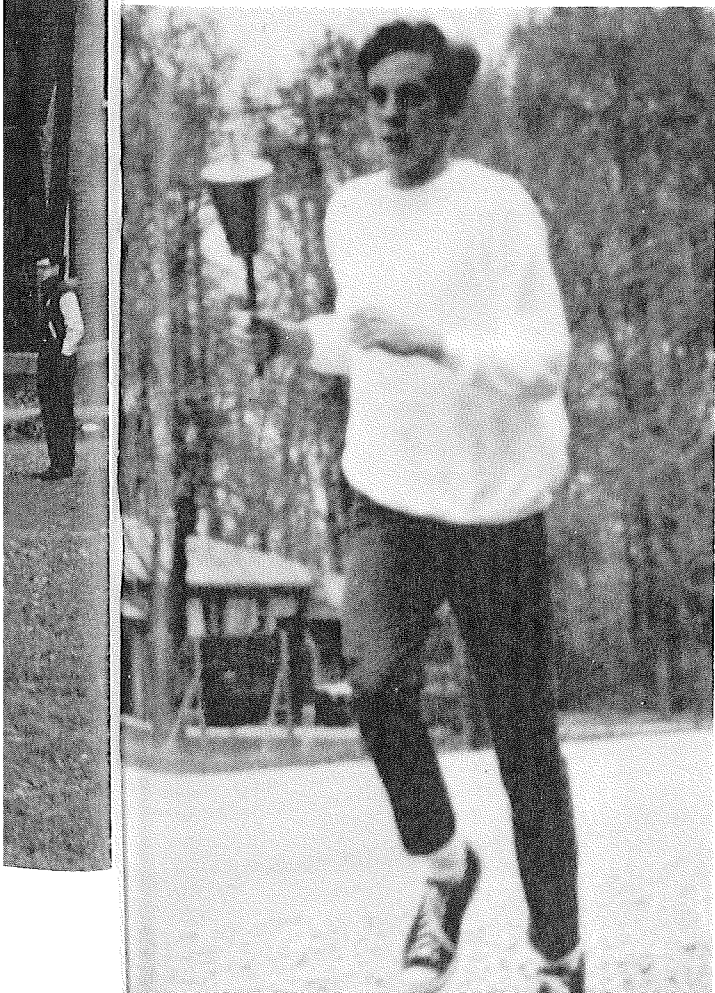


## RUN, RUN...

Runners and fans alike have gotten a great deal of satisfaction out of the '68 season. The two returning lettermen were Mike Hoyman and Steve Englebert, the latter being lost for the season due to a knee injury. Yet coach Tom Jensen, a new comer to NHS and the cross country helm, shaped Neenah's team into consistently tough competition.

Returning for the '69 season will be lettermen Jon and Jeff Huffman, Doug Angerer, George Steed, and Larry Schloemer.

# RUNNERS UP!



Inspired by the magnificence of Olympian tradition, NHS ROCKETS introduced the torch run to this year's Homecoming. Forty-five boys went by bus to Green Bay and each ran two half-miles, in turn, passing the torch on until they reached home. With some of the gusto of an Olympian athlete the last runner skirted the track and presented the torch to Queen Cheri Aldridge, who lit the cauldron, officially beginning Homecoming festivities. The torch and the runner were to symbolize the hope for victory.

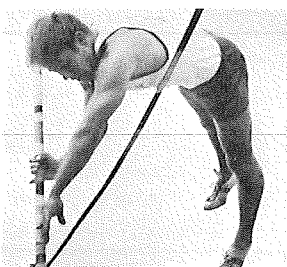
But victory, alas, was not realized in this Homecoming game! With just seconds remaining and the ball on the two yard line, we still had a glimmer of hope for a tie in the conference championship. In a final race with time, the clock ran out as the ROCKETS missed a possible touchdown by seconds, conceding the conference championship.

Homecoming frivolities had begun on Friday night with the wildly hilarious Snake Dance and the burning of the "W". The float competition on Saturday morning was charged with more color and gaiety than ever before with a new feature added. Each class constructed twenty-five 4 x 10 foot banners. Students marching with them behind their float in the parade struggled against a strong wind. The posters, with such slogans as "We'll tweet 'em to victory," "We'll bury them in Bedrock," and "Our team is g-r-reat," were in keeping with the theme of cartoon characters. The Junior float, "Rock it to 'em," featuring Fred Flintstone captured first place. The weekend concluded with the reign of Queen Cheri Aldridge and King John McKellips amidst an atmosphere of "The Land of Id" . . . Homecoming is a wonderful time!



