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Dirty Lou's



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The waitress at Dirty Lou's that I remember was a red head named Margie.



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As I replied to Larry - I avoided her and ordered at the counter from Lou. There was a choice of dirty mouth Margie, or just plain Dirty Lou in his t-shirt.

Maybe we could have a "Dirty Lou" motif for the next picnic.

Who Was that Man at the Piano



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Ok, for trivia, let's have some fun with the Senior Vaudeville pics !

I'll start: what was the name of the song (and from what Broadway Play) that was sung when the whole crew marched in down the center aisle of the auditorium that started the whole thing off? This was the **FIRST** time this type of entrance was ever done for a Sr. V.

In the picture of the Vaudeville band, who is the handsome guy playing the piano!



What were the acts?

Please, get anyone else to help out here...so many memories of that time...I was SO thrilled to be a part of it. I never felt more a part of GHS and felt like I had lots of friends then from that particular endeavor.

By the way, I say most humbly, ALL the pics taken of the Vaudeville were taken by yours truly...you can thank me personally (guys) for the pic of Sharron in the Hawaiian dress !



100 Years of Perrot



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Wanted to take a moment to thank you for your time and effort to prepare and send the WWW Weekly Wreder. I have been away from Greenwich for over 40 years living and working in California, however the Wreder has rekindled nostalgia that lay dormant the past 4 decades. The recent article in the 1/19/05 Wreder about the century mark for the Perrot Memorial Library was near and dear to my high school history. I started working after school while attending Eastern JHS in '58 replacing books on the shelf and

continued until '64 as the night reference librarian while attending Fairfield University. Like most guys of the '60s, just loved cars, all kinds. I remember the head librarian, Eileen Wallach, drove a '59 Ford Skyliner. The one that had the hard-top roof retract into the trunk, one cool car, especially for the "madam librarian".



I also enjoyed the pictures and story on Cos Cob. My father was born near the Bush Holly House, worked at Palmer Marine on the Mianus River for 30 years and had no intention of leaving the Greenwich area except when he had to take a boat ride with a gun during WW II. Thanks again for the Wreminiscin, I hope to make the sixty-first birthday bash at the Point.

Cheat Sheets Accepted Here

At least one answer to Jim's Questions has already been featured in WW-N-W back in July of 2003 when we ran several items found in the now "infamous" attic of Gene Davino.

The Davino Collection does not stop there. Also among the items that Gene found, are the following trivia, that may bring back some other wonderful memories, I offer the "simulated version" of the handwritten notes for the Senior Vaudeville:

<i>Act I</i>	<i>Possible Order of Acts</i>	<i>Act II</i>
1. Opening "Hey Look Me Over"	1. African Dancers	
2. M. C. s	2. Dirty Tom's	
3. bits; Hill Billy Dance	3. M. C. s	
4. Dairy Queen	4. Alaska & Hawaii	
5. M. C. s	5. Bomb Shelter	
6. Dancers - Lindy	6. M. C. s White House Poker	
7. Pantomime - Painters	7. Ballet - Dancers	
8. "Big Wide Wonderful World"	8. Chorus - Let's Get Away From (unreadable)	
9. Ballet Class	9. Cumbaya	
10. Doing What Comes Naturally	10. Still Alarm	
11. M. C. s	11. Cheerleaders	
12. Dancers - Chamber	12. Tonight	
13. McEnany & Slothower	13. M. C. s	
14. Sing Along	14. Finale	

Beer Thought by Famous Philosophers



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1. Sometimes when I reflect on all the beer I drink I feel ashamed. Then I look into the glass and think about the workers in the brewery and all of their hopes and dreams. If I didn't drink this beer, they might be out of work and their dreams would be shattered. I think, "It is better to drink this beer and let their dreams come true than be selfish and worry about my liver. Babe Ruth

2. I feel sorry for people who don't drink. When they wake up in the morning, that's as good as they're going to feel all day. Lyndon B. Johnson

3. An intelligent man is sometimes forced to be drunk to spend time with his fools. Ernest Hemingway

4. When I read about the evils of drinking, I gave up reading. Paul Hornung

5. 24 hours in a day, 24 beers in a case. Coincidence? I think not. H. L. Mencken

6. When we drink, we get drunk. When we get drunk, we fall asleep. When we fall asleep, we commit no sin. When we commit no sin, we go to heaven. So, let's all get drunk and go to heaven! George Bernard Shaw

7. Beer is proof that God loves us and wants us to be happy. Benjamin Franklin

8. Without question, the greatest invention in the history of mankind is beer. Oh, I grant you that the wheel was also a fine invention, but the wheel does not go nearly as well with pizza. Dave Barry

9. BEER: HELPING UGLY PEOPLE have sex since 3000 B.C.! W. C. Fields

10. Remember "I" before "E", except in Budweiser. Professor Irwin Corey

11. To some it's a six-pack, to me it's a Support Group. Salvation in a can! Leo Durocher

12. One night at Cheers, Cliff Clavin explained the "Buffalo Theory" to his buddy Norm: "Well ya see, Norm, it's like this. A herd of buffalo can only move as fast as the slowest buffalo. And when the herd is hunted, it is the slowest and weakest ones at the back that are killed first. This natural selection is good for the herd as a whole, because the general speed and health of the whole group keeps improving by the regular killing of the weakest members. In much the same way, the human brain can only operate as fast as the slowest brain cells. Excessive intake of alcohol, as we know, kills brain cells. But naturally, it attacks the slowest and weakest brain cells first. In this way, regular consumption of beer eliminates the weaker brain cells, making the brain a faster and more efficient machine! That's why you always feel smarter after a few beers."