

① Congratulations to Brooklyn Centers
Girls Track Team - + Boys
Baseball team in winning
your Conference Championships

② Jim Norwick - Community Education
& Athletic Director
Bill Shirek

Mr. McCartney]
OUTLINE OF REMARKS BY SENATOR HUBERT H. HUMPHREY

+ Supt. Ross
③ Principal - Walter Bernards
BROOKLYN CENTER ATHLETIC BANQUET

④ Chairman of Boosters Club - Rosemary
BROOKLYN CENTER, MINNESOTA

MAY 16, 1975

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⑤ Mayor Representative Bill Luther - 45B
(wife Darlene)

Senator al Kowalski
Mayor Phil Cohen
Skip Humphrey

Athletes
Cheerleaders
Band
Centaurettes
Athletic Boosters
School Board

Doland U of M. (Basketball)

I AM DELIGHTED TO BE HERE TODAY TO HONOR BROOKLYN CENTER'S
FINE ATHLETES, CHEERLEADERS, CENTAURETTES (DANCE LINE), AND
THEIR BOOSTERS,

I AM GLAD TO SEE SUCH A LARGE TURNOUT OF PARENTS,
INTERESTED TOWNSPEOPLE, STUDENTS, BROTHERS AND SISTERS,

BUT THIS TYPIFIES THE FINE SPIRIT OF MINNESOTA. WE'RE A
STATE THAT KNOWS THAT EDUCATION CAN'T SIMPLY BE LEFT TO THE
TEACHERS, ALTHOUGH THEY DO A FINE JOB. WE KNOW THAT EDUCATION
IS A COMMUNITY AFFAIR,

Community Involvement spirit
THIS BANQUET EXPRESSES OUR COMMITMENT TO TOTAL COMMUNITY

INVOLVEMENT IT IS FITTING THAT WE'RE HERE TODAY TO HONOR

Students - & Adults
BOTH THE STUDENT ATHLETES ON THE FIELD AND THE ADULTS CHEERING

THEM ON THE SIDELINES.

Adult Awards

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-- THREE AWARDS ARE BEING PRESENTED TO ADULTS: ATHLETIC

BOOSTER AWARD, PAST PRESIDENT'S AWARD, AND SPECTATOR OF THE

YEAR AWARD:

4 Student Awards

-- FOUR MAJOR AWARDS WILL BE MADE TO STUDENTS: 2 SCHOLAR-

SHIPS, AND 2 SPORTSMANSHIP AWARDS (^{one sportsmanship award} TO TOP MALE AND FEMALE

to the outstanding female Athlete - one to outstanding
ATHLETES), male Athlete

I HARDLY NEED TO STRESS TO THIS AUDIENCE THE IMPORTANCE

OF TOTAL COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT IN EDUCATION AND IN MAKING

OUR SCHOOLS SERVE AS COMMUNITY CENTERS FOR ALL OF US.

MINNESOTA HAS BEEN IN THE FOREFRONT OF TOTAL COMMUNITY

INVOLVEMENT

in Education

Community
Centers!

Schools as Community Centers

AFTER NORMAL SCHOOL HOURS, BROOKLYN CENTER IS AN ACTIVE COMMUNITY EDUCATION CENTER FOR ALL ITS RESIDENTS. BROOKLYN CENTER'S COMMUNITY EDUCATION PROGRAM IS A VIBRANT AND GROWING ONE.

ATHLETICS ARE IMPORTANT -- FOR THE VALUES THAT THEY HELP INCULCATE: LOYALTY, HONESTY, FAIRNESS, LEADERSHIP.

WE NEED NEW, YOUNG LEADERS WHO UNDERSTAND WHAT LOYALTY, HONESTY, AND FAIRNESS MEAN.

YOU YOUNG ATHLETES HERE WILL KEEP WITH YOU THROUGHOUT YOUR LIVES THE VALUES YOU HAVE LEARNED HERE -- EVEN AFTER YOU NO LONGER CAN THROW A CURVE BALL OR SWIM TEN LENGTHS OF AN OLYMPIC SIZE POOL.

IT IS THESE VALUES THAT ARE OUR CHIEF CONCERN WHEN WE
ASSERT THAT YOUNG PEOPLE ARE THE FUTURE OF OUR COUNTRY.

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