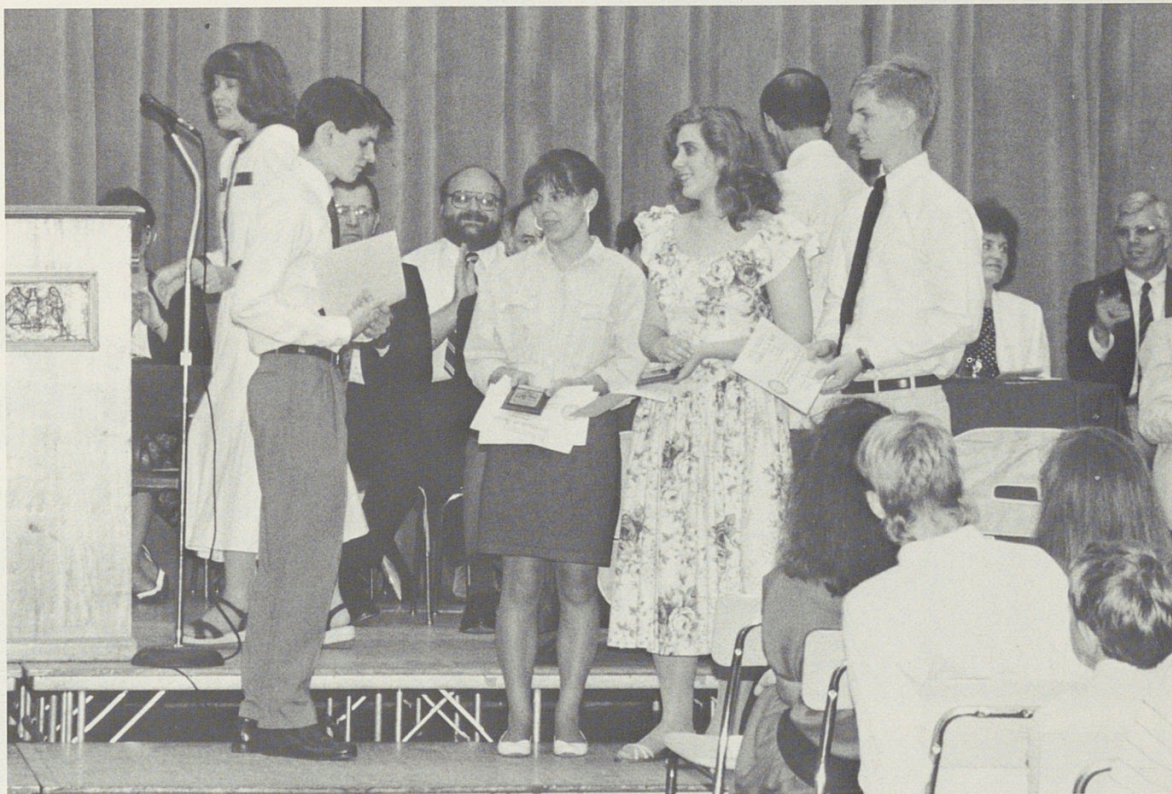


Jon Hartsel, Rebecca Kass, Sandi Hassinger, and Scott Burns receive their awards for placing first in the state in American History.



Underclass and Seniors Win Recognition

On the evening of Friday, June 1, more than eighty-five freshmen, sophomores, and juniors were recognized for their outstanding achievements at the annual Underclass Awards Ceremony.

This was only the second year that the assembly was held at night. Assistant Principal Steven Hill explained, "We decided to hold the assembly at night so that more parents could attend, and because a majority of the student body did not really care about the awards."

As Hill further explained, "The purpose of the Underclass Awards is to recognize those individuals who have achieved excellence during the course of the school year."

Senior Recognition Night was held on Friday, June 8. Almost 200 seniors marched through the commons that night before family and friends.

Hill commented, "The Senior Awards Night is unique because the awards seniors receive are the result of four years of excellence, whereas the Underclass Awards focuses on the achievements of a single year. This is also our last time to recognize outstanding seniors before graduation."

Honor Cords, medallions, scholarships, and Ohio Tests of Scholastic Achievement results were just some of the many awards presented that night.

The administration feels that the two ceremonies do a good job of recognizing students' achievements. When asked if any changes were planned for either of the programs, Hill said, "We have no specific changes in mind at this time, but we are always looking to make the programs better."

By Rick Juneja



Mrs. Klefas congratulates Randi Levy for receiving the freshman English Medallion.