



RINGS OF TIME. This is the original design of the Richard Winn Academy ring. The simple but elegant design has been altered over the years to suit each individual's taste, most of which have stones and more personalization.

SUITED UP. Janet Coleman (Harris) is thrilled to get a real uniform, the first worn by RWA girls' players. Prior to this the team wore numbered "pennies" over their own "t" shirts and shorts. Loyal fans and parents helped to raise the needed funds to purchase these silk uniforms.



THE FIRST OF MANY. Kit Taylor (Burroughs) looks down at her roses as she is crowned the first Miss RWA. Kit, an eighth grader at the time (1971), was just one of the many RWA beauties to win this title over the past three decades.



1980. Enrollment reaches a total of 374 students — the highest in the school's 14 year history. Both girls' and boys' varsity basketball teams end their season with identical records of 15-6. Eagle football team soars to an 8-2 record.

1982. Lady Eagles capture the Conference Championship in basketball and advance to the second round of the state play-offs. The football team makes it to the first round of state play-offs.

1981. Another banner year for Eagle football as they once again end the season with eight wins against only two loses. JV football is added to RWA's athletic program.

1983. The computer is introduced to RWA and computer classes are offered for the first time. Again, the Eagles football team as well as the Lady Eagles basketball team and golf team makes it to the state play-offs.