

**Shot Put, Girls**  
L. Rey, 6th

**Fifty Meter Freestyle, Girls**  
K. Freeman, 4th  
D. Hartz, 5th

**One Hundred Meter Freestyle, Girls**  
L. Matter, 4th

**Fifty Meter Backstroke, Boys**  
J. Kindt, 1st

**One Hundred Meter Backstroke, Boys**  
J. Kindt, 1st

**Fifty Meter Butterfly, Girls**  
L. Matter, 2nd

## CREATIVE ARTS

### Costume

R. Peters, 1st

### English Oratory

J. Santoro, 4th, Level Two  
G. Milligan, 5th, Level Two  
R. Harrison, 5th, Level Three-Five

### Latin Oratory

P. Jallepalli, 7th, Level Three-Five

### Sight Recitation

J. Weinberg, 8th, Level Two  
J. Chen, 3rd, Level Three-Five  
P. Jallepalli, 4th, Level Three-Five

### Modern Mythology

W. Weatherspoon, 9th, Level Two  
R. Harrison, 7th, Level Three-Five

### Drama Interpretation

R. Peters, 7th, Level Three-Five

### Slogan

E. Michelle Holland, 3rd, Level Three-Five

### Essay

T. Hogan, 7th, Level One  
P. Jallepalli, 1st, Level Three-Five  
J. Chen, 4th, Level Three-Five  
M. Stanley, 5th, Level Three-Five  
R. Harrison, 9th, Level Three-Five

### Maryville Elects Officers

Since hosting the 1987 TJCL Convention, Maryville High School has demonstrated a new attitude toward Latin. With a 61 member chapter to back them, the newly elected JCL officers have already planned over five activities in which their club can be involved. The 1987-88 Maryville JCL officers pictured left to right are: back row, Tim Hamilton, Historian; Philip Faircloth, Consul; Heather Harris, Aedile; Annalis VanHook, scrapbook co-editor; Gerry Milligon, Parliamentarian; second row, Brian Pierce, Quaestor; Jennifer Lindsay, scrapbook co-editor; Melissa Nichols, consul; Pete Hitch, Scribe. Not pictured Shannon Dunnaly.



### Germantown JCL

This year, Germantown High School's JCL inducted 45 new members, bringing the club enrollment to a total of 80. At a pizza party, the new initiates were subjected to a scavenger hunt and singing "Mica, mica, parva stella."

The club has planned many activities for the upcoming year. Already scheduled are a fund-raiser for the trip to Murfreesboro in the spring and a Halloween cook-out. Also in the works is a banquet to honor new members in the Latin Honor Society.

The JCL at Germantown is sponsored by Mrs. Barbara Hardin. The 1987-88 officers are: Janet Wilson, President; Julie Dunn, Vice-President; Christy Smith, Secretary; Rob Thomas, Treasurer; Alice Kuo, Parliamentarian; Ginger Hawkins, Sergeant-at-Arms; and Marcy Sherman and Cathy Dang, Historians.



*Germantown JCL Initiation.*

## TJCL Has New State Chairperson

This year the TJCL has a new state chairperson, Ms. Virginia Baird. Ms. Baird succeeded Mrs. Marilyn Reinhardt at the end of this past NJCL convention in DeLand, Florida.

Ms. Baird is currently the Upper School Latin teacher at the Hutchison School in Memphis. She majored in the Classics while attending King College in Bristol, Tn., and received her master's degree in Latin from Tulane University. After this she taught Latin at Dobyns-Bennett High School in Kingsport for six years. She also taught Latin two semesters part-time at King College. In addition, she served as the East Tennessee Area Sponsor for four years, then upon her move to Memphis in the summer of 1986 she was the Academic Contests Chairperson.

Certainly the position of state chairperson is accompanied by many responsibilities, but Ms. Baird is enjoying the job tremendously. She says that she has always enjoyed organizing, and she feels that she will have much fun this upcoming year. We at the *Torch* staff welcome her as our new state chairperson and wish her the best of luck for this year.

## T-Shirt Design Contest

It's here at last, folks! Your chance for a new exciting TJCL t-shirt! If you are interested in designing the new t-shirt for the entire state, send your design in black ink or pencil on white 8½ x 11" paper to Lela Mahoney, TJCL President. Specify what colors you would like the t-shirt to be, and which design you want on the front and back of the shirt. Designs must reach Lela by January 15, 1988.

## Program Cover Design Contest

A contest is being held for the design of the cover to be used on the program for this year's state convention. The design should be done in black pencil or ink on an 8½ x 11" sheet of white paper, and it should consist of a classical theme. If your design is chosen, you will receive a certificate of recognition at the convention. Designs should be sent to Lela Mahoney, TJCL President by March 1, 1988. See the back page of the *Torch* for her address.

## Fall Planning Meeting

Dear JCL Members,

The annual fall planning meeting of the executive board was held on October 3, in Murfreesboro. Among the topics on the agenda were location and planning of state convention, JCL budget, and a few new projects like the program cover contest and the T-shirt design contest.