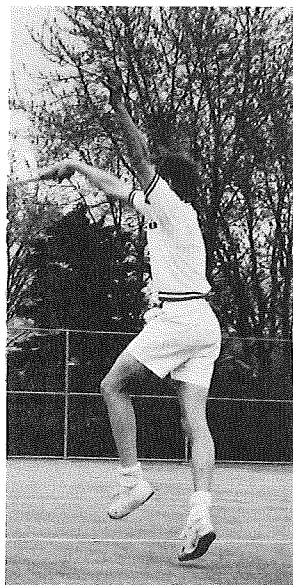
### CROSS COUNTRY

Appleton West Meet:  
 Neenah 1st  
 Kaukauna Invitational:  
 Neenah 1st  
 Shawano Invitational:  
 Neenah 3rd  
 Fond du Lac Triangular:  
 Neenah 1st  
 Oshkosh Quadrangular:  
 Neenah 1st  
 Oshkosh Invitational:  
 Neenah 6th  
 Manitowoc Invitational:  
 Neenah 6th  
 Shawano Meet:  
 Neenah 1st  
 Conference Meet:  
 Neenah 2nd  
 Regional Meet:  
 Neenah 2nd  
 Sectional Meet:  
 Neenah 9th



### TRACK

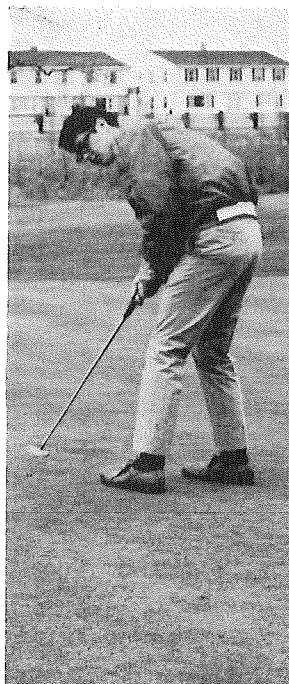
Indoor Season  
 Manitowoc Quadrangular:  
 Neenah 2nd  
 Conference Meet:  
 Neenah 12th  
 Outdoor Season  
**NEENAH**  
 68 Green Bay 59  
 South West  
 90 Preble 37  
 69 Manitowoc 58  
 46 Green Bay West 81  
 58 Green Bay East 69  
 Kimberly Triangular:  
 Neenah 2nd  
 Fond du Lac Invitational:  
 Neenah 6th  
 Neenah Triangular:  
 Neenah 1st  
 Conference Meet:  
 Neenah 8th  
 Conference Relays:  
 Neenah 8th  
 Regional Meet:  
 Neenah 3rd  
 Sectional Meet:  
 Neenah 5th  
 State Meet:  
 Skip Iltis  
 Doug Angerer  
 John Arpin  
 Bob Heidke  
 Gerry Boushley



### TENNIS

(Won 7, Lost 3, Tied 0)

**NEENAH**  
 4 Rhinelander 5  
 6 Kimberly 1  
 3 Beaver Dam 6  
 7 Oshkosh 0  
 6 Appleton West 1  
 6 Appleton East 1  
 9 Wausau 0  
 5 Menasha 2  
 3 Manitowoc 4  
 4 Oshkosh 3  
 Quadrangular State Meet:  
 Neenah 2nd  
 Appleton East Invitational:  
 Neenah 2nd  
 Conference Meet:  
 Neenah 2nd  
 Regional Meet:  
 Neenah 1st  
 (Tied)  
 Sectional Meet:  
 Neenah 1st  
 State Meet:  
 John Whitlinger  
 Tom Ponto  
 Jim Smith  
 John Whitlinger,  
 State Singles Champion



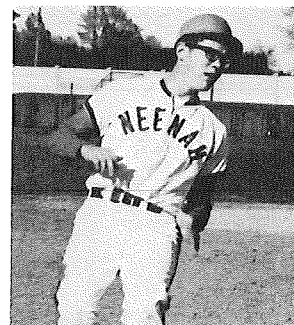
### GOLF

**NEENAH**  
 167 Appleton West 165\*  
 Oshkosh 166  
 179 Green Bay West 173  
 160 Clintonville 188  
 172 Sheboygan North 169  
 Manitowoc 161  
 Sheboygan South 173  
 179 Green Bay East 172  
 155 Two Rivers 171  
 167 Manitowoc 161  
 Sheboygan South 159  
 Conference Match:  
 Neenah 1st  
 Regional Match:  
 Neenah 1st  
 Sectional Match:  
 Neenah 5th  
 \*Lowest score wins

### VARSITY BASEBALL

(Won 3, Lost 11, Tied 0)

**NEENAH**  
 3 Menasha 11  
 2 Fond du Lac 8  
 2 Fond du Lac 8  
 0 Oshkosh 5  
 5 Oshkosh 4  
 9 Kimberly 2  
 2 Manitowoc 4  
 1 Manitowoc 3  
 4 Fond du Lac 6  
 4 Fond du Lac 6  
 3 Oshkosh 5  
 3 Oshkosh 5  
 3 Manitowoc 2  
 5 Manitowoc 6  
 Tournament  
 4 Winneconne 0  
 13 Oshkosh 3  
 3 Berlin 2  
 1 Menasha 2



### JV BASEBALL

(Won 4, Lost 3, Tied 0)

**NEENAH**  
 1 Menasha 3  
 8 Oshkosh 3  
 4 Menasha 11  
 2 Fond du Lac 5  
 4 Fond du Lac 3  
 4 Oshkosh 3  
 4 Oshkosh 3