

The first yearbook

Prior to opening day, Mr. Merkely was quoted in the newspapers as saying that the only definite decision about extra-curricular activities at the new school was that there would be a football team. In fact, the equipment and familiar black, orange and white uniforms were already in the school in the summer prior to the school's opening. In its inaugural season, Woodroffe lost the final in Jr. C football 7-6. As chronicled in the 1960-61 yearbook, however, many other teams and clubs existed, even in the first year. Girls fielded teams in:

Jr. and Sr. Volleyball

Cheerleaders

Tumbling

Jr. Basketball.

Boys played:

Football

Bantam and Jr. Basketball.

In addition the following clubs and organizations had group photographs in the first yearbook:

Art

Chess

Curling (that should have been listed as a sport)

Stamps

Debating

Geography

Band

Science

Library

Choir

Dissecting.

Local businesses that advertised in the 1960-61 yearbook were:

- Throop Pharmacy (Westgate Shopping Centre)
- Pinecrest Texaco (Baseline at Pinecrest)
- Singer Sewing Machine Co. (104 Rideau St.)
- Carlingwood Barber Shop (10 barbers at your service)
- A.H. Jarvis (328 Laurier Ave. West, school texts all year round)
- Gamin's Emporium (1060 Richmond Rd.)
- Allied Building Supplies (Ottawa) Ltd. (2932 Baseline Rd.)
- F.W. Woolworth & Co. Ltd. (Carlingwood Shopping Centre)
- Riverside Gardens Motel (Highway 17)
- Charles Moore Ltd. service station (2599 Carling Ave.)
- Earl Valley Ltd. (1195 Richmond Rd.)
- Schroeter's Esso Service (Richmond Rd. & Carling Ave.)
- Zeller's Ltd. (Carlingwood Shopping Centre)
- Armstrong-Richardson (Carlingwood Shopping Centre)
- Oval Sporting Goods Ltd. (66 Main St.)

- Brown's Shoe Store (792 Bank St.)
- Louis Steenbakkers, Contractor (352 Woodroffe Ave.)
- A.W. Kritsch Ltd. Men's and Boy's Wear (106 Rideau St.)
- Wood's Vocational Advisory Service of Canada Ltd. (389 Rideau St.)
- Leeson's Pharmacy (838 Bank St.)
- John Steenbakkers Lumber Co. (Bell's Corners)
- McCormick's Esso Service (Richmond Rd.)
- Simpson-Sears (Carlingwood Shopping Centre)
- Campbell's Esso Service (Richmond Rd. & Island Park Dr.)
- Toy World (Carlingwood Shopping Centre)
- Frederick J. Dixon, Precision Woodworkers (2267 Carling Ave.)
- Noel L. Oliver, CLU, Standard Life Assurance Co. (234 Laurier Ave. West)
- Gervais Musical Supplies (335 Cumberland St.)
- Ottawa Typewriter Co. Ltd. (194 Laurier Ave. West).