

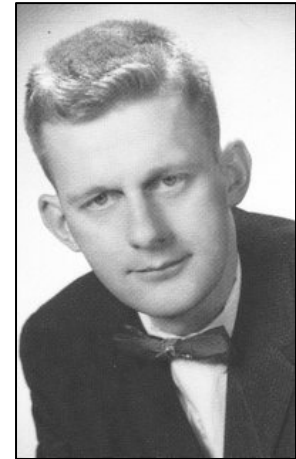
My memories of Timmins High & Vocational School go back to the late forties and early fifties. Discipline was tight; the teaching staff was superb, so much so that TH&VS was always among the top schools in the province in the Grade 13 departmental exams.

Football games drew huge crowds in the picture perfect Hollinger Park.

The student body mirrored our community in the sense that it was multicultural before the rest of Canada had coined that term. For many students, life was not easy but in looking back and looking around, there have been so many success stories that this must have been a contributing factor to their achievements.

During and after my years as Department Head of Guidance, I have never ceased to be impressed by so many of our graduates who have excelled in so many fields of endeavour.

Yes, Timmins High has meant a lot to me down through the decades. I look forward to this and future reunions.



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Timmins Longest Serving Mayor: 1980-1988,
1991-2000 and 2003-2006

Father travelled to Timmins in 1910 and the family
lived on Wilson Avenue.