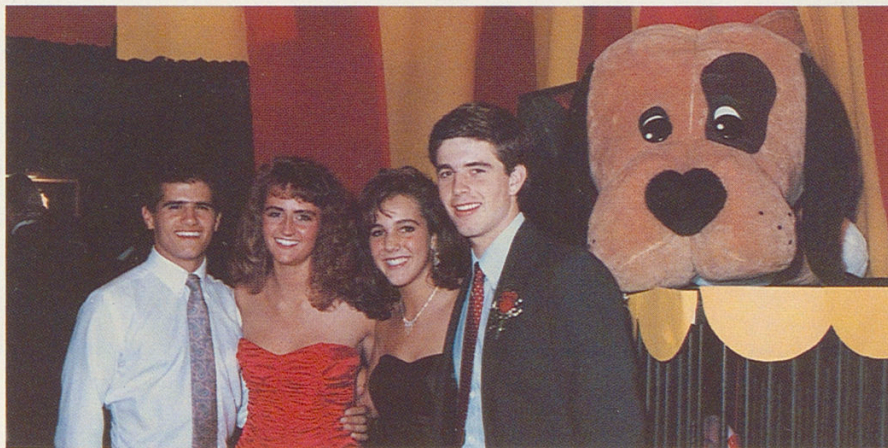


Big Night Under the Big Top

By 9 o'clock on Saturday night the parking lot was beginning to fill. The rustle of taffeta and lace dresses could be heard as girls were helped from the car by thoughtful dates. Inside the commons, the band LIXX was starting some opening tunes while the first few couples stepped out onto the dance floor. The theme was "Big Night Under the Big Top," and colorful decorations transformed the commons into a magical circus. The red and yellow

big top was the most eye-catching, surrounded by various circus animals, brightly decorated tables, and of course, lots of balloons.

By 10 o'clock the dance floor was packed with students dancing and enjoying themselves. Finally, the court was presented to the students at 11:30 while the band played the theme song, "Wild Horses" by the Rolling Stones.



ABOVE: Nick Masino, Suzanne Larkin, Gretchen Friedersdorff.



ABOVE: Amy Wessinger and Scott Multner.