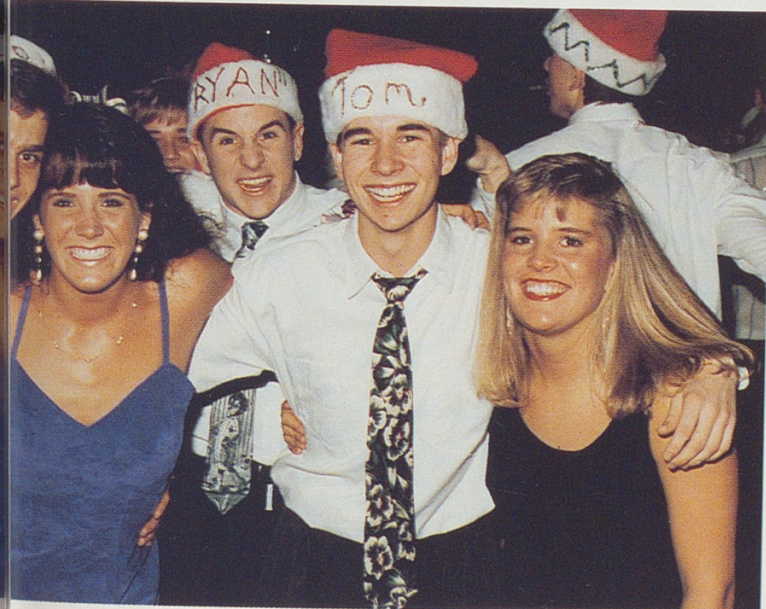


Enjoying their night at the Winter dance, seniors Pam Willinger, Joel Guigui, Amy Willinger and date Eric Baker take a break from the dancing.



The Winter Dance

Girls Ask Guys this Time

Year after year, when the holiday season rolls around, so to does the Winter Formal. This dance brings along the uniqueness of girls asking the guys, holiday spirit, and informality.

"And To All A Good Night" was similar to Holiday Dance's of past, in that lavish decorations, the entertaining music of Shanarah, and holiday spirit were everywhere. Senior Alison Bangs thought that this formal was especially exciting because of the holiday spirit. "Seeing the downtown Cincinnati Christmas lights while riding in a limousine was extremely special. That cannot be done at any other dance," she said.

Sophomore Mandy McCullough said that she enjoyed the dance because it was a relief to escape the hassles of school for one evening. She stated, "It's a break from school in the middle of the year while Homecoming and Prom are at busy times of the year."

Again, uniqueness lies in the fact that girls escort the guys to the dance, also known as Sadie Hawkins. Girls and guys alike both seemed to find it more intriguing to choose their own dates, but at this dance, the girls did

the asking. Senior Julie Beerman said, "I would rather choose my own date because then I would be going with someone of my choice rather than with someone that I didn't want to be with."

Missy Webb, a junior, disagreed with Beerman's sentiments and commented, "I would rather be asked because there's a lot less pressure on me."

On the other hand, there were girls who would have rather taken matters into their own hands. Senior Mallory Minson said, "This dance is terrific because it seems to be less formal, and, of course, the girls are in charge."

All in all, the dance was an extreme success. "We (student council) were really pleased that everything went well, and that everyone had a wonderful time," said student council representative Mary Beth Neenan.

To many students, the Winter Formal may have been just one dance out of the many that they attended. Yet, a dance around the holidays that is a little different from other dances made for a fun evening on December 7, 1991.

by Benjamin Tolchinsky



"We get a picture taken at every dance because of tradition."

Lauren and Liz Basden

"I wore the hat to head bang with since I don't have long hair."

Steven Moseley