I was personally very pleased with the success of the meeting and feel that we easily accomplished our objectives. I would like to thank all those at Riverdale High and Oakland High who made our trip to Murfreesboro especially pleasant and productive.

If you have any suggestions, please feel free to write to any of the officers.

Your friend,  
Lela Mahoney  
President, TJCL

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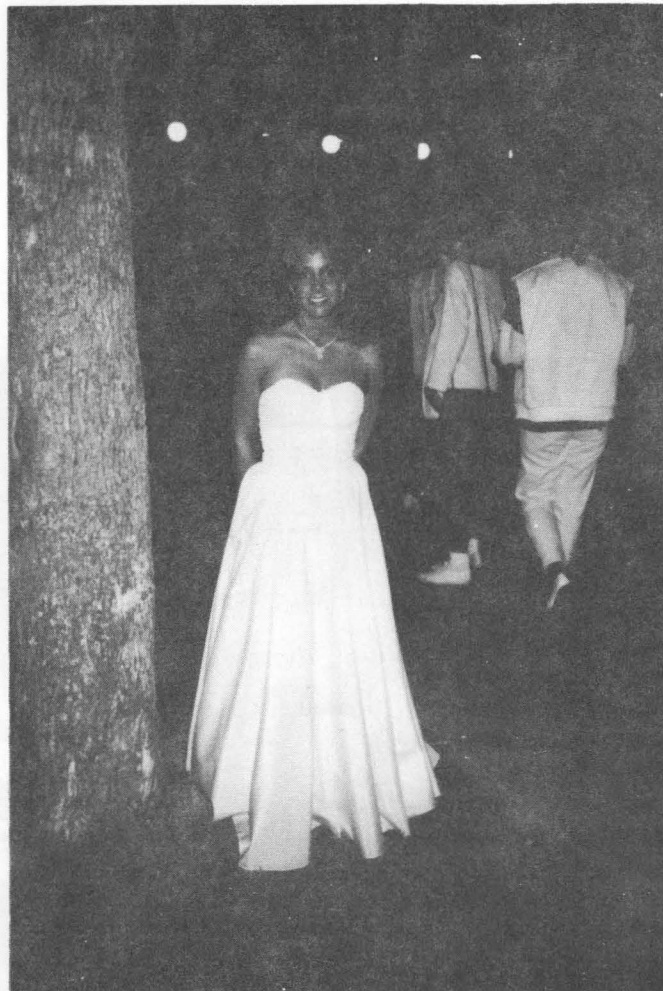
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Christy Smith, the Germantown JCL Secretary, was crowned 1987 Homecoming Queen.

## CERTAMEN

Novice, 2nd  
Lower, 2nd  
Upper, 1st

### OVERALL SWEEPSTAKES

7th, Olympic Sweepstakes  
2nd, Certamen Sweepstakes  
6th, Creative Arts Sweepstakes  
7th, Graphic Arts Sweepstakes  
2nd, Academic Sweepstakes  
3rd, Academic Achievement

### ACADEMIC BEST OF SHOW

**Grammar**  
Prasad Jallepalli

**Mottoes**  
Prasad Jallepalli

**Myth**  
Prasad Jallepalli  
Elizabeth Gildrie

**Hellenic History**  
Jeremy Chen

### CREATIVE ARTS BEST OF SHOW

**Essay**  
Prasad Jallepalli

### TOP 10 INDIVIDUAL HIGH SCORERS

Prasad Jallepalli, 1st  
Melissa Arnold, 9th

## SOURCES FOR THE ACADEMIC CONTESTS

<b>Grammar:</b>	Allen and Greenough: <b>New Latin Grammar</b> (New Rochelle, N.Y.: Caratzas Publishing Co., Inc.) Verbs from the official TJCL vocabulary list, revised 1987-88	<b>Vocabulary:</b>	1987-88 revised TJCL word list based on the ACL publication number 752
<b>Derivatives:</b>	ACL publication number 752: "Latin Word Building and Etymology Based on Modern Latin, Book One" by J.D. Sadler. This list may be obtained from the ACL Teacher Resource Center, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio 45056.	<b>Roman History:</b>	<b>History of Rome</b> , Cary and Scullard.
		<b>Roman Life:</b>	<b>Roman Life</b> , Mary Johnston.
		<b>Mythology:</b>	<b>Classical Mythology</b> , Mark Morford.
		<b>N.B.:</b>	TJCL will use any additional sources that NJCL may list for the coming year. Please see the NJCL bulletin for such additions.

## CERTAMEN VICTORIES

If you attended the final rounds in all three levels of Certamen at the national convention in Florida, then you know that Tennessee was up against some of the top players in the nation. The competition was stiff and the questions were tough as Texas, Tennessee, and Virginia squared off in each of the three levels of Certamen.

