

Left to right: Kneeling—G. Hoffman, F. Wilson, J. Gmaz. Standing—Coach Thornbury, J. Ernschwender, D. Zanitsch, T. Dietz.



Keglers Lead P. H. S. L.

Hughestown's keggers, after a long season of rough competition, brought the public high league championship back to Hughes this year with an 18-6 won-lost record. Led by Captain Jerry Ernschwender, the Big Reds ended the season with an average of 844. This was just enough to beat a determined Western Hills team. Late in the season, the boys had trouble hitting the pocket, and the Western Hills and Woodward teams both made determined efforts to capture the title.

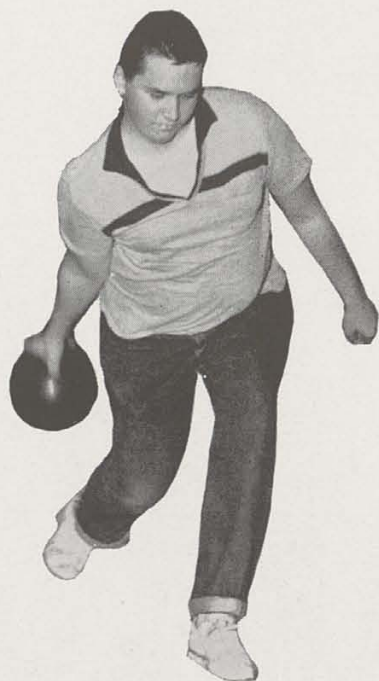
In the last session of the season, the Big Red keggers came through against Woodward with a three-game team total of 2698. Dave Zanitsch was high man in this effort with a three-game total of 580.

Seniors on this year's championship squad include Jerry

Ernschwender, Tom Dietz, Dave Zanitsch, and John Gmaz. One junior, Frank Wilson, and the great sophomore prospect, George Hoffman, complete the varsity.

Although bowling is no longer considered a public high league sport, and no letters are given for competition, the boys worked hard Tuesday afternoons at Felson's Lanes. Three of the six boys bowled on last year's team, which finished just behind Western Hills. All the Hughes bowlers this year really enjoyed the game, bowling in several other leagues during the week, with captain Jerry Ernschwender often getting in as many as twenty-five games each week.

Besides won-lost record, Hughestown's hard-hitting keggers led the league in other departments. Big Jerry Ernschwender had the high average with 184, and the Big Reds as a team had a high three-game team total with 2627. Surely the bowlers did much to keep up the Hughestown tradition of excellence.



1959 Bowling Record

Opposition	Hughes	Hughes
	Wins	Losses
Central	0	4
Taft	4	0
Walnut Hills	4	0
Western Hills	2	2
Withrow	4	0
Woodward	4	0

Individual Averages

Ernschwender	184
Hoffman	171
Zanitsch	170
Dietz	165
Gmaz	162
Wilson	159