

BREWSTER ACADEMY

WOLFEBORO, NEW HAMPSHIRE



COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

June 14 to 17, 1956

CLASS OFFICERS

President
Kenneth Hamilton Gould

Vice President
Sally Ann Glidden

Treasurer
Harry Charles Merrow

Secretary
Anne Spencer

Class Marshal
Harry Charles Merrow

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

Senior Beach Party, Brewster Beach, 5:30 P. M.

Principal and Mrs. Rogers

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

Athletic Awards

8:45 A. M., Chapel Hall

SATURDAY, JUNE 16

Class Day Exercises

2:00 P. M., Brewster Campus

Presentation of Senior Class Gift

Kenneth H. Gould

Class History

Janet D. White, David N. Rich

Class Will

Judith A. Nockles, Nancy J. Bickford

Class Prophecy

Priscilla M. Brown, Joan S. Murray

Ivy Address

Dianne Rogers

Junior Class Tea for Graduates, Parents and Friends

3:00 P. M., Brewster Campus

Trustees' Meeting

3:30 P. M., Academy Building

Business Meeting of Alumni Association

5:30 P. M., Academy Building

Brewster Banquet

6:30 P. M., New Memorial Building

Alumni Ball, semi-formal

8:30 P. M., New Memorial Building

SUNDAY, JUNE 17

Baccalaureate Service 11:00 A. M., Congregational Church
Dr. Frank Montague Swaffield, Residing Minister

Organ Prelude

Processional

Invocation

Hymn 168

Scripture Reading

Anthem—God of Our Fathers

Prayer

Offertory—Hymn 375

Address, Rev. Frederick W. Alden, D. D., Minister of
New Hampshire Congregational-Christian Conference

Hymn 415

Benediction

Recessional

Music by the Brewster Choir
Burtis F. Vaughan, Jr., Organist and Choir Director

Graduation Exercises 3:00 P. M., New Memorial Building

Processional

Prayer

Rev. Lewis E. Coffin
All Saints Episcopal Church, Wolfeboro

Address of Welcome

Kenneth H. Gould

Address to Undergraduates

Robert E. Smith

Presentation of Awards

Principal Vincent D. Rogers

Graduation Address

Professor Charles H. Watts, II
Department of English, Brown University

Award of Diplomas

Hon. Chester E. Merrow, M. C.

Recessional

Reception for Parents, Trustees and Faculty

4:30 P. M., Principal and Mrs. Rogers, Lord House

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AWARDS FOR 1956

The Arthur M. Hurlin Award to the member of the graduating class who has done most for the welfare, good name, and progress of the Academy.

DIANNE ROGERS

The Daughters of the American Revolution Award for the best work in American History.

ROBERT E. SMITH

The D. A. R. Award to the member of the graduating class chosen to represent Brewster in the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage held annually at the State Capitol.

DIANNE ROGERS

The Alumni Association of the Wolfeboro High School prize for the student doing the best work in First Year Latin.

MARGARET REISSFELDER

The Principal's Prize for the member of the Senior Class with best school attendance record.

JUDITH A. NOCKLES

The Grace Webster Heartz Prize for excellence in English.

NANCY J. BICKFORD

The Eva A. Mooar Prize for excellence in French.

DIANNE ROGERS

The Eva A. Mooar Prize for excellence in Spanish.

ROBERT E. SMITH

English and Foreign Language Prizes endowed by Violet Pike, Class of 1911.

The Bausch-Lomb Award for excellence in Science.

KENNETH H. GOULD

The William J. Britton Award to that member of the graduating class who has contributed most to the success of the musical organization of the Academy.

ANNE SPENCER

JANET D. WHITE

The National Society of Colonial Daughters Prize for the best Patriotic Essay.

NANCY J. BICKFORD

The Faculty Award to the student in the graduating class whose general record since the end of the freshman year shows the greatest improvement.

DAVID N. RICH

The Wolfeboro Chamber of Commerce Awards:
For excellence in Commercial Subjects.

JUDITH A. NOCKLES

For excellence in Mathematics.

ROBERT E. SMITH

The Hikers Club of Melvin Village Scholastic Award to further the education of a member of the graduating class.

ROBERT E. SMITH

The Wolfeboro Rotary Club College Scholarship Award to two outstanding members of the graduating class residing in the Wolfeboro area.

JANE SPONGBERG

ROBERT E. SMITH

The Dean's Award for the Winner of the School Spelling Bee.

JUDITH PIPER

The Babe Ruth Good Sportsmanship Awards.

DORIS W. DREW

DAVID N. RICH

This year poems submitted by Brewster freshmen were accepted for publication by the National High School Poetry Association. The pupils whose work was given this award are:

JOYCE GOODWIN

WENDA THOMPSON

RUTH STEVENS

MARGARET REISSFELDER

JAMES SHANNON

VIVIAN SAVARD

RUTHANNE LETTENY

The Harold Hart Memorial Award for outstanding scholarship in Social Science and exemplary conduct in community and school activities.

JANET D. WHITE

The Harvard Prize Book presented by The Harvard Club of Boston for the member of the Junior Class who qualifies as the best all around member of his class.

WILLARD FULLER

The Marjorie Thurston Richardson Award given by the Brewster Alumni Association.

JAMES S. SMITH

The Readers Digest Award of one year's subscription to the member of the graduating class receiving the highest scholastic rating.

ROBERT E. SMITH

GRADUATING CLASS

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| John Philip Adams | Joseph Thomas McGonagle |
| *Nancy Jane Bickford | *Judith Ann Nockles |
| Marilyn Ann Black | Joan Maryanna Noyes |
| Frederick R. Blackinton | George Gerry O'Brien |
| *Priscilla Mae Brown | Almon Bastin Owens, Jr. |
| Charles Gary Carignan | John Jose Parker |
| Fletcher S. Carter | Ernest George Pratt |
| Barbara Jean Cheney | Bradford Ruf Quimby |
| Betty Ann Clark | David Remick |
| *Sumner Root Collins | *David Nelson Rich |
| Chandler Joseph DeMelle | *Dianne Rogers |
| Doris W. Drew | James Winthrop Rogers |
| *Francis Alexander Duffy | *Elizabeth Eleanor Sinclair |
| Roland P. E. Duquette | *Dana Lee Smith |
| Geraldine Elizabeth Estes | James Sheldon Smith |
| William M. Foley, Jr. | Marylin Ellen Smith |
| *Sally Ann Glidden | *Robert Earl Smith |
| *Kenneth Hamilton Gould | *Anne Spencer |
| Marie Antoinette Griffin | Jane Sponberg |
| Pauline P. Heard | Mary Lou Thompson |
| Clair Ann Herlihy | William Richard Todesco |
| Jeanette Elouise Higgins | Richard Lee Topham |
| Donald Charles Johnson | *Sandra Diane Wagenfeld |
| Ralph William LaValle | Georgia Ann White |
| Peter Christos Loomos | *Janet Downs White |
| Harry Charles Mellow | *Beth Whitehead |
| Shirley Ann Moore | Gordon Woodbury |
| John Haskell Morse | Ruth Woodbury |
| *Joan Sands Murray | *Mary-Elizabeth Young |

* *With Honors*