In Level I, Tennessee was represented by Satish Jallepalli, Melissa Arnold, Robert Yarborough, and Juan Johnson. The Level II team members were Elizabeth Gildrie, Shannon Wall, Randy Fields, and Chris Morton. In both Level I and Level II, Tennessee placed second, with Texas first, and Virginia third.

In Upper Division, Prasad Jallepalli, Jason Overby, Chris Chapin, and Mike Long led Tennessee to victory in a close round. After the nineteenth question, Tennessee was trailing Texas by five points. Midway through the moderator's reading of the twentieth question, Jallepalli buzzed in and answered correctly. Also answering the two consecutive bonus questions correctly, the Tennessee team beat both Texas and Virginia, 140-125-95.

## 1988 NJCL

### Convention Theme

"In amicitia autem nihil fictum, nihil simulatum; et, quidquid in ea est, id est verum, et voluntarium." Cicero, *De Amicitia*: 8.

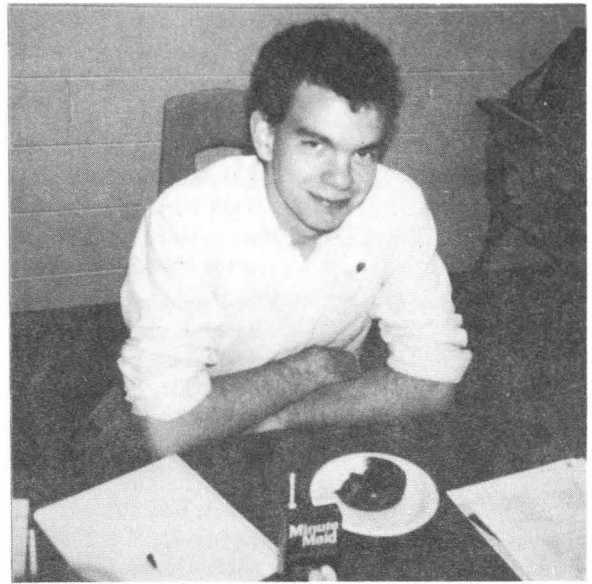
"In friendship we find nothing false or insincere; everything is straightforward and springs from the heart."

### GUIDELINES FOR THE ACADEMIC CONTESTS

- Each test (excluding the Reading Comprehension tests) will consist of 50 multiple choice questions and four answer choices.
- Reading Comprehension:** There will be three tests: Latin I, Latin II, and Advanced Latin which will be 50% prose and 50% poetry. These tests will contain 15-20 questions with four answer choices.
- Grammar:** There will be two tests: Latin I, and Latin II-IV. The Latin II-IV test will consist of the following: 30 questions from Latin II, 10 questions from Latin III, and 10 questions from Latin IV.
- Derivatives:** The derivative test will consist of the following four parts:
  - The definition of the Latin ROOT.
  - Pick the English word **not** derived from the Latin word.
  - Pick the Latin word **not** derived from the Latin word.
  - English vocabulary: what does the English word mean?
- Vocabulary, Roman History, Roman Life, Mythology:** There will be one test for all four levels of Latin for each of these tests. Each test will consist of 50 multiple choice questions with four answer choices.
- Pentathlon:** This test will consist of 50 questions extracted from the other tests as follows: 10 questions from the vocabulary, grammar, derivatives, and mythology tests; 5 questions from the Roman Life and Roman History tests.



*Lela Mahoney*



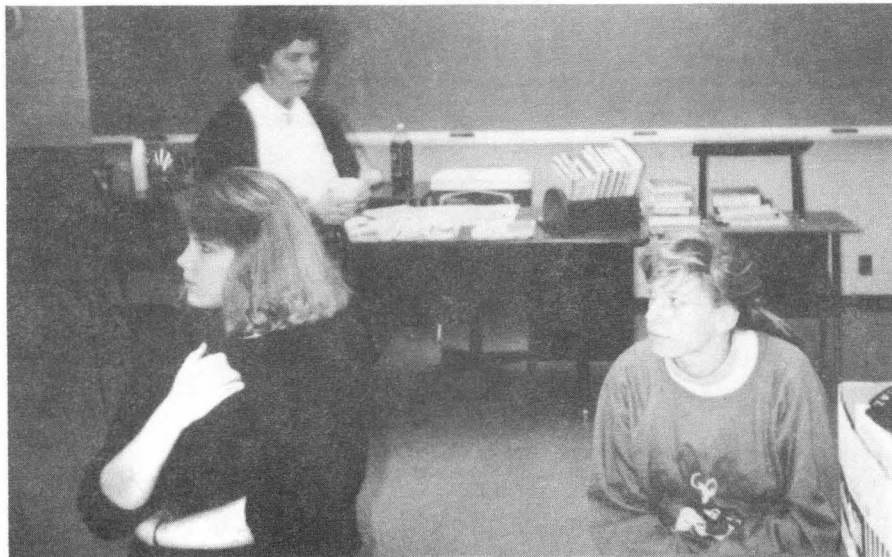
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