

# Westlane's 'Girl Crazy' should be great

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This week I shall start my column very carefully since I've started columns off just about every other possible way.

Now that I'm finished starting off my column I'll start talking about things at Westlane.

'Girl Crazy' Westlane's 1972 musical goes on stage May 25, 26 and 27. This is our annual spring production requiring the all-out effort of the Drama Club, the costume department, the Band, the Stage Crew (Group W Bench) and Mr. Lannon our director.

'Girl Crazy' is a fantastic show with its music and lyrics written by George and Ira Gershwin, a very famous team. It is very humorous, the songs are incredible and the story is amazing. Besides that, our produc-

tion has the vast acting talents of none other than Steve Coopman, Joyce Allman, Paul J. Wintemute and Annie Marshall. Unfortunately, I'm also in it. Fortunately, I only have a small part.

Regardless, tickets are now available and the best place to get them is from a Westlane student who is selling tickets.

Something new has started. This is Powder-Puff softball. A team is being organized by the intrepid Miss Faustone, who, by the way, is still wasting her time trying to teach me (and others) History in her spare time.

This team will take part in the Niagara tournament against similar teams from other high schools. This tournament takes place from May 15 to 19 and Westlane's first game will be against Stamford at Houk Park on the 17th.

I'm inviting myself to one of their prac-

tices next week so I'll be able to give another Peter Plimpton article pretty soon to all my avid readers.

We started out well enough anyway. Seventy (in figures, 70) female sluggers turned out to sign up. But signing one's name is easy. Now that the team is being picked in tryouts, an average of thirty showup. Anyway, we only need thirteen, so we ought to be able to field a team. Good luck to them.

Some rather disappointing news comes from the Soccer teams. Last week, during exams (or perhaps because of them!) both the Juniors and Seniors lost to the A. N. Myer teams. The Juniors were beaten 3-1 with Bruce Varty tallying for the Spartans.

The Seniors were utterly shut out 3-0. In the best traditions of biased reporters, I won't say anything more about this game. The Juniors also lost this Monday to another

green and white team from Notre Dame. The game was a lot closer though, and the score was only 2-1. In my opinion, we should have won "est-ce pas?" Bobby Mergl scored for us, assisted by the one and only Shawn Stackwood. The soccer word of the week is: Wait'll next week!

Rather than quote my buddy Joseph W. Sparty, I'd like to pass on to you the wise words of one of my esteemed teachers, who asked to remain anonymous. I know you think you understand what you think I said, but I doubt you realize that what I meant to say is not what you heard. Or something like that.

Next week, I think I'll go on a temporary vacation. But read the column anyway.