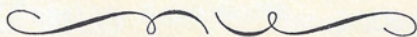


NORTH BENNINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Commencement Exercises



Thursday Evening, June 11, 1959

Eight o'clock

CLASS MOTTO

"Progress Through Learning"

CLASS ROLL

Daniel Batonick	Edward Joseph Nadeau
Nelson Edward Center	J. Scott Percey
William Ray Crosier	Anne Wallis Smith
Loren Robert Disque	Beth Marie Stevens
Deborah Phoebus Elwell	Robert James Thomson
Penelope Elizabeth Gates	Gerald Arthur VanNess
John Edward Lauzon	Antoinette Maria Vince
Ronald Harris Loomis	Allan Keyes Washburn
Michael Joseph McGuire	Dennis A. Wilson
Elizabeth Jane Myers	

CLASS OFFICERS

President	Daniel Batonick
Vice-President	Antoinette Vince
Secretary	Penelope Gates
Treasurer	Deborah Elwell

CLASS FLOWER

Red Carnation

CLASS COLORS

Black and Gold

Program

Senior Processional: "War March of the Priests" Mendelssohn

Opening Address: Antoinette Vince

Introduction of Speaker: Anne Smith

Commencement Address: "The Years Ahead"

Massimo Salvadori

Closing Address: Deborah Elwell

Selection: "Onward, Ye Peoples"

Sibelius

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

Presentation of Diplomas

Announcement of Honors

Senior Recessional and Reception

—AWARDS—

PRO MERITO

Daniel Batonick, Deborah Elwell, Edward Nadeau, Anne Smith and
Antoinette Vince

ALL STATE MUSIC FESTIVAL

Deborah Elwell, Penelope Gates, William Crosier

ARION AWARD

Penelope Gates

NEW ENGLAND MUSIC FESTIVAL

Deborah Elwell, Penelope Gates

MOUNT ROYAL MUSIC FESTIVAL

William Crosier, Deborah Elwell, Penelope Gates, Dennis Wilson

GIRLS' STATE

Anne Smith, Antoinette Vince

BOYS' STATE

Daniel Batonick, Allan Washburn

D. A. R. AWARD

Girls — Anne Smith Boys — Daniel Batonick

EDMUNDS ESSAY DISTRICT PRIZE

1st District Prize, 1956-57, 4th State Honor Prize, 1956—Deborah Elwell
District Honorable Mention, 1959 — Deborah Elwell

BETTY CROCKER AWARD

Antoinette Vince

HAHER AWARD

Ronald Loomis, Gerald VanNess

NORSHAFT LIONS' AWARD

Antoinette Vince

Ronald Loomis

BALFOUR AWARD

Antoinette Vince

FIRST STATE AWARD FROM THE NATIONAL COUNCIL
OF TEACHERS OF ENGLISH

Deborah Elwell

SCHOLARSHIPS

Deborah Phoebus Elwell — University of Vermont, Ripon College
Penelope Elizabeth Gates — Bennington College
Edward Joseph Nadeau — University of Vermont
Antoinette Maria Vince — Forest & Farmland Foundation, Univ. of Vt.
Anne Smith — University of Vermont

ROBINSON MEMORIAL ESSAY CONTEST

First State Honor Prize, 1956 — Deborah Elwell